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*San Diego, Calif.*—Mrs. W. R. Tinker, 1455 Robinson Ave., San Diego, Calif.  
*San Fernando Valley, Calif.*—Mrs. Vierling Kersey, Jr., 5842 Halbrent Ave., Van Nuys, Calif.  
*\*San Francisco, Calif.*—Mrs. William G. Fairfield, 841 Rockdale Dr., San Francisco, Calif.  
*San Jose, Calif.*—Mrs. Randolph Keim, 2017 Coastland Ave., San Jose, Calif.  
*San Mateo County, Calif.*—Mrs. G. H. Stern, 48 W. Santa Inez, San Mateo, Calif.  
*Santa Barbara-Ventura, Calif.*—Mrs. Ruth Ellen Porter Jones, 2914 Paseo Tranquillo, Santa Barbara, Calif.  
*Santa Monica-Westwood, Calif.*—Mrs. G. P. Benz, 1126 Monument St., Pacific Palisades, Calif.  
*South Coast Club (Laguna, Balboa, Newport Beach), Calif.*—Mrs. Harold Borchenius, 123 Crystal, Balboa Island, Calif.  
*Tucson, Ariz.*—Mrs. D. W. Neubauer, 3017 E. Loretta Dr., Tucson, Ariz.

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Send all subscriptions for magazines to Pi Beta Phi Magazine Agency, Central Office, 410 Standard Building, Decatur, Illinois.

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Have you seen the Holt House film? Clubs and chapters may have it loaned to them by writing to the member of the Holt House Committee in charge—Address in Directory pages of this issue.

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Come to Convention—Jasper Lodge, Jasper National Park, Alberta, Canada  
 June 25-July 1, 1950

# OFFICIAL CALENDARS

Communications for the Central Office should be addressed: Pi Beta Phi Central Office, 410 Standard Office Bldg., Decatur, Illinois. For addresses of other officers, consult the Fraternity Directory immediately following the Official Calendar in this issue.

## ACTIVE

Send checks for initiation fees to Pi Beta Phi Central Office, 410 Standard Office Bldg., Decatur, Illinois. Make checks for Senior dues payable to Pi Beta Phi Central Office, and send to the Central Office. Make checks for Settlement School payable to the Treasurer of the Settlement School and send to her. Make checks for Scholarship Fund payable to the Central Office and send there. Make checks for the Holt House payable to the treasurer of Holt House Committee and send to her. Make checks for jewelry payable to the Pi Beta Phi Central Office and send to that office. Payment for badges in Canada is sent direct to Birks & Co. after order has been okayed by the Pi Beta Phi Central Office. Make checks for magazine subscription payable to the Pi Beta Phi Magazine Agency, 410 Standard Office Bldg., Decatur, Illinois.

### Notice to Canadian Chapters

Canadian chapters make all checks for payments of initiation fees, contributions to all funds, and payments for Bound ARROWS and Treasurers' Bonds, payable to the Grand Treasurer, Mrs. Frank H. Prouty, 1760 Locust St., Denver 7, Colorado.

### General Instructions

Chapter treasurers should see that the Financial Statements to Parents and Pledges are sent approximately two weeks before the proposed initiation. They should be sent only to the parents of the girls who have met the initiation requirements and whom the chapter definitely plans to initiate. This means too that the blanks should be sent only for the girls who have received the required vote of the Executive Council and the Alumnae Advisory Committee for approval of initiation.

Chapter treasurers should see that badges are ordered through the Central Office. It takes six weeks or more, under present conditions, to complete badge orders. Badges for prospective members should not be ordered until all initiation requirements have been met.

Chapter treasurers should send the initiation fee for each initiate with Form GT1 to Central Office within three days of initiation. Canadian chapters send initiation fees to Mrs. Frank H. Prouty, 1760 Locust Street, Denver 7, Colorado.

Chapter Treasurers should send monthly reports to Busey Fraternity Accounting System.

The corresponding secretary should report to the Central Office changes in chapter officers if they are made, any time during the year.

When college schedules make it impossible to comply exactly with fraternity calendar dates, chapter officers should contact Central Office, explain the situations, and receive special permission to vary from the established dates.

**SEPTEMBER 10.** Chapter president send letter to Province President. Chapter officers meet, read manuals, and prepare for college year.

**SEPTEMBER 25.** Chapter Scholarship Chairman send to Province Scholarship Supervisor and to Province President letter giving plans for study and improvement in scholarship.

**OCTOBER 1.** Chapter corresponding secretary send list of actives to the Central Office.

**OCTOBER 1.** Chapter vice-president send Membership Lists to the Central Office.

**OCTOBER 1.** (or as soon after as possible). Chapter pledge supervisor send a list of pledges, on forms intended for that purpose, to the Director of Rushing and Pledge Training, and to the Central Office.

**OCTOBER 1.** Chapter corresponding secretary of chapters maintaining residences mail to Chairman of Committee on Chaperons, printed card concerning chaperon and also blank containing data on chaperon.

**OCTOBER 1.** Chapter treasurer see that Grand Treasurer's letter explaining dues and fees is sent to parents of actives and pledges with letter from chapter.

**OCTOBER 1.** Pledge sponsors send national and chapter letters to parents of pledges as soon as possible after pledging.

**OCTOBER 1.** Chapter Scholarship Chairman send report and pictures of honor students to National Scholarship Chairman, using Scholarship Blank #4. Send Copy to Province President also.

**OCTOBER 1.** Corresponding secretary send to Director of Extension name and address of president of chapter's Mothers' Club.

**OCTOBER 5.** Chapter corresponding secretary prepare and mail chapter letter for ARROW to reach Chapter Letter Editor by October 10.

**OCTOBER 10.** Chapter president send letter and copy of By-laws to the Province President.

**OCTOBER 10.** Chapter corresponding secretary notify Central office if supplies for fall work have not been received. Chapter corresponding secretary return receipt for fall supplies to the Central Office as soon as the supplies are received.

**OCTOBER 15.** Chapter corresponding secretary send Fraternity Study and Examination Blank #105 to the Province Supervisor of Fraternity Study and Examination not later than October 15 and before if possible.

**OCTOBER 15.** Chapter corresponding secretary notify Chairman of Committee on Transfers if chapter has or has not members transferring to other campuses, using official Introduction Transfer Blank for purpose. Also send to her a list of the names and present addresses of all other undergraduates who have not returned to the chapter.

**OCTOBER 15.** Within two weeks after the close of formal rushing season, approximately October 15, retiring chapter rush captain report to the Province President the result of rushing and pledging and report to the Province President and Central Office the name and address of the new rush captain. Within five days after pledging she is also to send recommendation and consent to bid blank for each girl pledged to Director of Rushing and Pledge Training.

**OCTOBER 15.** Program chairmen submit plans to the Province President for chapter meeting programs for the first semester.

**OCTOBER 15.** Chapter treasurer send to the Pi Beta Phi Central Office \$5.00 to cover both the bond for the chapter treasurer and the bond ARROWS of preceding year.

**OCTOBER 15.** Chapter treasurer send to Director of Extension a report concerning delinquents, whether there are any, if so names and amounts.

- OCTOBER 15.** Deadline for material for December ARROW.
- OCTOBER 20.** Due to Mr. Paul Busey from chapter Treasurer: Summer-September Report (Assessment Roll, Expense Sheet, and Monthly Report) and 2 copies of Budget Control Sheet from all chapters whose schools open before September 15.
- OCTOBER 25.** Chapter scholarship chairman send letter to Province President and Province Supervisor.
- OCTOBER 30.** Chapter pledge supervisor send letter to Province President.
- OCTOBER 30.** Chapter president send form to the Director of Rushing and Pledge Training stating that all employees handling food at the chapter house have passed a physical examination.
- NOVEMBER 10.** Chapter president send letter to Province President.
- NOVEMBER 10.** Chapter Scholarship Chairman send to Province Supervisor, Province President and National Chairman copies of the new Scholarship Blank #3. Send earlier if possible.
- NOVEMBER 15.** Pledge president send letter to Province President.
- NOVEMBER 20.** Chapter social exchange chairman send material on Homecoming, Floats, Stunts, Formal Parties, Rushing, to Province Supervisor of Social Exchange.
- NOVEMBER 20.** Due to Mr. Paul Busey from chapter Treasurer: October Report (Assessment Roll, Expense Sheet, and Monthly Report) from all chapters.
- NOVEMBER 25.** Chapter scholarship chairman send letter to Province President and Province Supervisor.
- NOVEMBER 25.** Chapter magazine chairman send subscriptions for Christmas delivery to the Pi Beta Phi Magazine Agency. (This does not mean that subscriptions will not be received after this date, but it does mean that to insure Christmas delivery the subscriptions should be received at the agency by this date.)
- DECEMBER 15.** Chapter scholarship chairman send letter to Province President and Province Supervisor.
- DECEMBER 20.** Due to Mr. Paul Busey from chapter Treasurer: November Report (Assessment Roll, Expense Sheet, and Monthly Report) from all chapters.
- JANUARY 5.** Chapter corresponding secretary prepare and mail chapter letter for ARROW to reach Chapter Letter Editor by January 10.
- JANUARY 9.** Chapter Loyalty Day in honor of Carrie Chapman Catt.
- JANUARY 10.** Chapter president send letter to Province President.
- JANUARY 15.** Chapter pledge supervisor send letter to Province President.
- JANUARY 15.** Chapter corresponding secretary notify Central Office if supplies for spring work have not been received. Return receipt for supplies to the Central Office immediately after supplies have been received and distributed.
- JANUARY 15.** Chapter treasurer is responsible for the sending of the annual report of the Chapter House Corporation to the Counselor for Chapter House Corporations and the Province President, and for the sending of a \$5.00 fee for bonding the treasurer of the House Corporation. Blanks for the report will be sent to the treasurer of the House Corporation who makes out the report and sends the \$5.00 fee but the chapter treasurer must see that both reports and fees are sent.
- JANUARY 15.** Deadline for material for March ARROW.
- JANUARY 15.** Each senior graduating at mid-year is required to fill out a blank "Senior Application to an Alumnae Club Membership" and give the chapter treasurer \$1.00. The chapter treasurer is required to forward the Senior Application and money to the Central Office. Canadian chapters send Senior Dues and Applications to the Director of Rushing and Pledge Training.
- JANUARY 20.** Due to Mr. Paul Busey from chapter Treasurer: December Report (Assessment Roll, Expense Sheet, and Monthly Report) from all chapters.
- JANUARY 25.** Chapter scholarship chairman send letter to Province President and Province Supervisor.
- FEBRUARY 1.** Plan for Active Fraternity Examination.
- FEBRUARY 10.** Active chapter history material should be submitted by chapter historian to the Assistant to the National Historian and one copy to the Province President.
- FEBRUARY 10.** Chapter president send letter to Province President.
- FEBRUARY 10.** Final date for the election of chapter officers.
- FEBRUARY 13.** Chapter corresponding secretary send one copy of officer list to Central Office.
- FEBRUARY 15.** Final date for chapter president to send nomination of candidates for the Amy Burnham Onken award to the Province President. (See Bulletin on Official Pi Beta Phi Awards.)
- FEBRUARY 15.** Chapter activity chairman send report to the Province President.
- FEBRUARY 15.** Program Chairman submit plans for chapter meeting programs for the second semester.
- FEBRUARY 20.** Due to Mr. Paul Busey from chapter Treasurer: January Report (Assessment Roll, Expense Sheet, and Monthly Report) from all chapters.
- FEBRUARY 25.** Scholarship chairman send letter to Province President and Province Supervisor.
- MARCH 1.** Chapter treasurer send to the Director of Extension a report concerning delinquents, whether there are any and if so names and amounts.
- MARCH 1.** Blank of Instructions of Officers should be filled out and sent to the Central Office.
- MARCH.** Vice-president send to the Province President within 3 days after initiation a report that new membership cards have been placed in the card file.
- MARCH 1 (or immediately after your semester opens).** Chapter vice-president send one copy of Membership Lists to the Central Office.
- MARCH 1. (or immediately after your semester opens).** Chapter corresponding secretary send one copy of active list to the Central Office.
- MARCH 1.** Chapter corresponding secretary prepare and mail chapter letter for ARROW to reach the Chapter Letter Editor not later than March 5.
- MARCH 10.** Chapter president send letter to the Province President.
- MARCH 20.** Due to Mr. Paul Busey from chapter Treasurer: February Report (Assessment Roll, Expense Sheet, and Monthly Report) from all chapters.
- MARCH 25.** Chapter scholarship chairman send letter to Province President and Province Supervisor.
- MARCH 31.** Final date for mailing of annual fraternity examination for active members to Province Supervisor of Fraternity Study and Examination.
- APRIL 5.** Chapter corresponding secretary notify the Central Office if supplies for completing year's work have not been received. Return receipt for supplies to the Central Office immediately after supplies have been received and distributed.
- APRIL 10.** Chapter president send letter to the Province President.
- APRIL 20.** Due to Mr. Paul Busey from chapter Treasurer: March report (Assessment Roll, Expense Sheet, and Monthly Report) from all chapters.
- APRIL 25.** Chapter scholarship chairman send letter to Province President and Province Supervisor.
- APRIL 28.** Founders' Day.
- MAY 1.** Chapter corresponding secretary send one copy of Annual Chapter Report to the Central Office. Keep one copy for chapter files.
- MAY 1.** Order supplies for Department of Chapter Accounting for next year from Flanagan Pearson, Champaign, Ill.
- MAY 10.** Chapter president send letter to the Province President.
- MAY 10.** Chapter social exchange chairman send material on Founders' Day to the Province Supervisor of Social Exchange.
- MAY 15.** Final date for election of chapter officers.
- MAY 15.** Chapter corresponding secretary send one copy of new officer list to the Central Office.
- MAY 15.** Rush captain report to the Province President, outlining plans for summer and fall rushing.
- MAY 15.** Chapter activity chairman report to the Province President.
- MAY 20.** Each senior is required to fill out a blank called "Senior Application to an Alumnae Club Membership," and give the chapter treasurer \$1.00. The chapter treasurer is required to forward the Senior Applications and money to the Central Office. Canadian chapters send Senior dues to the Director of Rushing and Pledge Training.
- MAY 20.** Due to Mr. Paul Busey from chapter Treasurer: April Report (Assessment Roll, Expense Sheet, and Monthly Report) from all chapters.
- MAY 25.** Chapter scholarship chairman send letter to Province President and Province Supervisor.
- JUNE 1.** Chapter president takes the pin of any girl who is financially delinquent at the close of school.
- JUNE 10.** Chapter historian submit chapter history to the Assistant to the National Historian and a copy to the Province President.
- JUNE 10.** Copy of all printed or mimeographed bulletins used for rushing must be approved in advance by the Grand President.
- JUNE 10.** Chapter president send letter to the Province President. Reports of Panhellenic delegates are requested semi-annually by the Grand President and blanks for the purpose are sent out to her.

## ALUMNÆ

Make checks for national alumnae dues payable to Pi Beta Phi Central Office and send to your Province Vice-President.

Make checks for Settlement School payable to the Treasurer of the Settlement School and send to your Province Vice-President.

Make checks for Emma Harper Turner Memorial Fund payable to that fund and send to your Province Vice-President.

Make checks for the Holt House payable to the Treasurer of Holt House Committee and send to your Province Vice-President.

Make checks for jewelry payable to the Pi Beta Phi Central Office and send to that office.

Payment for badges in Canada is sent direct to Birks & Co. after order has been O.K.ed by the Pi Beta Phi Central Office.

Make checks for magazine subscriptions payable to the Pi Beta Phi Magazine Agency, 410 Standard Office Building, Decatur, Illinois.

NOTICE TO CANADIAN ALUMNÆ CLUBS: CANADIAN ALUMNÆ CLUBS make all checks for payment of annual alumnae dues and contributions to all projects payable to Mrs. Frank H. Prouty, 1760 Locust Street, Denver 7, Colorado.

**OCTOBER 10.** Alumnae Club corresponding secretary send personals and In Memoriam notices to the Central Office for the December ARROW.

**NOVEMBER 10.** Alumnae club corresponding secretary mail club year book or program dates to the Grand Vice-President and Director of Extension, the Province Vice-President and to the Alumnae Club Editor.

**NOVEMBER 15.** Alumnae Club treasurer send annual alumnae dues to Province Vice-President.

**NOVEMBER 25.** Alumnae club magazine chairmen see that all subscriptions to magazines for Christmas delivery are sent by this date to the Pi Beta Phi Magazine Agency.

**JANUARY 5.** Alumnae Club corresponding secretary prepare and send letter with club news and coming events in time to reach the Alumnae Club Editor by January 5 for the March ARROW. Send Personals and In Memoriam notices to the Central Office for March ARROW.

**JANUARY 9.** Chapter Loyalty Day in honor of Carrie Chapman Catt.

**MARCH 1.** Election of officers should be held at the regular March meeting of the club, said officers to take office at the close of the club fiscal year, May 20. (Current dues must have been paid by this date to enable one to vote at the annual election or be eligible for office.)

**MARCH 5.** Alumnae club corresponding secretary prepare and send letters with club news and coming events in time to reach the Alumnae Club Editor by March 5 for the May ARROW.

Alumnae club corresponding secretary send Personals and In Memoriam notices to the Central Office for the May ARROW.

**APRIL 15.** Alumnae club national dues should be sent to the Province Vice-President. These must be received by this date to be included in current year's totals.

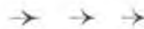
**APRIL 28.** Founders' Day to be celebrated with the nearest active chapter or chapters.

**MAY 20.** Club fiscal year ends. New officers' list should be sent by corresponding secretary to the Province Vice-President and the Central Office. (Earlier, if possible.) Please check to see that the corresponding secretary is a subscriber to the ARROW.

**MAY 20.** Four questionnaires for annual report should have been filled out by the alumnae club president and returned as directed.

**MAY 20.** Audit slips should be sent by the alumnae club treasurer as directed in the Central Office letter.

**JULY 15.** Alumnae Club corresponding secretary send Personals and In Memoriam notices to the Central Office for the September ARROW.



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Have you returned your new Directory Card to Central Office?  
Do so at once.



# Supplies of the Pi Beta Phi Fraternity

Unless otherwise designated (with price quotation), the supplies listed below will be furnished free wherever next of them is established.  
When payment accompanies order, supplies will be sent postpaid; otherwise statement for priced supplies will include a charge for postage.

## ORDERS SHOULD BE ADDRESSED AS FOLLOWS:

### TO GRAND PRESIDENT for:

- Blank applications for the fellowship
- Blank charters
- Blank notification of fines to Chapter President
- Blank notification of fines to Grand Treasurer
- Voting blanks for chapters on granting of charters
- Voting blanks for Grand Council

### TO GRAND VICE PRESIDENT for:

- Blank applications for alumnae club charters
- Blank applications for Ruth Barrett Smith Scholarships
- Charters for alumnae clubs

### TO GRAND SECRETARY for:

- Blank applications for Harriet Rutherford Johnstone Scholarships
- Cipher and Key
- List of allowed expenses to those traveling on fraternity business

### TO CHAIRMAN OF EXTENSION COMMITTEE for:

- Instructions to petitioning groups

### TO FLANIGAN-PEARSON, PRINTERS, Champaign, Ill., for:

- Busey System and Accounting Blanks

### TO MANGEL, Florist, Chicago, Ill., for:

- Pi Beta Phi Wine Carnations

### TO PI BETA PHI MAGAZINE AGENCY, 410 Standard Building, Decatur, Ill., for: Magazine Subscriptions (see latest prices in front of this issue of ARROW)

### TO PI BETA PHI CENTRAL OFFICE, 410 Standard Building, Decatur 16, Ill., for:

- Affiliation Ceremony
- Alumnae Advisory Committee Manual, 15¢
- Alumnae Advisory Officer Lists
- Alumnae Club Duties of Officers
- Alumnae Club Officer Lists
- Alumnae Club Presidents' Notebook
- Alumnae Club Receipt Books (blue, triplicate receipts, no charge)
- Alumnae Delegate Manual, 25¢
- ARROWS (from old files) - - - price to chapters for completing archives, 50¢; Special, temporary life subscription for alumnae, \$7.50

#### Blanks:

- Affiliation and Transfer
- Introduction Transfer
- Transfer
- Affiliation
- Annual Report, due May 1
- Broken Pledge
- Chaperon
  - White card to be sent out in fall to chairman
  - Blank for Data on Chaperon
  - Application Blank for Chaperon
  - "The Relations Between a Chapter and Its Chaperon"
  - Uniform Duties of Chapter House Chaperon
- Initiation Dues Blanks (GTI forms), 50¢
- Chapter Officer Lists
- Contents of Archives List
- Credentials to Convention
- Dismissal and Reinstatement Blanks
  - Automatic Probation
  - Automatic Dismissal
  - Dismissal
  - Expulsion
  - Honorable Dismissal
  - Reinstatement
- Embossed Initiation Certificate (lost ones replaced, 50¢ each)
- Fraternity Study and Examination Blanks, #105, #205, #305
- Initiation Certificates
  - List of chapter members at the beginning at each term (Active Lists)
  - List of chapter members not returning to college at beginning of each term (V.P. Lists)
- Officer Bill Forms
- Recommendation Blanks 15¢ for 25

### Recommendation Blank from State Rushing Chairman (to chapter)

Request for Recommendation from State Rushing Chairman (from chapter)

Consent to Bid Blanks

Combination Blanks

Acknowledging letter of recommendation 15¢ for 25

Scholarship Blanks, #3, #4.

Senior Applications for Membership in Alumnae Club

Book of Initiates' Signatures (formerly called Bound Constitution) \$5.00 each; (Before ordering chapters must have permission from Province President or Visiting Officer)

Book of Pledges' Signatures, \$5.50 each

Book of Pledges' Signatures, \$5.00 each

Candle Lighting Ceremony

Cards—for ordering supplies from Central Office, 1¢ each

Cards—Data on Recent Graduates, 1¢ each

Chapter File Cards 3 x 5 inches (in lots of not less than 100; white, salmon and blue), 35¢ per 100

Chapter File Instruction Booklet, 15¢

Chapter Manual, 15¢ each, \$1.50 per dozen

Chapter Officers' Manuals:

President (loose-leaf leather notebook)

Pledge Supervisor (loose-leaf leather notebook)

Vice-President, Corresponding Secretary, Recording Secretary, Treasurer, Historian, Rush Captain, Pledge Sponsor, Censor, Delegate, Magazine Chairman, Program Chairman, Chapter House Planning & Building, Social Chairman, 25¢ each

Chapter Presidents' Calendar

Chapter Presidents' Reference Binder

Chapter Recording Secretary's Book \$5.00 (For minutes of meetings)

Constitution—Write for information and price

Cook Books, 60¢ (If purchased in dozen lots, 45¢ each)

Dismissal Binder, \$3.75

Financial Statement to Parents of Pledges

Founders' Day Play, with records, by Helen Hartley California I

Historical Play, I. C. Sorosis, 50¢

Historian's Binder, \$5.00

Historian's note-book paper—1¢ per sheet

History of Pi Beta Phi, Bound issue \$5.00

Holt House Booklet, 50¢

House Rules for Chapters,

"How to Order Jewelry," 25¢

Initiation Ceremony, 15¢ each, \$1.50 per dozen

Instructions to visiting officers

Letters to Parents of Pledges

Manual for Alumnae Club Magazine Chairmen, 25¢

Manual of Instructions for Contributions to the ARROW, 25¢

Manual of Social Usage, 25¢

"My Seven Gifts to Pi Beta Phi," 5¢ each, 50¢ per dozen

Manuals for Standing Committees

Official ARROW chapter letter stationery, 15¢ per 25 sheets

Official Correspondence Stationery

Order forms for official badges and jewelry, 50¢

Outline for By-Laws of Active Chapters

Panhellenic Manual of Information

Pattern for model initiation gown, 50¢

Pi Beta Phi Song Book, \$1.00

Pi Beta Phi Symphony, 30¢

Pledge Book—50¢. This book includes questions and answers for pledge examinations. A copy is furnished to each pledge without charge. The 50¢ price is a replacement price for sale to members

Pledge Ritual, 20¢ per dozen

Pledging Ceremony, 10¢ each, \$1.00 per dozen

Policies and Standing Rules applying to active chapters

Receipts for Province Vice-Presidents, and Province Presidents

Record of Membership Book, full leather \$10.00. (Before ordering, chapters must have permission from Province President or Visiting Officer.)

Ribbon: Write for information and prices

Ritual, 20¢ per dozen

Robes for initiation, \$4.50—now available—2 weeks notice

Roll call of Chapters (One is included with each Pledge Book ordered)

Senior Farewell Ceremony, 15¢ each

Social Exchange Bulletins

Study Aids, 5¢ each

(Not all supplies handled in the Central Office are listed. Write for further information if you wish supplies not listed.)



*Tumbling Glacier*

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## THE ARROW OF PI BETA PHI

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### Editorials

#### *Of Economy*

This issue has been a difficult one to prepare! Necessity for very rigid economy has struck the ARROW, and the question has been not so much "What shall we print?" as "What must we leave out!" First to feel the cut had to be the department of Pi Phi Personalities, and many fine items sent in have perforce been omitted—but later in the year we plan an issue made up largely of personality stories, so much of that material can be used at that time. Then came the report of the Scholarship Committee, with close to a hundred pictures of girls—one group of them was so large that it had to go out—there were 59 pictures of members of Alpha Lambda Delta out of 74 reported by chapters, truly a showing to be proud of! It promises much for future strength in college activities on the part of those girls who won that honor as freshmen! To each one of them goes an apology from the Editor of the ARROW, and a "Well Done!"

The entire report of the Scholarship committee is most interesting, and should be read by every Pi Phi.



#### *Of Convention—and a Windfall!*

The ARROW has a new staff member, Mr. Paul Busey (yes, he is the fraternity accountant), who is to be Convention Photographic Editor, and has volunteered to help in every aspect of Convention picture taking, even to helping individuals who bring their cameras to use them to the best possible advantage. He is nationally known as a photographer, and Jasper Park is his hobby. He very generously had made for us the truly beautiful cuts which are used in the Convention section of Jasper Park, at his own expense. They are chosen from among many of his wonderful pictures which have made the choice of Convention site for 1950 seem to be one of our very best. Read Mr. Busey's article about the Park, and you too will be caught up in his vision of that grandly beautiful out doors land of the Canadian Rockies. All the wonders that Mr. Busey has pictured and described are waiting for you there, with the added charm of the gracious hospitality of our Canadian chapters, and the presence of hundreds of Pi Phis from the four corners of the continent—come and see for yourselves!



#### *Of Sympathy*

Sorrow has struck at members of Grand Council in the last few weeks, in overflowing measure—to Marianne Reid Wild in the death of her only son, Leonard, brilliant student at Washington and Lee, instantly killed in an automobile accident; to Lucile Douglas Caron in the sudden death of her mother. The hearts of Pi Phis everywhere have gone out to them both.



#### *Hail and Farewell*

The ARROW greets with pleasure the members of the two new chapters, California Epsilon (dear to the Editor's heart!) and Alabama Beta—also the newly pledged members of the chapter-to-be at Santa Barbara, California Zeta, and in addition all the new pledges who have come to our chapters as a result of the Fall rushing season. Before them all lies the incredible richness of experience that may be theirs in Pi Beta Phi, if by their love and their enthusiasm they make the Fraternity a vital part of their lives.

It is sad, though, to be forced to announce that by decision of the Board of Trustees of Goucher College at the close of this college year, all national fraternity charters must be withdrawn

from chapters on that campus, and so we lose Maryland Alpha, long an honored member of our family of chapters. Miss Onken, in her letter to Province Presidents, has well expressed the feeling of the fraternity over their loss, when she said "Pi Beta Phi is losing a chapter which has given it many loyal and valued members. It is most gratifying to have this year's chapter write of the 'heartbreak' which the announcement has brought with it, and its determination to make this last year for Maryland Alpha as an active chapter an exceedingly fine one."

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### Directory Pages

You will notice that the directory pages appear at the beginning instead of the end of this issue—by special request of Grand Council.

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### A Model Club

Mrs. Wild closed her last letter to the Province Vice Presidents with this thought-inspiring rhyme:

A Model Alumnæ Club  
 May be led by anybody;  
 Should be participated in by everybody;  
 Must be monopolized by nobody;  
 Is where everybody is somebody.

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A Merry Christmas to Pi Phis everywhere!

*Odile Taylor Alfonso*

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LONG BEFORE you read this article you will have received the letter prepared and mailed by the Alumnæ Home Committee, in which plans were outlined insofar as they can be at this time. This letter was sent to all Pi Phis on the mailing list of Central Office in the effort to reach not only members of alumnæ clubs, but isolated or unaffiliated Pi Phis who would be out of touch with national projects.

Responses to the appeal in the letter have been more than generous. The Committee has been surprised and touched at the amounts of money that have come in, within a few short weeks, from alumnæ everywhere, some from those who have been out of touch with their fraternity for years. Many letters have come, mostly of commendation, a few of criticism—but all helpful. It is amazing, the interest that is shown in the Alumnæ Home. Surely this interest means that the fraternity as a whole is ready for it and is willing to support it.

The Committee wishes most heartily that it could give you immediately more definite information about the Home—location, administration, etc., but according to the action of the 1947 Convention, all plans must first be submitted to and approved by the Alumnæ Session of the 1950 Convention before they can be put into effect.

Let us not permit our interest to wane, but continue to grow and to manifest itself in our loyal support.

MARY W. GIBSON

# Convention 1950—June 25—July 1—Jasper Lodge

## JASPER NATIONAL PARK

By PAUL G. BUSEY

IN CHOOSING Jasper National Park as the location for their annual convention in June, Pi Beta Phi has chosen the garden spot of the Canadian Rockies. Nowhere else in the world can one find such a variety of natural scenery. With such beauty spots as Lac Beauvert, Lake Mildred, Maligne Lake, Mt. Edith Cavell, Athabaska Falls, Columbia Ice Fields, and the Tonquin Valley to choose from, every minute of sojourn is a revelation.

Jasper National Park is the largest National Park in Canada and one of the largest in the Americas, covering 4,200 square miles. At the northern end is the town of Jasper, located at the junction of the Mietta and Athabaska rivers, with a population of 1,500 inhabitants. From there, it extends 100 miles south to the Columbia Ice Fields.

The park does not run as far south as Lake Louise or Banff, but an excellent highway running south through the park, connects Jasper with these points of interest. The park is a sanctuary for flora and fauna, no shooting arms being allowed. The trees growing there are the lodge pole pine, spruce, aspen, cottonwood, mountain maple and alpine larch. Five hundred varieties of wild flowers have been classified.

From the moment a delegate steps from the train in the town of Jasper her thrills begin. Jasper is a typical mountain town. Its shops are interesting, especially to those from the States. Prices are reasonable, and the absence of our usual sales tax comes as a welcome surprise to the tourist. You are likely to see a deer staring at you from the distant trees, or a bear with its cubs calmly crossing the railroad tracks.

At the train you will be met by porters from the lodge, who will take care of your baggage, and usher you into a bus for the Lodge, situated a couple of miles away.

Jasper National Park Lodge, the headquarters for the convention, is owned and operated by the Canadian National Railway, which, by the way, is owned by the Canadian government. Situated in the Athabaska Valley, the lodge and its adjacent lakes are almost entirely surrounded by mountains, the most beautiful of which is Mt. Edith Cavell. Towering 11,033 feet, this mountain reigns supreme over the

Athabaska Valley. The Lodge has accommodations for 650 guests; the main lodge building, as well as the multitude of bungalows containing all the way from 4 to 23 sleeping rooms, is made entirely of peeled logs taken from the forests around Jasper.

The main lodge is of one story, and houses a beautiful foyer or lobby, dining rooms, ball room, gift shops, and offices. It has a barber shop, beauty salon, railway office, custom office, and tour and reservation headquarters.

On the arrival of your bus, you will be greeted by the most efficient and likeable staff of employees it has ever been your pleasure to meet. Practically all of the younger members are college girls and boys from Canadian Universities, and they all seem to feel that it is their job to make you feel at home. Everybody asks questions, and they are only too glad to answer them. Attached to the main building is a snack bar or room, open from 10 A.M. to 12 P.M.

The main lodge and the bungalows for sleeping purposes are built in a crescent around Lac Beauvert, with flower gardens and lawns extending down to the water's edge. The lodge has its own green-houses and the gardens and lodge are a mass of beautiful flowers. From the main veranda extending entirely across the front of the lodge building, one looks across the rock garden and the out-door swimming pool to Mt. Edith Cavell and other mountains in the distance.

Your problem while at Jasper will not be to find something to do, but to find the time in which to do it. Outside your convention activities, you will have to choose wisely to budget your recreational time.

If you care for bathing, the Lodge boasts of a large out-door swimming pool for the use of its guests. Canoes and row-boats are available for use on Lac Beauvert. If you play golf, you will find a championship golf course of 18 holes, one of the finest in the country. If you like tennis, the lodge has four hard-surfaced tennis courts. Riding horses or bicycles may be rented for a nominal sum, and the trails and roads are well marked. The Lodge has its own taxi and bus system, and makes regular trips into Jasper, as well as daily motor trips rang-

ing from 12 to 150 miles, to Mt. Edith Cavell, Miette Hot Springs, Maligne Canyon, and the Columbia Ice Fields.

One of the first questions a delegate will ask is, "What shall I take to wear?" You will want an evening dress for formal dinner and evenings at the lodge. Outside of this, "Let your conscience be your guide." Wear what you like; sport clothes are tops. If you care to swim, bring a bathing suit, altho suits may be rented at the pool. You will need a heavy coat and sweater for cool evenings and hiking in the mountains. Sun glasses and low heel shoes for hiking are almost a "must." If you ride, breeches, or "levis" are a good idea. Flannel shirts are useful. There is little formality around the lodge. One day laundry is available.

By all means, if it is possible bring a camera, and a limited supply of film. This last item is generally available at the lodge or at Jasper, but they may be out of your size. If you are taking black and white pictures, bring a K2 filter, and a haze filter is sometimes very useful. As your official photographer for the convention, I will be glad to share with you my experience in taking pictures in the Rockies, and in obtaining supplies. If you are carrying your camera into Canada, it will be necessary for you to make out a custom declaration. Films are developed and you can get contact prints from them the same day.

Another question you will ask is, "How can I see the most Canadian mountain scenery during my stay in Jasper?" You will, of course do a certain amount of "hiking" in and around the Lodge grounds. You will doubtless run into

deer, mountain sheep and bear. However, as no hunting is allowed in the Park, these animals as a rule will never bother you. There is no poison ivy, and NO SNAKES. A stroll around Lac Mildred and Lac Beauvert, taking in the golf grounds on the way, will be time well spent. A few hours on horseback on the numerous well-marked trails around the Lodge, will give you an excellent view of the mountain ranges.

You will, without doubt, wish on recreation day to take a bus to Mt. Edith Cavell, and the Glacier of the Angel. This should only take about three hours, including an hour at the Glacier. One of the twilight drives or the general drive, conducted by the Lodge, is worth while. The ride along the Athabaska River to Maligne Canyon is not a long one.

Although United States citizens do not require a passport to enter Canada, it might be helpful to carry some proof of your citizenship, such as a birth certificate. A Canadian Customs officer is located at the Lodge to facilitate the clearing of your baggage.

Your trip to Jasper will be the experience of a life-time, and with Arthur Conan Doyle, you will say:

"I have seen the gorge of Erie, where the roaring waters run,  
I have crossed the Inland Ocean, lying golden in the sun,  
But the last and best and sweetest is the ride by hill and dale,  
With the packer and the packhorse on the Athabaska Trail."

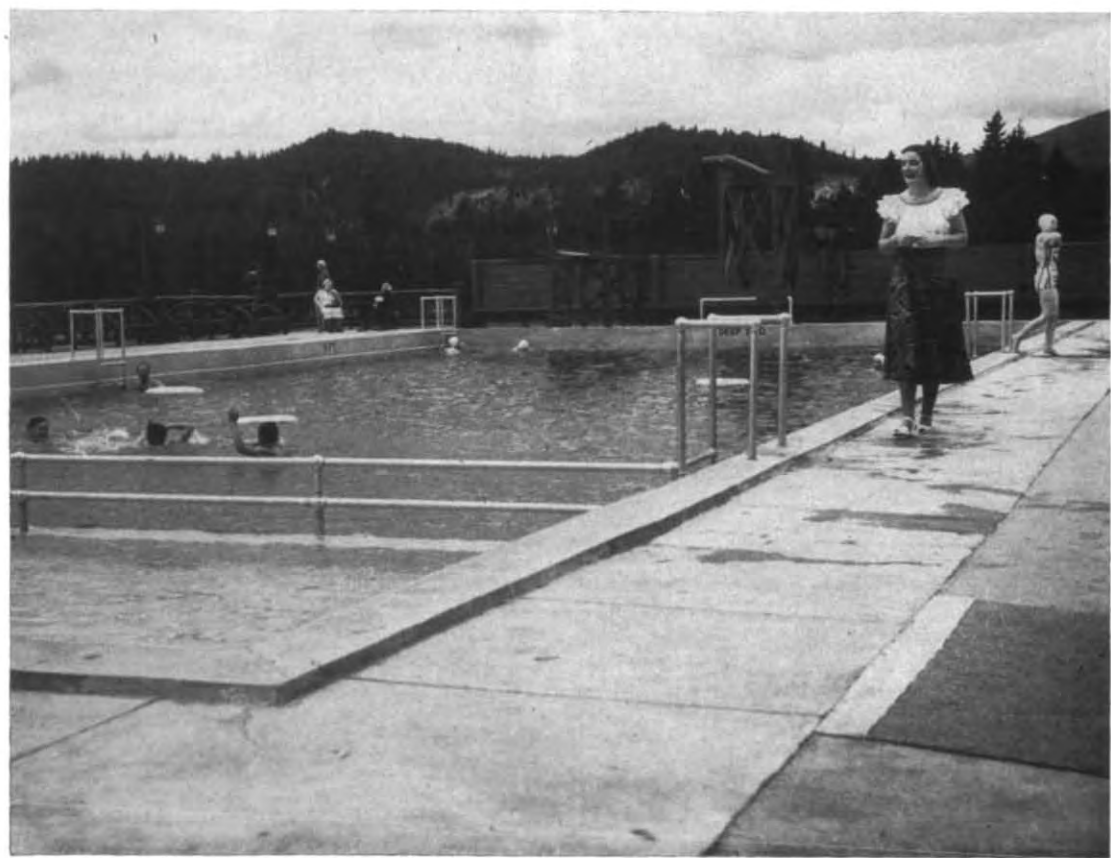
I'll be seeing you in Jasper.

Mr. Busey, the author of the article on Jasper National Park, has been taking pictures in the Canadian Rockies for the past two summers and exhibiting same in various Salons over the country. He was chosen a member of the U. S. Camera Group for both 1948 and 1949, and photographed over a thousand Canadian scenes. Last year he traveled eighty-five miles by pack-horse in Alberta and British Columbia photographing mountain scenery. He is a member of the Photographic Society of America, and the Chicago Color Camera Club.

Mr. Busey will act for us, this year, as Convention Photographic Editor of the ARROW, and the Convention Daily. He will be vacationing at Jasper during the period of the Convention, and has signified his willingness to give photographic advice and assistance to any of our delegates.



*Lawn of Jasper Lodge*



*Swimming Pool at Jasper Lodge*



*Maligne Lake*



*Canadian Pi Beta Phis*

*(From left to right) Katherine Knoll, active, Alberta Alpha; Gerry Fitzgerald, active, Alberta Alpha; Maureen Davis, University of British Columbia, not affiliated; Lois Grant, vice president, Alberta Alpha. The picture of the Canadian Pi Phis at Athabaska Falls was chosen by the Photographic Society of*

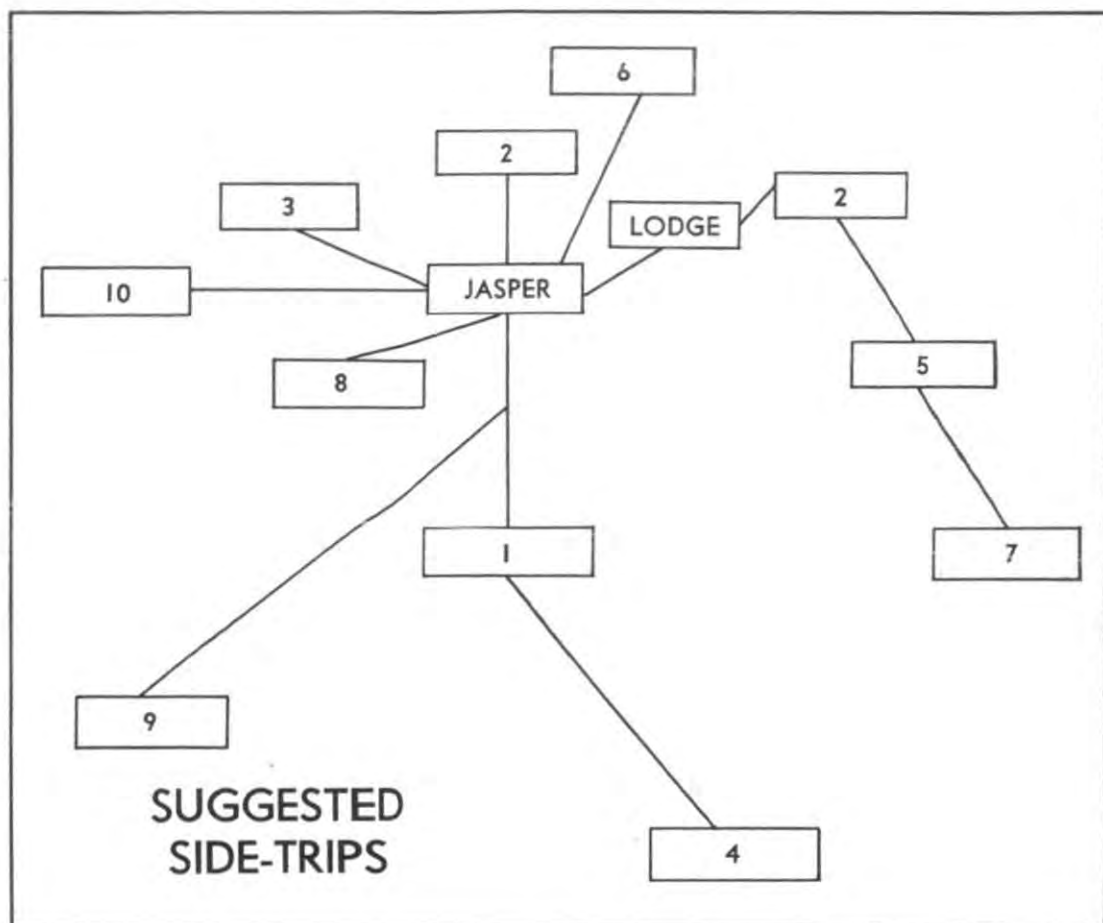


*200 yards from Jasper Lodge*

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*America for exhibition at their annual International Salon held in St. Louis in September, also two color slides incorporated in Mr. Busey's Pi Phi Convention Travelling Salon.*





## Side Trips From the Lodge

(1)	Mt. Edith Cavell, bus, 35 m return .....	\$ 4.00
(2)	Maligne Canyon 12 m return, bus .....	2.00
(2)	Gen'l. Drive. Maligne Canyon, Fish Hatchery, Lake Patricia & Pyramid Mt., bus 35 m return .....	4.00
(3)	Miette Hot Springs and Fidler River, bus, 80 m return .....	6.00
(4)	Columbia Ice Field, bus, 150 m return .....	10.00
(5)	Maligne Canyon & Medicine Lake, auto and motor boat, 40 m return .....	6.00
(6)	Punch Bowl Falls, bus, 60 m return .....	3.50
(7)	Maligne Canyon, Medicine Lake & Lake Maligne, auto and motor boat, 100 m return .....	12.00
(8)	Geikie Twilight Drive, bus, 25 m return .....	3.00
(9)	Tonquin Valley, 52 m return, auto and pack-horse .....	38.50
(10)	Mt. Robson, rr, auto & pack-horse, Empress Falls, Berg Lake. Rates at Brewster's Rocky Mt. Camp Desk	

## PI PHI SPECIAL TRAIN

Tentative schedule for the Pi Phis from Chicago to Jasper and return is as follows:

Lv. Chicago	CB&Q	11:30 A.M.	Friday	June 23rd
Lv. St. Paul	N.P.	9:00 P.M.	Friday	June 23rd
Lv. Winnipeg	C.N.	11:40 A.M.	Saturday	June 24th
Ar. Jasper	C.N.	3:40 P.M.	Sunday	June 25th
Returning				
Lv. Jasper	C.N.	2:15 P.M.	Saturday	July 1st
Lv. Winnipeg	N.P.	7:00 P.M.	Sunday	July 2nd
Lv. St. Paul	CB&Q	8:00 P.M.	Monday	July 3rd
Ar. Chicago	CB&Q	5:00 P.M.	Monday	July 3rd

The best equipment available by the Pullman Company on the special, but, as yet, it is too early to state exactly the type of cars to be furnished.

The tentative schedule from the more important eastern points to Chicago are as follows:

Lv. New York	N.Y.C.	3:30 P.M.	Thursday	June 22nd
Lv. Boston	N.Y.C.	2:10 P.M.	Thursday	June 22nd
Lv. Albany	N.Y.C.	6:10 P.M.	Thursday	June 22nd
Lv. Buffalo	N.Y.C.	11:35 P.M.	Thursday	June 22nd
Lv. Cleveland	N.Y.C.	12:45 A.M.	Friday	June 23rd
Ar. Chicago	N.Y.C.	7:30 A.M.	Friday	June 23rd
Lv. New York	P.R.R.	5:00 P.M.	Thursday	June 22nd
Lv. Philadelphia	P.R.R.	6:20 P.M.	Thursday	June 22nd
Lv. Washington	P.R.R.	5:30 P.M.	Thursday	June 22nd
Lv. Pittsburgh	P.R.R.	12:50 A.M.	Friday	June 23rd
Lv. Columbia	P.R.R.	11:50	Thursday	June 22nd
Ar. Chicago	P.R.R.	8:00 A.M.	Friday	June 23rd
Lv. Detroit	G.T.	11:15 P.M.	Thursday	June 22nd
Ar. Chicago	G.T.	7:00 A.M.	Friday	June 23rd
Lv. Cincinnati	N.Y.C. or P.R.R.	11:30 P.M.	Thursday	June 22nd
Lv. Indianapolis	N.Y.C. or P.R.R.	2:00 A.M.	Friday	June 23rd
Lv. Louisville	N.Y.C. or P.R.R.	11:30 P.M.	Thursday	June 22nd
Ar. Chicago	N.Y.C. or P.R.R.	7:30 A.M.	Friday	June 23rd
Lv. St. Louis	I.C.	11:45 P.M.	Thursday	June 22nd
Ar. Chicago	I.C.	7:00 A.M.	Friday	June 23rd

For those members coming from the Pacific Coast we will operate special Pullman cars from Vancouver to Jasper and return on the following schedule:

Lv. Vancouver	C.N.	7:15 P.M.	Saturday	June 24th
Ar. Jasper	C.N.	12:50 P.M.	Sunday	June 25th
Returning				
Lv. Jasper	C.N.	2:55 P.M.	Saturday	July 1st
Ar. Vancouver	C.N.	9:20 A.M.	Sunday	July 2nd

The schedule from Los Angeles, etc. into Vancouver to connect with the above schedule is as follows:

Lv. Los Angeles	S.P.	7:30 A.M.	Thursday	June 22nd
Lv. San Francisco	S.P.	6:30 P.M.	Thursday	June 22nd
Lv. Portland	G.N. U.P. N.P.	11:30 P.M.	Friday	June 23rd
Lv. Seattle	G.N.	8:15 A.M.	Saturday	June 24th
Ar. Vancouver	G.N.	12:45 P.M.	Saturday	June 24th

The approximate round trip rail and lower berth fares to Jasper from the more important cities are as follows:

City	R.R. Fare	U.S. Tax	Lower	U.S. Tax
New York	\$164.35	\$24.65	\$43.90	\$6.58
Boston	174.29	26.14	45.70	6.86
Buffalo	138.15	20.72	38.50	5.78
Cleveland	125.30	18.80	35.40	5.32
Chicago	98.95	14.84	28.40	4.26
Philadelphia	157.90	23.69	32.80	6.42
Washington	154.15	23.12	32.80	6.42
Pittsburgh	134.35	20.15	36.60	5.50

City	R.R. Fare	U.S. Tax	Lower	U.S. Tax
Columbus	123.35	18.50	35.40	5.32
Detroit	121.15	18.17	35.40	5.32
Indianapolis	115.77	17.07	35.40	5.32
Louisville	122.50	18.38	35.40	5.32
St. Louis	116.00	17.40	35.40	5.32
Los Angeles	115.55*	17.35	42.10	6.32
San Francisco	93.00*	14.95	35.70	5.36
Portland	50.00*	7.50	21.30	3.20
Seattle	39.35*	5.90	14.30	2.15
Vancouver	29.90*	4.49	13.10	1.96
St. Paul	75.80	11.37	23.00	3.46
Minneapolis	75.20	11.28	23.00	3.46

\* Day Limit

### FROM THE CANADIAN NATIONAL POST CONVENTION TRIPS

Perhaps some of the members of the convention would be interested in visiting Banff and Lake Louise before returning to their respective cities. In order to do this they would spend one additional night at Jasper Lodge leaving on the morning of Sunday, July 2 by bus to Lake Louise, spending the time they desire at that point, then continuing to Banff and from Banff directly back to Chicago on the CPR. Such a trip can be made and the only additional expense as far as transportation is concerned would be \$18.00 bus fare from Jasper to Banff. The rail and pullman would be approximately the same as quoted.

While we cannot advise you on the sailing schedule for 1950 at the present time, no doubt a great many of your members will be interested in the Alaska cruise of the "S.S. Prince George." This cruise starts from Vancouver and terminates at Skagway, Alaska, making the complete round trip in 10 days, stopping at Prince Rupert,

Wrangell, Taku Glacier, Juneau, thence, Skagway, permitting two full days and one night in Skagway; sufficient time to make an interior trip to White Horse or West Taku Arm. The minimum fare will be approximately \$160.00 plus tax from Vancouver to Skagway and return, including transportation, meals, and berth except while the steamer is in port at Skagway. If the members elect to remain in Skagway and take their meals and lodging aboard the steamer there will be an additional charge of \$10.00 per person.

The interior trip to White Horse is \$30.00 plus tax per person plus their over-night stay at White Horse Inn. The all expense to West Taku Arm is \$40.00 plus tax per person.

We hope the above will give you the necessary information for your members. However, if we have missed any points that you feel should be included please write.

### JASPER NATIONAL PARK TRAVELING COLOR SALON

Mr. Busey has prepared a set of fifty color slides of Jasper Park Lodge, and Jasper National Park, for use at Chapter or Alumnae meetings.

These slides are 2 x 2 inches, and may either be projected or used in small electric viewer sent with slides if desired.

There will be no cost for the use of same except postage, and requests will be filled in the order of receipt, requested dates being filled if possible. Please fill out the following; and send to Mr. Busey:

Paul G. Busey  
1301 S. Busey Avenue  
Urbana, Illinois

Preferred date .....

Do you desire viewer? .....

Within 5 days from receipt, I will return same, or send to another chapter, as requested.

Name ..... Chapter .....

## Greetings . . .

### From the Convention Guide

THIS COMING SUMMER, for the first time in twenty-five years Canadian Pi Phis will be hosts at an international convention. As you already know, the convention will be held at beautiful Jasper Park Lodge in the heart of the Canadian Rockies. Jasper is considered by many world travellers to be one of the most uniquely beautiful spots in the world, and it is here to the rugged grandeur of our white capped mountains and the deep, quiet loveliness of our lakes and rivers that we hope you will come next June. The 1950 convention we feel, should be a particularly significant one, for it will symbolize not only the affection and loyalty that exists between Pi Phis, but the deep trust and understanding and friendship that exists between two great nations. All Canadian Pi Phis and in particular, we of Lambda province extend to you a wide western welcome and our warmest greetings.

MARY BOWLEN MOONEY



*The Convention Guide (Mrs.) Mary Bowlen Mooney, was a charter member of Alberta Alpha and was very active in the work of petitioning Pi Beta Phi for the charter which was granted in 1931. Later when Calgary had the required ten Pi Phis she was very interested in forming an alumnae club. She has served the Calgary Alumnae Club in an official capacity many times.*

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## Registration Fee

Following last year's plan we are going to again urge you to register early. This will save you not only considerable inconvenience upon your arrival at the Lodge but will save you two dollars, for the registration fee has been set at \$10.00 for those who register before June 10th and \$12.00 for those registering after that date. This fee will include tips and the Convention Daily for all those at the Lodge.

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### CONVENTION RATES AT JASPER PARK LODGE

The accommodation arrangement at Jasper Park Lodge is an interesting one. It is a big hotel, but it has no elevators, it doesn't need them, for the Lodge isn't a building at all, it is a village of bungalows all facing beautiful Lake Beauvert. Lovely lawns and bright flowers enhance the setting of these peeled log bungalows. However in order to house our large

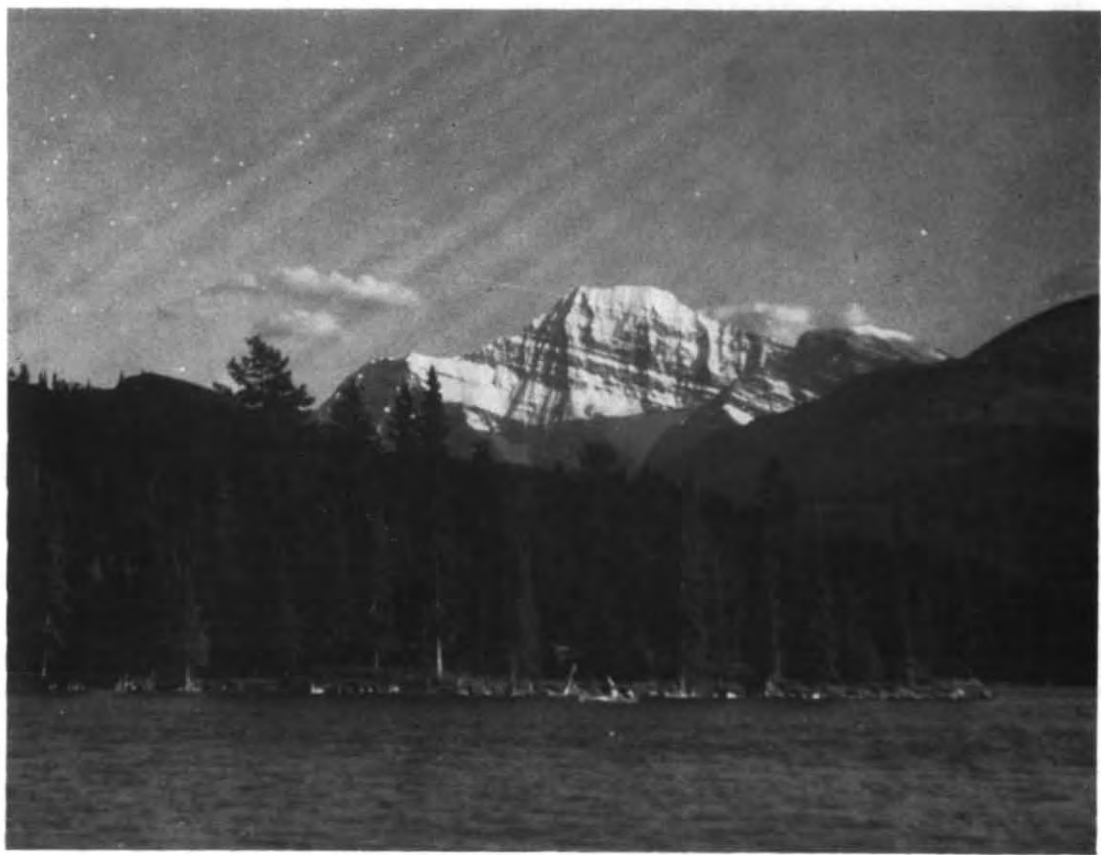
convention single accommodation is not recommended and we have been given the following rates:

Two persons to a room \$26.00 per day (\$13.00 each).

Three persons to a room \$34.00 per day. This is American plan.



*View from Jasper Lodge*



*Sunrise on Edith Cavell*

*California Epsilon*



Music Building



Quadrangle

Aerial View



*San Diego  
State College*

# We Welcome California Epsilon

## Installation Ceremonies

THE INSTALLATION of California Epsilon chapter of Pi Beta Phi at San Diego State College, San Diego, California on September 1, 1949, climaxed months of dreaming and planning by members of the San Diego Alumnae Club and the local chapter, Phi Sigma Nu. The presence of Amy Burnham Onken, Grand President, as guest of honor and installing officer, with Adèle Taylor Alford, ARROW Editor, Olga Charles Siburg, Mu Province President, and Marcella McCormick Rhodes as her assistants, brought inspiration to Pi Phis of Southern California and new initiates alike.

Pledging ceremonies for 116 women began Friday evening and continued all day Saturday, with Adèle Alford in charge. What a hot day that was! but not even the heat could daunt the tireless installation committee under the chairmanship of Aileen Nelson Johnson, Wyoming A, and the day closed with a cooky-

shine for about two hundred people, given by the Pi Phis in honor of the new pledges—it was really a spaghetti dinner, ending with the singing of "Pi Phi Lights" and the serving of the traditional cookies, each with its lighted blue candle. After dinner Olga Siburg read the constitution to the chapter pledges, Marcella Rhodes to the alumnae pledges.

Amy Onken and Lois Snyder Finger, former Grand Secretary, arrived Sunday afternoon, and were greeted at El Cortez Hotel by Adèle Alford, Phyllis Dorman, president of  $\Phi \Sigma N$ , Barbara Jenkins and Dorothy Dibb, past presidents, and Lenore Hughes, past treasurer. That evening the executive board of the alumnae club honored Miss Onken, Mrs. Siburg, and Mrs. Rhodes at an informal dinner at the Admiral Kidd Officers' Club on the bay.

Monday morning initiations began at the Thursday Club on Point Loma "overlooking



*Main Building, San Diego State College*

the ocean" as Miss Onken said, "but we did little looking at it!" First came the active chapter members, then the alumnae, and the ceremony continued Monday and Tuesday all day and evening, and Wednesday morning—the bare facts tell nothing of the deep impressiveness of the ceremony, and all the happy greetings of old friends, the little visits between whiles!

Wednesday night the installation banquet was held in the beautiful Don Room at El Cortez, with 300 Pi Phi's old and new present. Preceding dinner, the Pi Phi Grace was led by Adèle Taylor Alford, toastmistress for the evening followed by "Speed Thee My Arrow" led by Dorothy Anderson Lanning, member of the national Committee on Fraternity Music.

After dinner came the impressive formal installation ceremony of California E—with the new Pi Phi's in their white formals grouped in the center of the room, facing Miss Onken. Special guests were introduced and spoke their wish for the success of the new chapter. Alice Wyeth Hinman, California B, president of the alumnae club, expressed a warm welcome; Joey Wight represented California T, whose delegates had been forced to leave early; Marilyn Manville, president of California Δ brought greetings from her chapter; Mrs. Finger, spoke on behalf of the national Fraternity, ending with an impressive recitation of the Pi Phi "If." Mrs. Siburg and Mrs. Rhodes spoke for Mu Province; Phyllis Dorman was presented as the president of California Epsilon, Dorothy Dibbs



*This Picture Was Taken at a Preference Rush Party  
One Week after Installation*



spoke for the chapter, and Betty Lou Hayter sang two selections delightfully. A few of the hundreds of messages sent to the new chapter were read, and gifts announced. As climax to a thrilling evening Mrs. Alford introduced Miss Onken, who truly inspired her audience as she spoke of the ideals of Pi Beta Phi. The Pi Phi creed and the singing of the Anthem closed a gathering whose beauty will live always in memory.

Thursday morning Miss Onken installed the officers of California E at a meeting in the chapter room in the House of Hospitality and

talked on the ideals, standards, and goals of the Fraternity. Miss Onken was honored by the chapter with a luncheon in the patio of the Cafe del Rey Moro, in the same building, then was taken for a tour of the State College campus. That evening the new chapter held its formal reception for college and town friends, local Pi Phis, and families of members, with Miss Onken and Mrs. Alford joining Dean Mary Mendenhall, President and Mrs. Hepner, and Dean and Mrs. Peiffer in the receiving line and greeting several hundred guests.

### Background

When word reached the local group that they had been granted a charter by Pi Beta Phi in June 1949, members found themselves becoming pledges all over again. True they had no arrowheads to symbolize their status, and they were not allowed to call themselves Pi Beta Phi pledges, but it was announced in the local newspapers that installation would take place in August. Pledge training began at once under the direction of the ARROW Editor, special advisor to the new chapter. Members of the new advisory board spoke at Monday meetings on fraternity subjects, and pledge tests were prepared for and taken under the supervision of San Diego active chapter members Norma Mae Johnson, and Mary Jean Harris, Wyoming A, Jean Jefferson, Colorado A, Joey Wight, California A, and Judy Beach, Indiana E. Katherine Teasley, Colorado A, graduate student, was named supervisor of the group for the coming year.

Phi Sigma Nu Sorority was almost twenty-five years old, having been founded on January 19, 1925, by twelve members of the Petrol Rowing Club at the old San Diego Normal School. Since that date, more than three hundred members had been affiliated with the group. In 1946, the two alumnae groups, A and B, were formed to accommodate the overflow of alumnae members of  $\Phi \Sigma \Nu$ . Of these, sixty-three were initiated into Pi Beta Phi.

Enrollment at State College reached its peak at the opening of the 1949-50 term with 4,738 students registered, an increase of 250 over last year. The faculty consists of 254 members,

With an eye to the future, President Walter R. Hepner is carrying out plans for the \$2,500,000 construction program granted by the State Legislature. A future building program of \$4,640,000 was decided upon by the Regents of the University of California and the State Board of Education to relieve the overcrowded conditions.

San Diego State's campus is built on a mesa, surrounded by canyons with a beautiful background of mountains. Its Spanish style architecture is patterned after that found in the region between Catalonia and Valencia, in Spain, where Moorish influence is predominant. Newest addition to the campus is an Arts and Crafts building, located on the north side of the canyon. It too, is in keeping with the white stucco, red tiled roofing of the other buildings. A library annex was constructed during the summer months, allowing adequate capacity for shelving over 125,000 volumes. Future plans include the building of dormitories for men and women.

Today, the Bachelor of Arts degree is offered in 20 fields with 19 credentials offered by the Education Department. A Bachelor of Science degree is also offered. Last year, the State Legislature passed a bill making it possible for the Master of Arts degree to be granted in Education. The college is accredited by the Northwest Association of Colleges for Teacher Education.

California E chapter of Pi Beta Phi extends to all members of the fraternity an invitation to visit its group at any time.



*Installation day  
at Alabama Beta*





*Alabama B Charter Members*

## Alabama Beta Installation

PI PHI BETA COLONY was organized at the University of Alabama in October of 1948. Rush activities were conducted under the guidance of Marianne Reid Wild, Grand Vice-President, and Helen Anderson Lewis, Delta Province President. They were assisted by the members of the Birmingham Alumnæ Club and seven representatives from Georgia, Kansas, and Louisiana. Members of Alabama A also aided the group.

Forty girls pledged to Pi Phi Beta on October 24. During the year five left school and one was pledged. The five members of the Advisory Committee under the chairmanship of Zoe Saunders James are from the Birmingham Alumnæ Club. These women have given invaluable assistance and inspiration to the colony.

Pi Phi Beta boasted of having its members included in most of the campus organizations, and it took part in all traditional activities of the University. Pershing Rifles, an honorary

R.O.T.C. unit, chose a Pi Phi for its first sponsor in the history of the corps. The colony won second place in the Homecoming house decorations competition. Two of the girls were chosen yearbook beauties by the men on the campus. The office of second vice-president of the Y.W.C.A. was won by Pi Phi in the yearly election held in February. The colony participated in Step Singing and placed among the four finalists. Nine of the members were elected to Triangle, women's service organization. Various members held positions of responsibility in other campus organizations and were numbered among the governing bodies of the dormitories. Several of the girls were honored by the fraternities in the lead outs of their annual formal balls. Pi Phi also won first place in the Wheelbarrow Race at the Sigma Chi Derby, and one of the girls was named Miss Pie Eater at the Bama Day carnival contest.

### The Installation

After having been a colony for a year, Pi Phi Beta was officially installed as the newest chapter of Pi Beta Phi on September 19, 1949. Alabama B was privileged to have Miss Onken officiate at the pledging, initiation, and installation ceremonies. Mrs. Tyler and Mrs. Bartlett,

province president and vice-president, along with representatives from Alabama A, Georgia A, and Florida B were present for the occasion. Pledging took place on September 18 after which was held a buffet supper. Following the initiation ceremony on September 19, a banquet

was held at the McLester Hotel. At the banquet the Birmingham Alumnae Club presented each new initiate with Pi Beta Phi stationery. The afternoon of September 20 they also honored Alabama B with a reception to which faculty, administration, and representatives from cam-

pus organizations were invited. The chapter received numerous gifts, telegrams, and notes of congratulations from Pi Beta Phis throughout the country. Also flowers were sent from many of the sororities and fraternities on campus.

### The Campus

The University of Alabama, the home of the newest chapter of Pi Beta Phi, was founded in 1831. Co-education was introduced in 1893 when two young ladies were admitted. The University grounds, immediately adjacent to the city of Tuscaloosa, comprise approximately 420 acres. In addition, the Northington campus, consisting of 150 acres, is an annex to the main campus and is situated about two miles from the campus. University centers are maintained in Birmingham, Montgomery, Mobile, and Gadsden.

The buildings on campus include eighteen for classroom use, the Administration Building, the Union Building, Foster Auditorium, and three gymnasiums. The Union Building houses the Supply Store, the College Inn, the publications, the student government offices, and radio station WABP.

There are seventeen dormitories for men, and ten for the women. The campus also holds twenty-five fraternity houses and seventeen sorority houses. There are four University dining halls.

The architecture of the campus follows the

lines of Colonial design, and gives an appearance of continuity to the scene. The buildings are attractively arranged around a quadrangle, in the center of which is located Denny Chimes.

The fraternities at the University of Alabama are as follows: Delta Kappa Epsilon, Phi Gamma Delta, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Kappa Sigma, Sigma Nu, Sigma Chi, Phi Delta Theta, Alpha Tau Omega, Kappa Alpha, Phi Kappa Sigma, Zeta Beta Tau, Lambda Chi Alpha, Pi Kappa Phi, Sigma Alpha Mu, Chi Phi, Kappa Nu, Phi Sigma Kappa, Pi Kappa Alpha, Delta Tau Delta, Theta Chi, Sigma Phi Epsilon, Delta Chi, Theta Xi, Delta Sigma Phi, and Alpha Epsilon Pi.

The sororities include: Delta Delta Delta, Kappa Delta, Alpha Delta Pi, Zeta Tau Alpha, Alpha Gamma Delta, Chi Omega, Delta Zeta, Alpha Chi Omega, Sigma Delta Tau, Alpha Xi Delta, Kappa Kappa Gamma, Phi Mu, Theta Upsilon, Alpha Epsilon Phi, Alpha Phi, and Delta Gamma. Pi Beta Phi represents the seventeenth sorority on the campus.



**THE FUTURE OF SORORITIES** "One of the most encouraging factors in the whole sorority problem is the understanding of human problems and the serious weighing of values that go on in many groups. In many, many schools—perhaps in small colleges rather more than in great universities—there is most careful thought and consideration given to the possibility of taking in those people who have expressed a desire to become members. It is most encouraging to note the strides that are being made as the woman of today seeks to reconcile selective grouping to her principles of democratic living. The future of sororities depends largely upon their ability to retain the great value of unity within the group—which demands selectivity based on like values and harmonious relationships—in a situation that is essentially democratic. It is a difficult problem, but one that can be worked out."

DOROTHY S. BUCKS, Dean of Long  
College for Women of Hanover College  
in *To Dragma* of Alpha Omicron Pi

## Santa Barbara Pledging

AREA COUNCIL, representing the Alumnae Clubs from Santa Barbara to San Diego, held formal pledging ceremonies for forty-three members of  $\Delta Z \Delta$  of Santa Barbara College of the University of California at the chapter house of California  $\Delta$  at U.C.L.A. on September 6, 1949.

It was a perfect day from beginning to end. Rosalie Sloan, President of Area Council and her committee chairmen had planned everything down to the last detail to make it a happy and successful occasion. From the moment of arrival at 10 A.M. until it was time to leave at 8 o'clock, the day was full of happy experiences. There was the joy of renewal of old friendships and the beginning of new ones, the beautiful solemnity of the pledging ceremony with Lois Finger, Former Grand Secretary, officiating, the feeling of pride in adding such a splendid group to the Pi Phi roster, the fun in

meeting the U.C.L.A. actives, whose warm friendliness did so much to make the new pledges feel at home, and the joy of again visiting the beautiful chapter house of California  $\Delta$ .

A cooky-shine followed with eighty Pi Phis and pledges sitting down to a delicious dinner and the fun of singing Pi Phi songs together. There were words of welcome from the presidents of California  $\Gamma$  and California  $\Delta$ , from Lois Finger, and from Jane Wentz, and Virginia Allred representing the Santa Barbara Club and an incomparable talk by Adèle Alford representing Grand Council.

Actives and pledges then slipped away to get into formals, for through Anne d'Aule whose husband is an  $\Sigma A E$ , they had all been invited to attend the ball at the Biltmore, following the conclusion of the  $\Sigma A E$  convention in Los Angeles.

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## HOLT HOUSE

ALICE McDOUGAL JENSEN, *Illinois A*

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By the time you read this article it will be more appropriate to send you all a "Merry Christmas" from Holt House—but having just returned from Monmouth, in what is my favorite season of the year, I can't resist writing of its beauty in an autumn setting.

The trees, beautiful at any time of the year, were riotous with color, and seemed a fitting welcome to the troops of girls attending the fall rushing parties at the house. The house itself, a year older, gleams from new paint on the outside and radiates such warmth and friendliness that one feels at home instantly upon entering the front door.

New braided rugs in wine and blue have been added to the Pine Room. In the dining room are some new pieces of antique glass and silver, and the kitchen has been freshly painted. In the upstairs lounge a set of hanging pine

shelves lined with copper for planting complements the blue and white of the wallpaper and draperies.

The Burlington, Iowa, Alumnae Club has presented the Committee with a check to be used for a hooked rug for the parlor. It will be presented in memory of Edna Uhler Gilman and Mrs. Clay Waite. Mrs. Gilman was for many years an active member of the Holt House Committee.

During the summer Mrs. Nancy Bechtol and Mr. Paul Wallace presented the house with trellises and climbing roses in memory of their cousin and mother, Nancy Black Wallace, Founder. This restores the exterior of the house to its original appearance.

Pi Phis and others are always welcome at Holt House—try to visit it soon.

NANCY J. SWISHER

## The Pan Pacific Women's Conference Honolulu, July 27 to Aug. 3, 1949

UNDER the benevolent gavel and friendly smile of Josephine Schain, Minn. A, members of the Pan Pacific Women's Association and guests made friendships and bridged a gap of work left suspended, if not interrupted, during the twelve years since the last conference. From ten countries (Australia, China, India, Korea, Japan, New Zealand, Philippines, Samoa, Hawaii and the Mainland of the USA) fifty-three delegates met in Honolulu for two weeks studying problems of the Pacific area, and reports were also heard from a representative of India, altho' that is not technically a part of the Pacific. Appropriately, the conference was held in Punahou School, for the sessions were educational in the broadest sense. Each morning the delegates and visitors heard first hand reports of conditions in each country



*Academy of Arts Japanese Rainbow Festival for Pan Pacific Women's Association, July 30. Left to right: Muriel Bergstrom, Michigan A; Dorothy Houghton, Iowa Γ; Gladys Blakey, Illinois Δ; Josephine Schain, Minnesota A.*

on the subject at hand, Food and Agriculture, Health, Education for International Understanding and the Status of Women. Afternoons were devoted to small round table groups, limited to delegates, where efforts were made to evaluate the material heard that morning, and to lay out a constructive program, to spell out means of improving conditions, or put into operation the program of UN.

Part of the success of the conference was due to the "living together" made possible by the use of the dormitory of Punahou, and the beautiful social functions of hospitable Hawaii. The experience emphasized what most of us have learned on other similar occasions, namely, that if individuals live and talk and play together the differences vanish, and the deeper more important universal human qualities unify, and encourage a hope for universal peace. This was also one of the contributions of the Conference on East-West philosophy which was conducted at the University of Hawaii during the summer session, and which the PPWC was invited to attend. These learned philosophers could have profited by the keen observations made by the PPWC delegate from Korea, who reported to the Women's Conference on the restrictions imposed on progress in her country, especially on young people and the home by the old cults of Buddhism and Shintoism, remarks which sounded like a different story from those propounded in mystic words by the philosophers.

The PPWC concluded that the perspective for understanding world problems would be enlarged through realization that countries can work together; that with the knowledge acquired through first hand contact members should guide others toward improving world conditions. An ambitious program of study was outlined for the interval between conventions, new officers were chosen, and plans were laid for a journal, or some less ambitious means of keeping members acquainted with local branches until the next Conference in New Zealand in 1951.

Pi Beta Phi was well represented at this Conference. In addition to Miss Schain who will be President next year, Muriel James Bergstrom (Michigan B and California A) was treasurer for the conference, Dorothy MacLaren Anderson (Penn. A) Ex. Sec. Mental Health Soc., was one of the resource experts,

Dorothy Deemer Houghton (Iowa Γ) was one of the delegates from the mainland, selected to give an address at one of the opening sessions, an address that was beautiful and inspiring. Mrs. Houghton is now Vice-Pres. of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, and will be President next year. Gladys Campbell Blakey (Illinois Δ) was a delegate from the Mainland, although she has been in Hawaii for six months, and spoke at one of the Panels on Status of Women, as progressing through the UN Commission.

Honolulu Pi Phis honored Josephine Schain at a beautiful tea at a home overlooking the city

and the ocean, inviting representatives of other fraternities and girls who were going to mainland colleges in the fall, so that they would know Pi Phi.

It is hoped that the work of the PPWC will be more widely known throughout the U.S. Units are to be organized in the middle west and on the Pacific coast; the international office will be in New York city, as that is the residence of Miss Schain. Doubtless she would be happy to hear from Pi Phis who would enjoy the inspiration and knowledge that comes from working in such an organization for constructive international relations.

## Emma Harper Turner Memorial Fund

WE ARE NOW three years old for it was at Convention, in June 1946, that \$50,000 was transferred from the Contingent Fund to the Emma Harper Turner Memorial Fund.

That \$50,000 has gone to work. The \$50,000 principal of the fund is being used for chapter house building loans, and the interest is being used for assistance to needy members of the Fraternity.

You undoubtedly know that chapters of Pi Beta Phi often find it necessary to request assistance from fraternity resources to help them build adequate chapter houses, but do I hear you gasp at our mention of needy Pi Phis?

It is true that we have found and are helping members of our Fraternity who, through misfortune of ill health, etc., are no longer able to help themselves. All of them are Pi Phis, much the same as you and I are Pi Phis. Some of them have, through past long, varied and eminently successful careers contributed much to justify the existence of our Fraternity.

Our rules are few. Send referrals for assistance to this committee. The need for approval from the president of the nearest alumnae club is a safeguard to our work which we believe fair

to the Fraternity. For the record, we require two endorsements. We do not wish the individual need of the case discussed in any meeting or made conspicuous. Our own findings are confidential and known only to the three members of this committee and to Grand Council.

The maximum gift to any one person during any one year is \$180.00 which may be paid in lump sum or divided and paid in twelve monthly gifts. It may not be considered as income. It is strictly a gift. It is strictly important that we bestow our gift in a manner which will not jeopardize the recipient's eligibility for any aid from City, County, State, or Federal agencies.

This fund is a part of Pi Beta Phi. You, as a Pi Phi, have the privileged responsibility of bringing a little physical comfort and morale uplift to another member by quietly making application to this committee for a financial gift to someone you know to be in need of more than her own resources can provide.

Your cooperation will be greatly appreciated in our effort to use the available funds to gladden and lift a Pi Phi heart.

IRENE HAY HOGGATT



Louise Resser Kemp, Oklahoma A, is Director of the Pan-American Round Table in El Paso—it works in a social way with the Pan-American countries, keeping in close contact with the U.S. Consulate in Juarez, Mexico, and with the State Department in Washington.



Mrs. John Anderson, formerly Eugenia Moore, recently appointed Minister to Denmark, is a member of Iowa Beta of Pi Beta Phi.

## Pi Phi "Angels"

A VARIATION on that beloved theme, "A Pi Phi Is an Angel in Disguise," is provided in a project of the Kansas City, Missouri Alumnae Club, whose members have brought to earth a sisterhood of little angels disguised as Pi Phis. They are ceramic figurines, so sweetly sentimental in their wine and blue and gold raiment that they are bidding to become a Pi Phi trademark.

Kansas City alumnae began selling these Pi Phi angels two years ago as a local fund-raising device, hoping the sales might furnish a modest nest egg for that universally poor relation, the ways and means committee. Within a matter of months, word of the angelic charmers had spread, and orders began coming in from chapter houses and alumnae clubs all over the country. The nest egg now promises to reach a size to suit an ostrich!

Artist Margaret Mitchell originated the angels and makes them in her Kansas City studio. They are pledged exclusively to Pi Beta Phi. Mrs. Mitchell's professional signature, "M.E.M.," has blue-ribbon connotations wherever fine ceramics are sold; to these Pi Phi sprites she has brought a special skill and tenderness. They are handcrafted in exquisite

tints with an affectionate artistry that gives each perky little angel a personality all her own. You may have seen Phoebe, pint-sized and pig-tailed, her long blue robe failing to conceal one irrepressible bare foot beating out a Pi Phi polka. Polly the Pepster is a cheer-leader, modelled in the middle of a rollicking "Ring-Ching-Ching." Pretty Penelope stands serenely with her secret—a bell tinkles beneath her ruffled skirt. Two new angels, introduced last spring, are Barbara, the curly-haired initiate who is—quite literally—making her bow to the membership, and Belinda, the very essence of the sweet girl graduate as she happily clasps her diploma.

From a celestial cooky-shine, they come, in their flowing pale blue dresses. Golden Pi Phi arrows glimmer above their hearts; their fat little halos and sprouts of wings, they wear as nonchalantly as old saddle shoes. Each displays the wine carnation, sometimes sprigged calico-wise over her dress, sometimes clutched proudly in her hand.

Pi Phis like them for all sorts of purposes. An Illinois chapter ordered one for each of fifteen new members as initiation gifts. A New York chapter bought a big boxful for a Christ-



—Photograph by Earl Hense

*Casting their winged reflections behind them are these four Pi Phi angels: From left to right, Polly, the peppy cheerleader; Barbara, the curtsying initiate; Belinda, the graduate, and Phoebe, the bare footed polka-prancer.*





*Mrs. Sidney Platt, Riska Platt and Mrs. Howard Crawford, pack some angels.*

## Pi Phi Angel Order Blank

To: Mrs. Howard Crawford  
505 West 38th Street  
Kansas City 2, Missouri

Please send me the following Pi Phi Angel ceramics:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Price</i>	<i>Quantity Wanted</i>	<i>Total Price</i>
Phoebe	\$5		
Penelope	\$5		
Polly	\$5		
Belinda	\$5		
Barbara	\$5		

C.O.D.

Check Enclosed

Name .....

Street .....

City ..... Zone ..... State .....

mas party and gave them to the pledges. A province president on the West coast ordered a set as a present for a newly-chartered chapter, and a national officer bought a group of five as a gift to Holt House. A Texas house mother is a regular customer; she buys replicas of Penelope, the practical bell ringer, for wedding gifts. They are both appropriate and appealing worked into a table decoration for a party, whether clustered about a bouquet of wine and blue carnations or wired to a "tree" drifted over with cotton batting clouds.

The Kansas City Alumnae Club sells them at \$5 per figurine, including all postal fees and a handsome wine and blue gift box. The price is

a special one, providing a profit far less in percentage than that of professional retailers. (The angels first were sold at \$4 apiece; this price tag was discarded when it was found the project was barely breaking even.) Mrs. Howard Crawford is chairman of the project and is filling orders at her home at 505 West 38th Street, Kansas City 2, Missouri. She points out there is a premium of one angel free to any Pi Phi sending in an order for twenty or more.

Scarcely an order goes out from Kansas City that a reorder is not received in return. As one delighted purchaser aptly put it, "They're right out of this world!"

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Four Pi Phis were among the candidates for Miss America in the contest in Atlantic City last summer, among them Trudi Germe, Illinois Z, who was Miss Illinois, and Carol Quinn, South Dakota A, who represented her state. Names of the other two girls have not been reported to the ARROW.

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*At the fourteenth national convention of Mortar Board held at Breezy Point Lodge in Minnesota from June 21 through 25, there were nine members of Pi Beta Phi present. Eight were official delegates and Mrs. Roth was the Acting Secretary. Since the total official delegation numbered eighty-one, we thought that it would be of interest to all Pi Beta Phis to know that such a good percentage were members of our fraternity. Standing from left to right are: Joan Pacey, Illinois Beta Delta, Mrs. Esther Bowman Roth, Montana Alpha, Nancy Fraser, Indiana Epsilon. Seated left to right are Marjory Jacobsen, North Dakota Alpha, Bonnie Greene, Arizona Alpha, Joyce Atchison, Michigan Beta, Marjorie Wagner, Ohio Zeta, Betty Bruce Stake, Missouri Beta, and Vera Stenger, Missouri Alpha.*

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## NEWS FROM LITTLE PIGEON

*Edited by* HARRIET GOODSSELL RAUCH, Iowa B

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### A Day at School

Seven bicycles were parked near the door and a brown dog of doubtful parentage was resting on the cinder driveway waiting for his master. As we came up the steps, there was that drone of voices, the noise that comes from open windows of most any elementary school. We were visiting the Pi Beta Phi Schools in Gatlinburg.

We walked into a second and third grade room because the door stood open and we could see six vacant seats. Miss Latham, the teacher, was giving reading-readiness tests to the second graders and comprehension tests to the third graders. After greeting us, she said,

"I have six absentees, all boys. It's a seasonal disease." We pondered over an unusual epidemic that affected boys only. She laughed, "Oh, nothing serious. Fishing season opened to-day." It was May 16th and we noticed that it was bare-foot season for some of the boys, too.

The walls were plastered with individual reading records. Bird stickers were used instead of stars to mark accomplishment. The reading tests continued and we were quietly informed that the results would point up certain weaknesses, for example: the need for emphasis on paragraph comprehension, more emphasis on



*A Corner of the High School Building*



*A Gallinburg group watching the potter*

word meanings, emphasis on word recognition technique.

Since it was an important test day, we moved on to the fourth grade. There were forty enrolled in this grade—seven absentees because of the 'fishing epidemic.' On three walls, in addition to the 'Books I Have Read' and the 'Books Are Friends' charts, there were elaborate health study charts and black-board exhibits of protective and energy foods. We were just in time for geography class from the blue-backed book, 'Journeys Through Many Lands.' The upper halves of the blackboards were covered with a series of murals called 'Singing Wheels' beginning with the stage coach continuing through to the river-boat. These had been made by the children and it was creditable pastel chalk work for fourth graders.

After brushing up a bit on our fourth grade geography, we wandered into Miss Cardwell's first grade room. Her thirty-seven youngsters were divided into four groups for recitation and drill, grouped according to ability. She was drilling nine children with some flash cards of her own making when we entered. The study program for the year was in line (in a way)

with the Tennessee State Conservation program—study of trees and leaves of trees in the fall and winter. In the spring, study was devoted to birds. While we were there, they were reading about or drawing or coloring some of the useful birds: the indigo bunting, yellow warbler, oriole, cardinal and flicker. The good old reward system was evidenced by stars affixed to individual reading and spelling charts.

One little red-headed, freckle-faced boy, dressed in 'spanking' clean overalls was leaning over his desk directing the coloring done by a pretty little blonde girl. He was satisfied only now and then with her technique but she followed his directions without question. He was blissfully happy to let her do the work while he gave the directions—a budding executive, no doubt.

The local Parent Teacher Association runs the cafeteria in the basement of our much overcrowded elementary school. About two-hundred-and-forty children have lunch there every day and because of the lack of space are fed in four shifts. Some sixty children are given their lunch free. The others pay fifteen cents per lunch. The cramped quarters were made as

attractive as possible. Hand-made pottery bowls filled with arrangements of wild honey-suckle and field-grown daisies were in the centers of the bench-like tables. Steaming and delicious-looking corn pudding, fresh string beans, compote of dried peaches and prunes, peanut butter sandwiches and milk made up the luncheon for that day.

After lunch we visited Sue Kelly's third grade. These youngsters were studying mountain birds from material furnished by the Tennessee Conservation department. The children had made their own booklets, writing a story about each bird describing his color, his nest, the eggs, his song, his winter and summer home. In a prong of the tulip tree just outside the window of this room, a pair of robins had built a nest in the early spring. These third-graders had watched and protected the nest at play-time until the babies had flown. Since Gatlinburg is situated so near the Cherokee Indian Reservation, the winter project had been an Indian one.

So our trip through the elementary school was not unlike a trip through any elementary school except that because of Pi Phi help the program offered is so much richer than the County alone could possibly offer. Among other things (as Pi Phis know) we provide the Art and Craft teacher for the elementary and High school. We are very proud indeed of the work our Fay Van Roekel is doing in the school and community. We visited her sixth grade art class. Thirty-seven boys and girls were working with charcoal that day. She had begun charcoal work with them in the fall when they used pine trees as models which gave her the opportunity to stress light and dark contrasts and to insist on free easy strokes with no fussy details.

By May these sixth graders had progressed to posed models. She used three models that period: a boy swinging a baseball bat, a boy shadow-boxing, a girl hoeing in an imaginary garden. She said, "Now five minutes for the first pose. Work fast. Remember that professional models are well paid. Make your strokes light. Draw quickly. Draw with a sweep with charcoal. Sketch in good strong lines. Then shade. Always keep in mind the possibilities of charcoal." There was rapt interest and complete absorption in the work and the only sound heard was the sweep of the charcoal on the paper.

Fay's classes are all carrying on various projects at the craft house. She told the committee that she was very pleased with the equipment provided by Pi Phi but her main problem is lack of space, storage space for projects and

equipment, the crying need for our elementary school from all sides.

High school was in its near-graduation time confusion. The senior class was getting ready for its annual trip that their hard-earned money



*Nancy Holmes, Illinois Zeta, is the new assistant to the Director of the Settlement School.*

had made possible. They made this money by selling candy and cold drinks at games, selling Christmas cards and wrappings, selling ads for the Senior play and ticket sale receipts from their play. Pi Phi coach Joe Johnson was taking them to historic Williamsburg and including a visit to the Navy and Marine bases at Norfolk. Coach Johnson and Mrs. Mines (our Assistant director at the Settlement School) had been co-sponsors of the 1949 senior class. Mrs. Armstrong, the Pi Phi music teacher, having just finished a successful grade school operetta, was polishing glee club and chorus work for the graduation festivities. Mrs. Lighter, the English teacher and librarian was checking over final poetry reports for the year. Every room in the building was teeming with winding-up activities.

As we walked from the school, it was afternoon recess time. The girls were playing 'hop-scotch.' Two soft-ball games were in full swing in the field behind Arrowcraft building. There was no professional call such as, 'in comes the pitch. It's high and out-side for ball one' but the excitement and din seemed almost as deafening as a world series event. As we started toward Teachers Cottage, Pi Phi nurse Chalmers drove up in her car and called, "hop in

and ride up to the glades with me. I'm taking a boy home. No real damage but he has a 'shiner' coming up. He was hit in the eye with the soft ball."

We rode away with Marjorie, waved to Arlie, Pi Phi handi-man, who was plowing potatoes in the field behind Health Center and noticed

two weavers who were going into Arrowcraft with their arms laden with finished weaving. How proud we can be of the school-health-craft work at our Settlement School, all made possible by the continued help of Pi Phis from every part of the country.

## State Mother for Massachusetts

IT WAS a wonderful thrill for a Malden woman, lying in considerable pain in Malden Hospital, to learn that she had been selected as State Mother for Massachusetts to compete for the title of "American Mother of 1949."

Mrs. Ethel Piper, Massachusetts A, known affectionately as "mother" by scores of young men and women she has aided and by children she has brought up, could scarcely believe the news. So doubtful was she of the honor that she had her sister, Edith Piper, confirm it from the Golden Rule Foundation, who made the selection.

Sixty-five years old, Mrs. Avery had lain immobile in a bed in Malden Hospital since she fractured her collar-bone in the garden of her home 10 days earlier. (Date of this clipping not given—ALC)

Mrs. Avery, whose husband is Alfred H. Avery, has two grown-up children of her own, Dr. Harlow Fuller Avery of Milwaukee Chil-

dren's Hospital, and Faith Avery, a graduate of Syracuse University, who is working in the medical branch of the University. But Mrs. Avery has mothered children other than her own. In her home, at present, are two British youngsters, brother and sister, Elizabeth Denstad, 18, and David, 16, who came to her during the London blitz and stayed on. Students from China, India and Hawaii, as well as from Europe, have also stayed with her and been aided in education for Christian Leadership. In order to do this, Dr. and Mrs. Avery established a fund called the Parshad Holding Corporation, the first name of which means "Gift of God," to help young people through college.

Born in Boston and educated in schools here, she received her A.B. degree from Boston University in 1906 and then taught in schools in Kittery, Maine, Attleboro and Lexington. After her marriage in 1913, she and her husband further developed their interest in young people and worked closely with the American Youth Foundation and International Council of Religious Education, giving many scholarships through these organizations.

Her husband, co-partner with her in these enterprises, is a well-known Methodist layman, scientist and industrialist. He is a retired executive of the duPont Company and chairman of the North American Holding Co. He planned his life to devote the first 25 years to getting the best education possible, the next 15 years to making a fortune, and thereafter to retire and devote his fortune to philanthropy. Mrs. Avery modestly cites her husband to illustrate what they wanted out of life and what they wanted to give. And they have done both. In 1946 Mr. Avery was named winner of the national Russell Colgate distinguished service citation by 1261 laymen and women of the United States and Canada.

Like many people who have done so much for others Mrs. Avery is publicly shy, but she does not disguise her happiness in being selected "State Mother of Massachusetts."



*Ethel Piper Avery*

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## FROM PI PHI PENS

Edited by MARY ELIZABETH BARNETTE, *Ohio A*

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PHYLLIS CRAWFORD, *Let's Go*, Henry Holt and Company, 73 pp.

Dedicated for "Joan and Peter," this lively book should be the delight of all the Joans and Peters whose Pi Phi mothers learn of its existence. These mothers, and dads too, may find to their joy that it has a salutary effect upon those small beings whose clamorings of "Do hurry" and "Let's go" are anathema to the slower moving adult.

However, the skill of Phyllis Crawford, the author, has seen to it that the moral is neither too serious nor too obvious to spoil the pleasure of five to eight-year-old readers. "Let's Go" will intrigue and stimulate their imaginations as well as encourage their vocabulary.

It would be a pity to destroy all the suspense by revealing the story in its entirety, but a little of it will guide parents in making their book purchases this year.

Tom, the hero of the tale, is, not unlike many of his contemporaries, always in a hurry, ever urging his parents on, pulling up his carrots as soon as their tops appear above ground, and never walking if he can run instead.

It seems not at all unbelievable, therefore, when a patch of quicksand takes him to the land of "Quick" where everyone rushes and everything grows big and fast. There Tom meets Mr. Long, whose name aptly describes him and who uses exceedingly long words to match. Here, in a reversal of the usual state of affairs, Tom finds it hard work to keep up with everyone else.

How he gets back home and what effect his experience has upon him you will find in your own reading of "Let's Go."

**AUTHOR INTEREST:** "Hello, The Boat!," "Last Semester," "Second Shift," "The Secret Brother," and "The Blot: Little City Cat" are among the other juvenile books written by Phyllis Crawford, Virginia A. "Let's Go" is the first book this native of Little Rock and now resident of New York has done since 1943, for she took time out to do editorial work. She writes that it is her first attempt at fantasy, but the reader soon discovers that that has not prevented the job from being well done.

AGNES WRIGHT SPRING, *The Cheyenne and Black Hills Stage and Express Routes*, The Arthur H. Clark Company, 418 pp.

Greeted by critics as "a book for all lovers of western Americana to keep" and "not only an amazingly good research job but a colorful and vivid piece of writing," Mrs. Spring's latest study of earlier days in the West covers the Black Hills' gold rush period of between 1874 and the mid 1880's.

It is not a work of fiction, and, in fact, Mrs. Spring spent much time in the territory and on the trails, retracing these early stage routes and sifting the fiction from the fact so as to produce a completely authoritative book.

Despite the fact, however, that the book is a reference one primarily, its subject material makes it an adventuresome one to read. This is because in addition to recording the precise details of the various routes from Cheyenne into the Black Hills, she also includes the human element and reports on the activities and romantic experiences of the stage drivers, owners and messengers in their encounters with swollen rivers, Indian attacks, blizzards and hold-ups by the scores of bandits who preyed upon those traveling the route.

There are, in addition, plentiful illustrations, a fold out map of the routes prepared by the author, an extensive bibliography, and numerous appendices.

**AUTHOR INTEREST:** One time editor of the *ARROW*, Wyoming A's Mrs. Spring is indeed the proper person to write a book such as this, for being the daughter of a pioneer Colorado and Wyoming stage owner, she knows the subject from first hand observation. After growing up on a Wyoming ranch, she attended the University of Wyoming and following graduation studied journalism at Columbia. She's the former state librarian and historian of Wyoming and has written several other books which have been reviewed here.

FLORENCE ZACHARIE ELLIS NICHOLLS, *Button Hand Book*, privately published, 128 pp.

This is a book written for a specialized audience, antique button collectors, but even to the layman it is evident that Mrs. Nicholls has

made a valuable contribution to her colleagues in the field. Complete with illustrations of over a thousand buttons together with brief but precise descriptions and approximate evaluations, the volume represents painstaking work.

Hobbies are uniquely satisfying, stimulating, and worthy of one's time, this book seems to say to everyone whether interested in buttons, bottles, or books.

This book has been mentioned in the ARROW before but we repeat this in case new buttons collector's missed the several-year old review.

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*Cotton Bowl Queen*

*Norma Peterson is a junior at Southern Methodist University, majoring in physical education. She is chaplain of Δ Ψ K, physical education honorary. In her college activities she was on the student council in 1948; SMU duchess to Queen's Coronation at NTAC, 1948; Drake Relays Queen, 1948, Cotton Bowl Queen, 1949; Rotunda beauty (No. 1), 1948; and Southern Co-Ed, 1949. The magazines Norma and Doak (All American) Walker have appeared in are Collier's, Look, Holland's, Sport and Sport Annual, Seventeen, Good Housekeeping, Varsity, and This Week. Besides being an all around girl, Norma has beauty, poise and personality and is a member of Texas Beta.*

**AUTHOR INTEREST:** Mrs. Jesse C. Nicholls, a graduate of Sophie Newcomb, class of 1898, and a member of Louisiana A, now lives in Ithaca, New York, where she pursues her hobby of antique collecting with emphasis on buttons in recent years. In addition to her book she has published three supplements covering some 1500 other buttons. Always an enthusiastic Pi Phi, she has taken special interest in New York Δ at Cornell.

Impressive indeed was the ceremony in Fort Wayne when Helene Foellinger, Illinois Z, presented the city with the News-Sentinel Outdoor theatre in Francke Park on behalf of the Directors of the newspaper of which her father was long the editor and publisher, and of which Helene is herself now publisher. The theatre is an interesting \$100,000 structure, and the dedicatory program was the Fort Wayne Philharmonic Orchestra, with Eugene List as soloist. Present at the ceremony was Miss Foellingers' sister, Loretta Foellinger Teeple, also Illinois Z.

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Josephine Kerr, Michigan A, was among passengers saved from the burning Noronic. Her brother, his wife and an eight year old son died in the fire.

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Josephine Bowers, Themis, Michigan Alpha, now living in Washington, D.C., won a \$50 prize for a portrait painted at the Corcoran Art School.

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Lorretta Stuckey, Georgia A, was admitted to the Georgia Bar Association in September 1949.

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**ON CAMPUS ACTIVITIES** "I believe that good scholarship is an important criterion for campus success but I also believe that participation in campus life runs it a close second. . . . Just as you must determine your attitude toward improving your scholarship, so must you determine your attitude toward participation in campus activities. . . . It is an individual matter and an important one. Thus scholarship and adequate participation in campus life go hand in hand as criteria for measuring the success of your college life."

BETTY LANIER, National President,  
in *The Angelos* of Kappa Delta



## Grand Council Presents the Winners of the Amy Burnham Onken Awards

*National Award*—JEANNE LINDBERG, Oregon B.

Phi Kappa Phi; Mortar Board; Kappa Delta Pi; Student Director on Oregon State College Alumni Board of Directors; Outstanding service to Oregon Beta as president.

### *Province Awards*

*Alpha East*—JANE SPENCER, Connecticut A.

Laurels; Who's Who; Gamma Chi Epsilon; Phi Upsilon Omicron; Borden Award.

*Alpha West*—VIRGINIA STEELE, New York A.

Phi Kappa Phi; Omicron Nu (Editor); vice president Balch Hall; Chapter President.

*Beta*—PATRICIA RECTOR, Ohio B.

Phi Beta Kappa; Alpha Lambda Delta; Mirrors, Mortar Board; Chapter president.

*Gamma*—MARY BRINKMAN, North Carolina B.

Phi Kappa Delta; White Duchy; Sandals; WAA Board; Chapter President.

*Delta*—MARJORIE BRINK, Indiana B.

Alpha Lambda Delta; Phi Beta Kappa; Pleiades; Mortar Board; Theta Sigma Phi.

*Epsilon*—JAN JEANS, Missouri A.

Delta Tau Kappa; Mortar Board; Sigma Phi Alpha; Phi Lambda Theta; AAUW Membership award; chapter president.

*Zeta*—ANN ANDREWS, Georgia A.

WSGA President; Mortar Board; Who's Who; Alpha Lambda Delta; Dean's List; Phi Beta Kappa.

*Eta*—PHYLLIS BURKHARDT, Wisconsin B.

President LAWS; Phi Beta Kappa; Phi Sigma Iota (president); Senior Bench; Who's Who; secretary senior class.

*Theta*—ELIZABETH ANN KELLY, North Dakota A.

YWCA Cabinet; Mu Sigma Phi; Law School Queen; Law graduate; Mortar Board; Who's Who; chapter president.

*Iota*—CAROLYN COWLES, South Dakota A.

Alpha Lambda Delta; Guidon; Mortar Board (president); Homecoming "Miss Dakota;" Who's Who; Chapter president.

*Kappa*—NAN HOPPER, Arkansas A.

Mortar Board; Psi Chi; Chi Chi Theta; Sigma Chi Sweetheart; vice-president AWS; University Honor Roll.

*Lambda—National Award*—JEANNE LINDBERG.

*Mu*—KATHRYN PENDER, Arizona A.

Phi Kappa Phi; Phi Beta Kappa; Baird Scholarship; AWS vice president; Spurs; FST; Mortar Board; editor Kitty Kat.





*Amy B.  
Onken  
Awards*



Marjorie Brink  
Indiana Beta  
Delta Province

Jan Jeans  
Missouri Alpha  
Epsilon Province



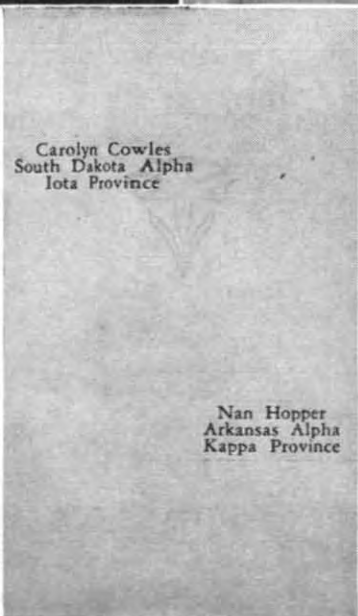
Mary Brinkman  
North Carolina Beta  
Gamma Province



Patricia Rector Donnally  
Ohio Beta  
Beta Province



Carolyn Cowles  
South Dakota Alpha  
Iota Province



Nan Hopper  
Arkansas Alpha  
Kappa Province





Jeanne Lindberg  
Oregon Beta  
Lambda Province  
and National Award



Ann Andrews  
Georgia Alpha  
Zeta Province



Elizabeth Ann Kelly  
North Dakota Alpha  
Theta Province

## *Amy B. Onken Awards*

Virginia Steele  
New York Delta  
Alpha Province West



Phyllis Burkhardt  
Wisconsin Beta  
Eta Province



Kathryn Pender  
Arizona Alpha  
Mu Province



# Harriet Rutherford Johnston Scholarship



Margaret Walker.  
Maryland Beta



Alice Robertson  
Indiana Gamma



Joanne Johnston  
Utah Alpha



Ann Marshall  
Ohio Zeta



Anna Lee  
Illinois Epsilon



# Scholarship Awards

## California Alpha Scholarship Winners

*These are the gift of the California Alpha alumna, paid for by the interest on the fund resulting from the sale of the California Alpha house, now in trust with the Grand Treasurer.*

Betty Link  
Michigan Alpha

Roberta Lee Starry  
Iowa Beta



Shirley King  
Kansas Beta



## Honor Students, Year 1948-1949

WE of the Scholarship Committee are happy to announce the many honor students for the year 1948-1949. It is regrettable that all deserving ones cannot be given recognition, but the following chapters have sent no word: Nova Scotia A, Massachusetts A, New York A, Ontario A, West Virginia A, Maryland A, Maryland B, North Carolina A, Indiana Γ, Tennessee Γ, Florida Γ, Wisconsin Γ, Manitoba A, Arkansas A, Oregon A, but not all the chapters have reported. We are very sorry that lack of space prevents us from including in our list departmental honors and scholarships, Deans' Lists, Federation of Scholars, and Honor Rolls. Mortar Board honors are published in a later ARROW. Honors that were published in the December ARROW 1948 are not included in this list.

Number of those winning Phi Beta Kappa—or equivalent—43; Phi Kappa Phi—17; Alpha Lambda Delta or equivalent—74; Other honors—64.

Chapters having more than two Phi Beta Kappas—Wisconsin B,—3, Iowa Z,—3, and Washington A,—3. Those having more than two Phi Kappa Phis—Oklahoma Beta,—3.

Chapters having more than two Alpha Lambda Deltas: Pennsylvania B—3, Ohio A—3, Ohio B—5, Ohio Δ—5, Indiana B—3, Indiana E—4, Florida B—3, Illinois Z—4, Colorado B—8, Oklahoma A—5, Texas A—3, Washington A—4.

The following are to be commended for their graduation honors: Wisconsin B—cum laude 2, magna cum laude 1; Tennessee B—cum laude 3, magna cum laude 1; Texas A—cum laude 3; Washington A—cum laude 1, magna cum laude 3; Oregon Γ—cum laude 3, magna cum laude 1.

HARRIET R. JOHNSTONE

MEMBERS OF PHI BETA KAPPA OR EQUIVALENT—43

### ALPHA EAST

#### *Vermont Alpha*

1. Mary Elizabeth Hosford  
magna cum laude
2. Mary Patricia McFarland

#### *Vermont Beta*

1. Beverly M. Hillman  
cum laude  
Sigma Xi

### BETA

#### *Pennsylvania Gamma*

1. Jane Jackson

#### *Ohio Beta*

1. Patricia Rector Donnally

#### *Ohio Delta*

1. Patricia Dynes  
graduated with Honors
2. Mary Agle  
graduated with Honors

### GAMMA

#### *Virginia Alpha*

1. Catherine Hylton Bass

#### *Virginia Gamma*

1. Dolores Heutte

### DELTA

#### *Indiana Alpha*

1. Gyneth Wilson  
ALPHA (similar to Phi Beta Kappa)  
Awarded Panhellenic cup for woman having highest average for two semesters
2. Joan England  
ALPHA

#### *Indiana Beta*

1. Iona Hamlet Mensch
2. Marjorie Brink

#### *Indiana Epsilon*

1. Joie Lobnitz
2. Lois Shay

### EPSILON

#### *Tennessee Beta*

1. Jean Quarles  
magna cum laude

### ZETA

#### *Florida Beta*

1. Natalie Parramore  
one of two students tapped for Phi Beta Kappa in Junior year

#### *Georgia Alpha*

1. Ann Andrews

### ETA

#### *Wisconsin Alpha*

1. Ruth Nolte

#### *Wisconsin Beta*

1. Ann Dane  
cum laude
2. Phyllis Burkhardt  
magna cum laude
3. Virginia Olga Skinner  
cum laude

#### *Illinois Alpha*

1. Hazel Marie Hatch  
SIGMA OMICRON MU (Equivalent to Phi Beta Kappa)  
Pi Gamma Pi (freshman honorary)  
summa cum laude

# Phi Beta Kappas



Marge Brink  
Indiana Beta



Shirley Glann  
Washington Beta



Elinor Frye  
Kansas Alpha



Beverly Hillmann  
Vermont Beta



Mary Sayre  
Iowa Zeta



Rosine McFaddin  
Texas Alpha



Jean Quarles  
Tennessee Beta



Nancy Woodford  
Illinois Beta Delta



Helen Veatch  
Washington Alpha



Dawn Hagan Marshall  
Washington Beta



Marilyn Moore Graff  
Kansas Beta



Joyce Simpson  
South Dakota Alpha

# Phi Beta Kappas



J. Jackson  
Pennsylvania Gamma



Patricia McFarland  
Vermont Alpha



Mary Hosford  
Vermont Alpha



Gail Zeck  
Iowa Zeta



Mary Agle  
Ohio Delta



Grace Elaine Butler  
Arkansas Alpha



Patricia Dynes  
Ohio Delta

Mary King  
Washington Alpha



Maurine Ditmars  
Oklahoma Alpha



Lenore Thornton  
Washington Alpha





## Phi Beta Kappas



Iona Ham'et Mensch  
Indiana Beta



Marilyn Sweet  
Kansas Alpha



Julia Terguson  
Iowa Zeta



Betsy Griffen  
Louisiana Alpha

Patricia Rector Donnally  
Ohio Beta Chapter



Catherine Hylton Bass  
Virginia Alpha

## Phi Beta Kappa Equivalents

Genelle Grant  
Iowa Beta



Dorothy K. Shaner  
Alberta Alpha



Marjorie Marks  
Florida Alpha





Joan Johnston  
Iowa Gamma



Carol Halliday  
Kentucky Alpha



Carol Blecha Saylor  
Kansas Beta



Jeanne Lindberg  
Oregon Beta

*Phi*  
*Kappa*  
*Phi*



Marjorie Guerber  
Oregon Beta



Margaret Schuster  
Oregon Beta



Esther Rasmussen  
Florida Beta



Ruth Ann Schneekloth  
Oklahoma Beta

*Illinois Beta-Delta*

1. Nancy Woodford  
cum laude

*Illinois Zeta*

1. Barbara Long

## THETA

*North Dakota Alpha*

1. Anne Hollanitsch  
graduated with Honors

*Iowa Beta*

1. Genelle Grant  
EPSILON SIGMA (equivalent to Phi Beta  
Kappa)

*Iowa Zeta*

1. Julia Ferguson  
Second highest grade point for all third year  
women—accumulative three year average
2. Mary Sayre
3. Gail Zeck

## IOTA

*South Dakota Alpha*

1. Joyce Simpson

*Colorado Beta*

1. Nancy Ward  
Four year scholarship

*Kansas Alpha*

1. Elinor Frye
2. Marilyn Sweet

## KAPPA

*Oklahoma Alpha*

1. Maurine Ditmars

*Texas Alpha*

1. Rosine McFaddin  
magna cum laude
2. Betsy Brown

*Louisiana Alpha*

1. Betsy Griffen

## LAMBDA

*Washington Alpha*

1. Mary King  
magna cum laude
2. Lenore Thornton  
magna cum laude
3. Helen Veatch  
magna cum laude

*Washington Beta*

1. Dawn Hagan Marshall  
graduated with Honors
2. Shirley Glann  
graduated with Honors

## MU

*California Delta*

1. Joan Demond (Φ B K honor appeared in last  
year's ARROW)  
cum laude  
Fellowship to University of Hawaii as instructor  
while working for doctor's degree

## PHI KAPPA PHI—17

## ALPHA WEST

*New York Delta*

1. Virginia Steele
2. Jean Peet

## DELTA

*Michigan Gamma*

1. Frances Gilpin  
graduated cum laude

## EPSILON

*Kentucky Alpha*

1. Carol Halliday

## ZETA

*Florida Beta*

1. Esther Rasmussen
2. JoAnn Cloud

## ETA

*Wisconsin Alpha*

1. Patricia Johnson

## THETA

*Iowa Gamma*

1. Joan Johnston  
Bourden award

## IOTA

*Kansas Beta*

1. Marilyn Moore Groff  
graduated with Honors
2. Carol Blecha Saylor  
graduated with Honors

## KAPPA

*Oklahoma Beta*

1. Grace Stewart Gibson
2. Ruth Ann Schneekloth
3. Doris Townsell Seikel

## LAMBDA

*Oregon Beta*

1. Joanne Lindberg
2. Margaret Schuster (in last year's ARROW)
3. Marjorie Gueber

## MU

*California Gamma*

1. Barbara Potter  
graduated cum laude

*Nevada Alpha*

1. Jeanne McBride

# ALUMNAE PERSONALS

## ALABAMA ALPHA

### Marriage

Cora Moss Bell and Junius L. Walthall on September 27, 1949.

### Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cantley, Jr. (Marilyn Miller) a son, Donald, in July, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis King (Mary Catherine McGough) a son, Thomas McGough, on September 6, 1949 in Birmingham, Ala.

To Mr. and Mrs. Homer Carder (Bebe Gragg) a son, in St. Louis, Mo.

## ALBERTA ALPHA

### Marriages

Gwendolyn Matilda Pearson and William George Peers on July 2, 1949 in Vancouver.

Evelyn Capsey and Don Whitmore in June, 1949 in Camrose, Alta.

Beatrice Grant and Carl Rolf on August 1, 1949 in Edmonton, Alta.

Marie Jordan and T. A. Sanwick in August, 1949 in Edmonton, Alta.

Mary Greer and Bob Van Alstine on September 20, 1949 in Kerobert, Sask.

Elizabeth Clow and Bob Lewis on July 5, 1949 in Calgary, Alta.

Myrnie Sands and Ken Boyd on July 20, 1949 in Westlock, Alta.

Jean Moffatt and Bill Batten on September 5, 1949 in Saskatoon, Sask.

Isobel Taylor and Ken Attrell.

Mary Payne McDaniels and A. G. Campbell.

Gwen Cook and R. Bailey in June, 1949 in Edmonton, Alta.

### Births

To Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hamilton (Elsie Muriel Mills) a daughter, Frances Lee, on October 9, 1949 in Edmonton, Alta.

To Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bate (Ruth McCuaig) a son, Douglas Edward, on July 17, 1949 in Edmonton, Alta.

To Mr. and Mrs. Allan Gibb (Bernice Thompson) a daughter, Susan, on August 31, 1949 in Portland, Ore.

To Mr. and Mrs. Jack Young (Irma Rolf) a son, William Rolf, on March 7, 1949 in Edmonton, Alta.

To Mr. and Mrs. Louis Grimble (Dorothy Stanley) a daughter, in September, 1949, in Edmonton.

To Mr. and Mrs. Angus Morrison (Shirley Ann Wilson) a son, in September, 1949 in Edmonton.

To Mr. and Mrs. Hanna Murray (Arlene Pinch) a daughter, Cheryl Louise, in March, 1949 in Edmonton, Alta.

To Mr. and Mrs. George Kellett (Jean Gilchrist) a daughter, in October, 1949 in Vancouver.

To Dr. and Mrs. George Elliott (Dorothy Pepper) a daughter, in Edmonton.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Matthews (June Ray Joslin) a son, Robert Willard, on May 19, 1949 in Vancouver.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Steele (Eileen Longman) a daughter on May 14, 1949 in New Westminster, B.C.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Maddin (Barbara Burns) a son, on September 22, 1949 in North Vancouver.

To Mr. and Mrs. David Crane (Ann Miller) a daughter, Nancy Mary, on September 23, 1949 in Vancouver.

To Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Lowe (Ruth Newcombe) a daughter, Kerry Louise, on March 30, 1949 in Montreal, Quebec.

## ARIZONA ALPHA

### Marriage

Mary Beecroft and Lee Cotton in June, 1949.

### Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Johnson (Patricia Thomas) a son, Marvin Thornton, III, on November 28, 1948.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Gray (Barbara Best) a daughter, Bonnie Dora, on April 15, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth T. McGeorge (Mary Ellen Soden) a son, Thomas Dale, on August 15, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Birch (Jean Parker) a daughter, Shannon, on August 18, 1949 in Wickenburg, Ariz.

To Mr. and Mrs. Willis D. Oldham (Marcia Beckett) a son, David Graham, on August 20, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Edwin K. Delph (Margaret Jacobs) a son, Edwin Grant, on August 23, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. John R. Gerhardt (Patricia Mae Upshaw) a daughter, Linda Jeanne, on October 11, 1949 in Austin, Texas.

To Major and Mrs. Milton Frank (Mary Rose Carroll) a son, Christopher Milton, on July 13, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Middleton (Helen Jimerson) a daughter, Patricia Ann, on May 4, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Cromwell (Betty Wright) a daughter, Eleanor, on February 15, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Sanford (Mary Patience Road) a son, James Lawrence, on April 27, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Gaston N. Connell, Jr. (Jean Townley) a daughter, Cathleen Frances, on November 7, 1948.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. Luther Davis (Natalie Young) a son, James Luther, Jr., on February 27, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Rene Kast (Jeanne Raney) a daughter, Leionne Marie, on August 20, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. James Martin (Elizabeth Mercer) a daughter, Elizabeth Ann, on September 9, 1949.

## ARKANSAS ALPHA

### Marriages

Mary Ross McFaddin and Lindsay Cotton Thomas on June 4, 1949 in Little Rock, Ark.

Anne Bush and James L. Prothro on July 23, 1949 in Little Rock, Ark.

Bobbie Bird and James Edward Hurley on June 8, 1949 in Little Rock, Ark.

Elizabeth Jordan Smith and William Frederick Sonneman, II, on October 8, 1949 in Little Rock, Ark.

Martha Jane Phillips and Jerry Shaw in June, 1949.

Adair Crane and Joe Atkinson in June, 1949.

Carol Greenwood and Jack Trigg in June, 1949.

Gwendolyn Stuckey and Cecil Cupp in August, 1949.

Nancy Ponder and Robert D. Moore in August, 1949.

Fran Tomlinson and Samuel J. Beard in August, 1949.

Mary Lou Campbell and John Fletcher in August, 1949.

Carolyn Alexander and Marvin Thaxton in August, 1949.

Virginia Watkins and William L. Turner in August, 1949.

Mary Ann Haley and Charles B. Young in September, 1949.

Elaine Butler and Jack Toni in September, 1949.

### Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harper (Vivian Tatem) a daughter, Kay Nelson, on March 7, 1949 in Ft. Smith, Ark.

To Mr. and Mrs. William L. Hutcheson, Jr. (Mary Ella Dietrich) a son, Richard Loyd, on March 5, 1949 in Ft. Smith, Ark.

To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Finley Madison, Jr. (Jean Pitcock) a son, Albert Finley, III, on January 25, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. George F. Wynne (Matilda McFaddin) a daughter, Matilda, on August 28, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Robertson Cockrill, Jr. (Adrienne Storey) a daughter, Mary Ashley, on June 3, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Riddick (Millie Bland) a daughter.

To Dr. and Mrs. Norman Smith (Jane Lee Bankson) a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Ward (Shirley Hawthorne) a son.

## CALIFORNIA ALPHA

### Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Edwards (Roella Ford) a daughter, Danella Marie, on June 10, 1949 at Topeka, Kans.

## CALIFORNIA BETA

### Marriage

Martha Walrond and Robert E. Sears on October 22, 1949 in Fresno, Calif.

### Births

To Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Neely (Georgene Calder) a son, Scott Calder, on May 9, 1949, in Oakland, Calif.

To Mr. and Mrs. James A. Felchin (Sybil Sinclair) a son, Timothy, on October 8, 1949, in Oakland, Calif.

## CALIFORNIA GAMMA

### Marriage

Jacqueline Lee Sweet and Edward Wheeler Forbes on July 9, 1949.

*Births*

- To Mr. and Mrs. Hans Culmbach (Elizabeth Barrett Smith) a daughter, Janet Dean, on June 22, 1949.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hilts (Phyllis Overton) a daughter, Judy, on August 3, 1949 in Glendale, Calif.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Isleib (Shirley Gray) a son, Dennis Gray, on September 19, 1949 in Glendale, Calif.

## COLORADO ALPHA

*Marriages*

- Claire Collins and A. William Souter on August 29, 1949 in Grand Rapids, Mich.  
 Mary Ackley and De Van Carlson on June 14, 1949 in Tulsa, Okla.  
 Mary Jeffords and Jack Rook on September 15, 1948 in Nashville, Tenn.  
 Marie Jane Wilson and Frederick Vinton Klemp, Jr. on September 17, 1949 in Tulsa, Okla.  
 Lorraine Lavington and Robert Lee Nelson on April 15, 1948.

*Births*

- To Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Elliott (Elizabeth Allen) a daughter, Elizabeth Ann, on February 23, 1949 in Ft. Smith, Ark.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Merritt (Elaine Bush) a daughter, Dulce Virginia, on June 10, 1949 in Bartlesville, Okla.  
 To Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Frank J. Graziano (Jo Anne Divisek) a son, James Andrew, on July 13, 1949 in Annapolis, Md.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Quick, Jr. (Garnet Swearns) a daughter, Nancy, on September 6, 1949.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. L. Merritt Thomas (Jeanne Lill) a daughter, Cyri Lue, on June 11, 1949 in Denver.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. James Ashley (Courtney Coolidge) a son, James Wheeler, Jr., on September 23, 1949.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Akers (Jane Reed) a son, Terrence Kent, on April 13, 1949 in Dallas, Tex.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Needham (Martha Woodbury) a daughter, Nancy, on May 23, 1949.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Frink (Maxine Tunnell) a son, Charles Benjamin, on July 6, 1949 in Denver.

## COLORADO BETA

*Marriages*

- Marilyn Scott and Elmer Hager on August 6, 1949 in Denver.  
 Betty Savage and Marvin Smith on September 3, 1949 in Denver.  
 Norma Moe and Paul Renner on September 10, 1949 in Denver.  
 Kathryn Spoentgen and George Tritch on September 10, 1949 in Denver.  
 Betty Lou Mahoney and Edward Alman on September 12, 1949 in Denver.  
 Doris Davenport and Eugene Steinke on September 14, 1949 in Denver.  
 Peggy Hickey and Daniel Parks on September 26, 1949 in Denver.  
 D'ann Gravett and Donald B. James on December 11, 1948 in Denver.

*Births*

- To Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Arnold (Ruth Black) a daughter, Carol Ruth, on July 6, 1949.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Norman Winchester (Elinor Roberts) a daughter, Janet Eddy, on June 4, 1949 in Boulder, Colo.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Jack Romigh (Liane Mallett) a son, Richard Rainie, on August 4, 1949 in Denver.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. William Dee (Betty Lee Cook) a son, William James, Jr., on February 22, 1949 in Denver.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Tool (Lillian Redington) a son, Laurence Alan, on June 7, 1949 in Denver.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Carlos (Katherine Merritt) a daughter, Catherine Paula, on August 9, 1949 in Denver.

## CONNECTICUT ALPHA

*Birth*

- To Lt. and Mrs. Gordon R. Otis (Alice Reid) a son, Richard Allan, on September 17, 1949

## D. C. ALPHA

*Marriages*

- Jane Herring and J. Raymond Wallace on June 4, 1949.  
 Mary Lee Tyree and Harold Deering on June 4, 1949.  
 Marilyn Carter and James F. Novy on July 3, 1949.  
 Barbara Lee Borrer and Burdett S. Warden on September 16, 1949.

## FLORIDA ALPHA

*Marriages*

- Mary Ann Posner and Benjamin Ernest Carson on August 20, 1949 in De Land, Fla.  
 Audrey Meiba Back and George Andrew Speer on August 25, 1949 in Sanford, Fla.  
 Marjorie Sue Marks and Olin Richardson Martin on August 27, 1949 in De Land, Fla.  
 Mary Easton Landers and Commander Richard Marmion Marsh on September 10, 1949 in Annapolis, Md.

*Births*

- To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bryan Barton (Helen Spaulding) a son, William Spaulding, on March 27, 1949 in Tampa, Fla.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Marcell Learned (Jane McCarty) a daughter, Jane Leigh, on May 28, 1949 in Boise, Idaho.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson (Nan Ivey) a daughter, Nancy Velaria, on August 12, 1949 in De Land Fla.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. James Graham Black, Jr. (Voncile Powell) a son, James Graham, III, on September 23, 1949 in Atlanta, Ga.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bragg (Jean Harvey) a daughter, Nancy Gail, on April 20, 1949 in De Land, Fla.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Glen Darty (Constance Bradley) a daughter, Edith Ann, on September 27, 1949 in Lake Wales, Fla.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie R. Tuten (Gwendolyn Powell) a son, Stephen Powell, in Jasper, Fla.

## FLORIDA BETA

*Marriages*

- Virginia Curtis and William F. Harris on April 23, 1949 in Tampa, Fla.  
 Jean Klay and Robert Snively in December, 1948 in Tampa, Fla.  
 Mary Jean Moye and Francis Arthur Duggin on September 10, 1949 in Tampa, Fla.

*Births*

- To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Robbins (Antoinette Minardi) a son, Joseph, on October 4, 1949 in Tampa, Fla.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. C. Monroe Collins (Lucille Smoak) a son, Charles Monroe, Jr., on May 9, 1949 in Tampa, Fla.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. William B. McGhee (Emmett Curtis) a son, William Park, on February 9, 1949 in Greenville, Ala.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Frederick LeRoy Swindal (Virginia Palmer) a son, Frederick LeRoy, Jr., on August 23, 1949 in Tampa, Fla.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Marvin S. Thomas (Marjorie Stewart) a son, Stephen Edward, on September 24, 1949 in Daytona Beach, Fla.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd C. Beery (Margaret Baugh) a son, Lloyd Hall, on September 9, 1949 in Orlando, Fla.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Murphy (Robin Hill) a daughter, Sara Love, on July 20, 1949 in Orlando, Fla.

## FLORIDA GAMMA

*Marriage*

- Lee Huttig and Robert Buxton on August 27, 1949 in Orlando, Fla.

*Birth*

- To Mr. and Mrs. William H. Reynolds (Frances Hyer) a daughter, Elizabeth Parrott, on October 4, 1949 in Tampa, Fla.

## GEORGIA ALPHA

*Marriages*

- Margaret Sue Biggers and Mabry Kennedy on April 21, 1949 in Columbus, Ga.  
 Mary Anne Braungart and Richard Hunter Yancey, III on September 17, 1949 in Atlanta, Ga.  
 Ellen Joan Wright and William Gay on August 12, 1949 in Atlanta, Ga.

*Births*

- To Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Cassels (Donata Horn) a son, Fred Horn, on September 17, 1949.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hagler (Mary Anne Tyler) a daughter, Mary Anne, on July 9, 1949.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. William Bernard Sangaree (Alice Cowart) a son, William Bernard II, on September 1, 1949 in Savannah, Ga.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. R. Stringer (Marquilla Stuckey) a daughter, Jane Lorraine, on August 18, 1949.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth R. Williams (Mary Ann Sutton) a son, Kenneth R., Jr., on March 25, 1949.

## IDAHO ALPHA

*Marriages*

- Colleen Birdwell and William Harry Hooper on August 19, 1949.

Isabel Victoria Gibson and Dr. Elmer Newton Searls on September 1, 1949 in Toronto, Ont., Canada.

Phyllis Katherine Rand and James W. Caples on August 27, 1949 in Salmon, Idaho.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald W. Castellaw (Geraldine Potter) a daughter, Caren Dawn, on September 3, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wilson (Ada Yost) a daughter, Kathy Lee, on April 27, 1949 in Pocatello, Idaho.

ILLINOIS ALPHA

*Birth*

To Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Pelton (Constance Carey) a daughter, Linda Kay, on September 3, 1949 in Terre Haute, Ind.

ILLINOIS BETA-DELTA

*Marriages*

Florence Mercedes Scull and William O. Damrow on September 1, 1949 in Chicago, Ill.

Elizabeth Lyle Stickney and William Wallace McKeane on May 21, 1949 in Chicago, Ill.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. D. A. McIntire (Helen Fuhr) a son, on May 20, 1949 in Kankakee, Ill.

To Mr. and Mrs. Philip Bulkeley (Jo Ann Bower) a son, on September 1, 1949 in Galesburg, Ill.

To Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith (Carolyn Chain) a son, John Patrick, on July 27, 1949 in Bushnell, Ill.

To Mr. and Mrs. William R. King (Virginia Sachrison) a son, Robert Charles, on September 21, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. William F. Wilbur (Jo Anne Richardson) a son, Stephen Farrington, on November 3, 1948 in Denver.

ILLINOIS EPSILON

*Marriage*

Elizabeth Morton and William Gale Mathers on May 6, 1949.

*Births*

To Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Lovelace II (Mary Moulton) a daughter, Jacqueline Anne, on June 16, 1949 in Albuquerque, N.M.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wehrli (Jean McLellan) a daughter, Beth, on June 14, 1949 in Worland, Wyo.

To Mr. and Mrs. John M. Battjes (Barbara Borough) a son, John Marshall, Jr., on September 27, 1949 in Grand Rapids, Mich.

To Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Armstrong (Paula Schumacher) a daughter, Paula Dorothy, on August 1, 1949.

ILLINOIS ZETA

*Marriage*

Marjorie A. Diehl and Thomas J. Robinson on October 8, 1949 in Lawrenceburg, Ind.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. James Stables (Ruth Lee) a daughter, Peggy Lee, on September 23, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Leo M. Godin (Mary Foster) a son, James Foster, on August 26, 1949 in Danville, Ill.

To Mr. and Mrs. Dean Wessel (Georgia Moon) a daughter, Carolyn, on October 6, 1949 in Chicago, Ill.

ILLINOIS DELTA

*Marriage*

Harriett Hutson and Russell Carter on August 29, 1949 in Council Bluffs, Iowa.

ILLINOIS THETA

*Marriages*

Mary Battles and Thomas Werner on July 17, 1949 in Peoria, Ill.

Marilee Macy and Kent Frandsen on July 29, 1949 in Peoria, Ill.

Miriam Parker and William Biederbeck on September 11, 1949 in Williamsfield, Ill.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blane (Jean Chiles) a son, on July 16, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Templin (Nellie Snyder) a son, on July 18, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harper (Elva Schoaff) a daughter, on September 19, 1949.

ILLINOIS ETA

*Marriages*

Katherine McKeown and Fred H. Bradshaw on August 10, 1949.

Carol Virginia Orr and Richard Micheal Fleming on August 20, 1949.

Alice Stewart and Frederick D. Payne on June 22, 1949.

*Birth*

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Baird (Joanne McDavid) a daughter, on July 29, 1949.

INDIANA ALPHA

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Valette (Genevieve Gambell) a daughter, Jean Anne, on January 15, 1949 in Chicago, Ill.

To Dr. and Mrs. William Robert Noe (Eileen Simmons) a son, James Creighton, on August 6, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. James Edward Kelly (Marie Wolf) a daughter, Barbara Ann, on March 23, 1949.

INDIANA BETA

*Marriages*

Pat Stapleton and Louis Funk on June 11, 1949 in Indianapolis, Ind.

Lucretia Kervan and Edward Steinmetz on August 20, 1949 in Indianapolis, Ind.

Doris Deal and Howard Bibler in September, 1949 in Evanston, Ill.

Norma Frazier and John Templeton on August 10, 1949 in Paris, Ill.

Mary Gretchen Schmidt and Bill Boykin on June 18, 1949 in Mishawaka, Ind.

Charlene Fertig and Louis McClain in June, 1949 in Franklin, Ind.

Carol Dailey and William Fishing in June, 1949 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

Barbara Dunn and Bill Wolfe in June, 1949 in Franklin, Ind.

Jean Weil Wheatley and LeRoy F. Koranda on September 17, 1949.

Dorothy Magley and Clyde J. Reed in August, 1949.

Madeline Scully and Colin C. Cowgill on August 13, 1949 in Gary, Ind.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Whalon (Suzette Micheli) a son, Arthur John, on June 26, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Yost (Betty McComb) a daughter, Gretchen Marie, in May, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. William A. Jones (Betty Norman) a daughter, Janice Elaine, on January 11, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard D. Gallmeyer (Katherine L. Kuntz) a daughter, Barbara Ann, on March 9, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alan Gargett (Ann Abbott) a daughter, Shelley Abbott, in September, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Wiske (Martha Lynch) a son, Prescott Stuart, on September 9, 1949 in Evansville, Ind.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Paugh (Ione Swan) a son, James Russell, on July 24, 1949 in Madison, Wis.

To Mr. and Mrs. Anson McAdams (Roberta Swan) a son, Douglas Swan, on July 31, 1949.

INDIANA GAMMA

*Birth*

To Mr. and Mrs. Byron E. Crum (Mary Gessert) a son, Stephen Thomas, on July 18, 1949.

INDIANA DELTA

*Marriages*

Bess Barrott and Henry G. Nanz on July 23, 1949 in Lawrenceburg, Ind.

Mary K. Caudell and Hugh Klein on September 10, 1949 in Evansville, Ind.

Marilyn Kayser and James Hess.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Otis Lipstreu (Elizabeth Barmes) a daughter, Mary Lou, on March 23, 1949 in Boulder, Colo.

To Mr. and Mrs. Eric A. Johnson (Augusta Hite) a son, Stephen Hite, on October 2, 1949 in Chicago, Ill.

To Mr. and Mrs. Jack J. Roberts (Betty Lou Wallace) a son, John Michael, on May 4, 1949.

INDIANA EPSILON

*Marriages*

Agnes Proffitt and William Otis Carpenter on September 24, 1949 in Washington, D. C.

Jacqueline Orr and Alfred C. Wermuth in August, 1949.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Perry Wright (Jean Woodruff) a son, Steven Frederick, on September 6, 1949 in Oak Park, Ill.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stembridge (Sue Coltrin) a daughter, Melissa, in August, 1949 in Lombard, Ill.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hansen (Marilynn Parrett) a daughter, Polly, on August 25, 1949 in Princeton, Ind.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Thompson (Mary Catherine Downs) a daughter, Carol Sue, in May, 1949.

## IOWA ALPHA

*Marriage*

Charlaine Austin and David S. Baskett on June 26, 1949.

*Birth*

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carmen (Joan Brau) a daughter, Patricia, on August 15, 1949 in Chicago, Ill.

## IOWA BETA

*Marriages*

Jean Piffer and John Anderson on August 21, 1949 in Indianola, Iowa.

Mary Lou Boyles and Rolf Hjelmseth on September 3, 1949 in Waukegan, Ill.

Irene Annan and Rex Moore on August 13, 1949 at Clarinda, Iowa.

Betty Lou Funk and Alben Robinson on August 13, 1949 in Waukegan, Ill.

## IOWA GAMMA

*Marriages*

Jane Fay and Roy Everett Miller, Jr. on August 27, 1949 in Nevada, Iowa.

Mary Elizabeth Lush and Alfred Hausrath on September 3, 1949 in Ames, Iowa.

Rosemary Lindstrom and Eugene Manis on August 20, 1949 in Ames, Iowa.

Lucille Spetman and Richard Parsons on June 19, 1949 in Council Bluffs, Iowa.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Edward Owen (Delores Carlson) a daughter, Barbara Kay, on September 11, 1949 in Omaha, Neb.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Nutt, Jr. (Margaret Ann Hornaday) a son, John Theodore, III., on May 19, 1949 in Des Moines, Iowa.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doyle (Frances Foster) a son, Daniel Scott, on August 5, 1949 in Schenectady, N. Y.

To Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Anderson (Martha Coover) a daughter, Christine Marthas, on September 18, 1949 in Schenectady, N. Y.

To Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hergenrather (Kathryn Monson) a son, Richard Ames, on May 30, 1949 in Los Angeles, Calif.

To Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Tauber (Anna Hager) a son, John Peter, on July 13, 1949 in Ames, Iowa.

To Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Buck (Cornelia Lindstrom) a son, Mason Lindstrom, on August 31, 1949 in Ames, Iowa.

To Mr. and Mrs. Stuart B. Jardine (Winnifred Cannon) a son, Steven, on August 20, 1949 in Salt Lake City, Utah.

To Dr. and Mrs. G. S. Lodwick (Patricia Galligan) a son, on September 28, 1949 in Iowa City, Iowa.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sheehan (Polly Pride) a daughter, Kathryn Leah, on June 4, 1949 in Detroit, Mich.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. Jack Andersen (Leslie Smith) a son, John Charles, on July 10, 1949 in Council Bluffs, Iowa.

To Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Nance (Grace Gantt) a daughter, Melinda, on June 19, 1949 in Council Bluffs, Iowa.

## IOWA ZETA

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Lash (Frances Marshall) a daughter, Frances Virginia, on July 10, 1949 in Council Bluffs, Iowa.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Siekmann (Marion Loetscher) a son, James Loetscher, on June 12, 1949 in Chicago, Ill.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Bishop (Annabel Anderson) a son, David, on March 13, 1949 in San Bernardino, Calif.

## KANSAS ALPHA

*Marriage*

Jo Ann McCrory and Charles Bevan on September 3, 1949.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gates (Katherine Ann Hall) a daughter, Ione DeHaven, in March, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Weatherwax (June Griesa) a son, David Evans, on January 18, 1949 in Wichita, Kan.

To Mr. and Mrs. George Brown (Mary Manary) a son, John Hays, on April 27, 1949 in Wichita, Kan.

To Mr. and Mrs. David B. Morris, Jr. (Margaret Hardie) a daughter, Margaret, on July 24, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Bridgens (Dorothy Mae Dahlin) a son, Cris, on September 16, 1949 in Kansas City, Kan.

## KANSAS BETA

*Marriages*

Mary Margaret Arnold and Michael Erlanger on March 12, 1949 in New York City.

Nancy Jane Munger and Harry Benton McGrath on September 10, 1949 in Manhattan, Kan.

Joan Ruth Myers and Earl Duane Clyne on July 24, 1949 in McPherson, Kan.

Evelyn Platner and John W. Myer on August 14, 1949 in Downers Grove, Ill.

Ann Roehl and Nate Erickson on September 23, 1949 in Wichita, Kan.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Miller (Peggy Mahoney) a son in January, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Kalousek (Marjorie McCrory) a daughter, Kathy, in July, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. George D. Volkel (Barbara Waller) a daughter, Kathleen Diane, on July 19, 1949 in Long Beach, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Stallings (Jeanne Pickard) adopted a daughter, Jill.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lee Long (Ruth Halderson) a daughter, Christine Ruth, on September 11, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. De Lynch (Georgia McNickle) a son, Michael De, on September 5, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mathews (Patty Piffer) a son, Mark Major, on August 13, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Prather (Anne Russell) a daughter, Theresa Anne, on August 4, 1949.

## KENTUCKY ALPHA

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Horning (Carolyn Motley) a daughter, Carol Jo, on September 11, 1949.

To Dr. and Mrs. Edward H. Martin (Billie Lechleiter) a daughter, Linda Jean, on July 19, 1949 in St. Louis, Mo.

## LOUISIANA ALPHA

*Birth*

To Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Wootley, Jr. (Evelyn Shaddock) a daughter, Carolyn Shaddock, on July 17, 1949.

## LOUISIANA BETA

*Marriages*

Rita Sonnier and John S. Rives in June, 1949 in Rayne, La.  
Kitty Kelly and Robert Patterson Lyle on September 8, 1949 in Baton Rouge, La.

*Birth*

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Steineger, Jr. (Betty Belle Ratliff) a daughter, on October 5, 1949 in Dallas, Tex.

## MANITOBA ALPHA

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Floyd (Margaret MacInnes) a daughter, Janet Elizabeth, on February 19, 1949 in Montreal.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McDiarmid (Joan Yule) a son, William John, on October 8, 1949 in Montreal.

To Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Maxwell (Sally Jonasson) a son, David Jon, on August 20, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard Cameron MacBeth (Elizabeth F. Gray) a son, Hilliard Robert, on June 13, 1949 in Moose Jaw, Sask.

## MARYLAND ALPHA

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Deblinger (Jeannette Parker) a son, Charles Emerson, on June 26, 1949 in Chicago.

To Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dodge (Marieanne Porter) a son, Michael, in June, 1949 in Anchorage, Alaska.

To Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Milgroom (Francis Lee Flynn) a son, on October 4, 1949.

## MICHIGAN ALPHA

*Marriage*

Lou Ann Kelley and Paul Buker on September 24, 1949 in Ft. Wayne, Ind.

*Birth*

To Mr. and Mrs. William Brown (Dorothy Skitch) a daughter, Janet Marrion, on February 22, 1949.

## MICHIGAN BETA

*Marriages*

Mary Stierer and Robert Reynolds in June, 1949.  
Joyce Rogers and Mike Kerr in June, 1949 in Pontiac, Mich.

Dorothy Ellis and Robert Dilts in June, 1949.  
Charlotte Peck and John Gault on August 6, 1949 in Penns Grove, N. J.

Marguerite McCann and George Sutherland on August 27, 1949.  
Ellen Crowley and Ted Monahan on September 10, 1949.  
Katharine Diack Jackson and Benjamin Osuna on October 15, 1949 in Detroit, Mich.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Derleth (Frances Gurche) a daughter, Ann Christine, in May, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dehmlow (Carla Mullendore) a daughter, Christine Louise, in August, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Sell (Marjorie Merker) a daughter, Margaret Lee, on October 5, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gustafson (Mary Elizabeth Moore) a son, Kevin, in August, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Lundahl (Dorothy Shipman) a son, David, on August 10, 1949 in Des Moines, Iowa.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Williams (Mercedes Matthews) a son, David Lawrence, on September 12, 1949 in Madison, Wis.

## MINNESOTA ALPHA

*Marriage*

Dorothy Eastman and Paul Sankey on June 29, 1949.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Libbey (Lucille Larson) a son, Richard Kim, on September 13, 1948 in Grand Rapids, Mich.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Wilson K. Decker (Jean McFarland) a son, Stephen, on May 3, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Nevins (Janet Juul) a daughter, Katherine Juul, on August 30, 1949.

## MISSOURI ALPHA

*Marriages*

Margaret Ann Wittchell and Wallace R. Odell on September 3, 1949 in Bartlesville, Okla.  
Frances Ellinor and Bill Isern on June 28, 1949 in Havana, Fla.  
Joanne Jeans and William Hooten, Jr. on August 1, 1949 in Fayetteville, Ark.  
Sarah Rebecca Jamison and David Carl Dopp on September 4, 1949 in Joplin, Mo.  
Annette Peter and Robert G. Neel on November 4, 1949 in Orlando, Fla.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. James S. Barnitz (Betty Ambler) twin daughters on October 4, 1949 in Baltimore, Md.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Victor Drumm (Phyllis Streit) a son, Christopher Streit, on September 15, 1949 in Stamford, Conn.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Clampett (Ruth Harrison Pinkham) a daughter, Jane Hamilton, on February 27, 1949 in Carmel, Calif.

## MISSOURI BETA

*Marriages*

Barbara W. Taylor and Albert Reid Chappell on December 28, 1948.  
Barbara Smith and John Russell Lasley on June 8, 1949.  
Marjorie M. McNamara and Robert Maxeiner in August, 1949.  
John E. Hoffman and Margaretta Hallauer on September 2, 1949.  
Virginia Page and William Butler Carter on September 17, 1949.  
Joanne Reynolds and David E. Merker on October 22, 1949.  
Elizabeth Dangerfield and John Maas on June 3, 1949.  
Mary Wiederholdt and Thomas Meyersick on June 4, 1949.  
Eileen Selle and Robert Stahlhut on August 25, 1949.  
Ruth Lee Reddish and Warren W. Allen on June 11, 1949.  
Patricia Becker and Wilfred J. Hammer on April 9, 1949.  
Margaret Ann McElwee and George Hibbard on September 3, 1949.  
Susan Ming and Charles Goodman on May 27, 1949.  
Virginia Page and William Carter on September 17, 1949.  
Martha Dunbar and Robert Gaddy on September 17, 1949.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald D. Grose (Mary Elizabeth Banks) a son, Jonathan Banks, on May 5, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. J. Jean Vincent, Jr. (Barbara R. Feldman) a son, Scott R., on August 8, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. O'Connell (Anne Travis) a daughter, Margaret Gray, on May 18, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. John H. Gorman (Peggy Schwankhaus) a son, John Jeffery on May 28, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. C. F. P. Stueck (Maurita Estes) a daughter, Linda Carroll, on June 2, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Spatz (Beverly Burton) a daughter, Terrill Ann, on June 1, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Keith Richards (Lucy Isreal) a daughter, Kathryn Allen, on May 3, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murphy (Margaret Welek) a daughter, Margaret Ann, on July 31, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. George Nelson (Susan Fischel) a son, on September 24, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Martin (Nell Anderson) a son, Daniel Charles, on June 5, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Donald B. Foster (Jane Allen) a son, Robert Chesley, on September 19, 1949 in Milton, Mass.

## MISSOURI GAMMA

*Marriages*

Virginia Lynn Feist and Robert William Butcher on August 13, 1949 in Kansas City, Mo.  
Ann Lusk and James B. Kidd, Jr. on August 27, 1949 in Springfield, Mo.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Edward Corbett (Patsy Denton) a son, Charles Denton, on August 18, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. James Hutchinson (Janice Costello) a son, James C., III, on September 5, 1949.

## MONTANA ALPHA

*Marriages*

Jane Cole and Virgil E. Gust on August 4, 1949 in Big Timber, Mont.  
Loisgail Evers and Walter Narkevic on August 30, 1949 in Bozeman, Mont.  
Eleanor Anne Marx and Merrill E. Joy on August 25, 1949 in Deer Lodge, Mont.  
Bonnie Shotwell and Jack Marquis on September 3, 1949 in Bozeman, Mont.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Sherwin (Marjorie A. Richardson) a daughter, Anne Marriott, on December 26, 1948.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hulbert (Ruth Strong) a daughter, Linda Ray, on July 21, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. William Stetzer (Florence Boyle) a son, Tommy, on July 8, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Eckroth (Elizabeth LaBrie) a daughter, on September 7, 1949 in Bozeman, Mont.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Edwin V. Weiss (Shirley Young) a daughter, Constance Marilyn, on September 12, 1949 in Hood River, Ore.

## NEBRASKA BETA

*Marriages*

Josephine Miranda Weaver and Robert Davis Gatz on September 18, 1949 in Falls City, Neb.  
Joan Morrill Wolcott and John William Carson on October 1, 1949 in North Platte, Neb.  
Lucy Ann Hapeman and Austin Phelps Dodge on August 13, 1949 in Minden, Neb.  
Marilyn Marie Nelson and William Ernest French on August 14, 1949 in Herman, Neb.  
Margaret Jane Coen and Russell S. Hale on August 22, 1949.  
June Maust Novak and Harry E. Bartholomew on July 29, 1949 in Albuquerque, N. M.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Bacon (Huldah Phelps) a son, on September 30, 1949.

## NEVADA ALPHA

*Marriages*

Eleanor Sweatt and William Buck on July 23, 1949 in Reno, Nev.  
Betty Tracy and Louis Keith Porter on August 14, 1949 in Reno, Nev.  
Josephine Marisquirena and Kenneth Olinghouse in August, 1949.  
Joylin Johnson and Richard Vandenberg on September 4, 1949 in Las Vegas, Nev.  
Patricia Wilson and Charles Cross on September 3, 1949 in Las Vegas, Nev.  
Elaine Abercrombie and Robert Horton on September 1, 1949 in Boulder City, Nev.  
Yvonne Wilson and Mario Isola on September 11, 1949 in Reno, Nev.  
Sallie Bieber and Lt. J. L. Bennett on December 27, 1948 in Pelham Manor, N. Y.  
Isabelle Burney and Wayne Booth on August 10, 1949 at Denver, Colo.  
Nadeanne Neff and Charles L. Calhoun on August 27, 1949 at Las Cruces, N. M.  
Helen Watson and Lt. John Taylor Rhett on November 5, 1949 at Artesia, N. M.  
Lurana Ann Persing and Lawrence Ferguson on November 26, 1949 in Kalamazoo, Mich.



*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Neil Plath (Virginia Hill) a daughter, Janet Alice, on May 2, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Earl (Winona Davis) a son, Joseph Lyman, Jr., on August 9, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bradshaw (Maida Lee) a daughter in September, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn E. Freemonth (Betty Flyge) a daughter, Linda Jo, on May 17, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Johnstone (Charlotte Caton) a son, in September, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gardiner (Joyce Dodge) a son, in August, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Sweet (Barbara McHenry) a daughter, Karin Ann, on June 25, 1949 in Albuquerque, N. M.

## NEW YORK ALPHA

*Marriages*

Janet Holmes and Benjamin J. Bucko on August 20, 1949.

Mildred Wicke Snow and Edward Harbison Hinkle on June 25, 1949.

Constance Spelman and Robert Alan Kay on August 27, 1949 at Chazy, N. Y.

Phoebe Ladelle Pierce and Kenneth Douglas Garnjost on September 10, 1949 in Winthrop, Mass.

Alice Boyd Kingsley and Dr. Frank Gollan on August 19, 1949 in Yellow Springs, Ohio.

Grace Louise Bubbie and James John Eckerman on August 5, 1949 in Honolulu, Hawaii.

Nan Thompson and Jerome B. True on September 10, 1949.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Willis A. Brown (Nanette Unger) a son, Paul Ancil, on March 13, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fraser (Virginia Holmes) a son, Foster Holmes, on August 10, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Mathe (Ruth Armstrong) a son, Stephen William, on August 2, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. DeLaney (Irene Dolbear) a daughter, Kathleen Mary, on August 15, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Leon Didion (Margaret Weber) a son, Steven Weber, on September 4, 1949.

## NEW YORK GAMMA

*Marriages*

Alixie Barclay Galvin and Horace A. Demarest.

Estelle E. McVicker and Carlo E. Galli on August 26, 1949 in San Diego, Calif.

Betty Weeden and Arthur Applegate on June 25, 1949.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Thaddeus Lewkowicz (Jill Young) a son, Stephen Blase, on May 19, 1949 in Schenectady, N. Y.

To Mr. and Mrs. Arrigo Bolognesi (Margaret VanBergen) a daughter, Anita Jean, on May 11, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Alec Carsky (Mildred Lorence) a daughter, Monica, on May 4, 1949.

## NORTH CAROLINA ALPHA

*Marriages*

Martha Christine and Capt. Edwin Alden Schneider on July 15, 1949 in Bluefield, W. Va.

Elinor Olive Elliott and John Edward Koehley on September 1, 1949 in New York City.

Hazel Brand Taylor and Allen Frederick Kingman, Jr., on October 29, 1949 in Ft. Myer, Va.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. John D. Payne (Phyllis Hon) a son, James Dowkontt, on September 7, 1949 in Miami, Fla.

## NORTH CAROLINA BETA

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Eastman (Peg Mercer) a daughter, Joan, on August 13, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stenglein (Sarah Clarkson) a daughter, Sarah Margaret, on February 19, 1949.

## NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Walker Butler (Erva Thompson) a son, Gary Sherwin, on May 25, 1949 in Chicago, Ill.

To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Haworth (Marie Cray) a daughter, Evelyn Ann, on August 13, 1949 in Boise, Idaho.

## NOVA SCOTIA ALPHA

*Marriages*

Irene Robinson and Robert Potts on August 24, 1949.

Eileen Phinney and Dr. Moffatt Hancock on September 1, 1949 in Toronto, Ont.

Dorothy MacLeod and Victor Aslin on September 15, 1949 in Edmonton.

Nancy Jane Wilson and Kenneth Dauphinee on September 24, 1949 in St. John, N. B.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Brownlee (Isabell Wilmot) a son, on August 21, 1949.

## OHIO ALPHA

*Marriage*

Helen Frances O'Brien and Warren Manning Green on October 1, 1949 in Atlanta, Ga.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Harris Farmer (Martha Lowry) a son, Walter Lee, on August 1, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Philip Ross (Jennie Kah) a son, Keith Allan, on August 11, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Backus (Faye Hayes) a daughter, Matilda Christine, on August 13, 1949.

## OHIO BETA

*Marriages*

Margaret Hoyer and Warren E. Wesler on July 30, 1949 in Sandusky, Ohio.

Patricia Cooper and George E. Johnson on August 29, 1949 in Columbus, Ohio.

Barbara Rook and Robert Emmett Boyd, Jr., on September 16, 1949 in Columbus, Ohio.

Katherine Ann Williams and Thomas D. Brown on September 17, 1949 in Columbus, Ohio.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Carl Arend (Patricia Weir) a son, Thomas, on August 9, 1949 in Columbus, Ohio.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ned R. Bricker (Martha Gittins) a daughter, Carolyn Bricker, on September 22, 1949 in Columbus, Ohio.

To Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Adams (Louise Crafts) a son, Mark, on July 13, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Thomas, Jr., (Jeanne Pickens) a daughter, Gray Collier, on February 2, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. William R. Eubank (Patricia Caudill) a son, William Daniel, on August 20, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Wuille (Vivian Lake) a son, in June, 1949, in Columbus, Ohio.

To Mr. and Mrs. Miller Anderson (Marjorie Essex) a daughter, in July, 1949 in Columbus, Ohio.

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schettler (Jane Yost) a son, Richard, on July 30, 1949 in Mansfield, Ohio.

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Miles (Roberta Stoltz) a daughter, on September 24, 1949 in Columbus, Ohio.

To Mr. and Mrs. Don Graves (Joanne Black) a daughter, Carol Ann, on August 14, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Shiffer (Marjorie King) a daughter, Cathy Lynn, on August 26, 1949 in Chardon, Ohio.

To Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Lynn (Cornelia Evans) a son, Douglas, on August 31, 1949 in Columbus, Ohio.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Harris (Louise Reeder) a son, in September, 1949 in Columbus, Ohio.

To Mr. and Mrs. James Wallace Phillips (Joan Galbreath) a daughter, Dianne, on September 21, 1949 in Columbus, Ohio.

## OHIO ZETA

*Marriages*

Antoinette Louise East and Max Edward Bohmont on July 16, 1949.

Joan Hetzler and Richard Jones on September 7, 1949.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald A. Detmer (Bette Reed) a son, Thomas Reed, on July 14, 1949 at Hamilton, Ohio.

## OKLAHOMA ALPHA

*Marriage*

Frances Duncan and Robert DeWitt Reynolds on October 22, 1949 in Muskogee, Okla.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Reginald H. Phillips (Dorothy Jayne Dustin) a son, James Dustin, on August 2, 1949 in Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Castle (Patty Price) a son, Johnny Hollis, on September 19, 1949 in Albuquerque, N. M.

To Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lewis (Ruth Winn) a daughter, Gwenyth, on July 14, 1949 in Albuquerque, N. M.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Tyler (Margaret Swain) a son, Larry Howard, on August 30, 1949 in Bartlesville, Okla.

To Mr. and Mrs. James E. Evans (Martha Colvert) a daughter, Carol Sue, on August 2, 1949 in Ardmore, Okla.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. William H. Strongberg (Mary Love Hale) a son, Sam Hale, on August 24, 1949.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Martin Cassidy (June Johnson) a son, Geogre Eric, on April 23, 1949.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Norman (Mary Louise Suggs) a son, Thomas, III, on September 28, 1949.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Ben L. Burdick (June Spencer) a daughter, on October 15, 1949.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Neal (Betty Oliver) a daughter, Elizabeth Gayle, on April 5, 1949 in Stillwater, Okla.

## OKLAHOMA BETA

*Marriage*

Patricia Evans and Charles B. Crane on April 2, 1949 in Tulsa, Okla.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Alexander (Elizabeth Jacobs) a daughter, Kathleen Gay, on May 26, 1949.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Omar-Bud Browning (Betty Price) a daughter, Karen Jill, on June 6, 1949 in Bartlesville, Okla.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Herzig (Rosemary Patten) a daughter, Jane Ellen, on September 15, 1949 in Bartlesville, Okla.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Edwards (Polly Black) a son, Wallace Henry, Jr., on June 13, 1949 in Ponca City, Okla.

## ONTARIO ALPHA

*Marriages*

Mary Alice Burton and Alexander Lyall Stuart on June 4, 1949 in Toronto.  
 Mary Ellen Mulligan and Walter Prendergast on June 11, 1949 at Toronto.  
 Barbara McKinnon and Dr. John MacLean Hazlett on June 18, 1949 at Toronto.  
 Mary Haldenby and Donald Hogarth Simpson on June 18, at Toronto.  
 Zoe Christie and John Patten Fleming on June 25, 1949 at Toronto.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. A. Gordon Cardy (Alice Cochrane) a daughter, on July 12, 1949 at Toronto.  
 To Dr. and Mrs. Carson McGowan (Gwen Jardine) a son, on June 12, 1949 at Toronto.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth B. Andras (Elizabeth Graham) a daughter, on June 18, 1949.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander McKechnie (Sally Blackey) a daughter, on June 23, 1949.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor Gale (Mary Evans) a daughter, on June 24, 1949.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Colin S. Ross (Virginia Rutland) a daughter, on July 23, 1949.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Harrison (Marion Tyrrell) a daughter, on July 28, 1949.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. C. Donald Howson (Elizabeth Wright) a son, on July 29, 1949.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Hill (Barbara Crassweller) a daughter, on September 15, 1949.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harvie (Noela Seabome) a daughter, Noela Anne, on August 7, 1949 in Orillia, Ont.

## ONTARIO BETA

*Marriages*

Paula Mae Deeney and Geoffrey McEwen Miller on September 3, 1949 in London, Ont.  
 Joyce Evelyn Jebson and Raymond Grant Berry on September 7, 1949 in London, Ont.  
 Marion Coralie Browne and William Edward Horkins on September 17, 1949 in London.  
 Evelyn Alexandra McKellar and Peter MacKichan on October 1, 1949 in London.  
 Helen Margaret Douglas and Donald McKillop on October 1, 1949 in London.  
 Doris Edith Shirley and William Moore Smyth on October 8, 1949 in London.  
 Margaret Lawton and Carlton Spencer on August 20, 1949 in Birmingham, Mich.  
 Kathleen Braddock and Douglas Otton on November 26, 1948.  
 Jean Fletcher and Brian Ainsley in July, 1949 in Arva, Ont.  
 Anne Huffman and Jack Parry in May, 1949 in Blenheim, Ont.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Ben Miller McKinney (Nancy Foreman) a daughter, Whitney Ann, on August 1, 1949 in Winnipeg, Man.  
 To Dr. and Mrs. John C. Kennedy (Jean Lawson) a daughter, Helen Louise, on August 16, 1949 in London, Ont.

To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brandon (Netta Kingsmill) a daughter, on August 19, 1949 in Midland, Ont.

To Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Ross (Mary Dewar) a daughter, Jennifer Margaret in Timmins, Ont.

To Mr. and Mrs. James Peter Rankin (Marian McMahan) a daughter, Adrian Elizabeth, on October 3, 1949 in London, Ont.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Kime (Margaret Morgan) a daughter, Janet Margaret, on October 1, 1949 in London, Ont.

To Mr. and Mrs. John McLaren (Dorothy Peters) a son, Robert Peters, on September 8, 1949 in London, Ont.

To Mr. and Mrs. George Marshall (Mary Pat Robinson) a son, Douglas George, in May 1949 in Simcoe, Ont.

To Dr. and Mrs. Richard Grandy (Mary Scott) a son, Douglas Richard, in May, 1949 in Galt, Ont.

## OREGON ALPHA

*Marriage*

Donna Mae Lyons and Paul W. Kunkel, Jr. in June, 1949.

*Birth*

To Mr. and Mrs. C. Harold Weston, Jr. (Betty Anderson) a son, C. H. III, on August 22, 1949.

## OREGON BETA

*Marriages*

Joanne Lea Lindberg and Albert George Parker, III on August 14, 1949. At home, Presbyterian manse, Tuscola, Ill.

Velma Lee Meadows and Lloyd John Bruce.  
 Margaret Proppe and Forrest E. Lednický on August 27, 1949.

*Births*

To Major and Mrs. James P. Wilson (Beatrice Kroder) a son, David Allen, on August 10, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Dockrill (Virginia Cess) a daughter, Susan Louise, on August 9, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Francis Radditz (Geraldine Wanke) a daughter, in September, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scheble (Jackie Vaupell) a daughter, Nancy Lee, on September 4, 1949.

## OREGON GAMMA

*Marriage*

Marilee Olson and Dale Morgan on August 12, 1949.

## PENNSYLVANIA BETA

*Marriage*

Joann Georgia Golightly and Richard David Atherly on October 8, 1949 in Summit, N. J.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. William E. Barclay, Jr. (Anna Louise Snyder) a son, William Elton, III, on June 22, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Padden (Barbara Dyer) a daughter, Monica Ann, on May 29, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wood (June Chapman) a son, Robert Chapman, on October 7, 1949.

## SOUTH CAROLINA ALPHA

*Marriages*

Rebecca Ann Busbee and George Ballentine on June 22, 1949 in Springfield, N. C.

Virginia Cary Guthrie and Matthew Michael Bonner on June 4, 1949 in Annapolis, Md.

## SOUTH DAKOTA ALPHA

*Marriages*

Carolyn Cowles and Lynden Levitt on June 17, 1949 at Flandreau, S. D.

Evelyn Jacobsen and Duane K. Harvey on August 28, 1949 in Vermillion, S. D.

Annette Dougherty and Frank Mullin on September 17, 1949 in Sioux Falls, S. D.

Joyce Simpson and John Lawrence on August 29, 1949 in Sioux Falls, S. D.

Dolores Johnson and Richard Baily on September 1, 1949 at Irene, S. D.

Janice Johnson and Robert H. Arthur on August 28, 1949 at Sioux Falls, S. D.

Mary Lou Shannessy and W. Woodford Smith on August 20, 1949 in Muskegon, Mich.

Barbara Borman and Lloyd Simmons on August 12, 1949 in Sioux City, Iowa.

Jackie Rowe and John Saunders on October 8, 1949 at Canton, S. D.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crawford (Betty Hecker) a son, March, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Scott Woodard (Jo McGrath) a daughter, Vicky Jo, on July 2, 1949.

## TENNESSEE ALPHA

*Marriages*

Barbara Barker and Larry Rigsby on July 23, 1949 in Chattanooga, Tenn.  
Dorothea Flenniken and Frank Grigonis on August 6, 1949 in Chattanooga, Tenn.  
Medora Shadden and Lt. Barney Roth on September 10, 1949 in Chattanooga, Tenn.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Shullaw (Mary Faye Raulston) a daughter, on July 27, 1949 in Denver, Colo.  
To Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Levan (Charlotte McAmis) a son, Martin Douglas, Jr., on August 30, 1949 in Chattanooga, Tenn.  
To Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Miller, Jr. (Betty Collette) a daughter, in September, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Easley (Genevieve Carlisle) a daughter, Genevieve Carlisle, on August 1, 1949.

## TEXAS ALPHA

*Marriages*

Mary Vick and Richard B. Shaw in August, 1949.  
Janet Collett and Wolf Jessen in January, 1949.  
Patricia Murphree and Bertram Honea in June, 1949.  
Charlotte Mickey and James P. Wharton in September, 1949.  
Bessie Smith and William Liedtke in October, 1949.  
Betty Katherine Winton and Edwin Reed Fay on October 4, 1949 in Ft. Worth, Texas.

*Births*

To Lt. Cmdr. and Mrs. J. B. Owens (Peggy Campbell) a daughter, Melissa Gray, on July 17, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Scott (Mary Nash) twins, a son James Nash and a daughter Anne Thornton, on February 3, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Keith M. Monroe (Margaret Penn) a daughter, Beverly, on February 3, 1949.  
Mr. and Mrs. Tarlton Morrow, Jr. ((Lillian Craig Francis) adopted a daughter, Martha Anne, on June 8, 1949 who was born October 31, 1948.  
To Dr. and Mrs. Robert V. Walker, II (Emily Jo Berger) a son, Robert, III, on August 30, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Pittman, Jr. (Elinor Willis) a daughter, Nancy, on September 7, 1949.

## TEXAS BETA

*Marriage*

Virginia Mae Carr and William B. Morris on August 27, 1949 in North Platte, Neb.

*Births*

To Dr. and Mrs. Tom Cleary (Marian Penniman) a daughter, Diane Elizabeth, on February 3, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Burreis (Laura Bass) a son, John Samuel, Jr., on May 4, 1949.

## UTAH ALPHA

*Marriages*

Patricia Nilson and John Owens on August 5, 1949 in Salt Lake City, Utah.  
Nancy Peery and Russell Graydon Schuler on September 24, 1949 in Salt Lake City, Utah.  
Peggy Meagher and John S. Price on October 5, 1949 in Salt Lake City, Utah.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Rolland P. Crane (Lorraine Jensen) a son, Jan Whitney on July 23, 1949 in Pittsburgh.  
To Mr. and Mrs. William Carpenter (Margaret Ann Woodruff) a daughter, Dearing Dee, on June 18, 1949 in Boise, Idaho.

## VERMONT ALPHA

*Birth*

To Mr. and Mrs. Howard M. Diver (Faith Arnold) a daughter, Marjorie Diver, on August 5, 1949.

## VIRGINIA ALPHA

*Marriage*

Marie Scott and Robert Pierce Taylor, Jr. on April 2, 1949 in Little Rock, Ark.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence W. Galloway (Jacqueline Bernard) a daughter, Ann Stuart, on August 23, 1949 in Baltimore, Md.  
To Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Scott (Nancy Cooper) a daughter, Barbara, on May 5, 1949.  
To Lt. (i.g.) and Mrs. I. W. Linder (Ann Katherine Fisher) a son, Bruce Richard, on July 29, 1949 in Pensacola, Fla.

## VIRGINIA GAMMA

*Marriage*

Frances M. Kane and J. T. Wright, Jr. on September 10, 1949 in Norfolk, Va.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. William Carter Dulin (Maurine Stuart) a son, Stuart Milton, on August 12, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Anthony P. Wagener (Lucille Haynes) a son, Phillip, on October 2, 1949 in Harvey, Ill.  
To Mr. and Mrs. William E. Wood (Cherry Whitehurst) a daughter, Frances Cherry, on August 1, 1949 in Norfolk, Va.

## WASHINGTON ALPHA

*Marriage*

Nancyann McDonough and James B. Mitchell on October 1, 1948.

*Birth*

To Mr. and Mrs. William P. Weaver (Elizabeth Freece) a son, Robert McDonald, on April 29, 1949.

## WASHINGTON BETA

*Marriage*

Barbara Cressey and Eugene Giertson on August 9, 1949 in Spokane, Wash.

*Births*

To Lt. and Mrs. Robert Cavanaugh (Lucille Ramsey) a son, Neal Patrick, on June 17, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Edgar D. Critchlow (Janet Dunlap) a daughter, Leigh Ellen, on August 21, 1949.

## WEST VIRGINIA ALPHA

*Marriage*

Eleanor Margaret Boyle and Brooks Edwin Smith on August 20, 1949 in Morgantown, W. Va.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Mathews (Betty Jane McWorter) a daughter, Keith Elizabeth, on September 26, 1948.  
To Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Williamson (Jean Handlan) a son, James Stuart, on June 24, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hancock, Jr. (Lucy Jones) a son, on July 22, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Kimball Godfrey (Patricia King) a son, on October 7, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Haberstick (Nell Haller) a daughter, Jean, on June 14, 1949.

## WISCONSIN ALPHA

*Marriages*

Barbara M. Hetland and William H. Starke on August 20, 1949 in Jefferson, Wis.  
Bonnie Shockley and James Brown on August 19, 1949 in Fox Point, Wis.  
Nancy Edwards and Ralph Stevens on September 3, 1949 in Wilmette, Ill.  
Nancy Krueger and Frank S. Kahey on September 10, 1949 in Neenah, Wis.  
Louise Rogers and Bryant Fisher on August 20, 1949 in Stevens Point, Wis.  
Barbara Wackman and Merric Wing on August 26, 1949 in Brooklyn, Wis.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rauh (Patricia Meigs) a son, James Robert, on August 2, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Winkler (Margaret Gregory) a daughter, Margaret Alice, on August 29, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor (Caroline Wagley) a son, Peter John, on July 8, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. John Van Vleet (Mary Jane Bucklin) a daughter, Lisa, on July 14, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Donald J. McIntyre (Barbara Lou Jaastad) a daughter, on October 2, 1949 in Madison, Wis.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nacey (Phyllis Frazier) a son, Thomas Walter, on September 2, 1949.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Millard H. Smith, Jr. (Patricia Hinkes) a son, Peter Alvin, on September 14, 1949.

## WISCONSIN BETA

*Marriage*

Jean Van Wart and Allan C. Kieckhafer on August 6, 1949 in Jonesville, Wis.

*Birth*

To Rev. and Mrs. Neil B. Danberg (Marjorie Benell) a daughter, Catherine Marjorie, on May 16, 1949.

## WISCONSIN GAMMA

*Marriage*

Reva Wilkins and Michael Stanish on April 30, 1949 in Waukesha, Wis.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Alan Held (June Brom) a daughter, Mardie June, on July 26, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Gerald V. Sheffer (Patricia Welsh) a son, Steven Joseph, on August 24, 1949 in Aurora, Ill.

To Mr. and Mrs. Boris Cherney (Barbara Griffith) a son, Lawrence Gregor, on January 13, 1949 on Guam, M.I.

## WYOMING ALPHA

*Marriages*

Mary Lou Roper and Paul Recard on June 27, 1949 in Casper, Wyo.

Adah Cottman and Maurice P. Cartier on August 11, 1949 in Casper, Wyo.

Dorothy Dunn and Paul Faust on August 12, 1949 in Casper, Wyo.

Maxine Roush and George Muller on August 5, 1949 in Denver.

Shirley Laughlin and David Russell Patterson on August 21, 1949.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Prickett (Maudie Doyle) a son, Charles, III, on September 27, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buchanan (Patricia Brooks) a daughter, Roberta Mary, on April 21, 1949 in Butte, Mont.

To Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gorrell (Dorothy Kimball) a daughter, Hollis Leigh, on May 12, 1949 in Worland, Wyo.

To Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Nichols (Betty Newman) a son, Russell H., on September 11, 1948 in Casper, Wyo.

To Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Hendrickson, Jr. (Miriam Binning) a son, Murl S., III, on December 28, 1948 in Tulsa, Okla.



ON OBLIGATION OF ACTIVES "The present generation of sorority members, having found their group in a well-organized and smooth-running state, have a natural inclination to take the advantages for granted. They often fail to appreciate their heritage or to sense their obligation. They do not realize that in order to retain its prestige and worth, a sorority should constantly evaluate itself as to the functions it serves."

MARIE HOWES, Dean of Orange Coast College  
in *Kappa Alpha Theta*

## From Dallas



This picture was taken in July in Dallas, Texas, at a national convention of Theta Sigma Phi, National Honorary and Professional Organization for Women in Journalism. The following Pi Phis were among the delegates present at the convention: Front row, left to right: Vera Stenger, Missouri A; Alice Robertson, Indiana G; Betty Ann Lewis, Indiana G; Back row: Anne Aultman, Missouri A; Elizabeth Schneider, Nebraska B; Deedee James, Indiana E.

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# CHAPTER LETTERS

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## ALPHA PROVINCE EAST

### NOVA SCOTIA ALPHA—DALHOUSIE UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1934

INITIATED, March 19, 1949: Jean Haliburton, Caroline Scott (Mrs. J. W.).

When Nova Scotia A's returned to the campus this fall they found many changes, chief of which was the new Arts Building now under construction. Upon the completion of this building, the building now in use will be returned to the Law students for whom it was originally intended.

Pi Phi Camp was held in May, during the days between the close of examinations and Convocations, at Geraldine Cragg's summer camp on the south shore of Nova Scotia. After examinations the relaxation was very much enjoyed.

Carol Wood and Shirley McCoy returned with enthusiastic accounts of the conference they attended at Burlington, Vt., and of the wonderful hospitality of Vermont B.

Janet Sinclair is president of Δ Γ, a society for all girls on campus. Frances Doane is president of Dalhousie Girls' Athletic Club, and Isabel Russell is president of Shirreff Hall Women's Residence House Committee.

Again this year the chapter offered a scholarship to a freshette entering Dalhousie. The intention is to raise sufficient money during the winter to continue the project another year.

Rushing parties this year were of a somewhat different type than those of previous years because of a new Pan-hellenic ruling permitting freshette rushing. The chapter enjoyed a visit from Lucile Douglass Carson, the Grand Secretary, in October.

BERYL BEATTEAY

### MAINE ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MAINE

Chartered, 1920

The fall semester found Maine A's busy once again with campus activities. With the coming of the freshmen to the campus, Sophomore Eagles Evelyn Green, Mary Jean McIntire, Ida Moreshead, and Frances Litvinowich were very much in evidence with their blue skirts, white sweaters, and the blue stars on their foreheads. Elected last spring, the Eagles do much to make the freshman girls feel at home and to familiarize them with the Maine spirit and traditions.

Ann Dibblee was in charge of the Freshman Picnic, a long established tradition here. Held at the field house on October 30, it was the first organized function in which upperclassmen and freshmen could meet and become acquainted. Shirley Johnson and Caroline Strong were also on the committee; Phyllis Osgood Boutittier took part in the evening's entertainment.

Beverly Artus, Barbara Richardson, and Olive Cline were on the committee for the Home Economics Club Stag Dance which was held at the Memorial Gym at the opening of school.

At an open house and reception of the Maine Masque Theatre held October 4, Ann Cutts, a newly initiated member of the organization served. A tour of the theatre and a play rounded out the evening.

At a recent meeting of the All Maine Women, Barbara Richardson was elected as secretary and Caroline Strong as treasurer of the organization.

All officers and chairmen of Women's organizations on campus participated in the Women's Leadership Conference in October. A luncheon meeting at Balentine Hall with Mrs. Carol Butler, a woman prominent in civic affairs in Bangor, as guest speaker, initiated the conference activities. Seminar and discussion groups were held on "Leadership Techniques," "Stimulating the Attitude of Learning to do a better job," and "The Meaning of Leadership" with adult and student leaders.

Shirley Johnson is head cheerleader, Phyllis Osgood

Boutittier is vice-president of the WAA, and Shirley Johnson is president of the Phys Ed Club. Ann Dibblee has been made a member of K Δ II, the honorary fraternity for the School of Education.

Olive Cline, Lois Coffin, Hilda Livingston, Beverly Spencer, Gloria Fisher, and Shirley Johnson attended a meeting of the alumnae club October 4 at the home of Mrs. Helen Buzzell in Old Town. At the meeting, conducted by Mrs. Phyllis White Bartlett, plans for closer cooperation between the actives and the alumnae were discussed. A joint Tea and Arrowcraft Sale was held October 14.

OLIVE E. CLINE

### VERMONT ALPHA—MIDDLEBURY COLLEGE

Chartered, 1893

Pledge Day, November 13, 1949

INITIATED, September 30, 1949: Alice Hildreth, Portland, Me.; D. Jacqueline Kay, New Rochelle, N.Y.; Tatania Russell, Woodstock; Mary Louise Thayer, Swarthmore, Pa.

Junior Weekend came at the end of spring term with the crowning of the Junior Queen, the formal ball, Step-Singing, and numerous other functions. Meg Fohring and Nancy Vogt were both in the court, and Vermont A's emitted a loud and joyful "huzzza" when Nancy was crowned queen! Everybody congregated in front of Chapel for the annual Step-Singing. At this time the various classes pool their efforts and voices, and sing original songs written by members of their group. Butch Thayer led the Freshman Class.

Came the end of June—then exams—and then a beautiful graduation. Mary Hosford was Valedictorian of her class, and both she and Pat McFarland were Φ B K's. Virginia Anthony, Jean Holmberg, and Ann Holt graduated Cum Laude.

Before vacation the ceiling of the sorority rooms had been redone (with sound-proofing) by the college, the walls had been newly papered and all the woodwork repainted. This fall the chapter decided to call in an interior decorator and before long Vermont A will be able to boast of a very "chic" set of rooms.

Just before returning to school, Kathy Pell and Janie Murdock went to the Province Convention in Burlington. They came back full of enthusiasm and with reports of a most wonderful couple of days spent with the other Alpha East delegates.

With the beginning of the new school year Kathy Pell took over the job of treasurer of the Sailing Club; Marilyn Murphy became vice-president of the Student Union, the organization governing the Women's College, and also the social chairman of the Newman Club, one of the religious organizations on campus; Barbara Lukens was elected vice-president of the Women's Athletic Association; Anne Drysdale became associate business manager of the *Campus*, the college weekly paper; Shar Iliff became an assistant editor of the *Campus*; Mary Krum became social chairman of the Women's Forum; and Jane Murdock became business manager of *Frontiers*, the college magazine.

Acting as House Presidents are Carolyn Sackett and Barb Lukens. Carol Osborn is now one of the five woman cheerleaders.

ELLEN HIGHT

### VERMONT BETA—UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT

Chartered, November 24, 1898

INITIATED, March 28, 1949: Nancy Bachman, Buffalo, N.Y. Nancy Stell, Newark, N.Y.

Initiated, April 30, 1949: Janet Beardslee, Buffalo, N.Y.; Jane Cook, Martha McMamara, Sylvia Heinger, Harriet Carlton, Constance Stone, Burlington; Patricia Davison, Morrisville; Shirley Hakewessell, Caldwell, N.J.; Sarah

Hallagan, Newark, N.Y.; Barbara Hayden, Barre; Ruth Huntsman, Montpelier; Sally Jackson, Winchester, Mass.; Nancy Leming, N. Chevy Chase, Md.; Joan Mckerley, Rutland; Jeanne Newmeyer, Washington, D.C.; Florence Parker, Morrisville; Norma Shangraw Griffin, St. Albans; Ruth Shaw, Verona, N.J.; Barbara Ann White, Warner, N. H.

A formal banquet was held at the Hotel Vermont following the initiation ceremony. Representatives of each class and an alumna gave short speeches on the significance of the arrow badge and guard.

Patricia Davison was chosen queen of the annual Military Ball and Martha Atwood received the Portland award for outstanding sophomore of Alpha East province.

May elections to the honoraries were announced at the Founders' Day ceremonies. Jean Ritchie, Betsy Bigelow Bouton and Katherine Kidder McKee were elected to Mortar Board. Five Vermont B's were elected to the junior women's honorary society, Staff and Sandal, seven were chosen as Sophomore Aides, and two were elected to All Sports. Mary Ellen Fuller made T K A, the debating society, and Beverly Hillman was elected to  $\Sigma \Xi$  and  $\Phi \beta \kappa$ .

The Pi Beta Phi float for the Junior Week Parade proved to be quite a sensational fiasco. It fell apart before it reached the judging stands, and a photographer took a picture of it for the *Boston Globe*. Theme: float representing the play, "You Can't Take It With You."

Shortly after Junior Week on May 18, Vermont B sang its way to first place in the interfraternity-intersorority sing. "Arrow So Golden" and "Schubert's Serenade" were the winning melodies.

The Friday before Decoration Day the chapter held its spring formal at the Country Club. June and commencement followed and the summer began with a score of Pi Beta Phi weddings.

Priscilla Hale went abroad in July with the Foreign Study Program, a project sponsored by the University of Vermont. She kept a most interesting diary of her experiences.

During the summer the Alumnae Club redecorated several parts of the house. They also presented the chapter with a beautiful dining room rug.

The presidents' work shop of Alpha East province was held at the chapter house September 9-11, the week preceding the opening of school. Besides extensive work and discussion on current fraternity topics, the group enjoyed some sight-seeing and a ride up the chair lift at Mount Mansfield.

The construction of two new agricultural buildings was completed this month. Their completion will greatly ease the previously crowded classroom conditions.

Two new local fraternal societies have been organized on the Vermont Campus. The fraternities are X E Z for the men and K X K for the women. Panhellenic is giving the new sorority strong support for they are planning to participate in the formal rushing season beginning the end of October. Each sorority on campus has volunteered two of its outstanding actives to render aid in making this project successful.

The Grand Secretary, Mrs. Carson visited Vermont B in the beginning of November. The chapter greatly enjoyed her visit.

PLEGDED: April 12, 1949 Mary Ellen Leukowicz,  
MAUD LOUISE MESON

## MASSACHUSETTS ALPHA—BOSTON UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1896

Pledge Day, April 27, 1949

INITIATED, April 20, 1949: Joy Brill, Barbara Cameron, Maryclare Lingenfelter, Jean Nickerson, Shirley Perkins.

Everyone was surprised to see the progress made on the new campus during the summer. The School of Theology is now in use and the Chapel is well under way. It is expected it will be finished by second semester.

The house party on the Cape at the beginning of the summer was a huge success. Everyone that went is still talking about it.

Girls who made the Dean's list were Jean MacKenzie, Harriet Menides, Jean Nickerson, Stella Tamke and Ann West.

Gloria Curelli went to the Miss America contest in Atlantic City as Miss Massachusetts.

Betty Kirby and Aline Bangsberg attended the Province Presidents' Conference in Middlebury, Vermont this summer.

Boston University's football team has great expectations for the coming year. They won the first game of the year against Syracuse.

A big Rally was held before the first home game, on October 14th. Before the dance there was a torch-light parade in which most of the fraternities and other organizations entered floats.

Following a new system, rushing began a month later than usual this year in order to have a longer acquaintance period.

Rushing started on October 31 and ended November 18.

PLEGDED, April 27, 1949: Edwina Bacigallupo, Zabelle Dohanian.

ANN WEST

## MASSACHUSETTS BETA—UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS

Chartered, 1944

Pledge Day, October 3, 1949.

INITIATED, March 12, 1949: Muriel Aldrich, Ashland; Mary Breen, Southbridge; Joan Cleary, Melrose; Irene Finan, Barre; Dorothy Fortin, Adams; Betsy Goding, Amherst; Anne Guba, Waltham; Mae-Louise Jezyk, Northampton; Merle Kendall, South Hadley; Regina Lawlor, North Brookfield; Joan Lundberg, Dona Mayo, Framingham Center; Polly Mayer, Sherborn; Catherine Romano, Fitchburg; Mildred Seher, Westfield; Claire Shaylor, Agawam; Helen Woloshyn, Walpole; Evelyn Yeutter, Pepperell.

For the first time in several years formal gowns were worn at the senior banquet held last May and everyone was much pleased with the effect thus created. Sixteen seniors bade farewell to the chapter and presented the house with a lovely lace tablecloth for use in future rush parties and teas.

September found the undergraduates hurrying back full of enthusiasm to a campus more crowded than ever. A freshman class of 600 entered a university which now offers new opportunities socially and academically. Twenty-two courses have been added to the curricula of the various departments and fifty-nine members have been added to the teaching staff in order to accommodate the new high of almost 4,000 students. Several dormitories and classroom buildings have been completed or will be ready for use in the near future.

$\Sigma \Phi \Xi$ , reorganized on campus last year, has acquired a huge new chapter house. They have been working on it since mid-summer and have now reached the point where a woman's touch is all that's needed to complete the job. The Pi Beta Phi's have offered to supply the helping hand, and already the Chi Omegas have promised to make the draperies. This is their way of showing gratitude to the  $\Sigma \Phi \Xi$ 's for their help last spring when the Chi Omega house had a fire. Not only the  $\Sigma \Phi \Xi$ 's, but all the other Greek organizations on campus pitched in to help clean up the damaged house and relocate the people whose rooms were really burned out.

Massachusetts B's hold many important positions on campus. There are six proctors, two of them dormitory chairmen, a member of Isogon, two Scrolls, and a member of the judiciary board in the house. Nearly one third of the drill team members are Pi Beta Phi's, and on the cheering squad there are four energetic members giving their all to every play.

The spirit at the football games this year is enthusiasm plus. The rallies have been the best ever, and the games have been all anyone could hope for. Everyone went wild when the team won its second game with a score of 54-0.

PLEGDED, October 3, 1949: Patricia Read, Arlington; Dolores Rego, New Bedford; Ruth Rounsevell, New Bedford, October 7, 1949: Joan Conlin, Fall River; Joy White, Auburn.

JEAN SMALL

## CONNECTICUT ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT

Chartered, April 10, 1943

Pledge Day, October 18, 1949

INITIATED, October 1, 1949: Margaret Cardwell, New Haven; Judith Hart, Bridgeport; Jean L. Monast, Helen Stiles, Manchester.

"Did you hear that steam shovel operating at six o'clock this morning?"

Such might well be a question one would hear at the Pi Beta Phi House this fall because excavation, building, and landscaping efforts are everywhere in evidence on the University campus.

The construction of a quadrangle of sorority houses is underway and the new North Campus Dining Hall had its official opening October 10.

On October 28-30 a chapter of Mortar Board was installed. Three of the eight members of the Laurels, the local honorary group who have been seeking this affiliation for some time, are Ora Belle Holdridge, Adelle Wadhams, and Margaret Murray.

The 1949 Student Handbook for freshmen was largely written and assembled by Jane Weber. Much credit has been given her by the University faculty because this handbook far surpasses those of other years in its original and unique interpretation of college policies, activities, and traditions.

Jane is also kept busy at the *Campus* newspaper office

as Advertising Manager. Others on the *Campus* Business Staff are Betty Fischer, Office Manager, and Iris Kimble, Circulation Manager.

Miss Wilma Keyes, a member of the Alumnae Advisory Committee, and Miss Edith McComb returned to campus after an extended trip to the British Isles, Italy, France, and the Low Countries. Both are professors in the School of Home Economics.

Among the souvenirs which they brought back was a beautiful hat from Paris which was the prize awarded for

the most original, homemade chapeau worn to the first University Home Economics Club meeting on October 17.

For the first time since before the war, the University has opened its doors to out of state students this year and welcome is being extended to girls from Washington, D.C., Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Maine, and to one girl from Florida.

PLEGGED: Jane Brown, East Haven; Marion Dixon, Manchester.

MARGARET A. MURRAY

## ALPHA PROVINCE WEST

### NEW YORK ALPHA—SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1896

Pledge Day, March 21, 1949

INITIATED, March 26, 1949: Barbara Allan, Termyn, Pa.; Jimmie Clemons, Blythville, Ark.; Sylvia Doble, Hingham, Mass.; Janet Fox, Lyme, N.H.; Elizabeth Hutchings, Syracuse; Marilyn John Delmar; Mary Ogden, Winnetka, Ill.; Nancy Rankin, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Madeline Stewart, Newton Centre, Mass.; Jeanne Woodruff, Newton, Mass.

During the spring term administration officials, faculty, alumnae, and students of Syracuse University began an extensive program for raising funds so badly needed for a new women's gym, dormitories student union, and many other buildings. Theresa Ann Howard was chosen student co-chairman and many other New York A's aided her in canvassing the campus and city. "The Fieldhouse Foundation," as the drive was nicknamed, was incorporated into the Spring Weekend theme "The Gold Rush of '49," and gained much publicity through an article written in *Life* magazine on the festivities of the weekend. Members of New York A were surprised to see one of the pictures used in the article was taken of the girls and chapter house when they were building the float "The Pyramid Club" in preparation for the float parade.

The chapter was pleased to receive the second award in the Panhellenic Achievement Cup based on participation in activities and improvement of scholarship. It was the first time the cup was awarded at Syracuse.

During spring semester Beverly Strong was elected co-chairman of senior guides and regional chairman of NSA; Dorothy Wyson and Mary Ogden were elected to the WAA Board, Jean Maxwell to the Red Cross Board, and Dorothy Wyson to a junior clerk position. Theresa Ann Howard was appointed executive secretary of Regulations Board making her a senior officer of WSG, and Jean Maxwell was chosen chairman of upper class guides. Beverly Strong was pledged to H II T, senior women's honorary, Phyllis Ratzburg to Ψ X (psychology), Mary Ogden to Θ Σ Φ (journalism), and Joanne Dixon to T Σ Δ (architecture and allied arts) and A Ξ A (design).

Highlighting the social calendar was an exchange song fest with K A Θ, a softball game (won by Pi Beta Phi) and buffet supper with A Φ, a beautiful spring formal at the Syracuse Yacht Club, and a senior breakfast given in honor of the graduating seniors and those girls who were to be married during the summer.

This fall, for the first time in many years, freshmen were asked to come to college several days early so that they might become acquainted with the university and avoid feeling completely lost in the "sea of upperclassmen." They were also asked to purchase the traditional orange lids, and for the first few days the entire campus was dotted with bobbing orange caps; today they are rarely seen. Helping in the orientation program were Phyllis Ratzburg and Mary Copeland, senior guides; Tillyann Credendino and Janet Fox, junior guides; and Madeline Stewart, Elizabeth Hutchings, Nancy Rankin, Marilyn John, and Joyce Brown on the Traditions Commission. A change in administration also occurred this fall when Miss Eunice Hilton became the Dean of the College of Home Economics and Miss Marjory Smith became Dean of Women.

New York A's are taking up interior decorating in their spare time and have undertaken a remarkable job. New slip covers, lampshades, pillows, a mirror, and lights have been added to the second floor smoker while the third floor smoker has been entirely painted and will likewise have new furnishings.

Rushing began on September 24 and continued for five weeks. Parties included two open houses, an informal, a costume and a formal.

PLEGGED: Elizabeth Cromartie, Syracuse; Carol Downey, Hingham, Mass.

MARY COPELAND



### NEW YORK GAMMA—ST. LAWRENCE UNIVERSITY

Chartered, March 20, 1914

Pledge Day, November 20, 1949

INITIATED, March 21, 1949: Evelyn Benson, West Englewood, N.J.; Sybil Chatham, Endicott; Joanne Chequer, Speculator; Patricia Chipp, Rochester; Jacqueline Falip, Paris, France; Anita Hamada, Glen Head; Martha McCadam, Ogdensburg; Lillian Meinholz, Garden City; Kim Rollins, New York; Joanne VanNoppen, Larchmont.

Highlighting the advent of a new school semester was the erection of the new chapter house—a project which has been the dream of many actives and alumnae for years. The house is the first to be built on Fraternity Row—a spacious tract of land where it is hoped every fraternity and sorority will eventually build. The house is brick of English Colonial design, and will very comfortably house thirty-two girls. The chapter feels deeply indebted to Mrs. Slifer, the province president, the alumnae and all others who have so generously helped.

The weekend of October 7 marked the first Homecoming Weekend of St. Lawrence. It was truly an exciting one! Two anniversaries were given recognition during the weekend. One was the 90th anniversary of the College of Letters and Sciences and the other was the Golden Anniversary of the St. Lawrence Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa. New York alumnae were entertained at the chapter house after the football game. Highlights of the weekend were a large barbecue, which was attended by approximately 2,500 students and alumni; a Dinner of Champions, a tribute to all those who have personally contributed to the advancement of athletics and good sportsmanship on campus; and a Laurentian Dance and songfest. During the weekend a campaign was launched to raise money for a much needed athletic arena which is to include a hockey rink, an indoor track, and possibly a swimming pool.

Maryann Haas portrayed the part of Miss Ronberry in the production "The Corn is Green." This was Maryann's first appearance in a major role and she did a truly splendid job. Nancy Dee and Phyllis Failing were tapped last Moving Up Day for membership into Kilon which is the highest undergraduate honor for women students.

Several positions on the staff of the *Laurentian*, student talent magazine, were acquired by New York I's. Maryann Haas is the managing editor, Barbara Leonard, assisting managing editor, and Phyllis Richards is copy editor.

Theresa Howard was the recipient of the junior award in the field of sports, given each year to the junior who is considered to be all around in sports and sportsmanship.

This year is well on its way to being a wonderful year and New York I's are all greatly anticipating living in the new house.

PLEGGED: Barbara Blaisdell, Long Branch, N.J.; Muriel Gunthorpe, Brooklyn; Harriet Perkins, Utica; Peggy Over, Wayne, Pa.

ALICE MARIE WILSON

### NEW YORK DELTA—CORNELL UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1919

Pledge Day, March, 1950

INITIATED, May 1, 1949: Florence Ball, Mary Bell, Mary Bradley, Mary Caughlin, Dorothy Crozier, Terrill Duke, Jane Humphreys, Beverly Johnson, Joyce Keller, Elsie Lawrey, Margaret Mara, Lois Murray, Jessie Polson, Mary Shear, Connie Soelle, Nancy Ladd, Eleanor Thim, Nancy Convery, Suzanne Taylor, Jean Sprott, Betty Walt.

With enthusiastic anticipation of a successful year to follow, New York Δ's returned to Cornell on September 20. Many noticeable changes had taken place since the last chapter meeting in May. Pi Phi regret the resignation of University President Edmund Day. The new Statler Hall for the Hotel School was no longer a skeleton of steel growing from a muddy foundation, but an attractive brick and flagstone addition to the campus. Twenty-two New York Δ's

graduated in June, and several others left school to be married.

New York Δ's recall a very active and successful Spring term. Virginia Steele won the Amy Burnham Onken Award for the Alpha West Province. Raven and Serpent elected Louise Squire to membership. In April, New York Δ participated with all women's fraternities in two progressive dinners, which resulted in closer understanding among the houses. Jackie Fulton assumed her new duties as president of Panhellenic Council and a member of Student Council.

After pledging, the whole chapter entertained the twenty-two pledges at a dinner, with much singing and true Pi Phi enthusiasm. The annual pledge formal was held in Clara Dickson Hall. On May 1, twenty-two new members were initiated, followed by the Initiation banquet at Fountainebleau, on Lake Kayutah.

Social activities included a Sunday afternoon tea for faculty members, several open houses and parties, exchange dinners with neighbors A I P and T K E, and an afternoon picnic and softball game with A I P.

Pi Phis have plans to make this year another of worthwhile activity. The chapter house is greatly improved—girls have painted rooms, the smoking room was re-decorated, a new coffee urn supplies hot coffee at all times, and an automatic washing machine and clothes dryer are to be installed.

A tea was held on September 25 in honor of Mrs. Marie Farrar New York A, the new chaperone, who has three Pi Phi daughters. Pat Carey, house president, has joined the chapter again after spending her Junior year studying in Paris.

Several of last year's successful money-raising schemes for the new house fund will be repeated. Pi Phis enjoyed the profitable experience of holding a rummage sale, a cake sale, and selling Christmas cards. Another of last year's ideas to be continued is the *Arrow Tip*, a news-letter to New York Delta alumnae.

RUTH GOTTSALL



## ONTARIO BETA—UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN ONTARIO

Chartered, October 29, 1934  
Pledge Day, October 6, 1949

The first event of the Fall term was the pledging of fifteen girls after which a coke party was held to welcome them as pledges of Ontario B.

Mrs. L. W. Sipherd, Director of Rushing and Pledge Training and former Province President of Alpha West, entertained the chapter and the alumnae club at a very enjoyable party at her country home. Many Pi Beta Phi songs were sung and the girls enjoyed meeting again after the summer.

The members were very glad to have Mrs. George Slifer, Province President, visit them. A reception was given in her honor on October 14. The presidents and two representatives of the other two women's fraternities on the campus were invited to meet Mrs. Slifer and the new Chaperon, Mrs. Mary O'Brien.

The chapter has been very busy collecting old woolen garments and blankets to be made into crib blankets for The Children's Hospital.

The members are grateful to the House Corporation for the fine decoration done in two of the halls, the stairways, and a bedroom of the house.

Janice Edwards and Ruth Moffatt have led the cheering at the rugby games this season and aroused enthusiasm at the Pep Rallies before the big games.

On November 6 a Freshette Tea was held at the Pi Beta Phi House to welcome new girls to the campus. The actives and pledges were happy to meet these girls and many friendships were formed.

PLEGGED: Beverly Coons, Hamilton; Mary Ann Rimmer, Kingston; Ruth Blezard, Mary Holtby, Moira Mosher, Patricia Moore, Barbara Saylor, Donald Williams, London; Helen Carey, Muirkirk; June Taylor, St. Catharines; Helen Schweitzer, St. Thomas; Cynthia Clark, Anne Thoburn, Toronto; Jean Macdonald, Carol Gregory, Windsor.

EILEEN PEDERSEN

## BETA PROVINCE

### PENNSYLVANIA BETA—BUCKNELL UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1875

INITIATED, April 24, 1949: Elizabeth Bryant, Swarthmore; Anne Buswell, River Edge; Dorothy Fairchild, Montandon; Louise Fowle, Lewisburg; Catherine Hill, Cranford; Carolyn Knies, Bethlehem; Lois Lehr, Elkins Park; Frances Locher, Abington; Patricia McAllister, Coatesville; Elizabeth Myers, Ridgewood; Jacqueline Thompson, Middleburg; Marilyn Warner, Oakmont.

With President Hildreth as a newcomer on the Bucknell University campus, the school has eagerly begun a new semester. There have been many gala social functions welcoming the new President and his family. The large freshman class has brought with it much school spirit, which was exhibited at the first football game.

Pennsylvania B has been busy with its new ideas for the fall rushing season. Song rehearsals are being held, the suite has been painted and decorated, and plans are underway for the skits which are to be given during rushing.

Eleanor Leiper has been elected president of the Women's Student Government Association, and Doris Wellenkamp is president of Honor Council. Ann Cooper, Jean Baily, and Elizabeth Mather are members of Senate and Mary Jane Riley is a member of the House of Representatives.

Janet Woods and Elizabeth Mather have been chosen to be freshman counsellors. Doris Wellenkamp, Eleanor Leiper, and Carol Van Alen are members of Mortar Board and are living in Honor House. Among the officers of the various dormitories are Barbara Kaiser, Carolyn Knies, Marianne Colville, and Lois Lehr.

Genevieve Fowle, who was chosen to be one of the five *L'Agenda* queens, was honored this summer as one of the fifteen girls in the country to receive the graduate Danforth fellowship.

The chapter was inspired this fall by a report given by Mary Ann Shimer who attended the Presidents' Conference. Many new songs and ideas were noted for the coming year.

ELIZABETH ANN KOCH



### PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA—DICKINSON COLLEGE

Chartered, 1903

Pledge Day, September 25, 1949

INITIATED, October 2, 1949: Barbara Barnitz, Carlisle; Elizabeth Keller, Harrisburg; Mary Elizabeth Peterson, Sharon, Conn.; Elizabeth Shriver, Baltimore, Md.

Pennsylvania Γ was awarded the Song Fest Cup for winning first place in the interfraternity singing contest held during Panhellenic Weekend last April. The chapter is very grateful to Margaret Valentine who directed the preparation for the event.

Dickinson College interests next turned to a survey tour of Israel by President William W. Edel in May. The party of which Dr. Edel was a member had its headquarters at Tel Aviv, and from there visited numerous parts of the country to inspect the new agricultural developments. A trip to the Weizmann Institute for scientific research at Rehovath was one of the highlights of the tour.

Ethel Peterson and Lois Jane Barnard were elected to Wheel and Chain, the honorary society for senior women, and Margaret Valentine was elected to T Δ II, the honorary dramatic fraternity. Commencement exercises brought additional honors to Pennsylvania Γ when Jane Jackson was elected to Φ B K and Marilyn Unger and Joyce Ingham were given awards for outstanding work as freshmen.

When Dickinson opened on September 12, the students welcomed a new Dean of Women, Miss Phoebe G. Follmer, appointed to replace Mrs. Helen B. Norcross who resigned last June. Both Mrs. Norcross and Dean Follmer are alumnae of Pi Beta Phi.

A record enrollment of 993 students helped to increase the usual bustle of rushing. For the evening parties the chapter developed a "Forty-Niner" theme and recaptured the spirit of the gold rush days with a clever skit and the motto "Strike it rich with Pi Phi." Pledging was followed by an informal party given by Mrs. Ritter, one of the alumnae advisors.

PLEGGED: Eleanor Landis, Caroline Thomas, Azalea Snoddy, Ann Prescott, Harrisburg; Rene Conrad, Elizabeth Bishop, Camp Hill; Barbara Barr, Joan Hambleton, Lancaster; Jessie Hubbard, Moorestown, N.J.; Nancy Hawley, Somerville, N.J.; Elizabeth Middleton, Merchantville, N.J.;



Patricia Haddock, Wilmington, Del.; Shirley Chace, Tuckahoe, N.Y.; Harriet Lane, New Rochelle, N.Y.; Carolyn Kahle, Cazenovia, N.Y.

MARJORIE J. FLUENT

### OHIO ALPHA—OHIO UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1889

Pledge Day, September 26, 1949

INITIATED, October 7, 1949: Sarah Fisher, Jane Hamilton, Athens; Mary Ann Hills, Cleveland; Anne Preston, Nelsonville; Patricia Karr, Pomeroy.

Ohio A opened the 1949-1950 season with six days of rushing. Several parties were given, among them a new "circus party" and the traditional "hotel party."

After initiation on October 7, 1949, the actives gave a "pajama party" for the new initiates.

Ohio University brought to its campus this semester a new dean of women, Mrs. Leona Wise Felsted. Mrs. Felsted was introduced to the women on campus at a reception given in her honor by the Women's League, on October 9. On the following day the chapter gave a tea for its new housemother, Mrs. A. C. Herold.

Anne Routsong, was again director of Prep Follies, the annual production of all the women's fraternity pledges, and was chosen for the leading feminine role in the University Theater production of "John Loves Mary."

The annual football game between  $\Pi \Phi \Phi$  and  $A \Sigma \Delta$  was held on October 30. The proceeds from the game were again donated to the National Cancer Fund. After the game the  $\Theta X$ 's entertained the contestants at a party, the climax of which was the presentation of a trophy to the winning team.

Ohio University celebrated Homecoming on November 5. There was a parade of floats in the morning, a Homecoming Queen was selected, and in the evening a Victory Dance was held in the Men's Gym.

The chapter's first semester formal is slated for December 10, in the ballroom of the Berry Hotel. The theme of the dance, a New Year's Eve party, will be carried out with the traditional streamers, confetti, and various kinds of noise-makers.

PLEGDED: Jean Baird, Bonnie Herron, Karen Link, Margaret Scott, Jean Vance, Athens; Marjorie Cornish, Susie Geiler, Millie Ann Meyer, Dayton; Hertha Sifers, Patricia Duggan, Cincinnati; Mickey Dineen, Columbus; Carol Steele, Bay Village; Donna Alexander, Rocky River; Joy Mann, Beaver Creek; Beverly Brainard, East Orange, N.J.; Louise Price, Lanikai, Oahu T.H.

DIANA D. GALBREATH

Heights: Joan Morris, Euclid; Barbara Rose, Dublin; Anne Tittle, Sandusky.

NANCY ANN KRIEG

### OHIO DELTA—OHIO WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1925

Pledge Day, February, 1950

INITIATED, October 10, 1949: Marilyn Banker, Phyllis Hazelwood, Middleton; Dolores Borland, Detroit, Mich.; Joanne Murray, Carrollton.

Construction is in full swing on the Ohio Wesleyan University campus. Monnett Hall, a women's dormitory, is being provided with fireproof stairways as also is Elliott Hall, the education building, and Gray Chapel. A new student union building, complete with bowling alleys, is being erected across the street from the main campus.

The chapter house is also in the process of construction. Ohio  $\Delta$ 's new home will be complete in every detail from fluorescent lighting, to picture windows, to a dumbwaiter. Gray shingled with white trimming, its patio and large living room will provide ample dancing space. The basement will house a recreation room, with an inviting fireplace, and a large chapter room. This project, begun in August, should be completed sometime in January.

Last spring Joyce Bohyer was elected vice-president of the student body and won second place in the Women's National Oratory Contest. Appointed to student body committees were Barbara Hush, Peg Bender, Kay Parker, Barbara Kattenhorn, Ruth Fangman, and Sylvia Schweiker.

On Mortar Board tap day three of the eight honored were Joyce Bohyer, Peg Bender, and Mary Nouse.

WRA board claimed four of the chapter members when Jo Bolinger was made treasurer; Jane Anderson, badminton head; Dotty Turnbull, archery head; and Ruth Fangman, publicity head. The WRA sorority baseball cup was also won by Ohio  $\Delta$  athletes.

Members of the YWCA cabinet for 1949-50 are Barbara Brumbaugh, Jo Young, and Suzie Mutersbaugh. Red Cross chose Peggy Murphy and Dodi Kuck to head the Chillicothe and Girl's Industrial School projects, respectively.

With rushing held in the second semester this year for the first time, Cheryl Bastian, Pan-Hellenic president, seems to have her work cut out for her. Kay Parker, as president of Austin Hall, wields the gavel at all house meetings, while Phyllis Wiborg is treasurer of Monnett Hall.

Peg Bender, will conduct the Campus Chest Drive in the capacity of co-chairman and also has the job of senior advisor in Stuyvesant Hall, freshman women's dormitory.

AWS, the women's student governing board, receives suggestions and approvals from Peggy Murphy, treasurer; Ruth Fangman, junior representative; Betsy Baldwin, sophomore representative; and Kay Parker, Austin Hall president.

A new member of  $\Delta \Phi \Delta$ , art honorary, is Marge Forth. Emily LaBarre and Mary Agle were initiated in  $\Phi T O$ , home-economic honorary. A Pi Phi track queen last spring was Marilyn Jones.

Ohio  $\Delta$ 's won the Sulphur Swing Trophy in April for their booth portraying "The Night Life of The Gods." Morphus was seen counting sheep which jumped over a wooden fence.

RUTH FANGMAN

### OHIO BETA—OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1894

Pledge Day, October 5, 1949

INITIATED, April 30, 1949: Dorothy Brush, Marilyn Crumley, Joan Furgason, Diana Gosner, Barbara Guy, Constance Harler, Janice Klages, Jo Ann Nida, Suzanne Rector, Columbus; Jean Anne Burcky, Bluffton; Louise Howenstein, Lima; Barbara Hubbard, Manchester, Conn.; Margaret McCurdy, Zanesville; Mary Mohart, Joan Murar, Cleveland; Nancy Shuman, Lakewood; Jacqueline Waite, Rocky River.

On May 14 actives and alumnae of Ohio B had the privilege of being hostesses to Pi Beta Phis from all over Ohio in observation of State Day. The chapter was particularly honored to entertain Marianne Reid Wild, Grand Vice-President; Jean Haller Gustkey, Beta Province President; and Mary Wallihan Gibson, of the Cleveland East Alumnae Club, who spoke of plans for the Pi Phi alumnae home.

During May Week Mirrors, sophomore honorary, selected Marilyn, Crumley, Diana Gosner, Barbara Guy, Joan Murar and Sue Rector for membership. Louise Fallon, Nancy Ann Krieg, and Janet Monahan joined Chimes, junior honorary; and Jean Ann Mitchell was tapped for Mortar Board.

The series of rush parties began on September 23 with open houses, followed during the next week with a coke party, a football party, the traditional Heaven party based on the songs, "A Pi Phi Is an Angel in Disguise," and ended on October 2 with the Pi Phi Wedding.

PLEGDED: Barbara Andrix, Paula Edwards, Regina Evans, Margaret Gingham, Marilyn Given, Nancy Hill, Joan Hullfish, Beverly Klunk, Katherine Montgomery, Nancy Nafzger, Marilyn Rhodes, Gloria Seelig, Janet Weir, Barbara Wise, Columbus; Elizabeth Adams, East Palestine; Claire Campbell, Washington Court House; Ruth Dunlap, Chillicothe; Carol Fuller, Mary Frances Herschede, Cincinnati; Anne Gabel, Piqua; Martha Gephart, K. Janet Hawk, Patricia Hewitt, Dayton; Harriette Harris, Martins Ferry; Margaret Johnston, Westerville; Marilyn Kauff, Maumee; Mary Jane Krieg, Nelsonville; Georgia Martin, Urbana; Jane Moriarty, Shaker

### OHIO EPSILON—UNIVERSITY OF TOLEDO

Chartered, April 2, 1945

Pledge Day, March, 1950

INITIATED, October 2, 1949: Carolyn Sue Bittick, Nancy Louise Conklin, Dorothy Edna Fash, Renee Glennon, Jean Catherine Held, Marcia Luther, Beulah Jean Markhus, Anne Marie Seufert, Nancy Jean Sloan, Patricia Valois.

The enrollment of day students at the University is 3,520, a decrease from last year.

During freshman week, the YMCA and YWCA held a dance in the parking lot to assist the freshmen in becoming acquainted with University life.

Ohio E was honored to have Mrs. Gustkey, Beta Province President visit in March. A luncheon, in her honor, was held in the apartment.

Also in March,  $\Phi K X$  entertained the actives and pledges at a party in their fraternity house. Pat DeViney, Glass Bowl Queen, and Barbara Riblet, runner-up, were each presented with a miniature loving cup.

At the end of March a tea was given by the actives to introduce the pledges to Mrs. Wilber W. White, wife of the University's president.

The annual Mother and Daughter banquet was held in April at the Toledo Women's Club.

On April 8, Mary Pat Duffey was hostess for a slumber party honoring the pledges.

Nancy Butler was co-chairman of the annual Women's

Songfest, which is sponsored by Peppers, women's honorary, on April 22. The chapter sang "Pale Moon" and "The Symphony." At this time Marianne Chambers and Agnes Kaiser were chosen for Peppers.

The members entertained their parents at a party in the Student Union on April 26. A community sing was the big attraction.

Founders' Day was celebrated with the Alumnae as in the past. Anne Guthrie, California A, was guest speaker.

May 14 was a busy day for the Pi Phis. State Day was held in Columbus and the delegates came back with many suggestions for the chapter. That evening the annual Spring Dance was held at the "Top of the Marks." Nancy Gilmore was chairman of the affair.

The Senior Breakfast and Farewell was held at the Maumee River Yacht Club on May 21.

For a final get-together before spending a week at Lake James in Indiana, Ohio E had a roast at the home of Mary Spieker.

Marianne Chambers, who represented Ohio E at the president's workshop in Wheeling, West Virginia this summer, came back with many new ideas which have proved to be very helpful in making plans for the fall term.

MARY SPIEKER

### OHIO ZETA—MIAMI UNIVERSITY

Chartered, May 11, 1945  
Pledge Day, October 6, 1949

INITIATED, September 18, 1949: Susan Ertel, Nancy Getter, Joanne Wallace, Dayton; Carol Anderson, South Bend, Ind.; Margaret Penland, Richmond, Ind.; Patricia Crays, Rockville, Ind.; Carolyn McKee, Delpha Dutton, Patricia Rupert, Lakewood; Doris Dreger, Fairview Park; Joanne Jenkins, Canton; Ann McDaniel, Marion; Macy Francy, Toronto; Eleanor Lee Priest, Troy; Joanne Ramsey, Oxford; Mary Lou Thrasher, Bellevue; Norine Bennett, Cleveland; R. Elizabeth Crabbe, Cincinnati.

The spring found the chapter busy with various activities. The YWCA and Panhellenic Council sponsored Anne Gurthrie, California A for an assembly, May 5 and the chapter honored her with a tea afterwards.

On May Day, Marjorie Wagner, Carolyn Edwards and Miriam Thrall were tapped for Mortar Board, and Marjorie was elected secretary and Miriam, president. Joanne Wallace, Carol Anderson and Ann McDaniel, elected treasurer, were chosen to Cwen, sophomore women's honorary. Joanne and Ann are counselors in addition to Carolyn Freed, Margaret Penland and Patricia Jones.

Margaret Dennison was awarded the  $\Phi$  B K Junior Scholarship for having the highest sophomore cumulative average for the college. Her sister, Ellen Dennison was chosen alumni Secretary for the class of 1949.

The little sisters surprised their big sisters by a dawn hike and breakfast, April 23. On the weekend of May 8, the members entertained their mothers, giving up their dormitory beds and sleeping on the floor. The Mothers Club in return surprised the girls with a chest of silver.

The Chapter was very proud to be awarded the Nita Stark History Cup. Joanne McNelly was elected to the Student-Faculty Council and Carol Anderson, secretary of the Sophomore Class, after a campaign of roller skating Pi Beta Phi and free candy.

State Day was inaugurated this year on May 14 with the five chapters migrating to Columbus. Mrs. Marianne R. Wild was a guest speaker for the affair. Eleanor Priest was chosen National College Women's Baton Twirling Champion and elected head drum majorette of the band. Nancy Gardner became a drum majorette with the band this fall.

The first few weeks of the fall semester were busy ones. Freshman Orientation, Initiation, rushing, pledging, and homecoming came one right after the other.

PLEDGED: Patricia Rivers, Barbara Poysell, Nancy Rische, Jean Hock, Cincinnati; Cecile Jendrek, Hamilton; Patricia Jones, Crown City; Patricia Bowden, Elyria; Patti Howard, Middletown; Joan Baeckler, Euclid; Natalie Smith, Lakewood; Margaret Martin, Piqua; Wanda Doty, Dayton; Polly Persons, Port Clinton; Margaret Miller, Washington Court House; Mary Kay Litton, Eldorado; Nancy Gardner, Troy; Barbara Weaver, New Lebanon; Carole Geiss, Parma; Alice Wright, Ft. Thomas, Ky.; Mary Jo Keller, Richmond, Ind.

JANICE HIMES

### WEST VIRGINIA ALPHA—WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1918  
Pledge Day, October 5, 1949

At the end of spring semester Joan Atkinson and Elizabeth Dexter were initiated into Li-Toon-Awa, sophomore woman's honorary, and Betsy Ferguson, into Chimes, junior honorary. Mary Lou Hart is the second vice-president of the Associated Women Students, and Patricia Butscher, vice-president of Panhellenic. Joan Atkinson was awarded a scholarship cup for having the highest average in the freshman pharmacy class.

Neville Marsteller, Dorothy Dyer, Elizabeth Dexter, Betsy Ferguson, and Patricia Butscher were elected to the YWCA cabinet. Three Pi Beta Phi were chosen to serve on the Mountaineer Week Team, which visits various high schools to talk to the graduating classes. They were Kathryn McClung, Eleanor Carson and Barbara Burnside. Martha Ezell is serving as an R.O.T.C. sponsor, and Mary Lou Hart is sponsor for Scabbard and Blade, national military honorary.

This summer, the chapter was represented at the Province President's Workshop by Eleanor Carson, who also acted as a hostess.

With the opening of the fall term Barbara Burnside, Jo Ann Bell, and Betsy Ferguson served as Freshman guides, chosen by the Dean of Women. The Pi Beta Phi were well represented at the Mountain State Forest Festival at Elkins by princesses Jane Ellen Queen, Mary Lou Hart, and Jeanne Pritt. One of the three sponsors from West Virginia University to the Washington and Lee game, October 1, was Ann Dahlstrom.

Students returning to the university were impressed by the "Welcome Student" week, sponsored by the local Chamber of Commerce. Gold and blue flags lined the sidewalks. The enrollment for this semester has decreased, with registration numbering 6,245. It has been proposed that the Mountaineer Stadium be renamed Rogers Field, for West Virginia's only All-American, Mountaineer, the student center, acquired several additions in preparation for the college year, such as, a parking lot, news stand, new furniture, and a larger organization room.

Rushing began, September 24, with a formal reception. The second annual "Plantation Party" was held, with the traditional minstrel show, colored butlers, and southern belles. West Virginia A concluded the rushing period with an impressive "Pi Beta Phi Heaven." As the rushees were departing, they heard the strains of "Remember" sung from the balcony by members, dressed in white gowns and holding candles.

PLEDGED: Virginia Canterbury, Mary Ann Freeman, Beckley; Betty Claire Frazier, Bluefield; Barbara Williamson, Frances Thompson, Barbara Amole, Charleston; Margaret Snow, Elizabeth Robinson, Adella Kemp, Clarkburg; Betty Hollister, Fairmont; Linda Lazzelle, Huntington; Nancy Collins, Lewisburg; Johnnie May Cook, Logan; Norajane Miller, Barbara Boyers, Morgantown; Martha Ashworth, Moundsville; Elizabeth Ann Mahoney, Oak Hill; Flora Jean Pfost, Ripley; Vaughn Nolte, Wheeling.

GRACE LEE BOGESS

### GAMMA PROVINCE

#### MARYLAND ALPHA—GOUCHER COLLEGE

Chartered, 1897  
Pledge Day, November 2, 1949

INITIATED, October 14, 1949: Colleen Anawalt, Seattle, Wash.; Patricia Purdie, Houston, Tex.; Sally Vickery, Noroton, Conn.

Since Goucher College started quite late this year the first meeting was held on October 4 at which time plans were discussed for informal rushing. When the Maryland A's returned to college this fall they were confronted with the news that because this would be the last year for women's fraternities on the Goucher campus there would be informal rushing only. Naturally everyone was extremely disappointed

though they had been told in advance that when Goucher officially moved to the Baltimore County campus in the fall of 1950 fraternities would go off campus. Despite this, elaborate plans had already been made for formal rushing. Also during the summer the Baltimore actives entertained with a rush party for Baltimore girls they felt would make good Pi Phi's. From all reports the party was a big success and the girls enjoyed immensely meeting a few of the incoming freshmen. Though Maryland A's realize they will have no active chapter at Goucher after this year. Plans are being made for informal rushing and the chapter will continue to carry on in true Pi Phi spirit.

The Maryland A's are beginning their last year by entering, even more strongly, into volunteer work. Each week two to four Maryland A's offer their services at the Veterans' Hospital near Harve de Gras. Here they entertain mental victims

of World War II for three hours each Monday night.

The chapter enjoyed a visit from Province President Mrs. King in October. She was very helpful with her suggestions of how to make the last year on the Goucher campus a successful one.

CHARLENE JOHNSON

## MARYLAND BETA—UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND

Chartered, 1945

Pledge Day, September 25, 1949

Returning to college on September 12, the Maryland B's realized that their dream of owning a home of their own had at last come true. The chapter is planning a huge "house warming" to which all of the campus is to be invited.

Last semester was an active one. Lynne Rossmann was appointed chairman of the University's annual May Day, and Joan Clark officiated as the narrator. Among the tapes of the different honorary societies were: Lynne Rossmann, Mortar Board and  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , history honorary, of which she was elected President; Betty Ehlers,  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , of which she was elected Secretary-Treasurer; Virginia Bogert,  $\Pi \Delta E$ , journalistic honorary. Barbara Kuhn was elected President of A K  $\Delta$ , sociology honorary society.

In the journalistic field, Lynne Rossmann was appointed Associate Editor of the "M" Book and Jane Hamilton was made Circulation Manager of the *Diamondback*, the college paper. Margaret Walker is treasurer of the Sophomore Class, Ann von Schwartner is secretary of Women's League, and Janet Spencer is secretary of the Home Economics Club. Helen Hereford played the leading woman's role in the University Theatre's production of "Antigone." Amy Cantwell was named a "Great Greek" on Maryland's campus.

One sunny morning late in May, the mothers and daughters of the chapter journeyed over to Triton Beach on the Chesapeake Bay for a mother and daughter picnic. During the semester, the chapter held after-dinner desserts with various fraternities on campus; the house buzzed with chatter and the exchange of fraternity songs. Another main social function of the year was the cabin dance, an informal affair, with a three-piece orchestra.

For the third consecutive year, Maryland B has been second in scholarship on campus.

PLEGGED: Joan Bell, Baltimore; Mary Anna Brook, Upper Marlboro; Constance Cook, Marion, Ala.; Joan Dean, Kansas City, Mo.; Lee Humphrey, Chevy Chase; Mary Pate, College Park; Annette Roberts, Landover; Marjorie Shaffer, Baltimore; Amy Walker, Baltimore.

JEANETTE LYNCH

## DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA ALPHA—GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1889

Pledge Day, October 12, 1949

INITIATED, June 3, 1949: Elizabeth Didlake, Jeanne Ferris, Joanne Hastings, Washington.

In March the George Washington Chapter of Mortar Board held a career conference for all the women on campus and the senior girls from high schools in the Washington area. Betty Ann Paisley, who was president of Mortar Board, was in charge of the conference. Outstanding women representing various professions and careers spoke to the group and held individual sessions for girls interested in their particular work. Very helpful discussions on the opportunities for women in politics, art, newspaper work and speech correction, to name only a few, were given. This conference was considered very helpful and successful.

Mrs. Sipherd, Director of Rushing and Pledge Training, visited D.C. A in March. The chapter enjoyed her visit very much. It is a great help to the officers to have an opportunity to hear about new slants on various problems, and also to give information on chapter activities. The members also enjoyed having the province president, Mrs. King, with them for dinner and active meeting in April. They found it a wonderful thing to have the province president living in the same city as the chapter. Mrs. King has been of great help and provides a reassuring influence.

The Annual Panhellenic Work Shop was held in the spring. Each of the officers met with the officers of the other fraternities to discuss problems, methods, and to exchange ideas.

The members enjoyed celebrating Founders' Day with Pi Beta Phis from all over the country. The luncheon was held at the Broadmore Hotel on Saturday, April 30. D.C. A had as guests, for the weekend, a group of Pi Beta Phis from the College of William and Mary. They were entertained at brunch on Sunday morning, following Founders' Day, and also by an exchange picnic with K  $\Sigma$ , in Rock Creek Park. The hilarious baseball game wasn't hindered by the rainy

weather. The chapter hopes that another exchange weekend can be arranged in the future.

The profit made by the May Day Booth at the annual celebration more than covered expenses and also contributed to the redecoration fund.

The Mothers Club was a tremendous help in the redecoration of the apartment. The Club held a very successful benefit bridge to help buy the lovely new carpeting. The chapter was thrilled with the new appearance of the rooms and particularly appreciated them during rushing. The mothers and alumnae helped to select paints, fabrics, and with the general planning.

*The Hatchet*, the University newspaper, held a benefit style show in conjunction with one of the local stores. One girl from each fraternity modeled the newest spring fashions. Tot Weld represented Pi Beta Phi in this activity.

In May D.C. A entertained Pi Beta Phis at tea in the George Washington University administrative offices, and faculty, and the presidents and social chairmen of each other fraternity.

Peggy Mendenhall and Tot Weld were elected to Delphi, an honorary society for outstanding sorority women. The tapping took place at the Panhellenic Sing and Peggy Mendenhall was elected president at the first meeting.

*The Hatchet* awarded D.C. A a cup, of which it is very proud, for being selected as the best all round organization on campus. The basis of this selection was the number of participants in university-sponsored functions and activities.

The graduating members were guests of honor at our last cooky-shine. Members of the Junior Alumnae Group spoke to them about the ways in which they can play an active part in their Fraternity even after graduation.

DOROTHY ANNE WELD

## VIRGINIA ALPHA—RANDOLPH MACON WOMEN'S COLLEGE

Chartered, September 28, 1913

Pledge Day, September 25, 1949

INITIATED, October 20, 1949: Martha Harper, Snowhill, N.C.; Rosalie Peckenpaugh, Muskogee, Okla.; Margaret Simmons, Martinsville.

Pledging was held on the morning of September 25, and that night the pledges participated in their first cooky-shine.

Nell Hamlin is president of the Sophomore Class; Sally Muire is president of main hall and first vice-president of the Student Government Association; *The Old Maid*, humor magazine of the college, is headed by Virginia Lee Richardson. It was recently announced that Marilyn Moore is to be Chairman of May Day for 1950. Lucia Passano was elected President of the Freshman Class.

Randolph Macon has just completed the building of the Terrel Memorial Infirmary. This is a very modern building and a much needed addition to the campus.

This year Randolph Macon was represented at the South-eastern Virginia Hockey Tournament in Richmond the week-end of October 28. The team representing the school was the winner of the campus hockey tournament.

On October 13 Virginia A gave a hayride and picnic for the pledges. This was done last year, also, and was a big success. The chapter is planning to redecorate the house this fall and to have the outside of the house painted.

NOTE: by mistake the name of Rosalie Johnson was omitted from the list of those pledged March 6, 1949.

PLEGGED: Penny Babcock, Chevy Chase, Md.; Betty Barton, Katherine Calloway, Guyanne Tittle, Dallas, Tex.; Anne Bender, Lucia Passano, Bethlehem, Pa.; Beverly Buntzler, Pueblo Pueblo, Mexico; Mary Evans Carpenter, Myra Parkes, Shreveport, La.; Carolyn Cole, Muskogee, Okla.; Anne Doak, Petersburg; Margie Finney, Towson, Md.; Joan Frey, Dales McCurdy, Baltimore, Md.; Peggy Goodall, Memphis, Tenn.; Chovine Gordon, Daytona Beach, Fla.; Barbara Hunton, Washington, D.C.; Carol Ingram, Wellesley Hills, Mass.; Alice Malone, Anne Watts, Houston, Tex.; Joan McCullough, Birmingham, Ala.; Agnes Neimeyer, Hot Springs, Ark.; Miriam Provosty, Alexandria, La.; Roselle Sawyer, New Orleans, La.; Carolyn Scott, Little Rock, Ark.; Virginia Sloan, Strawberry, Ark.; Elizabeth Starr, Atlanta, Ga.; Genevieve Smith, Scarsdale, N.Y.; Patricia Trotter, Monticello, Ark.

ELIZABETH CURRIE

## VIRGINIA GAMMA—COLLEGE OF WILLIAM AND MARY

Chartered, 1925

Pledge Day, September 28, 1949

INITIATED, September 29, 1949: Johnette Braun, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Anne Drinard, Richmond; Marcia McClellan, Arlington.

The first major event of the fall semester was the Home-

coming Dance, held the weekend of October 7. Patricia Jones as Homecoming Queen for the second time in her College career, and Hunter Jones and Kitty Nottingham are members of the court. The gala festivities began with the Harvest Moon Ball. Music for the dance was provided by Elliot Lawrence and his band. Another event on the Homecoming agenda was the parade in which there were forty or more units.

Jeanne Payne, Jeanne Struwe, Johnette Braun, and Barbara Smith recently made Dean's List.

The chapter has decided to supervise a local nursery school as an altruistic project. The work promises to be interesting as well as valuable.

Rushing began on November 27 and the final party will take place on December 4. The chapter will have two new parties this year—a Mardi Gras party and a Arrow Cake party.

CAROLYN LAY

### NORTH CAROLINA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA

Chartered, 1923

Pledge Day, October 12, 1949

INITIATED, April 26, 1949: Jane Gower, Greenville, S.C. May 4, 1949: Ann Marshall Emmert, Atlanta, Ga.; Betsy Ann Hommel, Syracuse, N.Y. September 12, 1949: Helen Hilton, Raleigh; Preston Westcott, Chapel Hill.

Anne Chandler, Anne Wells, and Randy Hudson were tapped for Valkyries, highest campus honorary organization. Randy served as President of the W.A.A. during 1948-49. Anne Wells was a member of  $\Phi$  B K. Anne Chandler as president of the YWCA. Pat Sullivan and Ruth Whalen are members of the YWCA executive Council.

Barbara Lowe was elected president of Interdormitory Council and president of Spencer Dormitory. Jane Gower serves as president of the Women's Athletic Association.

Marie Nussbaum was chosen Secretary of the Coed Senate. Others serving on this body are Charleen Greer, Millicent Merker and Ruth Whalen.

Gene Denbo, Anne Chandler, and Barbara Lowe were elected to positions on the Women's Honor Council, highest Coed governing body. Charleen Greer served as Over-all Chairman of Student Advisers during Orientation Week this fall. Helen Hilton was chosen vice-president of Panhellenic.

Henrietta Thorp was a member of the May Court, and Elizabeth Myatt attended the May Queen as one of her two Maids of Honor. Charleen Greer was chosen Homecoming Queen. Millicent Merker was chosen Sweetheart of Sigma Chi at the annual Sweetheart Ball in the spring. Among the members of the Sweetheart Court were Jane Gower, Norma Jean Dew, and Charleen Greer.

North Carolina A rated first among campus sororities in scholarship last spring. The All-Sports Cup was won by the chapter the third consecutive time, and is now its permanent property.

Chapter members returned to campus on September 8, two weeks early, to paint the house. In addition to having a great deal of fun, the girls turned out a spotless house for the two weeks of Rushing which began September 26.

PLEGDED: Bess Bettes, Orlando, Fla.; Helen Bowie, Cumberland, Md.; Lila Ponder, Delores Boyer, Miami, Fla.; Claire Russell, Barbara Brooker, Chapel Hill; Anne Campbell, Madison, N.J.; Isabel Carter, Washington; Patricia Coley, Newton; Frances Drane, Monroe; Anne Dewey Hartt, Marguerite Burton, Betty Anne Yowell, Raleigh; Nancy Iler, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Irene Jeffreys, Mary Ann Jeffreys, Goldsboro; Betsy Jones, Farmville; Wilma Jones, Memphis Tenn.; Sue Lanier, Fredericksburg, Va.; Alice Laughlin, Port Washington, N.Y.; Iris McEwen, Burlington; Sandra Riach, Laguna Beach, Calif.; Carol Simpkin, Hartford, Conn.; Princess Stellings, Winifred Harriss, Wilmington; Anne Townsend, Marshall, Va.; Rosalie Varn, Petersburg, Va.; Ann Webb, Shelby; Kathryn Wiley, Decatur, Ala.

RUTH WHALEN

### NORTH CAROLINA BETA—DUKE UNIVERSITY

Chartered February 17, 1933

Pledge Day, October 14, 1949

Freshman Week began on September 15, and the chapter was well represented among the upperclasswomen who returned

early to assist in orientation. Pam Bedell, Leslie Bell, Janet Botkin, and Patt McAllister were freshman advisors, and Barbara Cruthers was a transfer advisor. Barbara Boyer and Jane Chivers are the presidents of Southgate and Alspaugh dormitories respectively. Also on campus that week were Norma Feaster, the executive secretary of the Women's Student Government Association, Mary Seaberg, the president of the Women's Panhellenic Association, and several other actives.

The university was officially opened and classes resumed on September 22, and the chapter immediately set to work making plans for the "face lifting" of the chapter room, for which planning was begun early last spring.

Classwork was sadly neglected by all Duke fraternity women between September 29 and October 14, for that was the period of rushing at Duke, and required a good deal of concentrated effort. The actives were kept extremely busy visiting 315 freshmen and 50 transfer students. An open house was held for the rushees on October 6, and the traditional Circus and Angel parties followed.

The Student Forum Committee presented Robert St. John, the noted news analyst and commentator, on September 27, and his excellent speech met with a great deal of comment. For those who like good music, Frances Greer and Brian Sullivan, Metropolitan opera stars, were seen and heard on October 3, as the first attraction on the concert series.

Johnny Long and his band played for the Shoe and Slipper club weekend dance the last weekend in October.

The annual Homecoming celebration on October 21 marked the inauguration of Dr. A. Hollis Edens, the new president of the university. This was the first inauguration that Duke has seen since 1910, and is the second one in the university's history.

The selection of the yearbook beauty queen and her court took place at the Co-Ed Ball which was held Thanksgiving weekend. Jean Barnett, Patt McAllister, and Jo Hendricks were candidates for the crown.

MARY LOU BRATTON

### SOUTH CAROLINA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Chartered, 1931

INITIATED, May 19, 1949: Virginia Dolan.

The University used a new system of registration this fall which promises much less confusion in the future. Students now pre-register for the courses which they think they will be taking the following term. Although there is still a great deal to be worked out, the plan has been accepted by most of the students already.

A beautiful new law building is being constructed on the south end of the campus, to be completed in about a year.

This year, instead of being a sorority house, Wauchope House will be a dormitory with non-fraternity girls living in it as well as members of Pi Beta Phi. South Carolina A will use the living room as a sorority room. The chapter is working on a scheme to make money by having a snack bar on the back porch. Cokes, candy, cigarettes, and other items will be sold to all who care to buy. The money will be used to buy house furnishings. A great many improvements were made in the house last year, but there is still much to be done.

Rush week began October 23 but from now on rush week at Carolina will be later in the year as was announced that the Panhellenic Constitution states rush week is to be held ten days after mid-semester. Since sororities had already made preparations this year. Dean Childs and Panhellenic decided to let the parties start on the 23rd this time.

South Carolina A is second on the campus in scholastic rating and the study hours rule is being enforced even more strictly now.

Last year Dotty Link was Sweetheart of the  $\Lambda$  X Pledge Class and Rip Thompson was Sweetheart of the  $\Phi$  K  $\Sigma$  Pledge Class.

This year the chapter is again giving its monthly drop-ins. The first one of the year was held October 2 and everybody agrees that it was one of the best. Coffee and doughnuts were served instead of the usual punch and cookies and the new refreshments seemed to make a hit with everyone. The rearrangement of the rooms also won compliments.

PLEGDED, October 3, 1949: Suzanne Moye, Columbia.

BARBARA MCSWAIN



## DELTA PROVINCE

## MICHIGAN ALPHA—HILLSDALE COLLEGE

Chartered, 1887

Pledge Day, October 29, 1949

INITIATED, March 20, 1949: Carol Bashford, Denise Frederick, Florrie Johns, Mary Jane Looney, Marilyn Hendershott, Carolyn Cook, Detroit; Joyce Dunn, Lansing, Ill.; Jane Hart, Adrian; Mary Ann Hackett, Edon, Ohio; Virginia Hungerford, Prairie View, Ill.; Barbara Lewis, Battle Creek; Carol Jeanne Peterson, Birmingham; Shirley Planert, Highland, Ind.

October 6, 1949: Normandy Russ, Three Rivers; Helen Lawson, Hillsdale; Marcia Opdyke, Royal Oak; Gloria Zimmerman, Detroit.

The fall semester at Hillsdale College started with a lot of ohs and ahs as Michigan A returned to find the chapter house had had its face lifted both inside and outside. Last spring due to the generosity of the Harold Stocks a clean up campaign for the yard was started. This was carried on throughout the summer with the addition of having the house repainted. After viewing the shining glory of the outside, Michigan A was even more surprised to find gleaming, newly painted walls accentuated with bright paper and colorful rugs. The chapter is indebted to the alumnae for the beautiful job, and a special thanks goes to Mr. and Mrs. Bazelle for their marvelous effort and supervision.

After having won it for the last two semesters, Michigan A is anxiously waiting for the decision on the Scholarship Cup. Winning the cup for three consecutive semesters entitles the winner to keep it. The chapter is anxious to have this cup to accompany the Mardi Gras Cup, won for the best skit. Michigan A also won second prize on the two Pi Phi concessions.

In June, Barbara Fenwick was class valedictorian and Joan Weingarden graduated cum laude. Lou Ann Kelly became a charter member of the "Lamplighters," Hillsdale's newly organized Mortar Board Society, and Patricia Nelson was admitted to Toby Cober, school of art.

MARILYN MARCH

## MICHIGAN BETA—UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Chartered, 1886

Michigan B's homecoming decorations for the Michigan vs Minnesota game on October 22, were based on the slogan "Minnesota antiquated, Michigan modern rated." To carry out this idea a very shiny but rather ancient electric car was acquired and displayed with a new 1949 Buick convertible. Standing beside the cars were caricatures of a football player from the respective teams.

Plans for Soph Cabaret, an original sophomore show are being kept as secret as possible, according to tradition. Abby Funk has been given the female lead.

The counseling plan for rushing has been put into effect and Sally Strauss has been chosen as the first counselor from Michigan B. A counselor is named by chapter vote and is chosen for interest in Panhellenic activities, and possession of a sympathetic and understanding nature. Sally will not be able to do any rushing during the season next February. She is on her honor to give unprejudiced advice to the rushees and in no way can know the opinion of the chapter concerning any girls.

The Pi Phi eleven played the Tri Deltas on November 4. Not to be out done by the varsity team, the contestants pursued the Phi Gam marching band to perform during the half.

This year Michigan B has held open house after every game. At the first one the chapter enjoyed entertaining a number of West Point Cadets even though hearts were sad since Army had given Michigan its first defeat in three years. The day of the first away game Michigan B had an exchange listening party and buffet dinner with the Phi I's.

ADELAIDE KLINGBEIL

## MICHIGAN GAMMA—MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE

Chartered, February 17, 1945

Pledge Day, April 14, 1949

INITIATED, May 14, 1949: Helen Bogden, Dearborn; Patricia Charnatz, Audrey LaFrance, Royal Oak; Clara Gordon, Birmingham; Barbara Wall, Detroit; Patty Jo Gillard, Alpena; Ann Loomis, Fenton; Marilyn Montgomery, Battle Creek; Barbara Ott, Adrian; Marian Ball, Washington, D.C.; Marjorie Rieger, Western Springs, Ill.; Geraldine Hansen,

Toledo, Ohio; Mary Ellen Mack, Schenectady, N.Y.; Nancy Miller, Ossining, N.Y.

The opening of fall term found the Michigan I's moving into their new house with ladders, saws, paint cans and the workmen still underfoot. The furniture for the downstairs and three living rooms brought delighted exclamations from those who had been used to the cramped quarters of the old house. The K A O's took pity on the girls since they had to eat all meals out and invited the whole chapter to a delicious dinner. Things are back to normal now and the home cooked meals taste twice as good in the wine and blue dining room.

A tea honoring the new housemother, Mrs. Corcoran, and a housewarming opened the social season, plus the usual cider and doughnut hour after the home football games. The first weekend of the term found the Michigan I's at Ann Arbor, cheering furiously for the Spartans.

Next on the agenda was the second annual football game with the Phi B's, with practice held twice daily. Lots of black and blue marks were sported by members of both teams but they didn't hinder the fun at the joint party held following the game. Since it was only a few days before Halloween, decorations for the Fall Term party included black cats, witches, pumpkins, and of course, footballs.

A new system of rushing was inaugurated this year with introductory teas given in the late fall. Rushing will continue through winter term and girls who did not make their grades the first term will be eliminated.

Another new plan was introduced by Panhellenic in the hope of bringing a closer unity among the sororities. Every week five members of each Greek group had dinner at another house. This was organized on a rotation basis. Between bridge hands and Canasta games everyone gained new friends and a better understanding of the other organizations.

Last spring Lou Ann Woelk was taken into Mortar Board, Harriet McCall, Diane Young, Patty Jo Gillard and Ann Wilbur were elected to Union Board and Ann Wilbur was selected to be assistant art editor of the *Wolverine*, the college yearbook. Nancy Kay is organization manager of the same book and other Michigan I's are on the staff.

The main event of fall term was the homecoming weekend, with the game with Penn State and a queen and her court selected by the Penn State football squad. Betty Wilkinson and Jerry Hansen were finalists. Each group on campus entered a contest for the best display for which a gold cup was awarded. Ann Lyman and Ann Wilbur planned the Michigan I entry—a lion caged in the house (depicting Penn) and a huge Spartan standing on the lawn.

The chapter enjoyed a visit from Mrs. Sipherd and was proud to show her the remodeled Union Building, completed this summer. Bowling alleys, a billiard room and an enlarged grill make things twice as difficult for would-be "students." The girls formally initiated Mrs. Sipherd to the "grill hour" and she held the place of honor in the Pi Phi booth.

PLEGGED: Joan Wasinack, Lakewood, Ohio.

PATRICIA TILDEN

## INDIANA ALPHA—FRANKLIN COLLEGE

Chartered, 1888

Pledge Day, September 17, 1949

INITIATED, September 10, 1949: Diane Blackburn, Jacqueline Pearson, New Albany; Ruthann Duncan, Jane Hartley, Margaret Gamage, Betty Robb, Indianapolis; Barbara McKinney, Greenwood; Jane Haller, Barbara Yoder, Fort Wayne; Pat Whitesides, Grand Rapids, Michigan; Mary Lou Beatty Henderson, Columbus; Betty Lyons, Franklin.

Initiation was held September 10, 1949 at the home of Mrs. Robert Tranter, followed by a dinner held in honor of the initiates at Snyder's Restaurant. Our rushing activities of the next week were concluded by pledging ten girls at the home of Mrs. George Blake, September 17, 1949. In the evening the annual cooky-shine in honor of the new pledges was held at Mrs. Dayton Fertig's home. The diamond recognition pin for the sophomore with the highest scholastic average for the freshman year was awarded to Margaret Gamage of Indianapolis. Annette Havens Edwards was awarded the Emma May Burton Award for her outstanding work in the humanities.

The Panhellenic sponsored Open House was held in the social rooms of the dormitory in the evening in order that the new pledges might be introduced to the public. Mrs. Robert Tranter, alumnae club president, Martha Kirkin, president of Indiana Alpha, and Barbara Williams, rush captain, introduced the pledges.

The student body was pleasantly surprised by the remodeling in the Main Building, Dormitory, Science Hall, and Library that had been completed during the summer. A new president, Harold Richardson of Jackson, Michigan, had also been selected during the summer months.

Spring honors included presidencies of W.A.A., Matha Kirklín; Panhellenic Council, Martha Jane Dungan; and Home Economics Club, Jacqueline Pearson. Barbara Williams is secretary of House Council, Beverly McClintick is yell leader, Ruth Kirklín is secretary-treasurer of the Science Club, Mary Lou Henderson is secretary of the sophomore class, and Lorraine Vidovic is the freshman representative to the Student Council.

Joan England, who graduated magna cum laude, and Gyneth Wilson, Patricia Cooke, and Phyllis Pratt, cum laude, were honored at the commencement exercises. Margaret Gamage was tapped by Laurels, underclass honorary for scholarship and activities, at the annual May Day.

PLEGDED: Judy Andrews, Franklin; Evelyn Armuth, Mary Beth Newsom, Columbus; Pat Hays, Shirley Polson, Sylvia Merrill, Indianapolis; Delores Nerding, Southport; Doris Schwarz, Freehold, N.J.; Lorraine Vidovic, Chicago Ill.; Marilyn Webb, New Albany.

RUTH KIRKLIN

### INDIANA BETA—INDIANA UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1893

Pledge Day, September 20, 1949

INITIATED, March 26, 1949: Mrs. Bertha Lockhart, Bloomington; Helen Aldrich, Marcia Mendenhall, Indianapolis; Carol Dailey, Fort Wayne; Eugenia Hayes, Washington; Margaret Inglis, Madison; Judy Johnson, Knightstown; Alice Baber, Kansas, Ill.

Initiated, October 1, 1949: Ruth Baumeister, Gene Hilgmeier, Delores Shumm, Indianapolis; Barbara Brown, Beverly Doyle, Sally Hamlett, Fort Wayne; Ann Dungan, Franklin, Eleanor Dunn, Bargersville; Carolyn East, Richmond; Carolyn Funk, New Albany; Mary Lou Landis, Linton; Carol Mitchell, Rochester; Ann Rowland, Evansville; Diane Vanarsdall, Anderson; Marilyn Buck, Grosse Pointe, Mich.; Arline Crown, Oak Park, Ill.; Mary Davidson, Winnetka, Ill.; Joan Rufer, La Grange, Ill.; Jeanne Weber, Wilmette, Ill.; Joyce Wood, Bloomfield Hills, Mich.; Harriet Huncilman, San Francisco, Calif.

Indiana University students produced their twenty-fourth annual stage show last March. The highly successful production called "The Bandmaster" was patterned after "Oklahoma." Jean Dunbar was student director.

Pat Rogers received the Outstanding Pledge award, and Helen Aldrich was named first in scholarship. Indiana B was happy to initiate Mrs. Bertha Lockhart, chapter house mother, as a regular member of I B Φ.

Outstanding members of Indiana B received recognition. Marge Brink and Iona Hamlett received the Φ B K key. Marge Brink was also awarded journalism honors by Σ Δ X, national professional honorary fraternity for men in journalism, and Θ Σ Φ women's journalism honorary.

From more than 1,000 candidates for Indiana University medical school, La Vonne Mannfeld was one of the seven women chosen to enter.

Jane Nelson won the woman's golf championship. Alice Baber was chosen queen of Cream and Crimson Day, spring, homecoming intramural track event. Members of queens' courts at two spring dances were Lou Ann Kervan at the Military Ball and Dianne Vanarsdall and Beverly Doyle at the Cadaver Ball.

During summer vacation the president of the chapter, Phyllis Templeton, and pledge trainer, Mary Kampshaffer, attended a province presidents' workshop at Purdue University. The exchange of ideas under the direction of Mrs. Benjamin C. Lewis, province president, was very beneficial.

New modern dormitories which house 450 men were completed by the time students returned this fall. The School of Education announced plans for the erection of a new office building on the East edge of campus.

Freshmen were welcomed to Indiana University by members of YWCA and YMCA as part of a new counseling program. The two organizations sponsored tours around the campus and entertained at a freshman openhouse.

Janet Polson has been working on the *Arbutus*, Indiana University yearbook, as photography editor, the first woman who has ever been appointed to the post. Pat Nackenhorst is house manager of Indiana University Theater business staff, and Pat Anderson is art editor of *Pin Magazine*, the organized newspaper.

Members of Indiana B who were asked to join Tophets, Sophomore honorary for organized women, are Mary Walz, Carolyn East, Carol Mitchell, and Anne Rowland. Members of the chapter who are on YWCA council are Mary Walz, Martha Heesman, Carolyn Jones, and Carol Mitchell. Pi Beta Phi is represented on cabinet of YWCA by Alice Baber.

Panhellenic has been making revisions of the deferred rush system which was installed three years ago.

Following the initiation for twenty-one pledges on October 1, Elgie Dunn was given the outstanding pledge award, the

honorary paddle, and Anne Rowland received the scholarship award.

Father's weekend, held at the time of the Pittsburgh-Indiana football game, was one of the chapter's most pleasant social events. A cooky-shine and serenade were part of the entertainment that gave everyone a real "Joe College" weekend.

PLEGDED: Colleen Allen, Gloria Cadieu, Ellen Dobson, Bloomington; Ann Briggs, Sullivan; Joan Collier, Dana; Helen Dungan, Franklin.

ALICE BABER

### INDIANA GAMMA—BUTLER UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1897

Pledge Day, September 11, 1949

INITIATED, October 9, 1949: Beverly Bergel, Marjorie Iba, Fort Wayne; Ruth Myers, Plymouth; Esther Cowan, Crawfordsville; Joan Cochran, Peggy Frary, Barbara Higginson, Jane Miller, JoAnn Prall, Roberta Scheper, Nancy Sines, Sally Vertzees, Carolyn Watt, Marcia Wells Hirschy, Barbara Ziegler, Charlotte Day, Indianapolis.

Indiana Γ, inspired by honors won last spring, began the fall semester with plans to make this year an outstanding one. The chapter was especially proud to be presented the Delta Province award for the outstanding chapter in that province at the State Day luncheon. Another honor was the winning of first place among sororities at the Spring Sing. Marilyn Bowman Blewett was chosen for Scarlet Quill, equivalent of Mortar Board. Chimes, junior honorary, invited Ruth Ann Thomas, Betty Ann Lewis, and Joan Owen into its membership. Ruth Ann Thomas was elected president of Chimes. Marcia W. Hirschy, Beverly Grob, Jane Miller, and Barbara Ziegler were chosen for Spurs, sophomore women's honorary. Joan Sheppard and Barbara Ziegler were elected to serve on the Student Council. Betty Blades was appointed head of Coed Councilors by A.W.S. *Coed Codes*, the booklet for incoming coeds, was published under the direction of Betty Ann Lewis. Sharon Collins was chosen art editor for *MSS*, English honorary publication.

Indiana Γ is proud to hold first place among sororities in scholarship for the third consecutive semester and to be able to display the scholarship trophy again.

Formal rush week activities ended September 11 with pledging. A French café was the theme for the party which is the main event of the week's activities. The pledges were honored at an open house to introduce them to the campus.

Homecoming activities began with a parade through Indianapolis followed by the judging of house decorations. After the game with Illinois State, the chapter held open house for friends and alumnae.

PLEGDED: Carolyn Adams, Phyllis Ballere, Carol Beane, Joan Diederich, Jean Doll, Dorothea Dunnington, Pat Fricke, Jo Gottberg, Nancy Hastings, Valera Hume, Rennee Lease, Virginia Means, Joy Richey, Jeannette Sheppard, Shirley Stillwell, Marjorie Wulleumier, Indianapolis; Jane Mullen, Cary, Ill., Mary Lou Reeves, Greenfield.

BARBARA SHEROW

### INDIANA DELTA—PURDUE UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1921

Indiana Δ noticed many changes in the campus this fall. The entire first floor of the chapter house was painted during the vacation. The stadium has had nine new sections added to the bleacher stands. Despite the extra room, the crowds at the football games have been near capacity. Two new wings to the Dairy Building were nearly completed this past summer.

Last spring when Gold Pepper, the junior women's honorary, announced their pledge class, Jane Barkman, Barbara Canniff, and Kristine Kreisle were on the list. Also last semester, Mortar Board tapped Barbara Canniff.

In the annual University Sing, Indiana Δ placed second. The chapter sang two songs, "The Purdue Hymn" and Pi Phi Symphony.

On October 1, the campus celebrated Dad's Day. Indiana Δ gave a dinner in the chapter house for the visiting parents. The Dads were entertained on the campus with a football game and reception in the Union Building. The entire student body, along with the parents enjoyed the stage show, "OKLAHOMA," that evening in the Music Hall.

A new system of rushing will be used this year. Rush will be held the first week of the second semester instead of between semesters as was done last year. The teas, which formerly opened rush week, will not be given, but instead, open houses were held on October 15 and 16. All freshman girls were invited and upperclassmen who were interested in attending. After the open houses, rushees may be seen not more than three times in the chapter houses at the specified times.

The University has completed plans for a new housing unit for organized women. It is to be in the form of a quadrangle with each group being in a separate apartment. Other nationals interested are A Δ II, Δ Γ, K A Θ, Σ K, and Z T A.

MARY ALICE GRANDE

### INDIANA EPSILON—DEPAUW UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1942

Pledge Day, September 23, 1949

INITIATED, October 16, 1949: Jeanne Givens, Columbus; Susan Goetz, Evansville; RuthAnn Inlow, Shelbyville; Joan Leaton, Wilmette, Illinois; Mary Ann Sloop, Lebanon; Marilyn Thomas, Union City.

Indiana E returned to DePauw September 14 with great expectations for the coming school year, and full of enthusiasm for the plans for the new chapter house which is to be built this year on the site of the old house. The raising ceremony took place on Dad's Day, October 29, and the actual construction is now in progress.

The first all-campus event of the school year was a Field Day, with a dance in the evening. Various contests were held and the climax was a greased pig chase with the lucky winner keeping the pig for later feasting. The main events featured at Field Day were a pie-eating contest, an orange race, an egg toss and a male 'best looking legs' contest.

Lessons and books played second fiddle when many of the dates on the social calendar rolled around. There were football games, exchange dinners, and serenades and the

annual pledge dance was held November 4 in the Δ T house. The chapter also included in its schedule exchange desserts with the Σ Xs and the Φ Γ Δs at which entertainment from the various houses was offered.

At the scholarship banquet last spring Frances Matkin had her name engraved on the scholarship plaque for the greatest improvement in grades. At the initiation banquet Ginny Downs was given a gift as the outstanding pledge of the year while Nancy Cox was honored for being the pledge with the highest scholastic average.

Barbara Brasner was elected to the copy desk of the college paper and to the junior board of women's governing council. Gene Hahn was elected treasurer of YWCA and Joan Givens and Franny Gilpin head YWCA committees. Nancy Fraser is the business manager for the campus magazine and Nancy Bartol is the state advertising manager. Last spring Nancy Fraser was chosen for Mortar Board and Lois Shay and Joie Lohnitz were elected to Φ B K.

Indiana E was very happy last spring to be able to initiate their housemother, Mrs. Dietz.

PLEGDED: Nancy Bartl, Anderson; Joanne Bradshaw, Delphi; Carolyn Rose, Patricia Bradway, Indianapolis; Peggy Carey, Ill. Marian Clarke, Muncie; Dorothy Davis, Shaker Heights, Ohio; Charlotte Dennerline, Aurora; Nancy Dyson, Rushville, Ill.; Phyllis Gentry, Glen Ellyn, Ill.; Connie Hathaway, Lila Hodde, Springfield, Ill.; Dode Letten, Chicago, Ill.; Jane MacLean, Martha Jean Roshugh, Janet Shulmjer, South Bend; Ann McQueen, RoseAnn Sverkrup, Columbus; Shirley Newcomer, Battle Creek, Mich.; Rita Pearl, Lebanon; Alice Rogers, Canton, Ohio; Margaret Smith, Salem, Ore.; Joan Zacharias, Blue Island, Ill.

MARY MACKENZIE

## EPSILON PROVINCE

### MISSOURI ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI

Chartered, 1889

Pledge Day, September 21, 1949

INITIATED, September 11, 1949: Margie Sue Burton, Martha Dunlap, Jefferson City; Vera Stenger, Springfield.

On September 16 rush week began for both freshmen and upperclassmen. The girls accepted their bids on September 21 and the upperclass pledges moved into the house that afternoon. All freshman girls in the university are required to live in dormitories. The annual "yell-in" for pledges was held that night. This event is always exciting, for the fraternity men see each pledge announced on the front porch, and, of course, many introductions always follow. Formal pledging was held on October 10.

Many exciting events have occurred for the Missouri A since the last issue of the ARROW. Beautiful weather prevailed on the night of May 6, when the chapter enjoyed the music of Paul Church at the annual spring formal. Kitty Cox was chosen "White Rose of Σ N" at their dance, and Jan Jeans was an attendant. Vera Stenger and Lou Tuggle were attendants to the "Sweetheart of Σ X."

Probably the most thrilling event was the celebration of the founding of the chapter, fifty years ago. A banquet was held at Harwell Manor on April 30 and was attended by alumnae and active members of Missouri A. The guest of honor was Mrs. Gertrude Mills, one of the chapter founders. She was awarded the Order of the Golden Arrow as recognition of her fifty years in Pi Beta Phi. Jan Jeans was presented with the Amy Burnham Onken Award for Epsilon Province. A tea was held in the chapter house the following afternoon in honor of Mrs. Mills. Alumnae and fraternity men and women of the campus attended.

Vera Stenger and Dottie Ann Aultman were chosen for Mortar Board. Vera was elected president and Dottie Ann, secretary. Janet Fiest and Marge Pemberton are both editors of the college yearbook, *The Savitar*. Vera Stenger was elected president of Θ Σ Φ, national journalism honorary.

The interior of the house was completely redecorated during the summer. Sincere thanks to the alumnae of the chapter, the Kansas City Mother's Club, the Columbia Alumnae Club, and the Kansas City Alumnae Club for making possible the redecoration.

Sue Coker and Virginia McCleary were among the six girls chosen to cheer the Tigers to victory during the football season this year.

PLEGDED: Barbara Allton, Barbara Miller, Columbia; Harriet Bell, Orleans, Neb.; Joan Bradley, Mexico; Bonnie Campbell, Rockaway Beach; Lillian Casford, Sue Ann Smith, Kansas City; Kathleen Cernal, Joplin; Dottie Gilliland, Seattle, Wash.; Marylyn Hargrove, Little Silver, N.J.; Ruth Gene Leming, Cape Girardeau; Sue Marshall, Betty Von Hoffman, Webster Groves; Susanne Martin, Nevada; Janet McDonald, Springfield; Sue Nelson, New Haven; Janet Quinn, Ruth Scotten, Sedalia; Kitty Reeves, Magnolia, Ark.;

Janet Roberts, East St. Louis, Ill.; Sally Robinson, Maryville; Barbara Smith, Carrollton; Jane Turner, Macon.

FRAN OGLESBY

### MISSOURI BETA—WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1907

Pledge Day, September 23, 1949

INITIATED, March 27, 1949: Elizabeth Barrows, Katherine Berry, Shirley Dougherty, June Harlow, Peggy Hallauer, Betty Lu Harris, Dolores Hey, Joann Johnson, Sarah Metcalfe, Katherine Mirjanich, Nancy Scott, Barbara Stotz, Susan Weinrich, St. Louis; Frances Carter, Inglewood, Calif.; Sally Richards, Janesville, Wis.; Esther Sommer, Pekin, Ill.

Missouri B welcomed its eighteen new pledges, a full quota, to the campus after a week of concentrated rushing. An extensive Freshman Orientation program was planned which began with a Freshman Camp for entering men and women. Freshmen wore their beanie of the college colors, myrtle and maroon, for six weeks. During that time, they were required to "button" before upperclassmen, sing the alma mater on request, and keep off the grass. Court was held every Friday in the quadrangle for offenders. At the end of the first week there was a Freshman Mixer.

It was announced at the first chapter meeting that Missouri B was first in scholarship for the second consecutive time. Social activities began when members and pledges were entertained by the various fraternities on campus at matinee dances and parties. On October 1, the actives gave a "Beau and Arrow Ball" in honor of the pledges. Cut-out profiles of the pledges decorated the wall of the Chase Hotel.

II K A chose Shirley Dougherty as their "Dream Girl" and Dee Kriegshauser was elected "Ideal Typist" by the Business School. On April 30 Cathy Altepeter was crowned Sweetheart of Σ X, the third straight year that a Pi Beta Phi has received this honor. Betty Jane Lovell was a special maid.

Marge Ritter retired as co-chairman of Student Senate and turned over her gavel to Betty Tracy. Alice Nelson and Marianna Sinz were initiated in A Δ Γ, architectural honorary, and Betty Stake into K Δ Φ, educational honorary. Betty and Pat Krueger were tapped by Mortar Board, and Betty was elected president. Marilyn Campen and Ginny Rodriguez became members of The National Collegiate Players, honorary drama society. Marge Ritter, Dee Kriegshauser, Betty Stake, and Pat Krueger were selected "B.W.O.C.'s," and caricatures of them appeared in the *Hatchet*. Freshman Commission members were Katie Berry and Betty Lu Harris, while Chimes' new members were Betty Tracy, Georgia Dunbar, and Betty Moore. In the Intersorority Swimming Meet, Missouri B placed second. The chapter's "Highland Fling" booth won a trophy for the best women's fraternity booth at the Thirtieth Carnival. A week later on May 14 there was an all school picnic with a parade to the picnic grounds, a student-faculty baseball game, swimming, and dancing. It was so successful that it was decided to make it a yearly event.

In an impressive Senior Farewell Ceremony, the chapter said goodbye to the graduating class on May 3, and the house party June 1 and 2 ended Missouri B's social activities for the school year.

VIRGINIA PAGE CARTER



*This Pi Beta Phi booth, "Highland Fling", won first prize at the Washington University Thurbene Carnival on May 6, 1949. The booth featured a ring toss. Red and blue plaid decorated the booth and was used for the caps and scarves worn by the members. From left to right: Marge Moss, Betty Lu Harris, Joann Johnson.*

PLEGGED: Betty Ann Ball, Pat Baskett, Nancy Carvell, Gay Crow, Pat Flowers, Elizabeth Hosmer, Maryann Kessler, Nancy Lamkin, Meta Meyer, Eugenie Muench, Nancy Page, Marion Petersen, Rosita Shannon, Sue Stegeman, June Thursby, St. Louis; Jo Anne Bebermeyer, Washington; LaDonne Childress, Centralia, Ill.; Yvonne Kesi, Edwardsville, Ill.

### MISSOURI GAMMA—DRURY COLLEGE

Chartered, 1914

Pledge Day, September 17, 1949

INITIATED, September 3, 1949: Nancy Rose, Springfield. Missouri  $\Gamma$  salutes a new school year which has every indication of being the best year yet on Drury College campus. The school enrollment is at its record height with 829 students. This is a great step-up over previous years. With a larger enrollment, the college will progress in sports, extra curricular activities, and scholarship rating.

Rush season began September 4 with the annual progressive tea to which all girls entering Drury are invited. The guests progress from one sorority house to another during the course of the afternoon. There were coke dates every morning for one week and each of the five sororities on the campus were allowed to have two official parties. Missouri  $\Gamma$ 's first party was the traditional cruise on the U.S.S. Arrow, a city bus. Rushees gathered at the chapter house to have their passports checked before going to Roberta Lohmeyer's house (Hawaii) for fruit cocktail, then to Carolyn Compton's (Sweden) for the main course which was a smorgasbord. Pastry was served (France) at Marjorie Long's house, and then coffee and nuts were enjoyed at Catherine Johnson's (Brazil). The party was climaxed by a dramatic presentation of "Peaches Pi Phi" in the United States, Betty Jo Farnham's place.

The second scheduled party was Pi Phi Heaven which was held September 9 in the Crystal Room of the Kentwood Arms Hotel. Elaborate decorations of crystal stars and life size cardboard angels, and appropriate recorded music playing continually throughout the afternoon, created a heavenly atmosphere. Missouri  $\Gamma$ 's dressed in white formals, rotated from table to table getting better acquainted with the rushees. Refreshments of angel food cake and angel parfaits were served followed by a poetical verse sketch to introduce each active. Then a skit "Angels with Dirty Faces" was presented. The program was climaxed by a long narrative poem "The Pi Phi's In Heaven."

The annual week-end house party was held October 7-9 at Rockaway Beach Resort in the summer home of Roberta Lohmeyer.

The last of May Missouri  $\Gamma$  became the proud possessors of the gold cup for first prize in the song festival. Also, three of the nine seniors chosen for membership in Skiff, Women's Honorary Society were Jo Ann Brown, Betsy Anderson, and Charlotte Goss. Charlotte has since been elected president of Skiff.

PLEGGED: Nancy Anderson, Carolyn Baum, Mary Buckner, Nell Curtis, Sussie Steele, Springfield; Carolyn Collier, Mountain Grove; Ann Follomer, Mary Nickle, Mary Ricketts, Kansas City; Shirley Shields, Marschfield.

CAROLYN COMPTON

### TENNESSEE ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF CHATTANOOGA

Chartered, 1923

Pledge Day, October 3, 1949

INITIATED, September 24, 1949: Molly Crumbliss, Richard City; Shirley Maxey, Chattanooga; Pat Powlee, Hammond, Ind.

The University of Chattanooga started its fall term on September 27. This year rushing started before school reopened on September 22 with the Panhellenic tea when each rushee went to all five sorority houses for a half an hour. Since the length of rushing was shortened, there were afternoon and evening parties.

Tennessee A's afternoon party was a classroom party at which there were geography and history classes on Pi Beta Phi. The traditional Tomaine Tavern was the evening party. Entertainment included the Pi Beta Phi chorus line, enactment of Frankie and Johnny, and imitations of the types of girls the sorority wanted and did not want.

The chapter house has been improved with a few new pieces of furniture including occasional chairs and two small side tables. The new additions in the kitchen are a refrigerator with a large freezing unit and a large coffee maker.

September 30 was the day the rushees came down the hill to the fraternity house of their choice. Then the chapter had supper prepared by the Mothers Club, at the house.

There is a new national fraternity on the campus. The local  $\Phi \Delta \Sigma$ 's joined  $K \Sigma$ .

The new stadium with a boys' dormitory beneath has just been completed. The science department has moved into a large new three-story building and the University Conservatory of Music has moved into an elaborate home.

Elise Taylor was elected president of  $A \Lambda \Delta$ , scholastic fraternity for freshman women with a 2.5 or better average.

PLEGGED: Phyllis Gaither, Tussa Haskew, Joan Hays, Pat Kratz, Bettye Kransfield, Barbara Pruette, Florence Steffy, Pat West, Virginia Ann Winger, Sally Tallman, Chattanooga; Rebecca Ann Bowman, Cleveland; Catherine Cook, Chatsboro, Ala.; Gladys Forrester, Brooklyn, New York; Joanne Lane, Rockmart, Ga.; Jane Osbourn, Stony Brook, N. Y.; Mona Lee Reiman, Cranford, N. J.; Jody White, Catersville, Ga.

JOAN HILL

### TENNESSEE BETA—VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY

Chartered, September 9, 1940

Pledge Day, September 22, 1948

INITIATED, April 11, 1949: Elizabeth Marshall, Betty Ruth Farham, Nashville.

During the summer months the new men's dormitory was completed and construction of a large and modern engineering building was begun.

The Tennessee B house was redecorated in a tasteful and lovely fashion by the Mothers' Club this summer. The living-room has maroon, dark green, and grey as predominant colors with touches of chartreuse and a large mirror over the mantel effects the whole and adds an air of spaciousness. This room was indeed a fine background for the skits and singing presented during rush week.

With the largest enrollment in the history of Vanderbilt the Student Christian Association has made a great contribution to the social and religious side of campus life this fall. A retreat for the large freshman class was held October 15 and many Tennessee B's took part in the activities. Helen Rooney, Dorothy Green, Betty Ruble, and Katherine Lee Hibbett are officers of this organization.

One of the outstanding honors of the year was given to Graham Hollis when she was elected to represent the freshman women on the Honor Council. Late in the spring term of last year Anne Grimes was elected Sweetheart of Sigma Chi, Dorothy Noland the runner-up.

A new women's fraternity,  $K \Delta$ , has come to Vanderbilt University this fall and Tennessee B has made every effort to welcome this group into the campus community.



PLEGDED: Patricia Beasley, Louisville, Ky.; Beverly Blom, Honolulu, Hawaii; Pauline Combs, Anniston, Ala.; Louise Baird, Russell Fessey, Elizabeth Gant, Betty Pirtle, Lynne Youmans, Nashville; Elizabeth Henry, Alexandria, Va.; Gwendolyn Holland, Drexel Hill, Pa.; Graham Hollis, Patricia Rogers, Birmingham, Ala.; Esther King, Swan Lake, Miss.; Virginia Knight, Memphis; Mary McNaughton, Copperhill; Jane Nicholson, Middlesboro, Ky.; Susan Nolte, Springfield, Ohio; Sharon Wemhoener, Normandy, Mo.; Nancy Williamson, Ladue, Mo.; Seta York, Germantown, Pa.

MARGARET BEARLEY

### TENNESSEE GAMMA—UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE

Chartered, May 15, 1948

Pledge Day, October 7, 1949

INITIATED, April 10, 1949: Jean Carter, Carolyn Johnson, Knoxville; Janis Hale, Jonesboro; Barbara Huff, Gatlinburg; Mary Ralph Jared, Buffalo Valley; Peggy McClellan, Bristol; Arlynn Pilling, Sheboygan, Wis.; Katherine Weeks, Weymouth, Mass.

October 9, 1949: Mary Miller, Knoxville; Doris Clardy, Bristol; Lucy Neil Jared, Buffalo Valley; Betty Brumby, Cedartown, Ga.

Spring quarter was certainly a busy one. One of the most enjoyable of its events was a weekend houseparty in Gatlinburg where all the actives and pledges joined together in two days of fun and fellowship. A trip through the Settlement School was really a highlight of the weekend, and gave everyone the opportunity to realize the great philanthropic work the Fraternity is achieving.

Back at school, Tennessee I's worked eagerly on "Joe Romeo and Roulette," the skit presented at Carnicus, that night, an event of major importance on the university calendar, and one of close competition. Because of this, and because it was only the chapter's second attempt at producing a skit, the girls were well pleased with eighth place.

The University's traditional Greek Week, during which all sorority and fraternity pledges entertain each other, brought forth a new contest this year. Each fraternity house put up a girl to be Goddess of the Greeks. Out of sixteen nominations,

Barbara Huff of Gatlinburg won the title, and with it a large trophy to add to the chapter's ever-increasing collection. Another trophy was added when the Tennessee I team of four won first place in the freshman roller-skating contest.

The U-T campus has been growing by leaps and bounds. An engineering building and several agricultural buildings have been completed, and a new law college building is under construction. The grounds have been improved by many new walks, street lamps, and parking areas.

PLEGDED: Anna Burkhardt, Betty Lou Chamberlain, Peggy Wakefield, Eleanor Wicker, Knoxville; Ann Akin, Columbia; Geneyth Chandler, Maryville; Finabelle Cooper, Rosemary Ellis, Sparta; Peggy Dulane, Blountville; Carolyn Edmundson, Pulaski; Nancy Hardin, Carolyn Hoge, Kingsport; Mary Carr Haynie, Hartsville; Barbara Joan Small, Athens; Mildred Stevens, Hartman; Jane Wells, Lebanon; Evelyn Fleenor, Abingdon, Va.; Rebecca Maddus, Hulbert, Ark.; Barbara Sullivan, Decatur, Ala.; Jaimie Talantis, Columbus, Miss.

KATHERINE ANN EVERETT

### KENTUCKY ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE

Chartered, October 1925

Pledge Day, September 28, 1949

The university sponsors a leadership camp every summer where the leaders of all the campus organizations plan the events of the coming school year. Kentucky Alpha's Mathia Fowler and Nettie Graham were on hand with their suggestions.

The entire chapter enjoyed a full week of swimming, boating and rain at its summer camp on the Kentucky River.

This year, rush parties and luncheons were held two weeks before registration. Every party proved to be worlds of fun. Among our favorites were a gay ninety bar room party, circus day, and a minstrel show.

We gave the first campus open house of the autumn season. With an abounding amount of good food it was a smashing success.

PLEGDED: Ann Alvey, Debby Blair, Martha Eller, Peggy Hobson, Martha MacIntosh, Ann Meidinger and Alice Summers.

BETTY BUECHEL

## ZETA PROVINCE

### ALABAMA ALPHA—BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN COLLEGE

Chartered, October 7, 1927

Alabama A was fortunate in being able to have some of its members assist in the installation of Alabama B. The greatest thrill and honor of the whole trip was the opportunity to meet and talk with Grand President Amy B. Onken. It was certainly an experience never to be forgotten. With Miss Onken were Mrs. John Tyler, Zeta Province President, and the Province vice-president, Mrs. Bartlett. Alabama A feels it started the school year in a wonderful way in being able to be a part of such an occasion.

The sorority room has been beautifully re-decorated. The committee of five who were responsible were: Sara Killingsworth, Maude Diseker, Bettie Dudley, an alumna advisor, Mrs. Almeta Mitchell, and our Mothers' Club advisor, Mrs. M. C. Dudley. They used grey, green, and cherry as their basic colors, turning a badly worn room into a beautiful, spacious one. The pride and joy is the lamp Miss Ruby Mercer gave the chapter. While she was in Birmingham singing with the Starlight Opera, she saw the first strokes of paint go on the room. Before she left, she sent the lovely gift.

An added lift came with the removal of the "one quarter experienced" quota system. It is a considerable help to know the chapter can pledge more than two girls as was its experience spring quarter. The first rush party was an "Angel party," the second a Night Club Party, the third a progressive dinner with a "trip around the world," and the fourth, a closed rush party, was a Ranch party.

Ann Coats was elected May Queen of 1949 and Marian McCoy and Martha Ann Galloway were chosen for her court. Others who helped with the festival were Mary Allen Spencer, Margaret Ann O'Neill, and Margaret Johnston. Donna Pledger was selected as Miss Radio Queen for Alabama and placed second in the national contest.

Another feather in Alabama A's cap was winning five of the eight athletic cups offered at the end of each year. However, the chapter's greatest pride was winning the scholarship cup. Alabama A really worked hard to get back on top again in scholarship.

MARGARET JOHNSTON

### ALABAMA BETA—UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA

Chartered, September 19, 1949

Pledge Day, October 2, 1949

INITIATED, September 19, 1949: Patty Reynolds, Bessemer; Beverley Goodwin, Beverley Latimer, Mary Alice Perry, Thelma Vaughan, Birmingham; Beatrice Haas, Chicksaw; Kathryn McIntosh, Florence; Polly Hutto, Jasper; Anne Verschuer, Mobile; Janice McKaig, Montgomery; Mary Fraser Kennedy, Lucy Spain, Tuscaloosa; Mary Gillespie Rimel, Warrior; Dorothy Dunham, De Land, Fla.; Jeanette Atkinson, Barbara Sue Oak, Iris Owens, Jacksonville, Fla.; Anne Huggins, Miami, Fla.; Peggy Berry, Harriet Jones, Orlando, Fla.; Margot Preece, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Jean Sagin, Tampa, Fla.; Julia Taylor, Atlanta, Ga.; Grace Giller, White Hall, Ill.; Janie McDaniel, Indianola, Miss.; Jean Kroetze, Jackson, Miss.; Margaret Knight, Rowland, N.C.; Betty Buckner, Cincinnati, Ohio; Jane Hines, Decatur, Tenn.; Mary Joy Harpole, Nancy Lowery, Memphis, Tenn.; Terry Noble, Jean Sheperd, Richmond, Va.

The story of installation with pictures appears elsewhere in this issue.

The chapter was very pleased with the two new rooms added during the summer and with the prospect of having meals in the chapter house.

Rushing season opened with two nights of ice water teas. Planned parties followed for the next four nights with the themes of a fashion show, a sleepytime party, a Hawaiian party, and a puppet show. The highlights of the week were the Preferential Luncheon and Squeal Night when the bids were issued. The pledges spent the night in the house, but before bedtime both actives and pledges enjoyed singing Pi Beta Phi songs together.

Recently completed on campus were three new buildings, a freshman dormitory for women, an alumni building, and a physics building.

Lucy Spain was elected as vice-president of the Y.W.C.A. Nine girls were tapped for Triangle, a sophomore organization, and twelve were elected to the Women's Spirit Committee. Jeanette Atkinson has the lead in one of the coming plays to be produced by Blackfriars. Jane Davis is the Homecoming Queen candidate for Δ T Δ.

PLEGDED: Louise Brannon, Joyce Keenan, Madelyn McRae,

Sue Montgomery, Polly Perry, Polly Robertson, Birmingham; Suzanne Leonhardt, Sheffield; Catherine McGaully, Pensacola, Fla.; Theresa Camden, Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla.; Patricia Hart, Betty Miner, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Jane Davis, Sue Oswald, Atlanta, Ga.; Edwina Swinson, Columbus, Ga.; Nancy Appel, Highland Park, Ill.; Nancy Mochel, Shelbyville, Ill.; Patricia Pietsch, Gary, Ind.; Jacqueline Quiniti, Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Barbara O'Leary, Meridian, Miss.; Claire Ray, New York, N.Y.; Joyce Bratton, Decherd, Tenn.; Peggy Hulsey, Memphis, Tenn.; Mary Katherine Chumley, Winchester, Tenn.; Nancy Anderson, Dallas, Tex.

PEGGY BERRY

### FLORIDA ALPHA—STETSON UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1913

INITIATED, April 27, 1949: Barbara Brundage, De Land; Allyne Burns, Jacksonville; Lois Iskey, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Nellie Jo Raulerson, Miami; Frederica Schlens, Ormond; Jayne Weitzel, Lockport, N.Y.

The highlights of spring quarter included the installation of two new chapters on the campus, Alpha Xi chapter of  $\Phi M$  and Zeta Tau Zeta chapter of  $\Lambda X A$ . During a series of socials given in honor of  $\Phi M$  Panhellenic entertained with a banquet. The  $\Lambda X A$  installation weekend was climaxed with the Installation Ball.

Florida A spent the weekend following initiation at Ormond, which is located on the Atlantic coast, so that the members could become better acquainted.

Other activities included Interfraternity Sing, Founders' Day and Senior Farewell. A sale of  $\Pi B \Phi$  cook books was sponsored by the chapter. Girls living in the vicinity of De Land who planned to come to Stetson in the fall were rushed at an all day swimming and picnic party held at Hurricane Plantation.

Lenora Williams and Mary Ethel Gilbert were tapped for the Honor, the highest honor awarded for scholarship, leadership, and activities. Barbara Brundage was elected editor of the Stetson annual, *The Hatter*, and elected to La Franciade, honorary French organization, and  $\Theta A \Phi$ , honorary dramatic fraternity. Joan Cook was selected as Miss De Land of 1949. Mary Ethel Gilbert was tapped for the Order of The Scroll and Key. Susan Northen was selected secretary of intramurals. Marjorie Marks and Audrey Bach were graduated magna cum laude and cum laude, respectively.

This fall Florida A found a new school spirit throughout the campus. A new interest in athletics had been taken by the administration and new coaches were brought to the university. It was discovered that there was a decrease in enrollment and an increase in the size of the faculty which would mean better teacher-pupil relationships. The campus was also undergoing an extensive beautification program. There was a renewed fraternity spirit for each of the five women's fraternities on campus had a suite of six rooms in the new Panhellenic house which was turned over to them by the administration.

NANCY WILLIAMS

### FLORIDA BETA—FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY

Chartered, October 14, 1921

INITIATED, May 7, 1949: Joan Blalock, Jean Wade, Ocala; Beverly Bryant, Pat Preece, Miami; Helen Coith, Mary Virginia Wolfe, Orlando; Shirley Davidson, Jacksonville; Ann Dillard, De Land; Charlotte Oldham, Leesburg; Jean Livingston, Jett Monroe, Tallahassee.

Members of Florida B returned this fall to find many changes about the campus. Since Florida State became co-educational several years ago, there has been a steady increase in enrollment. The new, red brick music building has just been completed, and several new men's dormitories are now under construction. The local  $Z T A$  chapter will soon be the proud owners of a new chapter house.

The chapter opened its fall rushing season September 29 with a formal reception at the chapter house. The next three days of rush week included: a style show with a cocktail theme, the Pi Phi Follies with specialty acts, and the Pi Phi Memory Book with pictures that came to life to illustrate Pi Phi in various activities.

At the close of the spring quarter, Florida B entertained all the fraternities on campus with a barn dance at the house. Guests came dressed in old clothes and the house was appropriately decorated with bamboo and hay.

During the spring term Jo Ann Cloud was tapped for F Club, girls' athletic club, and for  $\Phi K \Phi$ , scholastic honorary.

Pat Dillard was elected May Queen for the annual May Day Dance. Jean Sayer was chosen as a member of the Sophomore Hop Court.

Natalie Parramore was tapped for  $\Phi B K$  in her junior

year and Evelyn Gray became a member of  $\Lambda A \Delta$ , Freshman scholastic honorary. Barbara Jean Morgan was elected to Mortar Board and is now serving as president of Garnet Key. After starring in the annual Tarpon performance, Mary Virginia Wolfe was elected secretary of the Tarpon Club.

$\Pi K A$  chose Becky Koons as their Dream Girl and presented her with a jeweled sweetheart pin.

NELLE CARTER

### FLORIDA GAMMA—ROLLINS COLLEGE

Chartered, September 28, 1929

Pledge Day, October 23, 1949

Rushing began on October 6 with a series of "get acquainted" teas at which the freshmen and transfers had the opportunity to meet all of the sorority girls and get acquainted with the different chapter houses. Each sorority gave three formal rush parties, October 20-22. In accordance with a new Panhellenic Council ruling, the freshmen and transfers were allowed to go to only one of the first two parties given by one house; the third party was preferential and invitations were sent to only those girls who were to be given bids. Florida  $\Gamma$ 's first two parties set to a Bowery theme, were held at the chapter house with decorations, refreshments, and floorshow appropriate to the occasion. The third party was very impressive; it was held at an old colonial home of a town patron. This was the Plantation Party. An old Negro waiter serving gingerale "mint juleps," three small colored-boy singers, and the beautiful plantation home itself lent atmosphere.

On October 28, Lolita Snell Prouty, Grand Treasurer, paid a visit to Florida  $\Gamma$ . The chapter was pleased and honored to have the opportunity to get acquainted with such an outstanding member of Pi Beta Phi.

JEANNIE WISELOGEL

### GEORGIA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Chartered, 1939

Pledge Day, September 29, 1949

INITIATED, April 24, 1949, Charlotte Hailey, Hartwell; Barbara June Maxwell, Griffin; Margaret McClurkin, Savannah; Margaret Pippin, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Helen Smith, Manchester.

Several alumnae were able to return for rush week, September 22-25. The preferential system of rushing is used at Georgia and the formal rush week consists of four days of parties. Georgia  $\Lambda$  featured an "Alice in Wonderland" party on the first day and a "Petty" party, "Bowery" party, and "Heaven" party on the following three days. A dance was given in honor of the pledges on October 21.

Rushing was not actually over for Georgia  $\Lambda$  on September 25, for with the closing of women's rushing came the beginning of fraternity rush week. It, too, lasts for four days and all members of the chapter helped one or more fraternities rush.

The football season is well underway at Georgia and many follow the team, whether it plays in Athens or elsewhere. Georgia again has hopes of playing a Bowl game January 1, but this time intends to be the victor rather than the loser, as it was in the Orange Bowl last New Year's Day.

The annual  $\Sigma X$  Derby is to be held in several weeks and the chapter is looking forward to adding many new trophies to those won in last year's Derby.

Ann Andrews was elected to  $\Phi B K$  in May. Jo Ann Terry was chosen "Duchess" of the W.S.S.F. Ball and was elected to the Student Union Board in the campus elections. At the same time Nancy White was chosen as one of the cheerleaders. Dottie Addison is one of the Georgia drum major-ettes. Elizabeth Neel is treasurer of Panhellenic and secretary of  $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$ , honorary journalism fraternity. Clara O'Keefe is Women's Editor of the *Pandora* and Joyce Carrell is assistant Business Manager. Mary Elizabeth Jackson is  $\Lambda A \Delta$  secretary. Millie Matthews is vice-president of Homecon, home economics' majors club, and she and Jean DeMars are members of  $\Phi T O$ , honorary home economics fraternity. Jean has been elected second vice-president in the College Club Department of the American Home Economics Association. Lanette Hutchins is a member of Thalian-Blackfriars, honorary drama fraternity. Betty Jean Rice was in charge of the Freshman Orientation Program on Coordinate Campus this fall.

PLEDGED: Ann Aker, Jonesboro; Mary Boone, Willacoochee; Beverly Ann Butcher, Williamsburg, Ky.; DeLaine Durden, Brenda Harrison, Decatur; Sue Gardner, Rossville; Lew Lacey, Tampa, Fla.; Gretchen Long, Asheville, N.C.; Delores Miller, Colquitt; Jean Minter, Elberton; Ann O'Neill, Memphis, Tenn.; Patti Roy, Orlando, Fla.; Suzanne Twitty, Manchester; Diane Williams, Hapeville.

BUNNY GRIFFIN

## ETA PROVINCE

WISCONSIN ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF  
WISCONSIN

Chartered, November 1, 1894  
Pledge Day, September 26, 1949

This year rush week for Wisconsin A was a new experience as it was the first time open rushing has been held on the campus. The theme of the informal parties was Pi Phi Heaven and the house was turned into a veritable mass of pink clouds, angels and stars by Jane Stouffer's decorations. Beverly Hollett wrote the skit and Char Sundt directed.

Last spring Janet Williams and Mary Lou Reetz were elected to Mortar Board and Beverly Hollett is the new president of Crucible, Junior Women's Honorary Society. Ruth Nolte was elected to  $\Phi$  B K.

The annual Father's Weekend, October 22, the fathers attended the Ohio State game, and a dinner at the Cuba Club planned by Jean Russell.

Wisconsin A held open house on October 14 and had exchange parties with the  $\Sigma$  Xs,  $\Delta$  Ts, and  $\Sigma$  A Es during the fall.

PLEGDED: Mary Lou Bellingham, Geneva; Margaret Thompson, Roseanne Campbell, Madge Carpenter, Milwaukee; Caroline Close, Milford, Ohio; Barbara Dewey, Wauwatosa; Elizabeth Edler, Chippewa Falls; Paula Grafe, Los Angeles, Calif.; Nancy Jennett, Marion Jones, Chicago, Ill.; Marion Jensen, Angola, Ind.; Jule Kennedy, Kenosha; Mary Koch, Pewaukee; Barbara McCall, Grand Haven, Mich.; Elizabeth Neprud, Coon Valley; Libby Raup, Springfield, Ohio; Marjorie Rupp, Patricia Pidcoe, Madison; Betsy Wiseman, Janesville.

RUTH NOLTE

## WISCONSIN BETA—BELOIT COLLEGE

Chartered, August 20, 1919

The rush season this year was a bit different, due to a revised system. Each group gave an additional party, and a rushee could attend, at the most, two of them. Also, all final formal open houses were held on the same night. Wisconsin B's first invitational party was the Camellia House, complete with candlelight, lovely big menus in pink and green, placecards with paper camellias on them and soft piano music. The second one was a Land of Oz party, for which the decorations were large figures of characters from the book, drawn on cardboard and placed around the walls. The front door was made to look like the book cover and Martha Tinker, as Dorothy, was there to open it and welcome the rushees. For entertainment, Marjorie Markgraf had written a skit in which all the characters in the Wizard of Oz helped Dorothy get back home, so she could pledge Pi Beta Phi.

The chapter seems to have an abundance of secretaries this year. Dorothy Harmeling was chosen secretary of Associated Students by the Student Senate, Mary Crabtree is secretary of the senior class, and Norma Jean Smith, of the junior, while Anne Knoll was tapped for National Collegiate Players, chosen secretary of that group, and is also secretary of the Union Board.

Last spring Madelyn Larsen, as the candidate for the freshman class, was selected by the "B" Club, to be queen of the Beloit Relays, at which event Beloit was the winning college for the first time in many years. Jacqueline Dougan was tapped for Senior Bench, a senior women's honorary, the local equivalent of Mortar Board.

The various dormitories have chosen their officers for the year: Joanne Christensen is president of North College, Cecilia Kastholm is vice-president of Chapin Hall and Patricia Tracy is treasurer of Centennial Hall.

Many preparations were made for house and float decorations for homecoming, October 15. In former years, the homecoming queen candidates have been nominated by the women's fraternities, but this year the task was given to the men's groups.  $\Phi$  K  $\Psi$  chose Martha Tinker;  $\Sigma$  II, Ruth Ullsperger, and T K E, Mary Crabtree.

PLEGDED: Gretchen Bittner, Wauwatosa; Lois Carlson, Riverside, Ill.; Laurel Custard, Margaret Nyhus, Frances Trout, Winnetka, Ill.; Barbara Florian, Kansas City, Mo.; Joanne Foote, Mary Hutchison, Glen Ellyn, Ill.; Elizabeth Hanson, St. Paul, Minn.; Barbara Hendrickson, Nancy Mondientz, Kathleen Ward, Dorothy West, Joan Holt, Chicago, Ill.; Elizabeth Kury, Decatur, Ill.; Barbara Leitner, Elgin, Ill.; Elizabeth Lewis, Beloit; Ann Meinking, Bangor; Dorothy Olson, Jane Peregrine, Oak Park, Ill.; Doris Perry, St. Cloud, Fla.; Charmaine Russell, West Bend; Elizabeth Snyder, Evanston, Ill.; Marylyn Zuercher, Monroe.

ANNE KNOLL

## WISCONSIN GAMMA—LAWRENCE COLLEGE

Chartered, September 12, 1940  
Pledge Day, September 25, 1949

On returning to Lawrence College in the fall, all students were pleased to see the construction of the Art Building under way. It is a greatly needed building and will certainly add to the beauty of the campus.

After the pledging ceremony the Fox River Valley Alumnae Club gave a banquet for the entire chapter at the Riverview Country Club.

Nancy Kingsbury graduated last June summa cum laude. Kay Elwers, who graduated magna cum laude, received the Specter Award given to the most outstanding senior and the Senior Award which is presented to the girl who has shown the most service, the best sportsmanship, leadership, and scholarship in the Lawrence Women's Recreational Association.

Wisconsin  $\Gamma$  started the year by entering into many activities. Ann Cox was elected social chairman for the entire student body, Ann Kompass was appointed to the Editorial Board of the *Contributor*, the campus literary magazine, and the secretary of Spanish Club is Sonia Sandeen. The returns of the election of officers in the largest upperclass women's dormitory showed Joyce Herreid the head proctor and Patty Gould the social chairman. Jand McNamara, Nancy Stolp, Ann Kompass, Margie Wolf and Kitty Masterson were appointed to act as counselors for the freshman women. Nancy Stolp and June Zachow were recently pledged to  $\Sigma$  A I, national women's music fraternity.

In October the chapter challenged K A  $\Theta$  to a game of touch football and everyone had a lot of fun getting ready for the strenuous event.

A picnic was held at Telulah Park for Wisconsin  $\Gamma$ 's and their dates. Although the weather was rather cool, they had a good time building a fire and roasting wieners.

PLEGDED: Pauline Amundsen, Duluth, Minn.; Candida Baker, Paula Panier, Nancy Peeters, Joan Chambers, Chicago, Ill.; Carol Duthie, Phyllis Eckdahl, Des Plaines, Ill.; Doriene Grengs, Spooner; Karen Hansen, Milwaukee; Meredith Holmes, Minneapolis, Minn.; Lois Hovorka, Bunny Penn, Eleanor Shaw, Evanston, Ill.; Mary Hrobosky, Lyons; Jean Hutton, La Grange, Ill.; Mary Johnson, Hartford; Dorothy Karstedt, Burlington; Nadine Knoke, June Zachow, Appleton; Marilyn Mitchell, Michigan City, Ill.; Patricia Neil, Elgin, Ill.; Lois Tomaso, Elmwood Park, Ill.; Marion White, Rock Island, Ill.

HELEN WAGNER

## ILLINOIS ALPHA—MONMOUTH COLLEGE

Chartered, April 28, 1867  
Pledge Day, October 8, 1949

INITIATED, October 1, 1949: Evelyn Beatty, Beatrice, Neb.; JoAnn Latimer, Canton; Ethel Milligan, Des Moines, Iowa; Mary Ramsdale, LeClaire, Iowa; Betty Dale Rossell, Monmouth; Jean Payne, Ina Mae Wagner, Chicago.

Thirty-nine actives and pledges barely had time to get rooms in order and registered for classes before the rushing activities began with the Panhellenic Tea on September 24. An octet sang representative songs of the four national societies.

Illinois A's informal rush party was held in an unoccupied schoolhouse with the traditional theme of a "barn party". The formal party was held at Holt House, giving the rushees an opportunity to become acquainted with the founding place and the history of Pi Beta Phi. Following the dessert the Pi Beta Phi quartet composed of Jeanne Black, Louise Ramsdale, Elizabeth Schmetter, and Claire McIntosh presented several numbers. Following pledging at the home of an alumna, a cooky-shine was given at Holt House by the Monmouth alumnae.

Jeanne Black was initiated into II A N, honorary music fraternity; Virginia Haun and Claire McIntosh were tapped for T II, honorary women's organization corresponding to Mortar Board; Virginia Haun is vice-president of Y.W.C.A. and president of the Sociology club; Martha Muirhead is business manager and Marcia Tubbs is vice-president of Crimson Masque, dramatic organization; Imogene Gardner was elected treasurer of her dormitory. Illinois A has 100 per cent membership in Y.W.C.A. with Marion Gantner and Imogene Gardner having cabinet offices.

This past summer Eta Province held a presidents' conference in Evanston. Nancy Buchanan brought back many helpful suggestions presented by chapters in Eta Province and by the province president, Miss Margaret Dick.

Panhellenic council is planning this year to adopt a war

orphan. Also, it had charge of freshman women's orientation, when one member from each sorority, under the supervision of the Dean of Women, talked to the new students about study habits. To follow this up, Panhellenic council sponsored an all-school workshop of supervised study whereby freshmen or anyone needing assistance may obtain it from an upperclassman majoring in the troublesome subject.

The chapter is looking forward to a very successful year for itself and to better and more efficient co-operation between sororities as a result of revised Panhellenic policies.

PLEDGED: September 29, 1949, Marjorie Fuller, Jeanne Jennings, Evanston.

October 8, 1949: Carolyn Emmons, Alton; Jackie Luper, Lois Myers, Avon; Joan Bjork, Doris Dittich, Ann Grasse, Jacqueline Guilbert, Jane Hogan, Ruth Sekera, Chicago; Joyce Keating, Alexis; Barbara Hicks, Evanston; Mary Ellen Ripley, Jerseyville; Martha Applegate, Geraldine Johnson, Monmouth; Ellen Harris, Barbara Hill, Marlene Pierce, Oak Park; Jean Sillars, University City, Mo.; Carol Riffey, Vuiden.

CLAIRE MCINTOSH

### ILLINOIS BETA DELTA—KNOX COLLEGE

Chartered, 1930

Pledge Day, September 27, 1949

INITIATED, May 2, 1949: Barbara Howe, River Forest; Ruth Miner, Chicago.

A new president, Sharvey G. Umbeck, who formerly was dean of the College of William and Mary, was on hand this fall to greet the largest enrollment of students in the history of Knox College. Ten days of orientation, examinations, and rushing for new students ended with the beginning of classes and pledging on September 27.

Although new Panhellenic rules limit the number of parties at which refreshments can be served and decorations used, an active week of rushing included such events as the annual visit to Holt House and the witches party. After the pledging ceremony the Galesburg alumnae served a spaghetti supper in the home of Marjorie Stuart.

Fall quarter found many members of Illinois B Δ at work in the theatre. Joan Foster, Nancy Campbell, Gretchen Shirck, and Barbara Green had roles in the Homecoming play, "The Warrior's Husband." Ten other members were in choruses of the comedy while Helen Dale Caben was director of the property crew. Jane Webster was recently admitted to Curtain Call, honorary theatrical organization.

WAA activities for the year have been outlined by the council of which Mary Darr, Joan Pacey, Alice Campbell, Barbara Bagley, and Martha Pratt are members. Alice Campbell, who last spring won the WAA swimming meet, was elected president of Puddles on the Right.

Enrolling students to conduct recreation programs in the local social work centers is the job of Charlene Hiatt, community service chairman of the YWCA. Nancy Campbell also serves on this board. Peggy Gronnerud will act as president and Martha Pratt as treasurer of KAWS, Knox women's governing body.

Last spring Marie Bacon Hagee, national director of extension, visited the campus. After a cooky-shine in the Panhellenic house, Mrs. Hagee spoke to the chapter and discussed the new senior farewell ceremony.

Pi Beta Phi ranked first scholastically last year above all other fraternities of the college. Joan Foster and Nancy Roman were chosen to Freshman Commission, Mary Runyon Gibbs was voted the Pearl Harris award for the outstanding junior, and N. Randall Woodford was elected to OBK. Joan Pacey, Peggy Gronnerud, Marjorie Cecil and Jane Webster were selected to membership in Mortar Board. Seven of the chapter will be granted special privileges as honor students.

PLEDGED: Carol Schultdt, Chicago; Joan Larson, Ruth McGee, Evanston; Nancy Tucker, Galesburg; Anita Albro, Kewanee; Barbara Bjorkman, Knoxville; Louise Lauder, Monmouth; Audrey Eyre, Marianne McKeane, Park Ridge; Edith Walker, Streator; Ellen Heyl, Washington; Sue Chanon, West Frankfort; Carolyn Burgess, Zion; Louise Lord, Davenport, Iowa; Alice Campbell, Dearborn, Mich.; Lydia Sargent, Havenford, Penn.; Mary Ann Way, Schenectady, N.Y.; Audrae Norris, St. Paul, Minn.

FRANCES GORDON

### ILLINOIS EPSILON—NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY

Chartered, May 26, 1894

Illinois E's returned from vacation to find their living room beautifully redecorated in modern styling of red, green, and white. To add to the excitement, the chapter received a

portable television set as a gift from the Mother's Club. Social life began with an informal Δ K E party and a Δ T Tea Dance. Illinois E held an Open House after the Michigan game, entertaining families and friends with a combo and refreshments in the dining room. The chapter was successful in surprising the house Chaperon, Mrs. Heilmann, with a tea in her honor. All the other sorority Chaperons were invited, and the result was an enjoyable afternoon.

Many Illinois Es took part in the Northwestern Fashion Fair this year. Julie Gallaher was in charge of the models, and Pat Olmstead ably commented on the clothes worn by Kay Cutler, Jan Rutledge, Connie Pember, Marge Hendry, Marty Gladson, Barbara Smith, and Lynn Stephenson. Lee Shendorf was on the Make-up committee, Lindy Lindgren sang, and Sue Shwier and Elaine Grimes ushered. The Show was an outstanding campus production.

Pat Olmstead is Co-chairman of the Bi-Partisan League; Nancy Harris, is President of the Panhellenic House; and Becky Duncan is candidate for Purple Parrot Cover Girl.

PLEDGED: Barbara Jane Baker, Dayton, Ohio; Donna Beagle, Pampa, Tex.; Marlene Bonke, Chicago; Sue Brundage, Port Angeles, Calif.; Alice Campbell, Marinette, Wis.; Barbara Carr, Shaker Heights, Mich.; Nancy Caserio, Michigan City, Ind.; Joan Cooke, Washington, D.C.; Lou Corbet, Monticella; Kay Cutler, LaPorte, Ind.; Pat Fox, Rockford; Paula Flowers, Wilmette; Marti Henderlite, Clayton, Mo.; June Laughlin, University City, Mo.; Jo Peterson, St. Louis, Mo.; Jennie Pfister, Sheboygan, Wis.; Pat Raiden, Fort Wayne, Ind.; Sue Shwab, Mary Ann Jones, Kenilworth; Sue Shwier, South Bend, Ind.; Margie Sledz, Elaine Grimes, Evanston; Sue Smart, Kansas City, Mo.; Nan Sorenson, Mansfield, Ohio; Barbara Sours, Columbus, Ohio; Lynn Stephenson, Santa Barbara, Calif.; Sandra Woodworth, Norton, Conn.; Margaret Wilson, Shreveport, La.; Jean Zaumeyer, Neenah, Wis.; Donna Rogers, Glenview.

### ILLINOIS ZETA—UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS

Chartered, 1895

Pledge Day, June 12, 1949

INITIATED, September 25, 1949: Henrietta Tomlin, Pleasant Plains; Mary Lu Traylor, Springfield.

The fall term has begun with a rush of activity that it was hard for Illinois Z's to realize they have been absent from such plans and excitement for as much as three months time.

The second and third floors of the chapter house have been redecorated. The halls are papered in an unusual floral and ivy pattern with ivy entwined bird cages as light globes. The bulletin board was moved to a more noticeable site and the chapter plaques were brought up to date and placed in a more prominent position on the second floor. All of the actives returned a few days early in order to have the rooms decorated by the time the pledges, who were rushed in the Spring, arrived. The new pledge class was introduced to Pi Beta Phi tradition and spirit at a Cooky-shine held on the night of their arrival.

There are two new buildings on the campus, engineering and chemistry. The University began the year with a torch-light procession and pep rally on the eve of the Wisconsin game. Elaborate plans were made for house decorations and the interfraternity Stunt Show which took place over the homecoming weekend. The chapter joined forces with A X A for the Stunt Show. Patti Gilliam and Vera Lea Williams were candidates for the Homecoming Court of Honor.

Joyce Breese and Phyllis Welsh were asked to join Mask and Bauble, dramatic honorary. Pat Wallace was named one of seven directors of the Illini Union Student Activities and JoAnne Fisherkeller, Ruth Dearing, and Sheila McMurray were named major chairmen. Joyce Breese was elected to Z Φ H, speech honorary. Carolyn Clark and Marilyn Hindsley are now members of Σ A I, national music honorary. Tommie Riley, Marilyn Hindsley, and Carolyn Clark achieved the grade average necessary to become members of A Δ Δ, and Barbara Long made Φ B K. Torch, Junior Women's Activity honorary, claimed Joy Wardle, Joyce Breese, and Sheila McMurray, while Pat Wallace and Grace Hartman were elected to Mortar Board. Phyllis Welsh and Joan Dilavou are now Theatre Guild managers and Marge Tompkins, Joy Wardle, and Dottie Himes are chairmen at the Y.W.C.A.

Burta Fleharty was named winner of the Valbelman award at Founders' Day last Spring. The Valbelman award is presented each Spring to the most outstanding member of the senior class and is given in honor of the founders of this chapter. At the same occasion, Joyce Breese and Sheila McMurray received the sophomore award.

The pledge class of 1952 presented the chapter with a lovely and lasting gift, a Magnavox radio and victrola combination. II B Φ and K K Γ have voted to join in having a

Monmouth Duo in the Spring. Both houses have heard many favorable comments about the success of this dance at other colleges and are hoping that it will become a traditional campus event here.

**PLEGDED:** Dolores Koehnemann, Racheal O'Byrne, Mary Ruth Tate, Champaign; Shirley Locke, Joanne Rogers, Urbana; Sue Davidson, Monticello; Marianne Green, Gibson City; Patricia Kennedy, Tuscola; Martha Moots, Clinton; Phyllis Black, Mary Lynette Giblin, Sally White, Springfield; Pat Daugherty, Jan Peterson, Wilmette; Shirley Gould, Peoria; Sarah Holder, Elizabeth Williamson, Bloomington; Marilyn Johnson, Beardstown; Virginia MacDonald, Christopher; Barbara Schmitt, Yonkers, N.Y.; Suzanne Wideman, Alton; Carolyn Zipprodt, Chicago.

SHEILA McMURRAY

### ILLINOIS ETA—JAMES MILLIKIN UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1912  
Pledge Day, September 17, 1949

**INITIATED,** September 24, 1949: Nancy Deetz, Joy Dunn, Jean Spangler, Jacqueline Traugher, Decatur; Marcella Durr, Edwardsville.

Following Initiation the traditional cooky-shine was held. By October 15 Illinois H was able to move back into the chapter house as extensive remodeling and building were almost completed.

All academic Fraternities participated in the variety show which was held October 21 and 22.

Millikin Homecoming weekend was October 29. Millikin played Carrol College and a dance was held that night in the Illini Ballroom with music furnished by Hal McIntyre and his orchestra.

On November 5, a dance was given at the chapter house in honor of the Initiates and pledges. Barb Hall and Lois Shand were in charge of this event.

The Christmas formal was given December 10, at the Orlando Hotel.

**PLEGDED:** Suzanne Bilgere, Jo Ann Bourland, Jacqueline Davis, Jacquelyn Dunkel, Sue Etherington, Anne Fowler, Helen Humphrey, Kay Keith, JoAnn Lytle, Nancy Riley, Bettymae Ryan, Decatur; Peggy Beach, Sterling; Dorothy Dayvault, Houston, Tex.; Nancy Holland, Utica; Jean Kizer, Paris; Jeannine Maxwell, Jacksonville; Sally Lou Morrison, Zanesville, Ohio; Bernis White, Carmi; Roberta Zust, Evanston.

MARY GODWIN

### ILLINOIS THETA—BRADLEY UNIVERSITY

Chartered, May 17, 1947  
Pledge Day, October 2, 1949

**INITIATED,** April 3, 1949: Marguerite Schuller, Wilmette; Lou Lita Sapp, Princeton; Thelma Moore, Decatur; Joy

Dirksen, Pekin; Carol Cryer, El Paso; Janet Whalen, Renna Thurman, Lorraine Smith, Connie Jo Smith, Diane Schuller, Dolores Manuel, Madelyn Love, Louise Ann Hale, Ann Fischer, Carol Fahnstock, Ann Brunning, Norrine Ambrose, Peoria.

October 3 saw 4,000 students from all parts of the globe, including Hong Kong, Bagdad, Europe, South America and Hawaii, arriving in Peoria to complete the largest registration in the history of Bradley University.

Last spring Phyllis Ellis was elected president of Y.W.C.A. Three of the eight girls tapped by Chimes were Ann Schroen, Nancy Millikan and Jeanette Krumpe. Jeanette is now president, and Nancy is treasurer of the honorary. Seven girls were elected to Wakapa, senior honorary equivalent to Mortar Board; Carolyn Powell was elected president, and Pat Micheal treasurer. Additional honor winners were, Dolores Manuel, Student Council member; Jo Beyer and Nancy Shively, president and secretary of Spanish club; Shirley Olker, queen of the junior prom; Janet Cler and Carol Cryer,  $\Sigma A I$  members; and Shirley Oltman, co-captain of the forensic squad, Elva Schoaff Harper and Jeanette Krumpe received the Bradley Panhellenic scholarship cups for having the highest senior and freshman grades. The W.A.A. sports trophy was awarded to Illinois  $\Theta$  for the third year, which entitles the chapter to keep the award. The summer brought the thrilling notice that Jerry Lamb, historian, and Sarag Lee Burdick, assistant historian, received the Nita Stark Hill Vase for their excellent historian's report.

When the Illinois  $\Theta$ 's returned this fall, they found the dining room and one of the bedrooms of the chapter house redecorated and the bathroom remodeled and enlarged.

The chapter's first social function was the tea to acquaint rushees with the Pi Beta Phi house. Rushing followed, with five informal parties and one formal preferential dinner. When the girls came to the chapter house for the tea, they were met at the door by two actives dressed as sailors and taken aboard the "S.S. Pi Phi". Here they were informed that the "S.S. Pi Phi" would sail the following day for Ching Pi Phi, China; the next day to San Pi Phi, South America; and the last country on the sea voyage was Pi Phi Land. Two coolies welcomed the rushees to Ching Pi Phi where oriental lanterns, vases, and scripts decorated the chapter house. At San Pi Phi, gay senoritas greeted rushees, and the house was embellished in brightly colored sombreros, serapes, and gourds. Those rushees who came to Pi Phi Land were met by two heralds, and every girl who came to Pi Phi Land was pledged to Pi Beta Phi.

Exchange parties among campus groups are well under way and Illinois  $\Theta$  plans to entertain a different group each Friday afternoon at a coffee hour.

**PLEGDED:** Martha Thomas, Sally Jacob, Betty Lindstrom, Sally Cusick, Mae Hageman, Gloria Finch, Truda Cooling, Dolores Clarke, Marjorie Meinen, Donna Marcus, Peoria; Ruth Ortt, South Bend, Ind.; Betty Traver, Decatur; Winnie Webster, Laura; Peggy Jensen, Chicago; Dolores Swardstad, Glenview; Pat Houk, Galesburg; Joyce Houter, Morton.

JOANNE BEYER

## THETA PROVINCE

### MANITOBA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MANITOBA

Chartered, 1929

The University of Manitoba went all out this year to give the Frosh a big welcome. Features of Freshy Week were several pep rallies, tea dances, a football game between female Interior Decorators and the Engineers, the football being delivered by a helicopter, and the annual Pow-Wow, a bon-fire and dance on the campus.

Friday all the Freshies took part in the big parade lead by Nat Cole, of the King Cole Trio, who acted as a judge of the beautifully decorated floats, representative of each faculty. That night the tired but happy Freshies were entertained at the wind-up dance, the "Queen Quest", where the lucky lady chosen as Freshy Queen was crowned.

Manitoba A's also welcomed each other back after the long summer. Several of the members brought summer activities to a close with a week-end at the summer home of Gloria Anderson, at Victoria Beach. The girls are busy working on plans for deferred rushing and social activities to take place during the year.

WILMA F. GUITARD

Oakes; Merrie Ellen Hewitt, Minto; Maureen Huffman, Waltham; Phyllis Jordheim, Enderlin; Kay Kelly, Hillsboro; Mary Sussex, Hope; Marlene Thompson, New Rockford; Virginia Absey, Beverly Lammey, Shirley Osmundson, Ragna Perrin, E. Grand Forks, Minn.; Barbara Gewalt, Breckinridge, Minn.; Marilyn Nelson, Crookston, Minn.

The University of North Dakota presented a "new" face to returning students this fall. The long awaited Student Union was under construction, the roads had been paved, and the beautiful Medical Building had been completed.

Not to be outdone by the campus additions, the North Dakota A House Association had purchased, among other things, new dining room furniture and a full length mirror for the front hall. These additions and the new front lawn landscaping really improved the house.

Elizabeth Anne Kelley was chosen as Theta Province Amy Burnham Onken Award winner and was awarded a recognition pin by the Alumnae Club for being the chapter's most valuable senior. Anne Hollanitsch was elected to  $\Phi B K$ . Marjorie Jacobsen was elected Mortar Board president and Women's League president. Phyllis Lahren was elected to membership in  $B \Gamma \Sigma$ , national honorary society in the School of Commerce. Phyllis also was awarded the Beta Gamma Sigma award in recognition of having the highest average in the School of Commerce during three years' work and was elected president of  $\Phi X \Theta$ . Elaine Lebus was elected Sweater Queen. Ragna Perrin and Mary Sussex were elected treasurer and secretary of the University Band, respectively. Mary was also awarded her jeweled pin at Initiation for having the highest freshman average in the pledge class. Loria Collette and Mary Ann Phelps had leading parts in the Passion Play presented by the Newman Club. Mary Ann also received the Pi Beta Scholastic

### NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA

Chartered, October 7, 1921  
Pledge Day, September 14, 1949

**INITIATED,** March 30, 1949: Loria Collette, Jean Stein, Grand Forks; Constance Boehne, Aneta; JoAnn Foster,

Achievement award. The pledge class won first place in the Y.W.C.A. carnival. Patricia Webb, Loria Collette, and Mary Ann Phelps were elected officers of the Newman Club.

Among the highlights of the social activities were the very lovely Founders' Day banquet at the Ryan Hotel given by the alumnae club, an exchange dinner with the A T Os, and the faculty reception. Wednesday night open houses are being sponsored by the men's fraternities again this year.

PLEGDED: Mary Ellen Arnold, Marjorie Collette, Lois Earl, Dorothy Webb, Grand Forks; Ardythe English, New Rockford; Marlys Jacobsen, Connie Johnson, Rolla; Lois Paulson, Fargo; Helen Urton, Steele; Betsy Furuseth, Halsted, Minn.; Beverlee Juneau, Minneapolis, Minn.; Joyce Lunke, Thief River Falls, Minn.; Beradine Zipoy, East Grand Forks, Minn.

MARY ANN PHELPS

### MINNESOTA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

Chartered, 1906

Pledge Day, October 10, 1949

Minnesota A's first fall quarter meeting was enlivened by Barbara Gesell's description of the Theta Province presidents' meeting held at the home of Marjorie Jacobson, Rolla, North Dakota. Through an interesting scrap book and a log of her trip, Barbara passed on to the chapter many helpful suggestions gained through conferences on all phases of fraternity life.

Many Pi Phis were busy this summer working on freshman orientation activities both on and off campus. Billie Bea Hull, Helen Raihle, Marlys Morill, and B. J. Gammel served as counselors at the freshman camp. Billie Bea and Janna Oppegard acted as group sponsors of freshman orientation.

Both town and house girls were elated over the changes made in the chapter house and grounds during the summer. The front and back lawns were completely resodded, and shrubbery bordering the house was planted.

Working under a "three year" plan, the House Board undertook partial refurbishing of the bedrooms and the dining room. Blond oak lamps, desks, and bureaus added a modern touch to the bedrooms, while yellow and grey chairs brightened the dining room. Next year, the bedrooms and dining room will be redone. The third year will be devoted to refurbishing the living room.

New trophies, won during spring quarter for first place in the Panhellenic Song Fest and the Campus Carnival, were polished up for informal rushing which started October 1.

Panhellenic Council initiated a new system of rushee counseling which met with a great deal of success. During the open house teas, rushees were escorted in groups of twenty to every house, by a rushing counselor who was not allowed to wear her pin. Running on a time schedule, this plan enabled the rushees to become better acquainted with the members of the individual sororities and vice versa.

Parties during the rest of the week were invitational, so the system could not be carried out to a greater extent. However, the new method eliminated a great deal of the confusion usually evident the first two days of rushing.

Minnesota A was pleased to find many Pi Phi transfers enrolled at the university this year. Meeting these girls helps to bring out recognition of the wide national scope of the fraternity, in addition to its local importance.

Billie Bea Hull received the Order of the Gopher, awarded annually to thirty campus leaders. Gerry Johnson is a representative on the executive committee of the Gopher Rooter Club. Shirley Wall and B. J. Gammel are acting as treasurer and secretary, respectively, of the Inter-Pro Council. Kay Mulholland was elected president of K E, honorary pharmaceutical sorority.

Mary Hayward, Wisconsin I, was affiliated by Minnesota A October 10.

PLEGDED: Nancy Iverson, Nancy Whitney, Sally Davis, June Johnston, Joan Forfar, Minneapolis; Zuane Napier, St. Paul; Carillon Cargill, Excelsior; Lonnie Arnao, Wayzata; Carol Larson, Detroit Lakes; Katie LeRoy, Marilyn Noeske, Alexandria; Margaret Elias, Duluth; Kay Hall, Albert Lea; Janet Gay Grosnick, Ortonville; Margaret Stone, Crookston; Karin Sturgeon, Sheridan, Wyo. JOAN WITTE

### IOWA ALPHA—IOWA WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY

Chartered 1867

Pledge Day, October 2, 1949

The Iowa A's "Pi Phi Debut", informal rush party was given on September 26. The party opened with a get acquainted game in which all rushees were given a slip of paper describing each active in some way. The principal event of the evening was a fashion show in which the

actives displayed the latest fashions for this season. Punch and wine and silver blue open sandwiches were served at the end of the evening.

The formal was the traditional "Alice Blue Gown" party. The dinner was served at the Harlan Hotel after which demitasse and arrow cake were served at the home of Mrs. M. L. Dickson.

Dolly Sandstedt played a major role in "Accidentally Yours", the college's first production this year.

PLEGDED: Nadine Anderson, Ottumwa; Nancy Hall, Cary, Ind.; Joan Keefer, Mt. Pleasant; Julie Kubik, Chicago, Ill.; Dorothy Morgan, Maywood, Ill.; Lois Plughaupt, Des Plaines, Ill.; Bernita Rohlfing, Morning Sun; Jo Ann Estes, Margaret Smith, Dorothy Wright, Mt. Pleasant; Charlotte Steffy, Boone; Georgia Volkman, Hammond, Ind.

BETTY STEVENS

### IOWA BETA—SIMPSON COLLEGE

Chartered, 1874

Pledge Day, September 21, 1949

Last semester was topped with winning the Miniature Orpheum trophy. This was done with the skit entitled "The Snook Pit", a parody on the movie "The Snake Pit" depicting the different phases of college life as the coed progressed through the various "wards". Her reward being the much cherished "Snake Skin".

Genelle Grant, Shirley Benedict, Martha Milhorne, and Jean Piffer were chosen for *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*. Genelle Grant and Jean Piffer are Great Greeks and Roberta Starry, Joan Piffer, Genelle Grant, Joan Slaker, and Charlotte Clark are Representative Women.

At Beauty Ball, the largest college dance of the year, Joan Huffstodt and Ellyn Groos were gracious attendants to the queen.

The annual faculty breakfast given each May and the Senior Farewell brought to a close one of the most memorable years in the history of Iowa B.

This fall the campus was prettier than ever with the new dormitory making its appearance. This of course proved to be an interesting topic of conversation during a very successful rush period. The traditional Blue Beard skit again proved that Peaches Pi Phi was the only acceptable wife for the fabulous Blue Beard. Joan Slaker wrote a timely quiz show to advertise "Wine Carnation" milk, featuring the Iowa Beta Quiz Lids. The various types of college girls were illustrated in rhythmic verses and topped with the acceptance of the Average Girl.

Among the new trophies is the Stoolman Vase that arrived this September to become Iowa B's for this year. The grade cup became a permanent fixture and study plans were immediately made to insure the winning of the new cup for a record of seven consecutive semesters.

Presidents of campus organizations are Charlotte Clark, F. T. A.; Joan Slaker, Σ T Δ, National English Fraternity; and Rose Conger, M Φ E, National Music Sorority. Joan Slaker is feature editor of the college newspaper, and had the lead in the first college play. Janet Walter and Helen Knodle were initiated W. K. A., Women's Recreational Society.

PLEGDED: Jane Blosser, Virginia Ellis, Des Moines; Donna Olmstead, Council Bluffs; Jane Johnson, Oskaloosa; Martha Dinwiddie, Bedford; Joan Walter, Lenox; Betty Barton, Bloomfield; Mary Reynolds, Farnhamville; Charlotte Garlock, Norwalk; Jane McCoy, Mary Jane Proudfoot, Janet George, Indianola. BEVERLY CRAWFORD

### IOWA ZETA—STATE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA

Chartered 1882

Pledge Day, September 14, 1949

INITIATED, March 20, 1949: Louise Archie, Jaclyn Fischbaugh, Shenandoah; Joyce Scott, Guthrie Center; Kay Wildman, Sully; Sue Stevens, Carma Lou Rich, Phyllis Baker, Des Moines; Jane Martin, Davenport; Mary Tinley, Council Bluffs; Peggy Schlamp, Eldora; Phyllis Eschbach, Ames; Marjorie Thomas, Monticello; Marion Guy, Aledo, Ill.; Sally Webb, Rolfe; Joan Wengert, St. Louis; Jean Throckmorton, Chariton; Elizabeth Doolittle, Sioux Falls, S. Dak.; Jane Doornink, Orange City; Colleen Newell, Carthage, Ill.; Sally Johnson, Perry; Justyn Sutherland, Manning; Jeanette MacCleod, Greene; Elizabeth Thomsen, Red Oak. September 25, 1949: Kileen Diddy, Perry.

The Iowa Z's returned this fall to a University different in tone from the one they left last June. With the war years slipping farther and farther into the "remember when" days and the previously large number of veterans on campus reduced to a few, some of the seriousness, sophistication, and skepticism which has characterized the atmosphere of the campus the last nine years has been lost. This year we find a new buoyancy and school spirit afoot.

Realizing the importance of studies the girls are determined to gain possession of the coveted scholarship cup again this year. The chapter is encouraged by the fact that three members are  $\Phi$  B K: Julie Ferguson, Mary Sayre, and Gail Zech.

Marilyn Peterson, Nancy Hunt, Marilyn Ducat, Joan Frohwein, and Melanie Snider are all to be found in the ranks of the Scottish Highlanders. Marian O'Conner was in charge of the all-important information booth during New Student Orientation Week. No less than fifteen Iowa Z's played important roles in the orientation program.

Molly Maloy and Carol Jean Boudreaux are new members of the Forensics organization, of which Nat Hennessy is secretary. Jean Larson is busy with her duties as Union Board member. Numbers among those on the *Hawkeye* year-book staff are Joan Frohwein, Noreen Fenner, Kay Wildman,

Elizabeth Doolittle and Jane Doornink.

In the first beauty contest of the year the Dolphin Club chose Sue Stevens as one of five finalists from whom they will select a queen and four attendants.

$\Sigma$  A E,  $\Phi$  K  $\Sigma$ ,  $\Sigma$   $\Phi$  E, and  $\Sigma$  X have all entertained the chapter at exchanges, and several more are anticipated. Open house was held after each home football game.

PLEGDED: Phyllis Allen, Davenport; Rozan Andlefinger, Dubuque; Carol Jean Boudreaux, Noreen Fenner, Sally Strother, Cedar Rapids; Jen Carr, Charles City; Kludette Ditty, Perry; Marilyn Ducat, Manchester; Carla Heller, Appleton, Wis.; Nancy Hunt, Tipton; Molly Maloy, Shenandoah; Mary Jane Moyers, Sidney; Nancy Penningroth, Iowa City; Marilyn Peterson, Council Bluffs; Marilyn Tyler, Villisca; Ann Welles, Story City.

NATALIE HENNESSY

## IOTA PROVINCE

### SOUTH DAKOTA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH DAKOTA

Chartered, 1927

Pledge Day, September 18, 1949

INITIATED, September 29, 1949: Mary Cauley, Anthon, Iowa; Pauline Grytness, Madison; Marilyn Harvison, Beidgewater; Josephine Marion, Rapid City; Vernita Wells, Sioux City, Iowa.

South Dakota A completed the fall rush week with the pledging of sixteen girls. In the evening, after pledging, the actives and pledges enjoyed a cooky-shine which helped everyone get better acquainted.

Campus activities at the University are well under way with the doors opened to 1750 students. "Freshman Orientation Week" helped the new students get acquainted with the campus, upper classmen, and instructors.

On September 24 the University "Coyotes" met the Nebraska University team at Lincoln for their second football game of the season. Nebraska B invited the chapter to their house to spend the weekend. Many girls accepted the invitation and had a wonderful time.

The University was host to the Nat "King" Cole Trio on September 30, sponsored by  $\Sigma$  A E. Both concerts were well attended by admiring listeners.

Mrs. Junge, Iota Province President, arrived on September 26, and spent three days with the chapter. During her stay she held conferences with the various officers and told the pledge class interesting things about the Fraternity. She met with the entire chapter and gave them an inspiring talk. Before she left a cooky-shine was held in her honor. Several of the girls displayed their talents and sang humorous songs. The trio, composed of Carlis Anderson, Mary Jane Brown, and Jo Anne Dubes, sang "Follow". Vernita Wells and Jo Anne Dubes sang their arrangement of the hill billy song, "Mountain Dew". Mrs. Junge joined the girls in singing Pi Beta Phi songs. Everyone is very fond of Mrs. Junge and the chapter is looking forward to her next visit.

Carol Quinn was crowned Miss University and Mary Jane Brown ranked third in the contest. Last summer Carol won the Miss South Dakota title which enabled her to compete for Miss America. She spent a wonderful summer traveling and meeting other contestants and returned to school in time for the last day of rush week, with many interesting tales.

Lois Milliken and Janet Swab were pledged to "Guidon". Joyce Simpson was elected to  $\Phi$  B K, and Patricia Bauer was capped Mortar Board. The Amy B. Onken Award for Iota Province was given to Carolyn Cowles. The chapter placed second at "Swingout", the women's annual song fest. The number used was Fred Waring's arrangement of "You'll Never Walk Alone".

Connie Benedict was elected cheerleader for this year. PLEDGED: Vickie Adams, Armour; Marilyn Baker, Connie Benedict, Beverly Marshall, Renee Berridge, Sioux City, Iowa; Peggy Smith, Sonja Montgomery, Ginger Geyerman, Mitchell; Jean Gunderson, Yanston; Jane Hansen, Nell Pribble, Sioux Falls; Kitty Ann Lauritzen, Mary Ann Myron, Vermillion; Maureen Sorenson, Pierre; Joyce Swab, Beverly Bischoff, Huron. DIANA MONFORD

### NEBRASKA BETA—UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

Chartered, 1895

Pledge Day, September 6, 1949

INITIATED, March 26, 1949: Marcia Adams, Shirley Larkin, North Platte; Evelyn Jean Becker, Ashby; Nancy Benjamin, Marilyn Brewster, Suzanne Marshall, Lincoln; Margaret

Coen, Creston, Iowa; Kathleen Dodson, Ernamarie Trefz, Beatrice; Joan Doty, Pasadena, Calif.; Barbara Finley, Grand Island; Beverly Heller, Chatham N. J.; Constance Hovey, Margaret Warren, Omaha; Katherine Kollmeyer, Fremont; Sally Krause, Albion; Beverly Larsen, Central City; Sibyl Mark, Delavan, Wis.; Marilyn Mooney, Hastings.

The last annual chapter event in the spring was the Father-Daughter banquet. It was topped off with a skit given by the fathers, and a prize given to Janet McMeekin and her father, Mr. John McMeekin, who were chosen as looking the most alike.

Adele Taylor Alford, ARROW Editor, visited Nebraska B last spring. One of the highlights of her visit was watching the annual "Square Dance Festival" in the coliseum at the university. Everyone enjoyed Mrs. Alford's visit very much and the chapter looks forward to seeing her again.

On Ivy Day Marilyn Mooney was presented as page to the Ivy queen, an honor given to outstanding freshman girls, and Eugenie Sampson was elected to Mortar Board.

The theme of rush week this year was "The Forty-niners." After pledging, a slumber party for all the actives and pledges helped everyone get better acquainted.

The chapter held a coffee hour on the morning of October 1 to introduce Mrs. Helen Mayher, the new housemother. The Dean of Women, housemothers from all the houses, and Pi Beta Phi alumnae were invited. Nebraska B feels very fortunate to have Mrs. Mayher for housemother.

PLEGDED: Janet Campbell, Central City; Virginia Cooper, Humboldt; Mary Elise Day, North Platte; Martha Dicus, Fremont; Mary Ann Grundman, Nebraska City; Ann Jane Hall, York; Betty Hathaway, Priscilla Jones, Susan Kimball, Ann Lambert, Margaret McCoy, Winnie Owen, Barbara Reineche, Lennie Stepanek, Lincoln; Pat Healey, Creston, Iowa; Jane Jewett, Aberdeen, S. Dak.; Jane Jordan, Galesburg, Ill.; Nancy Lindell, Ruth Francis Purney, Ann Schroeder, Omaha; Joan Miller, Fairmont; Nancy Norman, Shenandoah, Iowa; Carrie Ann Pederson, Marmion; Susan Twell, Sidney; Loraine Westphal, Grand Island; Nancy Widener, Corning, Iowa. BARBARA GARDNER

### \*\*KANSAS ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS

NOTE: This letter was used without cutting because of its interest, and because this chapter won the Balfour Cup.

Chartered, April 1, 1872

Pledge Day, September 14, 1949

INITIATED, March 26, 1949: Kay Carson, Albuquerque, N. Mex.; Mary Swanson, Mary Agnes Hungate, Betty Shartel, Nancy Matteson, Mary Nearing, Marilyn Thompson, Kansas City, Mo.; Emily Stewart, Hot Springs, Ark.; Peggy Olson, Helene Steinbuechel, Barbara Coats, Janet Maloney, Wichita; Carol Kendall, Marilyn Spruill, Great Bend; Karmen Dee Edwards, Emporia; Carolyn Isern, Ellinwood; Georgianne Hedrick, Newton; Emelie Trickett, Kansas City; Mary Williams, Marysville; Nancy Jane Lindsey, Rita Carl, Beatrice Buehler, Jane Semple, Marjorie Quigley, Lucinda Stevens, Lawrence.

Kansas A began a new year on Mount Oread in a whirl of activities. University orientation activities for new students, fraternity rushing and registration and enrollment took place simultaneously the first week of the 1949-50 school year.

The chapter house was newly decorated during the summer with pearl gray as the background color. Gray carpeting complements a green sofa and red fireside chairs. Leather top coffee tables and massive lamps add to the scene, and the Balfour Cup sits on display in front of the fireplace.

The Pi Phi Platter Parade, directed by Rush Captain Connie Kendall, entertained 229 girls during rush week. The front walk to the house was covered with copies of

sheet music, varnished many times, and bordered with phonograph records with Pi Beta Phi song titles. As the last song of the Hit Parade ended Kansas A was proud to have eighteen new pledges.

The Associated Women Students expanded its freshman counseling program this year under the direction of Emily Stewart. Meetings with counseles, counseling coffees, and convocations all helped new Jayhawkers become adjusted to university life. The A.W.S. Freshman Workshop conducted a round table discussion of activities on the "hill", and various campus leaders gave short summaries of the work of their organizations.

Enrollment and registration during this busy week revealed a drop in the number of students. The 8,750 students still crowd the university thoroughfares. At long last the cement mixers, drills, hammers, and workmen have moved out of the library addition, and peace and quiet again prevail for studying students. Work is progressing on the Memorial Drive which circles the campus and looks over the impressive horseshoe stadium to the Kaw valley beyond. The campus seems unusually beautiful this fall, with flaming red and yellow-leaved trees decorating the campus in autumn colors.

The opening kick off of the Jayhawker football season took place September 17 with Texas Christian University receiving. As the afternoon wore on the skies became gray and dreary which matched the spirits of the outplayed but game Jayhawkers who bowed to T.C.U. 27 to 7. The Iowa State Cyclones descended on the campus for their annual "migration game" October 1. Numerous members of Iowa I were houseguests for the weekend, and midnight oil was burned in coke sessions in "the smoker."

October 8 was the date of the annual Student Union Activities Carnival. The Pi Beta Phi booth tested the skill of students in an arrow shooting contest with an angel as the target. Each organized house on the campus sponsored a typical carnival booth, and a carnival king and queen were chosen to reign over the evening's festivities.

One of the earliest events on the chapter's social calendar was the scholarship dinner in honor of those girls who were given scholastic recognition by their respective schools. Joyce Newcomer, scholarship chairman, planned a dinner designed to encourage the slack students. Those girls with an average of 2.0 (B) or above were served a delicious dinner of fried chicken. Those between a 1.0 (C) and 2.0 were served meat loaf, while those below a 1.0 ate spam. Comments following dinner indicated sudden ambition awakening in several girls.

Kansas A enjoyed a visit from Iota Province President, Mrs. Carl Junge, the first week in October. Mrs. Junge was honored at a Twilight Tea Sunday afternoon with Chancellor Deane W. Malott, faculty members and Pi Beta Phi friends as guests.

The chapter's open house honoring the pledge class was held October 15 in the Union Building. Representatives of all the fraternities jammed the ballroom in an attempt to meet and dance with the new arrow pledges.

Twenty faculty members from various schools and departments of the University were entertained at a faculty buffet dinner October 23. The guests were served in the living room, while a cheery fire crackled in the fireplace. A humorous skit was presented by members of the chapter, and the friendly evening ended with Pi Beta Phi songs.

For the second year Senior Panhellenic presented a workshop program to improve cooperation between women's fraternities and relations with independent students. The program followed the precedent set last year by Peggy Baker. Kansas A was proud to have Virginia Hutson Getto (Mrs. M. J.) as their fraternity representative. Mrs. Getto was guest speaker at the opening banquet and conducted several workshops. Kansas A's rush bulletin, copies of the ARROW, and exhibits from Settlement School formed the Pi Beta Phi display.

Many individual honors have come to members of the chapter since the last issue of the ARROW. Peggy Baker, Louise Lambert and Ann Learned were tapped for Mortar Board in the spring, and Elinor Frye and Marilyn Sweet were elected to  $\Phi$  B K. Connie Kendall was elected president of Quill club, succeeding Carrie Campbell. Emily Stewart is publicity director for Jay Janes, honorary pep organization, and chairman of freshman counseling.

The pledges are taking an active interest in campus life. Nine of them are members of the Red Peppers, newly organized freshman pep organization. Ann Lambert has been elected to Quack club, and Jean Proudfit is alternate to the A.W.S. House of Representatives. Other pledges are working on the Jayhawker, annual magazine of the university, Student Union Activities and Y.W.C.A.

PLEDGED: Cynthia Stevenson, Augusta; Nancy Gemmil; Abilene; Rosemary Kennedy, Jane Floyd, Salina; Patty Lloyd, Hutchinson; Ruth Ann Marsh, Emporia; Martha Jane Shaw, Sue Foot, Wichita; Ann Lambert, Jean Lysle, Leavenworth; Virginia Ireland, Nancy Semple, Marilyn Ringler, Lawrence; Jean Proudfit, Kansas City; Julia Dennis,

Annabel Hungate, Mary Lou Miller, Kansas City, Mo.; Betsy Hollingbery, Glencoe, Ill. MARGARET GRANGER

## KANSAS BETA—KANSAS STATE COLLEGE

Chartered, 1915

Pledge Day, October 2, 1949

On March 12, first place trophy was awarded Kansas B for their skit produced at the YMCA Y-Orpheum production. The trophy now occupies the number one position on the living room mantel.

April 22 found the members and their dates at their annual spring formal. The theme "Central Park Nocturne" was carried out in a color scheme of alternating shades of blue with the walls covered with blue murals depicting a college courtship.

Shirley King and Norma Lou Myers were initiated into Mortar Board. Constance Armitage, Ann McMillen, Catherine Merrill, and Joan Newcomer were elected to Prix, junior women's honorary.

April 28, Founders' Day was observed by a dinner for actives and alumnae. A program entitled "Pi Phi Heaven" was presented. Guest speakers were Adèle Taylor Alford, ARROW Editor, and Miss Helen Moore, Dean of Women at Kansas State.



Kansas Beta Founders' Day with Mrs. Alford

Another trophy was added to the chapter house mantel May 18 when Pi Beta Phi was awarded second place in the sorority division at the college Interfraternity Sing. "Memories" and "Pi Phi Sweetheart Song" were the two selections the chapter sang.

The fall semester began September 6 with Freshman Orientation Week. During the week there were tests, tours of the campus, and entertainment. A fitting climax was the Upperclassman Talent Show given the final day. Among those appearing in the show were Joan Newcomer, who sang several comic songs, and Catherine Merrill, who presented her idea of a typical college freshman.

Shirley King, Charlotte Laing, Dorothy O'Donnell, Ann McMillen, Joan Newcomer, Joan Hurley, Barbara Meyer, and Patricia Adams were awarded places in the college a cappella choir.

Jacque Compton, Barbara Mohri, and Carol Cole were elected to offices in the college home economics club; while Catherine Merrill and Joan Newcomer were pledged to  $\Theta$   $\Sigma$   $\Phi$ , national honorary journalism women's fraternity.

Norma Lou Myers was elected to the office of YWCA vice-president. Elected to the YWCA Senior Cabinet were Lillian Hansen, Catherine Merrill, Joan Newcomer, and Charlotte Laing; Ann McMillen was elected president of the Junior Cabinet.

Ann Cleavanger, Carol Cole, and Lois Gillan have been accepted in Frog Club, college swimming club.

Election of members to Purple Peppers, Kansas State pep club, revealed that Jacque Compton, Claire Jane Lutz, and Barbara Mohri will now be cheering for K-State in the "purple sweater" section. The All-College political party named Dorothy Elmore as secretary of the organization.

Catherine Merrill has been named assistant editor of the Royal Purple, college yearbook. Patricia Johnson, Diane Alexander, and Nancy Barnard are on the office staff of the publication. Incidentally, the Royal Purple has just recently been awarded its 14th consecutive All-American rating for being among the top yearbooks in the country.



Excitement reached a new high at Kansas State College, October 1, when the K-State Wildcats defeated the Colorado University Buffaloes at the annual Parents' Day Game. The excitement was due in no small way to the fact that this was the first conference football game Kansas State has won since 1945. Following the game, open house was held at the chapter house for members, their parents, and alumnae.

Kansas B was happy to have Mrs. Carl L. Junge, Iowa Province President, as its guest on October 5.

A most memorable occasion for Kansas State was the dedication ceremony October 9 of the college chapel. More than 500 persons heard President Milton S. Eisenhower dedicate the Danforth wing of the All-Faith Memorial chapel, marking the first time in the history of Kansas State that an entire building has been set aside for religious meditation and worship.

During the month of October, exchange dinners were held with  $\Sigma N$  and  $\Pi K A$  fraternities. Open house was held after each home football game for members, alumnae, and parents. The pledge class attended the  $A X U$  sorority pledge class tea and the Dean of Women's tea for freshman girls.

PLEGGED: Pat Boone, Ann Cleavinger, Clara Jane Lutz, Jo Ann Niemeier, Mary Lee Smith, Gwen Lee Weaver, Dorothy Wonder, Manhattan; Joanne Brooks, Garrison; Jackie Christie, Concordia; Lydia DeMott, Phillipsburg; Joan Kay Ehsam, Enterprise; Sue Ann Eller, Joan Hurley, Salina; Peggy Goetz, Merriam; Ann Harkins, Wichita; Jancy Hunter, Topeka; Christine Knight, Cimarron; Jo Ann Lewis, Ellis; Barbara Meyer, Lincoln; Pat Porter, Mary Ann Steine, Russell; Carol Cole, Kansas City, Mo.; Pat Roda, Trenton, Mo. CATHERINE MERRILL

### \*COLORADO ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO

Chartered, 1884

Pledge Day, September 18, 1949

INITIATED, April 23, 1949: Eugenie Steinhauer, Jean Von Detton, Denver; Barbara Sickels, Boulder; Ann Louise Haver, Pueblo; Nancy Cadwell, Jean McKee, La Grange, Ill.; Rosemary Russell, Evanston, Ill.; Lucy Bennett, Wichita, Kan.; Patricia Johnson, Wauwatosa, Wis.; Dorothy Lambert, Houston, Tex.

According to tradition Colorado A and Colorado B celebrated Founders' Day together with a luncheon in Denver at the Cosmopolitan Hotel. Colorado A, being the hostess chapter, led the group singing. Both groups presented clever skits as entertainment. Colorado A depicted the founding of their chapter and their relationships with Colorado B through the succeeding years. A short business meeting was held in order to elect the officers for the Denver Alumnae Club for the coming year.

The Colorado A's hurried home to complete the decorations for the Spring formal to be held that evening, April 30. The theme "April Showers Bring May Flowers" was carried out with one half of the room decorated with silver rain drops and the other half with flowers. A gigantic clock showed that at midnight the rain would stop and May's beauty would come forth. All legacies of Colorado A who were seniors in high schools in Colorado, were invited to attend the dance and spend the weekend at the chapter house. After the dance a cooky-shine was given so that everyone could become better acquainted and talk over the evening's events.

Mary Alice Cook was a candidate on the A.S.U.C. commission and created much friendly spirit for  $\Pi B \Phi$  on the campus during her campaign.

The chapter entertained the members of  $K K \Gamma$  at a barbecue in the side yard of the chapter house. An enthusiastic baseball game followed.

A fashion show introducing the new spring styles was conducted by Mortar Board, Sue Fenton and Dottie Lambert were models.

The most outstanding event of spring quarter was the C. U. Days celebration. Each organization entered a carnival booth. Colorado A staged a gigantic "fish pond" with the members dressed as rather amazing fish, very anxious to be "caught" by some unsuspecting participant. Loel Amberg joined the  $\Delta T \Delta$  skit in the Buff Show in which she sang her specialty "Smartie." There was a constant down-pour of rain throughout the weekend, but a let-up occurred long enough for the float parade. The "Holiday" theme was illustrated in many extraordinary ways. The Pi Beta Phi float "Holiday For Strangers," which was an immense violin, placed second. Saturday morning, Nancy Ball, Lucy Bennett and Ann Wadley were members of the All Star baseball team. This was made up of members selected as the best players from the intramural baseball teams. Sally Brown was tapped for Mortar Board during intermission of the Song Fest.

A luncheon was held at the chapter house on Mother's Day for the mothers and fathers of all the girls.

Joan Jefferson, Joanne Easley, Babbie Carpenter, Dottie Evans, and Bebe Erat were tapped for Spur, the sophomore honorary, and Jo Easley was elected president.

At the quarterly scholarship dinner, Dottie Evans was given an award for making a 3.0 average. Ann Wadley received a scholarship charm for her second-place average of 2.5. All the members were arranged at the table according to their averages.

Suspense of several months came to a climax one evening, when the  $\Sigma A E$ s from Colorado A & M arrived bearing a sheet-covered stretcher. After an amusing dissertation, a statue of Venus was unveiled. This statue, which once stood in a corner of honor in the chapter house, had been missing for twenty years. Her past revealed that she was a victim of many practical jokes. She had been taken twenty years before, but after much fruitless searching the quest was abandoned. Last fall, however, the uncle of a pledge told her of Venus and the search was renewed. The statue had traveled from  $\Sigma A E$  chapter to chapter and had eventually come to rest in the attic of the  $\Sigma A E$  house in Fort Collins. Venus now stands in the chapter room of the house, but the girls are sure she will disappear soon, as her fame has spread to many states.

Rush Week was held a week earlier than usual this year to avoid its overlapping with New Student Week.

Sally Brown, Panhellenic president, took advantage of the week between rushing and the beginning of classes to put into operation a very successful Panhellenic Workshop. Discussions on inter-sorority spirit, pledge-active relationships, officer training, active-alumnae cooperation, activities, scholarship, rushing, and standards were held. This enabled the exchange of much information among the groups, which it is believed will result in greater Greek achievement.

The following week a Student-Leadership Workshop was held in which the whole university became engrossed. Faculty members talked to the representatives on cooperation between the university students and the faculty, as well as among the students themselves. The importance of activities, scholarship and social relationships was stressed. Panel discussions were held on the many phases of college life. Each organization sent several representatives in order to assure a wide range of opinions.

A very successful tea was held at the chapter house in honor of the chapter chaperon, Mrs. F. X. Schumacher and the assistant chaperon, Gretchen Sammis, New Mexico A. "Gretch" is the chaperon at the new Pi Beta Phi annex and is attending the university on a fellowship while doing graduate work in the field of physical education. She is also an instructor in the physical education department. Faculty members and their wives and husbands, alumnae and friends, sorority and fraternity chaperons and presidents were the guests.

Ruth Morris and Joan Jefferson were selected for Porpoise, the swimming honorary.

Joan Jefferson, Jo Easley, Ruth Morris, Babbie Carpenter, Eileen Hoyer and Margaret Green are members of the Y.W.C.A. cabinet because of their positions as group leaders.

Sally Brown, Ann Wadley and Jo Easley are members of the W.A.A. Board since they have positions as organizers of volleyball, swimming, and shuffleboard, respectively.

Pat Winkler was a finalist in the queen contest for the Club First Nighter, the annual I.S.A. sponsored all-school dance. Any organization may enter a freshman for queen.

Patricia Murphy, Jean Clow, Barbara Gormley, Sheryl Fisher, and Carolyn Brackenbury have been elected to offices in the dormitories.

PLEGGED: Marjorie Anderson, Jean Clow, Barbara Gormley, Isabel Nelson, Denver; Katherine Anton, Pueblo, Carolyn Brackenbury, Nancy Sherrill, Fort Collins; Mary Adelaide Fahey, Leadville; Kay Lally, Colorado Springs; Barbara Jane Baker, Clarence, N.Y.; Katherine Byler, Stanford University, Calif.; Sheryl Fisher, Glidden, Iowa; Mary Bell Frith, South Bend, Ind.; Judith Graham, Des Moines, Iowa; Margaret Green, Eureka, Kan.; Ardith Hakenstaad, Barbara Quam, Carolyn Schum, Fargo, N.D.; Patricia Murphy, Galesburg, Ill.; Patricia Shiner, San Mateo, Calif.; Sally Steele, Princeton, N.J.; Ann Toombes, Salt Lake City; Utah; Alice Wells, San Marino, Calif.; Patricia Winkler, Oak Park, Ill.; Judy Taylor, Chicago, Ill.; Sue Schwab, La Grange, Ill.

NANCY WHITMAN

### COLORADO BETA—UNIVERSITY OF DENVER

Chartered, 1885

Pledge Day, October 2, 1949

INITIATED, May 20, 1949: Mary Louise Graham, Richmond, Ind.; Mary Lou Jorgenson, Rock Springs, Wyo.; Imogene Wilhite, Denver.

New Student Week at the University began activities for this college year, and was followed by two weeks of rushing. Colorado B used the theme "Golden Arrow Nineties." The chapter entertained rushees at a Coney Island Party, a Casino Party and a Garden Party. The conclusion to a very successful Rush Week was the Golden Arrow Dinner.

Colorado B received the trophy for first prize in the inter-rory school assembly contest.

Harriet Hardaway was tapped for Mortar Board.

Dorothy Carr was elected President of A. A.

Nancy Ward was made a member of  $\Phi$  B K.

Donna Rabinoff was chosen Sweetheart of Sigma Chi.

On October 2 the chapter entertained the pledge class at a box supper; and on October 3, the pledge class provided entertainment for the chapter at the cooky-shine.

PLEGDED: Francis Arp, Joanne Carson, Bobby Covey, Joan Gholson, Jane Grant, Gloria Hallen, Kaye Howard, Barbara Kendall, Elaine Kirkpatrick, Barbara Law, Barbara Lusk, Diane McClintock, Annabelle Monaghan, Dorothy Moon, Patricia Pruden, Beatrice Russ, Beverly Tabor, Elinor Tracy, Beverly Wendt, and Pat Willimont.

DONNA RABINOFF

## WYOMING ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING

Chartered, 1910

Pledge Day, September 24, 1949

INITIATED, March 26, 1949: Elizabeth Beresford, Denver, Colo.; Virginia Canaday, Whiting, Ind.; Mary Frances Carroll, Douglas; Mary E. Horstman, Casper; Ruth A. Irvin, Powell; Nyla J. Knoll, Rock Springs; Carol Lynn Holcomb, Margaret Ann Lynch, Evalyn Bon, Ann B. Zuckerman, Cheyenne; Carol Lee Nickerson, Laramie; Helen A. Peters, Mead, Colo.; Patricia Caldwell, Ellen Claire Sheldon, Riverton; Francis Wick, Midwest; Donna Zell Willis, Cowley.

Wyoming A has the largest pledge class on campus and was the only group to fill its quota.

Last spring Rita Wick, Laura Lee Dakin, Barbara Kahn and Glenna Sorenson took their places on the campus as queens or attendants to queens. Rita was the Cadet Ball Queen; Laura Lee was chosen second in a beauty contest of which Dennis Morgan was the judge; Barbara was a finalist in the "Miss Wyoming" contest; and Glenna was chosen as an attendant to the "Intra-Frat" Queen.

At the annual Honors Assembly held each spring, three Pi Phis were awarded honor books for the year. Ann Dineen was awarded a book for being the most outstanding student in the English department; Peggy Hitchcock was chosen the most outstanding in the education department; and Ruth Irvin was awarded the honor book from the commerce department. At the annual Founders' Day banquet the following girls were recognized as having the highest scholarship in their class: Ruth Irvin, freshman; Shirley Olsen, sophomore; Mary Ann Foreman, junior; and Peggy Hitchcock, senior. Shirley Olsen was recognized as having the highest scholarship in the chapter for two years, and Mary Ann Foreman was recognized as having the highest average in the chapter.

Donna Zell Willis, who had major roles in the plays "Room Service" and "Hello Out There" last spring, has been given another leading role in "Ladies In Retirement." Janice Lehan is an understudy in the play. Gladys Freeman, is very talented in modern dancing, and was given the lead in "Dry Bones," a modern dance program given in April. The local radio station is beginning a talent program for college students, and five Wyoming A's have been chosen to appear as guests on the program. They are Barbara Jones, Barbara Scott, Patricia Hutton, Donna Zell Willis, and Shirley Sorenson.

Rosemary Schilt, Noma Mae Johnson, and Nancy Edwards were elected, respectively, Presidential-Delegate-at-large, Treasurer, and Secretary of AWS. Shirley Olsen was elected Treasurer of Panhellenic Council, and Barbara Jones was made the assistant editor of the WYO, the yearbook.

PLEGDED: Ann Bloomfield, Elaine Brown, Barbara Bourne, Cheyenne; Laurene Fowler, Belle Fource, S.D.; Esther Jane Gross, Saratoga; Beverly Lamkin, Molly Heidinger, Gladys Freeman, Laramie; Barbara Herzig, Patricia Hutton, Wheatland; Janice Lehan, Sheridan; Phoebe Jane Lundy, Des Moines, Iowa; Janis Irene Miller, Joan Lund, Lusk; Margie Millhome, Clarinda, Iowa; Mary Lou Peters, Mead, Colo.; Cynthia Rice, Evansville; Mary Lou Tobin, Cordell Cullen, Vaughn Brewer, Jacqueline Witt, Casper; and Mary Helen Young, Cody.

## UTAH ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF UTAH

Chartered, 1929

Pledge Day, April 22, 1949

INITIATED, May 15, 1949: Barbara Baxter, Lucille Bjorklund, Joanne Breeze, Donna Curtis, Joanne Earnshaw, Suzanne Harris, Colleen Jensen, Barbara Kershaw, Frances Stillman, Arden Spence, Arlene Starborg, Mitzi Swanson, Salt Lake City; Louise Harris, Burley, Idaho; Sally Rich, Ogden, Utah.

Utah A opened its doors September 26 to a newly re-decorated chapter house. The furniture was not completely finished at that time, but the chapter room, living room, and "town girls" room soon appeared as pretty as a picture. 92 S. Wolcott St. is now complete, the dining room having been done last spring. The bedrooms were papered and each girl did her share to make the second floor as attractive as the rooms downstairs. At the Hello Week open house, signs reading "Detour—under construction" appeared to explain to the Freshman girls why the Pi Beta Phi House was barren of furniture.

Graduation found two Pi Beta Phis with graduation honors—Thelma P. Iker in English and Joyce Henderson in Business. Jeanne Anderson was tapped for Mortar Board. Jeanne has been very active in Cwen, Spurs, and many other campus activities, such as being Chairman of the Red Cross last year. She also received a Junior letter award sweater for outstanding work, and was elected AWS President for the coming year. Jean McGregor was elected to A. A. and Barbara Kershaw, Jean McGregor, Joanne Earnshaw, and Alice Creer made Spurs. Joanne Earnshaw also received a Freshman letter award for outstanding work in student activities.

Pat Clawson was elected to the Theatre Council. Elaine Sims was elected Chairman of the Red Cross on the campus, and Alice Creer is serving as Vice-Chairman. Joan Olpin is Treasurer of the Junior Class and Alice Creer is treasurer of the Sophomore Class.

Utah A tied with X  $\Omega$  for first place for the Citizenship Award, based on student activity participation and scholarship. Dean Austin, Dean of Women, is donor of the award which this year consisted of books for the winning fraternity libraries.

Founders' Day Week at the University found all Utah A's in levis and plaid shirts, ready to whitewash the U and run in the relays, while the A T  $\Omega$ s cheered them on. The Songfest, held in the stadium, concluded the activities, with Utah A coming in third place under the able direction of Norma Clark, the song chairman.

Pauline Judd reigned as White Rose of  $\Sigma$  N, while Suzy Harris was named Salt Lake City Ski Queen. She has also been chosen to be one of ten women in the United States to be on the National Women's Ski Team. Pat Clawson, Barbara Kershaw, and Thelma Peterson Iker served as ROTC Sponsors for the U. of U. Colleen Jones served as Freshman Queen of Salt Lake City.

At the banquet following spring Initiation, Barbara Kershaw was named as the outstanding pledge, while Louise Harris received the award for having the highest grade average in the pledge class. At this banquet, scholarship bracelets were presented to Margene Steinbeck, a junior, and Joyce Henderson, a senior, for maintaining a 3.0 (A) average for the previous quarter.

In May, the annual Spring Formal, held at the Starlight Gardens of the Hotel Utah, saw all the girls and their favorite beaux all dressed up for an evening of dancing which began with a lovely Smörgåsbord dinner. The boys concerned received cuff links with their fraternity crests on them.

At the annual WRA Carnival, which is put on by the pledges of the various organizations on campus, Pi Beta Phi pledges found themselves trying to duck wet sponges which eager contestants threw at them. The two-night affair added \$69 to the Utah A treasury.

In early September Auerbach's, one of Salt Lake City's largest department stores, staged a fashion show in which twelve of approximately twenty models were Utah A's.

Utah A was very pleased and honored to have Mrs. Alford visit them in the spring. A tea in her honor was held one afternoon, with actives, pledges, alumnae, mothers, the Dean of Women and the president and rush chairman of each women's fraternity on campus attending. That night, a Pi Phi Night was held with talent from the chapter performing. Mrs. Alford gave the chapter a great deal of new spirit and inspiration.

PLEGDED: Margie Anderson, Colleen Jones, Barbara Lloyd, and Mimi McLean, Salt Lake City. JANET DEAN



## KAPPA PROVINCE

## OKLAHOMA ALPHA—OKLAHOMA UNIVERSITY

Chartered, September 1, 1910  
Pledge Day, September 9, 1949

INITIATED, October 2, 1949: Laura Collins, Rosemary Traugh, Oklahoma City; Louise Ratliff, Hobart; Yvonne Souter, Magnolia, Ark.; Jean Trudgeon, Purcell; Carol Willard, Norman.

Oklahoma A broke all records on the campus by winning the scholarship cup for the second consecutive semester. It was the first time that a 2.038, or "B" average, had ever been made in the history of the University of Oklahoma by any women's fraternity. Also, Camilla Duncan was chosen as one of the ten most outstanding freshman women for last year.

The chapter house was greatly improved last summer with new light green carpets all over the downstairs. The sun-room was made vastly more attractive with card tables, draperies, pictures, and sofas. However, the biggest difference was in the upstairs rooms. The girls are now enjoying brand new furniture, bedspreads, and curtains.

Oklahoma University has built an addition to its Student Union and has greatly enlarged its stadium in anticipation of another victorious football season. Also, the University has erected new, modern dormitories for its freshman women. This is the first year that freshmen have been required to live in the University dormitories.

Ann Hulet has been chosen to run as a candidate for R.O.T.C. Queen, and Ann Jarrett has been chosen as the Oklahoma University representative to the State Advertising Convention.

PLEDGED: Anna Claire Anthis, Lillian Zachrey, Muskogee; Anne Avery, Kingfisher; Sue Baughman, Ponca City; Marjorie Bell, McAlester; Beverly Carr, Charlene Elliot, Delma Jo Mason, Mary Ann Simmons, Sally Williams, Oklahoma City; Ellen Colley, Sue Crossland, Polly Ann Erdahl, Jean Perry, Virginia Richards, Tulsa; Dana Dalton, Margaret Fell, Peggy Marshall, Merith Mueller, Melissa Wardell, Norman; Kay Lou Francisco, Enid; Suzanne Holcomb, Duncan; Ann Hulitt, Amarillo, Tex.; Nancy Lynd, Bartlesville; Gavle Miller, Ardmore; Mary Elizabeth Morris, El Reno; Sue Ann Poling, Blackwell.

BEVERLY PHILLIPS

## OKLAHOMA BETA—OKLAHOMA AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE

Chartered, August 12, 1919  
Pledge Day, September 12, 1949

This fall there is an enrollment of 11,800 students, and campus activities are very numerous. A new freshman women's dormitory has just been completed and a boy's dormitory is now being constructed. Other buildings under construction include a new student union, a power plant, and a home economics building. K K T, colonized in the fall of 1946, is building a new chapter house. Through the diligence of alumnae and mothers of active members, a completely redecorated lounge was ready for rush this fall at the Pi Beta Phi house.

Oklahoma B gave a tea to introduce their new house-mother, Mrs. G. C. Parker, to the other hostesses on the campus. Later a buffet dinner was held to honor the alumnae and to present Mrs. Parker and the pledges to them.

"Hi Neighbor," painted on the mirror in the living room of the chapter house, greeted the Z N's, who live next door, when they came over for an exchange dinner and dance hour. Plans have been made for other exchange dinners with fraternities on the campus.

Oklahoma B was presented the scholarship cup from Stillwater Panhellenic. This is the fourth consecutive year it attained the highest scholarship average on the campus. The chapter presented Carma Frizzell with the scholarship plaque for making the highest grade average in the chapter.

Selected for Orange Quill, sophomore women's honorary society, were Diana Burn, Marjorie Lausten, Ruth Mullen-dore, and Patty Ruth Wheeler, who was elected president. Carolyn Bond, Eleanor Harper, Joyce McFarland, Jo Lou Douglass Rector, and Jeanne Thomas was selected for Orange and Black Quill, junior women's honorary society. Carma Frizzell and Elizabeth Angerer were tapped for Mortar Board. New members of  $\Phi K \Phi$ , this college's equivalent of  $\Phi B K$ , were Grace Stewart Gibson, Ruth Ann Schneekloth Malone, and Doris Townsell Sieckel.

Gerry MacDougall was a delegate from Oklahoma A and M to the International Relations Club Convention in Denver, Colorado, last summer. While there she was elected State Director of the Oklahoma International Relations Clubs.

The  $\Sigma A I$  Award, a certificate given to the graduating  $\Sigma A I$  senior with the highest grade average, was presented to Ruth Ann Schneekloth Malone. Jeanne Oldham was appointed as News Editor of the *O'Collegian*, the college newspaper. On October 26 and 27 Ann Lancaster played one of the leading roles in the all-college production of "Hay Fever."

Queens in the chapter include Laverne Bradford; chosen by Hal McIntyre as Miss A and M Coed; Joyce McFarland, Miami Triad Queen; and Mary Louise Jones, alternate for American Royal Queen.

PLEDGED: Jane Robertson, Marilyn Short, Beverly Stevens, Bartlesville; Gayle Gouin, Duncan; Vera Jo Goley, Kathleen Jehlicka, Gwen Puckett, Gretchen Webber, Enid; Norma Barnes, Hobart; Betty Rountree, Okemah; Carol Cary, Charlotte Ennis, Carolyn McPeck, Maxine Payne, Jerry Segars, Oklahoma City; Willeta Paden, Perry; Mitzi Black, Ponca City; Diana Mote, Sapulpa; Barbara Crutchfield, Shawnee; Jean Walsh, Stillwater; Donna Jane Bryan, Sandra Forster, Louise Lashley, Elizabeth Ann Puryear, Nancy Sillers, Ann Wixon, Ann Wolfe, Tulsa; Carolyn Cronkhite, Watonga; Betty Moore, Waukomis; Sallye McGregor, Sherrill, Ark.; Lou Brister, Brownstown, Ill.; Martha Williamson, Jacksonville, Ill.; Marilyn Hill, El Paso, Tex.

CAROL ANNE LARKIN

## ARKANSAS ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS

Chartered, 1909  
Pledge Day, September 8, 1949

The first rush week for girls who were on the campus last year was experienced by Arkansas A this fall under the new system of deferred rush. The chapter, however, found the rushing season quite successful in that two A A's, six Sophomore Counselors and a cheerleader were pledged.

Classes began on September 15. Mary Jane Stuckey and Paula Reagan took their places on Mortar Board for which they were tapped last spring. Paula is also president of Panhellenic and is now serving as senior advisor in the freshman dormitory. Polly Cole is president of A A  $\Delta$ , vice-president of  $\Psi X$ , honorary psychology organization, vice-president of A  $\Delta T$ , honorary English organization, and is also on the A.W.S. Executive Board. Liz Brigrance is president of the Housemanagers Association and treasurer of A.W.S. Ina Belle Nicholas took her share of beauty honors as Commerce Queen and winner of the Bob Hope Beauty Contest. Two  $\Phi B K$  graduates of 1949 were Mary Lou Campbell and Elaine Butler. Mary Lou was chosen for  $\Phi B K$  in her junior year and had the highest grade point in the graduating class.

Last May Arkansas A had rather unusual decorations for the spring formal. The center of interest was a large revolving ferris wheel upon which large boxes of spring flowers were placed. A spotlight was kept on the wheel throughout the dance. There was also a rose arbor with chairs placed under it. Other social activities included an outing at Dream Valley and Sunday night buffet suppers.

A new \$1,000,000 fine arts building is now under construction on the campus. The building is to be three stories high and will contain two stories for art and architecture and a top floor with sound-proof music-practice rooms. There will also be a recital hall, two indoor theaters and one open air theater.

PLEDGED: Nell Abernathy, Zita Hawley, Texarkana, Tex.; Terri Campbell, Alexandria, Va.; Dorothy Cox, Reyno; Carolyn Crane, Diann Dykes, McKee Pitts, Fort Smith; Janet Diekman, Pine Bluff; Florida Dorch, Scott; Glenn Foster, Batesville; Jane Hall, Dewitt; Nancy Ann Hall, Betty Anne Hemphill, Pat McKenzie, Pat McLaughlin, Carolyn Scruggs, Little Rock; Jane Hammons, Stuttgart; Nancy Lane, Jo Anne Tuck, Fayetteville; Brooks Maddux, Hulbert; Betty Millner, Ola; Marian Pugh, Portland; Virginia Smith, Lepanto; Ann Terrell, Tuckerman; Eleanor Wood, Alma.

JANE LONGINO

## TEXAS ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

Chartered, February 2, 1902  
Pledge Day, September 16, 1949

Texas A had an unusually successful rush week made up of parties with the various themes of night clubs, life at U.T., hoboos, and college fads.

Last spring Clara Willoughby, Carolyn Riviere, Trudie Elmore, and Mercedes Baker were chosen as Duchesses to the Court of Gaiety in San Antonio. Barbara Crossette was

selected as an ROTC sponsor, and Lucita Thornton won first place in the impromptu speaking contest at the Texas Speech Tournament. At Round-Up time, Pat Peyton, Sally Freeman, Marion Engelke, and Betty Bollman were among the twenty-five nominees for the title of University Sweetheart, and Pi Beta Phi won the prize for the most beautiful float in the Round-Up parade.

The *Cactus*, the school yearbook, selected Marion Engelke, as one of the eight Bluebonnet Belles, while Carolyn Riviere, Judy Pollard, and Marilyn Oden were among the finalists for this title. Also honored in the annual were Charlotte Mickey and Rosine McFaddin, who were chosen Goodfellows, and Betty Bollman, who was named an Outstanding Student. Charlotte Mickey, Bettie Ebaugh, and Martha Croley were graduated Cum Laude, and Rosine McFaddin was graduated Magna Cum Laude after being elected to  $\Phi$  B K, national scholastic honorary. Betsy Brown was also elected to  $\Phi$  B K earlier in the year.

Claire Scott and Betty Bollman were appointed to the Student Assembly, Claire from the college of Fine Arts and Betty from Arts and Sciences, and Ann Hill was elected vice-president of Co-Ed Assembly, the governing body for women's organizations. Jean Williams and Joan Ragsdale are both serving the Campus League of Women Voters, Jean as corresponding secretary and Joan as program chairman. Barbara Crossette is vice-president of A A  $\Delta$ , freshman scholastic honorary, and Doris Newton is president of Ashbel literary society. Pat Peyton was elected to  $\Sigma$   $\Delta$  II, national Spanish honorary, and Betty Bollman is a new member of  $\Pi$  A  $\Theta$ , national education honor society. Betty has also been tapped for Mortar Board and elected to the council of Cap and Gown, organization for senior women. Jean Haynie is a member of the Orientation Council and was chosen Girl of the Week by the *Daily Texan*, the student newspaper.

PLEGDED: Sarah Jane Allen, Jane Gross, Corpus Christi; Mary Jo Armstrong, Anne Moseley, Fort Worth; Louise Baker, Frances Bradley, Jackie Ehlers, Pat Forbes, Martha Griswold, Nancy Nye, Pat Peterkin, Andrea Simmons, Withroe Wier, Houston; Jeaneane Booth, Mineral Wells; Ann Calhoun, Gail Hall, Kathie Hogan, Anne McSween, Connie Nelson, Eleanor Scarborough, Jane Wray, Mary Pat Zachry, San Antonio; Gail Campbell, Temple; Carolyn Cargile, San Angelo; Dale Cochran, Ann Greer, Ann Lear, Sally Otis, Ann Mayo, Dallas Colleen Crow, Waco; Mary Martha Dickie, Jill King, Tyler; Jeanne DuPriest, Bryan; Marilyn Dysart, Havana, Cuba; Joan Jester, Shelby Reed, Janet Wheeler, Austin; Barbara Kendall, Caracas, Venezuela; Margaret Kimball, Cotulla; Virginia Leon, Rotan; Madeline McDermott, Luffkin; Zenobia Myers, Bryan; Frances Puett, Midland; Sally Talley, Atlanta; Suzanne Waters, Weslaco.

BETTY BOLLMAN

## TEXAS BETA—SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1916

Pledge Day, September 29, 1949

INITIATED, March 20, 1949: Shirley Clark, Connie Cureton, Norma Higgenbotham, Sharon Hussey, Patty Long, Ann Mendenhall, Pat Moore, Phyllis Murphey, Nan Nash, Mary Selemcan, Gloria Slaughter, Charlene Sullivan, Betty White, Dallas; Joann Coate, Pharr; Joan Segars, Oklahoma City, Okla.; Anne Matthews, Ranger; Marcie O'Dwyer, Texarkana; Mary Margaret Harris, Center.

Southern Methodist University is expanding its plant to accommodate the 5,800 students who turned out for registration this fall. Returning students found a changed campus with buildings sprouting in every direction. Due for completion in January 1950 is Fondren Hall of Science, which will be the largest building of the University. Perkins Theology Quadrangle will be finished by September of 1950, and construction has just started on the Law School Quadrangle. When completed, these handsome buildings will add greatly to the appearance of the campus.

The University is proud of the newly-granted Phi Beta Kappa charter. A local honory has been petitioning the national organization for many years, and the chapter will be formally installed some time this year.

Evidence of the success of Texas B's rush week is the pledge class of thirty-two girls, largest in the history of the chapter. After the pinning on of ribbons the pledges were honored with an informal dinner. Members and pledges then adjourned to the Fall Fling, an all-school dance at the Student Union Building.

The Pi Beta Phi apartment was ready for a new year too. During the summer several energetic members with the help of the Dallas Alumnae Club completely redecorated and refurbished the apartment. The chapter really owes these girls sincere thanks for their efforts.

Texas B is inaugurating the new custom this year of holding open house at the apartment one day every week. Members are free to bring guests.

June Poteet has been elected Associate Editor of the *Rotunda* and secretary of A A  $\Delta$ . Nina Pruter was elected to the Student Council and Emily Desobry was elected Judge on the Student Court. Anne Matthews was elected vice-president of Snider Hall, women's dormitory; and Margaret Malitz was chosen as vice-president of the Junior Class. Katherine Young is vice-president of the Mustang Recreation Association, and Joanne Coate was Southern Methodist University's representative to the Rice Duchess Festival.

PLEGDED: Betty Barrett, Betty Butler, Phyllis Ann Carter, Barbara Clanton, Marjorie Hightower, Laura Hillhouse, Anellon Livingstone, Shirley McBride, Bette Sue McKenzie, Rosine Maher, Peggy Merrill, Lou Prothro, Joan Shelburne, Anne Toole, Joan Whitten, Dallas; Dian Bennett, Crockett; Rose Marie Bentsen, Marilyn Motley, McAllen; Dorothy Ann Borders, Kaufman; Barbara Ann Bryant, Tyler; Sally Carney, Atlanta; Mary Vanita Harlow, Longview; Barbara Hartung, Tany Pollard, Anne Story, Houston; Anne Marie Laskey, Ruston, La.; Sue Ann Morgan, Atlanta, Ga.; Carey Phillips, Lewisville, Ga.; Patsy Pittman, Corpus Christi; Anne Rankin, Abilene; Helen Reddoch, Arkansas; Katherine Register, Corsicana.

DIANE COOK

## LOUISIANA ALPHA—SOPHIE NEWCOMB COLLEGE

Chartered, October 29, 1891

Pledge Day October 2, 1949

During the summer the chapter house assumed the new look with a fresh coat of paint inside and new drapes. Also, a new ice-box and a coke machine were added.

College opened September 19 with the Orientation program for the freshmen and transfers. These students were entertained at such functions as the Dean's garden party, Newcomb Alumnae Association's tour of New Orleans, a freshman Dance, and a pajama party, which was planned by the upperclassman "Big Sisters." Active in the entire program were Jeannine McGee, president of Government Association, and Elizabeth Cook, treasurer of the student body.

A new system of rushing was introduced by Panhellenic in which rush was divided into four parts: open houses, beginning September 22; first group of parties; second group of parties; and preferential teas. By this method the rushees and actives became well acquainted by the end of rushing. October 1, Louisiana A gave a "Hill-billy" party, "Cajun" party, "Dream" party, and "Pi Phi Purgatory" party; the last three being traditional with the chapter.

The philanthropic project for the year is the entertaining of convalescent children at Charity Hospital. The children call the volunteer workers "play ladies."

The debutante list for the season includes Mary Foster, Virginia McConnell, Leila Flournoy, Joel Wolfe, and Susan Hyams.

PLEGDED: JoAnn Ansley, Ann Bridges, Laura Burks, Judy Conley, Josephine Gibert, Edith Harris, Hanton de la Houssaye, Anne Hutchinson, Alice Meade, Elizabeth Orr, Marion Pratt, Elizabeth Spring, Mary Louise Steele, Kathy Ann Steinmayer, Sue Storrs, Laura Sussdorf, Imogene Whyte.

BARBARA BIZZELL

## LOUISIANA BETA—LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1936

Pledge Day, September 20, 1949

Rush week officially began on October 8 with an open house in the sorority room. The following days were crowded with parties and individual rush dates, climaxed by the traditional "Arrow Tea." Many new songs were added to the host of rush tunes. The all-persuasive "Honey" and "Remember the Pi Phi Arrow" were sung time and again.

Louisiana A won the WRA athletic cup for the 1948-49 sports season. Dorothy Joan Feth and Dollie Sue Viebig were tapped for Mortar Board. Alice Evelyn Pecot was elected into  $\Delta$   $\Phi$  A, honorar German fraternity, and DeEtte, JanEtte McKeithen received bids from  $\Phi$   $\Sigma$  I, honorary romance language fraternity. The YWCA is headed by Joan Feth and Dollie Sue Viebig was elected editor of the 1950 yearbook, the *Gumbo*. Peggy Mattox was chosen cheerleader for this season.

PLEGDED: Elinor Brown, Houma; Mae Claire Glasscock,

Dallas, Tex.; Sue Harper, Fort Smith, Ark.; Cleo Borden, June West, DeRidder; Gertrude James, Shreveport; Barbara Clann, Norma Lewis, Margie Smith, Covington; June Lee, Garrison, Tex.; Peggy Maddox, Huntington, Tenn.; Sally

McCarty, Cairo, Ill.; Jean Matthews, Mary Snelling, New Orleans; Abigail Riche, Patty Stafford, Alexandria; HESSIE REESE WILLIAMS, Port Arthur, Tex.

SHIRLEY DOAN

## LAMBDA PROVINCE

### ALBERTA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA

Chartered, September, 1931

The University of Alberta campus was a bustle of activity once again when registration for the new session took place late in September and classes began early in October.

The Alberta A house took on a new sparkle with a new paint job during the summer holidays and the purchase of new drapes.

Fraternity rushing continued through the summer months in Calgary and Edmonton. Functions included hikes, a ranch party, carnival, and a breakfast party. There was only one rushing season this session, in the middle of November.

Much progress may be noted in the construction of the Rutherford Memorial Library and the Student's Union Building, two buildings which in the near future will play a large part in the life of every student.

University of Alberta students have much to look forward to, besides exams, before Xmas. October and November were busy months with the round of activities including the Mardi Gras, Wauneita Formal, Alumni Homecoming week-end, and the fall play, "Alice In Wonderland," presented by the Drama Club.

DAWN ECKERT

### MONTANA ALPHA—MONTANA STATE COLLEGE

Chartered, 1921

Pat Galt was chosen for "Big Ten," which is composed of the ten outstanding seniors, and also was honored by being included in *Who's Who In American Colleges and Universities*. Carol Kelly and Pat Miller were tapped for Mortar Board. Carol Kelly was elected vice-president of Mortar Board and is also vice-president of Associated Women's Students. Others who were chosen for honoraries this spring were: Jan Allen,  $\Phi$  T, a home economics honorary; Mary Tuttle,  $A \Psi \Omega$ , the dramatics honorary; Betsy Davies,  $A \Delta$ ; Pat Brooder,  $\Pi \Omega \Pi$ , the commercial honorary; and Pat Smith and Dot Stone,  $A T \Delta$ , the nursing honorary. Joan Kiff was elected president of Spurs and Pat Smith, Colleen Korrell, Dot Stone, Ellen Moore, Betsy Davies, and Pat Miller were chosen for membership.

Montana A gave five rush parties this year, besides Promenade Tea and Preference Dinner. They included a Vogue Party, a Slumber Party, Arrow to the Moon Party, a Barn Dance, and a Circus Party. Of course, both the Pi Phi's and the rushees were worn out when it was all over, but it was fun and was well worth it.

Montana A was honored to have Marie Bacon Hagee, Director of Extension, visit for a few days in October. It was especially nice to have her help at the beginning of the year when there are so many problems.

PLEGDED: Phyllis Viken, Lucille Hinman, Helena; Margaret Dempsey, Butte; Nancy Yonke, Sheridan, Wyo.; Helen Clark, Alice Brown, Bozeman; Isabel Korrell, Lewistown; Jerrie Kramer, Livingston; Carolyn Holmes, Red Lodge; Betty Broadus, Margery McRae, Colstrip; Marion Vickers, Hardin; Phyllis Van Vorous, Missoula.

BARBARA CHESNEY

### IDAHO ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO

Chartered, 1923

Pledge Day, September 18, 1949

INITIATED, October 2, 1949: Joan Coble, Bonners Ferry; Eleanor Wilson, Weiser; Shirley Molen, Boise.

Idaho A swung into the 1949-1950 academic year with interest and activity. After rush season the chapter members turned wholeheartedly to the preparations for the annual Homecoming, held October 15, 1949. Homecoming this year was one of the largest and most elaborate ever presented by the University student body. There were many lovely floats, and unique house decorations. A pajama rally was held on the eve of Homecoming for all freshman women, who serpentine through the men's living groups. Then came the eventful day with the football game. On Homecoming

evening an "All Student Mixer" was held featuring a name band.

Just before Homecoming, Mrs. Hagee, Director of Extension officer, visited the chapter. Her visit was most successful.

Following Homecoming, Idaho A gave its pledge-initiation dance in honor of the pledges and initiates.

Then came Dad's Day. Open house was held by the chapter as it was for Homecoming. Many alumnae came to visit the chapter on both occasions.

Rosemary Fitzgerald became very active as president of the Associated Women Students when college classes resumed. Three Idaho A members were chosen for Vandaleers, a mixed singing group on the campus. Connie Baxter was sponsored for Homecoming queen by the  $\Phi$  K T.

A new system of exchanges between men's and women's living groups was introduced to the Idaho campus this year. The social chairman from each women's living group drew names in order to determine the date of the exchange with each men's house.

It was announced by the Registrar that the grade average for the women on the campus last year exceeded the grade average for the men by several points. The average for both men and women rose considerably over the previous year.

PLEGDED: Gloria Badraun, Priest River; Jean Bales, Caldwell; Connie Baxter, Liane Love, Marian Wilson, Buhl; Ruth Bieber, Big Timber, Mont.; Donna Mae Burch, Coeur d'Alene; Lillian Garner, Twin Falls; Mary Jane Harris, Spokane, Wash.; Sharon Henderson, Idaho Falls; Janet Holman, Palo Alto, Calif.; Gloria Maule, Payette; Rose Murdock, Boise; Barbara Storms, Ellensburg, Wash.; Phyllis Vickery, Emmett.

ELIZABETH FITZGERALD

### WASHINGTON ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

Chartered, 1906

Pledge Day, September 25, 1949

INITIATED, April 10, 1949: Nancy Benson, Muriel Thorpe, Seattle; Mary Elizabeth Partlow, Kathryn Stevens, Olympia; Donna Burnam, Tacoma; Georgia Hagen, Eatonville.

INITIATED, September 14, 1949: May Louise Carlson, Shirley Tyler, Seattle; Emily Anne Glorius, Bellevue; Ann Keigwin, Rolling Bay.

Spring quarter Barbara Whitehead was elected second vice-president of the Associated Students of Washington and was tapped for Mortar Board along with Joanne Tarré, current president of the Associated Women Students. Mary King and Helen Veatch became members of  $\Phi$  B K.

Washington A earned second place in scholarship among the women's organized houses on campus.

The Pi Phi Spring Formal was the highlight of the year. This dance was held at the chapter house which was very effectively decorated with garlands of hawthorne. The affair was a huge success and enjoyed by all.

The fall quarter at the University of Washington opened amid the clamor and bustle of registration and rush week, and with the new Administration, Music, Medical, and Student Union Buildings. Also, new electronic chimes rang out across the campus replacing those destroyed in the Chimes Tower fire last spring.

Returning to school, Washington A's found a beautifully re-decorated chapter house. Not only was the first floor very attractively done, but the Mothers' Club gave new chests and beds for all the bed rooms.

Rushing began September 16 and ended September 25 with pledge night and open house.

PLEGDED: Barbara Davidson, Joan Dahoney, Joyce Jenness, Janice Mayer, Shirley Miller, Barbara Poske, Nadine Putnam, Judy Reams, Mary Sennett, Annette Weaver, Seattle; Carol Berger, Carolyn Johannes, Hoquiam; Ida Hansler, Janet Hudloff, Tacoma; Carolyn Campbell, Aberdeen; Geraldine Greenleaf, Snohomish; Connie Gunderson, Enumclaw; Patricia Ivy, Yakima; Annette Ward, Arlington; Cara Marshall, Honolulu.

GRACE BOVEE



### WASHINGTON BETA—WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE

Chartered, July, 1912

Pledge Day, September 9, 1949

INITIATED, September 3, 1949: Gwen Barker.

Washington B's were greeted by a pleasant surprise on their return to school this fall, a newly decorated chapter house. The outside had been completely painted, while the interior was given the modern look with new chartreuse drapes, rose carpet, re-covered furniture and rose painted walls.

Washington State College students are eagerly awaiting the completion of the new library which is scheduled to be officially dedicated in the spring of 1950. This along with the new Technology building and Todd Hall, is giving a progressive look to the campus.

Spring activities of 1949 were climaxed by the initiation of Gwyneth Brusso into  $\Phi$  B, music honorary and the selection of Helen Yelle as May Princess.

On October 7, a faculty dinner was held in honor of the Dean of Women, Miss Lulu Holmes, and her guest, Miss Tano Jodai of Japan, who told of her many interesting experiences as Dean of the School of English in Nippon Women's College.

The weekend of October 8 was Dads' Day, and fathers arrived from all parts of Washington to be entertained by their co-ed daughters. Washington B's honored their fathers with a fireside and program and a specially arranged dinner.

PLEGGED: Barbara Farrell, Marilyn Boyle, Everett; Barbara Chastain, Yakima; Greta Bendixon, Betty Hughes, Lena Deusch, Pullman; Paula Mattson, Opportunity; Ann Marie Ayres, Patricia Marshall, Joan Johnson, Helen Brandt, Carrie Panagakis, Spokane; Shirley Reid, Veradale; Mary Jane Shivas, Olympia.

FRANCES BARNES

### WASHINGTON GAMMA—COLLEGE OF PUGET SOUND

Chartered, September, 1948

Pledge Day, October 5, 1949

Returning to the campus after three months of work and leisure in various parts of the country, Washington  $\Gamma$ 's twenty-nine members got into the fraternity and college spirit again full of new plans for the year ahead.

The chapter room had a complete face lifting one week before rush. With the help of a Pi Beta Phi alumna who is an interior decorator, the walls were painted, a window seat was built in, the archives were concealed behind the desk, and a few new pieces of furniture were added.

Rushing ended with a dessert supper on Saturday night and on Monday night two  $\Sigma$ 's delivered the bids with the traditional kiss and a song from the chapter.

Matriculation exercises were highlighted for all Washington  $\Gamma$ 's when the college president awarded the chapter the Dean of Women's scholarship cup for 1948-1949. Harriet Haines was awarded the  $\Delta$   $\Delta$   $\Delta$  sociology award of \$100 as the most outstanding student in that department.

Alice Palmer and Nancy Riehl were appointed members of the Chapel Committee. Alice Palmer was also elected the first president of the Associated Women Students and all women on the campus are hoping for a very successful year in this organization. Gloria Nelson was appointed chairman of the Careers Committee for A.W.S. Nancy Riehl was elected secretary of the student body.

The talk of the campus is the national tour which the Adelphi Concert Choir will make in 1951. Their debut will be in Town Hall in New York in April of that year, with at least six Washington  $\Gamma$ 's participating. In the spring of 1950 the choir will tour in six states of the north-west.

The chapter challenged another sorority to a touch football game played during the Homecoming festivities. Carol Sue Petrich, a member of Women's Athletics governing body, was "coach" with a little help from a fraternity brother. Women's athletics are in full swing with the beginning of hockey and badminton turnouts and Washington  $\Gamma$ 's are taking part almost one-hundred percent. At last year's awards assembly Carol Sue Petrich, Jane Hagen Knapp, and Beverly Farrell, were awarded their school sweaters after earning 1200 points each in various sports.

Enrollment at the college is again over the 2000 mark and seven new professors have been added to the faculty. By fall of 1950 the president will be entertaining in the reception hall of the new president's home going up on campus. The foundation is laid and work is progressing.

PLEGGED: Barbara Braithwaite, Seattle; Hildred Jensen, Ketchikan, Alaska; Mary Hjort, Tumwater; Marilyn Ruchter,

Rosemary Seaman, Olympia; Laura Ellison, Joan Thompson, Joyce Wilfley, Lakewood; Edna Andahl, Sally Bertucci, Joyce Chisholm, Jane Creswell, Maureen Dessen, Barbara Gustafson, Marilyn Jacomson, Rosemary Martensen, Gloria May, Hazel Mika, JoAnne Neff, Antonette Sule, and Joanne Woods, Tacoma.

NANCY RIEHL

### OREGON ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF OREGON

Chartered, October 29, 1915

Pledge Day, September 13, 1949

INITIATED, April 23, 1949: Delight Kolar, Janet Weatherall, Portland; Joyce Zirkle, Pendleton.

Oregon A completed a successful rush week by pledging eighteen "nuggets." Rushing was made colorful by Circus Day, Hawaiian Night Club, and even a mock wedding, complete with reception line, wedding cake and "I Love You Truly."

New students and old were proud of Oregon's football machine as it rolled up impressive scores in the first two games of the season. Students and citizens of Eugene rejoiced at the re-opening of Oregon's beloved traditional mill race. Funds collected from students and faculty last year made the opening possible, and the campus celebrated with a rally and street dance "Puddles," the Oregon duck mascot, was on hand and eyed the water suspiciously.

Building is being carried on at a great rate on the campus, the library is being expanded, the new women's dormitory is nearly completed, and the long dreamed of Student Union Building is well on its way toward being a reality. The new  $\Sigma$  K house, attracts much comment and interest with its ultra modern styling and conveniences.

Eager plans are being made by the pledges to challenge the  $\Sigma$  K  $\Gamma$  new-comers to the annual "Lipstick Bowl" football classic held each fall between the two houses. Plays must be perfected and the "team" put into tip top condition in order to preserve the title of champion, won by last year's freshman class—the  $\Pi$  B  $\Phi$  stars of '52.

Campus dances are helping to add fun to the serious side of college life. The Pledge Dance celebrated the successful end of rushing and the Hello Dance helped the Oregon Ducks become acquainted. The "Bunion Derby," a progressive dance where men's houses circulate among the women's houses, made a Saturday night active, varied and interesting, and provided funds for charity.

Joan Minnaugh and Marilyn Turner were tapped for Mortar Board.  $\Phi$   $\Theta$  T, Junior Women's Honorary, claims Anne Case, and Ann Darby and Marilyn Thompson are members of Kwama, Sophomore Women's Honorary. Kay Keller entertained at the Oregon-Idaho rally, where Mary Margaret Jones was presented to new students as last year's Junior Weekend Queen.

PLEGGED: Barbara Baker, Joan Blakely, Maureen Cotta, Carol Dwyer, Agnes Friedle, Wilma Hamilton, Kay Keller, Marcia Knosher, Sarah Turnbull; Portland; Bonnie Berke-meier, Milwaukie, Barbara Booth, Arcadia, Calif.; Anne Henderson, Aberdeen, Wash.; Miriam Jones, Jackie Lewis, Kitty Lou Shaw, Eugene; Sally Pitman, Everett, Wash.; Janet Shaw, Marshfield; Catherine Siegmund, Salem.

ROBERTA TUSSING

### OREGON BETA—OREGON STATE COLLEGE

Chartered, 1917

Pledge Day, September 30, 1949

INITIATED, April 23, 1949: Donna Daggett, Lois Conahan, Delorise Peterson, Margaret Wambold, Portland; Colleen Powers, Mollala; Jahala Keys, Salem.

As the last student entered the gates of Oregon State College this fall the enrollment reached a high of 6680. Oregon B claims thirty-three members and thirty-one pledges of this total enrollment. To accommodate this large number of Oregon Staters, dormitories have been improved, a new electrical engineering building has been added to the campus, and work has progressed immensely on the new basketball pavillion where students hope to continue supporting an outstanding team.

Panhellenic extended rushing for a two week session this year. Oregon B rushing parties included themes of sleepy time, Holland, Hawaii, and "Angels in Disguise."

The chapter scholarship average for last spring was a 2.85 which ranked high among women's fraternities. Three outstanding seniors who helped attain this average were Margaret Schuster, Marjorie Gerber, and Joanne Lindberg who were tapped for membership into  $\Phi$  K  $\Phi$ . Also, Janet Rutherford was chosen to become a member of A A  $\Delta$ .

Last spring a dance concert was given during Mother's Week-end in which Pat Kelly and Nancy Gassman had leading parts. These girls were later tapped for Orchestis, national dance

honorary. Pi Beta Phi mothers entertained as a conclusion to Mother's Weekend and presented the chapter with a combination radio-phonograph, figurines for the living room, and two floor lamps.

Joanne Geary was a finalist for the "Mother Was A Freshman" contest. Talons, sophomore girls honorary, selected Dorothy Cooper and Karen Kaer for membership. K K A, art honorary, pledged Nancy Gassman. Adeline Emerson was tapped for  $\Phi X \Theta$ , and Nan West won membership in  $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$ . Barbara May was elected Daisy Mae at the annual Sadie Hawkins Day contest. Outstanding girl of the senior class was Mary Heuman. Mary was also chosen one of the six women of achievement at the Matrix dinner. Shirley and Phyllis Bolter are now known on campus as the "Toni Twins" since they triumphed over contestants from all of Oregon to win the contest. Nancy Buren was appointed *Beaver* yearbook manager for the coming year, and Marilyn Melson was elected to be a member of the board of reference.

The annual Aloha dance, given by the freshmen for the seniors, proved to be a successful social event as did the Strawberry Festival which the chapter members gave for the faculty.

Climaxing the year's activities was the announcement that Joanne Lindberg had won the National Amy B. Onken Award. This thrilling news came to Oregon B on the night of the senior farewell cooky-shine.

PLEGGED: Carolyn Abplanalp, Joyce Broderson, Mary Cable, Patricia Clark, Barbara Fessler, Patricia Fry, Patricia Hone, Shirley Houston, Joan Johnson, Joan LeFevre, Janis Marsh, Barbara Morse, Joanne Perry, Patricia Thompson, Portland; Suzanne Barnes, Shirlee Newby, Lorraine Welling, Barbara Zumwalt, Salem; Janet Albert, Flora Schuster, Corvallis; Charleen Dahlin, Mary Loggan, Marjorie Peak, Bend; Virginia Corrie, Coquille; Nancy Gentle, Burlingame, Calif.; Constance Griffith, Huntington; Racheal Hamilton, Boise, Idaho; Joyce Heuman, St. Helens; Patricia Orcutt, Mollalla; Nancy Tucker, Milwaukie; Ann Williams, Coos Bay.



## OREGON GAMMA—WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1944

Pledge Day, October 3, 1949

Avis Roberts, President of Oregon  $\Gamma$ , and Diane Proctor, Pledge Supervisor, attended the A Province workshop at Timberline Lodge on Mount Hood. The Province was honored to have Miss Amy B. Onken, Grand President, and Mrs. Emily Draper, Province President, present for the entire workshop.

On October 8, Oregon  $\Gamma$  held a semi-formal dance at the chapter house. The theme "Blue Reflections" was carried out.

The chapter has as its guest Genowefa Krzvwkowska, a Polish student, for the academic year.

The B A  $\Gamma$ , sophomore women's honorary, tapped Prudence Craig, and Jo Oliver as new members. Last semester the honorary tapped Sue Mellor and Mary Louise Lee.

What would the year be without Freshman Glee. This year Oregon  $\Gamma$  was well represented with Barbara MacDuffee and Barbara Miller contributing the winning Senior Song. Martha Bernard wrote the words and music to the Sophomore Song which rated second.

Mrs. Draper, Province President, arrived March 23 for a short visit with the chapter members. While here, she had many inspiring conferences with the officers.

The Letterman's Ball was March 6 with Janyce Baker and Shirley Hansen as princesses on the Varsity Court.

Margie Guice was pledged to  $\Theta A \Phi$ , dramatic honorary. Rainy weather didn't dampen the spirits of Willamette students on May Weekend when Queen Edith Fairham, Princess Barbara Miller, and Attendants Dona Adams and Barbara MacDuffee reigned.

Pledged, May 29, 1949; Jo Oliver, Pat Koupal.

PLEGGED: Gloria Spencer, Salem; Amarullis Lillis, Beverley Rands, Janet Rogers, Barbara Baker, Portland; Audrey Bliss, Palo Alto, Calif.; Pat Click, St. Helens; Grace Connel, Hillsboro; JoAnn Frady, Milwaukie; Shirley Griffin, Vancouver, Wash.; Shirley Helwig, Dona Mears, Roseburg; Margaret Kaufman, Forest Grove; Margaret McDermott, Walla Walla, Wash.; Jo Ann Richardson, Joyce Robertson, Prudence Edwards, Longview, Wash.; Betty Weber, Gresham.

NANCY ADAMS

## MU PROVINCE

### NEW MEXICO ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO

Chartered, September 11, 1946

Pledge Day, September 21, 1949

INITIATED, October 9, 1949: Amy Bond, Francer Curns, Jo Ann Walter, Albuquerque; Mary Louise Sage, Santa Fe; Cynthia Hickey, Lincoln, Neb.; Janet Madden, Denver Col.

The college year was eagerly anticipated by all New Mexico A's since it would open with rushing in a brand new house. The house is built in the pueblo style architecture, as are all the other buildings on the University campus, and consists of a very spacious living room (the largest on campus), the chaperon's quarters, a kitchen, powder room, and a basement chapter room. This year the chapter's main interest lies in raising money for building a second story for bedrooms, and a wing for the dining room. Plans have been made to raffle some sterling flatware in order to help the financial situation. The alumnae and mothers' club will also participate.

On October 2 the chapter honored the new housemother, Mrs. Alice M. Davidson, with a tea which was well attended.

New Mexico A was happy to lend its house to three fraternities who needed a place to rush. They were  $\Sigma A E$ ,  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  and Nu Sigma Club.

The actives assisted the alumnae in the annual Settlement School sale and tea held late in October.

Rosemary Stockton is president of The Associated Women Students and Pauline Martin is the secretary. Mary Elizabeth Scanlan is president of Panhellenic Council. Elaine Jackson is the society editor for the student semi-weekly newspaper, *The Lobo*. Pauline Martin is president of Physical Education Majors and Minors Club. The student body elected Pauline to be on the Athletic Council. Grace Jones is a member of  $\Phi \Gamma N$ , a business administration honorary, and Rosemary Stockton is a member of  $\Sigma A I$ , music honorary.

The university is expanding rapidly. A new dormitory for men is well on the way to completion. Plans are being made for the construction of a chapel and a new Student Union Building.

PLEGGED: Barbara Boyd, Carol Hensley, Greta Lucas, Julie

Penix, Gretchen Spear, Marilyn Wagner, Bernice Wilson, Albuquerque; Marceline Kimbrell, Zuni; Joann McNay, Tucuman; Tommy Thompson, Raton; Marge Funkhouser, Wilmette, Ill.; Marjorie Helper, Glendale, Calif.; La Verne Henderson, La Crescent, Calif.; Joan Jelinek, La Grange, Ill.; Sue Kenworthy, Oak Park, Ill.; Barbara Mac Cauley, Chicago Ill.

PATRICIA SCANLAN

### CALIFORNIA BETA—UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

Chartered, 1900

Pledge Day, September 24, 1949

Despite the ever decreasing number of veterans, fall registration at the University wavered around the 23,000 mark. During the summer months a new wing to the Charles Doe Library was completed. This greatly relieved the tension of the old, overcrowded rooms. Several new engineering buildings are under construction and will be completed this year.

To start the semester with California spirit, a rally was held in the Greek Theatre on September 16 before the first football game of the season. The Greek Theatre was also the setting, on September 21, for the first University meeting of the semester when President Robert Gordon Sproul welcomed all new students.

Continuing a tradition established last year, the All-Cal Weekend was held October 18-20 on the University of California at Los Angeles campus. Sponsored by the California Club, the weekend was a great success with students of all eight campuses of the University meeting in Los Angeles for three days of spirited rallies, parades, and football.

A great tragedy occurred early this fall when Beaudelaire Hall, a university sponsored boarding house for girls, was burned completely to the ground. At the instigation of the National Panhellenic Association, all of the women's fraternities contributed to a fund to aid the homeless girls.

Last spring and this fall several of the girls of California B received notable honors and appointments. Katherine Olson was asked to join California Club, the members of

which are chosen by University President, Robert Gordon Sproul.

Peggy Lacy, Martha Helm, and Lucile Paxton were initiated into Ace of Clubs, an organization consisting of girls from  $\Pi B \Phi$ ,  $\kappa \kappa \Gamma$ ,  $\kappa A \Theta$ ,  $\Delta \Gamma$ , and  $A \Phi$ .

Lucile Paxton was initiated into Torch and Shield, a senior women's honor society, and was appointed a member of Women's Judicial Board. Lucile also acted as Secretary of Homecoming, the largest project of the fall semester.

Marilyn Tupper, Katherine Olson, and Joan Crawford received appointments on *Blue and Gold*, the yearbook, as sophomore manager, sophomore editor, and junior editor respectively. Jane Mannex, Katherine Olson and Joan Crawford received junior appointments to Elections Board. Eleanor Penfield is Chairman of Drives Committee which includes Community Chest, Red Cross, and World Student Service Fund Drives for the next year.

On October 4 the annual Panhellenic Fashion Show was held at the Fairmont Hotel in San Francisco. Winifred Woodward, Virginia Dole, and Ginger Chubb represented California B.

PLEGDED: Katherine Awalt, Sylvia Crockett, Margaret Nisbet, Berkeley; Martha Bancroft, Elizabeth Hollenbeck, Sylvia Howard, Piedmont; Ellen Galbraith, Claire Stoffel, Joan Woolsey, Orinda; Joan Toole, Ross; Sally Church, Janet Grout, Salinas; Mary Schuler, Stockton; Marilyn O'Connor, Sacramento; Anolou St. John, North Hollywood; Margaret Henze, Sierra Madre; Robin Redwine, La Canada; Norma Teague, Ojai; Joan Kimble, Visalia; Agnes Steele, Las Mochas Sinola, Mexico.

JOAN CRAWFORD

### CALIFORNIA GAMMA—UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Chartered, July 27, 1917

Pledge Day, September 10, 1949

INITIATED, September 30, 1949: Jan Ashford, Santa Monica; Susanne Earle, Joan Hunt, Gloria Wells, Los Angeles; Katherine Haney, Texas; Patricia Quint, Glendale; Nancy Ridgeway, Long Beach; Carolyn Schiller, Pasadena.

The initiation banquet was held at the chapter house immediately following the ceremony. Former house mother, Mrs. Merritt, spoke on duties to Pi Beta Phi. After dinner everyone adjourned to Joan Dean's home in San Marino for dancing and swimming.

Upon returning to campus this fall, everyone noticed the physical change in this urban University. The foundations for a new outdoor cafeteria and the Elizabeth Von-Kleinsmidt Memorial dormitory for women were in the process of being laid. Construction on the Stoppag Theater for the staging of Drama School productions and the new million dollar Letters, Arts, and Science building was being completed. On October 5, the 70th Anniversary of the founding of the University was celebrated by laying the cornerstone in the L.A.S. building. A California  $\Gamma$  was selected to represent the class of 1880. That evening, the prominent pianist Vladimir Horowitz gave an all Chopin Concert in Bovard Auditorium.

On October 7 the AWS-AMS Picnic, climaxing Hello and Smile Week, was enthusiastically supported by the chapter.

Homecoming Week started October 31 and ended with the Stanford game November 5. The first night was Gamma night when the chapter entertained all the California  $\Gamma$  alumnae. The climax to the week was a rally and float parade through downtown Los Angeles, and the Homecoming Dance.

At the Recognition Assembly last May, Barbara Potter, vice-president of the student body, received the award for the highest accumulative grade average of all students in the School of Education. Dorothy Walker was tapped for Mortar Board and elected vice-president of Amazons. Five more California  $\Gamma$ 's were chosen for Amazons, the Junior-Senior women's scholastic and activity organization, bringing the chapter number up to eight. Bingo Piver and Paula Hinckley were selected for Key and Scroll. Bingo was elected president of this Junior scholastic group. Patricia Quint was tapped for Spurs, and Joan Tanner was made Chief Justice of the women's Judicial Court.

The chapter is very proud of its achievement in raising its scholastic average from seventeenth place among the women's fraternities to first place, in the short space of one year.

The party for the pledges on September 17, at Sue Earle's home, was a great success. Frank Ortega's combo was an added attraction.

PLEGDED: Carita Ackerman, Pasadena; Janet Ewart, Mitzi Webb, Phyllis Ford, Los Angeles; Suzanne Gray, San Marino; Carolyn Hughes, Arkansas; Joan Malone, Clarita Stone, Glendale.

PATRICIA COGHLAN

### CALIFORNIA DELTA—UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT LOS ANGELES

Chartered, September, 1927

Pledge Day, September 17, 1949

INITIATED, October 1, 1949: Sandy Chrest, Marian Craddock, Patsy Hanna, Claire Jackson, Evalyne Miller, Margie Redman, Allyn Smith, Los Angeles; Peggy Burbank, Beverly Hills; Peggy Erwin, Kingsburg; Pat Gray, San Gabriel; Virginia Hammat, Fresno; Sue Schissler, San Marino.

Two very important events in which many Pi Phis participated were the installation of California E at San Diego State on August 26-31, and the pledging of the California Z's on September 5 at the California  $\Delta$  house. Tremendous enthusiasm for both new groups is evident in the glowing reports of the girls who participated in these two events.

Rushing began on September 7 with a slightly new system which proved to be well liked by everyone. The main features were having five groups instead of four, and an increase in the number of parties and houses to which the rushers went. The ten days of rushing were brought to a close with Presents on September 17.

Jackie Yarbrough is the YWCA's vice-president and is also a member of Mortar Board. Lucky O'Keefe and Smily Cook are the newest members of Cal Club which is an honorary limited to twenty whose final selection is made by President Sproul. Lucky was also selected along with Kim Murray to be on the RCB Student Board which is an honorary discussion group. Junior Class vice-president is Smily Cook who is also on the RCB Bruin Board. The two newest "Trolls" women's honorary are Sue Evans and Kim Murray. Personal secretaries to the chairman of Homecoming are Barbara Anderson and Johann Wertz. Not to be forgotten are three busy Spurs, Peggy Burbank, Audrey Somers and Marilyn Jones.

One of the first big events of the fall semester was Initiation. A big banquet followed the ceremony at which Peggy Burbank was awarded the "pledge paddle" for being the outstanding pledge of the spring pledge class. A dance was held in the evening in the Palm Room of the Miramar Hotel.

September 26 was the date of the President's reception for all new students at UCLA and at which eighteen California  $\Delta$ 's served as hostesses.

The annual Panhellenic Convention was held the weekend of October 1. Many valuable ideas were exchanged between the officers of all the sororities at UCLA.

The first exchange party was a highly successful all day beach outing with the Betas. Other exchanges were given with the  $\Sigma N$ 's,  $\Sigma A E$ 's, Z's,  $\kappa \Sigma$ 's and  $\Phi \Psi$ 's.

PLEGDED: Leigh Dudley, Peggy Dunn, June Koch, Carol Lee Ladd, Martha Touchstone, Terry Weber, Arlene Williams, Los Angeles; Diane Dags, El Cajon; Barbara McCann, San Marino; Eloise Moore, Long Beach; Nancy Peterson, San Diego; Betsy Roberts, Beverly Hills; Joan Smith, Kay Tompkins, Pasadena; Lynn Wheeler, San Fernando.

BARBARA HANDOFF

### CALIFORNIA EPSILON—SAN DIEGO STATE COLLEGE

Chartered, September 1, 1949

Pledge Day, September 18, 1949

With initiation and installation ceremonies barely a memory, and with their badges only one day old, the California E's plunged into rush week. Help and advice from experienced members Joey Wight, California  $\Delta$ , Judy Beach, Indiana E, and Katherine Teasley, Colorado A, was greatly appreciated. This was the first year San Diego had held rushing the week prior to the opening of college.

Selling chrysanthemums at the first home football game of the season raised money for the chapter's first philanthropy. The sum of \$100.00 was donated to the Marching Band Traveling Fund. A perpetual trophy was awarded to the organization having the greatest percentage of sales.

Pledges and members enjoyed selling articles (and buying, too) at the Settlement School Benefit held October 8 at the San Diego Woman's Club. Parents and friends of the actives met alumnae and spent the afternoon playing bridge.

Square dancing has become popular in Southern California, so to keep in step, members held an exchange with  $\kappa \Sigma$ . The dance was held in a rustic barn, complete with professional caller. Girls wore calico dresses and the men wore levis and plaid shirts.

A costume party was held at Katherine Teasley's home Halloween night. Trap doors, eerie sound effects and a "blackout" were foreboding signs at the entrance. Pledges presented entertainment.

The new arts and crafts building is in final stages of com-



pletion. Located on the edge of the canyon, it is constructed in the Spanish style architecture of the other campus buildings. The library annex addition is entirely completed.

Class officer positions were won by Sheila Jo McKinney, senior vice-president, Rosemarie Klein, senior secretary, and Violet Rakich, pledge president, sophomore secretary.

The chapter placed second in scholarship among women's fraternities at the beginning of the fall term.

Cetza, sophomore-junior women's service fraternity, elected Betty Gean, Jana Parrott, Ann Deputy and Patricia Morton to membership. Lenore Hughes and Geraldine Nichols joined Xolotl, senior women's service organization. Shirley Shindler is vice-president of Women's Recreation Association. Associated Women's Students board members are Geraldine Nichols and Sheila Jo McKinney. Anne Geiberger is secretary of Panhellenic.

Darlene Laughery was queen of  $\Theta \chi$  Homecoming Float Thanksgiving Day.

PLEGDED: Nancy Deewall, Ann McKechnie, Marie McKinney, Jo Anne Talbert, Coronado; Janice Beach, Virginia Buchanan, June den Boestert, Nancy McCartney, Peggy Myrick, Kathryn Naiman, Shirley Sequist, Joan Sieger, Naomi Westergaard, Mary Beth Young, Violet Rakich, San Diego; Grace Hinman, Jennie Judd, La Jolla; Virginia Norton, National City; Barbara Terry, La Mesa; Jo Donahue, Lemon Grove; Jean Terryberry, Encinitas.

SHEILA JO MCKINNEY

### NEVADA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA

Chartered, 1915

Pledge Day, September 29, 1949

INITIATED, October 15, 1949: Elizabeth Bassett, Margaret Bassett, Lorraine Goni, Joan Lundy, Reno; Donna Batt, Frances Batt, Carlin; Jane Bergendorf, Oakland, Calif.; Donna Florence, Joann Rich, Sacramento, Calif.; Bette Priest, Napa, Calif.

University of Nevada women departed from tradition in choosing candidates for the Associated Women Students presidency this year. Previously the office had rotated from organization to organization but this year candidates were voted upon by the entire membership of the A.W.S. A "bean feed" was held April 7 in the dining hall on campus to introduce the candidates endorsed by each organization.

Maxine Brockett was elected Queen of Engineers' Day. Edith Moore is vice-president of Y.W.C.A. Beverly Simon is serving as treasurer of W.R.A. and as secretary of YWCA. Elaine Abercrombie Horton was elected to  $X \Delta \Phi$ . Marjorie Simon was Co-chairman of Mackay Day. Both Marjorie and Elaine were listed on the spring honor roll. Nevada A was awarded the Scholarship Improvement Plaque given by the Dean of Women.

Spring social functions included a picnic at Galena Creek, where the pine-scented air sharpened appetites for hot dogs and potato salad. The Villa Sierra was the scene of the annual dinner-dance.

Each social organization presented a song team at the annual luncheon during Mackay Day, honoring John Mackay, University of Nevada benefactor. Nevada A's theme was "Harlem Fantasy" and included the following songs: "In My Solitude," "St. Louis Woman," and "I Dreamt I Dwelt In Harlem." Costumes were straight black skirts and chantage blouses.

Nevadans returned to campus to find several changes. Col. Gilbert Parker has been Acting President since the resignation of John O. Mosley. Another record enrollment of 1800 necessitates crowding in spite of the addition of two men's barracks on a site near Clark Field.

The first week of fall semester was designated "Hello Week." "Hello" tags, friendly greetings and broad smiles were the accepted fashion of the week. Activities included an assembly, a rally and a dance to welcome new students and to renew acquaintances.

After "Hello Week" the attention of the Nevada A's turned to the chapter house where new draperies brightened the first floor. The girls re-painted the furniture in their rooms in hues ranging from lavender to sunset red. A congenial atmosphere prevailed during the rush parties, and clever

decorations carried out such themes as a circus, an artists' party, a pickaninny watermelon bust and  $\Pi \beta \Phi$  heaven.

PLEGDED: Dorothy Coates, JoEllen Francis, Roberta Lundy, Mary Margaret Howell, Pat Pike, Anne Richardson, Reno; Alvah Ann Denton, Corona del Mar, Calif.; Michael Dwyer, San Mateo, Calif.; Wonda Holt, Honolulu, T.H.; Joan Lang, Lansdowne, Pa.; Donna McGowan, Lovelock; Joan Steadman, Phyllis Wheeler, Palo Alto, Calif.; Diane Fairfield, Richmond, Calif.; Suzanne Griffith, Oroville, Calif.; Phyllis Stitser, Winnemucca; Joan Whorton, Denver, Colo.

LOIS BATES

### ARIZONA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

Chartered, 1917

Pledge Day, September 23, 1949

INITIATED, October 8, 1949: Jacqueline Bivin, Phoenix; Patricia Blanc, Tucson; Barbara Brooks, Safford; Jo Ann Comer, Chicago, Ill.; Minerva Hobart, Canadian, Tex.; Alice Leman, Peoria, Ill.; Jane Rubel, Newport Beach, Calif.

A new system of rushing, with the accent on informality, was instituted at the University of Arizona this fall. Two afternoon teas, followed by two series of luncheons, coke parties, and desserts, and climaxed with two preference desserts comprised the schedule. At a Panhellenic fashion show preference desserts comprised the schedule. At a Panhellenic fashion show preceding the opening of rushing activities, cottons were suggested for the luncheons and coke parties and prints and date dresses for the evening affairs. The omission of hats and gloves, in deference to the unusually warm weather, further stressed this informality. The preference desserts were the only formal events, when the members of Arizona A dressed in traditional white and the rushees wore formals of varied hues.

A pleasant surprise greeted the returning Arizona A's. All the upstairs rooms had been redecorated by the alumnae. Each room was decorated individually and distinctively, with such color themes as lavender and brown, chartreuse and dark green, and royal blue and yellow featured. New day beds and large scatter rugs, as well as matching print drapes and bedspreads, were provided.

An open house honoring the pledges was held on September 30. Dancing furnished the evening's entertainment. Exchange dinners were held with  $X \chi A$  on October 19 and  $\Phi \kappa \Psi$  on November 3. A buffet supper honoring parents was held prior to the football game with Texas Western on Mom and Dad's Day, October 15.

At the banquet following Initiation, Alice Leman was presented with a jeweled recognition pin for having attained the highest grade average in her pledge class. Patricia Blanc received the outstanding pledge award.

Bonnie Robinson Green was chosen president of Mortar Board for the coming year and Georgia Ellsworth was appointed scholarship chairman of the same group. Kathleen McNabb and Jacqueline Boevers were named to PST, honorary for junior women. The chapter was proud to have the largest number of Spurs chosen from any group on campus, with Nancy Calvin, Sue Ellen Groover, Virginia Jenkins, Elizabeth Jordan, Alice Leman, Ann Mills, and Judy Walsh representing Arizona A in this honorary.

PLEGDED: Margaret Andrews, Beverly Beck, Nancy Black, Dorothy Drummond, Patricia Kelley, Theresa Smith, Phoenix; Jeanne Durand, Ann Howsare, Helen Hubbard, Marjorie Kelley, Virginia Lent, Mariana Locke, Dianne Moore, Mary Helen Powers, Mary Lou Whittington, Tucson; Donna Dible, Molly McCracken, Los Angeles, Calif.; Virginia Bee, Mary Moore, Kansas City, Mo.; Nancy Ekern, Marilyn Sanders, San Diego, Calif.; Carol Trohan, Sally Wilson, Washington, D.C.; Onah Barwise, Fort Worth, Texas; Diane Bernet, Denver, Colo.; Jane Currie, Wichita, Kans.; Kathryn May Elsea, Marshall, Mo.; Karen Harline, Palos Verdes Estates, Calif.; Lois Lyall, Convent, N.J.; Peggy Paxton, South Pasadena, Calif.; Jane Reynolds, Coronado, Calif.; Mary Ann Roads, Cincinnati, Ohio; Carolyn Simmons, La Canada, Calif.; Martha Thomas, Carrollton, Mo.; Sally Weir, St. Louis, Mo.

MARGARET RICE



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## IN MEMORIAM

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ELIZABETH DICK ALBRIGHT (Mrs. A. R.) initiated April 28, 1928 into Pennsylvania Δ, died August 16, 1949 in St. Petersburg, Fla.

JEAN ADCOCK BIVENS (Mrs. Donald) initiated February 27, 1943 into Illinois A, died October 8, 1949.

BERTHA POEHLER BLAUL (Mrs. Louis) initiated April 14, 1894 into Kansas A, died July 27, 1949 in Evanston, Ill.

ETHELYN HARDESTY CLEAVER (Mrs. Clarence G.) initiated June 4, 1904 into Pennsylvania Γ, died October 15, 1949.

ALICE WIARD GAULT (Mrs. Harry G.) initiated November 11, 1911 into Michigan B, died July 18, 1949.

EMILY HOSKINS GAWTHROP (Mrs. Robert S.) initiated November 10, 1900 into Maryland A, died July 17, 1949.

ANNA PORTER GREEN (Mrs. E. B.) initiated 1873 into Illinois A, died December 6, 1948.

ESTHER EVANS GRISEA (Mrs. William S.) initiated October 13, 1906 into Kansas A, died April 21, 1949.

MADELINE FISHER HATCHER (Mrs. A. C.) initiated February 22, 1940 into Kansas B, died October 22, 1949 in Wellington, Kan.

HARRIET MORDEN KIVELL (Mrs. William) initiated February 16, 1935 into Virginia Γ, died July 19, 1949.

FREDRICKA BECKER MONTAGUE (Mrs. William H.) initiated February 16, 1900 into Missouri A, died July, 1949 in Los Angeles, Calif.

MARION KEIGHLEY PARENT (Mrs. Albert) initiated March 15, 1919 into Pennsylvania Γ, died June 2, 1947.

BEULAH HOLLAND SMITH (Mrs. Ernest) initiated November 1, 1907 into Texas A, died August 31, 1949 in Bryan, Tex.

IDA VAN HON initiated June, 1884 into Iowa Alpha, died March 1, 1949.

JULIA TIERNEY VAN OSDEL (Mrs. Walter) initiated November 1881 into Illinois Chicago, died September 1, 1949.

HAZEL LOUISE MILLER WAGNER (Mrs. Earl B.) initiated June 6, 1921 into Indiana B, died August 9, 1949.

ANNIE PORTER WATT initiated September 1875 into Illinois A, died March 21, 1949.

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