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# What to Do When

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

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

## OCTOBER

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

## NOVEMBER

- 1—Treasurer mails check for pledge fees to central office for all fall pledges.
- 7—Treasurer of house corporation sends annual financial report, names and addresses of house board members to central office and chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping.
- 10—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping.
- 30—Treasurer sends to central office per capita tax report and per capita tax for each member active

at any time during the first half year, as well as per capita tax for associate members, also check for bonds of treasurer, house and commissary manager.

## DECEMBER

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

## JANUARY

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

## FEBRUARY

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

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



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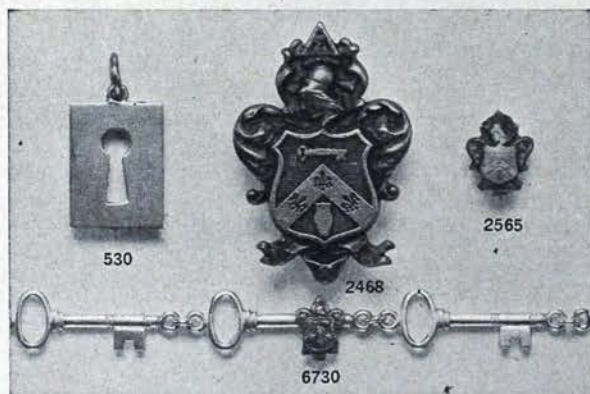
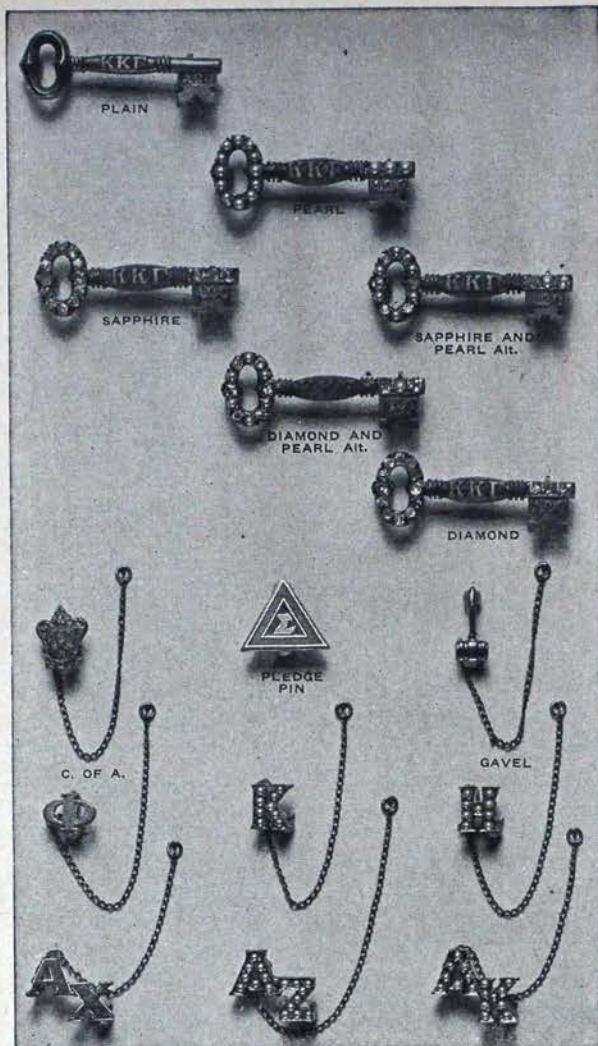
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# Spring Is Sooner Recognized By Plants Than By Men . . .

Chinese Proverb



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SEASON OF HOPE AND NEW LIFE, immeasurably welcome in wartime, spring is sooner recognized by the iris, or fleur-de-lis, flower of Kappa Kappa Gamma, than by many other plants.

THE KEY greets another springtime with this enchanting engraving of iris from a book of 12 flower plates designed and engraved in the 17th century by Francois LeFebvre. The book of these plates, published in Paris in 1645, almost 300 years ago, is now in the Harvard college library. LeFebvre was a goldsmith who engraved the panels of carnations, tulips, poppies and other flowers as an aid to his craft. The lower panels on each plate, in this one a hunting scene, were the work of another artist, Nicholas Cochin.

The carnation panel was used as frontispiece for the September, 1943, issue of *The Crescent* of Gamma Phi Beta, in which a Gamma Phi Beta alumna, writing of the loveliness of the originals, said she thought the carnation and the iris were the most beautiful. We brain-picked the idea and wrote Harvard for a print of the iris to use this spring. In *The Crescent* for December, 1943, Airdrie Kincaid Pinkerton, new secretary of the NPC editors, noted that at the editors' meeting last October Adele Taylor Alford, new chairman of the editors, told her that one flower of the carnation panel had been used as an end-piece in *The Arrow* of Pi Beta Phi, and Christelle Ferguson, retiring NPC editors' chairman and editor of *The Eleusis* of Chi Omega, said the engravings had been models for the artist who painted the sorority flower panels in the Panhellenic room at the University of Arkansas.



# THE EDITOR *Reflects*

UPON THE SPIRITUAL LIFT all Kappas should get from the good evidence of the fraternity's continued and healthy growth, even in wartime, through the installation of the new Delta Xi chapter at the Carnegie Institute of Technology in Pittsburgh.

By a happy circumstance the installation in February coincided with the 25th anniversary of Gamma Epsilon chapter at the University of Pittsburgh. In its same home city the new chapter has before it an inspiring example of achievement by a chapter which has contributed greatly through the years to leadership in the fraternity province of which it is a part. Here is indeed exemplification of the symbolic banquet ceremonial, the "Passing of the Light."

There is good fellowship and goodwill in the establishment of a Kappa chapter in a second of Pittsburgh's great educational institutions. Pitt and Tech may be at one another's throats ostensibly in football or any other traditional collegiate rivalry. But Pitt Kappas and Tech Kappas, "in tune together in just one key," will know better than ever that such rivalries, which have their value as competitive spurs, are superficial in comparison with the common academic and idealistic purpose which the fraternity fosters and shares.

To Gamma Epsilon, the fraternity's heartiest congratulations! To Delta Xi, its warmest welcome!

UPON THE NPC resolution to support the appeal of military leaders and plan a program to interest girls, as they are graduated from college, in enlisting in the women's divisions of the armed services. An article from the NPC committee following up this resolution is published in this KEY.

Here is a war service for which the Greek-letter women's magazines are uniquely qualified. Before the NPC decision was made, they were already indirectly encouraging enlistment by publishing such photographs and articles as they could obtain, and the growing lists of members in

the various branches. In most instances heretofore THE KEY has been indebted for material to central office records and to individual Kappas in the women's services, who know the value of KEY publicity, such as the article by the "mere male" in the February KEY, supplied by Lieutenant Margaret H. Cecil, of the WAVES, Y-Northwestern, and the sprightly article by Lieutenant Clare Frederick, USMCWR, B Z-Iowa. The editor has, ever since Pearl Harbor, diligently followed every "lead," since THE KEY should have as complete a record as possible of Kappas actively and directly aiding the war effort.

Without question or hesitation, THE KEY is pledged to further the NPC program to aid enlistment.

But we would respectfully urge any members of the armed services who may read these paragraphs to call the attention of their public relations officers to their unequalled opportunity to reach thousands of American college women by means of the Greek-letter press. To date, judging from our experience, we would say that the American Red Cross is far and away the most alert and efficient in furnishing photographs and copy, possibly because the Red Cross is a much older and more seasoned organization, more experienced in war operations. THE KEY would like to have, quarterly, at least a page of photographs of Kappas in *each* of the women's services; informal, attractive, characteristic photographs, as well as "mug shots," and lively articles by Kappas presenting the advantages of the armed services.

**Give us the tools of publicity and we will finish the job of beating the drums for recruitment, to paraphrase Winston Churchill.**

UPON THAT DEEPER MEANING which Kappa alumnae are discovering in their fraternity contacts in wartime.

An officer in one of the women's services wrote central office to give her address, that she might continue to receive THE KEY and



*The Fleur-de-Lis.* "I didn't know how much I enjoyed these publications until I left school and my friends became so scattered," wrote this lieutenant in the Marine Corps Women's Reserve.

Out on the west coast a new group of young alumnæ reported, "We are so proud of our group we wanted to tell everyone about it and try to convey how thankful we are to be Kappas and work together in the furtherance of the war effort.

**"It means to us what we were told in college, but did not fully realize at the time, that Kappa is not limited to our own chapter and does not end with graduation.**

"Our only regret is that it took a war to show us what fine sisters we all have over the United States (and Canada), but our ties are bound so closely to Kappa they can never be broken."

Read, too, in this KEY how the Honolulu Kappas, except for the organized Kappas in England our farthest outpost, have decided to open a Service Women's Center.

We are reminded of something in Tennyson which we are quoting from memory, and perhaps incorrectly, "For so the whole round earth is every way bound by gold chains about the feet of God." So are we locked fast in affection and friendship and service by our golden keys. No matter if it has taken a war to teach us how much Kappa means. What matters is that we know and will remember, now and in the peace to come.

**U**PON A REMARK in Nellie Lee Bok's memorable keynote speech at the Hot Springs convention in 1938. All these years we've recalled it many times: "Girls, let us have margins!" She referred, of course, to the wis-

dom of providing for the unexpected by having margins of time, margins of preparation in studies and whatnot; though the thought is not here expressed in her words.

War has taught us how smart it is to have margins. Even the pages of THE KEY had margins. They were wider margins in the October issue than they were in December, or are in these succeeding issues. Because THE KEY had margins, we could trim them as a wartime coöperation in the current newsprint shortage.

Horrible as war is, unnecessary as it should be, it brings us lessons. To the colleges it has brought accelerated schedules which have "done something which we have tried to do for years," as Martha May Galleher Cox (Mrs. L. E.), P<sup>A</sup>-Ohio Wesleyan, field secretary, wrote in the December KEY. "It has taught the girls to conserve their energy, to use it where it is most needed, to get enough sleep, to take care of their health—because unless they do they can't keep up the pace."

We are wondering if these lessons will be forgotten after the war. We are wondering whether the colleges will retain accelerated schedules in peace-time. Students have been known in the past to dawdle through college because they had four long (to them) years in which to get by and get through their schooling. We think it would be a way of gaining a margin of time for richer living in the postwar world if college students were encouraged to continue this wartime concentration on their courses for the purpose of being ready sooner to put their knowledge at the service of their country and their fellowmen. Or will peace make us lazy and careless of responsibility?



### *Fellowships Available*

Two fellowships of \$500 each are offered by Radcliffe college for 1944-1945 to women desiring to prepare for careers in personnel administration. Information may be obtained from Anne Hood Harken (Mrs. Dwight E.), B Z-Iowa, director, training course in personnel administration, Radcliffe college, Cambridge 38, Massachusetts. . . . Syracuse university's graduate school announces 15 to 20 graduate assistantships for women, each equivalent to \$600-\$800, for those interested in personnel work in high schools and colleges. Information may be obtained from Dr. M. Eunice Hilton, dean of women, Syracuse university, Syracuse, New York.



## Kappa's Newest Chapter . . .

# FRATERNITY WELCOMES CARNEGIE WAR BABY

By Elizabeth Rose,  $\Delta$  A-Pennsylvania State College

THE EXTRA GLOW discernible through Pittsburgh's smog during the week of February 14 came from smiling Kappa faces, not the Bessemers of the steel mills which line the rivers forming the "Golden Triangle." Kappas from all over the country came to celebrate the silver anniversary of an old chapter and the installation of a new chapter of Kappa Kappa Gamma.

Novel features of the occasion were the merger of two local groups at Carnegie Institute of Technology prior to installation as Delta Xi chapter, which necessitated the preparation of a special ritual; the fact that Kappa now has two chapters in one city; and the coincidence of Gamma Epsilon's celebrating its 25th anniversary by installing a new chapter at Carnegie Tech.

The campuses of the University of Pittsburgh and Carnegie Institute of Technology are located a few blocks apart in Oakland, Pittsburgh's civic center, unique nucleus of educational, medical, cultural and recreational activities of the metropolitan area. Traditional rivalry between the schools was forgotten as Gamma Epsilon guided the uncertain feet of the girls at Tech along the pathway to Kappa Kappa Gamma. Bonds of sisterhood in Kappa Kappa Gamma will help to strengthen goodwill and coöperation between the two institutions.

Delta Xi chapter was formed by the combination of two local sororities at Carnegie Tech, both of which had worked towards the goal of Kappa since their founding. Beta Pi, organized in 1921, was composed of girls from the fine arts school and Kappa Phi Delta, established in 1929, was the first sorority in Margaret Morrison Carnegie college. When the Tech administration finally acceded to popular demand and gave permission for the local groups to go national, Kappa Phi Delta's petition was accepted by Kappa Kappa Gamma. Beta Pi then suggested the union which was

welcomed by Kappa Phi Delta and all the Kappas who knew them. Due to the merger, Delta Xi is truly representative of all the girls at Tech. Both groups have been outstanding in activities, scholarship and honoraries at Tech.

The outstanding impression of the week in the minds of many alumnæ who gave so generously of their time to make the installation a success was of days of initiating climaxed with the beautiful banquet at the Hotel Schenley. The majority of events were scheduled at the Schenley, where council members and many of the visitors stayed. Beta Pi merged with  $K \Phi \Delta$  at the



THRILLING REMINDER, at this wartime installation, that scores of Kappas have joined forces with their brothers in the armed services was the presence of this trio in uniform. From the left, Captain Charlotte Shuman, WAC,  $\Delta$  Z-Carnegie Tech; Lieutenant (j.g.) Harriet French, SPAR, B T-West Virginia, and Ensign Doris Fuhs, WAVE,  $\Gamma$  P-Allegheny.



Pitt Kappa house, Tuesday evening, February 15. This was followed by a sing and party, at which many of us had our first chance to meet our new sisters. The following days were spent in conducting firesides and initiation services for Delta Xi members, 110 of them. The fireside service was in the gracious old home that is now the Carnegie Student union, and initiations were conducted in the French room of the Schenley.

Saturday evening, February 19, the Kappas, 300 strong, in formal dress banqueted in the ball room of the Hotel Schenley. The walls were decorated with greenery and banners in the Kappa blues. Soft rose and blue lights played on the walls and corners. Above the speaker's table, a large coat-of-arms hung in the spot of honor. Sparkling silvered candles twined with greens were at each table. At each place were programs in light and dark blue and boxes of note-paper from Gamma Epsilon "with the hope that its use may strengthen your bonds of friendship in Kappa Kappa Gamma."

With Helen Bower, B Δ-Michigan, of Detroit, editor of THE KEY, as toastmistress, the first toast, to "Our Country and Its Allies," was given by Frances Merritt Seil (Mrs. Gilbert), Γ E, Beta province vice-president. Delta Xi was toasted by Annette Smith, Gamma Epsilon president, and Gamma Epsilon was toasted by Helen Robinson, president of Delta Xi. Surprise responses were special songs by the undergraduate members of the two chapters. Helena Flinn Ege (Mrs. Edward F.), Γ E, Beta province president and installation marshal, read birthday greetings and installation congratulations from other provinces, chapters, fraternities and past officers of Kappa Kappa Gamma.

Honor guests introduced by Elizabeth Bogert Schofield (Mrs. Everett), M-Butler, of Indianapolis, president of Kappa Kappa Gamma, were Mrs. Robert E. Doherty, wife of the president of Carnegie Institute of Technology; Mrs. Charles Watkins, wife of the director of Margaret Morrison college; Mrs. Webster N. Jones, wife of the director of the college of engineering; Mrs. Charles Yon, assistant director of student personnel, dean of women; Mrs. Beryl E.

Warden, wife of the director of student personnel; Mrs. Albert J. Murphy, wife of the assistant director of student personnel, dean of men, and Mrs. John Hyslop, Gamma Epsilon housemother. Miss Helen P. Rush, dean of women at the University of Pittsburgh, was also an honor guest.

Council members present were Mrs. Schofield, Clara O. Pierce, B N-Ohio State, of Columbus, Ohio, executive secretary; Emily Caskey Johnson (Mrs. Sydney Lee), B H-Stanford, of LaCanada, California, director of alumnæ; Heloise Smartt, B Θ-Oklahoma, of Oklahoma City, director of chapter organization; Ruth Kadel Seacrest (Mrs. Joe), Σ-Nebraska, of Lincoln, Nebraska, director of chapter programs, and Hulda Miller Fields (Mrs. Ralph), B Φ-Montana, director of membership and Panhellenic. Anne Hall, B N; Elizabeth Zartman, B N, and Mary Jim Lane Chickering (Mrs. Edwin S.), Γ N-Arkansas, pledge training chairman, represented the fraternity's central office. Also attending were Ruth Phillips Polack (Mrs. Ernest H., II), Δ B-Duke, Lambda province president; Margaret Tschan Riley (Mrs. Hugh R., Jr.), Δ A-Pennsylvania State, former Beta province president; Frances Hope Galliher (Mrs. W. Irving), B T-Syracuse, and Nancy R. Myler, Γ E, former Beta province vice-president. Marion Howell Tompkins (Mrs. Alfred M.), Δ A-Pennsylvania State, Pittsburgh alumnæ president; Hazel Gallagher Parisi (Mrs. Vincent G.) and Mary Hamilton Ewing (Mrs. C. Kermit), both Δ Ξ, were also present. Miss Myler, as assistant marshal, and Mrs. Tompkins, as committee coördinator, assisted Mrs. Ege on the installation executive committee.

Revealing of the national character of Kappa Kappa Gamma was the roll call of chapters and provinces made by Mrs. Schofield. Mu province was the only one without a representative.

Miss Katharine Foulke, former sponsor and financial advisor of Gamma Epsilon, pointed out that it is a good thing to look back to the early struggles so that your progress and direction may be measured. She described the early struggles of Gamma Epsilon, and concluded by urging that



*Speakers' table, from right: Foulke, Schofield, Bower, Roth, Seil, Watkins, Johnson, Smith, Field.*



*Center: More Kappas and guests, from left: Pierce, Robinson, Smartt, Yon, Seacrest, Jones, Ege, McKeever.*



*Among honor guests, from far left, clockwise: Parisi, Hall, Chickering, Zartman, Hyslop, Myler, Riley, Galliher, Pollock, Ewing.*





*Gamma Epsilon charter members and first initiates reuniting at banquet.*



*Center: A table of brand-new Kappas, Delta Xi actives and alumnæ. At the speakers' table, second from the right, next to Miss Pierce, is Mrs. Robert L. Doherty, wife of the president of Carnegie Institute of Technology.*



*Jaunting over from Ohio, this tableful of actives from Δ-Akron met their new sisters.*



Gamma Epsilon and Delta Xi keep up the high national standards.

Florence Burton Roth (Mrs. A. H.), Β Δ, of Erie, Pennsylvania, past grand president and past historian, noted as the woman who literally broke her neck to get to a Kappa convention, was the principal speaker. She began with a tribute to Pittsburgh which has played such a vital rôle in the growth of the nation and to Andrew Carnegie who spread education and culture with his fortune. We of Kappa Kappa Gamma owe him a debt for this added link to our chain.

The main topic of Mrs. Roth's speech was the fraternity coat-of-arms which displays our symbols. Life is a battle with many wounds and scars. This Kappa shield with its symbols and the ideals they represent fortifies those who bear it. Mrs. Roth stated that Kappa is a laboratory in which to practice allegiances to all mankind. These symbols from the coat-of-arms should lift our souls above the commonplace and fortify us against the evils opposing us. They give us ideals in this war of pernicious ideas.

The banquet concluded with the "Passing of the Light" ceremony. Among those taking part were Adelaide Lockhart Mc-

Keever (Mrs. Lucy S.), Γ P-Allegheny, sponsor of Gamma Epsilon chapter, and Irene Hopkins Porter (Mrs. Guy), Γ E charter member.

Early Sunday afternoon, February 20, a model formal chapter meeting was conducted. Later Delta Xi chapter was hostess at a reception in the foyer of the fine arts building at Carnegie Tech. Besides Kappas, the guests included representatives from other sororities and fraternities, faculty members and representatives of college activities and the administration.

Even amid the festivities, the war was ever-present. Signs of the times were seen in the uniform of Captain Charlotte M. Shuman, WAC, a newly initiated alumnae member of Delta Xi chapter, and Lieutenant (j.g.) Harriet French, SPAR, Β Υ-West Virginia, who resigned last year as director of chapter organization to become a member of the woman's division of the Coast Guard.

We Pittsburgh alumnae found it a busy, happy and inspiring week, the closest many of us may ever get to a convention. We are proud of our infant chapter at Carnegie Tech and of our Pitt chapter which is looking forward to its golden anniversary.



## Chosen First Woman Vice-President of IBM . . .

**F**IRST WOMAN to hold a corporate office in the International Business Machines Corporation is Ruth Leach, Π<sup>A</sup>-California, recently elected a vice-president.

Miss Leach joined the company, a business which women entered only nine years ago, in San Francisco. She became systems services woman in the Atlanta office, was a member of the faculty of the IBM employees' school at Endicott, New York; and was secretary of education for women two years ago when *THE KEY* ran her picture in a group of Kappas training at Endicott. As education secretary, she selected, trained and supervised hundreds of young women from

all sections of the United States and several foreign countries.

When she was elected to a vice-presidency, Miss Leach was manager of the entire IBM systems service.

In announcing the action of the company's board, Thomas J. Watson, IBM president, said, "The election of a woman to a corporate office is recognition by IBM of the increasingly important part which women are playing in its operations. This step will also aid our women in developing their individual opportunities for advancement and for promoting their welfare."



*Where They Are . . .*

## ANDREW CARNEGIE ANTICIPATED TECHNICAL FUTURE

**T**HE Carnegie Institute of Technology was founded by Andrew Carnegie. In November, 1900, Mr. Carnegie offered to the city of Pittsburgh the money to establish a technical institution, upon the condition that the city would provide a suitable location of ample size for future extensions.

December 15, 1900, Mr. Carnegie placed the technical schools under the direction of the board of trustees of the Carnegie Institute, and January 28, 1901, the city of Pittsburgh accepted Mr. Carnegie's gift. During 1902 a site was selected; and in

February, 1903, the trustees met with a committee of council and approved a tract of 32 acres adjoining Schenley park as the home of the new institution. This was acquired by the city in September of the same year and presented to the Carnegie technical schools.

Mr. Carnegie then placed at the disposal of the trustees of Carnegie Institute a sufficient fund with which to erect the necessary buildings. In April, 1905, ground was broken, and in October of the same year the school opened its doors to the students.



*Lawrence H. Miller*

**FROM MACHINERY HALL, the view down the quadrangle at Carnegie Institute of Technology is toward the College of Fine Arts, where Delta Xi entertained at tea, Sunday, February 20, concluding the installation week.**



The demand upon the schools for technical training has been such as to make constant extensions necessary. Mr. Carnegie, therefore, not only provided funds for new buildings, but increased his original gift of \$1,000,000 to approximately 16 millions, with an additional expenditure of \$5,000,000 for buildings and equipment.

April 20, 1912, the name "Carnegie Technical Schools" was changed officially to the "Carnegie Institute of Technology" and the institution received a charter of incorporation with the power to confer degrees from the state of Pennsylvania. The first degrees were given at the fifth commencement in June, 1912.

Carnegie Institute of Technology is co-educational in the college of fine arts and in Carnegie library school, for men only in the college of engineering, for women only in Margaret Morrison college for women. It is privately controlled and non-sectarian. The endowment is \$17,900,000; the annual budget is \$2,234,000. The campus consists of 60.6 acres valued at \$859,948, and the

buildings are valued at \$5,355,091.

The college of engineering offers four-year courses leading to a bachelor of science degree in chemical engineering, civil engineering, electrical engineering, management engineering, mechanical engineering, metallurgical engineering, chemistry, physics, mathematics and printing. Courses in education and training in military science are offered in the ROTC.

The college of fine arts is divided into the departments of architecture, painting and design, drama, music and sculpture.

Margaret Morrison Carnegie college offers undergraduate major work in eight fields including costume economics, general science, general studies, household economics, nursing, secretarial studies, social science and home economics. General studies is the equivalent of a liberal arts course.

A building program is planned which will provide a library, gymnasium, and a student union first. The new arrangements will provide a campus of the utmost utility for study and extracurricular activities.

## Who They Were . . .

### PIONEER GROUPS MERGED TO FORM CHAPTER

IT WAS in February, 1921, that nine girls from the college of fine arts, Carnegie Institute of Technology, met to form plans for a local sorority. Since ultimately they hoped to petition Kappa Kappa Gamma, this group of girls determined to follow as closely as possible the high ideals of that organization in setting up their own standards. Though they were discouraged in their national aspirations because of the policy of the Tech administration, the girls have continued through the years to uphold the high ideals set forth in their pledge.

During the spring and summer of 1921, the members of the group who lived in Pittsburgh worked out their insignia, ritual, constitution and by-laws. To the consternation of the Carnegie Tech chapter of B  $\Theta$   $\Pi$ , they chose the name Beta Pi, the initials of the Greek words which symbolized their purpose. In October, 1921, Beta Pi was



INSTALLATION executive committee members were, from the left, Marion Howell Tompkins (Mrs. Alfred M.),  $\Delta$   $\Delta$  - Pennsylvania State, president of the Pittsburgh alumnae association, committee coördinator; Helena Flinn Ege (Mrs. Edward F.),  $\Gamma$  E-Pittsburgh, marshal; Nancy R. Myler,  $\Gamma$  E, assistant marshal.





**INTRODUCING UNDERGRADUATES OF DELTA XI CHAPTER.** Front row, from the left: Helen Elizabeth Harrison, Mary Jane Forman, Jacqueline Sue Vlaskamp, Helen Wright Robinson (chapter president), Dorothy Lucille Stauff, Mary Patricia Weakland, Eleanor Elizabeth Wilson; second row: Betsy Ann Ross, Alice Esther McKeon, Josephine Aurora Sunseri, Anne Preston Sweeney, Doris Bernice Jahn, Evelyn Frances Kane, Helen Metaxa Jaffurs, Ann McDonald Rodgers; third row: Billie Wallace McIlrath, Cecily Marie Nicely, Anne Scott Atkinson, Shirley Lou Forward, Evelyn Carol MacNeill, Jane Patrice Branagan, Helen Louise Johnston; fourth row: Marcia Miller Wachter, Patricia Mae Turton, Berenice Bonnett Barclay, Edith Elizabeth Runnette, Patricia Ruth Kelsey, Martha Jane Tennant, Dorothy Jean Barrett, Elinor K. Hutchinson; fifth row: Doris M. Fast, Clementine Heyl McKenna, Mary Jane Dickson, Janet Adele Armstrong, Marjorie Greta Woodbourn, Virginia Ann Sheppard, Lois Frishkorn, Audrey Rae Murray, Dorothy Louise Willison, Mary Kathryn Truxell.

recognized by the administration and student council as an active full-fledged sorority.

One month later, Beta Pi began its contributions to the school by taking the initiative in forming the Intersorority council. There were three sororities in art school and, through Intersorority council, the first tentative rushing rules were determined and published in the *Carnegie Tartan*. By dint of close cooperation these sororities managed to weather their early difficulties.

In 1930 a pioneer Margaret Morrison group approached the Beta Pi president for advice and guidance in writing their constitution and by-laws, and Kappa Phi Delta was born! There has always been a fine feeling of kinship existing between these two groups, but it was particularly evident in the early years. During the financially difficult '30s the Kappa Phi Deltas joined the Beta Pis at their summer cottage at Lake Erie and further cemented their relationship. In 1934 it was a Beta Pi president who welcomed the Margaret Morrison sororities into Intersorority council.

Through the years, Beta Pi has been ex-

ceptionally well represented in Carnegie Tech honoraries, governing bodies and in campus activities. At one time it maintained its own scholarship fund. The *Carnegie Magazine*, publication of the Carnegie Institute, once paid tribute to Beta Pi in an article concerning their contribution to the endowment fund. The sorority has always entered enthusiastically into campus affairs, participating in carnival, Women's guild, sing and swing, etc. Many of its girls have been elected campus queen, snow queen, cadet captains and colonels. In 1938 three of the four girls selected as the outstanding popular beauties of Tech were Beta Pis. Yet Beta Pi has upheld its fine beginning and clung to its traditional dignity.

Beta Pi is justly proud of its alumnae. Among them are Janet de Cout, well-known American sculptress; Polly Rowles Snyder, who gave up her stage and screen career to marry and is now doing a daily radio column; Jane Van Duzen, of "The Corn is Green"; Audrey Botkin, of "Best Foot Forward"; Marjorie Gibson, of "Lady in the Dark"; "Pappy" Ware, popular cover girl; Elizabeth S. Phillips Keller, Marjorie Phil-



lips McGrady and Martha Cornelius, prominent young painters; Audrey Kelly Roas, the Kelly half of Kelly-Roas husband and wife mystery story team; and Patti Littel of stage and radio, pioneer broadcaster of KDKA. Among the Beta Pi alumnae directly serving our country are Captain Charlotte Shuman, WAC; Ensign Frances Wright and Ensign Marjorie Weatherwax, WAVES, and Dotty Stewart (sister of famed Jimmy Stewart), in Red Cross rehabilitation work.

Beta Pi is 23 years old, ready at last to take the step for which she was born. She is proud of her background, proud that in merging with  $K \Phi \Delta$  she will form a more perfect union for Kappa Kappa Gamma. She is once more a pioneer at Carnegie Tech.

**K**APPA PHI DELTA, the oldest sorority in Margaret Morrison Carnegie college, was founded in 1929, when a group of outstanding freshmen wanted to form an or-

ganization which would make their friendship more binding and would add a new phase to their college life. A sorority seemed to be the ideal realization, for fellowship could be strengthened by their will to work for each other as well as for themselves. Their college life would become better rounded by the opportunity such an association would present to them.

School authorities, however, highly disapproved of their plans. But they obtained the consent of Dean Green to cooperate with them if they could keep together three years, during which no new members could be admitted. Finally they were recognized and, fortunately for the continuation of the first sorority in the college, they pledged a promising group of underclassmen who had banded together among themselves.

When Kappa Phi Delta was organized on the Carnegie Tech campus, it was with the understanding that for 10 years it would not become affiliated with a national group.



SILVER ANNIVERSARY UNDERGRADUATES at Gamma Epsilon chapter, University of Pittsburgh. From the left, front row: Janet Elliott, Louise Caldwell, Annette Smith (chapter president), Martha Brinkman, Margaret Johns, Betty Anne Crede, Judith Richmond; second row: Anne Whitlinger, Mary Louise McFall, Dorothy Franklin Keefer, Elizabeth Birkland, Margery Strickler, Betty Adams, Margaret Fixel; third row: Lorna Hazelton, Margaret Bowlus, Virginia Volkay, Elizabeth Thorpe, Dorothy Davidson, Mary Louise McMeans, Emma Jean Helman, Catherine Black Schaughency; top row: Melba Johns, Lois Fair, June Thomson.





SOME OF DELTA XI'S CHARTER MEMBERS, *from the left, front row: Thalai Jean Harmany, Ruth Essie Beall, Helen Wright Robinson, Dorothy Lucille Stauff, Dorothy Louise Willison; second row: Helen Elizabeth Harrison, Elizabeth Anne Beall, Helen Louise Johnston, Mary Patricia Weakland, Ann McDonald Rodgers, Maria Gloria Sunseri, Virginia Ann Sheppard; third row: Mary Jane Forman, Mary Jane Dickson, Janet Adele Armstrong, Billie Wallace McIlrath, Dorothy Patricia Houlihan, Marjorie Gretta Woodbourn, Mary Kathryn Truxell, Lois Frishkorn.*

Therefore, for this period Kappa Phi Delta, as well as other groups founded later, operated as a local sorority. Although "Kappas" entered enthusiastically in the activities of their local organization, and earnestly worked to make it a sorority of which they could be proud, always in the mind of every girl was the dream of becoming a chapter of a national sorority. Being a part of a large national organization meant something that would bind members closer together, perpetuate this relationship and assure a welcoming hand wherever they chanced to go.

A few years ago the "Kappas" considered the idea seriously and talked to several members of the administration about their plan. Last year the members of Kappa Phi Delta renewed agitation for national affiliation and found a much more favorable attitude. Their long hard efforts have finally been rewarded.

For the past 10 years Kappa Phi Deltas have been active in all forms of campus life. As a group they are well represented in Mortar Board,  $\Pi \Delta E$ , Cwens,  $\Phi K \Phi$ , and many are active on the staffs of the various school publications. Upper class "Kappas" filled such offices as secretary of Student council, vice-president of Margaret Morrison Carnegie college and president of Intersorority council. Throughout the years of Kappa Phi Delta existence, girls have been elected campus and snow queens and honorary cadet officers.

This year Kappa Phi Deltas have participated wholeheartedly in the sale of war stamps and bonds, in the entertainment for soldiers stationed at Tech and as blood donors.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Beta Pi history was written by Mary Hamilton Ewing (Mrs. C. Kermit),  $\Delta \Xi$ ; the histories of Carnegie Tech and Kappa Phi Delta were prepared by Elizabeth Rose,  $\Delta A$ .



## Army Wife Cherishes Kappa Contacts . . .

FROM Raleigh, North Carolina, came one of the many greetings received by Helena Flinn Ege (Mrs. Edward F.), installation marshal and charter member of Gamma Epsilon. The letter, from Katherine Johnson Fulton (Mrs. Alan L.), also a Gamma Epsilon charter member, enclosed a family snapshot of both Kappa and wartime interest. Mrs. Fulton's mother is Annette Thackwell Johnson (Mrs. Frank Orr), B Γ-Wooster, now with Mrs. Fulton while the latter's husband, Colonel Fulton, is overseas, in Ireland when last his wife heard from him.

"It seems unbelievable to me that I am one of the founders of Gamma Epsilon chapter and that it was installed 25 years ago," wrote Mrs. Fulton. "Today I feel as young and peppy as my 17-year-old daughter. . . .

"Please wish Delta Xi every happiness and tell the members that both my mother and I hope that they will have as many interesting contacts through meeting Kappas as we have had.

"I was married in the Philippines and the first person I met on my honeymoon was a

Kappa, up in the mountains of Baguio. I have met Kappas everywhere we have gone in our travels with the Army. Nowadays, I entertain soldier boys and frequently find that the nicest ones have Kappa mothers or Kappa teachers."



TWO KAPPA generations and the star in their service flag are represented in this family group. From the left, Annette Thackwell Fulton, Colonel Alan L. Fulton, now overseas; Katherine Johnson Fulton (Mrs. Alan), Γ E charter member, and her mother, Annette Thackwell Johnson (Mrs. Frank Orr), B Γ-Wooster.



### Elizabeth Arden Entertained at Boyd Hearthstone

THIS has been a busy winter at our Kappa alumnae house in Winter Park. The house has been filled with our members and their friends, and there has been a very congenial group in the house at all times. The servants too, have been most satisfactory and have done much to make our guests comfortable and happy.

Two Kappas new to Boyd Hearthstone have been here this winter: Mrs. Anne DeWolfe Mack, Ψ-Cornell, from Springfield, Massachusetts, and Mrs. Louise Bolard More, Γ P-Allegheny, living in Great Neck, Long Island.

During January we had an honored guest of great interest to our whole fraternity, Miss Elizabeth Arden. Miss Arden came and stayed for two weeks. She was a truly appreciative guest and hopes to come back.

Those Kappas who are thinking of spending a winter at our Boyd Hearthstone should write for reservations, for already two Kappas have engaged rooms for next year.

HARRIETTE SILVER SCOTT (Mrs. Clifford J.)  
Γ P-Allegheny  
Manager, Boyd Hearthstone



## Council Corner . . .

### Recommendation System Safeguards Future

By Hulda Miller Fields (Mrs. Ralph E.), B Φ-Montana,  
Director of Membership and Panhellenic

WITH this issue of THE KEY is published the list of chairmen of our alumnae membership recommendations committees. 1944 will mark the eighth year for the functioning of these increasingly important committees, and it is timely to evaluate their functions, duties and accomplishments.

We who are fraternity members are convinced of the worthiness of our organization; of its contribution to campus life, to the encouragement of individual competence, the development of leadership and the ennobling attributes of friendship. The fraternity has a proud history of accomplishment. In 1926 two founders, Jeanette Boyd and Louise Bennett Boyd wrote in the preface to the *History*: "We are assured that as the coming years shall widen the fields of usefulness for those who follow us, so will the influence of Kappa be found on the side of those forward movements which enlist the hearty support of every true and loyal woman, and which are so vital in these days of unrest and danger to our homes and to the foundations of our great republic." With what insight did these women predict the challenge 1944 would bring to all established and cherished institutions!

When I was a child the quotation "Without vision, the people perish" made a tremendous impression upon me. As I observe the growth and progress of the fraternity system I am thrilled to note the vision and planning which have stimulated and nourished Kappa's development. The establishment of a regulated recommendation system, whereby eligible and worthy girls are brought to the attention of our active chapters, has seen a two-fold benefit ensue, and now that this system has passed the "trial and error" stage and proved its worth, I am sure we shall wish to secure its continuance.

This two-fold benefit is a link between

the alumnae and active members which is strengthened as the alumnae perform a continuing service by contributing to our chapters names of girls worthy to carry on Kappa's heritage, and by preserving a vital, informed interest in the progress and growth of the fraternity and its chapters through this contact of the membership selective system.

The constitution states: "Each alumnae association and alumnae club shall have a membership recommendations committee. The *function* of this committee shall be to assist the chapters of the fraternity in the selection of new members. The committee shall investigate girls living in their communities who are attending or expecting to attend college and shall send recommendations to chapters. The committee shall be required to reply to all requests for recommendations from chapters, giving either approval or disapproval."

Please note the emphasis placed on the responsibility of the committee in sending in early, *contributed* recommendations. Chapters place highest value on these, with secondary appreciation going to the service given by sending in or withholding endorsement on those hurried, requested recommendations which come up during rushing. Should any committee have developed the feeling it is exercising undue pressure by submitting voluntary recommendations to chapters; or should any active chapter have formed the conception that these recommendations are *other* than a gracious means for the alumnae to introduce qualified rushees to them for their serious consideration, I wish to correct these impressions!

We do not specify, but merely recommend, the number of members who may serve on the committee of any association. The chairman is appointed by the asso-



ciation president. Since the committee has been set up *primarily as a service to our active chapters*, the process by which they work is left flexible. In San Antonio the chairman asks each member of the *alumnæ* association to give her names of eligibles, which her committee then investigates; and endorsements are given, on a rated list basis, to the active state rush chairman. In Seattle the committee asks the *active* chapter to draw up a list of tentative rushees in the community, which they then investigate during the summer, so that by fall the recommended list can be sent out to chapters.

Some committees serving in the smaller towns where there is a chapter feel that the careful evaluation of the actives who have observed the high school girls closely is adequate, and they may simply "rubber-stamp" those selected by the actives for the committee's approval. There must always be two-way coöperation, respect and faith between the recommendations committees and the active chapters; and each community has its own problems and its own methods. All committees have given hours of time to the investigation of girls, and have submitted careful recommendations on the best and most desirable material. For instance, in 1942 Chicago Intercollegiate's committee of 48 Kappa *alumnæ* investigated and endorsed 344 names. Forty of these girls pledged Kappa.

Any loyal alumna, having at heart the vital interest and welfare of her chapter and her fraternity, would not carelessly and thoughtlessly sign any recommendation for a girl who did not measure up to the high standards we maintain. It is the privilege, even the duty, of any Kappa to bring to the attention of a chapter a girl whom she considers worthy. The signature of the recommendations committee chairman below that of the individual Kappa sponsor endorses the sincerity of that individual's "voucher" on a rushee.

**Q**UANTITY of personnel is vital to the success of any chapter. An invitation to membership is a real privilege. The rushee having the endorsement of an *alumnæ* recommendations committee enters college with

added prestige, and those *alumnæ* sending recommendations share the responsibility of assuring the future of the fraternity, with the active chapter making the final selection for membership.

**May I stress that the actives should always be privileged to make this final selection of those**



FOUR of the six council members who attended Delta Xi's installation, photographed at the Sunday afternoon tea. Left to right, Elizabeth Bogert Schofield (Mrs. Everett), M-Butler, president; Hulda Miller Fields (Mrs. Ralph E.), B  $\Phi$ -Montana, director of membership and Panhellenic, and author of current Council Corner article; Emily Caskey Johnson (Mrs. Sydney Lee), B H-Stanford, director of *alumnæ*; Ruth Kadel Seacrest (Mrs. Joe W.),  $\Sigma$ -Nebraska, director of chapter programs.

most congenial to the group, from the recommended lists. At no time should undue pressure be brought to bear by *alumnæ*. Careful guidance on the part of the adviser will eliminate this undesirable aspect.

Always our "yardstick" of standards is of first consideration. Rushees must qualify as to background (which means her family have always furthered the best community interests), character (assuring her high personal standards) and scholarship (crediting her intellectual ability and scholastic accomplishment). Chapters should always wish to assure for a pledge her warm welcome by the Kappas in her home community. Therefore, equally with "alumnæ pressure," do we discourage insistence on the part of a chapter for a recommendation which a committee feels it can not wholeheartedly give.

Of 74 chapters reporting on the value to them of our recommendations, all but three found them to be "essential, invaluable and of inestimable help." Iota chapter said, "We can't express enough our appreciation for information and recommendations sent



in by our alumnæ." Epsilon reports returning to school early in order to "get acquainted with the names and facts on the early recs. sent in." Chapters credit these recommendations with confirming early opinions, introducing to them fine qualities in rushees which might have passed unnoticed in the brief time devoted to rush, and in assisting in making final selections.

Early, complete, contributed data, containing impartial, specific information is of greatest value in helping our chapters assure the future of their membership. While a careless recommendation may shake the faith of the

actives in your interest, your thousands of careful sincere ones are serving as the foundation upon which they build. It is a responsibility, a privilege and a trust. Coöperation and unselfishness have brought their reward of harmony and respect from our actives.

That Kappa may continue to meet the needs of an unpredictable but challenging future depends upon the quality of her personnel, and this is in the hands of our recommendations committees! Our grateful thanks to you who are doing this service "for fraternity."



## Another LST Sent Off to War

By Esther Murphy Hanson (Mrs. Samuel C.), M-Butler



Photo by Jack Rusche,  
Missouri Valley Bridge & Iron Company

AT EVANSVILLE, INDIANA, last December, these Kappas sent another LST on its way to victory. From the left are Patty Ryan Rogers (Mrs. Jack), Annabelle Bagby Randolph (Mrs. C. A.) matron of honor; Dorothy Winchester, Elizabeth Bagby Peoples (Mrs. H. D.), sponsor, and Elizabeth Ellis Nordeen (Mrs. D. A.).

LST (Landing Ship Tank) 533, launching No. 58, went proudly to war from the Evansville, Indiana, shipyard, the world's largest inland producer of ocean-going ships, under Kappa sponsorship last December.

Actual sponsor at the launching was Elizabeth Bagby Peoples (Mrs. Harold Denton),  $\Omega$ -Kansas, wife of the assistant general manager of the shipyard. Matron of honor was Annabelle Bagby Randolph (Mrs. C. A.),  $B \Theta$ -Oklahoma, of Kansas City, sister of Mrs. Peoples.

Kappa platform guests at the launching were Patty Ryan Rogers (Mrs. Jack),  $\Gamma \Delta$ -Purdue, wife of the field engineer of the shipyard; Elizabeth Ellis Nordeen (Mrs. D. A.),  $\Gamma A$ -Kansas State, wife of the shipyard's assistant production manager, and Dorothy Winchester,  $B Z$ -Iowa, Indiana child welfare consultant.



## CANADIAN GIFTS HELP WAR-SHOCKED TOTS

FROM Canada, Thora McIlroy Mills (Mrs. Ralph), B Ψ-Toronto, Canadian chairman of the Nora Waln fund, reports that she has sent £101 to Nora in England "to be spent as she wished." Word has come from Nora Waln of yet another channel through which Kappa contributions have been privileged to help, this time in the rehabilitation of tiny children suffering from a condition approximating shell-shock.

Before this use for the money was found, £45 were given three English women. "They had met disaster and we had helped them," wrote Nora, and in due course these three women returned the money, though it had been given as a free gift.

"The British women are not always expressive of appreciation in words," wrote Nora; "but there is a truly deep gratitude to the Canadians who have stood the dull duty of guard here, year after year. This return of your money is surely one expression of that gratitude."

Upon her customary careful investigation, Nora discovered a place where this £45 could be useful.

"There is a refugee doctor here, Mrs. Estrid Dane, who began all alone, in our time of heaviest raids, to give attention to little children whom some people call 'shell-shocked,'" she reported. "That does not exactly describe their condition. Often they are children who have suffered no physical injury, not even lost their homes, nor always been near enough a bomb explosion to be bomb-shocked. The shock has come perhaps from sights they have seen.

"It is not good that children anywhere on earth should be present where bombs fall. It often seems better if they are hurt, even badly, than that they should only see.

"Anyhow, this is a problem before us. Dr. Dane is having successes in recovery of children in London, working in a small intimate way, and she feels ready to teach others who will volunteer to go with her

into the continent of Europe, as the way opens. I spoke to our English returners of money about this work, and they are willing that their £45 go into it. So I'm proceeding.

"It seems to me we would do best, perhaps, to make ourselves responsible for one who is trained, if Dr. Dane agrees, and I feel she will. The details aren't settled yet. In any case, she is thrifty, and however the money is used, it will be well spent. Perhaps there are Canadian Kappas who would like to aid this further?"

"I realize people at home want to give to the British, but will you at home now give thought to this and consider Scandinavia? I'm writing of this to Rheva Shryock. I'm now working on a work for Mr. Weeks of the *Atlantic Monthly* magazine which is taking me far longer than I had hoped; and after it is done, as the way opens, my husband has agreed that I can do three years of work for Mr. Weeks out of the continent of Europe. When Mr. Weeks was here last August we arranged that I should begin in Scandinavia (my mother was Swedish). I could combine our Kappa Kappa Gamma fund work with *Atlantic* work if you and Mr. Weeks agreed. I plan to go to Sweden, if I cannot get to Norway, right away. I want to start the article with Norway. I see a good many Norwegians here, and the need for clothes there and in Denmark is going to be very great.

"My Swedish publisher and his wife would certainly lend us assistance, and so would the Quakers in Scandinavia. We have Quakers in all the Scandinavian countries, not many members, but all able people. And at least in Sweden we have a Kappa. We may have more.

"Don't you think we might help over there? I'd like layettes!

"I just mention Scandinavia now so you all can be considering the possibility and so I can take it up with Mr. Weeks in plenty of time.



"I think the Norwegians have been, and are being, wonderful. They ought to have layettes for their new babies, pretty ones. Don't you think so? I'll take up the matter of shipping with the Norwegians here, and I'm sure there will be a way to get things to me, and for me to get them where they can be used, as soon as it is at all possible.

"Please consider this, but I'll understand if you choose another field."

Nora's letter, which was dated January 5, explained that the British now "have things pretty well in hand," another reason why she felt it possible to consider need elsewhere.



## First Canadian to Win Scholarship . . .

. . . As One of Empire's Four Outstanding Women

By Peggy Smith, B Ψ-Toronto



Norma Featherstone Cowley

**MARTHA STEWART LEITCH (Mrs. John),** B Ψ-Toronto, goes to London for year on top-ranking British Empire scholarship awarded annually.

**M**ARTHA STEWART LEITCH, president of Beta Psi chapter in 1941-42, will soon leave for England to rejoin her husband as the first Canadian to win the British Consul of Education scholarship, awarded annually to the four outstanding women in the British Empire. This means she gets passage overseas, both ways, and \$1,350 to support her for a year, while engaged in research.

This all began when she took a five-year course in architecture at the University of Toronto, and became one of the few women who have graduated from the university with a bachelor of architecture degree with honours.

Martha worked with the Wartime Housing in the summer of 1941 and then spent about six months with the city planning board. In August 1942, she married Lieutenant John Leitch, Royal Canadian Engineers, who has been overseas for 10 months. She has always been interested in low-cost housing, and that is the field in which she will be working.





As on "Mainland" . . .

## CHILD CARE CREATED HAWAIIAN PROBLEM

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

CHARLOTTE ELLIS JOHNSON (Mrs. Allen A.),  $\Gamma$  Z-Arizona, has had the welfare of Honolulu's children at heart for years; first as a school teacher, then as vice-principal of one of our larger intermediate schools. This was the position she occupied when December 7, 1941, surprised us all.

Schools remained closed and things were slightly chaotic when they opened in January, for the Army needed buildings and requisitioned many school buildings. School children were parceled out in odd lots to other community buildings and even private homes, others attended half-and-half in a sort of shift system. This required tremendous organizational capabilities. Charlotte was made acting principal of her school, which was located in three different sections of the city; and quite a job it was with tires so precious and gas rationed to the barest minimum.

When Honolulu faced a critical condition, it turned to Charlotte. Mothers began to go into war work. In May, 1942, a survey revealed 7,000 children from two to 12 whose mothers were working outside the home. We know that the neglected child is a potential delinquent. Honolulu's increase in delinquency became more and more serious. With federal funds from defence, health and welfare services, parents' fees, and our own Honolulu Community Chest, Hawaii ambitiously started 10 day care centers. The head director was an experienced kindergarten director, aided by a social worker, and our Charlotte, now transferred from the Department of Public Instruction, was appointed director for Oahu, the island of Honolulu and Pearl Harbor fame. The day care program took care of the situation.

The program flourished just nine months when funds ran low. The federal money was exhausted and the Community Chest found the expense too great to continue. As



CHARLOTTE ELLIS JOHNSON (Mrs. Allen A),  $\Gamma$  Z-Arizona, is director of all day care centers for children of working mothers in the Hawaiian islands.

soon as funds ran out, the head director and the social worker resigned. Two of the day care centers closed and it looked like a losing battle. Charlotte stayed with it, but her morale suffered from the insecurity of the program. At the twelfth hour Governor Stainback allotted \$10,000, transferred from latent M-day appropriations. By this time the best available teachers had been placed in schools for the coming term. Hidden talent had to be discovered among the city's idle. They had to be sold on day care work and taught procedure. Charlotte succeeded, though she claims new grey hairs from the worry of staffing the centers and getting things going again.

Our natural conclusion is that we have in Charlotte one of the most socially conscious and vital war workers of them all.



# Campus COGS Make Wartime Wheels Go 'Round

## Duke Started It . . .

By Marilyn Clare Wasson,  $\Delta$  B-Duke

[EDITOR'S NOTE: Last fall THE KEY received the story of "The March of the COGS" from Delta Beta chapter at Duke university. It was a good feature, but there was no space for it in the December KEY, when it would have been appropriate to run with the chapter letters. It was being held for the second letter issue in April when another article came through from Gamma Phi chapter at Southern Methodist university, across the continent, telling how the girls there had borrowed the COGS idea from Duke. Since a Kappa was the first campus chairman of COGS at Duke, and a Kappa is co-founder and president of COGS at Southern Methodist, we are delighted to publish the two articles now. THE KEY offers its most sincere congratulations to these undergraduates who have had the vision of service, have transformed vision into action and have made of COGS a truly democratic organization of college women in wartime.]

WITH everyone so eager to aid in the war effort, the Kappas at Duke university feel they are fortunate in the part they have been able to play in war work on their



DOTTY CHORPENING,  $\Delta$  B-Duke, first COGS chairman.

campus. Delta Beta's own Dotty Chorpening is campus chairman of COGS, and is doing an excellent job of making it one of the most outstanding groups at Duke.

COGS was organized in February, 1943 and the name is an abbreviation of College Organization for General Service. To explain more fully the exact meaning of such a group, Dotty says of it, "It is significant of the college woman's place in the complicated machine of an 'all-out-for-victory' campaign. Its purpose is to be of service, to offer participation and coöperation in all war work and war organizations, and to stand on call for all activities where college women can be of service. Its aim is to encourage each student to feel it her personal responsibility to do something in the war effort."

The organization is composed of Dotty as chairman, a vice-chairman, a publicity director, a secretary, a treasurer, a historian and 35 girls who are members of the "Hub" committee. The "Hubs" consist of representatives from each dormitory, from the town students, and from the graduate students. They serve as a median through which the war organizations and the students are brought together, and they also act as a recruiting group on campus.

COGS is sponsoring many activities, among them bandage rolling for the Red Cross, alumnae work on war files, and dances for the soldiers at Camp Butner and for the OCS on campus. It is also heartily encouraging students to contribute to the blood bank, and to aid in community bond and stamp drives. It is helping Durham in its work at the Edgemont Community Center, with the Girl Scouts, at Wright's Refuge, at the day nurseries, and is assisting at the Duke hospital with social service work and as nurses' aides.

On campus its influences are also manifold. Last spring it sponsored a window-



washing campaign to save manpower hours. Verbally and by the use of posters, COGS is endeavoring to lessen waste of all materials and resources. It stresses this economy angle in connection with the use of electric lights, with the use of Durham's overcrowded transportation system, and, most important, with the matter of not wasting food in the Union. It also has established a gay red, white and blue booth in the Union lobby where war stamps are sold.

Progress charts have been posted in the office of each dormitory. They show the number of hours each girl has given to COGS work, and various colors are used to indicate the type of work done. In the sorority chapter room similar charts are posted, each bearing the names of the girls in the sorority, to aid in keeping check of how, as a unit, each is contributing to COGS.

Each month a girl is selected as "COG of the Month." This distinction is given the girl having the greatest number of COGS

hours to her credit for that month, providing the hours have been spent in at least three different types of work. At the end of the semester, COGS keys will be awarded all girls who have earned 55 hours. Dotty stresses that the required number of hours for a COGS key may be raised next semester if the war emergency at that time seems to warrant it.

Our COGS organization has been given publicity in Duke's *Chronicle* each week, and several issues of *Mademoiselle* have mentioned it. We hope in this way to acquaint the colleges and universities throughout the country with the purposes and activities of the organization, for COGS is a concrete example of what college women can do for the war effort, and we would like to see its work furthered on other campuses. We are proud of the share that Kappa has had in COGS work at Duke, and we are backing Dotty in her enthusiastic desire to see a march of COGS across the states!

## SMU Spoke Up for It . . .

By Jodie Seeger, Γ Φ-Southern Methodist

LAST spring the girls of Southern Methodist university were all asking, "What can we do to further the war effort, being, as we are, limited in the extension of our activities by the demands of a college education?" The girls needed guidance and leadership, and through the efforts of two capable and enthusiastic young women, an organization took form in order to fill these needs, to direct their earnest intentions into purposeful and useful activity suited to their condition as college students.

The first College Organization for General Service came into being at Duke university. Borrowing the idea, Peggy Wallace, our own Kappa, and Elizabeth Ann Pierce, a Pi Phi, began working last fall to establish an SMU counterpart. They first acquired the necessary permission from the dean of women; then wrote a letter to each girl registered in school, asking her opinion of the project, and whether or not she



PEGGY WALLACE, Γ Φ-Southern Methodist, heads COGS on her campus.



would lend it her support. Answers full of enthusiasm returned, and with many of them came money to aid in defraying expenses, both from individuals and organizations. Many sororities turned over their entire war fund to the COGS.

COGS as it is now organized has a membership open to one and all. It is headed by a steering committee composed of two members from each sorority, two from the Independent Students' association, two from the Women's Self Governing association, and two from each of the other major women's organizations on the campus. There are four officers of the organization—president, vice-president, secretary, and treasurer—and who but the Kappa, Peggy, serves as the president!

The workroom is located in the women's gymnasium, and remains open from 2 until 5 p.m. every afternoon. Girls work at any convenient time, and sign up for the number of hours they put in. A COGS pin is the reward for 30 COGS hours. Any outside war work, such as nurses' aide, blood donation, nursery work, knitting, etc., is entitled to a certain number of COGS hours depending upon the type of work.

COGS work itself is filled with satisfaction, not the least factor being the fun of

working together. COGS, as the girls call themselves, make picture scrapbooks for children's hospitals and cartoon scrapbooks for Army hospitals. Twice a week they address and mail copies of the campus newspaper to at least 500 boys in the armed services. Each month they collect 150 small gifts, such as toothpaste, cigarettes, etc., to be given to the Red Cross for distribution during Army shows. They have sent several SMU pennants to service clubs overseas, bringing a touch of home to former Mustangs. Once a week they have a supervised knitting class in the workroom; and each month sees an enormous group of COGS driving over to McKinney to entertain the wounded and dance with the convalescent soldiers of Ashburn Army hospital there.

These activities are to be supplemented by others during this next trimester. Rolling bandages is to be a new project, and the COGS are to join one of the men's service organizations in sponsoring a blood donation drive.

Students and faculty alike are voluble in their praise of COGS, both for its furtherance of actual war activities, and for the unity it has given a war-minded campus. The COGS are helping to keep the wheels rolling!

## War Orphans Have Kappa Foster Parents . . .

*By Mary Jean Koritz, B A-Illinois*

**B**ETA LAMBDA, along with many other Kappa chapters, subscribes money to the Foster Parents Plan for War Children, Inc. We have a foster child all our own.

We are mighty proud of our little foster child in England. His name is John James Perks, but we call him Johnnie. He was just nine years old last June 9, yet he writes us long letters regularly, telling of his rabbits, his plum-picking expeditions and all the things that he does.

The Foster Parents Plan for War Children, Inc. is surely a worthy organization. It was founded by Major J. Langdon-Davis and among its active supporters are Lillian

Bowes-Lyon, Anna Freud, J. B. Priestley and many others.

Children of the United Nations and other little victims of Nazi aggression receive food, shelter and loving care through the Foster Parents Plan. The children need clothes, but not new ones, for those take all too precious coupons. They love American funny books or even just the comic sections from Sunday papers. Toys are always welcome, too, for English toys are now made of cardboard; and with active boys and girls cardboard toys are soon demolished.

The children are so grateful for gifts. The



warden at one of the homes tells a little story about the Fearn brothers who received bright plaid wool shirts from their American foster parents. He said the boys had never seen anything quite so wonderful and he found them both sleeping in the shirts. When the boys were questioned, they just said, "We like them so much we just don't want to take them off."

Alice Turney, warden where our John is, writes about the rabbitry the boys have.

"We have a colony of rabbits supposed to be reared for their pelts and their flesh. I wonder when I shall have any for the table. But anyhow the rearing of the rabbits has been great fun to the boys. I saw this notice displayed in the rabbitry: PLEASE DO NOT MAKE A NOISE WHEN THE RABBITS ARE HAVING BABIES. By Orders.

"First thing in the morning I call out, 'Draw back your blackout and rabbit boys get up!' Up they jump and before 8 a.m.

breakfast they have fed 60-odd and cleaned up the rabbitry."

I hope we Kappas may be a worthy foster mother to John, for it does a funny flip to your heart when he signs "your son John." God bless you, John; we shall try!

Kappa chapters helping the Foster Parents Plan for War Children, Inc., are Beta Lambda, Gamma Xi, Gamma Kappa, Gamma Phi, Gamma Lambda, Delta, Gamma Chi, Delta Eta, Gamma Theta, Gamma Eta, Gamma Psi, Eta, Beta Theta, Theta, Gamma Theta, Beta Tau, Gamma Omicron, Gamma Omega, Beta Pi, Chi, Pi, Delta Alpha, Delta Zeta, Beta Beta, Omega, Beta Delta. Alumnae associations are Lewiston, Idaho; Grand Forks, North Dakota, and Boulder, Colorado.

The address of the Foster Parents Plan for War Children, Inc., is 55 West 42nd street, New York city. Perhaps more chapters of Kappa Kappa Gamma might aid in the support of some other war orphans.

25th July 1943

**foster parents**

Dear foster parents, I hope you are having a nice time. Will you try to send me some stamps. We are going fruit picking apples and plums. We have to go to old Slorig to the caravan and then we go to

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a field and we pick as much as we can and when the day is out we go back home to bed and we sleep until morning and we eat the food we have given given us. I have a rabbit in name only because it is only rabbit. Our apples are only ripe the plums are green but a few on a other tree has a few red ones so good by from your son John

LAST summer their son John wrote his foster parents of Beta Lambda about his pet "rabbit in name only." John may find spelling a bit hard going, but there is nothing wrong with his sense of humor.





# Service Honor Roll . . .

## More Kappas with the Armed Forces

### WACs

Lieutenant Irene Van Houten, B Ω-Oregon  
Lieutenant Sara L. Sturgis, Δ-Indiana  
Lieutenant Ruth Ringland, Σ-Nebraska  
Lieutenant Helen Louise Matchett, Γ X-George Washington  
Anne M. Southard, B H-Stanford  
Loyce McCord Connell, Γ Θ-Drake  
Virginia McKinley, Γ Δ-Middlebury  
Virginia Anne Lee, X-Minnesota  
Marjorie Pennell, B A-Pennsylvania  
Virginia Lee Bonham, Γ Ψ-Maryland  
Corporal Catherine Virginia Carney, B Δ-Michigan  
Catherine Dunn Day, Γ T-British Columbia (Air Force)  
Dorothy McKinney Hibbard (Mrs. Martin O.) Γ O-Wyoming (Air WAC)  
Alice Nison, X-Minnesota

### WAVES

Ensign Camille Waldron, Γ N-Arkansas  
Ensign Helen Taylor Abbot, Γ Π-Alabama  
Ensign Patricia Anne Emison, I-De Pauw  
Ensign Lois Jane Hunter, Δ A-Pennsylvania State  
Ensign Frances Kuhn, Γ K-William and Mary  
Ensign Edna Caroline Laing, B A-Pennsylvania  
Ensign Catherine Ann Lynch, B M-Colorado  
Ensign Roma Helene Mead, B A-Pennsylvania  
Wilma June Smith, Γ B-New Mexico  
Barbara Isabel Coates, Δ H-Utah  
Mary Martin, Γ Θ-Drake  
Florence Patricia McMillan, A<sup>Δ</sup>-Monmouth  
Faith Sutton, Γ X-George Washington  
Mary Carhart, Γ Θ-Drake  
Marilyn Kindl, Δ A-Pennsylvania State  
a/s Dorothy Boericke, B A-Pennsylvania  
Y 3/c Ann Byington, B H-Stanford  
Ann Revell Chadeayne, Γ Ψ-Maryland  
Mary Jane Chase, Γ Ψ-Maryland  
M. Elizabeth Farlow, Γ O-Wyoming  
Priscilla Gage, B Π-Washington  
Susan Jane Gardner, Γ P-Allegheny  
Hulda Ruth Hobbs, Γ B-New Mexico  
Marion O'Connor Jarmin (Mrs. John E.), Σ-Nebraska  
S 2/c Barbara Jeanne Kendrick, B Ω-Oregon  
Mary Lucille Magette, B K-Idaho  
Florence Clarissa McLeod, Γ Ψ-Maryland  
Mary Virginia McMillan, X-Minnesota  
Peggy Moynihan, B M-Colorado  
Patricia Mary O'Sullivan, B Π-Washington (Japanese School)  
Angelique Ledoux Provosty, B O-Tulane  
S 1/c Alice Sheldon, Δ H-Utah  
Barbara Lee Simpson, Γ B-New Mexico  
Betty Jane Simpson, Γ B-New Mexico

Jane Adair Spencer, Γ E-Pittsburgh  
Alice Mary White, Γ B-New Mexico

### SPARS

Ensign Doris Joan Larimore, Γ N-Arkansas  
Marte Louise Landis, B Δ-Illinois  
Cadet Mina Foster Brown, Γ X-George Washington  
Mary Camile Case, B Θ-Oklahoma  
Constance Sigrid Peterson, X-Minnesota

### MCWR (MARINES)

Lieutenant Sally J. Silsley Tucker (Mrs. Howard E.), Δ H-Utah  
Lieutenant Helen Arehart Wilson, Θ-Missouri (incorrectly listed in December 1943 KEY as a WAC)  
Lieutenant Kathryn Adair Ade, Γ Δ-Purdue  
Lieutenant Ramona Larkin, B K-Idaho  
Corporal Marie Andrews, Δ-Indiana  
Margaret Hepler, B Π-Washington  
Sally Ann Sawyer, Δ Γ-Michigan State  
Kathryn Heinsheimer Whiting (Mrs. F. H.), Σ Nebraska

### WAFS

Margaret Ann Hamilton, B Θ-Oklahoma  
Virginia Henrietta Wright, K-Hillsdale  
Jane Christina Dyde, B M-Colorado  
Mary Sue McMurtrey, Γ N-Arkansas

### ARMY NURSE CORPS

Lieutenant Emma R. Pedri, Γ O-Wyoming, in the New Hebrides  
Lieutenant Emma Josephine Anselmi, Γ O-Wyoming  
Lieutenant Peggy Borel Clark, B Φ-Montana

### ARMY MEDICAL CORPS

Lieutenant Dolores DeLong, Γ M-Oregon State, overseas  
Lieutenant Mary Dale, B K-Idaho  
Lieutenant Kay Hickman, B K-Idaho

### AMERICAN RED CROSS

Mary Louise Hickey, Δ A-Pennsylvania State  
Ann Pasternacki, X-Minnesota  
Helen Margaret Lea, B N-Ohio State  
Jane Emera Bisbee, B Δ-Michigan, overseas  
Patricia Ann Pattison, X-Minnesota, in Sicily  
Rosalie Brennan Palmer, Γ X-George Washington, in England  
Hope Hunt, Γ K-William and Mary, overseas  
Jewel Tilton Wilson, Γ O-Wyoming, overseas



Louise Shoup, B H-Stanford, in England  
 Cynthia Howard Griffin, Δ Δ-McGill, in England  
 Alice M. G. White, Γ T-British Columbia  
 Nancy Elizabeth Allis, B T-Syracuse  
 Barbara Fee Camp, B Θ-Drake, overseas  
 Inez Derry, Γ E-Pittsburgh  
 Elizabeth DuBois, Γ Γ-North Dakota, recreation unit  
 Faith Thurston Embrey, B Φ-Montana  
 Nancy Margaret Flournoy, B T-West Virginia, overseas  
 Rosalba Mon Gore, B Φ-Montana  
 Elizabeth Lowry, B T-Syracuse  
 Madelaine Marie Matchett, Γ X-George Washington, in North Africa  
 Jean Eledice Morgan, Γ Γ-Whitman, recreation unit  
 Ruth Trenholme, B Π-Washington, overseas  
 Florence Beatrice Walker, B Φ-Montana

### WRENS

Bruce McFarren, B Ψ-Toronto  
 Joscelyn Lefevre Baker, I T-British Columbia

Isabel Marguerite Davis, Δ Δ-McGill  
 Mary Christable Dawson, Δ Δ-McGill  
 Roma Dodds, Δ Δ-McGill  
 Joan Virginia Frost, I T-British Columbia  
 Jacqueline Macaulay Hale, Δ Δ-McGill  
 Martha Anne How, Δ Δ-McGill

### RCAF (WD)

Valerie Jean Robinson, Γ T-British Columbia  
 Helen Dorothea Woodcroft, Γ T-British Columbia

### RCAMC

N/3 Marion Miles Pennington (Mrs. Robert A.),  
 Γ T-British Columbia

### RCNCT

Sub-Lieutenant Margaret Isabel MacLeod Rich (Mrs. Royce), Γ T-British Columbia. Lieutenant Rich was erroneously listed in the December 1943 KEY under her maiden name as a WREN. She is a laboratory technician in the Royal Canadian Navy with the rank of Sub-Lieutenant.

## Global Backgrounds Help ARC in Global War . . .

SINCE KEY Service Honor Roll lists carry an increasing number of Kappas affiliated with the American Red Cross, many of them already overseas, it is interesting to note the variety of their work and the special qualifications they have brought to their assignments. Here are three examples:

Cynthia H. Griffin, Δ Δ-McGill, is an ARC hospital social worker in England. Until her Red Cross appointment, she was on the staff of the social service department of the Presbyterian hospital in New York city. She is a member of the American Association of Medical Social Workers. Cynthia is a graduate of the American high school in Paris, McGill university in Montreal and the New York School of Social Work.

Louise Shoup, B H-Stanford, is an ARC hospital visitor in England. Before receiving her Red Cross appointment, she was an English instructor at Stanford and had taught at Ginling College for Women, Nanking, China, and Colorado State college. She has also lived for two years in Geneva, Switzerland, where she traveled extensively in Europe and the British Isles in connection with her work with the



**ALICE M. G. WHITE**, Γ T-British Columbia charter member, in North Africa with the American Red Cross.

Progressive College for Women. She is a member of Phi Beta Kappa, the Nanking, China, Women's club and the Fort Collins Writers club.

Alice M. G. White, a charter member of



Γ Υ-British Columbia, is an ARC assistant program director in North Africa. Previously a teacher of English and dramatics at Greenwich, Connecticut, academy and at the Mary C. Wheeler school in Providence, Rhode Island, she has also been director of dramatics at the Girl Scout Leaders' training school in New York city. She has written

several playlets, has edited a dramatic publication and was the author of *Dramatic QS for Girl Scout Leaders*. She attended high school in Dundee, Scotland, before being graduated from the King George high school in Vancouver. She took her master's at Smith college.

## PROTECT YOUR RIGHT . . .

AT ITS meeting October 30-November 1 National Panhellenic Congress passed the following resolution:

" . . . that NPC commit itself to active support of the appeal of our military leaders and implement such commitment with a program to urge girls graduating from college to consider seriously enlistment in the armed services."

The resolution expresses in words the attitude of the women's Greek-letter societies that are members of NPC. To transfer attitude into action the congress directed the committee on war and college women to include in its program whatever will aid NPC groups in responding to the urgent call of the armed services for the enlistment of women so that men can be released for the war fronts.

In every city or large town are recruiting offices for the WAC, WAVES, SPARS and Women's Marine Corps. If you are a senior or an alumna without primary home obligations, contact your local recruiting center. Many thousand women are urgently needed. The hard period of the war is at hand. Do your bit. College women are not influenced by pretensions of glamour. They know the jobs mean just plain hard work. We hope they enlist in the spirit of seeing a job through—the spirit that matches a brother's spirit of endurance in the foxhole. Women already trained in special skills have greater opportunity for active work and advancement because they require only

the preliminary military training.

While this appeal is primarily for aid to the armed services, the committee on war and college women feels it should be pointed out that college and alumnae chapters and individual members of women's Greek-letter groups have not only a fine record for enlistment in women's branches of the various strictly armed services, but also in meeting the need for nurses and dietitians who serve with the armed forces. In addition, Greek-letter women have done their bit in the purchase of war bonds, working for the Red Cross, contributing to the blood bank, aiding the USO and serving in many phases of civilian defense.

The war is so vast that individual and group effort count for most when tied in with the large national agencies developed to handle the complex problems of the war. Greek-letter women will not only continue to aid all these agencies, but will also continue their good record of enlistment in the armed services.

**The freedoms for which this war is fought are the freedoms that protect the right to organize into wholesome social groups, one of the basic rights of a democracy. Dictators destroy that right. So, the Greek-letter groups have a stake in the fight for freedom!**

N.P.C. Committee on War and College Women: L. PEARLE GREEN, K A ©; MARY B. MERRITT, Φ M, and MARY LOVE COLLINS, X Ω, chairman.

## To Be a Kappa—Enlist!



# Kappas in Armed Services Sit for Their Portraits

DECORATING the Kappa Service Women's Center in New York's Hotel Biltmore is an oil portrait sketch of a Kappa service woman by a well-known Kappa artist. The subject is Lieutenant Virginia Christian Farinholt, WAVE, Γ K-William and Mary. The artist is Josephine Paddock, B E-Barnard, who is having the time of her life and making a distinctive record by painting Kappa service women.

"I love to 'contact' Kappas, so if any from the west come to New York and would like to look me up here at my studio, we might be able to get pictures of Westerners in New York," wrote Miss Paddock, whose studio is at 115 East 86 street, apartment 154.

"So far, I've been owning the pictures, paying the regular art model's rate to people who pose or taking them out for a meal each time. If it were a question of an order that someone would like to buy, I've promised to pay a 20 per cent commission to the New York Center or any other such center or Kappa from the west who might be interested."

The sketch accompanying these paragraphs is of Lieutenant Dorothy Beckwith, SPAR, Γ T-North Dakota.



PORTRAIT SKETCH in oil of Lieutenant Dorothy Beckwith, SPAR, Γ T-North Dakota, by Josephine Paddock, B E-Barnard.

Miss Paddock has also done a series of "Victory Window" oil sketches, all of which have been sold or dispersed from two exhibits in the Barbizon club in the past two years.



## Newsman J. B. Powell, Former Jap Prisoner, May Walk Again, His Kappa Daughter Reports

WELL over a year and a half ago, when "the first *Gripsholm*" landed, Americans were shocked to see the photographs of J. B. Powell, long-time Shanghai newspaper publisher, who had lost the use of both feet as a result of imprisonment in a Japanese jail.

Mr. Powell is the father of Martha ("Bunny") Powell Hensley (Mrs. Malcolm S.), Θ-Missouri, now living with her husband and little son in Chevy Chase, Maryland. Her husband is in Washington with the foreign broadcast intelligence service of the Federal Communications Commission.

"At the moment my father is undergoing more skin-grafting on his feet," wrote Mrs. Hensley last January. "The doctors are sure he will be able to walk, but it is a long, slow process. He has been wonderfully patient and I am sure must be the hospital's prize patient. I didn't realize until I got

those two 'patients' together how the hospital one must have got its name. He has gained considerable weight since his return and his general health is good.

"While Dad has been in the hospital (Harkness Pavilion, New York), he has written numerous magazine articles and done several radio programs. He also has recently completed a book which will be published this spring, I believe. We all are most anxious to read it."

"Bunny" left Shanghai as a child to come back to the States to school. Her brother, who had a year on the *China Press* in Shanghai, luckily came back to Missouri to finish school before Pearl Harbor, but is now in China again with the OWI. Mrs. Powell, who had also, luckily, been in this country, has been busy tempting Mr. Powell's appetite, wearied of hospital food.





“Lonely Hearts?” . . .

## KAPPAS IN TRANSIT MAY CONTACT OTHERS

By Margaret Baughman Craig (Mrs. Malin, Jr.), Γ K-William and Mary

WELL known to all Kappas today there are about half of our sisters who are serving our country either personally or by being married to one who is serving. A good portion of these are away from their home towns. It has been very difficult to keep up with these transient Kappas. Some of the girls are lonely and wish they had some outside contacts. If you are one of

these, here are two suggestions that have come to the Army-Navy chairman from much traveled Army wives.

The first thing is to fill in the blank you will find here in THE KEY, and send it at once to the Army-Navy chairman whose name is on the blank. Don't delay, for the chairman is also a transient Kappa and the postman may have a time finding her. Then

### TRANSIENT KAPPA

I am a transient Kappa and would like very much to find some Kappas  
in .....

Date .....

Name .....

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

Present address ..... Phone .....

Permanent address .....

Husband's official address .....

Send to:

ARMY NAVY CHAIRMAN  
MRS. MALIN CRAIG, JR.  
Nashville, Brown County, Indiana



she may have a time finding the Kappa in your "neck of the woods." Lists of these traveling Kappas have been sent in from one or two chapters, but the addresses are old by the time the Army-Navy chairman gets them.

Don't depend on your chapter or alumnae

association. If you want to make contacts, then do it yourself.

The other suggestion that I want to pass on to alumnae is that you brush off the patina on your keys and wear them again. If you see a key, go speak to it, and you may find your days less lonely.

## Newest Center . . .

# BALTIMORE ADDED TO KAPPA SERVICE ROSTER

*By Marjorie Coles Smith (Mrs. Ernest H.), Φ-Boston*

THE Service Women's Lounge, located at 312 North Charles street, Baltimore, and sponsored by Kappa Kappa Gamma, opened March 2. Sunday, March 5, an opening party was given, to which commanding officers and their wives, from all branches of the service represented in Baltimore, were invited.

Prominent artists of Baltimore have generously loaned outstanding examples of their work to be hung in the Service Women's Lounge. Among paintings which have been loaned are "The Barn" and "The Quarry," water colors by Hermann Dahl; "Mother and Child No. 1" and "Corner Store," oils by Mary Di Crispino; two New York scenes in gouache (opaque water-color), by Giorgio Cavaglieri, and "China Tea," a still life in oils by Leon L. Wessner.

An Elizabeth Arden powder room is one of the attractive features of the lounge. There is a linoleum floor, and Elizabeth Arden provided cosmetics, draperies and slip covers. The powder bar, as well as the other rooms in the lounge, has an open fireplace with antique mantel.

The large front room has a bay window overlooking Charles street, one of the famous and historic streets of Baltimore. Most of the furniture for the Lounge has been contributed by Kappas, either as donations or as loans, and it has been necessary to buy only a few things.

The Lounge has a separate telephone booth; and the number, which is not listed in the telephone book, is Lexington 9541.

Among the various conveniences which the Lounge possesses are an ice box, hot plate, electric iron and sewing machine.

The Lounge is scheduled to be open Thursdays, Saturdays and Sundays, afternoons and evenings. If it is found later that there is a demand for the Lounge to be open other days, the Kappas will arrange for it to be open on such days.

November 27, 1943, the Baltimore alumnae incorporated the Center as "Service Women's Lounge, Inc." Members of the board of directors are Jean E. Heimer, B B<sup>A</sup>-St. Lawrence, president; Jean Paterson, Γ Ψ-Maryland, vice-president; Ruth Dibert, B A-Pennsylvania, secretary; Elaine Updyke, Γ Δ-Middlebury, treasurer; Emily Schilpp, Δ Θ-Goucher; Louise Berry Wise (Mrs. Gerald), B A-Illinois, and Doris Anne Iglar, B A.

Committee chairmen are Louise B. Wise, location; Emily Schilpp, personnel and staffing; Jean Heimer, publicity; Jean Paterson, information and personal services; Zola Huff Dobson (Mrs. J. F.), Γ Δ-Purdue, refreshments and hospitality; Alice Kaestner Johnson (Mrs. Wilson), Δ Θ, opening party and entertainment.

Margaret Gavan Lewis (Mrs. Percy), Δ Θ, and Allie Angel Clark (Mrs. Herbert), Γ Φ-Southern Methodist, are co-chairmen of interior decoration. Mrs. Clark handled all arrangements for the Elizabeth Arden powder bar, and made a trip to New York where she discussed plans with Elizabeth Arden personally.





*Presidential* preliminaries in prospective Arden powder bar in the new Baltimore Center show Jean E. Heimer, B B<sup>Δ</sup>-St. Lawrence, Baltimore alumnae president, wielding the white-wash brush, assisted by Lois K. Twombly, Γ Θ-Drake, while Yeoman Cara Moon and Sergeant Claudia Mosier smile encouragement. In the finished room, ivy vines have been painted along the edges of the mantel and the fireplace is filled with growing ivy. (We understand that this is not to be confused with the snack bar, on the grounds that "little lamzy divey.")

*Uniformly* happy about the Kappa Kappa Gamma Service Women's Center in Baltimore are Yeoman Mary Elizabeth Farrell, Corporal Glee Constable, Sergeant Marion V. Morris, Sergeant Claudia Mosier and Yeoman Cara Moon. On the walls are the two watercolors loaned by the artist, Hermann Dahl.





Members of the finance committee are: Edith Macauley, B Δ-Michigan; Elisabeth H. Bartlett, B I-Swarthmore, and Alice Carroll Marshall (Mrs. E. K.), B N-Ohio State, P<sup>Δ</sup>-Ohio Wesleyan.

The WAC mothers have given splendid coöperation, helping with sewing and staffing, and they have donated a studio couch.

Of the women's fraternities represented in Baltimore, the Kappas have received offers of assistance in conducting the Lounge from K A Θ, A Φ, Γ Φ B, A Γ Δ, and Δ Δ Δ.

The Army, Navy and the USO have given us much helpful advice in establishing the Lounge.

The board of directors wishes particularly to thank the following Kappas for their assistance: Myra Ferrier Wolfe (Mrs. Irvin), Γ Ψ; Gladys Hughes, Ψ-Cornell; Lois Twombly, Γ Θ-Drake; Winifred Stephens Sudborough (Mrs. James), Ξ-Adrian; Alice

Cann, Γ Ψ; Mary Beggs Doeller, Γ Ψ; Mary Elizabeth Zimmerman, Abigail Remsen Kouwenhoven (Mrs. W. B.), B Σ-Adelphi, and Winifred Wieland Quigley (Mrs. Robert), Δ Δ-Pennsylvania State.

To other Kappa groups which may sponsor new centers, Jean Heimer recommends the radio interview as the type of publicity which brought Baltimore Kappas "the most immediate results." Two weeks before the opening of the new Baltimore Center, Jean was interviewed for six minutes in the middle of a popular program given between 9 and 9:30 a.m. by Martha Ross Temple over Station WFBR.

"Sandwiched in between the current price of cabbage and a recipe for making breaded deviled eggs," Jean reported, she had "no sooner finished talking than the radio station received several calls offering us a few of the items I had mentioned needing, among them a waffle iron and a piano."

*YEA, Pearl Harbor!! . . .*

## GALLANT HONOLULU PLANS A CENTER

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

**S**UCH excitement we have had, so many experiences that I hardly know where to start. When we first heard of the idea of a Service Women's Center from Rosemary Jo Shidemantle, chairman Army and Navy recreation units, we paused, we gasped, and some of us laughed at the idea of our tiny group really doing something useful. We have kept going mostly because the monthly Kappa tea remained the one function in our lives that wasn't directly connected with the war.

It scared us. We didn't dare take a vote for fear it would die right then and there, but we all promised to think it over and a small committee was formed. The authorities were contacted and we have plenty of them over here, the Military Governor, the Navy (Admiral Nimitz, no less), the USO and Special Services. Jay Purdy Restarick

(Mrs. Arthur), B Ω-Oregon, undertook to do this. As soon as she contacted the first WOMAN who would benefit by such a Center, she was sold, hook, line and sinker. From then on Jay has not allowed the word impossible to be used. It was a necessity! There was a crying need, someone must do something. Why not the Kappas?

She found an ideal place. We had to make alterations, put in plumbing; the price was appallingly high. Half of our group wanted to give up right then and there; but not Jay. She kept after us. Catharine South Sutherland (Mrs. Daniel W.), Θ-Missouri, saw the contractor and persuaded him to do the work at cost, a saving of \$400. We sent a letter to all Kappas on Oahu (the names and addresses of Kappas on the outside islands are not in our files, but they will be!) asking for money and time. The



response was feeble at first. We had picked the worst time of year, but the date had significance. December 7.

At the January meeting we formed telephone committees to procure an "aye or nay" and the "how much." We cabled Rosemary Jo "help help!" Our lovely location was about to be taken away from us. By this time Jay had all the active alumnae up on their toes and very enthusiastic. National could not help us much, but suggested bringing in another or other organizations. Our thanks to Rosemary Jo for her faith in our ability to do the impossible. We had thought that the whole thing had to be financed by Kappa. (The December KEY arrived the middle of January with additional information.)

So out we went into the wide world to ask for money. People were kind, people were wonderful. But, had we cleared through the Chamber of Commerce? No.

We called up the executive secretary. New officers had been elected just that day! I, full of courage from a successful touch from my husband's peace-time firm, called on the newly-elected president of the C. of C. He was charming, and most kind about our unbusinesslike manner, and had his secretary write out a petition to solicit funds from the Honolulu firms.

Jay and I have just returned from the meeting at the Chamber of Commerce, our hearts beating like mad. We had to leave while they voted. We stumbled out to a cup of coffee. Then up to Jay's office at the Art Academy to await our fate. Came the fateful call, they had given us the green light.

We hope to have the Center going full blast by March. Wish us luck. Any money anyone wishes to send on would be most graciously accepted.

Continued in our next!

## DENVER ALL SET . . . to Open Center

By Sally Wallis Wolfe (Mrs. Hubert P.), B M-Colorado

**D**ENVER alumnae are terribly excited. We are going to have a Service Women's Center at last.

As Lowery Field has been chosen one of two centers training "Air-WACs" in the whole country, we now feel justified in going ahead with our plans. Of course the Center will be open to all women in all branches of the services.

Under the efficient management of Elizabeth Martin Cox (Mrs. Harold H.), B M-Colorado, as chairman, we are progressing rapidly.

We now have a suite of rooms at the Cosmopolitan hotel, one of Denver's largest and best hotels, whose manager, J. B. Herndon, Jr., has been most cooperative and willing to help us with our plans. Thanks to Mr. Shinn of the Denver Dry-Goods and Mr. Lott of Daniels & Fisher's, where Elizabeth Arden salons are located, we have gained the cooperation of Elizabeth Arden for putting in a powder bar.

Needless to say what a grand attraction that will be!

We plan to offer the usual services, such as an iron for pressing, showers available and a sewing kit for repair. Last, but not least, there will be an index of all possible room accommodations, both hotel and private homes, so women from Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Pando and Boulder may on coming in for the week-end find accommodations.

We will have a full time senior hostess, who will help the girls in all possible ways. She will be assisted by two girls who will be on shifts of so many hours each, so each Kappa may contribute her share.

Our project already has had wide acclaim by prominent citizens and the officers of all the women's services have worked with us, making suggestions and giving us all possible help.

The Denver alumnae owe a great deal to the untiring efforts of Mary Bosworth





**KEY KAPPAS** in planning for the new *Kappa Kappa Gamma Service Women's Center* in Denver are, left to right, *Mary Bosworth Hamilton (Mrs. William)*, B X-Kentucky, president, *Denver alumnae association*; *Helen McCreery*, Δ Z-Colorado college, *Center vice-chairman*; *Elizabeth Martin Cox (Mrs. Harold H.)*, B M, *chairman of the Denver Center*.

Hamilton (Mrs. William), B X-Kentucky, our president; Helen McCreery, Δ Z-Colorado college, our war service chairman, and

Elizabeth Cox (Mrs. Harold) our room chairman.

## MEDAL PRESENTED . . . to Columbus Center

By *Marcia Pembroke Steffan*, B N-Ohio State

**T**HE Columbus Service Women's Center was accorded an unusual honor, February 4, when a presentation of the medal of Ste. Genevieve of Paris, patron saint of the WACs, was made at the evening weekly broadcast. Blessed by the Reverend Father A. E. Culliton, of St. Charles college, the medal was presented to Frances Romer Kromer, B N-Ohio State, one-time chapter president and delegate to the convention at Breezy Point in 1928, whose husband is a colonel with the armed forces in India. The Columbus Center is the first to receive such recognition, awarded "in appreciation of the untiring efforts, coöperation and assistance rendered in behalf of the members of the Women's Army Corps."

Ste. Genevieve of Paris was chosen as the patron saint of the WACs because of her

heroic services to the French people during the times of siege and famine, and for the staunch courage of her words, "That which I have promised, I will do." It was during an invasion of France by Attila the Hun, when Paris was about to be deserted, that Ste. Genevieve begged her people to employ prayer and sacrifice, with the result that Attila deployed his army around the city, leaving Paris untouched. At another time during a famine, this inspired woman sailed down the river, commandeering boats and grain and fed her starving countrymen. She died in 512 A.D. and was buried in a sub-chapel at St. Etienne du Mont, over which spot Clovis later built a church, called the Pantheon. In 1851 the original name of the Church of Ste. Genevieve of Paris was restored. This and an adjoining





UPPER, the face of the Ste. Genevieve medal presented to the Columbus Kappa Service Women's Center; lower, the reverse of the medal, bearing the legend, "Patron Women's Army Corps," with the dates of Ste. Genevieve's birth and death and, significantly, two keys.

library are located near Notre Dame cathedral. In this library, along with the relics of the saint, is a mural painting of her done by Puvis de Chavannes.

Lieutenant Ruth A. Shaver, who took part in the presentation of the medal, commented, "So this woman, who gave aid and direction to her fellow citizens in centuries past, becomes a source of inspiration to women soldiers of today—women whose sphere is different, but who work with the

same patriotism and zeal Ste. Genevieve displayed so long ago."

The medal itself is interesting, as shown in the picture. The face shows the saint in monumental proportions against a background of the towers and walls of Paris.

### ★ Stars in Kappa Service Flags . . . ★

Lieutenant General Henry H. Arnold, father of Lois Arnold Snowden (Mrs. Ernest M.), Γ Z-Arizona, commanding general of the Army Air Forces, is the 1944 recipient of the Marconi Memorial commemorative medal for achievement in communications. General Arnold was the first Army officer to use radio in a plane when he conducted an experiment at Fort Riley, Kansas, in 1912.

Major General Ralph Royce, husband of Lilian Scott Royce, Β Δ-Michigan, has been awarded the Distinguished Service Medal for his service as commander of the First Air Force. General Royce, whose standardized training program won particular praise, is now commanding general of the United States forces in the Middle East.

Brigadier General William Howard Arnold, husband of Elizabeth Mullen Arnold, Γ I-Washington University, has been decorated with the Legion of Merit. While General Arnold is in the South Pacific as chief of staff of a corps, Mrs. Arnold and their four children have taken an apartment in St. Louis. The Arnolds are "regular Army" and, as Mrs. Arnold says, "will start our travels again when General Arnold is once more stationed in this country."

Captain Francis McKee Adams, USN, husband of Gladys Hastie Adams, Β K-Idaho, commanded a flotilla of landing ships in the invasions of Sicily and Italy, and in the preceding invasion of Morocco navigated an aircraft carrier. Captain Adams now has an assignment on "home ground," after almost two years in the war zone. "In the many years since my graduation from Idaho in 1922, I have attended alumnae meetings in Seattle, Los Angeles and Honolulu and have met Kappas as far from home as Shanghai, China," reports Mrs. Adams. "Can you imagine my surprise when I saw a key so far away? I also ran into Abeline Montgomery Snow, Β K, in Tsingtao, China, some years ago. My very best regards to all Kappas, and it is my fervent hope that when this war is over I may return west and visit, if possible, my own beloved Beta Kappa."





Her outstretched hands send blessings on the populace gathered at her feet. Evidence of the military is present in the helmets and lances of the soldiers among the Parisians. Imprinted are her words, "That which I have promised, I will do."

The Columbus Center is finding its special events well attended and plans to keep on with them. Several artists are giving their time to do portrait sketches of the women in uniform, and two well-known palmists and character analysts have vol-

unteered their services for an evening a week. We have been called upon to entertain groups of inductees several times a month and find that the girls not yet in uniform are pleased and happy to spend an evening at the lounge, playing ping pong and cards, singing and playing the piano and having their palms read.

Lois Peebles Hoffman, B Z-Iowa, is doing a splendid job staffing the center and finds the alumnae, Mothers' club, actives and pledges responding nobly.



### "Look to the Record" for Proof of Centers' Popularity

**S**TATISTICS are the mercury in the thermometer of success for such a project as the Kappa-sponsored Service Women's Centers. They continue to register the warmest interest on the part of the service women for whom the Centers are maintained by Kappa alumnae groups.

From the first annual report of the New York Kappas' Center in the Hotel Biltmore registrations show a total of 32,710 visitors, including 2,610 civilians. At that, the figure is smaller than the actual number, since a record of unregistered service women who checked in was not kept until last March, two months after the opening of the Center.

In the first four months of the Los Angeles Kappas' Center in the Hotel Hayward, almost 2,500 service women have visited the Center.

Meanwhile, "the original Kappa room" is still popular at the Des Moines USO. Last January alone more than 6,000 servicemen and women enjoyed the room, which is furnished with settees, chairs and tables in maple, floor lamps, pastels on the walls and a big combination radio and victrola. The Kappa coat-of-arms on the wall, by special permission, indicates the room's sponsors. Ethel Newcomb Sylvester (Mrs. R. H.), B Z-Iowa, Des Moines alumnae president, reports that she was told of a marriage proposal murmured beneath the Kappa plaque.



### Riverside (California) Center Coming Up?

**T**HE KEY hears tell that "Three energetic Kappas in Riverside, California, are laying ground plans for a Service Women's Center. These three, Nolda McCamly Dohme (Mrs. Carl G.), B Δ-Michigan; Margaret Ragland Turner (Mrs. John), B Ξ-Texas, and Julia Childs Walker (Mrs. J. R.), Γ Ξ-UCLA, plus a handful of Riverside-San Fernando alumnae club members, will serve women in the armed forces from five big bases surrounding these two towns. Our hats off to this hard-working little group!"



## Human Engineering . . .

# FUTURE DEMANDS NEW BLUEPRINTS FOR LIVING

By Hazel Prutsman Schwering (Mrs. C. L.), B  $\Omega$ -Oregon, K K  $\Gamma$  Vocational Chairman

**B**LUEPRINTS for the college girl, drawn according to each individual's capacity, designed to make a better world for the future; the price, hard work and good planning. It is as necessary to make blueprints for members of society as it is to make blueprints for industrial progress.

Every day commercial postwar plans are freely discussed in our country. Startling



HAZEL PRUTSMAN SCHWERING (Mrs. C. L.), B  $\Omega$ -Oregon, Kappa's vocational chairman; dean of women at the University of Oregon.

advertisements in magazines meet the eye. The story of electronics overwhelms the imagination. Blueprints appear of the new automobile; its tear-drop design is symbolic of our future industrial plans. Fascinating blueprints of postwar houses where temperature is controlled to the desired degree; houses designed for solar radiation, houses planned with sun-pocket terraces, proper lighting and ventilation, fill the home periodicals. New fabrics from "out of this

world" have created the fabric technologist, a new vocation. Amazing discoveries in medicine have been revealed to us. In the field of transportation the words *helicopter*, *global flying*, *stratosphere flights* and *transoceanic business* have already become part of our vocabulary. Television is now a reality. Today there are nine television stations operated in the United States, and radar has been commonly accepted.

Industrial research has created a world of mechanical gadgets for us. A brave new world, however, cannot be built with mechanical gadgets alone. Human engineering does not progress as rapidly or show such tangible results as does mechanical engineering.

Is it possible to draw up a blueprint for individuals? What would a blueprint show for a college girl's future? The opportunities for women tomorrow have been given to women by another war. Woman has become essential in industries where she was not even welcome before the war. It is ironic that women's freedom and opportunities to advance have always come through the catastrophe of war. Women's real advance will be measured not only by their contribution to the war effort, but in the end will be judged by their planning of the future.

A large number of women will gladly return to their homes (we need good mothers, too), and others will enthusiastically seize the opportunity for a career. Some women who have had a taste of work will definitely feel the government can not deny them the right to work in peace time as well as in an emergency. There will be many unmarried women and widows who will deserve consideration in the labor market. The unselfish women will work for improved conditions of all women. As a group they have never been too energetic or courageous in supporting their own sex.



They must support able women, and help to remove discriminating laws against women. They will wisely choose not to compete with men necessarily, but to work with dignity and tactfulness side by side with men, doing the jobs for which women are better equipped.

**T**HE college girl, because of her educational advantages, will be expected to lead in many affairs. Her education will need to be flexible to meet the demands of an ever-changing world. Being educated is more than possessing knowledge. It will require wisdom and understanding to deal with perplexing problems and perplexed people. Women must be ready to do the work that will confront them when demobilization takes place. When men return home there will be need for occupational therapists, physical therapists, psychiatrists and a vocational rehabilitation program. The whole field of education will be revolutionized, and women will play an important part in the new philosophy of education. Other peace-time jobs and new, unforeseen occupations will seek to retain and employ women.

Women who will work in foreign countries helping women of other nations to rebuild a new world will have the opportunity of the "undoing of hate." Women have always hated war. Here, then, is an opportunity to unite all women's efforts for permanent peace. However, peace could soon become an idle mockery if women who have done such a good job in wartime return to the old ways of bridge games, bargain sales and reducing courses. Surely American women are too proud to sink into such an ineffectual state ever again. It is women's responsibility to take the lead in seeing that competent women serve on policy-making boards of education and government agencies.

There are many outstanding women who could be of public service, yet there are very few women in Congress, in state legislatures, or on city councils or boards of social welfare. Intelligent women are sorely needed in such strategic positions. The political scientist and the sociology major

would find much in these positions to challenge them.

The organized women's clubs such as the American Association of University Women, League of Women Voters, federation groups and service groups all have splendid objectives. They want better educational facilities and better health for all. They want an informed public, a solution to our national and international affairs, the prevention of juvenile delinquency, equal pay for women for equal work and other worthwhile objectives. These groups exert a real influence in their national, state and local communities through their vote.

**I**t is important that the college girl appreciate her privilege of voting. Women fought for the right to vote, and if it was denied them they would fight again. Yet, many fail to use that real instrument of democracy. In a great democracy women should carry their share of the responsibility. They have served admirably in the armed forces and have been found dexterous and competent to a high degree in various war jobs. College Ph.D.s and debutantes have worked next to "Rosie the Riveter," and have been thrilled to do something with their hands. They have felt that welding, making precision instruments and packing parachutes was the next thing to being in the front lines.

**If these same women's industry, patriotism, enthusiasm and skill could be translated into active participation in solving postwar problems, a magnificent achievement would result.**

The technical accomplishments are at hand. Just as much could be accomplished in the field of human relations if college women had their blueprints engraved in their hearts and minds; blueprints that showed a broad education, energy and purpose, women giving their best to a high goal. Blueprints with intelligence, intelligence to distinguish truth from propaganda. Blueprints with sound convictions and the strength of character to live up to those convictions. Blueprints with dignity, sympathy and tolerance toward all races.

A blueprint would not be worthy unless underlying was a spiritual significance.



Women can be a tremendous factor in the spiritual attitude of a nation. The men who have faced dangers have not been afraid to declare their belief in God. They are coming back filled with deepened religious beliefs. The church today needs college women to help evaluate and revitalize the church. There must be a return to a more dynamic Christianity. We must have a religion that is more meaningful and sterner in discipline.

College girls who have had every educa-

tional opportunity have a definite obligation to society. They must see that we do not become a "push button" civilization. They must hold fast to that which is constructive, and preserve our true values. They must exert their influence to accomplish as much in the realm of human relationships as has been accomplished in our material progress.

Your blueprint is a chart from which you direct your effort. Women will need courage, imagination and vision to follow unrelentingly blueprints for the future.

## 1944's Cotton Maid Captivates Contest



*Photograph by courtesy of the  
"Memphis Press-Scimitar"*

**LINWOOD LELANE GISCLARD, Δ I-Louisiana State, sixth Maid of Cotton since the contest was instituted in 1939 by the "Memphis Press-Scimitar" and the Memphis Cotton Carnival.**

**W**AY down south in the land of cotton, last January, seven judges in Memphis, Tennessee, chose the 1944 Maid of Cotton from among 75 candidates from 10 cotton-growing states.

Their choice was Linwood Lelane Gisclard, Δ I-Louisiana State, senior in nutrition at LSU.

As winner, Linwood was awarded \$300 in war bonds. She went to New York immediately after the contest to acquire an all-cotton wardrobe, which she later modeled in Miami. She went to Washington to help inaugurate the fourth war bond drive, January 18-19, after which she traveled for a month, selling war bonds, entertaining servicemen—and wearing cotton clothes!

Look closely at Linwood's photograph! She was wearing her Kappa key in the midst of the symbolic sea of cotton surrounding her.



### Expunging an Error

Setting the record straight on Sponge Soap, the company (see February KEY advertisement) sells to an alumnæ group at wholesale price. When the soap is sold, the group has made the entire profit. Each group should retain 30 cents per pail for its own treasury and send 20 cents per pail to whichever Kappa (general fraternity) philanthropy it wishes to have the amount.



# Victory Garden Produced Bumper Crop of Pledges

By Ann Crowthers, B T-Syracuse

**L**AST spring when we Beta Tau Kappas were deciding upon a theme for our fall rushing costume party, we discarded all ideas of a dude ranch, blue heaven party and a Spanish fiesta, all for a Kappa Victory Garden. Enthusiasm grew and grew during the summer as we made our costumes. You should have seen the hustle and bustle of preparations when we returned last fall.

Decorations were in keeping with the theme. A wreath of vegetables and a sprinkling can were at the door as the rushees entered the house. At the end of the hall a scarecrow, surrounded by corn stalks, stood imposingly, welcoming them to the Kappa Victory Garden.

The rushees came into the garden, the living room, with props of corn stalks, wheel barrows, hose, rakes and hoes, a painted "V" of vegetables on a side wall, hand-painted posters, ceiling lights covered with vegetables of crepe paper. There each guest was given a name tag in the form of a corsage of parsley and radishes, and two ration stamps printed with "T J" and "V S." Later in the evening, the coupons were to be exchanged at the "Victory Vittles" booth for tomato juice and Victory sandwiches. The latter were of asparagus tips, cucumber and red pepper, and tomato and lettuce.

The actives' costumes represented flowers, vegetables, bugs and beetles, and crows. Also there were Mistress Mary,



*"The Kappa Victory Garden" greeted rushees at Syracuse.*

farmerettes, a scarecrow, mole and a rabbit. Some costumes were of crepe paper with pillows for stuffing. Others were of oilcloth or burlap bags. The eggplant had hoops to make it stick out. The black crows had a professional touch with their flapping wings and long black beaks. Flowers were comical with their sunflower heads and long green stockings. The summer squash could hardly walk from bulging around the feet. The twin red onion halves had difficulty dancing, but what fun we had!

After dancing with the rushees and singing our favorite peppy songs, a few members of the garden presented a skit in verse. Briefly, farmerettes wandered by the garden to find Mistress Mary perturbed because all



*AN EAR of corn at the left was among the outstanding vegetables in Beta Tau's Victory rush garden.*



the bugs, beetles, crows and the like were molesting her pretty flowers and vegetables, making them most unhappy. The farmerettes departed to bring back the scarecrow who chased away the pests. Pests were a German mole which symbolized Hitler, mustache *et al.*, and a Japanese beetle, characteristic with buck teeth, pixie eye glasses, and a rising sun on its back. When the

foreign matter was driven from the garden, a noticeable improvement occurred. Vegetables perked up, Mistress Mary ceased to worry, and the flowers expressed appreciation by giving a chorus dance—the finishing touch to a most successful costume party.

We had such a gay time we thought maybe the rest of you Kappas would like to venture it!



## KEY Reader, Army Wife, Won Webber Fellowship . . .

By Betty McGuire Rooney (Mrs. William), B N-Ohio State,  
Director of Public Relations

**I**N THE October 1943 issue of THE KEY there appeared a story about Dr. Marjorie Dee Poston, B N-Ohio State, associate professor of economics and business organization at Webber college, Babson Park, Florida. With the article was the announcement of three \$600 fellowships being offered by Webber college to Kappas.

Johnny-on-the-spot with an application for one of these fellowships was Mrs. Elizabeth Baxter Thurston, X-Minnesota. The fellowship was granted, and January 5, Mrs. Thurston arrived at Webber.

She is the wife of Lieutenant Colonel Benjamin E. Thurston, an officer in the regular Army. He is in Washington, but may be sent overseas at any time. Married in 1934, the Thurstons have two children, Laura, 6 years and Benjamin, Jr., 2. Both children are with Mrs. Thurston at Webber.

Mrs. Thurston is one of those people who have led an exciting and interesting life. She attended Smith college and the University of Minnesota during her college career and was elected to Phi Beta Kappa. She graduated from Minnesota *cum laude* in 1933.

During 10 years as an Army wife, she and Lieutenant Colonel Thurston have been stationed at Fort Benning, Georgia; West Point, Hawaii, and again at Fort Benning. It was from there that she came to Webber.

The three years spent in Hawaii were the most eventful ones the island ever saw, for it was during that time that the Japs made



ELIZABETH BAXTER THURSTON (Mrs. Benjamin E.), X-Minnesota, Army wife who has gone back to college, on Webber campus with her two youngsters.

their attack on Pearl Harbor. The Thurstons were in the midst of it.

It is interesting to know that Mrs. Thurston, a woman of many talents, taught the 7th, 8th, and 9th grades in a school in Hawaii while she was there, as well as tutoring in Latin and organizing and teaching a cooking school. She has translated two volumes of German World War I Naval accounts for the Naval War College.

In regard to her present life at Webber college, Mrs. Thurston says, "It is one of the best ways I know for wives of Army and

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"Miss America 1943" . . .

## "The Average American Mother's Idea of a Perfect Daughter"

**T**HE KEY is well aware that fraternity sentiment does not favor too much emphasis on beauty queens, although these days plenty of college beauties have Φ B K keys as well as looks.

Last year a girl who is studying for grand opera was encouraged to enter a national beauty contest which, if she won the title, would provide funds to further her musical education and lead to stage and radio contracts as steps toward her desired career. Last year, also, the contest itself was conducted on a different basis than in former ballyhoo years. The 1943 winner had to be the kind of girl the American serviceman thinks of as the ideal American young woman. In the annual beauty contest at Atlantic City last September, "Miss America 1943" had to have "talent, intelligence, poise, personality," as well as beauty.

The girl with all those qualifications was Jean Bartel, Γ Ξ-UCLA, chosen to be "Miss America 1943." She is a 19-year-old native of Los Angeles, whose parents were born in England.

Her selection naturally resulted in a barrage of publicity, both before and during her war bond selling tour. One article about her was a full page in *PM* when William Jennings O'Brien, who writes the "Dear Joe" weekly open letter to men in the armed forces, made his interview with Jean the subject of his entire letter. Since *PM* is what might be called one of the more hard-boiled journals, it was significant that respect for Jean had obviously influenced O'Brien's comments.

"I think her tour should be good for morale," reported O'Brien, "because she really does have a refreshingly healthy and enthusiastic air about her, and she really does look like the average American mother's idea of a perfect daughter. She doesn't smoke or drink, of course."



**JEAN BARTEL, Γ Ξ-UCLA, "Miss America 1943,"** who sold two and one-half million dollars worth of war bonds on a tour of 33 key cities for the Third War Loan drive last fall.

Earlier in the article, describing Jean's appearance, O'Brien wrote, "Actually she does 'adore' swimming and also hiking in the easy California hills around her home, and during her first year at UCLA she joined the Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority and is very proud of golden key, fleur de lis, etc. In fact she is particularly eager not to do or say anything in her new role that would embarrass KKG."

For Jean to be so scrupulously careful of the fraternity's reputation through herself as a member, and for O'Brien to have reported her concern, is by way of informing others that Kappa ideals are more than fine phrases in an initiation ritual, to be repeated and forgotten. One may live by them, even in the spotlight as "Miss America 1943."



# VISITORS MEASURE BY THIS YARDSTICK

By *Heloise Smartt, B<sup>Θ</sup>-Oklahoma, Director of Chapter Organization and Former Field Secretary, and Martha May Galleher Cox (Mrs. L. E.), P<sup>A</sup>-Ohio Wesleyan, Field Secretary*

ONE EVENING at an alumnæ association meeting the question was asked, "What does an official fraternity visitor look for in a chapter?" The question brought about a thoughtful discussion which revealed keen interest among alumnæ in the various facets of our active chapters, and an enumeration of the attributes which determine the quality of those chapters.

The basic ingredient of any chapter is its personnel. The visitor is keenly attuned to a search for characteristics which she feels will blend to make a congenial and purposeful whole. To achieve this type of unity each individual in the chapter must first fully develop her own potentialities and secondly add those to the group in such a way as to obtain a harmonious whole. A good chapter has intelligence; it has charm and talent; it has vitality and wholesomeness. These things are reflected in ability to plan objectives, to adjust to changing circumstances and to meet obstacles as they arise.

As a medium to establish this harmonious whole, a type of law and order known as chapter organization is necessary. From years of experience the fraternity has worked out what it feels to be the simplest and most direct methods of attaining such organization. Each girl is given a responsibility in the chapter in accordance with her qualities which will best enable her to fill a particular job. To attain a maximum degree of chapter efficiency, considerable time and thought should be given to the selection of these officers.

As aids to these officers the fraternity provides manuals of information such as *The Constitution, By-Laws and Standing Rules, The Proceedings, Adventures in Leadership*—and it is interesting to note here that several alumnæ groups have taken up the study of this chapter officers' manual in order to become better informed on chapter organization—*The Manual for*

*Housemothers, Budgeting and Bookkeeping, Instructions for Pledge Training, and annual letters which offer up-to-date information. As a further guide to each officer is her notebook, in which minute details and suggestions are handed down from year to year.*

The atmosphere in a Kappa house reflects whether or not a chapter has attained this harmonious unity. Enthusiasm, consideration, acceptance of responsibility and the development of unselfish interests build such an atmosphere. A housemother is chosen for her influence in this direction. Too much emphasis placed on mechanical trivialities may prevent the development and maintenance of the type of home which fosters real accomplishment. It is necessary that a certain number of definite policies or house rules be established to maintain order in the house, but no number of rules or policies will suffice until the willing coöperation of each person in that house is obtained. We want our houses to be havens of abundant living where a girl may grow and develop into the type of womanhood which will be a contributing factor in the community of which she will become a part.

However strong a chapter may be within itself, its real strength must be measured by its contribution to that institution of which it is a part. To be of value to the university a chapter must find out from the administration what channels of service are open to its members, then must analyze their own abilities and give willingly where they are needed. At this point a chapter must use initiative and ingenuity to promote and then to follow through on projects which are for the betterment of the university, both student and faculty.

Each university is different and the chapter reflects the type of school of which it is a part. Two ways in which all chapters

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## PLEDGES

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### Epsilon Province

#### ALPHA—Monmouth College

Claribel Gerhart, Lancaster, Pa.; Mary Wyatt, Evanston, Ill.

#### ETA—University of Wisconsin

Patricia Corcoran, Cicero, Ill.; Martha Easum, Marcelaine Hobson, Madison, Wis.; Ann Gleiss, Sparta, Wis.; Bonnie Gonterman, De Kalb, Ill.; Stella Jackson, Chicago, Ill.; Jean Stavrum, La Crosse, Wis.

#### CHI—University of Minnesota

Margery Evert, Sally Nesbit, Marilyn Stoven, St. Paul, Minn.; Mary Spencer, Duluth, Minn.

#### UPSILON—Northwestern University

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#### BETA LAMBDA—University of Illinois

Rosemary Grundin, Oak Park, Ill.; Shirleen Kallembach, Sycamore, Ill.; Patricia Price, Birmingham, Mich.



## Zeta Province

BETA ZETA—*University of Iowa*  
Marjorie Jacobson, Storey City, Iowa.

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Mary Lou Shewey, Blue Springs, Mo.

SIGMA—*University of Nebraska*  
Gertrude Page, Denver, Colo.

GAMMA ALPHA—*Kansas State College*  
Martha-Fearl, June Lowery, Hutchinson, Kan.

GAMMA THETA—*Drake University*

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GAMMA IOTA—*Washington University*

Joyce Bush, St. Louis, Mo.; Marianne Herbert, Anne Thompson, Kirkwood, Mo.; Catherine Israel, Clayton, Mo.; Marjorie Lynes, Cleveland, Ohio.

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BETA MU—*University of Colorado*  
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GAMMA OMICRON—*University of Wyoming*  
Edith Batchelder, Cheyenne, Wyo.; Phyllis Jones, Lander, Wyo.; Eleanor King, Barbara Soward, Laramie, Wyo.; Susan Seidel, Casper, Wyo.

DELTA ETA—*University of Utah*

Arda Anderson, Geraldine Anderson, Marie Barker, Marylyn Barker, Joyce Beck, Susan Brewster, Ann Bybe, Sherli Evans, Jean Flemming, Gloria Gardner, Georgene Harris, Virginia Isakson, Marilyn Larson, Virginia Leary, Jean Lindquist, Janice McCune, Joan Morrison, Kathryn Reynolds, Isabel Richardson, Anne Sessions, Patricia Warsaw, Gloria Watkins, Jean Zumwalt, Salt Lake City, Utah; Marcy Murphy, Denver, Colo.; Charlene Sowars, Ogden, Utah; June Straw, Montpelier, Idaho; Peggy White, Fort Douglas, Utah.

## Theta Province

BETA XI—*University of Texas*  
Mary Banks, San Antonio, Tex.; Martha Beasley, Beeville, Tex.; Margaret Brown, Alpine, Tex.; Helen Rainey, Austin, Tex.; Margaret Wooldridge, Gainesville, Tex.

BETA THETA—*University of Oklahoma*  
Sue Bailey, Shaunee, Okla.; Mary Currie, Oklahoma City, Okla.; Ann Hardy, Henryetta, Okla.

GAMMA NU—*University of Arkansas*

Willene Cotton, Leslie, Ark.; Jo Reed, Springdale, Ark.

GAMMA PHI—*Southern Methodist University*

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## Iota Province

BETA PI—*University of Washington*  
Phyllis Bonnell, Harriet McCord, Joan Semard, Seattle, Wash.

BETA PHI—*Montana State University*  
Tannisee Brown, Marjorie Powell, Missoula, Mont.; Mary Peterson, Conrad, Mont.

GAMMA GAMMA—*Whitman College*  
Katherine White, Coulee Dam, Wash.; Doris Winkelman, Olympia, Wash.

GAMMA MU—*Oregon State College*

Ruth Alcorn, Dorothy Daum, Ruth Hoffman, Wilda Leonard, Rosemarian Rauch, Alice Ronne, Hester Ross, Marjorie Sutherland, Pearl Thorsness, Genevieve Thomsen, Portland, Ore.; Mary Glenn, Jane Keeney, Patricia Strand, Corvallis, Ore.; Patricia Johnson, Oakland, Calif.; Nilmah Magill, Redwood, Calif.; Florence Sims, Freewater, Ore.; Margaret Snyder, Pasadena, Calif.; Rae Wheeler, Milwaukie, Ore.



## Kappa Province

### PI DEUTERON—*University of California*

Kathleen Blumberg, Natalie Dinsmore, Piedmont, Calif.; Barbara Bristow, San Mateo, Calif.; Marion Cheek, Marilyn Hartford, San Francisco, Calif.; Florence Fussell, Elizabeth Johnson, Pasadena, Calif.; Roberta Garretson, South Pasadena, Calif.; Marilyn Hitchcock, Burlingame, Calif.; Helen Kerner, Marian Merritt, Berkeley, Calif.; Margaret Lipman, Oakland, Calif.; Margaret Lorenz, San Marino, Calif.; Suzanne Saxby, Altadena, Calif.; Marilyn Smith, Berkeley, Calif.

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Joan Arnold, Carmel, Calif.; Jacqueline Canfield, Mary Vickery, Berkeley, Calif.; Sue Chute, Pasadena, Calif.; Gloria Fawcett, Oxnard, Calif.; Ruth Gumbrecht, Lola Jungblut, San Francisco, Calif.; Margaret Kehoe, Sacramento, Calif.; Barbara King,

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### GAMMA ZETA—*University of Arizona*

Marianne Dunn, Glenwood, Iowa; Margery Foltz, Tucson, Ariz.; Dorothy Trukey, Fargo, N.D.

### GAMMA XI—*University of California at Los Angeles*

Natalie Coles, Marian Cooper, Susan Pray, Los Angeles, Calif.; Harriett Houston, Ann Shlaudeman, Pasadena, Calif.; Marion Keller, Harriett Miller, San Diego, Calif.; Katherine Manion, Coronado, Calif.; Vera Panovich, San Pedro, Calif.

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Megerle, Cheltenham, Pa.; Jeanne Mackay, Salisbury, Conn.; Clara Moses, Appomattox, Va.; Mary Strong, Minneapolis, Minn.; Betty Taylor, Evansville, Ind.; Eleanor Weber, Evansville, Ind.

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### GAMMA PSI—*University of Maryland*

Grace Mattingly, Washington, D.C.

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### BETA CHI—*University of Kentucky*

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### GAMMA PI—*University of Alabama*

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### DELTA IOTA—*Louisiana State University*

Patty Paterson, New Orleans, La.

### DELTA KAPPA—*University of Miami*

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# MARRIAGES . . .

## Alpha Province

### Phi Chapter

Ensign Rita I. Constant to Ensign John A. Peterson, Jr., U. S. Coast Guard, November 6, 1943.

Barbara E. Shay to Lieutenant (j.g.) Charles H. Costigan, USN. At home: 501 Twin Drive, Spartanburg, South Carolina.

### Beta Tau Chapter

Laura Coit to Kenneth J. Martin,  $\Psi T$ , Syracuse university, December 28, 1943. At home: 502 University avenue, Syracuse 10, New York.

Marjorie Rauh to Lieutenant John Harmon, in December, 1943. At home: 332 Hot Wells boulevard, San Antonio, Texas.

Daisy E. Franklin to Lieutenant Russell H. Webber, Colgate university, January 8, 1944.

### Psi Chapter

Jean Hines to Robert Frick, July 22, 1943.

Margery Millison to Edson Ryder, July 24, 1943.

Jeanne Palmer to George Prentiss, September 20, 1943.

Lucille Jones to Hugh Gray, September 27, 1943.

Barbara Styles to William Hagan, December 10, 1943.

### Beta Psi Chapter

Jacqueline Kay to Pilot Officer Jack Cushing, December 20, 1943. At home: Toronto, Ontario.

Kathleen Harbinson to Pilot Officer Harold Cane, March 18, 1944.

## Beta Province

### Beta Alpha Chapter

Doris E. Sheaffer to Samuel G. M. Maule, March 6, 1943.

Margaret Irwin to Lieutenant John Warren, October 2, 1943.

Harriet Gowdy Wickham to Lieutenant William Deane Gormen, USMC, March 31, 1943.

Dorothy Roberts to Captain Corbit S. Hoffman, Jr., November 27, 1943.

Joanne Oberly to Pfc. Parker D. Hanna, Jr., August 5, 1943.

Jane Bennett to Lieutenant Colonel Norwood Sothoron, October 23, 1943.

Winifred D. Smith to Lieutenant Wheeler, USAAC, June 5, 1943.

Mildred Kunzig to Lieutenant Bruce Wright, USMCR, May 7, 1943.

Nancy Grant to Dr. Malcolm Hayward, USNR, June 12, 1943.

Martha Jane Reeves to Corporal John Spangler, February 5, 1944.

## Gamma Epsilon Chapter

Catherine Black to Lieutenant Paul W. Schaughency, former consul of  $\Sigma X$ , University of Pittsburgh, January 4, 1944. At home: Edgewood, Pennsylvania.

Jeanette Caldwell to Petty Officer James W. Saylor,  $\Delta T \Delta$ , University of Pittsburgh, October 20, 1943.

Jeanette Thompson to Pilot Officer David Trevor Lewis, RCAF, February 4, 1944.

Dorothea Franklin to Paul D. Keefer, ASTP,  $\Psi T$ , December 24, 1943. At home: Chapter B 11, Brenshire Village, Pittsburgh.

Dorothy Risdale to Herbert Allen Lylse, USN. At home: 135 East 70th street, Manhattan, New York.

Ensign Ruth Sample, WAVE, to Lieutenant Harvey Miller, USN, November 8, 1943.

## Delta Alpha Chapter

Margaret Weber to Lieutenant Neil B. Titler, July 10, 1943.

Helen Schmelz to Lieutenant James A. Leyden, B  $\Theta$  II, pilot in the Marine Corps, September 24, 1943.

Elaine Merrill to Ensign Thomas Mitchell,  $\Phi K \Sigma$ , former All-American lacrosse player, September 25, 1943.

Mary Elizabeth Hyland, to Lieutenant John C. Van Arsdale, U. S. Air Corps, October 24, 1943. At home: Silver Lake, Florida.

Jane Ammerman to Lieutenant Arthur Thorman, May 31, 1943.

Ruth Shanes to Ensign Kenneth Cotton, February 5, 1944.

Geraldine Custer to William H. Adamson, Jr., June 12, 1943. At home: 1 Cedar boulevard, Apartment E, Pittsburgh 16, Pennsylvania.

## Gamma Province

### Rho Deuteron Chapter

Jane Murphy to Ensign Richard C. Hum,  $\Sigma \Phi E$ , Ohio Wesleyan, January 6, 1944. Address: 127 Circle road, Syracuse, New York.

Betty Jean Shafer to Ralph Bennett Harlan,  $\Delta T \Delta$ , University of Georgia, June 5, 1943. At home: 5623 Broadway, Indianapolis 5, Indiana.

### Beta Nu Chapter

Helen Jane Heiner to Lieutenant Milo Joseph Warner, Jr.,  $\Delta K E$ , Kenyon college, March 20, 1943. At home: 1900 Scurry street, Big Springs, Texas.

Kathryn Kanengeiser to Captain Theodore E. Burke. At home: Poland Manor, Poland, Ohio.

Jean Taylor to Lieutenant John O. Semmelman,  $\Delta T$ , Ohio State university, December 22, 1943. At home: 3221 Indianola avenue, Columbus, Ohio.



Jane Vivienne Ward to John R. Stevens. At home: 103 South Queen street, Columbia 61, South Carolina.

Pauline Wardlow to Lieutenant Arthur D. Lynn, B Θ II, Ohio State university, December 29, 1943. At home: 1702 Maple street, Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Marguerite Williams to Robert O. Moore. At home: 2334 Dauve circle, Dayton 6, Ohio.

### Gamma Omega Chapter

Margery R. Billow to Robert W. Wheller, Σ A E, Miami, June 15, 1943.

Dorothy Eichelberger to Kenneth Heuck.

Jane M. Jones to Raymond J. Tille.

Dorothy Jane Wilson to Franklin H. Baldwin. Elizabeth Campbell to Scott Campbell, Σ X, Denison, September 18, 1943.

Ellen Debery to Richard Turner in May, 1943.

Barbara Legler to Thomas Landfear, B Θ II, Denison, August 23, 1943.

Catherine Lowry to George N. Bishop, Jr., March 6, 1943.

Constance Meisner to Hugh McColloch, Φ Γ Δ, Denison, September 25, 1943.

Elizabeth Ross to John Nicholson, in September, 1943.

Virginia Young to H. J. Holshuh, February 6, 1943.

### Delta Province

#### Delta Chapter

Harriet Rhettts to Ensign Warren Woolridge, Δ X, Indiana university, in December 1943.

Virginia Lynn to Lieutenant (j.g.) T. A. McSpadden, USN, in December, 1943.

#### Kappa Chapter

Ensign Mary Beatty, USNR, WAVES, to Major James S. Wright, December 27, 1943. The bride is stationed in Washington, and Major Wright has been in England for almost two years.

Marylee Alderdyce to Lieutenant Frank Leimbach, December 15, 1943.

Margaret Moats to A/C Reed Sprague, December 25, 1943.

Florence Moore to Robert Nichols, January 22, 1944.

Anne Hensley to Corporal Ralph Dunning, November 26, 1943.

Shirley O'Dea to Robert Lee, January 7, 1944.

Jeanette Rowe to Rex Fowle McGregor, February 7, 1944.

Mary Lou Rowe to Paul Palmer, December 19, 1943.

Jane Kennedy to Norman Smith, August 9, 1943.

Marion Knapp to Charles Boden, November 13, 1943.

### Xi Chapter

Sophia Bevins to John Herand, January 18, 1944. At home: 2747 Bryn Mawr drive, Toledo, Ohio.

Mary Lou Lutz to Edward Pellowe, Σ A E, February 25, 1944. At home: 454 Allis street, Adrian, Michigan.

### Beta Delta Chapter

Margaret Benz to John James Raymond, June 21, 1943.

Suzanne Brown to Glenn Ireland. At home: 152 Apple street, Benton Harbor, Michigan.

Martha Byrnes to Lieutenant (j.g.) David Albert Cotter, Michigan State college, April 8, 1943. At home: Delta River drive, Lansing, Michigan.

Betty Erdmann to John LeClerc Kohl, July 17, 1943.

Dorothy Gilliam to Lieutenant James Tobin, USMC, Φ Δ Θ, University, of Michigan, December 25, 1942.

Helen Louise Hay to Lieutenant Clyde R. Kivell, Φ Γ Δ. At home: 2911 Pioneer avenue, Cheyenne, Wyoming.

Ann Herzog to Captain John Reddington McNicholas, University of Michigan, June 27, 1943. At home: Fort Lewis, Washington.

Thora Hoyt to Gordon McLarty, April 12, 1942. At home: 49 Rose street, Battle Creek, Michigan.

Katherine Johnston to Lieutenant Allan Campbell Dewey, Z Ψ, University of Michigan, December 5, 1942.

Martha Kinsey to Peter Bache Olmsted, Φ K Ψ, Σ Z, Notre Dame and the University of Michigan, June 16, 1943.

Bettie Lloyd to George Fieldson.

Hettie J. McKay to J. W. Kennicott. At home: 1975 N. W. Everett, Portland, Oregon.

Pauline Mitchell to Robert E. Moore. At home: Beechwood apartments, Marberth, Pennsylvania.

Marilyn Elizabeth Montross to William A. Haines. At home: South Walnut street, Troy, Ohio.

Marilyn Moser to Lieutenant Frederic Rusche, University of Michigan, November 17, 1943. At home: 3721 Chippewa, Detroit, Michigan, c/o Moser.

Roberta Pulfer to Robert Martyn Snow, Δ T Δ, University of Michigan.

Peggy Seabright to Lieutenant Emmett Monroe Whitehead, Δ T Δ, University of Michigan, June 5, 1943. At home: 506 South Forest avenue, Royal Oak, Michigan.

Jo Ann Slick to George E. Foley, Δ T Δ, University of Indiana, April 14, 1943. At home: 244 West 46th avenue, Gary, Indiana, c/o Slick.

Harriet Josephine White to Kenneth Michael. At home: Maumee street, Jonesville, Michigan, c/o C. C. White.

Mary Jane Wilder to Warren Hebard Jessop, Δ Σ Δ, Druids, University of Michigan, June 5, 1943. At home: 1617 Cambridge road, Ann Arbor, Michigan.



Nancy Hunter Wood to James A. Johnson, M.D.,  $\Sigma N$ , Notre Dame and the University of Michigan, in June, 1943.

#### Delta Gamma Chapter

Ardis Marie Price to Lieutenant (j.g.) Vincent Miller, February 12, 1944.

Doris Jean Holser to William Churchill Wetherbee, Jr.,  $B \Theta \Pi$ , University of Michigan, January 2, 1944.

Sara Jean Owens to Dwight Haley Glass, December 21, 1943.

Anna Jean Robertson to Lieutenant (j.g.) Charles Walker Lewis,  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , and  $\Xi \Psi \Phi$ , dental professional fraternity, Northwestern university. At home: 309 East Gilpin avenue, Norfolk 3, Virginia.

### Epsilon Province

#### Alpha Deuteron Chapter

Marilyn Jones to William Robert Fischer, USNR, December 11, 1943.

Janet Forman to Elbert Lee Lindahl, Medical Corps, U. S. Army, December 24, 1943.

#### Epsilon Chapter

Barbara Ann Zick to Ensign John Harper,  $T K E$ .  
Virginia Ann Osterhoudt to Lieutenant James Staker, Illinois State Normal.

#### Upsilon Chapter

Betty Robinson to Richard R. Schwartz, Jr., Amherst, January 28, 1943.

Elizabeth Patton to Lieutenant Henry H. Scudder.

Jean Freeman to Thomas Dacey, in July, 1943.

Elizabeth Quinlan to Lieutenant (j.g.) Edward N. Howard, October 22, 1943.

#### Gamma Sigma Chapter

Joan Plews to Sergeant William King, RCOC, December 23, 1943.

Phyllis Minhinnick to Lieutenant Harry Shepard, RCNVR, February 19, 1944.

Margaret Jackson to Sub-Lieutenant Jack Seed, RCNVR,  $Z \Psi$ , University of Toronto, January 6, 1944.

#### Gamma Tau Chapter

Dolores Raymond to William McEmre,  $\Sigma X$ , University of North Dakota, November 12, 1943.

### Zeta Province

#### Theta Chapter

Virginia Bell to Private Thad Hadden,  $\Pi K A$ , in September, 1943. At home: Conena, California.

Marietta Jonas to Edward Jayne,  $B \Theta \Pi$ , in January, 1943.

Mary Caroline Wilson to Dr. Graham Parker, in June, 1943.

Nancy Lee Aull to Ensign Henry Hansen, in September, 1943. At home: Newport, Rhode Island.

Betty Compton to Lieutenant Hampton Wolfe,  $\Sigma N$ , in June, 1943.

Jean Ronayne to Richard Trelease,  $A T \Omega$ , in July, 1943. At home: Berkeley, California.

Patricia Sullivan to William McFadden,  $B \Theta \Pi$ , in September, 1943.

Peggy Poague to Eugene Burns, USN, in August, 1943.

Barbara Tuttle to Ensign Charles Cooney,  $\Sigma A E$ , in September, 1943.

Margaret Lee Beaty to William Schrieber.

Mary Mierhoffer to Captain Robert Teller,  $\Phi \Gamma \Delta$ , in February, 1944.

Blair Mitchell to Private Donald Reed,  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , in January, 1944. At home: 17 Black street, Walterboro, South Carolina.

Harris Ashley to William Bess,  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , in March, 1944.

#### Beta Zeta Chapter

Dorothy Mary Campbell to Ensign Howard Clark, Jr.,  $B \Theta \Pi$ , University of Iowa, July 6, 1943. At home: 114 West Lakeview, Pensacola, Florida.

#### Sigma Chapter

Anamary Lee to Ensign William Kinney Biery, December 20, 1943.

Nancy Ann Scharr to Captain Joseph A. Davis, Northwestern Medical school, in April, 1943.

#### Omega Chapter

Jane Ham to Lieutenant Bob Markey, March 4, 1944. At home: Garden City, Kansas.

Irma Lee Hasty to Ensign Jack Kilmartin,  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , Washburn college, January 29, 1944. At home: Boston, Massachusetts.

Eva Magill to Kenneth Nicholi,  $\Delta T \Delta$ , Kansas university, December 17, 1943. At home: Kansas City, Missouri.

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

#### Gamma Alpha Chapter

Geraldine Gundy to Lieutenant August Hoyt Brown, August 1, 1943.

Carolyn Cooney to Lieutenant H. Dean Porter,  $B \Theta \Pi$ , Kansas State college, November 6, 1943.

Marianne Studt to Lieutenant Marion Postelwaite, January 25, 1944.

Martha Meckel to Lieutenant Robert H. Dorman, February 5, 1944.

Betty Jeanne Sharp to Lieutenant (j.g.) James L. Miller, October 25, 1943.

Clara Jane Billingsley to Corporal Kenneth R. Crabb, October 17, 1943.

Carrie McLain to William E. West,  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , Kansas State college, November 21, 1943.

Margaret Stevick to Lieutenant Gene Walters,  $\Sigma A E$ , Kansas State college, December 24, 1943.



**Gamma Theta Chapter**

Betty Ann Rider to Delbert Van Dorn, Drake, December 24, 1943.

Jeanne Lingenfelter to Lieutenant Phlip W. May, T K E, Drake, February 10, 1944.

**Eta Province****Beta Mu Chapter**

Marian T. Sims to Captain Fletcher L. Baughn, USMM, December 25, 1943.

Susanne Ritter to Russ Efflan, December 21, 1943.

**Gamma Beta Chapter**

Marguerite Boyle to Lieutenant Ross Cliinchy.  
Phyllis Raymond to Lieutenant Eugene Lusk.  
Helen Bliss to Lieutenant Joseph Adams.  
Beth Stone to Lieutenant Arnold Loken.  
Lois Hagland to Cadet Robert Jackson.  
Willa Dee Bell to William E. Cairns.  
Mary Horton to Lieutenant Dale Seymour.  
Elizabeth Blattman to Fred Graves.  
Laura June Blount to Captain Jack Reed.  
Mary Ann Keleher to Lieutenant Jim Rodgers.  
Marion Wilson to Private Tom Cornish.  
Dorothy Tireman to Lieutenant Leonard Capes.  
Parrie Ann Van Hyning to Dr. James S. Shortle,  
Σ X.

Joan Shook to Bob Shirley.

Barbara Young to Dr. Albert G. Simms, Σ X.

**Gamma Omicron Chapter**

Imogene Clapp to Dr. John Zimmerman Bowers, October 21, 1943.

Laura Brown to William Charles Hatfield, August 7, 1943.

Margaret Downing to Lawrence A. Greensides, August 30, 1943.

Elizabeth Erwin to Willard H. Findling, July 11, 1943.

Elizabeth Frazier to Vaughn S. Cossman, May 2, 1943.

Emmy Lou Lonabaugh to Ernest E. Brashier, Jr., 1943.

Barbara Martin to Orrin Earle Burwell, July 16, 1943.

Ruth Clare Menger to Lyman Brooks Yonkee, March 20, 1943.

Dorothy Rae Speas to Captain Harold E. Snider, November, 1943.

Frances Ross to Dr. Joseph Hoadley, September 1, 1943.

**Delta Zeta Chapter**

Mary Ellen Jacobs to Lieutenant William Loder Taylor, Iowa State, October 30, 1943. At home: 1410 Shirley street, Columbia, South Carolina.

Frances Jane Dilts to Aviation Cadet William Raymond Haigler, Φ Γ Δ, Colorado college, February 5, 1944.

Frances Berry Stevenson to Captain Frederick T. Henry, K Σ, University of Colorado, May 29, 1943.

Sarah Otis McIntyre to Sergeant Clayton Robert Pryor, February 5, 1944.

**Delta Eta Chapter**

Marjorie Arnold to Lieutenant Joseph Eugene Tate, Σ N, University of Tennessee, June 5, 1943.

Dorothy Jo Jacobs to Lieutenant W. Blaine Martin, Σ II, University of Utah, June 18, 1943.

Ann Rutledge to Captain Alfred Louis Schanebeck, September 9, 1943.

Ensign Margaret Ann Gloe, WAVE, to Lieutenant William Thomas McHugh, Santa Clara university, in November, 1943.

Pauline Strong to John P. Hunt.

Marjorie Sutherland to Floyd B. Jensen.

Kathryn Watters to William G. Austin.

Caroline Granger to J. E. Hickman.

June Arnold to Freeland T. Boise, Jr.

Jeannette Beers to Clarence Barker.

Marian Cheny to William S. Robertson.

Helen Barbara Clay to Charles A. Hoerner.

Maxine Coombs to Charles R. Clay.

Dorothy Ruth Covey to William J. Larkin.

Florence Fogel to Charles A. Nickerson, Jr.

June Hamilton to J. Frank Silva.

Betty Adele McCall to Frank A. Hosick, Jr.

Marian McKenzie to Robert A. Hunt.

Florence Musser to Kenneth G. Woolley.

Emily Neff to Perre V. Bernard.

Janice Nystrom to Robert B. Brown.

Marguerite Phillips to Thad L. Brown, Jr.

Helen Rogers to Russell B. Cross.

Helen Schubach to Morris E. Lasker.

Sally Jane Silsley to Howard E. Tucker.

Ellen Smith to Charles J. Moody.

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

Anne Boyle to James McNamara, Φ Δ Θ, January 5, 1943.

Louise Cherry to Manning Shannon, B Θ II, January 10, 1943.

Jeann Gantt to Thomas Wolf, December 28, 1943.

Nona Lou Green to Fred Cruseman, K Σ, January 19, 1944.

Dorothea Hasskarl to Victor Niemeyer, A T Ω, January 15, 1943.

Lillion Powell to Daniel Pace, Σ A E, January 30, 1943.

Mildred Meador to Clif Wilson, Φ Δ Θ, June 5, 1943.

Agnes Doran to Dana X. Bible, February 1, 1944.

Mary John Grelling to Ralph Spence, Φ Δ, January 30, 1943.

Francesca Morgan to John MacReynolds Seay, Φ Δ Θ, May 1, 1943.

Frances Ann Parks to James Talbot Rain, Φ Δ Θ, March 20, 1943.

Varner Beall to Lieutenant Frederick Bell, II, Σ A E, May 29, 1943.



Betty Jane Thompson to Harold Kenneth Johnson, in March, 1943.

Bonilee Key to Gavin Raiford Garrett, K E, June 26, 1943.

Nancy Seaberry to Lieutenant Cyrus Frost, Jr., Σ A E, June 15, 1943.

Muriel Jean Kilpatrick to Lieutenant Bradford Oxford, September 4, 1943.

Pearl DuBose to Charles Clark, Δ T, October 6, 1943.

Peggy Gene Kimbrough to Lieutenant Jack F. Helmcamp, October 30, 1943. At home: 4112 Lowndres drive, Columbia, South Carolina.

#### Beta Theta Chapter

Donna Rae Shockley to Doremus Deloyd Legate, November 23, 1943.

Dorothy Bet Ritzhaupt to James Alexander Lilly, February 5, 1944.

Martha Jane Aven to Scott Prestridge, in December, 1943.

Betty Lane Pendleton to Al Trankley.

Eloise Bilby to Kenneth Wilbanks, January 14, 1944.

Lena Caroline Quick to Harold Joseph Weiber, January 10, 1944.

#### Iota Province

##### Beta Phi Chapter

Evelyn Kuehn to PhM 3/c Robert S. Walters, South Dakota State, February 18, 1943. At home: 67 Riverside, Pasco, Washington.

Harriett Grace Krogh to Lieutenant Claude J. Cates, Oklahoma college, April 17, 1943. At home: Route 2, Box 1320, Auburn, Washington.

Louise Sanders to Frederick K. Delano, assistant registrar, Butte School of Mines, Harvard, in May, 1943. At home: Mueller apartments, West Granite street, Butte, Montana.

Gertrude Jacqueth to Robert A. Benham, general supervisor in the Douglas Aircraft company, University of Oregon, July 17, 1943. At home: 1653 East 16th street, apartment 10, Tulsa 5, Oklahoma.

Marjorie Lemire to Lieutenant Bernard J. Jacoby, Montana State, August 8, 1943. At home: Santa Rita hotel, Yuma, Arizona.

Olive Barnett to Robert H. Rice, University of Southern California, December 18, 1943. At home: 4315 Eastern avenue, Seattle, Washington.

Mary Dolores Haas to Dave E. Larsen (United States Army), Σ X, Montana State, January 1, 1944. He is a cadet in the ASTP (Army Specialized Training Program) at Michigan State college, East Lansing, where they will make their temporary home. Address: 19459 Pinehurst, c/o Mrs. Robert Tiernan, Detroit, Michigan.

Geraldine O'Hara to Donald E. R. Macdonald, Φ Δ Φ, University of Maine law school, September 27, 1940. At home: Box 111, Hamilton, Montana.

Margaret Jay Bielenberg to Ensign Michael

Modell, USNR, University of Southern California and Cornell, in October, 1942. At home: 1627 North Normandie, Hollywood 27, California.

Jessie Marie Partridge to Lieutenant William F. Clarke, USNR, March 10, 1943. At home: 1960 Jackson street, Apartment 203, San Francisco, California.

Jean Mary Hample to Lieutenant Joseph Benjamin Woodlief, Σ N, University of Missouri and University of Wisconsin, January 1, 1944. At home: 108 East Markham avenue, Durham, North Carolina.

Marian Cheney to Lieutenant William Robertson, Σ X, Montana State university, February 11, 1944. At home: Fort McClellan, Alabama.

##### Beta Kappa Chapter

Margaret Echternach to Jack Hamilton Lee, Φ Γ Δ, November 18, 1943. At home: 223 Prospect, Lewiston, Idaho.

Ruth Specht to William Spaeth, Δ X, January 30, 1944.

Barbara Gertrude Bailey to Ensign Kenneth White Mason, USN, February 5, 1944.

Beth Curry to Lieutenant (j.g.) Jeffrey Chase, B Θ II, Oregon State college, August 24, 1943.

Ruth Boyer to Gordon F. Streib, November 27, 1943.

Jean Cunningham to Malcolm Krier, Σ A E, University of Oregon, January 20, 1944.

##### Gamma Mu Chapter

Barbara Dorris to Lieutenant Jim Billo, Θ Z.

Lucile Cecil to Douglas Carter, Δ X A.

Jean Davies to Lieutenant Bob Hogenson, Willamette university.

Nannette Clarey to Captain Bill Lowrey, Φ Δ Θ. Leona Leonard to Jack Hungerford, test pilot, College of Puget Sound.

Dorothy Morse to Lieutenant Jake Prince, Σ N.

Mary Kollins to Ensign Steve Reed, Δ T Δ.

Donna Grannis to Lieutenant Warren Fish, Σ A E, Maine university.

Helen Cecil to Private Frank Yoakum, B Θ II. Patte Herron to Lieutenant Labrot Edwards, Σ X.

Carol Schramm to Private Len Moyer, Σ A E.

Heloise Lee to Lieutenant Howard Stewart, A Δ Φ, University of Washington.

Jean Stephens to Lieutenant Wayne Bundy, San Francisco university.

Jean Lefevre to Ensign Jack Hardy, B Θ II.

Carolyn Wollcott to Lieutenant Bob Reichers, B II Θ.

Kay Seberg to Lieutenant Dick Sears, A T Ω, University of Oregon.

Patricia Fleet to Private Vinyl Whitney, B Θ II, University of Washington.

Muriel Forester to Lieutenant Merle Long, A T Ω.

Lloyd Crowe to Lieutenant Tom Gilbert, Σ X.

Jean Gardner to Lieutenant Charles Boyd.



**Kappa Province****Gamma Zeta Chapter**

Joanne Grimm to Lieutenant Prescott H. Haralson, August 1, 1943.

Margaret Hardy to Lieutenant Richard G. Canning, August 19, 1943.

Lucille Nutt to Lieutenant Donald Woodward, in November, 1943.

**Lambda Province****Delta Theta Chapter**

Frances Sudborough to Jack Shockley.

Betty Jo Swinford to Lieutenant Robert Wood, USAAC.

**Beta Upsilon Chapter**

Mary Jane Dobbie to Thomas Marion Berry, February 13, 1943.

Elizabeth Romine to Jack Stanley Francis, February 13, 1943.

Mary Lou Bullard to Captain Wendel S. Moore, B  $\Theta$  II, West Virginia university, March 13, 1943.

Barbara Fromme to Lieutenant Robert S. Henderson, William college, June 26, 1943.

Susan Bachmann to Lieutenant James Donald Ezell, B  $\Theta$  II, West Virginia university, June 29, 1943.

Ann Marshall Fromme to Colonel Kenneth Fisher Henderson, July 24, 1943.

Jane Greer to Lieutenant Richard A. Raese, USNR, August 3, 1943.

Luella Jeanne Spelsberg to Lieutenant (j.g.) Holand Holt, Jr., USNR, Glenville Teachers' college, September 4, 1943.

Nancy May Matthews to Albert D. Webb, commercial chemist, September 5, 1943.

Ruth Ann Feeny to Pfc. Arch H. Bullard, B  $\Theta$  II, West Virginia university and Northwestern university medical school, December 23, 1943. At home: Chicago, Illinois.

Jean McKay to Ensign Milton K. Deuell, USNR,  $\Delta$   $\Upsilon$ , Marietta college, January 14, 1944.

Lois Edna Roth to M. E. Garmhausen. At home: Charleston, West Virginia.

**Gamma Kappa Chapter**

Mary Eloise Schick to Lieutenant Eli Perrin Fay, Jr., December 2, 1943.

Marian Carleen Albright to Lieutenant Jay Banbury Ford, Jr., November 13, 1943.

Ann Washington to Lieutenant James Hanover Beard, December 20, 1943.

Jean Burnside to Lieutenant George W. Eisenbeis, December 1, 1943.

Priscilla Wilson to Sergeant Scott Barrett Lilly, December 18, 1943.

Ruth Ann Runnels to R. H. O'Shea, in August, 1943.

**Gamma Chi Chapter**

Mary Campbell to Captain Samuel King,  $\Sigma$  A E, University of the South, Sewanee, January 27, 1944. At home: Lee Gardens, Arlington, Virginia.

Janet McEwen to Lieutenant John Glynn, May 29, 1943. At home: 270 Broadway, New York City.

Louise Delano to Clarence Howell, K A, University of North Carolina, May 29, 1943. At home: 8716 2nd avenue, Silver Springs, Maryland.

Ann Evans to Lieutenant Ernest Baynard, K A, George Washington university, October 2, 1943.

Sunie Clark to Ensign Daniel Hurlong, June 11, 1943. At home: 1421 St. James street, Louisville, Kentucky.

Elizabeth Royal to Ensign James Birch,  $\Sigma$  X, George Washington university, October 15, 1943.

**Gamma Psi Chapter**

Lydia McMullan Evans to Robert Keller, December 11, 1943.

Ruth Lee Thompson to Lieutenant (j.g.) William Clark, USNR, in January, 1944.

**Delta Beta Chapter**

Jane Olivia Strohm to Lieutenant John W. Patten, USMC,  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$ , Duke university, December 21, 1943.

**Mu Province****Beta Omicron Chapter**

Nancy Jane Dillard to Lieutenant Frank B. Harvey, January 22, 1944. At home: Dallas, Texas.

**Beta Chi Chapter**

Ellen Hamilton Marshall to William Dunlap, K A, December 20, 1943.

Lady Kathleen Allen to James Spencer McKelvey, December 2, 1943.

**Delta Epsilon Chapter**

Patricia Jane Wing to Lieutenant Herbert J. Jenkins, Rollins.

Dorothy Bryn to Lieutenant (j.g.) John McMahon, August 26, 1943.

**Delta Kappa Chapter**

Marie Antoinette Long to Lieutenant Thomas Feeley, January 12, 1944. At home: 2109 Granada boulevard, Coral Gables, Florida.

Jeanne Crowder to Henry L. Shafer, Yeoman, 2/c, USN, February 26, 1944.



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# Births . . .

## Alpha Province

### Phi Chapter

To Dr. and Mrs. Albert Y. Kevorkian (Lovicy Irwin), a son, Albert Y., Jr., January 23, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Tyler Parkhurst (Virginia Burns), a son, Gordon Burns, November 13, 1943.

### Beta Tau Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Bruce Northrup, Jr. (Virginia M. Hamel), a daughter, January 23, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ridings (Jane Winne), a daughter, February 10, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth G. Barron (Jean Munnerley), a son, Ted Alan, October 25, 1943.

To Mrs. Allen G. Dungan (Ruth Evans), a daughter, Allenna Ruth, June 2, 1943. Mr. Dungan died a few weeks before the baby's birth.

### Beta Psi Chapter

To AC2 Eric Westbye, RCAF, and Mrs. Westbye (Jeanne Harvey), a second son, September 28, 1943.

To Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. Murray Scott (Rena Faed), a daughter, March 16, 1943.

To Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. J. S. Ross (Donna MacEachren), a daughter, May 14, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. E. S. Green (Betty Fisher), a son, June 2, 1943.

To Leading Air Craftsman and Mrs. Douglas Brick (Jean Fraser), a daughter, November 11, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Hermant (Madge Shaw), a son, November 16, 1943.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. John A. Deacon (Joyce Hopkins), a daughter, January 10, 1944.

To F/L and Mrs. D. C. Nasmith (Eurith Campbell), a daughter, February 2, 1944.

To Flight Lieutenant and Mrs. Donald Harkness (Kay Clark), a son, Andrew Graham, February 5, 1944.

## Beta Province

### Gamma Rho Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Cedric L. Spence (Suzanne Handenshield), a daughter, Suzanne, December 29, 1943.

### Beta Alpha Chapter

To Lieutenant and Mrs. William Bradford (Barbara Bennett) a daughter, Mary Van Valkenburg, September 7, 1943.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Nelson Clarke (Kay Brossard), a son, John Rodney, in March, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dearnley (Anne McFarland), a son, Charles, III, November 6, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. Charles Taney (Amie Hollingsworth), a daughter, Amie Maria, October 5, 1943.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. John D. Howell (Blanche Dibert Faillor), a daughter, in November, 1943.

### Gamma Epsilon Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Yorty (Betty Seaman), a daughter, Diane, July 13, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Taussig (Esther Conlin), daughter, March 21, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Whitten (Mildred Buckley), a son, in April, 1943.

### Delta Alpha Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Herbert D. McAuliffe (Mary Jennison), a son, Johnny, January 10, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scarborough (Ester Campbell), a son, Charles, November 5, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. A. Addis Ziegler, Jr. (Dorothy Bollinger), a daughter, Susan Elizabeth, April 30, 1943.

## Gamma Province

### Beta Nu Chapter

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Maxwell J. Wihnyk (Dorothy Ellen Perkins), a daughter, Martha Ellen, September 9, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Carlile (Jane Wood), a son, in September, 1942.

To Mr. and Mrs. William O'Brien (Beth Palmer), a son, in January, 1943.

To Ensign and Mrs. Jack Warren Stephenson (Katherine Huntington), a son, in December, 1943.

To Ensign and Mrs. Edward P. Tice, Jr. (Jane Flick), a daughter, in November, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nosker (Jean Love), a son, in March, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Jack Porter (Joanne Pettit), a son, in November, 1943.

## Delta Province

### Delta Chapter

To Private and Mrs. Richard Dilly (Margaret Work), a son, in October, 1943.

To Ensign and Mrs. Dean Call (Susanna Cavit), a daughter, Susanna, February 3, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Knight (Margaret Barclay), a daughter, Judith Ann, November 11, 1943.

### Kappa Chapter

To Captain and Mrs. Maurice Todd Hogan (Anne Wagner), a daughter, Anne Todd, December 12, 1943.

### Xi Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald J. Gassman (Betty DeFoe), a son, James DeFoe, January 18, 1944.



**Beta Delta Chapter**

To Mr. and Mrs. Ray Altenhof (Dorothy Bunce), a son, Charles William, November 8, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boylan (Dorothy Day), a daughter, Constance Herrick, May 6, 1943.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Donald R. Cooper (Margaret Cram), a daughter, Sharon Lee, October 1, 1943.

To Dr. and Mrs. Henry R. Craig (Katherine Brook), a daughter, Christina Brook, August 14, 1943.

To Dr. and Mrs. Russell N. DeJong (Madge Brook), a daughter, Constance Jacqueline, April 14, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Meeske (Barbara Telling), a daughter, Ann Wallace, May 30, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Morgan (Margaret Ferrin), a son, Charles Ferrin, October 9, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. C. Paul Huard (Donna Short), a daughter, Sarah Ann, April 22, 1943.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Clark K. Olson (Celia Pearce), a daughter, Lynn Stevens, March 17, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Neil Staebler (Burnette Bradley), a son, Michael, April 24, 1943.

To Captain and Mrs. Charles N. Hoyt (Virginia Rapp), a daughter, Julia Claire, May 30, 1943.

**Gamma Delta Chapter**

To Mr. and Mrs. D. W. McQueen (Mary Weindland), a daughter, Mary Mavity, July 17, 1943.

To Captain and Mrs. William K. Lancet (Anne Morton), a daughter, Susan Elizabeth, August 14, 1943.

**Delta Gamma Chapter**

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Otto (Helen Storer Beebe), a daughter, Cheryl Rae, June 17, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ellsworth (Mary Lou Hallman), a son, Edward King, March 12, 1943.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Byron L. Duckwall (Georgia Des Jardins), a son, Robert Harris, November 10, 1943.

**Epsilon Province****Alpha Deuteron Chapter**

To Ensign and Mrs. Dan Whitmarsh (Maxine Pearson), a daughter, Pamela Mae, August 4, 1943.

**Epsilon Chapter**

To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones (Mildred Fitzhenry), a son, Paul, III, November 18, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hostetler (Marjorie MacKay), a son, James Peter, December 20, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitney (Helen Barnes), a daughter, Kate, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Meeker (Barbara Marquis), a daughter, Margaret Ann, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Bill Winter (Elizabeth Jones), a son, David Lee, February 4, 1944.

**Eta Chapter**

To Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Bergman (Jean Fisher), a son, William Fisher, August 1, 1943.

**Upsilon Chapter**

To Lieutenant (j.g.) and Mrs. Gerard McKinley (Helen Sullivan), a daughter, Gail, October 25, 1942.

To Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Reinhard (Eileen Russell), an adopted daughter, Anne, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Wood (Adele Baird), a daughter, Barbara Janet.

To Mr. and Mrs. William F. Soule (Kathryn Wasson), a son, Stewart, December 29, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. William E. Racine (Dorothy Reynolds), a son, William E., Jr., January 5, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert McIntosh (Kay Wenter), a son, in January, 1944.

To Dr. and Mrs. Harry Grant (Marietta Cross-thwaite), a son, January 19, 1944.

**Gamma Tau Chapter**

Mr. and Mrs. John Alsop (Louise Lyle), a daughter, Mary Elizabeth, May 6, 1943.

To Captain and Mrs. Gordon Heller (Jane Nichols), a son, Gordon Nichols, in October, 1943.

To Major and Mrs. G. F. Friedericks (Metta Cleveland), a daughter, Cynthia Elizabeth, February 7, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cummings (Betty Lou Pannebaker), a son, Roger John, December 30, 1943.

To Major and Mrs. W. A. Cassidy (Frances Anderson), a daughter, Francis Ann, August 1, 1943.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. George Pardoe (Dorothea Anderson), a daughter, Jane Anderson, September 30, 1943.

**Zeta Province****Beta Zeta Chapter**

To Mr. and Mrs. Tom W. Moore (Frances Westerfield), a son, Douglas Stewart, January 24, 1944.

**Sigma Chapter**

To Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Charbonneau (Marjorie Mullin), a son, James Francis, September 8, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Norman R. Hillyer (Esther Kinnett), a daughter, Carolyn, January 14, 1940.

**Gamma Alpha Chapter**

To Lieutenant (j.g.) and Mrs. Gerald A. Robinson (Mary Lou Robinson), a daughter, Caren Lee, January 18, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Magerkurth (Jean Marie Knott), a son, Thomas Richard, December 6, 1943.

To Captain and Mrs. J. W. Linn (Sally Brown), a son, Peter Christian, September 4, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Grant Trembley (Mary Jane Boyd), a son, Stephen Grant, December 2, 1943.



## Eta Province

## Beta Mu Chapter

To Captain and Mrs. Charles J. Hauser (Barbara Storer), a daughter, Barbara Suzanne, February 1, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Robert M. Korb (Betty Highberger), a son, Robert M., III, February 7, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kearns (Dorothy May Northcut), a son, January 27, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Magregor Folsom (Anne Ferril), a daughter, January 26, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Thomas Wilkerson (Mariellen Winn), a daughter.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. James Hickey (Yvonne Northcutt), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nouse (Betty Lou Austin), twins.

## Gamma Beta Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hayden McRae (Camille Runyan), a son, Stuart Allan, January 29, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Luthy (Cyrene Ferree), a daughter, Cyrene, February 24, 1943.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. William Lee Davis (Alice Shortle), a daughter, Lauretta, February 26, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Neil Foley (Mary Mewborne), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Coors (Rowena Shook), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Cottle (Elizabeth Zimmerman), a daughter, Nancy.

To Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hall (Lucille Huning), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Hinton (Betty Huning), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Love (Robbie Cochran), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Maz Pfeuger (Ruth De Tienne), a son.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Paul Teckett (Dede Brownfield), a daughter, Anne.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Leonard Capes (Dorothy Tireman), a son, Robert.

## Gamma Omicron Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Tachino (Peggy Lee Amberson), a daughter, Julia Louise, January 5, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Christenson (Carol Beck), a daughter, Joanne Lucille, July 29, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lutz (Barbara Cruikshank), a daughter, Barbara Ann, January 6, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Brown (Mary Elizabeth Clapp), a son, Gordon Adams, June 7, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Elmer L. Scott (Margaret Farlien), a son, Richard Farlien, November 21, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kane (Elizabeth Gleason), a son, Robert Vaness, April 27, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Pickens (Eileen Luttrell), a son, Barry Edward, March 1, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Edward Doherty (Betty Negrotto), a daughter, March 7, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Heathman (Mary Ziegler), a daughter, Sharon Ann, September 21, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. William T. Lane (Myrtle Yoder), a son, Terrance, July 1, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Thompson (Irene Churchfield), a son, Robert Martin, November 23, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lyman B. Yonkee (Ruth Clare Menger), a daughter, Margo Ann, December 26, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Howard F. Goldsmith (Gladys Mullens), a son, Robert Lee, November 6, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Martin J. Fennelly, Jr. (Katherine Neufeld), a daughter, Nancy Lynn, February 8, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Keeline (Sally Rouse), a daughter, Sally Jo, January 25, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Loran S. Loomis (Ellen West), a son, Michael Loran, September 16, 1943.

## Delta Zeta Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. J. Donald Haney (Gratia Belle Blackman), a daughter, Gratia Lee, July 7, 1943.

To Ensign and Mrs. Gordon G. Gallup (Helen Brobeck), a daughter, Gerrie, July 22, 1943.

To Lieutenant (j.g.) and Mrs. George Louis Bitting, Jr. (Luzilla Eubank), a daughter, Leila Ann, September 23, 1943.

To Captain and Mrs. H. C. Fleming, Jr. (Margery Bell), a daughter, Margery Nixon, November 2, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. James Haney (Jule Hutchinson), James Hutchinson, January 24, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Nichols, Jr. (Ann Stephan), a daughter, Sandra Ann, December 24, 1943.

To Dr. and Mrs. John W. Gardner (Helen George), a daughter, Susan Louise, January 7, 1944.

## Delta Eta Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Flandro (Grace Smith), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Morris Lasker (Helen Schuchbach), a son.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Grant Christensen (Marjorie Ryberg), a daughter, Karin, February 5, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Max Cawly (Virginia Dee Covey), a daughter, Caroline Dee, February 5, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thomas (Barbara Armstrong), a daughter, July 4, 1943.

## Theta Province

## Beta Xi Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McAlister (Margaret Bone), twin daughters, Sally and Keron, October 3, 1943.



To Major and Mrs. Richard N. Conolly (Virginia Rainey), a daughter, Dana Wingfield, January 28, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Bronson (Betty Boswell), a daughter, Frances Howard, July 29, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Harvey Herd (Harriet Daniel), a son, Harvey Lewis.

To Captain and Mrs. Teague (Catherine Caldwell), a daughter, Catherine, February 21, 1943.

To Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. Edward J. York (Mary Elizabeth Harper), a daughter, Tekla Ann.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Harold K. Johnson (Betty Jane Thompson), a daughter, Georgeann, December 7, 1943.

#### Beta Theta Chapter

To Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. Mont Hubbard (Josephine Hindman), a son, Mont, Jr., June 12, 1943.

To Major and Mrs. Oral L. Luper (Muriel Leverett), a daughter, Barbara Jo, May 12, 1943.

#### Gamma Nu Chapter

To Ensign and Mrs. Andrew Hodnett Layman (Bobbie Ellen Alfrey), a daughter, Linda Louise, January 4, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. L. Gale Huggins (Geneva Anderson), a daughter, Virginia Ellington, November 29, 1943.

### Iota Province

#### Beta Pi Chapter

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Harrison V. Hart (Jackie Becket), a daughter, Linda Lee, in December, 1943.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Graham Tash (Charlotte Hawes), a daughter, Leslie Ann, January 9, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. William Thompson (Patricia Patello), a daughter, Susan, January 9, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Al Thompson (Nancy Lear), a daughter, Catherine Lear, January 15, 1944.

#### Beta Kappa Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Erich Leithe (Goldea Peairs), a son, in December, 1943.

#### Beta Phi Chapter

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Robert W. Rickert (Jean Marie McConochie), a daughter, Gail Diane, May 30, 1943.

To Major and Mrs. John H. Hay, Jr. (Helen Hoerning), a daughter, Susan Elisabeth, June 1, 1943.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Merrill J. Roberts (Janet Hunter Dion), a son, David Dean, August 3, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Wilcox (Effa Tilzey), a daughter, Mary Craig, November 13, 1943.

To Captain and Mrs. Clifford F. Weake (Jaque Parsons), a daughter, Gay, November 20, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Whitfield Scarboro (Anne Eckford), a daughter, Susan Anne, November 10, 1943.

To Dr. and Mrs. Roscoe E. Conklin (Elvera Hawkins), a son, in November, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Dwight N. Mason, Jr. (Agnes Robinson), a daughter, Shirlee Ann, in November, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Blastic (Mary Kohn), a daughter, Mary Martha, January 5, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Philip Stephens (Emily Hawkins), a son, Philip Stewart, January 13, 1944.

To Ensign and Mrs. Randolph Jacobs (Barbara Harris), a son, Arley Randolph, III, February 7, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. John F. O'Neal (Patricia McDonald), a son, Thomas Gerald, April 29, 1943.

#### Beta Omega Chapter

To Lieutenant (j.g) and Mrs. William Spier (Barbara Miller), a daughter, Judith, in November, 1943.

#### Beta Kappa Chapter

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Seth Richards, Jr., USNR (Garnetta Barnhill), a daughter, Margaret Ann, November 20, 1943.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Stanley Anderson (Glenora Fritcher), a second daughter, Sylvia Glenora, December 6, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Birchmier (Harriet Orland), a son, Charles Orland, December 28, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor (Dorothy Jean Perkins), a son, Peter Michael, November 29, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Mackey (Betty Lou Braddock), a daughter, Marcia Braddock, December 24, 1943.

#### Gamma Gamma Chapter

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Donald Berger (Marvel Kelly), a daughter, Janet Lee, November 16, 1943.

### Kappa Province

#### Gamma Zeta Chapter

To Lieutenant and Mrs. William S. Jamieson (Suzanne Schock), a son, William S., Jr., November 21, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Nolan (Lyn Morris), a son, John, Jr., in October, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. David M. Lovitt (Cornelia Seaney), a son, in December, 1943.

### Lambda Province

#### Gamma Chi Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. William C. Boese (Elizabeth Barnard), a daughter, Barbara Ann, December 12, 1943.

#### Gamma Psi Chapter

To Captain and Mrs. Elton Young (Thelma Clayton), a daughter, Tony, in September, 1943.



To Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Smith, Jr. (Mildred Chapin), a son, Barry Chapin, October 28, 1943.

To Lieutenant Commander and Mrs. Richard L. Poor (Betty Lou Snavely), a son, Earl Snavely, November 11, 1943.

To Lieutenant (j.g.) and Mrs. James Danforth Kemper (Dorothy Wailes), a son, James, Jr., November 20, 1943.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. David Barlow (Jerry Schuh), a son, Joseph, January 15, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. James Bruen (Alice Orton), a daughter, Helen Elizabeth, October 28, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. James McGrath (Merza Tuttle), a daughter.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. John N. Alexander (Nora Huber), a daughter, Nora Mayer, in November, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Willis Frazier (Mary Ricketts), a son.

To Captain and Mrs. N. M. Scarborough, Jr. (Alden Tucker), a daughter, Leslie Alden, November 26, 1943.

#### Delta Beta Chapter

To Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Hazelrigg (Joan Reycraft), a daughter, in December, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Gault (Dorothy Saville), a daughter, Anne Shalfonte, January 29, 1944.

To Lieutenant (j.g.) Henry H. Russell and Mrs. Russell (Betty McFadyen), a second son, Aubrey McFadyen, November 26, 1943.

#### Delta Theta Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hathaway Graeff (Elizabeth Waters), a son, Allan Hathaway, Jr., July 28, 1943. The baby is the great-grandson of Eva M. Smith Hathaway (Mrs. Benjamin A.), B B-St. Lawrence.

#### Mu Province

##### Beta Chi Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Langford (Anne Phelps), a daughter, Mary Jackson, January 11, 1943.

To Ensign and Mrs. William Jennings (Beverly Smith), a son, in October, 1943.

To Captain and Mrs. Bruce McDermott (Mary Morehead), a daughter, Mary Caroline, August 1, 1943.

##### Delta Epsilon Chapter

To Captain and Mrs. Donald Rickett (Autrey Thompson), a son, February 24, 1944.

##### Delta Iota Chapter

To Captain and Mrs. David Hartman (Eugenia Churchill), a son, David, Jr., in February, 1944.

To Captain and Mrs. R. D. Percy (Elizabeth Hewes), a son, Kent Herford, September 17, 1943.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Robert Camors (Lorraine Borgeoise), a daughter, Angele, in January, 1944.

## IN MEMORIAM . . .

INEZ HELEN LORD SATTERTHWAITE (Mrs. George), X-Minnesota and B I-Swarthmore, February 15, 1944, at Jenkintown, Pennsylvania.

CLAUDIA McMURRAN DEVOE (Mrs. Charles H.), Δ-Indiana, February 10, 1944, at Indianapolis, Indiana.

MARIETTA NIXON COVAL TAYLOR (Mrs. W. Mitchell), Δ-Indiana, February 3, 1944, at Crawfordsville, Indiana.

VIRGINIA ZIMMERMAN CLAYBOURNE (Mrs. Norman), Γ M-Oregon State, in February, 1944, at Portland, Oregon.

PATRICIA STEVENSON KIRKPATRICK (Mrs. Ernest L.), B N-Ohio State, January 27, 1944, at Lawton, Oklahoma.

INEZ A. JONES, B B-St. Lawrence, in January, 1944, at Canton, New York.

MARY ANN DAWSON BARR (Mrs. Guy R.), T-Northwestern, suddenly, January 19, 1944, near Lebanon, Indiana. Mrs. Barr and her husband, manager of the Abe Martin lodge in Brown county, Indiana, state park, were killed en route from Indianapolis to their home in Richmond when their automobile struck a parked trailer truck. Surviving is a Kappa daughter, Carol Barr Ensign (Mrs. Frederick), T.

GERTRUDE M. SEAGER FEE (Mrs. Ira B.),

T-Northwestern, January 3, 1944, at Missoula, Montana. President of the Missoula alumnae association, Mrs. Fee is survived by her husband, a son and a daughter, Marjorie Fee Sayatovic (Mrs. Michael C.), B Φ-Montana.

SABINA SWOPE PIPER (Mrs. R. D.), O-Simpson (inactive), January 1, 1944, at Brooklyn, New York.

FAYE COCHRANE, M-Butler, December 31, 1943, at Indianapolis, Indiana. She is survived by a sister, Irma Cochrane Wood (Mrs. Ashton C.), M.

VEDA SCHAFFER STEPHENS (Mrs. William Logan), B Z-Iowa, December 31, 1943, at Long Beach, California. Devoted to the fraternity, Mrs. Stephens was first president of the Long Beach Panhellenic, which she was instrumental in organizing. She was actively interested in the Red Cross, the Long Beach day nursery, and had been a director of the Long Beach community chest. Her late husband was for 20 years superintendent of the Long Beach schools. Mrs. Stephens is survived by three Kappa daughters: Mary Dorothy Stephens Martin and Irma Stephens Hansen, Σ-Nebraska; Lee Stephens Loose, Γ Z-Arizona; and a granddaughter, Patricia Lee Martin, A<sup>2</sup>-Monmouth. A fourth Kappa daughter, Beatrice Stephens, Γ Z-Arizona, died in 1939.



MABEL GILLESPIE EVANS (Mrs. Charles N.), B I-Swarthmore, December 19, 1943, at North Hollywood, California.

IDA FARIS FOSTER (Mrs. Frank B.), Δ-Indiana, December 14, 1943, at San Diego, California.

ADA FRANCES PHILLIPS OSBORNE (Mrs. Hugh P.) Ψ-Cornell, December 2, 1943.

DOROTHY DIXON ALLEN (Mrs. William W.), B Φ-Montana, November 28, 1943, at Seattle, Washington. She is survived by her mother, her husband, two daughters and five sisters, of whom four are Kappas: Betty Dixon Stearns (Mrs. Marshall), Florence Dixon Leach (Mrs. Charles N.), Mary Jo Dixon Hills (Mrs. Ralph G.) and Virginia Dixon Dean (Mrs. Alexander), all of B Φ.

MARY POWELL STILES (Mrs. Le Moyne), Γ B-New Mexico, November 2, 1943, at Albuquerque, New Mexico.

LUCILLE ELIZABETH METZGER TAYLOR (Mrs. Roy Lee), B M-Colorado, in the fall of 1943, at Denver, Colorado.

GEORGIA CRITCHFIELD BARNETT (Mrs. Elton J.) P-Ohio Wesleyan, in the fall of 1943, at Lake Worth, Florida.

GRACE JONES McMULLEN (Mrs. James, Jr.), E-Illinois Wesleyan, in the fall of 1943.

GRACE HARRIETTE POTTER, B T-Syracuse, July 30, 1943, at New York city.

LILLIAN CLAIRE DUNHAM COHQUET (Mrs. Harry G.), B B-St. Lawrence, in 1943.

HARRIET ANNA BOWMAN HOFFMAN (Mrs. Horace Addison), Δ-Indiana, September 12, 1942.

MARGARET FRANCES IRWIN DUGAN (Mrs. Thomas V.), Γ P-Allegheny, February 25, 1942.

MABEL GOODWIN KOONS, Δ-Akron, December 8, 1943, at New York city.

ALICE McDANIEL ALEXANDER (Mrs. John), P-Ohio Wesleyan, November 24, 1943, at Eaton, Ohio.

GRACE CRIPPEN BARNES (Mrs. J. M.), T-Northwestern, November 11, 1943, at Evanston, Illinois.

MINNIE MONTROSE BEEM ZARING (Mrs. Robert), I-DePauw, October 10, 1943, at Winnetka, Illinois.

HELEN IDA CHANEY, Γ P-Allegheny, September 6, 1943, at Great Neck, Long Island, New York.

AURELIA BLAIR WIRICK LAWRENCE (Mrs. John H.), Δ-Akron, in August, 1943, at Sioux City, Iowa.

IDA HILL KIDDER (Mrs. Arthur Dale), B A-Pennsylvania, July 12, 1943, at Chevy Chase, Maryland.

ELIZABETH BELLE PRESTLEY FIFE (Mrs. S. John), B Γ-Wooster (inactive), February 18, 1942, at Bridgeville, Pennsylvania.



### Visitors Measure by Yardstick

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may fulfill their obligation to their university are 1) by entering whole-heartedly into this business of getting an education, and 2) by being conscientious contributors to those school programs known as extracurricular activities. These serve not only to enrich a college experience but to act as a training ground for participation as wide-awake citizens in town, city and nation.

A complete chapter has, in addition, an understanding of the part it plays in the fraternity as a whole. It has a pride in the fraternity, what it has been and what it must become because they are a part of it. It has also an appreciation of the general fraternity and a confidence in its strength. A study of the history of fraternity traditions, its policies, its participation in contemporary affairs, gives to the chapter its pride and confidence.

This is a scale by which we feel a chapter might measure its true worth.

### Wins Webber Fellowship

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Navy men to spend their time after their husbands have left. I'm learning something practical which I feel will enable me to face the uncertain future confidently. I don't mean to imply that Webber is the only college where this can be done, for there are others; but I do think going back to college to get those practical subjects many of us missed is a good thing."

Three \$600 fellowships are offered to Kappas by Webber college each year. Application blanks may be secured by writing to the Dean, Webber college, Babson Park, Florida.

Webber is a two-year college for women, founded by Mrs. Roger W. Babson. Majors may be taken in merchandising, accounting, business administration and finance, secretarial subjects and physical education. College graduates may take a degree of bachelor of business science in a one-year graduate course.



# CHAPTER AND ALUMNAE NEWS

## Alpha Province

**Beta Beta Deuteron—Chartered 1881, R. 1915**

St. Lawrence University, Canton, New York

With the Navy V-12 and V-5 units on St. Lawrence campus, Beta Beta's calendar was thrown off kilter. Since several Kappas didn't return for a short semester tucked in from September through October, rushing had to be delayed. Open houses and a formal house-party in October made up the chapter's social life. The alumnae gave us a picnic supper, after which we sat around and sang Kappa songs.

Rushing began November 11 with a sailor party on the good ship S.S. KKG, and ended 10 days later with a formal tea. It was a tremendous success and we pledged nine girls; two weeks later we pledged four more.

College closed a week early in December because of the flu epidemic, so the annual Christmas party had to be canceled.

To further personal acquaintance with the alumnae, we revived an old Beta Beta tradition, "Buttercup." Sophomores entertained with an original skit and the alumnae provided refreshments.

Winter carnival weekend was February 5-6. The theme was Tyrolian, and the Kappa ice statue was a Swiss chalet, for which we received honorable mention.

Moving Up day weekend was February 12 this year, instead of in May, because so many seniors are graduating with the accelerated program. The traditional breakfast became a luncheon because of morning classes, but Kappa spirit still ran high. At this time, the scholarship key, given to the junior with the highest average for the preceding five semesters, was awarded to Betts Shanesy, our new president. This same day Roberta Carter was tapped Kalon, college honorary society.

### Personals

Roberta Carter was elected president of WSGA and tapped Kalon, honorary society. She is also editor of the *Gridiron*, college yearbook; business manager of the *Scarlet Saint*, humor magazine, and office editor of *Hill News*, weekly newspaper publication. She is active in Mummies, dramatic society, and is president of the Broadcasters club.

Jean Hannon has recently been elected president of WAA. She is business manager of *Gridiron*, a member of II K E, literary honorary, and is active in Slu club.

Patty Wright has been chosen treasurer of WAA and is business manager of the *Laurentian*, month-

ly magazine. She is a member of Slu club and is active on all campus publications.

MARGARET SANDERS

**Phi—Chartered 1882**

Boston University, Boston, Massachusetts

Phi chapter has had a busy and profitable year! November 29 the pledges took their mothers to the Alpine club for dinner and an evening of fun.

The actives gave Ida Johnston (Mrs. Warren) a surprise shower December 6.

Our Christmas party was December 13. We exchanged presents and had a general good time.

December 22 June Dement (pledge) made her debut at the Junior League club in Boston. Most of the members of Phi chapter went and had a wonderful evening.

Much to our delight, we were able to initiate all of our pledges, 11 girls in all. We were proud of this record. Fireside was January 28 and initiation was January 29. Edith R. Crabtree (Mrs. E. Granville) gave an interesting talk on Kappa traditions at the initiation banquet. Initiated were Gertrude Bugler, Marcia Cloutier, June Dement, Brenda Ericson, Helen Mamas, Laura Mitchell, Virginia Mitchell, Joan Pasakamis, June Pettingill, Lillian Stark and Elizabeth von Weidelstaedt.

### Personals

Betty Aiken was elected president of the English club at the school of education.

Priscilla Carlson was chairman of the nominating committee of the senior class of the college of liberal arts. She was also elected permanent president of the senior class and senior representative to the *Hub* board.

Janet Christensen was elected permanent secretary of the senior class of the college of liberal arts, and assistant secretary for the semester. She, too, was elected to membership in Scarlet Key, all university honorary;  $\Gamma \Delta$  girl, and chairman of "Frolic," party given by the Women's Athletic association. Janet is practice teaching this semester.

Eileen Leary was elected secretary of the university junior prom committee.

Laura Mitchell was elected treasurer of the freshman class of the college of liberal arts.

Ellen Mathews was co-chairman of refreshments for "Frolic."

Marjorie Osgood was chairman of the fashion show given during health week at the college of liberal arts.

ELLEN MATHEWS



**Boston—Established 1895**

In November we gave a party for the active chapter and their pledges at the apartment of Emma Shipman. Miss Josephine Durrell, a Panhellenic speaker, gave us an interesting talk on finger painting.

We gave our Christmas party at the Panhellenic house. Following supper, prepared by our competent committee, and a short business meeting, Ralph Jackson read her poem, "My Brother is a Soldier."

February 5 we gave our annual benefit for a Chinese child we are supporting, and for the Kappa philanthropies. The Modern School of Fashion and Design put on a fashion show, followed by a bridge party.

We are looking forward to our last two meetings of this season, the annual business meeting when we elect our officers, and the spring luncheon in May which is the big event of the year for us.

*Personals*

Florence B. Colby, who lived in Paris for more than 30 years until 1940, is now working for the French Military commission in Washington, D.C.

Ralph Jackson has just been appointed to the faculty of the Chamberlayne junior college to teach poetry, and she will also give courses in poetry for the Cambridge Center for Adult Education and for her own poetry workshop.

Jean Scales, who took her master's degree in 1942, is now business and industrial secretary for the YWCA in York, Pennsylvania.

**Boston Intercollegiate—Chartered 1924**

The monthly meetings of Boston Intercollegiate alumnae association have been at the Panhellenic

house in Boston. We have met the second Tuesday of each month, and after lunch there have been interesting programs. Katherine Hoyt (Mrs. Harry R.) is our program chairman.

At our November meeting, Ruth Hocker, B PΔ-Cincinnati, who has recently moved to Boston, told us about her work in the personnel department of one of Boston's department stores. Gail Wingard (Mrs. W. F.) T-Northwestern, led us in Christmas carols at our December meeting. In January, Ensign Jane Anthony (Mrs. David J.), who is stationed at Radcliffe, told us about her experiences in the WAVES. Ann Silbaugh, B N-Ohio State, spoke on old and new prints at our last meeting in February.

This year we have found that the number of Kappas in this vicinity who are unable to come to our meetings in the afternoon has been increasing. Under the chairmanship of Lucy Kelly (Mrs. Robert) we have organized a group to meet in the evenings. So far we have had two meetings at the Panhellenic house in Boston.

In spite of the fact that Boston Intercollegiate members are widely scattered about the Boston area and that we are all busy with Red Cross or other war work, we have had interesting meetings and good attendance.

DAISY DAVENPORT TEMBY

**Beta Tau—Chartered 1883**

Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York

At the time of this writing we are in the midst of second semester rushing, having had two informal open houses for incoming freshmen, lots of prospective Kappas, too.

At the beginning of the term recognized post-war plans were inaugurated by Chancellor Tolley,



LOUISE SWANSON, B T-Syracuse, left, junior class secretary, WAA board and defense council member; center, Barbara Dye Jones, B T, defense council chairman, WAA secretary, ROTC sponsor and member of H II T, senior honorary; Priscilla Braun, B T, senior ball queen, head cheerleader and junior beauty at Syracuse.



with the coöperation of our Hendricks chapel. The campus conference commenced with a convocation to explain the various discussion groups which were to follow. These were the contributions of campus racial minorities, personality and character of the individual, the resources of each religion, and expressing idealism by social action, all for the "Betterment of Syracuse." The groups are continuing their discussions over a four-week period, and are organizing their programs to be carried out through the year and become a part of the activities for a better Syracuse. It is hoped that in each year there will be a special time set aside for exchanging and rebuilding ideas.

Syracuse's annual Winter carnival was the weekend of February 4-6. We Beta Taus were proud to receive the cup the second consecutive year for the most participants in the sports events, and also honorable mention for our snow sculpture centering around the theme, "Our Sun Valley." Louise Swanson was awarded a sweater as the best all-around skater.

Spring initiation will be conducted February 26, when nine new initiates will be added to our active chapter: Helen Aiken, Helen Cagwin, Joan Gustafson, Seena Mae Hauerbach, Suzanne Gihams, Charlotte Mitchell, Patricia Prucha, Dorothy Obrecht, Dorothy Vining and Jane Whitney.

ANN CROWTHERS

### Beta Tau Alumnæ—Chartered 1883

The alumnæ association had its first meeting of 1944 at the home of Virginia Ferguson White (Mrs. Newton) for supper. The association voted to donate \$10 for the installation of a dressing table in the WAC lounge of the USO. Since the initial meeting last fall various members of the association have been donating cookies to the USO lounge and Willa Hamilton Williams (Mrs. John A.), chairman of that committee, commended those contributors for their fine coöperation. Following the business meeting, Ramona Bowden reviewed several current plays for the assemblage.

February 19 the alumnæ and the Mothers' club had a joint luncheon at the Tea Kettle with about 50 in attendance. Mrs. Paul Whitney, a member of the Mothers' club, and dean of girls at Eastwood high school, spoke following the luncheon.

Alumnæ have been actively participating in war work this year. War activities chairman, Frances Cross Tucker (Mrs. G. P.), has divided work into several services: Entertainment of service men, Army relief committee, cookies for the USO and hospital work. By notifying the chairman of the respective groups, alumnæ may serve on whichever service they desire. Members of the Army relief committee have provided diapers for needy servicemen's babies, the sewing done at meetings and at



**K P for K K Γ, as B T—Syracuse alumnæ prepare, serve and clean up after breakfast for servicemen, Sunday mornings in the Syracuse YMCA. Facing the camera, from the left, are Margaret McCain, Mary Alice Reed and Betty Plankinton. The girl with her back to the camera is unidentified.**



home. The hospital committee has been providing city hospitals with newspaper containers for used bandages. This work has been done at meetings and at home. Members of our association have also been active in various community projects. Many of the alumnae have been knitting and sewing for the Red Cross, as well as assuming duties as hostesses at the USO lounge and at the USO recreation rooms. Beta Tau alumnae can also be found serving as volunteers on local ration boards and working for the United War fund and Red Cross drives.

Our March meeting was at the home of Millicent Greene Allen (Mrs. E. G.).

ISABEL M. MCCARTHY

### Psi—Chartered 1883

#### Cornell University, Ithaca, New York

The first fall meeting of Psi chapter was October 31. Rushing plans were discussed by our rushing chairman, Virginia Wilson, assisted by Evelyn Knowlton. The alumnae brought supper for the entire chapter. A singing rehearsal was also conducted by our music chairman, Janet Hagan.

Rushing started November 2 and went through November 13, consisting of three periods. Open House from 4 to 6 for two days preceded the first period, when we entertained by dancing and singing. The second period rushing parties had a "Heaven and and Hades" theme. Elizabeth Hamn was our decorating chairman and Jackie Frost directed the entertainment, in keeping with this theme.

The theme of our third period rushing parties was the "Kappa Cabaña." In third period we had a buffet supper and then a variety entertainment. November 15 we pledged 23 girls.

We conducted initiation December 5-6 for Marjehne Andrae, Jean Treeman and Nancy Knapp.

We gave a Christmas party in place of our regular chapter meeting, December 21.

We planned our pledge formal dance a few weeks after Christmas vacation. Every 13 weeks the chapter has an open house for the servicemen at Cornell.

This year we are starting new, rigid pledge-training under the leadership of Jackie Frost, assisted by Ann Ward.

BETTY JANE REYNOLDS

### Beta Psi—Chartered 1911

#### University of Toronto, Toronto

Rushing is again over for another year. It was really a success this year, thanks to the wonderful advice of Alice Anne Roberts, field secretary, and the hard work of Marguerite Clark Davis, pledge and rushing advisor. Beta Psi chapter took in 14 new pledges.

February 15 the actives gave the pledges a dance at the Royal York hotel, as well as a coffee party. The fraternity formal (which is in-

formal this year) will be sometime in March at Marg. White's home.

With much credit due to Elinor Clark, our capable president, and to her unduly willing officers, our past year has been more than a great success.

PEGGY SMITH

### Toronto—Chartered 1926

The Toronto alumnae have been busy since THE KEY last had news from them. The regular monthly meetings have taken the definite form of a speech followed by discussion, and these have all been well attended. After Kay Dignan (Mrs. Alan) brought us up to date in October with her talk "Current Events in Kappa," we launched into a series of post-war period subjects, one for each meeting. The topics for this series have included "The Place of Women in the Postwar world," handled by our own Dr. Marion Hillard; "Nutrition," "The Economic and Political Structure," "The Church," "Education" and "Housing." These have all stimulated a good deal of thought and discussion. Dorothy Taylor (Mrs. Donald), has been appointed to keep us posted on civic affairs, particularly with regard to meetings and speakers on this subject.

The war work project has been carrying on under the direction of Shirley White (Mrs. Norman). The five groups are sewing for the Nora Waln supplies. Another group of 10 alumnae has given every Friday afternoon to the blood donors clinic, as volunteer workers.

The new Kappa house has been the source of much pride and satisfaction. Flora Chaffe (Mrs. R. S.) and her house board have worked long and hard to get the house organized, and their efforts culminated in a gala house-warming, December 19, when all our friends and relatives were welcomed.

A large group of alumnae, under the leadership of Rushing Advisor Marguerite Davis (Mrs. A. E.), took over the kitchen work, and filled in wherever needed during rushing, in January. We were all just as delighted as the actives with the happy results of Beta Psi's rushing.

The alumnae are anxious to get in touch with all Kappas who are in Toronto from other chapters, and a special committee has been formed to extend a warm welcome, with Jean Hayhurst (Mrs. W. P.) as chairman. February 1 a tea was given at the fraternity house, for all out-of-town Kappas.

Toronto alumnae are proud to think of their sisters in uniform, and a small remembrance was sent to each Beta Psi member in active service at Christmas.

New honor has come to our Lieutenant Colonel Agnes Neil, matron-in-chief and senior nurse of the Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps, overseas. She has been awarded the Royal Red Cross (first class). Incidentally, Agnes is the first woman lieutenant colonel in the Canadian Army. Squadron Officer Kathleen Jeffs has received the distinc-



tion of the award, "Order of the British Empire." See the December Key, 1943, for a further account of her interesting accomplishments.

We are glad to have Captain Marguerite Hill posted back to Toronto.

Lieutenant (R.C.) Marjorie Jenkins is having a fine experience working for the Canadian Red Cross. She is in charge of the welfare group in a hospital in the Mediterranean area, and writes "It has been a marvelous experience living with the hospital, and living under canvas. It takes me back to my days at camp . . . needless to say there is a marked difference. Our work is not difficult, but we do summon lots of energy for it. . . . it is genuinely appreciated by the patients . . . please remember me to the Kappas."

There is a great Kappa welcome waiting for all our Beta Psis when they get posted to their home chapter!

ELINOR MEREDITH

### Gamma Lambda—Chartered 1923

#### Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vermont

The Middlebury year has been divided into three 15-week semesters in a corner-cutting war-time program. Vermont in the summer was sampled by all 22 members of Gamma Lambda chapter, who attended school from July through October.

Highlight of October was a bumper Vermont apple crop. Since the farmers were short of help, members of the V-12 unit here and co-eds (Kappas included) turned apple-pickers to help out.

Rushing was not started until the November term, to include both the "July freshmen" and the "November freshmen," and ended December 12. Open houses were followed by several parties, a plantation party in the spirit of the old south being the most elaborate.

Pledging was conducted for four girls between July and November. Edith Avery was initiated July 24.

#### Personals

Doris Orth is president of student union, governing body of undergraduate women. She is also a member of Mortar Board.

Editor of the *Middlebury Campus*, college newspaper, is Ruth Wheaton. Assistant editors are Betty Casey, Barbara Blair and Betty Stringer. Carol Becker is a member of the news staff.

Janet Harris is president of the Women's Athletic association. Heads of individual sports are Barbara Drury, in charge of archery, and Ann Robinson, in charge of basketball.

Betty Aitchison, Barbara Blair, Shirley West and Ann Robinson participated in a modern dance recital.

Shirley West is president of Women's forum, and Sheila Schmidt (pledge) is librarian of the same organization.

Ann Robinson is secretary of the executive board

for Middlebury's projected 1944 culture conference, and a member of the women's assembly.

Ruth Wheaton is recorder for the governing board of the Mountain club.

Barbara Drury is editor of the 1945 *Kaleidoscope*, yearbook, and Betty Aitchison is business manager.

Betty Stringer headed the junior committee planning "Midd Nite," and led entertainment for freshman women put on by the upper classes.

Nancy Read is vice-president of the senior class.

Betty Aitchison and Carol Becker are members of the debating team.

BARBARA BLAIR

### Delta Nu—Chartered 1942

#### Massachusetts State, Amherst, Massachusetts

Delta Nu chapter is looking forward to the inter-sorority sing scheduled for April 14. The two preceding years have been successful, the chapter having won the plaque for those years. This sing will be under the direction of Wilma Winberg.

The Delta Nus are continuing in the war effort. The bond sale booth is still carrying on famously, selling many, many stamps at the weekly convocation. The Red Cross mobile blood bank unit recently visited the campus, many girls giving their blood to aid the wounded soldiers.

The week-end of February 19 a winter carnival ball was given, with Air Corps cadets attending. Saturday morning there was skiing with prizes for the best skiers. In the afternoon skating was enjoyed, the snow sculptures made by the girls were judged; and the day ended with the formal dance.

#### Personals

Wilma Winberg was recently chosen as the new president of Delta Nu, succeeding Lucille Lawrence, who did a fine job in helping Delta Nu to grow in its second year of existence.

Shirley Mason and Miriam Le May were chosen as the new senior members of Isogon, women's honorary society.

Marion Whitcomb and Lucille Lawrence were nominated to *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*.

As a gift to Delta Nu chapter on its birthday, December 12, Alice Ann Longley Roberts (Mrs. Frank) presented a Kappa ring, to be given to the girl who made the greatest improvement in marks from one semester to the next. Last semester Margaret Gore won the ring.

Pauline Willett Bell (Mrs. Alan) wrote an original production "Ophelia Takes the Cup," a comedy descriptive of college life. Delta Nu girls taking part in it were Bettye Huban, Helen Murray,



Wilma Winberg



Mary Quinn, Doris Roberts, Lois Russell (pledge), Martha Treml and Wilma Winberg.

MARGARET GORE

### Delta Delta—Chartered 1930

McGill University, Montreal, Canada

Delta Delta chapter has done a number of things this year which we have never done before. Following the regular meetings we have had several debates and open discussions of items of current interest with special reference to the war situation. We have also had members of the faculty in to speak and answer questions on economic and international problems. Everyone has found these informative and at the same time stimulating to thought on the problems which face us all just now.

A "Poppa Tea" was given in the fraternity apartment about a month ago, to which the Montreal girls brought their fathers. This has been an annual event for some years and is always

enjoyed by both fathers and fraternity members.

In an attempt to entertain the women in the services, the alumnae had a Sunday afternoon tea at the fraternity. The service girls seemed to appreciate the change from the usual type of entertainment.

A skiing week-end has been planned for the first of March. We are fortunate here at McGill is being close to ideal skiing country and, all of us being enthusiastic participants, it affords an excellent opportunity to do something as a group.

We shall no doubt finish the year with plans for next year's rushing and other activities.

Two of last year's graduating class went off to South America to join their families, Penelope Chipman to Chile and Jean Mitchell to the Argentine. From all reports both of them are having a good time, and at the same time doing interesting work.

Our rushing season was most successful. October 29 we pledged 12 new members.

ELIZABETH DRAYTON

## Beta Province

### Gamma Rho—Chartered 1888

Allegheny College, Meadville, Pennsylvania

January 30 two sophomore pledges, Frances Ellen Wiggins and Elizabeth Brown, became wearers of the key. Ellen's mother, Mrs. Frances Thompson Wiggins, B E-Texas, came for the ceremony.

Gamma Rho has been joining with the five other sororities here in many inter-fraternity socials. There was last fall a successful inter-fraternity dance, a bridge and a radio party. Just before Christmas vacation Gamma Rho entertained all upperclassmen at her annual Christmas party.

#### Personals

Four seniors, Joan Bliss, Caroline Emerson, Charlotte Snell and Nancy Sutton, have been chosen for *Who's Who in American Colleges*.

At the initiation of the new chapter at Carnegie Institute of Technology were four Gamma Rhos. President June McGary helped in the ceremony.

RUTH SCHREIBER

It has long been a tradition of Gamma Rho chapter for the pledges to write a song of their own. Last year Helen Chaney and Sally Anne Whitney wrote "Here's to Kappa Kappa Gamma," and their pledge class adopted it. It has since become our chapter's favorite.

However this year it has taken on a new meaning for us. It is no longer the "pledge song" or "Here's to . . ." Now it has become "Chaney's song," and much as we love it, it has become a

hard song to sing. It is no longer solely a song of joy and happiness, but, rather a song of undefinable pride and affection. Helen Chaney was killed last fall, in the wreck of the Congressional Limited at Philadelphia.

There is little more than can be said to others, though bound by the key, who have not known her as we. But we give you her song, "Chaney's song," as a tribute to our friend, and as a truly great fraternity song.

NANCY LEA SUTTON

### Beta Alpha—Chartered 1890

University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Even before the fall term began here at Pennsylvania, three of our chapter members were active in the field of dramatics. They are Deborah Hopper, Elizabeth Park and Fredricka Plummer, all of whom appeared in stage productions in Philadelphia. Their dramatic activities were continued in the Pennsylvania Players' production of "The Warrior's Husband," January 14-15. Other Kappas having roles in the play were Anne Spiers, Joyce Conover, Katherine Santa-Maria (pledge) and Esther Dodge (pledge).

We were happy to have as a guest speaker at one of our fall rushing parties, Lieutenant Patricia Berg, USMCWR, X-Minnesota, who was stationed in Philadelphia. Her short talk was delightful and her visit was enjoyed by the chapter and rushees alike. Rushing terminated with the formal pledging, December 15, of 20 girls.

Initiation was conducted for Anne Spiers and





*Beta Alpha helps the Red Cross.*

Elizabeth Hough the weekend of November 19, 1943.

As Beta Alpha's contribution to the war effort, the chapter devotes one evening every other week to assisting the faculty members of the American Red Cross in their work. On the lighter side, the fraternity has had open house several Sunday afternoons for the V-5s and the ASTP on campus.

#### *Personals*

Helen Louise Evans was elected to Phi Beta Kappa.

ADELE R. POTTEIGER

#### **Beta Iota Alumnae—Established 1898**

December 11 the Beta Iotas gathered together for tea and to wish one another a "Merry Christmas and Happy New Year." The tea was at Lodge #5 of Swarthmore college, with many members present. Florence Broomall, in charge of the tea, served cakes, cookies and tea.

Our sewing chairman, Emma Jane Shoemaker, was delighted to report that \$29.50 had been given as Christmas gifts to the sewing group. However, due to gas shortages and the busy programs in volunteer service of many of our members, the sewing groups have been smaller than usual this year. We have been delighted to welcome two new members to the group, Frances Stevens Blackmore,  $\Gamma$  E-Pittsburgh, and Betty Quarrie Pigott,  $\Gamma$  E.

The next large meeting of Beta Iotas will be a covered dish luncheon in May to take the place of the annual spring luncheon. Emma Jane Shoemaker will be in charge of the food.

With so many men in service we find many Beta Iotas traveling around the country. Phoebe Lukens Miller has gone to California with her husband to visit their son, Lieutenant John Miller, Elenita Allis Jackson is sojourning in Orlando, Florida, after visiting her daughter, Helen, who was recently married to Paul Hadley. Dorothy Haines Stevenson has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Haines, in Swarthmore. Her husband, Major Stevenson, has just returned from the Aleutians. Hallie Hulburt Douglas, our able president, has one son, Lieutenant Colonel Robert H. Douglas, stationed at Camp Maxey, Texas. The youngest son, A/c Gordon W. Douglas, has been sent to Maxwell Field, Alabama, for pre-flight training. Lieutenant (j.g.) Samuel L. Cresson, son of Mrs. J. Warder Cresson, is now doing work with the United States Naval Reserve medical corps at sea. Lieutenant Cresson's wife, the former Elizabeth F. Kay, was a Kappa at Wisconsin.

Beta Iota alumnae will be interested to hear of the two latest arrivals. Emma Jane Shoemaker has a grandson, David Walter Flaccus, born November 7, 1943, at Bryn Mawr hospital. Florence Sellers Baker (Mrs. George Houston) has a new son named Alan.

The many friends of Mabel Gillespie Evans, Mrs. Charles N., class of 1899, will be sorry to learn of her death, December 19, 1943, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Leon Benson, 12005 Hesby street, North Hollywood, California. Her sister, Mrs. Guy T. Viskniski, the former Virginia Gillespie, was in the class of 1898. Her two nieces, Elizabeth and Janet Viskniski, are both Kappas from Beta Iota. Mrs. Evans is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Benson, and three sons all of whom are in the service: Lieutenant Charles N. Evans in the Army Intelligence in England, Gillespie S. Evans in the OWI in Baghdad and Thomas S. Evans in the Army Air corps in Hawaii.

JULIE SKOGLUND

#### **Beta Sigma—Chartered 1905**

Adelphi College, Garden City, New York

Beta Sigmas have been busy as usual in many activities, both on and off campus. A new chapter rule requires both actives and pledges to give some time to service each month at the Kappa Servicewomen's Center, sponsored by the Metropolitan alumnae association, at the Biltmore hotel. The chapter is glad of this opportunity to do such important "morale-work"; and everyone enjoys seeing familiar alumnae faces and many new faces in the delightful atmosphere of the Center.

The annual chapter Christmas party was at the home of Nancy Wheaton. Piano selections were played by Barrie Wildner and Nancy Wheaton; Marie Rasmuson sang several Christmas favorites. The whole chapter sang carols and Kappa songs; and Joan Wigton played Santa, distributing grab gifts.



Beta Sigmas also enjoyed a theatre party during Christmas vacation. After dinner in New York, they went to see the popular Broadway hit, "Angel Street."

Ruth Buck, Joan Wigton, Gloria Duryea, Colleen Doyle (pledge), Margerie Montee (pledge), Mildred Wiaceck (pledge), Virginia Drew (pledge) and Ruth Jordan (pledge) are on the chapter basketball team.

Marion Nowka has begun work on the first issue of an alumnae newsletter. Betty Hart will assist her as business manager.

The annual scholarship dinner was February 15 at the college. Mrs. J. F. McNaboe, of the New York alumnae association, Mrs. F. Meeker and several chapter alumnae were present. The Wagner cup was presented to Marie Rasmuson.

Pledges were initiated March 5-6. Plans were made for an alumnae bridge-tea at the college February 26.

### Personals

Ruth Applegit is devoting a great deal of her time to the Nurses' Aides.

Edith Retz was one of the Beta Sigmas in the news-spotlight last summer. Several pictures of her in the nursing corps accompanied a feature article in *Mademoiselle*.



Barrie Wildner

Mildred Wiaceck (pledge) was recently the subject of feature articles in several local newspapers. Mildred, a former "Roxyette" dancer and captain of a group of Gae Foster skating girls, played in the picture "Pin-Up Girl." She is known at Adelphi as the girl who turned down a Hollywood film offer and a chance at stardom in order to serve her country in the nursing corps.

The chapter watches eagerly for news of its alumnae in service. Lieutenant Marianne Cabell has written from North Africa, where she is stationed. Mary Donegan is now a second lieutenant in the Marine Corps.

Barrie Wildner has been named in *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*.

BARBARA PHELPS CISIN

### Westchester County, New York—Chartered 1934

More than \$76 was raised for the Service Women's Center maintained in New York city by Kappas of the Metropolitan area at a luncheon meeting of the Westchester county alumnae association at the Scarsdale Golf club, January 12. This sum was realized through an auction of costume jewelry donated by the members, with Carroll Dyrenforth Lowitz (Mrs. J. J.), T-Northwestern,

as auctioneer. Guests of honor and speakers were three service women who are frequent visitors at the center in New York: Ensign Lucy Boyd, in charge of the WAVE recruiting party in Westchester and Putnam counties; Edda Roseberry, specialist recruiter, third class, and a Kappa, Lieutenant (j.g.) Harriet French, SPARS, who is stationed at the Anchorage office in New York city.

The "imaginary bridge" is scheduled for March.

Much regret is felt at the removal from Bronxville, where she has lived for many years, of May Whiting Westermann (Mrs. Theodore), widely known because of her service two different terms as president of the fraternity.

MARGARET CRAHAN JONES

### Gamma Epsilon—Chartered 1919

University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

We of Gamma Epsilon have enjoyed getting well acquainted with our sisters-to-be at Carnegie Tech, and will be proud to welcome them as Kappas. All through January we have been practicing songs for their installation and are excitedly awaiting the crammed-full week of February 15. We are eagerly looking forward to meeting and entertaining council and our Kappa guests from all over the country.

We have also been working hard on our plans for rushing, and almost every afternoon the Kappa house is buzzing. Lois Fair and her committee asked who could bring blackboards to change the living into a schoolroom for our Kappa kindergarten party, at which all the actives dress as little girls. President Annette Smith and her Friday night committee were busy rounding up Kappa talent for the floor show in our night club party, for which the chapter house became "Klub Kappa" for a night. The Saturday night committee, headed by June Thomson, tried to decide what songs would be most effective in closing our grand finale party, after Dorothea Keefer (Mrs. Paul) has given our impressive "Last night I dreamed I was a Kappa" skit. All of the girls are pitching in to make this February 24-26 a big rushing season for Gamma Epsilon.

### Personals

Gini Volkay has been busy all semester as co-chairman of Pitt's war council.

Peggy Fixel has been named chairman of the university's annual Scholars' day assembly.

June Thomson, recently elected president of Xylon, journalism honorary, has been made assistant editor of the *Owl*, Pitt yearbook. She is a copy editor of the *Pitt News*.

Louise Caldwell has been tapped to Δ Δ Δ, commercial



June Thomson



education honorary. Janet Elliott and Louise Frobauck are also members.

Lorna Hazleton had charge of the interfraternity singing in Panhellenic's rushing education program for freshmen.

BETTY ANN CREDE

### Pittsburgh—Established 1919

The third week of February was an important one in the history of Pittsburgh Kappas. Kappa Phi Delta of Carnegie Institute of Technology was granted a charter of Kappa Kappa Gamma in November, 1943. This group, from the Margaret Morrison college for women, a school within Carnegie Tech, merged with Beta Pi of Tech's art school and was installed as Delta Xi chapter, February 17, 1944.

Initiation of actives of Kappa Phi Delta and Beta Pi was February 18, and initiation of alumnae of both groups was February 19. The week's activities came to a close February 19, with a formal banquet in the gold room of the Hotel Schenley, with 300 Kappas and guests present. The banquet, which closely resembled the closing banquets of our fraternity conventions, also celebrated the silver anniversary of Gamma Epsilon chapter.

Not too much credit for the success of all the activities can be given to Helena Flinn Ege (Mrs. Edward F.),  $\Gamma$  E, and Nancy Myler,  $\Gamma$  E, for the many hours they spent in arranging details, and also to Mary Jane Lightcap (Mrs. Robert J.),  $\Gamma$  E, for her management of the banquet.

Out-of-town Gamma Epsilons present were Mary Merritt, Youngstown, Ohio; Elizabeth Briant Lee (Mrs. Alfred N.), Detroit, Michigan; Illula Morrison Hansen, Cleveland; Kathryn Danster Fuerle (Mrs. Rudolph), Camp Shenango, Sharpsville, Pennsylvania.

Practically every province was represented at the banquet. We know each one would have been represented were it not for travel difficulties.

Delta Xi chapter gave a reception Sunday, February 20, in the foyer of the Fine Arts building of Carnegie Institute of Technology.

### Personals

Suzanne Crawford, Marine corporal, daughter of Mrs. A. B. Crawford (Ruth Brown,  $\Gamma$  E) is receptionist for Assistant Secretary of the Navy Ralph Bard. Mrs. Crawford, a charter member of Gamma Epsilon, stood for her daughter, Ruth, when she was initiated into Delta Xi chapter.

Mary Campbell Briant has received word that her husband, Lieutenant Colonel W. W. Briant, Jr., Medical Corps, has arrived in the Southwest Pacific. He has been in the service since July, 1942.

Mary Christie Koerner (Mrs. Thomas), I-De-Pauw, with her husband and daughter, Ann, returned to the United States from Shanghai on the *Gripsholm*. At our January meeting, she re-

lated her experiences from the time war was declared in 1941 until she reached New York.

The following Kappas whose husbands are overseas are back in Pittsburgh: Jean McIlroy Dawson, Thelma Bock Brown, Betty Canon Mason, Mary Lee Bock Orrell, Jane Davies Shafer and Ruth Johnston Klein.

ROBERTA P. TEDERSTROM

### Delta Alpha—Chartered 1930

#### Pennsylvania State College, State College, Pennsylvania

Delta Alpha spent a busy week in January rushing. We climaxed this with a "Kappa Cabaret" in a "Heaven-to-Hell" setting. Our "stars" presented song and dance acts, and the rest of the evening we sang our favorite Kappa songs. January 16 we concluded a successful rush week by placing pledge pins on 15 new girls.

Coeds at Penn State devote each Wednesday night to the war effort. Although rolling surgical dressings is not a hard task, it is a highly important one and one in which we can be proud to take part. Placed on a competitive basis between sororities, the attendance is greatly increased. As an added incentive, those girls who put in 15 hours of work receive a uniform. As yet, there have been no data given out as to which sorority is at the top in attendance.

Open house and parties are continually being given for the servicemen. In December, we had a party for the ensigns who had just arrived.

### Personals

A transfer, Marilyn Cavanaugh,  $\Delta$  A-Miami university, was affiliated by Delta Alpha, November 12, 1943.

Gloria Knepper and Marjorie Siebert were chosen as two of the beauty queens for the 1944 yearbook.



Julia Gilbert, left, chapter president,  $\Delta$  A-Pennsylvania State; Helen Martin,  $\Delta$  A, Panhellenic council president and secretary of Cwens.





*Margaret Campsey, left, Δ A, sophomore class secretary, president of both Pennsylvania and Penn State home economics clubs; Jane Dye, Δ A, 1943 sophomore class secretary, and hall president.*

### State College, Pa.—Chartered 1933

February closed another accelerated Penn State semester, and since the graduating classes at the end of each term are so small, the alumnae entertained the February and June graduates together at dinner at the "Lion" (the Nittany Lion inn), February 3. Again in February the alumnae were active with a farewell party at the home of Sue Kern Musser (Mrs. H. Clay), for Louise Andrews Mayne (Mrs. Donald M.), E-Illinois Wesleyan, our scholarship adviser and a valued member of our association during her brief residence here. Captain Mayne of the Army has been transferred to Baltimore. We were happy to have Margaret Knoll Spangler (Mrs. J. Jackson), Δ A-Pennsylvania State, with us that evening. Captain Spangler is now overseas and Peg has accepted a position in New York city.

Since we've been having "large-doings" in Beta province this February with the installation of the new chapter at Carnegie Tech, two of our alumnae journeyed to Pittsburgh to represent one of the former "baby" chapters at the festivities. Peg Tschan Riley (Mrs. H. Ridgely), Δ A, participated in the initiation ceremonies and Elsie Kohler Moore (Mrs. B. V.), Δ A, attended as a "looker-on."

We are proud of our next pledge group, mentioned elsewhere, and we expect to entertain them at a tea early in March, which is the beginning of the spring semester.

Harriet Hetzel Williams (Mrs. James A.), Δ A, has joined our association for the duration.

### Essex—Chartered 1929

Despite difficulties of transportation, the Essex alumnae, under the leadership of our president, Dee Shuman Wickenden, are carrying on a program of six luncheons at homes of different members followed by speakers of unusual interest.

We are continuing to man the Service Women's Center in the Hotel Biltmore, New York city, every Monday. We expect to continue our practice of making at least a small contribution to the Nora Waln, the Rose McGill and the Hearthstone funds. We welcome four new members, among them Loris Gross Tower, whose husband, Harry, is radio man on a Liberator bomber in the European theater of war.

Helen Simms Vaughn has temporarily left us to be with her husband, Captain Arthur Vaughn, who is with the military police in Georgia handling German prisoners.

We are all proud of Elsie Kraemer Holmes, who, after the sudden death of her husband, Charles, has taken over his real estate business and is literally going to town with it.

Dorothy Cross Zeiger, as field secretary for the American Youth Hostels, has had the opportunity and pleasure of visiting a number of our active chapters.

Our capable last year's program chairman, Doris Brown Swann, has joined her husband, Captain Cecil Swann, in London and is busily working in the war information department connected with the American Embassy.

DOROTHY CROSS ZEIGER

### Northern New Jersey—Chartered 1935

Although much outside war work prevented some of our formerly active members from being with us this year, those of us who live close enough together or could manage transportation facilities have tried to keep things going with monthly supper meetings.

Our covered dish supper commemorating Founders' day opened the year's events at the home of Mary Corey (Mrs. Earle S.). The inevitable down-pour which always helps make it even harder to find Mary's Ridgewood home again accompanied us, but the 12 who braved the storm had such a good get-together that we're glad we decided not to give up meetings for the duration.

Jane Hess Hasek and Miriam Morrow Porter are with us once again after several months of absence due to new arrivals in the respective families. That, in fact, is one thing which keeps too many of our group away—lack of baby sitters.

MERRIE BOOTH DAVIS

### Delta Mu—Chartered 1942

University of Connecticut, Storrs, Connecticut

Delta Mu terminated a successful rushing period December 15, when we welcomed 32 pledges. They have been having pledge training classes ever since and are an active group. February 12-13 the actives moved into the dorms and our pledges were given the chapter house for a Valentine day dance.



A formal tea with open house was given November 14 in honor of our new housemother, Miss Grace Randall.

The ROTC boys, who left from campus for Camp Wheeler last June, returned November 5. The Kappas were the first to greet the returning boys and entertained them with an after-dinner coffee.

A birthday breakfast was given in November for the chapter house. December 14 a Christmas party was given, complete with Santa, stockings and a Christmas tree.

Initiation was conducted in November for Margaret MacDonald, Edna Dudley, Anne Tracy and Madeliene Watt Wilcox.

### Personals

Janice Tappin was crowned queen of the annual military ball, October 29.

Lucille Kelly (pledge) was elected Connecticut's first Sweetheart of Sigma Chi and crowned at a dance at the Sigma Chi house, January 20.

Henrietta Spring, Helen Safin and Dorraine Bradley were elected to the Student senate in the campus fall elections.

The *Nutmeg*, yearbook, has Louise Schlotterback as associate editor and Dorraine Bradley as executive secretary.

Betty Nixon and Madeliene Wilcox graduated in February. Madeliene left soon after her graduation for California.

EDITH CARSTEN

## Gamma Province

### Rho Deuteron—Chartered 1880, R. 1925

Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio

Delayed rushing prevented us from giving any of the big news concerning our new pledge class of 22 girls. Suzanne Frowine, Martha Herdman and Nancy Summerville are the newest wearers of the key, following initiation in November. Elections in January resulted as follows: president, Mary Swanson; vice-president, Carolyn Oaks; recording secretary, Lillian Wecker; corresponding secretary, Nancy Lou Elliot; treasurer, Harriet Harbaugh, and pledge captain, Laura Mae Proctor.

In November we had the good fortune to have the field secretary, Alice Anne Roberts, here with us. Through her helpful suggestions and advice we have organized a personnel committee, with its head occupying a major chapter office.

In coöperation with the Panhellenic program of entertainment for the V-5 and V-12s on campus, we have had open house each Thursday evening, for bridge games, dancing and small talk. Kappa has also taken its turn at providing a floor show and hostesses for a Saturday night dance at the gym.

But the biggest news of all! We have a new housemother, Mrs. M. Eastman. We are busily re-doing the upstairs rooms for her.

### Personals

The scholarship cup has been awarded to Marilyn Myers, the ring for scholarship improvement to Janet Allen.

Virginia Esch has been elected to A A K, home economics honorary.

### Beta Rho Deuteron—Chartered 1885; R. 1914

University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio

With the incoming of a new semester Beta Rho chapter is finishing up old projects and looking forward to new ones. The Kappa chapter has

enthusiastically backed the inter-sorority U. C. bond drive headed by Alice Bowman, who succeeded her Kappa sister, Virginia Erhardt.

The soldier population on campus has entered into the Kappa curriculum considerably. Our Christmas serenading was altered somewhat by this. Instead of caroling to the various fraternities, we did our best to cheer up several companies of soldiers. Panhellenic is sponsoring a project to send a basket of various pastime articles to the soldiers in the infirmary each week. To this the Kappas have contributed enthusiastically.

The first Sunday of 1944 a tea for the professors and their wives was given at the Kappa house. It seemed nice to chat with the professors and hear their unofficial opinions on lighter topics rather than their official ones on more intellectual subjects.

January 15 was the night of the Beta Rho pledge dance. In spite of the war and its problems, the dance floor was crowded and the dance a success.

Eight Kappas have been selected for junior advisors for next year. These include Betty Bauman, Jean Cleaver, Doris Driskell, Betty Erhardt, Ruth Ann Kirkendall, Marjorie Loos, Lois Jean Reifschneider and Virginia Weisenfelder.

Initiation for 20 pledges was conducted February 22. Marjorie Hohman was awarded the scholarship bracelet, while Marjorie Loos was chosen the ideal pledge.

DOROTHY KOEHLER

### Beta Nu—Chartered 1888

Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio

December 18 the chapter proudly turned out for the opening of the Kappa Service Women's Center in the Chittenden hotel. Janice Hagerty is master of ceremonies for a weekly radio program broadcast over WCOL from the lounge. Kappas are on duty every day.

Social activities are curtailed but not extinct.



We had open house for the Naval Air Corps officers stationed at Port Columbus, and an exchange dinner with the  $\Sigma$  A Es. Margie Jones was queen of the junior-senior prom. In January the Kappas, Tri-Delts, Pi Phis, Delta Gammas and Thetas had a formal dance together. The girls are inviting some of the prominent professors on campus to the house for dinner, and interesting discussions take place over after-supper coffee.

Our chapter won the Strollers' plaque for selling the most tickets to the campus production of "The Male Animal." We entered the pledge sing and a handsome candidate for "Campus Pin-Up Boy," with much enthusiasm but little success. We have an ambitious basketball team captained by Marty Atkinson which challenges other sororities and campus teams.

Fall quarter the following girls were initiated: Nancy Bottman, Betty Cramer, Helen Dunn, Charlotte Exline, Barbara Jones, Margaret Jones, Katherine Schroeder, Dorothy Smith, Agnes Miller and Muriel Wilson. Winter quarter we initiated Ann Dyshart, Dorothy Jones and Mary Lou Kennedy.

We awaited inspection rather apprehensively, but bid goodbye to Heloise Smartt and Mary Jim Chickering reluctantly. They were a lovable part of the chapter during their too-short stay. We profited by and were grateful for their valuable suggestions. We can hardly wait for another visit.

January 27 the chapter mourned Patricia Stevenson Kirkpatrick. During her two years in school, she lived up to the Kappa creed admirably. Last September she left school to marry Ernest L. Kirkpatrick, Jr. At the funeral in Columbus, Kay Schroeder sang the Kappa Symphony.

#### Personals

Roberta Stevenson, Katherine Schroeder, Patricia Berry, Jean Ebright and Betty Sanor were elected to  $\Pi$   $\Lambda$   $\Theta$ , educational honorary.

Women's Ohio, an organization for the most outstanding girls on campus, elected Polly Cunningham and Dorothy Hamm.

Dorothy Smith and Dorothy Jones are the new rushing chairmen.

#### Gamma Omega—Chartered 1929

##### Denison University, Granville, Ohio

Since Denison was forced to give up varsity football this year, due to the accelerated schedule of the Navy V-12 and Army units, Gamma Omega decided to do something about it. They startled the whole campus by challenging the Kappa Alpha Thetas to a game of touch football. The night before the big game the Kappas had a huge pep rally in front of the girls' dormitories, complete with Kappa cheers and fireworks. Two actives dressed in white carried a stretcher holding a dummy, completely battered, wearing a cardboard

Theta pin. The game the next day was umpired and supervised by members of the faculty; and at the half, Mayor William Utter of Granville, crowned two civilian men as "Homecoming queen" and "attendant" to complete the occasion. After a hard fight, we were defeated by the Thetas with a score of 6-0. Following the game the Kappas gave an open house for both sororities and coaches, with hot chocolate and doughnuts.

During the Christmas season the chapter gave a party for their "V" club members. This group is a community service project of the chapter organized for underprivileged girls from Central City, Ohio. The actives and pledges got together and knitted socks and mittens for the 10 girls in the club as their Christmas presents.

The active-alumnae party was also given before Christmas. Each active bought a present for the house, with a poem for the girl whose name she had drawn. The alumnae prepared and served the dinner.

Formal initiation was conducted January 8, when 18 pledges became active Kappas. January 15 our new initiates gave their "pledge" formal.

During November Dorothy Jean Kerr was elected to *Who's Who in American Colleges*, and February 3, it was announced in chapel that she was elected to  $\Phi$  B K, into which she will be initiated in March.

Despite wartime conditions on campus, Gamma Omega has been able to take part in all Denison functions, and we're proud of a grand year.

CAROLYN KEARNS

#### Cleveland—Established 1901

The Cleveland alumnae association celebrated its traditional Christmas party at Dorothy Hunter Ulf's home. A swap sale benefited the Nora Waln fund by \$13.35. Warm clothing was collected at both this meeting and the March one to be sent to the Friends society in Philadelphia. A treasure hunt and plum puddings ended our gay evening.

In February Kappas and their guests listened to a most unusual collector, Mr. George Hantelman, whose hobby has taken him over this country and Europe, collecting rare phonograph records. He exhibited and played from his collection of more than 17,000 records.

At this meeting the sewing group reported first results of a new undertaking, collection and sorting Ohio State sales tax stamps. Already this group has turned in stamps valued at \$67. This money will be used for our Hearthstone pledge and for USO brunches. Future amounts are earmarked for other Kappa philanthropies.

Beginning in December, the Cleveland association has given one Sunday morning brunch a month at the USO snack bar. At each party we have served French toast and bacon to about 150 servicemen and women.

Lynn Bell, president of the junior group, reported an interesting meeting in November fea-



turing the "Navy Girl in Blue," and a Valentine party in February at the home of Carol Wattleworth. In December and April they joined the meetings of the regular association.

We are looking forward to a March dinner meeting at the home of Lorine Pearson Fulton (Mrs. Vincent), an April world program featuring Antonia Kayanan, speaking on "Life in the Philippines," and a May meeting at the home of Zala Elder Walcott (Mrs. D. Hailey) to be highlighted by Kodachrome pictures of "Beautiful Ohio," presented by Miss Emilie Ruetenik, editor of the *Ohio Bell Magazine*. For these interesting programs this year we are indebted to Bertha Widcomb Crist (Mrs. Robert), program chairman, and Eloise Thompson Parsons (Mrs. John), our president.

#### Personals

Many Kappas have left us this year, particularly juniors, to be with their husbands who are in service or to return to their families while their husbands are away in service. Among these are Wilma Scott Harris (Mrs. W. E.), whose husband has been sent to Mayo's clinic for special training; Edith Price (Mrs. C. T.) to Washington; Janet Kent Walker (Mrs. James V.) to Norfolk; Martha Childs Benz (Mrs. John) to Florida; Margaret Righter Graner (Mrs. James), Mary Louise Quay Coburn (Mrs. John) to Erie; Jane Carran McKnight (Mrs. Jarvis), Jayne Gates Forsythe (Mrs. Homer), Betty Clark (Mrs. Alexander) and Marjorie Skelton deBaurfind (Mrs. Joseph).

Marion Gelhaus is working in Washington.

GRACE VERNON BROWN

#### West Shore Cleveland, Ohio—Chartered 1938

The West Shore Kappas celebrated Founders' day with the Cleveland association at the Panhellenic room of Hotel Cleveland. This was a bridge party at which a war bond and war stamps were given as prizes.

Lieutenant (j.g.) Elizabeth Landis Cullen of the WAVES gave a talk at our November meeting at the home of Jane Sykes Barta (Mrs. R. A.).

Berneda Pierson Frackelton (Mrs. R. J.) had our annual Christmas party at her home.

We are devoting the January, February and

March meetings to sewing for the British War Relief. At the January meeting we were sorry to learn that our president, Carol Alvord Blosser (Mrs. R. F.), must resign because she is moving out of town.

Arrangements have been made for us to serve brunch at the Cleveland USO lounge the third Sunday in April. We have planned to round out the year's activities with a musical, a book review and a family picnic.

ETHEL WILLIAMS STOHR

#### Delta Lambda—Chartered 1940

Miami University, Oxford, Ohio

One of the highlights of every year on Miami's campus is the coronation of a freshman queen at the annual "Freshman Strut." We were all happy when the big moment came and Maxine McCall (pledge) stepped out of a huge Christmas box to be crowned by President Upham. The candlelight ceremony was quite elaborate with a candidate from every other sorority attending our Kappa queen.

Everyone had fun at our annual Christmas party at the home of Ann Lewis. The party was climaxed by adjourning to Oxford college dormitory to pledge Marie Harveland.

Along the line of keeping up with our war activities and intersorority spirit was a pledge-active meeting with the Delta Zetas in February. Dr. W. R. Smith gave an enlightening review of 1943 which included a summary of the war on all fronts and a report on news in medicine, literature, and the place of women in the post-war world.

Initiation was conducted March 4. We are pleased to welcome Rebecca Reid, Maryellen Pilioid, Jean Dawson, Margene Williams, Marilyn Spelman and Dorothy Welsh to our active chapter roll.

Delta Lambda was proud to be one of the contributors to funds for Margaret Lao, a Burmese girl studying for her M.D. in India who was recommended to us by Dean Hunt, of Lucknow university. We hope that the little we could give will help her to carry on the fight for education and rehabilitation in the Orient.

BOND LITTLE

## Delta Province

#### Delta—Chartered 1873

Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana

January 23 was a happy day in the lives of the pledge class of 1943, and a proud one for the already initiated Kappas. At that time we initiated our entire fall pledge class, 23 in number. The new initiates are Nancy Cherry, Margaret Curle,

Margie Fisher, Eve Ruth Ham, Constance Harper, Marjorie Home, Sue Howe, Kathryn Kayser, Katherine Kixmiller, Linda Lewis, Joyce MacClintock, Virginia Lynn McSpadden (Mrs. T. A.), Kathleen Nolan, Beverly Palmer, Betty Porter, Barbara Reed, Jean Ann Rutledge, Barbara Scudder, Nancy Seward, Janet Singer, Betty Titsworth, Janet Tuhey and Gloria Wasmuth.



Four of these girls were elected to membership in  $\Lambda \Delta \Delta$ : Betty Titsworth, Sue Howe, Beverly Palmer, and Betty Porter.

We have had two successful dances; our pledge dance in October and our annual Snowball formal January 15. Delta chapter has also had Saturday afternoon open houses for ASTP soldiers stationed here; and has initiated and organized the successful inter-sorority open houses given bi-monthly in different sorority houses.

Each month we have a pledge-active meeting at which guest speakers discuss music, current affairs, religion, etc.

### Personals

Jeanne Reese, chapter president, is a member of the YWCA cabinet, Pleiades, social honorary, and chairman of the board of standards for the university.

Representatives on the YWCA council are Helen Hoody, Anna Jane Buskirk and Sue Howe.

Ann Hendricks, formerly vice-president of the YWCA cabinet, is again a cabinet member. She is also on the council for the Associated Women Students, and is a member of Mortar Board. To add to her honors, she now has a Phi Beta Kappa key.

Senior business manager for the university theater this year is Marilyn Seward, who is also a member of Mortar Board.

Mary Margaret Maloney, former rush chairman, was elected to membership in Pleiades, and Doris Wilson to membership in  $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$ , journalism honorary.

### Iota—Chartered 1875

#### DePauw University, Greencastle, Indiana

Last spring, between March and May, Iota chapter had many members elected to various positions on school boards and publications. These appointments were as follows: Marian Walker, Mortar Board, managing editor of the *Mirage*, school



Margaret Rautenberg

yearbook; Mary Elizabeth Davis, YWCA board, junior business manager of the *Mirage*; Margaret Rautenberg, Associated Women Students board, winner of Dads' day scholarship amounting to \$100,  $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$ , junior editor of the *Mirage*; Sarah Jean Wildman, YWCA board, copy desk editor of the *DePauw*, campus newspaper; Jean Mehlig, proof editor of the *DePauw*; Marjorie Shreeve, feature

editor of the *De Pauw*; Jean Macrae, women's recreation association board, and Rebecca Rhue and Susan Alvis, elected to  $\Gamma \text{ B } \text{T}$ , senior women's friendship honorary.

We then had an eight-week session of school from August to October 23. During this period, only 13 Kappas were on campus, living in various fraternity houses, as the sorority houses did not open until October 29, when our rush began, with regular winter school immediately following. During this session, two Kappas were elected queens at the battalion dances given by our Navy V-5 unit on campus, Jean Clark (pledge) and Barbara Bartlett.

November 3 we pledged 25 girls at the end of rush week, which was capably directed by Mary Elizabeth Davis, rush chairman.

Also in November, the university celebrated the annual Old Gold day and Dads' day, in combination, which turned out to be eventful for Iota chapter. Martha Jean Haverstick was made editor-in-chief of the *DePauw*. Mary Elizabeth Davis, Martha Jean Haverstick and Margaret Rautenberg were elected to  $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$ , journalism honorary. Emily Leigh Harter was elected by the male students and Navy units on campus as one of two attendants in the Old Gold day queen's court.

November 20 we gave a tea in honor of the new dean of women, Miss Leota Colpitts. Faculty and friends were invited.

We are carrying on our weekly culture program started last year, consisting of current news reports given by various members.

We are looking forward to a grand year of school with 47 actives living in the house and 25 new pledges all with serious thoughts for an education, yet carrying on with happy hearts.

SUSAN ALVIS

### Fort Wayne—Chartered 1924

We began our year with a garden rush party at the home of Jane McBride, I-DePauw.

Seven other meetings were planned, streamlined on the culinary side, from our customary dinners-to-desserts.

In September we met with Viola Jay Moriarty (Mrs. John),  $\Gamma \Delta$ -Purdue. We sang Kappa songs and tried to decide which chapter's version was the best. Margaret Barker Richardson (Mrs. John), M-Butler, entertained us in October. Sara Bracken Voorhees (Mrs. H. S.),  $\Delta$ -Indiana, talked on personalities of famous Kappas. Ruth Andrews Morton (Mrs. E. E.),  $\Delta$ , was hostess for our annual Christmas party. Each Woolworth gift was accompanied by a poem identifying the person for whom it was intended.

On the snowiest, slipperiest night of the year, we met at the home of Lucile Woodruff Carlo (Mrs. E. R.),  $\Upsilon$ -Northwestern, for a Valentine bridge.

On the less frivolous side, we had a successful rummage sale, which has helped finance our projects and pledges. We gave a \$5 Christmas basket to an old lady. We gave a reading lamp to the WAC's recreation room at Baer Field. We have financially aided the day nursery for children of working mothers, through Panhellenic.



Although as a group we are not engaged in war work, we are USO workers, blood donors, nurses' aides and Gray Ladies.

Our membership is continually shifting, but in numbers remains fairly constant. Our attendance has been excellent.

#### Personals

Jane McBride and Eunice Bickel Carlson (Mrs. Lee), M, are Gray Ladies, working at Baer Field.

Ruth Andrews Morton (Mrs. E. E.) is a nurses' aide.

LUCILE WOODRUFF CARLO

#### Gary—Chartered 1926

The Gary alumnae association enjoyed three social events this fall: a breakfast in the home of Louise Latschaw, a Rose McGill benefit for members and guests in the home of Margaretha Stringfellow and a Christmas gift exchange in the home of Virginia Baitinger.

Besides doing our foremost war job of rearing our families, practically everyone has worked on surgical dressings and knitting. Some have given to the blood bank and many have sent food to the service center.

We were sorry to have Ruth Bills, a charter member, move to Indianapolis.

We all join in our hope for Margaret Canine's recovery. She has been ill with pneumonia and a streptococcus infection, for which penicillin was secured as a treatment.

#### Personals

Martha Van Meter, secretary of the tuberculosis sanitarium, is nutrition chairman, chairman draft rejecter committee, Clean Plate club, and chairman for the tuberculosis seal sale.

Peg Call Williamson (Mrs. Allwyn),  $\Gamma$   $\Delta$ -Purdue, works in the day nursery, helping to care for children of working mothers.

Margaretha Borneman Stringfellow (Mrs. Carlton),  $\Delta$ -Indiana, is on the YWCA board and chairman of the membership committee and board member of Methodist hospital auxiliary.

Virginia Howells Baitinger (Mrs. H. M.),  $\Upsilon$ -Northwestern, is field director for Gary canteen, chairman Red Cross camp and hospital committee, on Girl Scout council and board of directors AWVS.

Elizabeth Kempton, B H-Stanford, kindergarden and primary supervisor of Gary schools, is on the program committee of council agencies and leading the foreign policy group in the League of Women Voters.

Dorothy Smith Davis (Mrs. Herschel), I-DePauw, is secretary, YWCA board, chairman social committee and board member Methodist hospital auxiliary, program committee of College club.

ELLEN ROODA BESHORE

#### Mu—Chartered 1878

Butler University, Indianapolis, Indiana

Mu went all-out for Panhellenic spirit at Christmas, instigating exchange dinners between sororities to replace the war-lost tradition of fraternity-sorority exchanges. The first of these dinners was with the Delta Gammas, preliminary to the Gamma ball, where  $\text{K K } \Gamma$  and  $\Delta \Gamma$  again combined forces to produce something superlative in Christmas dances.

After Christmas the chapter settled down again to a regular routine into which more than half the chapter has scheduled part-time jobs as war work.

Good chapter grades after finals fired us with a desire for further intellectual stimulation, apparently. At any rate, Mu is planning a series of informal meetings with professors, Sunday afternoons at the chapter house or at the homes of the professors, with the hope that the practice, which has not been a tradition on the campus, will thereby be established.

The pledge class gave the actives a formal dance with a Valentine theme, February 19. The pledges are working now on their annual stunt.

A local Panhellenic ruling permits second semester initiation for upperclassmen only, or for freshmen whose grades average at least a 2.5, on a 3.0 possible basis. New initiates are Dotti Beck, Peggy Goebel, Ida-Marie Luck, Jean Pittinger and Mary Kay Romine. Dotti, Peggy and Jean are honor initiates.

MARY ANN MOFFETT

#### Muncie—Established 1916

Our association is enjoying a successful year, due to a membership increase and excellent interest and attendance at our meetings. Since our members are busy with war work and other extra responsibilities, we have not sponsored a project for making money this year. However, we have donated to the United War fund and are giving to one of the Kappa philanthropies out of our regular dues.

The December meeting was a dinner and Christmas party at the home of our president, Caroline Ballard Parsons (Mrs. Darrall), I-DePauw. Katharine Benedict Palmer (Mrs. Claude), I, gave a Christmas story, which was followed by the gift exchange.

A luncheon was given by the association December 29 at the Hotel Roberts in honor of the actives and other Kappas who spent the holidays at their homes here. Jean Bemenderfer Green (Mrs. W. J.), I, was chairman of the luncheon committee, assisted by Thelma Rutledge Walton (Mrs. Richard), M-Butler, and Martha Allman Boggy (Mrs. Dale),  $\Delta$ -Indiana.

Our February meeting was a dinner at the home of Edith Vickers Sawicki (Mrs. Halary),  $\Delta$ . Following the dinner, we made bandages for the Ball hospital.



We will conclude our year's program with an April dinner meeting at the home of Anita Duff Brown (Mrs. Everett), Γ Z-Arizona, and Jean Bemberderfer Green will be hostess for a picnic in June.

ANITA DUFF BROWN

### Kappa—Chartered 1881

#### Hillsdale College, Hillsdale, Michigan

After a hectic "courtesy week" of cleaning rooms, making breakfasts and reciting poetry, 18 pledges were initiated into Kappa chapter, February 5. After initiation a formal banquet was given for the new members.

February 8 the new actives were swept into the swing of mid-semester rushing. Rushing ended February 11 with the pledging of five girls. Under the supervision of Lillian Smith, social chairman, a buffet supper was given in the smoker.

Jean Baumgartner, ex-chapter president, left for Merrill Palmer nursery school in Detroit, but will return to graduate in May. June Vincent has taken over the presidency.

Margaret Stainthorpe, who was chapter treasurer and who was graduated *cum laude*, is teaching school at Montpelier high school in Montpelier, Ohio, but found the time to return for initiation, as did Josephine Crowley, of Cleveland, and Mary-lee Golden, of Detroit.

Co-editors of the college publication, *The Collegian*, are Shirley Anderson and Annette Chapman, replacing Margaret Stainthorpe and keeping the editorship in the house.

Plans for the future include big doings for the Mothers' day weekend. As is the annual custom, the girls move out and the mothers have full run of the house.

Plans are also being made for another cultural tea, with a guest speaker giving a book review or readings, to which the college is invited.

### Hillsdale Kappa—Established 1921

Now at the beginning of our third year in the war, Hillsdale Kappas are completely engrossed in many programs of endeavor. Our social affairs and lovely highlights of the past are now "work" meetings. In October we had a busy session at Helen Dibble's, making clothes and packing three large boxes for Nora Waln and her European refugees. In November we worked at the Red Cross and the ration board, while in January, at Sunnycrest, we made 50 little mattress covers for the nursery of the community health center.

Many of our Kappas have gone to Toledo, our nearest blood bank, for Doris Friedrichs is the chairman of the plasma committee.

Then a great many of us are assisting in the current bond drive in various parts of the town. The best part of all this activity is that we feel bound together with a greater love and kindness than ever before, for we have found time to know

each other and to be proud again that we are Kappas and that we can help a bit toward speeding a final victory.

KAROLYN O'MEARA

### Xi—Chartered 1882

#### Adrian College, Adrian, Michigan

The first event of the fall semester was the initiation of Ruth Davis and Jean Hurlbut, followed by the traditional dinner to welcome the new initiates.

A successful rush week was completed October 29, and pledging was conducted November 1, for four girls. The new pledges sponsored two parties during the semester, the traditional party for pledges of Δ Δ Δ, and the annual Christmas party for the actives.

December 12 Xi chapter gave a tea for Kappa alumnae of Adrian.

#### Personals

Eleanor Matteson was awarded the faculty scholarship cup for the highest scholastic average on campus for 1942-43.

Rose Moine was elected house president of the girls' dormitory.

Jane Lamkins presented a vocal recital, January 21. She plans to enter the Eastman School of Music.

Barbara Chestnut was elected president of college Christian fellowship, which is affiliated with YWCA and YMCA.

Betty Hale and Barbara Chestnut are members of the International Relations club.

RUTH DAVIS

### Adrian—Chartered 1924

The Adrian alumnae association began the year with a meeting in October at the home of Etha Smith Jeffrey (Mrs. William), with the new president, Jean Hornby Clement (Mrs. Edwin, Jr), presiding. The hostesses were the members of the executive board. Mrs. George Prentice told interestingly of her work with the Red Cross at Mt. Clemens during the past summer.

Our annual Christmas luncheon was canceled this year because of the illness of the hostesses and the widespread "flu" epidemic. Each member did, however, contribute a child's dress to the Associated Charities for their Christmas baskets, as is our annual custom.

The pledges of Xi chapter were guests at our February meeting in the home of Alice Baldwin.

Mary Lake is doing graduate work at the University of Michigan this year.

Betty Batey, our former president, is working in one of the libraries in Washington, D.C. Ruth Gmeiner and Myrna Jean Brown are also working in Washington.

Margaret Osgood has taken a position as dean of women at Temple university, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

LEONA SPIELMAN KAY



**Beta Delta—Chartered 1890**

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan

This term has been an exceedingly busy one for the Beta Delta Kappas. Most of our spare time has been occupied with the numerous war activities on campus. All the girls have been participating whole-heartedly in these activities, and during the coming year we hope that we shall be able to do even more. At present we stand fourth on campus in the total number of hours we have contributed. However, Kappas are first in the number of hours they have spent in USO work, hospital work, laundry work and publications.

Our social activities this year were limited to an open house after the Ohio State game, November 20, and a tea dance March 28 for the soldiers in medical school.

We were honored, February 12, by a visit from our province president, Mrs. Carl Trager, who gave us a fuller understanding of the part that all of us are taking in the war effort. During Mrs. Trager's visit we had a dessert for all the alumnae in Ann Arbor.

Another highlight this fall was the visit of Kappa's field secretary, Mrs. Frank H. Roberts, who gave us many helpful suggestions and ideas. Her kindness and inspiration will help us develop a better chapter.

Rushing this season turned out to be an enormous success. We are thrilled with our 23 prospective members.

We hope that we shall be able to keep up and increase our present war activities during the coming year. We are looking forward to the roles we can play to bring the war to an end.

*Personals*

Shirley Raskey and Marilyn Mayer were made members of Z Φ H, speech honorary.

Shirley Raskey was initiated into Π Δ Φ, educational honorary.

Bette Carpenter was initiated into Wyvern, junior honorary.

Sue Simms and Monna Heath were in *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*.

Marilyn Mayer was made president of Women's Judiciary council.

Shirley Sickles was made one of the three student directors of the USO.

GALE DOYLE

**Detroit—Established 1901**

Detroit Kappas have a better understanding of American-Japanese relations in the postwar era. Mrs. T. T. Brumbaugh, a missionary to Japan for 17 years, spoke on "My Experiences in Japan" at the dinner meeting of the Detroit association in the Central YWCA, January 30. Returning to America in March, 1941, Mrs. Brumbaugh brought back many memories of the Japanese people and

of her contacts with them.

Besides selling war bonds at the meeting, each Kappa assisted in the war effort by getting her dinner in the cafeteria and carrying it to a private dining-room where the blue-and-blue centered the tables.

Appreciation from the Friends society for the Kappas untiring service was expressed by the Nora Walsh chairman.

KATHRYN ENGBRETSON HECOCK

**Gamma Delta—Chartered 1919**

Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana

As Christmas drew near, Gamma Deltas found themselves busily offering congratulations to two newly elected *Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges* members, Mary Lou Sternberg and Betty Wedge; and to the new Associated Women Students president, Nelda Byrum Reed. Mary Lou is a leader in Playshop, AWS, the war council, Gold Peppers, Mortar Board; and Betty is outstanding in musical organizations, Playshop, WBAA, AWS, and is president of Gold Peppers.

Unable to appreciate a vacationless Christmas, the chapter did enjoy a party given by the pledges, which included an hour of caroling on the campus, a skit, gifts and refreshments. Kappa voices filling the airwaves of radio station WBAA, include those of Betty Wedge, Nelda Reed, June Hardy, Joan Stevens, Larry Nichols and Betty Canan. One of the Σ Δ X winter dance queens was Marion Lively, elected "Queen of the Shimmering Skates."

Highlighting January 8, Barbara Borman, Rheba Grishaw, Jean Huston, Bettianne Murphy and Pat Nunneley, members of the sophomore pledge class, were initiated.

Another milestone was January 24 when alumnae, actives and pledges, patrons and friends celebrated Gamma Delta's 25th birthday with a party at the house. Present were four of the 20 charter members: Leona Burkle Sommers, Leota Jordan McCarty, Gladys Sproat Walker and Martha Westfall Robertson. Mrs. Sommers was mentioned as number one initiate, and newly initiated Pat Nunneley was listed as number 450. Bernice Lauman Baynes spoke on "Browsing through the Archives," and Inez Richardson Canan on "Mu Sigma Alpha and the Installation of Kappa Kappa Gamma." The guests enjoyed reviewing old snapshots, and the large birthday cake.

Playshop has almost become "Kappashop," with Marge Thoms, sophomore, leading the "Pursuit of Happiness" cast; Sarah Andrew and Betty Wedge playing in the "Philadelphia Story"; Mary Lou Sternberg, Peg Steffes and Betsy Jansing heading the major committees, and Sue Knappenberger, Marge Matson, Jean Huston and Jean Leer working on the committees.



Newest pledges to Gold Peppers, women's honorary for outstanding leadership and scholarship, are Peg Steffes, *Exponent* junior editor, Playshop committee leader; and Bette Lu Krudup, student union vice-president. Offices on campus are filled by Marilyn Demaree, chapter president, as junior editor of the *Debris*; Marge Matson, junior executive in activities bureau, and Jean Huston, treasurer of the V. C. Meredith club. Jean Leer was pledged to A A Δ, freshman scholarship honorary.

February 12 we waded through knee-high snow drifts to the Union dance to watch Bettieanne Murphy participate in the Queen of Hearts' court, then returned to our heart-strewn house to enjoy the Valentine-pledge dance. A servicemen's orchestra played for the occasion.

December 6, 1943, Gamma Delta installed the following new officers: chapter president, Marilyn Demaree; standards chairman, Jean Holtson; scholarship, Marion Lively; house president, Pat McKnight; treasurer, Peggy Steffes; corresponding secretary, Betsy Jansing; recording secretary, Jean Yost; rush chairman, Elizabeth Peet; pledge captain, Mary Lou Sternberg; apprentice pledge captain, Ann Hillier; registrar, Janet Place; social chairman, Beverly Brand; marshal, Pat Martin; Panhellenic, Marilyn Demaree and Jane Sprague; music chairman, Marilyn O'Hara; personnel chairman, June Hardy, and efficiency chairman, Pat Tuhey.

MARGARET BAYNES

### Gamma Delta—Chartered 1919

January 25, 1944, Gamma Delta alumnae and active members celebrated the 25th birthday of their chapter at the Kappa house. A three-tiered cake decorated with white and blue flowered icing was served. Founder of the chapter who were present were Leona Burkle Sommers (Mrs. Ray), who was also the chapter's first initiate; Leota Jordan McCarty (Mrs. Morris), Martha Westfall Robertson (Mrs. R. M.), and Gladys Sproat Walker (Mrs. Guy).

We are following our original plan of having every other meeting at the Kappa house, and find that we all enjoy becoming better acquainted with the active members.

### Delta Gamma—Chartered 1930

Michigan State College, East Lansing, Michigan

The weeks of winter term have been filled with numerous activities for the members of Delta Gamma chapter.

A benefit bridge for the alumnae was given by the pledges, February 12. The proceeds from the bridge were given to the Spartan Victory Loan fund, to be used for scholarships for returning soldiers. The bridge was such a success, it has



JACQUELINE MEEHAN, Δ Γ—Michigan State, who has given camp and hospital entertainment programs, was named Queen of Squadron D by aviation students on the Michigan State campus.

been decided that another will soon be given by the active members.

In order to further Panhellenic relations, our winter term party was given February 19, with the members of A Φ, A X and K A Θ in the Union ballroom.

A new phase of social life on the campus is entertaining cadets of the Army Air Force. Jacqueline Meehan, member of Θ A Φ, speech and dramatics honorary society, La Cofradia, Orchesis and Woman's Athletic association, was elected queen of Squadron D of the aviation students at Michigan State college. Jacqueline has been prominent in the entertainment of the soldiers at Fort Custer and Percy Jones hospital at Battle Creek, Michigan.

To show our appreciation to Squadron D, we gave an open house February 6. The squadron came in full force and for two hours the Kappa house was a veritable USO.

February 19 initiation was conducted for Helen Gower, Marguerite Haefner, Constance Hutty, Marjorie Kreher, Lynn Lyle, Bette Payne, Jacqueline Potter, Lillian Sigan, Shirley Simon, Helen Sleeper and Marilyn Smith.

Pledging was conducted for three girls. Our new officers, installed February 14, are Clara Dowling, president; Marie Angove, house president; Marian McCain, standards chairman; Martha Kelly, recording secretary; Dorothy Geyer, corresponding secretary; Ruth Mary Millis, treasurer; Jayne Kuykendall, pledge captain; Patricia Kelly, marshal; Donnette Glaser, membership chairman;



June McNutt, personnel chairman; Betty Stone, registrar; Genevive Nauman, music chairman; Patricia Brown, deputy; Susanne Graff, Panhellenic representative, and Mary Slack, KEY correspondent.

#### Personals

Dorothy Geyer and Jacqueline Meehan are members of the cast of "Guest in the House," dramatic production put on by  $\Theta \Lambda \Phi$ , dramatics honorary.

Clara Dowling has been initiated into  $\Sigma \chi \Gamma$ , chemistry honorary.

Barbara Hacker, president of  $\Lambda \epsilon \rho$ , radio honorary, has been initiated into  $\Theta \Lambda \Phi$ .

Marie Angove and Vivian Nauman have been initiated into Orchesis.

Jean Rheinfrank is vice-president of Green Splash, woman's swimming honorary, and Marjory Wood has been initiated into the society.

New members of the La Cofradia, national Spanish honorary, are Jeane Gruendler, Jean Barnes, Marguerite Haefner, Dorothy Geyer and Lillian Drumond.

BETTY SIMPSON

#### East Lansing-Lansing—Chartered 1930

Ethel Klaver (Mrs. John) was hostess at our first meeting, September 14, when we discussed plans for the coming year. Refreshments were served later in the evening.

October 12 Founders' day was celebrated at the chapter house. Betty Peck (Mrs. Wm.), was our hostess at a bohemian supper, November 9. We planned a rummage sale for December 4. December 14 Natallia Dail (Mrs. Lewis) was hostess to our group. Christmas gifts for the soldiers at Fort Custer were wrapped.

January 11 we were presented with a review of *The Walsh Sisters* by Mrs. Fee. Guests of our alumnae were invited. Mildred Hewett (Mrs. B. L.) was our hostess.

Lois Callard (Mrs. Gordon) entertained our group at a bohemian in her home, February 8. A short business meeting followed. Plans were made for a spring rummage sale. Contributions were made to Red Cross and we voted to buy nursery chairs for the College Women's Volunteer Service and a clock for the sun lamp at the contagious hospital.

DOROTHY ALTENHOF

## Epsilon Province

#### Alpha Deuteron—Chartered 1870; R. 1934

##### Monmouth College, Monmouth, Illinois

Initiation, the highlight of every year, was conducted February 5, admitting 16 more Kappas to the bonds. The initiates were Elyse Doolittle, Janet Findley, Alexandra Graham, JoAnne Halbert, Gwen Hart, Joan Hutchison, Barbara Johnson, Shirley Johnson, Patricia O'Connor, Sue Shellenberger, Janice Smith, Aimee Smith, Dagmar Stevens, Janet Tiffany, Karine Work and Virginia Wyatt.

The usual fall formal was eliminated this year. The allotted funds were donated to the Red Cross and Navy War Relief. A Panhellenic snow ball dance, December 4, served as a satisfactory compromise.

The pledges of pre-initiation days gave a breakfast for the pledges of other sororities on campus, November 27.

Our most recent culture meeting was no less enjoyable than the most social gathering. Dr. Owen, head of the English department, mingled accounts of his personal experiences in Egypt with an educational discussion of that country. Speaking of social gatherings, we did avoid all cultural tendencies when we devoted an entire evening to bridge and refreshments; and there was the party for the seniors who graduated at mid-year: Dotty Eisiminger, Barbara Irvine and Jean McInnes.

Alpha's Santa Claus chose to concentrate his

bestowal of Christmas cheer upon two local needy families in the form of food, clothing and toys.

#### Personals

Maroline Whitford was chosen to represent Kappa royally as president of the student body.

Kappas selected for membership on the new YWCA cabinet were Mary Lou Mitchell and Glenna Lu Angove.

The lead in "First Lady" was portrayed by Patricia Halbert. Other cast members were Maroline Whitford, Dorothy VonAch and Margaret Olson. The next play to be presented will be "Cradle Song," featuring Mary Ann Thome and Claribel Gerhart (pledge).

Shirley Leiner, Mary Ann Thome and Alice Hart were tapped as new members for  $\Sigma \Theta \text{M}$ , Phi Beta Kappa equivalent.

The annual beauty contest found four Kappas, Barbara Irvine, Suzanne Gordon, Virginia Holmes and Janice Smith, among the eight candidates. The results will be published in *The Ravelings*, the college annual.

Jean McInnes was graduated *magna cum laude*.

Jean Walker was chosen the "Sweetheart of the Campus" by the men on campus, Valentine's day.

#### Epsilon—Chartered 1873

Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington, Illinois

Epsilon chapter has simplified its program this



year by omitting many traditional social activities. We were, however, able to have our annual Christmas formal, but felt it unnecessary to have a dinner before the dance. We also had a cabaret party for the V-5 cadets stationed here at Wesleyan.

A \$100 dollar war bond was generously given to us by Mr. Helmle, in honor of his wife, who was the first initiate of Epsilon chapter. This inspired the starting of a bond fund of our own, which we plan to add to regularly. The first donation was made possible by our latest pledge class, as they won the Poppy sale, the proceeds of which were added to this fund.

January 29 initiation was conducted for all 12 of our pledges. A fleur-de-lis banquet was given in their honor that evening. Awards went to Geraldine LaRocque for scholarship and to Beverly Owens for activities. Among the actives the award for the most improvement in grades was given to Beverly Minch, and for the highest scholarship to Charlotte Ratcliffe.

#### Personals

Harriett Hartenbower and Beverly Owens had important parts in Lennox Robinson's play, "The Whiteheaded Boy," which was presented at Wesleyan February 11.

Barbara Lou Stubblefield has recently been made a member of  $\Phi K \Phi$ .

JEAN KUHLE

#### Bloomington, Illinois—Established 1906

A small but enthusiastic and representative group attended the cheery holiday luncheon at the Rogers hotel and stayed for most of the afternoon just to chat. Mary Funk Ahroon, Helen Dooley and Gladys Bane were among the out-of-town guests.

Due to wartime conditions we voted to dispense with the sale of Christmas wreaths and pay a dollar per member to take care of our usual contributions to Kappa's philanthropies.

There was no January meeting, on account of gas rationing; so that as many as possible would attend the initiation banquet.

Group meetings are, for the most part, as scheduled. In February a large group attended the supper meeting at the Kappa house for the entire membership and enjoyed the talk on the American Negro's contribution to literature, by Dr. W. E. Schultz, of the Wesleyan faculty. Generous donations of rationing stamps continue, and the commissary committee registers little or no difficulty in planning simple but delicious meals for us. After supper, many remained to visit or to attend the meetings of the house board and budget committee. Programs for meetings to come are to be given by Alice McCarty Schlenker and Alice Strayer Bach, as well as one on Kappas today by Grace Parker, Gertrude Marquis, Joan Jarrett and Mary Ann Costello Horenberger.

#### Personals

Lucille Hyneman St. Croix (Mrs. Geoffrey), of London, England, is teaching English to a group of Russians at the Russian embassy in London. In return they are instructing her in the Russian language. Her husband is in service in North Africa.

Margaret Munce Campbell (Mrs. Glen) is living in Peru, Indiana, where her husband is stationed as an athletic director at the Bunker Hill Naval air school.

Alice Beyer Ziegler (Mrs. Earl) is living in Midland, Michigan, where her husband is a research chemist for the Dow Chemical company.

Gladys Bane has been staying with Eleanor Read Wetzel (Mrs. Jan), who is recovering from a recent operation.

Katherine Carson has gone to Ketchikan, Alaska, where she has a position with the Tonguss Trading company.

LORRAINE KRAFT

#### Upsilon—Chartered 1882

##### Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois

Upsilon chapter is participating in many war activities in connection with the university, as well as outside projects.

Every Thursday afternoon several girls represent Kappa at the Scott hall workshop, which is sponsored by Panhellenic. At these meetings the girls knit, sew, write letters to servicemen and make scrapbooks for the boys in the hospitals. This worthwhile task is lightened by the amiable atmosphere that prevails, and the sincere interest to help that is shown by all the girls.

Kappa placed third in the campus stamp drive against some rigid competition. We also contributed \$25 to the Red Cross last April, plus individual pledges. Then too, there have been individual contributions to send cigarettes to the men in the armed services.

Upsilon has entertained boys from Abbott hall in Chicago, and the Naval Aviation Cadets from Glenview Field; the former group at a party last spring, and the cadets at an informal party this fall. Twelve Kappas are regular members of a group that goes out to weekly Glenview dances.

At our Monday night meetings we have had one speaker from the Red Cross, and quite recently an Air WAC came to speak to us.

One of Upsilon chapter's own projects is the work we do at the Evanston hospital Saturday mornings. Each girl works two mornings a month, doing innumerable odd jobs the nurses do not have time for, now that the staffs are so limited. Several other girls are nurses' aides at the hospital.

In connection with the Red Cross blood bank that visits Northwestern frequently, we always have Kappa donors.

In a relief drive for the Russians, several boxes of clothing were collected from our house. At Christmas time each girl gave a pocket novel to





*War-working members of Upsilon-Northwestern at the Evanston hospital.*

a wounded sailor. We also sent toys out to an orphanage.

The Kappas have been active in the Northwestern war council, giving hours to address greeting cards to servicemen, and assisting in various relief drives.

The war bond drives have not passed by the Kappa house. Ten girls are qualified bond salesmen in the junior corps, and the chapter, the house board and the alumnæ have purchased bonds.

This briefly outlines some of the war activities in which Upsilon chapter is engaged. We are also

proud of several of our alumnæ who are members of the WAVES. The active members are anxious to help in every way to do their part while continuing their studies, and as the year progresses new opportunities for service are continually opening.

January 17 we had our scholarship banquet, at which those who had raised their grade averages were honored. Blue ribbons were given to the girls who had made a B average or better.

Elizabeth Maenner was chosen queen of the Navy ball.



*Photographed between dances at the January formal, Upsilon's dates are in uniform these days.*



Our formal was at the Merchandise Mart January 22 and added another to the ever-growing list of parties for the servicemen stationed near Northwestern.

MARTHA RANDALL

### North Shore—Established 1910

From the "Kappa Cozy" in November to our February luncheon at the Kappa house is a long hiatus without a meeting, but one which was certainly not planned or anticipated. For December we had scheduled our annual children's Christmas party, always one of the most popular meetings of the year. But it was necessary to cancel it at the last moment because Ole Man Flu took the center of the stage and pushed Santa Claus into the corner. Next year we will have much to make up for, because there will be a two-year crop of new babies and wee tots to make their first bow here.

In January we gave a breathing spell to all who hurried and rushed at Christmas time, and listed no meeting for the month. The board received invitations to a tea at the home of the president, Mrs. William E. Racine.

Our February meeting was a chop suey luncheon at the Kappa house, which in these days of stressed simplicity in entertaining was really a major event. Mrs. Perkins Bass, head of the nurses' aide in Chicago, explained the functions of nurses' aide, and the different branches of the Red Cross.

Our spotlight this letter is focused on the Racine-Potter household, a new experiment in sorority living. Joining forces for the duration, the Reynolds sisters, husbands, children and babies, are sharing a rambling commodious house in Evanston. In an atmosphere where 18th century furniture rubs elbows with Swedish modern in a friendly way, and where there are two bath tables in use at once in the master bathroom, life goes merrily on from the first six A.M. bottle to the last, anytime at night. As if two husbands, two wives, two youngsters and two babies were not enough, this busy house boasts as its latest acquisition a Navy wife (Kappa, of course) in the person of Peg Parker Brinker, who holds sway on the third floor. Watching over all is amiable Alberta, the dark angel of the ménage, who loves all her young charges, and enjoys all the hustle and the rustle that constantly resound in the house. This is the household of our president, Mrs. William E. Racine (Dorothy Reynolds), and her sister, Mrs. W. Keller Potter (Muriel Reynolds), our treasurer; here is the hub of much activity and the center of Kappa information for one and all, and especially for a struggling KEY correspondent.

PATSY FLENTYE HIGGINBOTHAM

### Minnesota—Established 1892

The program of dinners scheduled for the Minnesota alumnae association for this year has largely replaced our pre-war smaller group meet-

ings. Through the efforts of our officers and the generosity of the members we have had two dinners besides the Founders' day banquet at the Woman's club in Minneapolis.

In December Marion Fletcher Bennett (Mrs. Russell H.) turned over her home to some hundred of us for a dinner entertainment provided by Josephine Allen Poehler (Mrs. Kenneth), who told us of the interesting work she is doing in the Sister Kenny treatment for polio patients at Sheltering Arms.

For our February meeting at Corice Woodruff Caswell's (Mrs. Austin B.), Jessie Askason Wold (Mrs. Albert W.) gave a delightful condensed reading of the current New York play "Kiss and Tell," and we had an interesting talk on Mrs. Thorne's miniature rooms on exhibit at the Minneapolis Art institute.

We have no project for this year as yet. However, our rummage sale of last spring was a financial success, heralded as it was by a skit, a satire on rummage sales, put on by Little Chi at its annual spring luncheon. Rachel Lynch O'Brien (Mrs. Wallace H.), as stylist for the "Rummage Sale Gridiron," kept the group entertained during the costume changes. Betty Hunt Patterson (Mrs. M. Wilder), in her going away outfit from the late '20s, evoked a nostalgic laugh from us all.

Our membership continues to grow. We have lost some girls, but are happy to welcome those who have joined us from all parts of the country and enjoy having them work with us to keep our association a growing and active one.

MARION MCC. LYNN

### Gamma Sigma—Chartered 1928

University of Manitoba, Winnipeg,  
Manitoba, Canada

November 2 we pledged 14 girls. January 3 we initiated Barbara Ross. February 6 we had initiation and our annual banquet. New members are Claire Allison, Elizabeth Cameron, Elizabeth Fyles, Barbara Macarthur, Eleanor South and Barbara White. Eleanor South was chosen the prize pledge, and received the sorority ring.

In November we were pleased to entertain Mrs. R. E. Howell, president of Epsilon province. A dinner and reception were given in her honor.

War work during the past term has consisted mainly of a dance in aid of the Kinsmen Milk for Britain fund. This enabled us to present the Kinsmen with a cheque for \$150. Plans are now underway to sponsor a theatre night in aid of the Red Cross. Afghan squares are still being turned in by all members.

February 20 a campus reception was given for members of the sororities and fraternities in the university.

### Personal

Pat MacCharles, as representative of home economics, was chosen queen of the Ice carnival.



**Winnipeg—Chartered 1928**

We had our January meeting at the home of Olive Brown and had an enjoyable evening.

January 23 we entertained at a tea members of the Royal Canadian Air Force Women's Division. There was a good turnout and we felt it was a successful afternoon.

February 13 members of the active chapter were our guests at a tea. We like to keep in touch with the active chapter and this tea was a grand way of getting us all together.

We have decided to have a book review read by one of the members at each of our meetings. It seems an excellent idea and will keep us well informed on the new books.

RUTH ELDERS (Mrs. John E.)

**Gamma Tau—Chartered 1929**

North Dakota State College, Fargo, North Dakota

Last spring Gamma Tau was given the Panhellenic scholarship plaque for the highest three-term average of the campus sororities. As yet no sorority has succeeded in keeping the plaque more than one year, but we're aiming at that goal now with two terms of top averages for 1943-44.

Valentine's day we planned an informal musical party for pledges and actives in the chapter house after our weekly Monday night pot-luck.

Marine Major Michiel Dobervich, one of the 10 who escaped from a Japanese prison camp in the Philippines, was our honored guest at a recent pot-luck. Major Dobervich made the "March of Death" at Bataan.

For the war effort we have given entertainments for the AST and the Air Corps Cadets stationed on the campuses. Some of the girls have rolled bandages at the Red Cross, and others are nurses' aides.

*Personals*

Beatrice Grotte was initiated February 5.

Doris Bjorklund, our chapter president, was elected to  $\Phi K \Phi$ .

New Guidon members are Jean Mason Guy, Dorothy Myhra and Mary Bristol.

Kathryn Householder was initiated into  $\Sigma A I$ .

In recent elections Beverly Gunness (pledge) was chosen secretary of the freshman class.

Jean Mason Guy, Harriet Alymer Waxler and

Marjorie Nees Lindemann have returned to college this term as their husbands are on active duty with the Navy and Army.

It's a very different year on the NDSC campus without our usual Spectrum and Bison Homecoming.

The pledges were formally introduced into society October 31. The original pledge class made its sorority debut at the Founders' day banquet, when the girls presented a Kappa song.

Rushing produced many new ideas, notable among them the Hollywood Canteen, when the members impersonated Hollywood movie stars. We surprised even ourselves with some convincing performances.

Since rushing we have had several open houses for the AST boys at NDSC and for the enlisted men at the Army administration school.

Eunice Walster is playing in "Lady Precious Stream," and Betty Lou Payne is playing the lead in "The Eve of St. Mark," with three other Kappas in minor roles.

KATHRYN HOUSEHOLDER

**North Dakota—Chartered 1926**

Our November meeting in the lounge of Old Main at the college, was an auction to aid our financial program. Louise Fuller Freeman (Mrs. Russel) made a charming auctioneer and the affair was a great success.

Following a custom of many years, members of Gamma Tau had a Christmas luncheon December 26 at the Gardner hotel. Actives, pledges and alumnæ members were present, with out-of-town Kappas as special guests. Miss Nieta Amarol, of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, was an honored guest.

The January meeting was devoted entirely to Red Cross work.

Probably our most outstanding meeting so far this year was the February meeting, when we had as our guest speaker Mrs. Paul Kops who, with her two children, was interned for two years at Santo Tomas camp in the Philippines. She spoke of the routine of camp life, diet for adults and children and entertainment to relieve monotonous days. Mr. and Mrs. Kops and family, formerly of North Dakota, but residents of Shanghai for a number of years, returned to this country on the *Gripsholm*. Mr. Kops was interned at Shanghai.

JANE HARTUNG

## Zeta Province

**Theta—Chartered 1875**

University of Missouri, Columbia, Missouri

Theta chapter's activities this year reflect interest in the war effort. We gave up our fall dance and donated the money to the Red Cross. Our girls have been taking their turn at rolling bandages. We have two girls who are filling in their extra time by serving as nurses' aides. Every other Tues-

day night at the Canteen has been designated as Kappa night and the house turns out to dance with the Servicemen. We've given numerous open houses for the Air Corps stationed in Columbia.

Our February dance was given with a Valentine theme.

Our pledges made the second highest grades of all pledge classes on the Missouri campus the fall term.



Theta chapter collected \$8,000 for the war bond drive in February.

February 12 we initiated the following 23 pledges: Jean Elizabeth Adam, Maizie Lou Coe, Gloria Wilkerson Collins, Janell Leon Davis, Margaret Elizabeth Dennis, Beverly Jane Dickinson, Mary Emma Donnell, Jeanne Dougherty, Virginia Joan Gillam, Elizabeth Jane Greening, Suzanne Kingsbury Grigsby, Virginia Lee Hollingsworth, Florence Fuller Hyde, Ida May Lohman, Antoinette Caroline Milligan, Juliet Ann Moss, Marylyn Nesbitt, Virginia Ann Ricker, Sophia Anne Russell, Marilyn Anita Swartzel, Patsie Irene Tucker, Carolyn Louise Whitmore and Betty Pickett Windsor.

The newly-elected officers are: president, Jean Tucker; house president, Pamela Barton; rush captain, Maude Garth; corresponding secretary, Jeanne Dougherty.

#### Personals

Gloria Collins (pledge) was recognized for having made the highest grades of any pledge on the Missouri campus the fall term.

Barbara Clark is president of student religious council, a member of the Women's Student Government association, president of Missouri's university art committee; she is also prominent in various other organizations. We are proud of Barbara for being vice-president of all the Presbyterian young people's associations in the United States.

Jane McPherson is business manager of the Missouri yearbook, the *Savitar*.

Barbara Hitts is business manager of Missouri university's workshop.

Marianna Landrum has just been initiated into Γ A X, national journalism fraternity.

Pamela Barton has been initiated into Δ Φ Δ, honorary art fraternity.

SOPHIA ANNE RUSSELL

### Beta Zeta—Chartered 1882

University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa

Beta Zeta Kappas have hit their stride this year and, despite the changes that a wartime campus brings, are experiencing a worthwhile year. The University of Iowa endorses an active war program. In February, there was a world student service fund drive. The chapter contributed 100%, as well as joining in projects of child care, book collections and others. Several Kappas are on the main USO committee which provides entertainments for the 1,500 Army men and 2,000 Naval cadets on campus. All of the girls work regularly at the University hospital, Children's hospital and surgical dressing rooms. Kappas had the honor of being the only coeds asked to participate in the successful production of "Sound-off" by the ASTP.

We all feel that this year has taught us to be more coöperative, and better citizens in our college world. Looking forward to next year, we all hope to make it a more active one, in which we

Kappas can learn better how to become understanding women in the post-war world.

In the initiation ceremony February 5, the following girls became active members of Beta Zeta chapter: Sally Birdsall, Clare Donahoe, Mary Alice Dorr, Marilyn Forbes, Martha Garrett, Jean Gittens, Geraldine Hoffman, Dorothy Inglis, Mary Jane Moore, Abigail Morrison, Mary Shreves, Margaret Shuttleworth and Patricia Tobin.

PATRICIA TOBIN

### Iowa City—Established 1921

The Iowa City Kappa alumnae chapter misses the several members who have followed their husbands to service assignments elsewhere. New members have joined us whose husbands are here with the Navy Pre-Flight school and the Army ASTP. We welcome them. Virginia Barr Wilson is our Army-Navy representative.

The war work of our group is an individual project. Each does her share, whether it is helping at the USO, spending regular hours at the Red Cross, selling war bonds or having servicemen at dinner.

Our alumnae program for the year began last August with an evening garden party for the rushees at Anita Hopkins Mercer's. A September tea was at the home of our president, Helen Davison Lambert. Founders' day dinner was at the Kappa house, where the Founders' scholarship key was awarded to Gretchen Altfillisch. At the pledge tea in November, at Ada Hutchinson's, each alumna agreed to subscribe for one or more magazines. The pledges sang chapter songs, and quoted minutes from old Kappa records.

The Nora Waln fund received \$18.75 from the white elephant sale at Annette Cannon's in December. Thirty were present at an evening meeting in January at Anita Mercer's. This was Helen Ledyard Whisler's last meeting before returning to California. We look forward to another evening meeting in February at Alice Bordwell's, and another record attendance.

MARGARET FLUCKINGER DYKE

### Omega—Chartered 1883

University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas

Omega chapter completed the first full semester at the university March 1. During that time we have had two successful rush weekends.

In connection with the war program on the campus, members of the chapter have volunteered to roll bandages for the Red Cross Monday evenings. Others have contributed their blood to the university blood bank, and all have subscribed to purchase their quota of war stamps each month. January 23 several servicemen on the campus, who are Kappa relatives from other schools, were invited to the house for dinner.

Members of the alumnae association were invited to dinner in February, and two evenings during the semester we entertained faculty members.

Doris Sheppard was initiated November 12.



*Personals*

Paula Reeve and Anne Louise Rossman were initiated into  $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$ , journalism honorary.

Martha Rayl was pledged to  $\Delta \Phi \Delta$ , art honorary.

Members of the department of Journalism Press club are Mary Morrill, Paula Reeve, Virginia Gunsolly, Anne Louise Rossman and Hanna Hedrick.

Anne Louise Rossman and Virginia Gunsolly were named editor-in-chief and assistant managing editor, respectively, of the university *Daily Kansan*. Anne Louise was also editor of the university directory.

Mary Morrill was elected rush captain.

Two new members of  $T \Sigma$ , modern dance honorary, are Patty Orr (pledge) and Kathryn Krehbiel (pledge).

Margaret Butler Lillard and Marjorie Free (pledge) were advanced to the semi-finals in the intramural ping-pong tournament.

Frances Morrill has been elected as a new member of Jay Janes, honorary pep sorority.

As a member of the coed volunteer corps, Marilyn Maloney has been chosen to sell defense stamps to the girls in the house.

Four new members of Quack club are Marjorie Free, Jeanne McGrew, Martha Lou Little and Kathryn Krehbiel, all pledges.

Head of the Women's Athletic association dance classes for servicemen is Marilyn McEwen.

Virginia Brehm was nominated as candidate for the bond dance during the Fourth War Loan.

HANNA HEDRICK

**Lawrence, Kansas—Established 1902**

Among the several thousand students in the War Training Courses at Kansas university are two students whose mothers are Kappas. These young students have been entertained in Kappa homes in Lawrence, and Kappa ties have been strengthened thereby.

The alumnae association has a smaller membership this year, for in addition to the names in the December KEY, the following have moved away: Mrs. Helen Shinn,  $\Omega$ -Kansas, to Denver; Julia Henry Nesley (Mrs. Jack),  $\Omega$ , to Albuquerque, N.M.; Ella Marie Anderson Higgins (Mrs. W. E.),  $\Omega$  to Springfield, Ohio; Julia Shipman Stough (Mrs. Charles D.),  $\Omega$  to Chicago.

Gradually our magazine subscriptions have increased. We have secured nine subscriptions, permitting \$6.15 credit to be applied to the Rose McGill fund.

The alumnae association had its annual rummage sale, November 27, which netted \$150, larger than usual, due to the generous participation in contributions and time of alumnae and actives. As is customary, one-half of this amount was presented to the active chapter, and with the remainder the association invested in a \$100 war bond. Plans for next year's sale are already in the making.

The friendly relationship between the active chapter and the alumnae association is shown in

many ways: the buffet supper, Founders' day, to which the alumnae were invited; several magazine subscriptions by the chapter to the association's magazine agency; and all through the rummage sale, the actives were on duty in relays to sell and wrap the articles. Each active who did not contribute articles made a \$2 donation, all of which made the rummage sale the success and fun it was.

The Kappa mothers entertained the association in December with a delightful tea at Mrs. Frederick E. Kester's. In spite of icy streets there was a large attendance.

The association's program for the year, though short, is instructive concerning Kappa interest, local and national, and is discussed "over the lunch boxes." Mrs. Dolph Simons, vice-president, was the January hostess, serving candies, dessert and coffee.

We learn that Dorothy Ainsworth, youngest daughter of the late Bertha Kilworth Ainsworth,  $\Omega$ , has pledged Kappa at Manhattan, and that Dorothy Wyant, daughter of one of the five Ainsworth sisters, Omega Kappas, has pledged Kappa at Washington university, making the Ainsworth family 100% Kappa.

MAUDE LANDIS

**Sigma—Chartered 1884****University of Nebraska, Lincoln, Nebraska**

Sigma chapter will celebrate its 60th anniversary at the annual alumnae banquet at the chapter house this spring. Active and alumnae members cooperate in arranging entertainment, after which awards will be presented to the outstanding pledge and to the active member with highest scholarship.

Books were brought to tea when Kappas entertained their mothers at a party which combined pleasure with practicality. A campus drive was in full swing for books for Army hospitals, and the "tea tickets" brought by our mothers boosted Sigma's pile considerably.

Time given to war work is a big part of college schedules this year at Nebraska as on other campuses. Members of Sigma chapter roll Red Cross surgical dressings Saturday mornings, pitch into emergency civic relief work or help entertain soldiers at the USO. Several girls took part in the recent campus war show, a smashing success, from which profits went to various branches of war work.

*Personals*

June Jamieson was appointed editor of the *Daily Nebraskan*. June is a member of the student council and is correspondent for *Mademoiselle* on the Nebraska campus.

Listed in collegiate *Who's Who* were three members of Sigma: Betty Hohf, Catherine Wells and June Jamieson.

Myra Colberg was chosen as Nebraska's entry for typical coed in *Mademoiselle's* monthly contest for outstanding war work in colleges.



Jeanne Guenzel is head of Charm School, popular women's activity.

Hazel Abel is a member of the student council.

MERCEDES CALDWELL



*Manpower shortage hits serenading in wartime, so Σ-Nebraska Kappas help the Α Τ Ωs with a high note or two.*

### Lincoln, Nebraska—Established 1903

December 5 Lincoln alumnae met for a luncheon at the home of Frances Westervelt Flansburg (Mrs. Leonard). After a short business meeting, the time was taken up with packing Red Cross kits. We are still sending cookies to the USO, and individually the women are all busy with various kinds of war work. We are planning a tea in the near future at which we intend to honor service women stationed at the Lincoln Air Base.

February 7 we met at the home of Fay Teel Wells (Mrs. Fred) for a dinner meeting. After a short business meeting, we enjoyed an evening of games.

We are looking forward to celebrating Sigma's 60th anniversary at our banquet, though of course it will be on a war-time basis.

JUDY CUNNINGHAM MINIER

### Gamma Alpha—Chartered 1916

Kansas State College, Manhattan, Kansas

Last November 13 we initiated four more girls: Dorothy Venning, Marianne Studt, Rosemary Griffin and Martha Ann Fuller.

Martha Peterson has been elected as our new chapter president. Other new officers elected at the same time were Martha Ann Fuller, corresponding secretary; Betty Schell, Panhellenic representative, and Ruth Elaine Soultter, rush captain.

Gamma Alpha members are planning a skit for Y Orpheum, an annual variety show on our campus. We feel that our theme should be light and gay to ease the tension everyone feels nowadays. Because of this, we have voted to put on a minstrel show. We have also decided that since a minstrel

show is comparatively inexpensive, we will purchase a bond with the difference in the expense of this skit and our last one.

### Personals

Margaret Anne Massengill has been elected to Φ K Φ.

Beatrice Sundgren was elected to O N, home economics honorary.

Martha Peterson was in the upper five per cent for scholarship in her freshman and sophomore years, and received sophomore recognition. She was also chosen for Φ A M, arts and science honorary.

Betty Schell is secretary of the sophomore class and has also been chosen to represent the sophomore class on the board of directors of the Kansas State College Building association.

We have entered Dorothy Ainsworth (pledge) and Arma Jo Smith (pledge) as our candidates for *Royal Purple* beauty queen.

Nancy Heberer was elected to Θ Ξ, journalism honorary.

Edith Willis is president of Panhellenic.

Mary Ann Luhnnow (pledge) is the vice-president of the interfraternity pledge council.

Pat Williams, Γ Z, a transfer student from the University of Arizona, had the ingenue role in the play, "Heaven Can Wait."

Martha Peterson is a coörganizer of the newly-formed organization for medical technicians.

JANE RAY GEBHART

### Gamma Theta—Chartered 1921

Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa

The Gamma Theta chapter has entertained the aviation students at several parties, hostessed at the USO this first semester, and is continuing its war efforts, also doing some sewing for the aviation students. The pledges have entertained the other sorority girls on campus. The Kappas were basketball champions, also.

Barbara Butler and Lois Fish (pledge) will shortly obtain their private pilot's licenses, with an eye to WASP training this summer. Barbara Reipe was in a university production, "Out of the Frying Pan." Recently graduated, Frankie Ritchey is now a medical student at the University of Chicago. She obtained a Kappa fellowship.

BARBARA BUTLER

### Des Moines—Established 1920

The Founders' day banquet at the Kappa chapter house, October 11, was the opening gun for a busy season for the Des Moines association. A warm feeling of close fellowship and renewed endeavor developed as we acquired inspiration from the program and from seeing war-busy friends again. We were fortunate to have as guest speaker, Lieutenant Prudence Merriman, X-Minnesota, WAC. Marie Lampson (Mrs. Homer), Γ T-North Dakota; Ellen Clemmens, Γ T, and Ethel Sylvester (Mrs. R. H.) B Z-Iowa, alumnae, and Betty Ann



Rider, Γ T, active member, were responsible for the enjoyable time everyone had.

Last year we were primarily concerned with the organization and directing of alumnae members to assist war-work organizations. This year we are vitally concerned with the progress and results of yesterday's plans, while adding more activities as we see additional opportunities to help.

We have been having interesting and well-attended monthly dinner meetings. We use these as a clearing house for all our individual efforts. The programs have been direct contacts with the various women's service groups through their procuring personnel. Representatives from the WAVE and Marine Corps spoke at the January meeting. The membership committee has been on the job this year and we have more paid members than in several years and our general membership is steadily increasing.

We are proud of the splendid, patriotic service given by Bertha Jewett (Mrs. Gerald), B Z, and her committee of seven Kappa alumnae to the Iowa war bond committee at Christmas. Bertha is chairman of the specialties committee and is the creator of the design used by the state committee for corsages and Christmas decorations for purchasers of war savings stamps. These articles have plastic capsules attached for the stamps. Before Christmas the following alumnae members worked many long hours to make more than 200 of these specialties: Ethel Sylvester (Mrs. R. H.), B Z; Miriam Diehl (Mrs. Albert), Γ T; Helen Reppert, Γ T; Mary Brown, Γ T; Doris Black (Mrs. Malcolm), Γ T, and Harriett Bryant (Mrs. Hughes), B Z. Reports from the Iowa war bond committee state that Iowa is doing more than any other state in the specialty committee work, which, of course is gratifying to us.

More results of last year's planning can be seen in our main and "pet" project, the original Kappa room at the Locust street USO center. February 5-6 more than 1,500 men and women in uniform enjoyed the Kappa room. The master RCA and the Victrola attract so many that the room is also called the "music room." It is a meeting place intimate enough for families to get together with their service boys and girls. Alumnae members serve as senior and junior hostesses for the snack bar and act as helpers in other capacities. February 10 came an appeal for "button-sewer-on-ers" for the service men, Sunday morning. I know that many of us will be glad to forego church occasionally to get in on the fun of doing this!

At the Camp Dodge induction center, north of Des Moines, many Kappa alumnae often serve as junior hostesses at the recreation hall. This is a real help, as some of these young boys have a hard time adjusting during the changeover.

Three of our members doing additional war work through the Girl Scouts, on the Girl Scout council, are Jean Cownie (Mrs. James W.), Γ T; Mary Kurtz (Mrs. Bernard), Γ T, and Dorothy Hedke (Mrs. Herbert), Δ H-Utah. Our association president, Ethel Sylvester (Mrs. R. H.), is working on

the radio council, serving as chairman of the survey and evaluation committee.

DOROTHY HERZINGER HEDKE

## Gamma Iota—Chartered 1921

### Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri

With finals once again behind us, we Gamma Iotas planned activities for the new semester. Probably the most outstanding event was the initiation of 16 pledges at the end of February. Second semester rushing has been under way now, and though the war has robbed us of our BMOCs, there seem to be plenty of BWOCs in the offing.

Of course, interest in war work has been renewed with vigor, and all of our members are engaged in at least one activity which they pursue regularly. The war work on our campus includes being a nurses' aide, preparing surgical dressings, first aid courses, donating blood, and USO work. Our USO work deals chiefly with the 2,000 service men "on-campus," and provisions have been made to entertain them at open house parties Sunday afternoons and Wednesday evenings. A dance was planned for February 26, for which dates were strictly G.I.

### Personals

Two seniors, Frances Royse, president of the chapter, and Patricia Wolfe, have been elected to Mortar Board.

## St. Louis—Established 1903

The programs planned for the St. Louis alumnae association in the past year have been most interesting and appropriate, including a talk by Loretta Vrooman, OPA representative; a review of *The Robe* by Dr. B. F. Hall, one of our fine St. Louis ministers; and a talk on "Causes of the War," given by Mrs. Charles J. Colley, who has spent considerable time in England the past few years.

Last year's innovation of a dinner meeting attended jointly by our husbands proved so successful that we repeated the idea this year to hear an interesting talk by Dr. David Spencer on his experiences in Japan.

One of our biggest projects of the year was the opening of the rooms at the YWCA for the use of service women. Elizabeth Arden furnished a beautiful powder room and the members worked untiringly to produce a restful lounge for reading, writing of letters, entertaining and just generally relaxing.

The sewing for the Needlework Guild under the able direction of Bettie Painter Garretson (Mrs. J. A.) is being carried on as usual with great success, in spite of the numerous diverting activities of the members.

Among those individuals who have unusual accomplishments to their credit this year is Patty Mansfield, a recent graduate of Washington university, whose excellent short story, *Finest Type in Scotland*, was published in the August, 1943, issue of *Children's Playmate*.

MARGARET ROEHLER ALLEN



# Eta Province

## Beta Mu—Chartered 1901

### University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado

Because the Kappas of Beta Mu were not a functioning chapter until November, you have had no word from us since last April. And changes have taken place! The college is now on the semester basis. As a consequence rush week was not until the last week in October, when we pledged 19 girls. November 23 we had our Thanksgiving dinner, before one of the longer holidays, since we had only Christmas day during the holiday season. The dinner was followed by a pledge talent show. The Christmas party, December 30, rocked Kappa halls when a real Santa in the person of Joan Stapp distributed the gifts that afterwards went to the Boulder day nursery.

Margaret Detweiller has been elected secretary of Associated Women Students, and to the junior honorary, Hesperia, along with Joan Pratt and Barbara Graves. Margaret is also YWCA secretary and member of the women's governing body, Senate. Joan was also elected YWCA commissioner. The Panhellenic dessert party, February 3, announced that Kathryn Freed had highest grades of senior women, and Mary Alice Hitt highest of junior women.

Our activities have not been confined to studies and entertainment alone. Every Tuesday and Thursday sees Caryol Holter, Tamma Isles, Rita Grace Waters, Mary Hawkinson and Jane Warren going to nurses' aide. Thanet Schuerman has as her Red Cross work life-saving and water safety. Last spring Margaret Detweiller organized the Minute Maids, who have done an excellent job in the Fourth War Loan drive, as well as those which preceded it.

For those of us who were in the summer and intersession we had a fine treat in getting to know Kappas from Texas, SMU, the University of Oklahoma and Louisiana. We have a little better conception of what being a Kappa means, and are enjoying it more, if that is possible. Soon our officers will be replaced by the oncoming generation to carry the Beta Mu chapter forward.

### Personals

Marjorie Cross was elected to ASUC council.

PATSY O'ROURKE

## Gamma Beta—Chartered 1918

### University of New Mexico, Albuquerque New Mexico

With only Christmas day off, Gamma Beta chapter stepped back into its regular busy schedule with a cheery smile. War work still plays the most important part in our chapter. The surgical dressing room has been opened for two days a week instead of its regular one day a week, and the Kappas have made a splendid showing.

The most important social function of the season as far as the sororities are concerned was the annual Sadie Hawkins dance, in the Student Union ballroom February 12. The main feature was the presentation of war-stamp corsages to every boy by his date. Regular Sadie Hawkins dress was the style; the commanding officer granted permission for the Navy boys on campus to dress in dungarees for the occasion.

February 7, due to war time restrictions, our annual Panhellenic scholarship banquet was replaced by a scholarship tea. Marjorie Tireman was awarded a \$25 war bond as the most outstanding freshman woman on campus in scholastic standing.

### Personals

Caroline Parkhurst is a member of Mortar Board.

Linda Bell (pledge) was chosen Sweetheart of Sigma Chi.

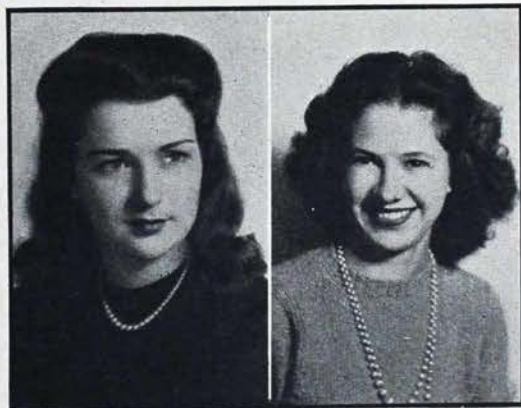
Kathleen Argall was made a member of  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$ , national history honorary.

Ann Chisholm was made a member of  $\Delta$   $\kappa$   $\Delta$ , national sociology honorary.

Julie Jones was elected president of Boots and Saddle club.

Caroline Parkhurst was made president of  $\Sigma$   $\Delta$   $\Gamma$ , national music honorary.

Members elected to Spurs, national honorary for sophomore women, are Caroline West, Marjorie Tireman, Marian Taylor, Connie Ancona and Jean Harris.



ANN CHISHOLM,  $\Gamma$  B—New Mexico, left, was the university's Sun Bowl queen and Jeanne Yashvin, right, was Homecoming queen at New Mexico.

## Albuquerque—Established 1921

We regretted not having our annual fashion show last fall, but felt arrangements for it would be most difficult and impractical this year. So our energy was turned to volunteer work at St. Joseph's



hospital. Groups of 11 to 15 women work there every Tuesday afternoon and evening, Thursday evening and all day Friday. Sister Remy, who is in charge of their work, says they have been useful, enthusiastic workers.

We are trying a division into two groups instead of three for this year, and find our attendance is much better. We think the book reviews and motion pictures have made our meetings most enjoyable.

SARA SHORTLE BLUE

### Gamma Omicron—Chartered 1927

#### University of Wyoming, Laramie, Wyoming

The Kappas at Gamma Omicron chapter came back to a university different from the one which they left in the spring of 1943. There were few civilian men on the campus. The Army and Navy had taken over the men's dormitories and also the women's dormitories. It was necessary to put more girls in the house, and to put more girls in each room. However, we have fared well and now have the largest group of sorority girls on this campus.

The Kappa swimming, baseball, basketball and volleyball teams won second place at every tournament, being defeated only by Alpha Theta, women's honorary for sports. Tharon Mickelson is president of the Women's Athletic association and Margaret Hendry is vice-president.

Since the beginning of 1944 we have pledged six girls, two of them on the university honor roll.

The "Key Kappas" on the campus this year were Margaret Bolle, chapter president, actress, member of Quill club, a Big Sister, and member of  $\Sigma A I$ ; Lucille Chambers, associate member of  $\Psi X$ , secretary of the publications committee, class officer and circulation manager of the *Branding Iron*; Margie McCalla, chapter president, member of  $\Phi \Sigma I$ , Spurs, Panhellenic, and member of the Associated Women Students board; Jerry Riley, class officer, most popular girl in 1943, member of Women's Athletic association, and member of the Powder River ball committee; Patricia Metz, house president, prize winner at stock show, officer of the Agriculture club, member of the Associated Women Students board, member of college poetry society, 4-H club,  $\Psi X$ ,  $\Theta A \Phi$ , officer of Quill club and member of Women's Athletic association; Jean Faulkner, standards chairman, member of Mortar Board, Spurs,  $\Phi T O$ , home economics club, and vice-president of the Associated Women Students board.

The Kappa chapter has been well represented in the shows given by the AST unit stationed at Laramie. One program in the fall was given entirely by Kappas and soldiers.

Many of the Kappas are trying to do something to help in the war effort. Myrtle Lucey and Lois Hanway are nurses' aides. Some of the girls plan to enter the women's services. The whole chapter entertained at the local USO, February 3.

At the honors assembly Margaret Bolle received the dramatics honor book, Frances Ross the music

honor book, and Patricia Metz the poetry honor book.

PATRICIA METZ

### Laramie—Chartered 1927

With Army husbands taking away some of our members each day, those left in our small Laramie association are dizzy from keeping up with all of the duties thrust upon them.

Our project of furnishing the chapter room at the Kappa house is progressing nicely. We have now had linoleum laid and the walls decorated. We bought material for drapes which some of the Cheyenne mothers generously offered to make. The blue-and-blue color scheme was used throughout, and the attractive results make us proud of our achievement.

Instead of the usual gift each year for the student having the highest scholastic standing within the chapter, we are having a scroll made for a permanent record of members receiving such honor.

As the Kappa alumnae have the reputation of giving the highest class rummage sales in the city, our usual clientele appeared February 5 and filled the coffers once more. We must credit a part of this success to the Cheyenne association, which sent us a grand box.

Plans are now under way for the annual breakfast for pledges and actives. The usual Valentine breakfast had to be canceled. With the AST troops filling every available space on the campus, all of our pet quarters for entertaining are now occupied.

February 12 most of us had a busy day helping with initiation and enjoying the banquet which followed.

Due to rationing it is impossible to continue the monthly dinners at the house, but we were guests at a lovely Christmas party there and have been invited for dessert on special occasions, including Founders' day and the anniversary of our own chapter's birth.

In addition to Kappa activities many of our members are engaged in war work activities, such as rolling bandages at the surgical dressings room, acting as hostesses at the USO center, donating blood for the blood bank and entertaining soldiers in our homes.

CLARA HICKERSON PERMAN

### Cheyenne, Wyoming—Chartered 1934

The Cheyenne association again played the role of Santa Claus at Christmas. This year each member gave two small gifts to the Red Cross, which in turn gave them to the men in two wards of the station hospital at Fort Warren. It is our hope that this action added to the enjoyment and happiness of these indisposed men who had to spend the holidays away from their homes and friends. Their gratitude was expressed to us through the Red Cross.

The association has also given magazine subscriptions to the hospital. By doing so, we have



assured the patients of regular copies of the best reading material.

Our association has also been listed for availability to fulfill any small duties which the hospital staff sees fit to request of us. The individual Red Cross work done by our members is commendable. Peg Forsyth (Mrs. W. S.) is staff assistant and spends many hours fulfilling her duties. Our representative in the Gray Ladies is Helen Bond (Mrs. V.). Kappa also had many representatives in the canteen corps, and in the other services which require so much aid in these critical times.

MARY ELLEN WEYBRECHT

### Delta Zeta—Chartered 1932

#### Colorado College, Colorado Springs, Colorado

Activities and more activities have made these last few months busy ones for Delta Zeta. With frequent open houses for our Navy V-12 unit, and monthly USO dances, we're combining fun with war work. Monday night dinners have been replaced by occasional desserts, and our social functions this year are characterized by fewer decorations and more uniforms.

With Sally Kettring and Virginia Gillis elected vice-president and treasurer of Tiger club, Nancy Van Stone, chairman of war activities committee and new treasurer of Panhellenic; Abigail Howe, secretary of senior class, and Pat Guthrie serving as vice-president of WAA, we're busy with campus as well as social activities.



Nancy Van Stone

Lois Wilson and Jean Armstrong are in *Who's Who in American Colleges* and were elected to Outstanding Senior Women, comparable to Mortar Board. Incidentally, Jean is president of Colorado College Players, C.C.'s dramatic organization. Speaking of dramatics, Barbara Tallant (pledge) and Hazel Spore played leading roles in "My Sister Eileen," the current play sponsored by the C.C. Players.

On the intellectual side Jackie Lawson is Delta Zeta's newest member of  $\Phi$  B K. Jane Burritt was also initiated.

ROBIN PALMER

### Colorado Springs—Chartered 1933

The Colorado Springs association, during the past month, had the pleasure of having two visitors—Mrs. Glenn E. Oliver, province vice-president, and Mrs. L. E. Cox, field secretary. Both met with alumnae officers and advisors in special conferences. Much enthusiasm from the many interesting topics discussed and many workable ideas for the betterment of the association resulted from these conferences.

The February meeting was at the home of Helen Brobeck Gallup (Mrs. Gordon). Dessert was served by the hostesses, Helen Gallup and Aleanor Cool. This year a two-fold aim has been devised for chapter activity: the first, working closely and helpfully as an organization and individually with the active chapter; second, to be active and helpful as an organization and individually in the war effort. To the end of the first aim all advisors reported upon their conferences with Mrs. Oliver and Mrs. Cox, and their contacts during the month with the active chapter. It was urged that all members attend at least one active meeting before the end of the school year, increase the association membership by bringing a non-active Kappa to the next meeting, and invite active chapter members to attend the association meetings. In keeping with the second aim, the president, Betty Bell Burke (Mrs. William) reported upon the successful coffee hour which the Kappa alumnae gave at the YMCA for the servicemen. A special thank-you was extended to Florence Reid Sanford (Mrs. Jasper), who was in charge of the arrangements. Several projects suitable for the alumnae to undertake to aid in the war effort were suggested and discussed, and the members present reported individual time contributed toward war activity. The activities reported: Mabel Birdsall (Mrs. George) is busy with canteen work; Martha Crouch (Mrs. John B.) spends 13 hours a week at the WRC; Margaret Waterton is doing USO and Red Cross work; Marian Denoya (Mrs. Maurice) assists with church dinners given for the servicemen, with occasional work at the YMCA for the USO; Margaret and Lucy Reid are active in war bond and stamp drives; Florence Sanford (Mrs. Jasper) serves as senior hostess at the WRC; Isabel Conroy helps with the USO; Katherine McCuan works for the Navy V-12 at Colorado college, and helps at the WRC; Helen Brobeck Gallup (Mrs. Gordon) devotes time to the WRC; Dorothy Atwater Klaiber (Mrs. Harold) has been a blood donor. Others of our members have taken positions down town to help where men have been called to war.

We are glad to have three new members join our group. We welcome Margaret Johnson, B N-Ohio State, who is now working at the Camp Carson station hospital on bacteriological research; Barbara Miller Adney (Mrs. Richard), B N, who is here with her husband, Lieutenant Adney, stationed at Camp Carson; and Virginia Smith,  $\Delta$  H-Utah, who is here with her family while her father, Col. Smith, is stationed at Camp Carson.

LUZILLA EUBANK BITTING

### Pueblo—Chartered 1940

January 12 the Pueblo alumnae enjoyed a supper meeting honoring Mrs. Glenn Oliver, province vice-president. This meeting was attended by 27 of our members, at the home of Helen Quigg, with the following hostesses: Lois Mathis, Helen Peterson, Rosemary Gobin, Madelyn DesJardins, Mary Margaret Mayhugh and Nettie S. Freed.



This Christmas our group played Santa Claus in answer to a small boy's letter. All his wishes were granted and the organization expects to make an annual practice of answering letters to Santa Claus.

We are quite proud of the seven Pueblo girls who have been pledged to various chapters throughout the country.

#### Personals

Ethel Wolf (Mrs. Frank) is the new president of the Pueblo chapter of the American Women's Voluntary Services. Alice Carlile is a volunteer secretary for the AWVS, also serving with its board of directors and motor transport.

Eleanor Sheldon (Mrs. H. R.) has been exceptionally active in the Red Cross organization, at one time organizing the blood donors and serving as chief of the staff at our local Red Cross chapter house.

HELEN QUIGG

### Delta Eta—Chartered 1932

University of Utah, Salt Lake City, Utah

The Kappas started off the year by winning the Homecoming sweepstakes prize. Our quartet placed first, and our house decorations won third.

This year the Kappas have been active in war work. Once a month we take over the canteen in the USO. We also give monthly parties to enter-



**MEMBERS of Delta Eta's quartet, which placed first in the Homecoming celebration, were, from the left, Beth Wade, Carolyn Crowder, Virginia Forrest and Frances Johnson.**

tain the soldiers stationed on our campus. The girls knit and roll bandages for the Red Cross. Our pledges are required to do 15 hours of war work before they can be initiated.

Our rushing season was successful, climaxed by a banquet for 26 new pledges.

Elaine Heard, Maxine Dunn and Margaret White were initiated February 6.

Three transfer Kappas have affiliated with Delta Eta chapter this year. They are Norma Stratton, B Z-Texas; Marion Cheney, B Φ-Montana, and Darlene Cook, Γ O-Wyoming.

We have been redecorating our house this winter. The Mothers' club had our furniture recovered for us, and the alumnae presented a new lamp to the house.

Several Kappas were in the cast of the varsity play: Gloria Watkins (pledge), Jacqueline McIntyre, Patricia Packard, Mary Jo Pallanch, Bonnie Howells, Beverly Jane Andrus, and the Kappa quartette, consisting of Beth Wade, Carolyn Crowder, Gloria Watkins and Frances Johnson.

#### Personals

Margaret Poulsen was chosen chairman of the Christmas week celebration. Margaret is a member of Mortar Board and is active on the campus.

Norma Stratton was chosen "the girl we would like most to have haunt us" by the Associated Men Students.

Joy Wilson was chosen to serve on the junior prom committee as sophomore representative.

MARIAN CLAY

### Utah (Salt Lake City)—Chartered 1930

For our February meeting, we tried a new idea, that of having a downtown luncheon meeting at the Hotel Utah. It was a wonderful success, many girls coming whom we haven't seen for a long time. One by one, the war is bringing them home again, and it is really like old times. New advisors to the active chapter were reported, and USO scrapbooks were given to each girl present to complete and return as quickly as possible.

Everyone is looking forward to the visit of Mrs. Glenn Oliver, Eta province president, who will be with us for three days in March. Besides the luncheons and dinner meetings with the different committees, we have planned a buffet supper meeting with the entire association. It is always fun and helpful to have an officer visit with us.

HELEN SHUGRUE SHARP

## Theta Province

### Beta Xi—Chartered 1902

Texas University, Austin, Texas

During the weeks just before the Christmas holidays, members of Beta Xi were kept busy with plans for the Varsity carnival and our annual

Christmas party. The Varsity carnival, December 11, was participated in by all campus organizations. Our chapter exhibit was a play based on the song, "White Christmas." We were all proud when one of the V-12 units entered Betty Burgher (pledge) in the contest for Varsity carnival queen.



The Christmas party was December 16 in the chapter house. Dr. Homer P. Rainey, president of the university, was Santa Claus. He distributed the presents and read poems which accompanied each. Afterwards the presents were given to under-privileged children.

Keeping in tune with campus war activities, we have had a series of open houses for Naval V-12 units stationed at the university. Cakes and coffee are served while couples dance in the games room, and afterwards gather around the piano for songs. We have also entertained members and pledges of K Σ and Δ K E fraternities in the same manner.

At a pledge-active meeting February 1, Mrs. Rainey, B Ξ, alumna, gave a short inspirational talk on scholarship.

The term was climaxed by a visit from Marty Cox, field secretary. Her four-day stay was altogether too short, and we were all sorry to see her go.

#### Personals

Carolyn Joan Boyle is president of Co-ed assembly, and vice-president of Poona club, a badminton club.

Mary Helen Burns was elected president of Bluestockings, president of Π Λ Θ, corresponding secretary of Ashbel literary society and reporter for *Cap and Gown*.

Frances Carrington was elected treasurer of Pierian literary society and of the campus League of Women Voters.

Louise Bird was elected secretary of the San Antonio club, commission chairman at the YWCA, and is on the board of the campus League of Women Voters.

Margaret Brush is president of the Hollins club.

Carolyn Flinn, chapter president, is also president of the YWCA and of the Corpus Christi club.

AUDREY OWINGS

### Beta Theta—Chartered 1914

#### University of Oklahoma, Norman, Oklahoma

To be in keeping with the times Beta Theta Kappas have speeded up their activities, too. As a part of war work, Beta Theta, as a chapter, goes to a Naval hospital once a month to entertain convalescent patients. A war chart has been placed on the bulletin board where each member lists the hours spent in war work each week. The trio from Beta Theta chapter, composed of Hilda Hess, Nan Burg and Betty Grubb, sang on an entertainment program for a Naval base, and was accompanied by Tex Beneke. Many of the Kappas on the O. U. campus are participating in the "Coed Capers," a program for entertaining servicemen.

Beta Theta, with its many activities, has not abandoned cultural interests. Once each month some kind of program is given. Mr. Clarence A. Burg, dean of fine arts at Oklahoma City university, and father of an active Kappa, presented a program of piano music. Another guest, Dr. Cortez A. M. Ewing, professor of government, led an in-

formal discussion on current affairs.

Beta Theta was happy to have as a guest recently Mrs. L. E. (Marty) Cox.

#### Personals

Jeanne Stevens was made a member of the publications board at the university and of Θ Σ Φ, journalism honorary.

Margaret Lee Brown became a member of Δ Φ Δ, art honorary.

Sue Bailey (pledge) was elected vice-president of AWS.

Kappas invited to attend a dinner for outstanding women on the campus were Kathryn Jordan, Hilda Hess, Maida Lambeth, Mary Lou Arnold and Donabel Christian.

DONABEL CHRISTIAN

### Gamma Phi—Chartered 1929

#### Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas

The most important activity of our winter trimester has been our participation in COGS (College Organization for General Service), an organization which claims more significance and interest than any other on the SMU campus today. Our own Peggy Wallace was co-founder of COGS here, has been serving as vice-president for the past trimester, and been elected president for the coming trimester.

Pat Cranfill, Jean Jacoby, Martha Maclay and Ann Northcutt were our fall initiates. November rushing followed a new pattern drawn up by Panhellenic. Four girls were pledged.

Speedball claimed the sports' highlight, with our winning second place in the final scoring. We won first in pingpong and third in archery, and rank second in line for the intramural cup. Ann Meriwether, as sports manager, is now tenaciously leading us to glory on the basketball court.

February 6 loomed as a red-letter day, the date of a gay informal party given for us by our Mothers' club, honoring 50 Hensley Field Naval Cadets. They are planning several more parties of the same type.

Jodie Seegar, as president of WSGA, has reorganized each of the three girls' dormitories to meet their new problems. She is treasurer of Mortar Board and president of Δ Φ Α, German honorary. Jodie still tops the chapter in her record of all A's.

The three Kappas now listed in *Who's Who* are Jodie Seeger, Evlyn Storey and Peggy Wallace. Peggy received an "M" award for service to the university. She is a member of Kirkos, A K Δ, and Ψ X. Evlyn Storey is president of "Y," was chairman of Homecoming; is a member of Σ Δ Π and A P T, and a favorite in the yearbook.

There are five Kappas in Kirkos, an organization of outstanding women on the campus, and Betty Gorsuch has been vice-president. The key position in A K Δ was filled by Jackie Johnston; and Ruth Edwards was secretary. Fannie Lee



Bookhout was elected president of the home economics honorary, and Betsy Oram was corresponding secretary of  $\Lambda \Delta \Delta$ .



Mary Helen  
Smith

Mary Helen Smith, our new president, is a society editor of the campus newspaper. Two pledges, Margaret Leisy and Martha Townsend, are co-editors of the feature section of the yearbook. On the "Y" cabinet are two more pledges. Loma Greenwell and Mary Ellen Mitchell. Anne Rinker is freshman sponsor and secretary of the "Y," and was elected sophomore class secretary. Dorothy Lowry is secretary of the freshman class, and Virginia McLendon was elected secretary of the senior class. Virginia sang with the "Three Co's and an Ed" in the all-school show, "Pigskin Review," and on radio broadcasts.

### Dallas, Texas—Established 1919

We are very proud of having 126 paid members this year, as it has been such a busy year for all of us. The junior and senior groups are meeting together this year for the monthly luncheons, but the business group necessarily still meets at night.

Our November meeting was at the home of Helen Tilley Austin (Mrs. Frank, Jr.),  $B \Xi$ -Texas. Eloise Blevins Kirksey (Mrs. Thomas),  $\Gamma N$ -Arkansas, was our hostess for the January meeting, and Julia Germany Johnson (Mrs. Claiborne),  $\Gamma \Phi$ -SMU, was our hostess in February. After the luncheons our president, Willie Pearl Gardner Dealey (Mrs. Walter),  $B \Xi$ , had a short business session, then we worked for the Lighthouse for the Blind, or made dressings for the Freeman clinic. We enjoyed having our field secretary, Mrs. L. E. Cox, at the February meeting.

The business group, headed by Margaret Hunt,  $B \Xi$ , has helped entertain wounded soldiers convalescing at the Ashburn General hospital, McKinney, Texas, on two occasions this winter, and plans another trip there during February. This group boasts the membership of Major Winifred Stilwell,  $\Omega$ -Kansas, of the WACs, and Ensign Betty Mackeme,  $\Delta E$ -Rollins, of the WAVES.

For our project this year, we have decided upon the most painless of money-making schemes, an imaginary bridge. We merely pretend we are having a benefit bridge, and for money, time and labor saved, we make a thank offering, and for so doing, we get a chance on a \$25 war bond. The committee chairman, Clara Thaxton Scott (Mrs. Paul),  $B \Xi$ , is most enthusiastic over the returns already coming in.

MILDRED SNYDER CROCKETT

### Houston, Texas—Established 1918

Houston Kappas met for the first time last fall, October 20, at the home of Anabel Mobley. It was

our Founders' day tea and a combined meeting of junior and senior members.

We are so sorry we shall not have our president, Willeen Benedum, with us this year, but we are happy for her that she can be with her husband, Major Benedum, in Washington. Our vice-president, Anabel Mobley, has taken over, and we are anticipating a successful year under her capable leadership.

Our officers for the year are Anabel Mobley, senior president; Ann Schumacher, junior president; Pauline Ebersole, secretary; Haise Smith Barnes, corresponding secretary, and Ruth Robertson, treasurer.

We are curtailing our social activities to three meetings at which junior and senior members will meet together. During the holidays we had a tea for the new pledges and a big reunion of all Houston members who were home for the holiday season. Our other meetings will be spent in helping with the war effort.

HAISE SMITH BARNES

### Waco—Chartered 1935

Billie Day Lawrence (Mrs. Thomas G.),  $B \Xi$ -Texas, and her small son are now in Waco with her parents while her husband is away on duty with the army.

Ellender Stribling Chase (Mrs. George),  $B \Xi$ , has returned to Waco after a visit to the west coast to see Lieutenant (j.g.) Chase and other relatives and friends. Ellender devotes a large amount of her time and energy to work at the Red Cross center.

Mary Ann Gardiner Parker (Mrs. Lawrence),  $B M$ -Colorado, is employed at the North American Aviation company as a receptionist.

Jane Atkinson,  $B \Xi$ , is now at home in Waco, where she is enrolled in Baylor university.

Helen Day Mitchell (Mrs. Francis)  $B \Xi$ , and Mary Darden Brown (Mrs. Edward H.),  $B \Xi$ , spend many hours of each week assisting with clerical work and in various other capacities at the city clinics for the underprivileged.

VIRGINIA RAINEY CONOLLY

### Wichita Falls—Chartered 1940

We had two interesting and well-attended meetings last fall. The first was a luncheon to welcome Kappas who are new to our city. The second luncheon, December 28, was to honor our new pledges and members of active chapters who were at home for the holidays.

Since the Kappas are doing a large amount of war work as individuals, no group work is being planned. But we are looking forward to an active year and hope to meet regularly and receive many new members.

#### Personals

Ellen Van Hoesen Verity (Mrs. George) recently received recordings of a broadcast by her husband, who is interned in a Japanese prison camp.

Helen Knotts Powers' husband, Lieutenant Commander Powers, who has been in charge of a hos-



pital on a South Pacific island for almost two years, has been returned to the States.

Helen Snider Kahn (Mrs. Darrold) has returned to Wichita Falls while her husband, Captain Kahn, is in England.

Eloise Hawkins Duncan (Mrs. T. P., Jr.), and small daughter Ann, are here while Captain Duncan is in Alexandria, Louisiana.

We are sorry that Margaret Schricher Robbins (Mrs. Lewis) has moved to San Antonio, Texas.

Nancy Harlin Collins (Mrs. Bailey) is serving as co-chairman of the canteen corps of the local Red

Cross. Those serving as Gray Ladies are Margaret Duncan Arnhold (Mrs. Ray), Katherine Andrews Dudley (Mrs. H. B.), Helen Snider Kahn (Mrs. Darrold). Frances Boyd Smith (Mrs. P. K.) is on the nurses' aide committee, and Lucille Smith Nutt and Elva Jeter (Mrs. F. L.) are hospital aides. Others who are contributing much time to different branches of Red Cross work are Louise Maupin Elbert (Mrs. Fred), Barbara Tucker, Ellen Brooks West (Mrs. Gordon), Helen Young Gambill (Mrs. G. C.) and Marilyn Miller Burt (Mrs. Enos).  
JANE MOORE WAGGONER

## Iota Province

### Beta Pi—Chartered 1905

#### University of Washington, Seattle, Washington

The new year finds us all pretty well adjusted to the changed Washington campus and our weary eyes are accustomed to the Navy, Marine and Army uniforms so much in evidence. The chapter has shown its willingness to enter into the war effort wholeheartedly by acting as hostesses at the Officers' club, doing Red Cross work on the campus, spending afternoons at the Children's Orthopedic hospital and working as nurses' aides, besides doing all the numerous little things that mean so much these days.

We recently won the campus war bond drive by topping all other house sales with more than \$12,000 worth. Fall quarter everyone feverishly knitted squares to be made into afghans for the Red Cross, as well as filling comfort kits to be sent overseas to the armed forces.

Our exchanges with the fraternities were carried on this year in the normal manner, although somewhat blighted by a reduced number of men and the lack of big dinners that accompanied pre-war exchanges.

Reverting to last spring quarter, one of our most important news items must be here mentioned. It was in May that the Kappas were the proud winners of the eighth annual songfest, springtime tradition at the university in which all organized houses on the campus participate. It is the first time Kappa has won first place, and credit is due to Pat Davies, who composed and arranged the winning song, "Kappa Memories."

Twenty-six girls were pledged after fall rushing. Panhellenic ruled out pledge "sneaks" last year, so the tables were turned by the ingenious 26 and they entertained the active chapter with a "rushing party" complete with a dinner.

The chapter adopted a new program of informal forums after chapter dinners at which current questions and vocations were discussed. Religious, cultural and vocational speakers talked to the chapter during these forums.

At winter rushing we added three new pledges. February 3 marked the initiation of 17 pledges: Jan McIntyre, Elizabeth Smith, Virginia Everly,

Jane Kruse, Margaret Morrill, Martha Umphrey, Lois Gilchrist, Mary Jean Jordan, Rosemary Thors-tenson, Barbara Trenholm, Polly Huston, Sylvia Clise, Eileen O'Sullivan, Grace Stribling, Joan Munroe, Louise Franzhiem and Patsy Jones.

#### Personals

Mary Ellen Ayres was elected AWS secretary in January and is a member of  $\Sigma E \Sigma$ , scholastic honorary which requires a 3.5 grade point average for the freshman year.

Marian Mahncke, currently playing in "Claudia" and having just finished a major role in "First Lady," is a member of  $\Phi M \Gamma$ , drama honorary.

Grace Stribling, currently playing in "Seventeen" and having just finished a role in "Sorority House," is also a member of  $\Phi M \Gamma$ .

Janet MacArthur (pledge) was pledged to  $M \Phi E$ , music honorary.

Mary Helen Strout is a member of  $\Sigma E \Sigma$ .

Carol Williams (pledge) was chosen the Restrictive's Dream Girl last fall by the Navy V-12 unit on the campus.

Elcena Torrance, chapter president, is a member of  $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$ , journalism honorary.

Barbara Rhodes was elected junior class vice-president last spring and is also active in the drama department giving puppet shows for children.

Joan Bonnell, Patsy Simpson, Patsy Jones and Dorothy Tash are working as nurses' aides.

Pat Towne is business manager of the *University of Washington Daily*.

Barbara LaGasa is circulation manager of the *Daily*.

Hostesses at the Seattle Officers' club are Mary Jean Jordan, Harriet Bullitt (pledge), Virginia Everly, Fransi Davis, Harriet McCord (pledge) and Phyllis Brownell (pledge).

PAT TOWNE



Mary Ellen Ayres



## Seattle—Established 1904

As usual the annual Christmas meeting at the Kappa house brought gifts for the children of the Mother Ryther home. Margaret Boyd (Mrs. William N.), B II-Washington, had charge of the gifts. Pauline Muntinga Shaw (Mrs. Emmett), Γ Γ-Whitman, provided music during the dessert hour. The active chapter entertained with a delightful Christmas program during which the alumnae were knitting busily on afghan squares for the actives.

Rosina Kistner Maxwell (Mrs. James E.), B A-Illinois, decorated a tree for the soldiers at the Boeing aircraft plant.

The theme of the initiation banquet for Beta Pi, February 3, was "Kappa in Wartime," planned by Josephine Brown Strand (Mrs. Elmer A.), Γ H-Washington State; Ruth Adele Hedgecock, B II; Dorothy Kirby, B II, and Miriam Barnhill Grinstead (Mrs. Tileston), B Φ-Montana. Claire Drew Forbes, B II, our toastmistress, had each Kappa present introduced with a short resume of her contribution to the war effort. We found a great many worthwhile things were being done. Helene Moore Farmer (Mrs. John), B II, was our speaker.

*Personals*

Claire Drew Forbes was general chairman of the General Dwight D. Eisenhower week of the Fourth War Loan campaign in Seattle, King county and Washington state. She had charge of the promotion of the Christmas seal tuberculosis fund, is bond sales chairman of Seattle's Victory Square for 1944 and is publicity chairman for the Red Cross fund drive.

Helene Moore Farmer (Mrs. John) is publicity director of the war finance committee for the State of Washington.

Ruth Trenholme, B II, is attending the Red Cross school in Washington, D.C., training for overseas duty.

We regret the departure of Alice Larson Hugins (Mrs. L. M.), B Ω-Oregon, to her former home in Ogden, Utah. Alice, chairman of a group of Kappas devoting one day a week to the library headquarters of the Civilian War commission, was a most loyal and diligent worker. Jessie Driskel Rupert (Mrs. Howard), E-Illinois Wesleyan; Dorothy Musgrave Nelson (Mrs. J. B.), B II; Mary Cheal King (Mrs. Carlisle), B II, and Pauline Muntinga Shaw (Mrs. Emmet), Γ Γ, are other hard working volunteers on duty regularly at the library headquarters.

Gladys Reynolds Shaw (Mrs. Harry), B II, and her two children are here temporarily from their home in Chile.

Helen Thompson Dorman (Mrs. Purman M.), B II, is chairman of a Red Cross committee working in conjunction with five Seattle hospitals for a new dietitian's aide class.

Jean Eagleson Williams (Mrs. Harold), B II, from New York, is living in Seattle while her husband is on overseas duty with the Navy.

GRACE STIPEK SEVERIN

## Beta Phi—Chartered 1909

Montana State University, Missoula, Montana

January 29, Beta Phi initiated Helen Lee Atkinson, Joan Blair, Beverly Ann Bradner, Tannisse Brown, Margaret Garrison, Marian Headley, Helen Hunt, Frances Leaphart, Colleen McCarthy, Mary Morrow, Jean Peterson, Mary Lois Petersen and Sidney Price. The following afternoon the "Big Sisters" entertained the new initiates at a luncheon.

Dan Cupid reigned at a fireside February 5. The play room was attractively decorated. Each girl and her escort had their names printed on hearts on the walls. After a tour of the house, which became more of an Army "white glove" inspection, due to all the servicemen present, we enjoyed dancing in the play room and cards in the living room. Punch and cake were served during the evening.

*Personals*

Dorothy Wirth is acting as president of Beta Phi chapter in the absence of Eileen Murphy, who had to leave school because of illness.

Active members and pledges have been working on special occasions at the Missoula Train Service for servicemen.

DOROTHY ANNE GOSMAN

## Missoula, Montana—Established 1919

Missoula has become a focal point for returning Beta Phi alumnae. Virginia Dixon Dean (Mrs. Alexander) returned unexpectedly in January and is now teaching history to the university's aviation students. Virginia Weisel Johnson (Mrs. Walter M.) and her small daughter, Thula, returned in February. We are looking forward to May when Mary Elizabeth Sedman Huber (Mrs. Henry) returns to Missoula with her two small children.

Although our meetings are small and informal, we are nearing the completion of our second Red Cross afghan. At our December meeting, Eva Coffee Kuphal (Mrs. Herbert) had charge of the program. The actives and pledges took part in singing Christmas carols, after which Eva read us the story of Christmas.

We postponed our January meeting in respect, on the sudden passing of our beloved alumnae president, Gertrude Seager Fee (Mrs. Ira B.), Υ-Northwestern, whose daughter, Marjorie (Mrs. Michael C. Sayatovic), is a Beta Phi member.

After a short business meeting in February, Mrs. C. H. Clapp, faculty member and a Kappa mother, read interesting works written by members of a local writers' group.

The Beta Phi actives of Missoula sent out their first chapter newspaper, *Tailfeathers*, in January, 1944. The paper has brought forth a host of interesting letters from the alumnae recipients, and a few welcome contributions toward a 1945 edition.

*Personals*

Katherine Thrailkill Reardon (Mrs. Eugene), her husband, and daughter, Sharon, have moved to



Colfax, Washington, where Gene bought the Continental oil wholesale plant in February.

Eleanor Potter Vietor (Mrs. Frederick) and her son, William, returned in February. Eleanor tells us her husband has transferred to the Air Corps, so she will be up at the E Bar L ranch in Greenough, Montana, until she can join him later in the year.

Betty Leaphart starts interning as a student dietician March 15 at the Henry Ford hospital in Detroit, Michigan.

Olive McLeod Mulrone (Mrs. Thomas) and her small daughter, Mary Sharon, left Missoula February 6 for California, where they will visit until April.

Marjorie Lemire Jacoby (Mrs. Bernard J.) stopped in Missoula in February, en route to Helena, Montana, where she plans to make her home for the duration.

Virginia Lou Walters Foster (Mrs. M. Y.) has returned to her home in Mullan, Idaho, but stopped over in Missoula in February.

Colleen Shaw Dion (Mrs. James H.) and her daughter, Marsha, left Helena February 17, to join Jim in Atlanta, Georgia, where he is stationed.

BETTY C. BARNES

## Beta Omega—Chartered 1913

### University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon

The middle of winter term found Oregon becoming adjusted to the new pattern of life and increased tempo that accompanies a wartime campus. Exemplifying this spirit was the "all-out" effort of the campus war board.

Rolling up their mental sleeves, the freshmen initiated the winter season with a series of all-campus "Dime Dinners," to which members of the various living organizations were asked to contribute dimes for their Monday night suppers, the pool of funds being used for the purchase of war stamps.

Following this event, Oregon hit a new high point in the Fourth War Loan drive, when a total of \$260,360 in bonds was collected. A contest, sponsored by the war board, was instigated, in which candidates representing the various houses vied for the position of a "Bonds Away Girl." Parents, as well as students, purchased war bonds which served as votes for the house representative. Nannette Holmes was our Kappa delegate.

The new merit system, introduced by Beverly Jacobs, house president, passed its trial period with flying colors, and 16 pledges were initiated. The coöperation between upperclassmen and pledges was manifold under the new regime.

The weekend visit of Marty Cox, field secretary, was another house-highlight for the term.

### Personals

Two girls from this chapter were selected for *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*, Mary Bentley and Martha Jane Switzer. Mary Bentley is senior representative on the campus

executive council, chairman of the war bonds and stamps on the war board committee, and vice-president of Associated Women Students. Martha Jane Switzer is vice-president of the Women's Athletic association and secretary-treasurer of the executive council.

Frolic and fun has been blended with an undercurrent of serious purpose in nearly all the main functions of the season, the proceeds from the majority of affairs having been turned over to patriotic purposes.

Mary Bush is chairman of the campus USO and a member of Kwama, sophomore women's honorary.

Alysonne Hales represents the house in a combination of activities:  $\Phi \Theta \Upsilon$ , junior women's honorary; head of sports for the Women's Athletic association; chairman of finance for the university war board, treasurer, athletic manager and political representative for the house.

Just appointed financial chairman for junior weekend, Gerd Hansen is also in  $\Phi \Theta \Upsilon$ . Gerd was head of Co-Ed Capers, an annual event in which feminine funsters indulge in an evening of purely co-ed recreational activities, and was director of the sale for basketball tickets.

Sally Twohy is secretary of the sophomore class.

SALLY CHILDS

## Eugene—Established 1922

The Eugene association opened its year's program October 4 with a meeting at the home of Pauline Crouse Barnett (Mrs. Arthur), B Z-Iowa. Activities during the fall included entertaining the pledges of Beta Omega at the home of Helen duBuy Manerud (Mrs. Lawrence), B  $\Omega$ -Oregon, whose daughter, Andréé, is a member of this year's pledge class. Marty Gallagher Cox, field secretary, was entertained by the association when she visited Beta Omega chapter here this fall.

As part of the year's program the association has contributed to each of the permanent general fraternity projects. In place of the annual birthday gift to Beta Omega, the association has begun a fund which will be used to give financial aid to Beta Omega Kappas. To perpetuate the memory of Sally Elliott Allen (Mrs. Eric), H-Wisconsin, the Sally Allen key award was initiated this year. Each fall Sally's key will be awarded to a Beta Omega upperclassman who exemplifies her many fine qualities. The sophomores of Beta Omega were invited to the February meeting at the home of Margaret Wilkins Dixon (Mrs. Richard), and the juniors and seniors will be entertained at meetings in the spring.

### Personals

Among the first volunteers for home defense work in Eugene were Helen duBuy Manerud (Mrs. Lawrence) and Olive Barker Atkinson (Mrs. Winfield), both of whom have contributed between 500 and 1,000 hours at the filter center.

President of the association this year is Jeanette Moss Vannatta (Mrs. Charles), B  $\Omega$ , who, with her



four children, came over from Kohala, Hawaii, not long after Pearl Harbor. She has given the group some interesting descriptions of the islands and of her trip here.

Among the new members are Helen Olney, Γ Ω-Denison, past dean of women at Denison, and Dagmar Haugen Carpenter (Mrs. Russell), Β Ω-Oregon, medical illustrator, who has just finished the new figures for the revised Plunkett college biology.

### Portland—Established 1919

The November meeting of the Portland alumnae association was at the home of Dorothy Drinker (Mrs. Franz), Γ T-North Dakota. Our guests were Martha Galleher Cox (Mrs. L. E.), P<sup>Δ</sup>-Ohio Wesleyan, field secretary, and Esther Moore Payne (Mrs. Lloyd), Ω-Kansas, Iota province vice-president. Preceding the meeting the board members entertained the guests at dinner at the Multnomah club. The meeting was a large and enthusiastic one and we all felt thoroughly inspired to bigger and better things after Marty Cox gave us some pointers on rushing, service centers and other subjects discussed on her travels. She is so charming and dynamic and we were so happy to have her with us.

We had our Christmas meeting at the home of Marion Weifs Vester (Mrs. R. E.), Β Ω-Oregon. Mrs. P. L. Collier, instructor of literature at Reed college, presented a reading of T. E. Eliot's *Murder in the Cathedral*. Refreshments were served and we had a grab bag with small gifts for everyone.

### Beta Kappa—Chartered 1916

#### University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho

After one semester, we can now tell you some achievements of our 17 pledges. Shirley West, who came to this campus as a junior, is now co-editor of the *Argonaut*, school weekly. Many of the pledges take an active part in Women's Athletic association, and many have shown their journalistic ability in helping with the publication of the *Argonaut* and *Gem*. Three of them are also officers of the Newman club, and seven made a grade average of "B" or better.

One of the outstanding events in March was the musical comedy, "Gee Eyes Right," presented by the co-eds and the servicemen stationed on our campus. At least 20 Beta Kappas were working on this show. Kathryn Horner had one of the leading speaking parts; Artys Marie Powell (pledge) and Evelyn Thomas had specialty numbers; some worked on the stage crew; and others were in the dancing numbers and chorus.

#### Personals

Virginia Newton was selected for *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*.

Patricia Hagan was chosen president of the Canterbury society.

Mary Elizabeth Pennell was tapped to Κ Δ Φ, national educational honorary.

Kathryn Horner was pledged to Σ A I, national music honorary.

VIRGINIA NEWTON

### Lewiston, Idaho—Chartered 1934

Lewiston alumnae association welcomes two new members, Marvel Keppy Berger (Mrs. Donald), Γ I-Whitman, and Phyllis Painter, Β K-Idaho. Mrs. Berger is making her home here with her young daughter while her husband serves with the Army overseas. Phyllis Painter is an instructor in physical education at the Lewiston high school.

During the Christmas holidays the alumnae gave a luncheon in honor of the two Lewiston pledges of Beta Kappa, Sue Wittman and Artys Marie Powell.

Busy serving with the canteen corps and devoting their time to the USO servicemen's center are Jean Weisman, Ruth White (Mrs. Melvin), Kathryn Alford (Mrs. A. L.), Marjorie Anderson, Henriette Gustafson (Mrs. Ardie) and Margaret Lee (Mrs. Jack H.)

"News on the Air" is gathered and presented by Virginia Alley Leckenby over the local radio station every afternoon.

Ramona Larkin, lieutenant in the U. S. Marine Corps Women's Reserve, was here on a short furlough from Cherry Point, North Carolina. Lieutenant Larkin is engaged in air tower control work at the Navy base there.

MARGARET LEE

### Gamma Gamma—Chartered 1918

#### Whitman College, Walla Walla, Washington

As on many other campuses, Whitman Kappas are keeping themselves busier than usual with accelerated program and Red Cross work. We have not, however, forgotten to do our share in participating in social and campus activities.

The pledges gave one of the most successful dances of the year. They carried out the theme, "Fleur-de-Lis," with gold sprayed fleurs-de-lis on a background of dark crepe paper covering the walls. They produced an outstanding pledge song, which they sang at the dance.

Mrs. William Edsen, daughter of a Whitman professor, spoke to the chapter at a pledge-active meeting this winter. She has just returned from Europe after a stay since 1939. She told many of her interesting and exciting experiences in the war-torn countries.

The personnel committee has begun a self-improvement campaign with two goals in mind: thoughtfulness of others, and making the most of our appearance. The committee has made a bulletin board for the hall with new suggestions and hints each week.



*Personals*

Miriam Hart, Sue Harley, Sally Storm and Barbara Jean Holmes were elected to the Whitman dramatic club. Sue played the part of Mart in "The Watch on the Rhine," given by the club in January.

Sally Storm and Barbara Jean Holmes were tapped to Arrows, sophomore women's service honorary.

Peggy Glase has been selected as assistant editor of the *Wualatpu*, campus yearbook.

Sally Chapin and Jean Croxdale (pledge) are Kappa's "minute maids" to sell war bonds on the campus.

Jean McDonald (pledge), Sally Storm, Sue Hartley and Betty Tobey have played an active part in debate this year. Betty and Sue placed second in intra-mural debate and participated in the varsity debate won by Whitman.

Martha McRae (pledge) was elected queen of the varsity ball. This is the second consecutive year a Kappa has had this title.

BARBARA BOYD

**Walla Walla (Wash.)—Established 1918**

Our Walla Walla association has met regularly for evening dessert meetings the first Tuesday of each month. Because of increased war work and lack of help at home, our members have undertaken no large project except the annual spring fashion show which is given in March for the benefit of the Red Cross. General chairman this year is Florence Martin Groesbeck (Mrs. Stewart). This event is anticipated every year by Walla Wallans as an enjoyable and worthy occasion.

MARGARET K. MANTZ

**Gamma Eta—Chartered 1920**

Washington State College, Pullman, Washington

Through an arrangement with the college radio station for special recorded music and announcements, we were able to have a midwinter formal this year for the first time in three years. It was a great success, with traditional Valentine decorations. As part of the campus program for the Air Corps, we have given several firesides and dances for them.

Class elections found Margaret Schleaf president of the junior class, Jane McPhail treasurer of the sophomore class, and Mary Beth Masemore and Alice Taber members of the executive council for the sophomore and senior classes respectively. Peggy Johnson, Harriett Ayres and Jane Snure (pledge) were chosen as part of the group to represent our college in the national collegiate *Who's Who*.

The scholarship banquet was especially enjoyable this year as we hold the scholarship cup for the girls' groups on the campus. Although the awarding of this cup has been temporarily discontinued, we hope that the incentive has not

been lost for maintaining the high standard, and that the cup will be given back to us the next time it is awarded.

As our part of the war effort, we have been spending two hours each week at the Red Cross bandage-rolling rooms. Our booth at the carnival for war relief was a side show featuring a highly original orchestra and a skit urging the sale of war bonds. Whether it was the worthy cause or our great talent, we aren't sure; but we had a big crowd all evening, making ours one of the most popular booths.

*Personals*

Peggy Johnson is now a member of  $\Phi K \Phi$ , scholastic honorary.

In response to an emergency call, Betty Henry has gone to Prescott, Washington, to teach home economics in the high school there.

MARION BORGSTROM

**Gamma Mu—Chartered 1924**

Oregon State College, Corvallis, Oregon

Every member of Gamma Mu has doubled her effort to aid in the war situation on Oregon State's campus. The presence of ASTU students has made school entertainment entirely different this year.

In preparation for the winter our housemother, Mrs. Elsa Leekley, and Mrs. Fern Price, alumnae advisor, with the aid of Lilian Johnson, Ruth Faubion and Beverly Price, canned more than 200 quarts of tomatoes during freshman week.

War work of all kinds is stressed by everyone and at least one hour a week is given to bandage rolling by every pledge and member. Blood donation calls are met enthusiastically by all of the girls.

In the Third War Loan drive the members responded by turning in more than \$1,500.

The fall formal dinner-dance, with a French cafe theme, given for our 20 new pledges was successful.

Fathers' day was counted a big success by the 15 fathers entertained, and by the girls.

Gamma Mu ranked second on the campus with a fall term grade average of 2.83.

At the present time everyone is practicing for the inter-sorority sing February 19, with the interfraternity cup promised as the prize; and also knitting diligently 6 x 6 squares for an afghan to be judged with other houses' afghans, March 4, at the AWS carnival.

*Personals*

Betty Rhodes, B X-Kentucky, affiliated with Gamma Mu chapter during fall term.

Two Oregon state Kappas, Mary Alice Richardson and Jeannette Sims, were selected for the *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*. Jeannette was also a member of Mortar Board and  $\Phi K \Phi$ , scholastic honor society. Mary Alice is



Oregon State Panhellenic president, a member of  $\Phi K \Phi$  and  $O N$ , home economics honorary.



*Ann Fleming*

Marian Cobb, Gamma Mu chapter president, is vice-president of Mortar Board, a member of  $\Phi X \Theta$  and was co-chairman of Homecoming weekend.

Ann Fleming is the first woman to be president of the senior class.

Dorothy Barbour is another member of  $O N$ .

Markie Weatherford is co-editor of the women's page of the daily paper.

One of 11 girls chosen for poise, personality and beauty is Peggy Borge, who acts as a "minute maid." These girls are selected by the college war board to aid in promoting the sale of bonds and stamps.

Associate editor of the *Beaver*, college yearbook, is Marion Jean Kierziek, also a member of  $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$  and the war council.

Nancy Austin heads the college speakers bureau and is a member of the war council.

Talons, sophomore service honorary, claimed four Kappas: Ruth Faubion, Florence Sims (pledge), Ruth Alcorn (pledge) and Lilian Johnson, who is treasurer of the organization.

Two members of  $\Lambda \Lambda \Delta$ , sophomore scholastic honorary, are Ruth Faubion and Florence Sims.

Winner of the interclass speech is Ruth Faubion, who is also secretary of the Associated Women Students.

Margaret Grasle has been selected by the Oregon Sons and Daughters of Pioneers to be "Miss Oregon" in representing the state. ANNE LUMSDEN

### Gamma Upsilon—Chartered 1929

University of British Columbia, Vancouver, B.C., Canada

British Columbia Kappas started back for the

spring term with renewed vigor and enthusiasm for the work of the new year. Sharing with us in the anticipation of a brighter future are the 16 new members initiated January 10: Margaret Bennet, Runa Black, Annette Campbell, Pat Chenoweth, Joan Clarke, Rosemary Copp, Francis Ewing, Marion Hebb, Margaret Hunter, Maxine Johnson, Ruth Killam, Jean Leckie, Rosemary Lee, Ann McLennan, Pat Rietchel and Dorothy Smith. By way of welcoming the initiates into the fraternity the active members entertained at a barn dance January 14 in the Stanley park pavilion.

To make effective the war program, 10 chapter members volunteered to join the Canadian Red Cross corps on the UBC campus. Those sworn in were: Barbara Bell, Elizabeth Boultsbee, Joan Clarke, Pat Cunningham, Francis Ewing, Marion Hebb, Ruth Killam, Joan Nichols, Mary Francis Trumbull and Joan Villiers-Fisher. The duties entail basic training one day a week, completion of first aid, participation in the wartime program of physical education and the regular knitting and sewing in the Red Cross work rooms. The purpose of the installation of the *UBC* detachment was to aid in the organization of war work on the campus. We are proud to mention that Pat Cunningham, president of Gamma Upsilon, is a sergeant and Joan Villiers-Fisher, retiring president, is a corporal in the corps.

The annual Kappa-Zeta Psi bridge was February 22. Pre-party hostess Rosemary Lee entertained at the home of her parents at a dessert and coffee party. The trophy held by the Zeta Psis the previous year was captured by the Kappas.

Great spirit has been shown by the teams the Kappas have entered in the various campus activities. They have always given great competition in swimming, bowling, singing and inter-mural sports.

For the social meeting, March 22, Professor J. A. Irving, head of the departments of philosophy and psychology, was invited to give us an address on the "French Canadians."

MARION HEBB

## Kappa Province

### Pi Deuteron—Chartered 1880; R. 1897

University of California, Berkeley, California

Even though the University of California is still a war campus, we started this semester in the usual way with two weeks of rushing, which, like everything else, was done along a wartime schedule with shorter functions, no theme parties and informal dress. Our pledge class numbered 10 in all.

The Pi Phis have joined us in after-dinner coffee, and we spent an enjoyable evening at the Theta house.

The Kappas are competing with the other living groups for the house of the month. Each girl is

required to do 20 points of war work each month, so each and every one of us is busily engaged in nurses' aide, bandage rolling and various other war activities.

Near the end of January, we had our Fathers' dinner. This is an important affair, as it is the one time during the year that that very important member of the family comes into his glory. The alumnae tea was given this year in San Francisco at the home of Mrs. Arthur Dunn, in special honor of Mrs. Donald Godwin, our new housemother, and also the Stanford chapter's new housemother.

Mrs. Donald Godwin became our housemother at the beginning of this semester, and immediately became a favorite among the girls.



Emily Andrews, chapter president, was taken into Mortar Board this semester, and was also appointed to judiciary committee.

The University of California ended this semester in a fitting manner by sponsoring a bond drive. The money is to be used in building two Billy Mitchell bombers.

JAUQUELINE SIBBOLD

### Beta Eta—Chartered 1892

Stanford University, Palo Alto, California

We had a busy Christmas season. Many of us did not go home this year, as our finals lasted from December 28 to December 31. After that we had a week's vacation to go home, rest, ski and renew our energies for the winter quarter.

We had rushing for two weeks, and at the end of that time found our house larger by 13 new pledges. It never ceases to be a thrill, at the end of rushing, to find ourselves with so many new girls to benefit from and to have for friends. There are not many occasions in life when we will, all at once, find ourselves endowed with a wonderful group of ready-made friends.

Then the University of California challenged Stanford to a bond-selling contest. Stanford did more than buy bonds and beat Cal. The whole school (Army and civilians) pitched in and revived a spirit and unity we have not seen since the days of football games. We gave a party for the whole campus one night that week. We sold doughnuts and told fortunes for defense stamps; we gave entertainment (skits, songs, and dances); we auctioned nylon stockings and Kleenex for war bonds; we danced. We made \$9,000 that night and had a wonderful time.

We are still nurses-aiding, rolling bandages, knitting, holding dancing classes for soldiers, having parties for soldiers, studying. We are finding ourselves busier and happier. Spring is here, and Lake Lagunita is nearly full enough for swimming and boating.

SALLY BREUNER

### Palo Alto—Chartered 1924

Elizabeth Voris Lawry (Mrs. George) was hostess for the January meeting with Lydia Voris Kolbe (Mrs. Parke R.) as guest of honor. Mrs. Kolbe is a past grand president of the fraternity. We heard several interesting reports which led to an animated discussion.

The sudden death of Lou Henry Hoover (Mrs. Herbert C.), B H-Stanford, was a shock to those who knew and loved her and is a great loss to this community. Memorial services were conducted by the university in the Memorial church and her friends came from many distant places to honor her memory.

CAROLINE A. GOODHUE

### Gamma Zeta—Chartered 1920

University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona

Now that the long, long Army scarves have been finished by the girls, we are keeping up war work

along a different line. Twice we have gone to the base hospital to sing, and February 13 the entire house participated in a house-to-house canvass to sell bonds in the Fourth War Loan drive. Several of the girls are nurses' aides and in motor corps work. Doris McNaghten, social chairman, planned a dance for the ensigns before Christmas, and recently we entertained Davis-Monthan lieutenants here.

Other social events of the past winter include a hay ride given by the pledges for their pledge mothers. Hay fever, dust and straw did not prevent one of the best times ever. Actives and alumnae had the annual Christmas party before vacation at the house. The exchange of presents and the Christmas skit highlighted the evening.

In the fall, a new note was added to social affairs when we had an exchange dinner with the Thetas, since fraternity dinners are a thing of the past. The get-together was thoroughly enjoyed by all, despite long and ancient rivalry.

Mid-year rush brought two pledges. We affiliated Conni Freydig,  $\Gamma$  X-George Washington, February 21.

Initiation was conducted February 26, when 26 girls received their gold keys. The initiation banquet followed at El Merendo.

### Personals

Carolyn Kemmler, chapter president, and member also of FST, junior women's honorary, will be wearing the diamond scholarship key next se-



CAROLYN KEMMLER, left,  $\Gamma$  Z-Arizona, and Jean Webster, right,  $\Gamma$  Z, organization officers.

mester. Carolyn is also a member of Desert Mermaids, Putters, and is secretary of WAA.

Norma Weber (pledge) has been elected to APT, art honorary.

Caroline Stunz, house president, has been secretary of Panhellenic the past year and will be president next year.

Marianne Dunn (pledge) has been named chairman of two united students' organizations on campus, one of which is to arouse interest in world problems.

Jean Webster, member of FST, is a nurses' aide



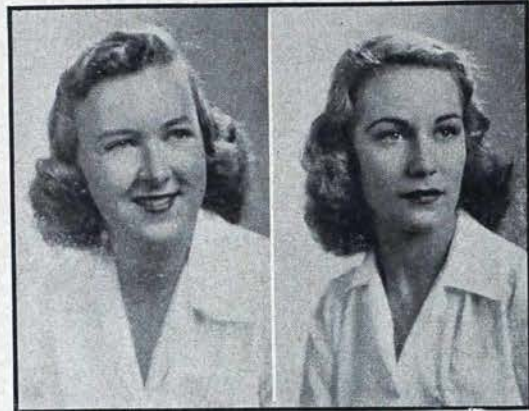
recruiter, spends much time in the canteen, and has been elected to the international relations club. Jean is also secretary of AWS, and is treasurer of APT.

Virginia Skiff, treasurer of the chapter, is vice-president of the senior class, recording secretary of the Red Cross unit on campus, vice-president of APT, captain of the chapter hockey team, and wore the diamond scholarship key the first semester, attaining junior honors last year.

Jane Thompson, secretary of the student body this year, is an active member of University Players, dramatics honorary, and has done an excellent piece of work as rush chairman the past year.

### Phoenix, Arizona—Chartered 1927

The November business meeting was preceded by a discussion on "Child Delinquency." Agatha Leonard, guest speaker, presented current problems and Mildred Miner Fisher (Mrs. G. M.), superintendent of the Florence Crittenton home, added interesting items. Ann Pace Bush (Mrs.



**VIRGINIA SKIFF,  $\Gamma$  Z-Arizona, left, and Jane Thompson,  $\Gamma$  Z, right, class and student officers.**

Julius R.) was hostess for the evening.

Phoebe Watson Boyd (Mrs. John) entertained us at bridge at our December meeting.

Hattielou Stone Dameron (Mrs. Logan) loaned us her home for the January meeting, when the speaker was Margaret Phelps, authoress. Her talk on Mexico was supplemented with souvenirs and novelties she had purchased on her trip to Mexico. It was also announced that the sheet music we are sending overseas is being received.

Our February meeting was limited to a purely social meeting. The Valentine motif was carried out and we played bridge at the home of Virginia McCall Kolberg (Mrs. E. E.).

In March we have on schedule a book review. The business will consist of the nominating of next year's officers.

The April meeting will be devoted to finishing the year's business, and in May the new officers will

be installed. Gertrude Whittlesey Kennedy and Winfred Norton Powers (Mrs. H. B.) are to be hostesses at a buffet supper.

### Personals

This year we are happy and proud to welcome 19 new members. Some of them are to be permanent members, while others are here for only a short time: They are Irene Howell Fickes (Mrs. Frank A.),  $\Gamma$   $\Omega$ -Denison; Mildred Miner Fisher (Mrs. G. M.), K-Hillsdale; Elenor Cooper Knouse (Mrs. Dale R.),  $\Gamma$  P-Allegheny; Dr. Evelyn Crandall,  $\Gamma$  P; Mrs. John Breedon (Jane Jackson),  $\Pi$  $\Delta$ -California; Margaret De Cou Hilton (Mrs. Ralph), I-DePauw; Cary Call Hart (Mrs. C. P.), E-Illinois Wesleyan; Eileen O'Mara Nichols (Mrs. D. G.),  $\Gamma$  O-Wyoming; Eleanor Beldon Smith (Mrs. Courtney), X-Minnesota; Cleota Hedde Woodall, K; Maxine Fisher,  $\Upsilon$ -Northwestern; Pat Blake Wheeler,  $\Gamma$  Z-Arizona; Nell Brevoort Blessing (Mrs. Albert), M-Butler; Ann Grayson,  $\Gamma$  Z; Mary Louise Patrick, K; Ruth Lodhart McKinney (Mrs. J. L.); Agnes Espy Merrill (Mrs. Richard N.),  $\Gamma$  P; Violet Ravenscroft Palmer (Mrs. Paul O.), H-Wisconsin, and Mrs. Brooks P. Julian,  $\Gamma$   $\Omega$ .

Betty Ann Beck Long is in Alexandria, Louisiana, with her husband, Lieutenant George Long.

Mary B. Watson and husband, Lieutenant Robert Murless, are living in Kansas. He is stationed at Fort Riley.

Mary Seago Brook (Mrs. Hilliard) is doing extensive work with the medical division of the home service staff of the American Red Cross. Portia Locke is also doing outstanding work with the home service.

Gwendolyn Ballard Roby and her husband, Bert Roby, EM 1/c, have moved to Washington, D.C., where he is attending school.

Ethel Fisher Sullivan (Mrs. John L.) is manager of the Fisher Construction company.

Mildred Harvey Miller (Mrs. Henry) has moved to Denver.

Virginia McCall Kolberg (Mrs. E. E.) is Red Cross inspector.

LEORA WARRINER

### Gamma Xi—Chartered 1925

#### University of California, Los Angeles, California

Just as the whole country has had to adjust itself to restricted activities, so we are learning to make the most of life in college in wartime.

Perhaps the best example of UCLA's efforts is illustrated by our share in the Fourth War Loan drive. There were two main projects carried on by the school to meet our quota, a carnival and a contest between the school organizations.

The carnival was in the women's gym one Friday night. The sororities and other campus groups sponsored booths to sell stamps and bonds. The Kappa booth was organized by Patricia Hunter and Marion Keeler (pledge). All the servicemen were given special liberty, and the carnival was a tremendous success, netting \$50,000.



During the weeks of the Fourth War Loan drive, each group was allotted a day in which its members worked in the Victory booths situated on campus. Though it rained all the day we were given, we sold approximately \$4,000 worth of stamps and bonds.

The drive as a whole received wonderful support, even though it was a long way from payday for the servicemen. To date we have gone far over our quota and are trying to raise it.

In the inter-sorority volleyball contest this year, the Kappa team headed by Jeanne McCune won first place and the cup.

Betty Tholen, Margaret Wells, Mary Cox, Jeanne McCune and Katherine Kennicott were tapped for Tic Toc, social honorary.

Two Key and Scroll members, Dory McCulloch and Pat McClellan, represent the house this year.

Robin Hickey is the new chairman of the religious conference board and Kathleen Adams was elected secretary of the sophomore class.

### Los Angeles Junior—Established 1943

With the scene shifting more and more to the Pacific, young Kappas from everywhere are making their homes here in Los Angeles and all are busying themselves with war work. Everyone's days are so completely filled, friends easily drift apart and often one's thoughts turn to the "good ol' days." Thus, with this in mind and with others to whom Los Angeles is strange and who seek companionship through their Kappa ties, a junior alumnae group of Kappa Kappa Gamma was organized to meet the first Thursday evening of each month.

Our first meeting was December 1 at the home of Betty Kroesen Gauthier (Mrs. J. H.), T-Northwestern, vice-president of the Los Angeles alumnae association, under the guidance of Mrs. Sydney Lee Johnson, the fraternity's director of alumnae, who gave us a most inspiring talk.

Elections took place and the following are our new officers: Mary Elizabeth Westpheling, Γ N-Arkansas, president; Kay Dixon, Γ Ξ-UCLA, vice-president; Natalie Hill, Γ Ξ, social chairman; Kay Owen, Γ X-George Washington, secretary; Muffin Lamón Marsh (Mrs. William), Γ Ξ, treasurer and publicity chairman. Valerie Hanrahan and Josephine Butler Sproul (Mrs. Frank C.), Γ Ξ, were elected as representatives to the Los Angeles alumnae association.

Betty Parke Drake (Mrs. William), Γ Ξ, president of the Los Angeles association, helped us with the organization of our group.

The second meeting was at the home of Valerie Hanrahan, and after cake and coffee tentative plans were discussed. With the Service Women's Centers the fraternity's war project, the girls agreed unanimously to go "all-out" in support of the Center at the Hayward hotel.

Jo Sproul, who is chairman of the office organization and corresponding secretary of the governing and executive board of the Center, gave an outline of her duties and for the benefit of those who had not yet been down to the Center, told

what the Center endeavored to do for all the service women. Our president, Mary Elizabeth Westpheling, chairman of staffing the Center in the evenings, ably assisted by Kay Owen and Eleanor Zahn, Γ Ξ, recruited more workers.

WAVE Dorothy Williams, Δ A-Pennsylvania State, enlightened us considerably about qualifications and duties of the WAVES and everyone eagerly questioned her at length.

It was suggested and immediately seconded that our group go *en masse* to the blood bank in the near future. Arrangements are being made and the date will be set at our March meeting.

As another one of our purposes is to help in any way the active chapter at University of California at Los Angeles with their rushing, the February meeting was at the Kappa house with rushing our main topic.

Winifred Martin Horrell (Mrs. Edwin C.), ΠA-California, rushing alumnae advisor, explained the Panhellenic rushing rules and suggested several ways in which we could be of most help. The rushing recommendations chairman, Norma Stoner Cole (Mrs. Converse), Γ Ξ, then demonstrated how to fill out the recommendation slips and explained the necessity and importance of having one for each girl rushed.

Our March meeting was at the home of Natalie Hill, and our guests were the seven graduating seniors at the university. Plans were laid to assist the active girls in their rush week, which began March 4.

We are only newly organized, but our membership is growing by leaps and bounds and we are thrilled to pieces with our group and thrilled with the realization with Kappa reaches so far and brings into her fold such wonderful sisters. If we may say so at this time, if any of you gals find yourself on your way to Los Angeles, be assured of a hearty welcome from the junior alumnae group of Kappa Kappa Gamma.

JOSEPHINE BUTLER

### Long Beach—Chartered 1926

When our group convened for the October meeting at the home of Edna Roberts (Mrs. L. A.), we were all delighted to see each other again after summer months of various interests. And by "our group," I wish to state that we have members who have been active in this association for more than 25 years. They have formed the background for us and we look to them now as our balance wheel in these times. The loss of Veda Maude Stephens (Mrs. W. L.), B Z-Iowa, during the holiday season, will always be felt by our group.

This year has seen the coming of many new members, younger ones whose husbands are in the armed forces. We are glad to welcome these newcomers who have greatly aided in increasing our membership more than 50 per cent.

At our meetings, besides the usual bridge, we are knitting afghans in Kappa blues for the Navy hospital, and bringing gifts for the servicemen stationed there. We have our regular days staffing



the Service Women's Center in Los Angeles which has proved interesting.

So we're keeping busy doing our bit and keeping a fine group of Kappas together.

MARGARET RICHARDSON GERMAIN

### Glendale—Chartered 1938

This year our annual rummage sale, February 5, was managed by Alice Reinbrecht (Mrs. A.), and it scrambled out of the class of activity into that of big business by grossing the astonishing sum of \$225. We can scarcely believe our good fortune and are proud to donate \$120 to the Service Women's Center at the Hayward hotel in Los Angeles, \$25 to the Red Cross and \$20 to Caney Creek. The remainder is included in our budget.

Myrtle Henrici Hass (Mrs. Andrew T.), province vice-president, was guest at our March luncheon meeting in the home of Dolores Allen (Mrs. C. F.), with Frances Armstrong, (Mrs. W. B.) and Bess Stewart (Mrs. W.) assisting.

We are continuing to do our part in staffing the Service Women's Center. Girls in the service greatly appreciate the interest taken in them by the Kappas at this Center and are grateful for the many personal services it offers them.

#### Personals

We extend our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bertram, (Eva Haller), on the death of their 14-year-old daughter, Sally.

It takes a great deal of work to make one aghast, but Margaret Crook (Mrs. M. W.), who sews for the Christian Science war relief, has astounded all of us by turning out eight of them!

EDNA REIFERS SULLIVAN

### Pasadena—Chartered 1939

So many new members have been welcomed at each meeting this year that our association now numbers 120, representing 38 chapters. What a pleasure to meet again old college friends and work with them on some Kappa project.

Over the holiday season many members gave freely of their time to staff the Service Women's Center. The lounge was gay with greens and under a lighted Christmas tree were gifts for the service women. Florence M. Baldwin (Mrs. Gates), B H-Stanford, was in charge of decorations.

Through the efforts of Martha Rice Peatman (Mrs. Joseph R.), B M-Colorado, ways and means chairman, we have raised our quota pledged to the Service Women's Center this year. Our current events lecture in November and the continued sale of the precious Sponge Soap have served to help fill our coffers.

As scheduled, our meetings are varied. In December, there was a luncheon at the home of Louise Miles Davies (Mrs. Edwin G.), B Ψ-Toronto, with Henrietta Johnson Detoy (Mrs. Charles), II-California, as chairman. In January, a breakfast was served at the home of Florence Allen Tapfer (Mrs. Edwin C.), B Ω-Oregon, with Elise Scudder Armstrong

(Mrs. John), Γ M-Oregon State, as chairman. In February, a tea was given at the home of Mrs. Carlton H. Merrill, B H, with Frederica Crane Blakeslee (Mrs. Willis F.), H-Wisconsin, as chairman.

Officers for the present year have been: president, Rosemary Jo Wentworth Shidemantle (Mrs. Andrew J.), Ω-Kansas; vice-president, Florence M. Baldwin (Mrs. Gates), B H; secretary, Katherine Dearle Keith (Mrs. James V.), Γ H-Washington State; corresponding secretary, Frances Hunt Laws (Mrs. Charles H.), B II-Washington; treasurer, Charlotte Millikin O'Connor (Mrs. Ben H.), Ω; assistant treasurer, Mabel Cowell Leeds (Mrs. J. H.), II. Edna Harris Alling (Mrs. Harold M.), T-Northwestern, is president of the Pasadena Panhellenic.

So industrious that we seldom see her is Margaret Smith, B II, a template maker at the Lockheed Aircraft factory.

Active in volunteer war work we find as nurses' aides: Jeanne Jussen Dunkel (Mrs. Dudley), II; Marion McCord Dunn (Mrs. Richard), II; Rosemary Jo Wentworth Shidemantle (Mrs. Andrew J.), Ω; Elizabeth Morton Williams (Mrs. Stanwood), Γ Ξ-UCLA; Elizabeth Tryon Yale (Mrs. Charles), X-Minnesota. Serving as Grey Ladies: Doris Gibbs Ford (Mrs. Edward), B B-St. Lawrence, and Dorothy Ponsford Larwill (Mrs. George), B M.

FRANCES HUNT LAWS

### Sacramento Valley—Chartered 1935

Sacramento alumnae had two pleasant meetings in January and February with Florence Griffin Plant (Mrs. Powell), assisted by Blanche Bicknell Lewis (Mrs. John L.), and Kathleen Smith Elliott (Mrs. Robert D.), assisted by Beth Hughson, as our hostesses. Our programs have been planned to give our members recent fraternity education in regard to Kappa funds, Founders' day, recreation centers, new forms for rushing recommendations and famous Kappas from our chapters.

Our group is cooperating with the local Panhellenic-sponsored USO scrap-book project. A workshop has been opened on the mezzanine floor of a leading department store and each alumnae group volunteers leaders to maintain the workshop. We hope each member of our group will contribute at least one completed scrap-book this year.

New members in our group this year are Elinor Small Beeson (Mrs. W. Barton), Elaine Salisbury Colwell (Mrs. Jack E.), Elizabeth Ford Carman (Mrs. C. A.), Helen McDonald Harris (Mrs. Robert D.), Cara-Mae Cutter, Benetta Merner Sciutto (Mrs. C. W.), Prudence Ewing Oakes (Mrs. Maynard U.), Harriet Harman Rourke (Mrs. George) and Ruth Shoemaker Williams (Mrs. Wilbur S.).

EDITH WILSON MCCOY

### San Diego—Chartered 1927

Many changes in San Diego since our last letter to THE KEY. Despite a fluctuating membership (half our members are Army, Navy or Marine wives



who came here to join their husbands and are liable to transfer at any time), we average 25 paid-up permanent members!

The first spring meeting was March 17 at Mildred Femley's home. Officers who assumed their duties are: president, Evelyn Murphy (Mrs. Robert); vice-president, Linnie Nuttall (Mrs. John); recording secretary, Larose Forquer Broz (Mrs. Wm. R.); corresponding secretary, Margaret Mitch Hart (Mrs. Martin M.); treasurer, Blossom McConnell (Mrs. Monroe H.); Panhellenic representative, Mary Fadden (Mrs. Roland), and rushing chairman, Thelma Foran (Mrs. W. T.).

As our membership is constantly changing, each of us finds it most interesting to attend every meeting in the hope that perhaps some new Kappa from our own chapter might be present. Imagine the delight of the Washington State alumnae to discover five members in town who had been in school together! Mary Porter Fadden, Larose Forquer Broz, Carala Johnson Bardwell, Mary Kay Trumbull and Virginia Pemberton Baltzer.

We had our Founders' day banquet at the Park Manor dining room and surprised and pleased ourselves by having 40 members present. Edith Noon Elser (Mrs. Wm. P.) was chairman and her committee consisted of Mrs. Frances Clark, Thelma Foran and Elizabeth Amis Malone (Mrs. Ross).

At Christmas we decided to give \$15 towards buying greeting cards for the boys in the Army and Navy hospital who would be unable to get out and get them. We also collected a large number of magazines, games and books for the Red Cross distribution center for servicemen. Also a number

of the girls arranged to have Army or Navy men in their homes as guests for Christmas and Thanksgiving dinners.

Euphemia Harrington Brownell and Betty Wilcox Cassidy were co-hostesses at our annual Christmas get-together, where we drew names for presents, sang carols, played bridge, ate luncheon and generally enjoyed ourselves.

In February we were hostesses to Panhellenic at a luncheon and bridge party for more than 75 guests at the San Diego Women's club. Mary McPhetridge Reilly was our chairman. Panhellenic's thrift shop does a great deal of good and we Kappas have formed a plan whereby we manage to get rid of those articles we feel are too good to throw away, but we don't or can't use. We collect them at our monthly meetings and give them to Panhellenic, which in turn sells them and presents the proceeds to the Red Cross. During the month of December \$900 was collected by the thrift shop.

#### Personals

Peggy Mitch Hart has moved to Santa Ana.

Margaret Bozman Bagley and Grace Alexander Tupper are holding down defense jobs at Consolidated Aircraft.

Sue Butterfield and Laura Austin (both charter members of San Diego alumnae) surprised and delighted us by dropping in at our Kappa meeting while in town. Laura now lives in Chicago.

Frances Steele Vickers (Mrs. Harry Dan) left in November for a trip to New York. She was due back in March.

LAROSE FORQUER BROZ

## Lambda Province

### Beta Upsilon—Chartered 1906

West Virginia University, Morgantown,  
West Virginia

In spite of wartime restrictions upon many kinds of entertainment, West Virginia university continued its traditional Christmas serenade this year. The fraternity groups were smaller and less numerous, and there were many uniforms among them, yet the singing was as gay and impressive as always. Afterwards the members of Beta Upsilon had a Christmas party, exchanging humorous gifts which were later donated to the Salvation Army. No other presents were exchanged among the members, and the money which might have been spent for presents we gave to the American Red Cross.

All of the sororities on the campus had receptions Sunday, December 5, to entertain the aviation students stationed in Morgantown. Every Saturday and Sunday Elizabeth Moore hall is a recreation center for servicemen, and sorority women serve as hostesses. Among our other patriotic duties assumed this winter are working as

nurses' aides in local hospitals, rolling bandages and helping in the Fourth War Loan drive.

Our first housemother, Mrs. Henry Alexander, did not return after the Christmas holidays because of illness. Miss Nelle Saunders, of Alfred, New York has taken her place.

One Sunday of every month we have a pledge-active buffet supper at which the pledges entertain us with an original skit or program. We are proud of our pledges, each of whom made her average for initiation.

Many of our members went to Pittsburgh, February 18, to help with the installation of the new chapter at Carnegie Tech.

#### Personals

Betty Hogan is president of the Women's Recreation association. She is also a member of Rhododendron, junior women's honorary.

Patsy Ludey is the president of Panhellenic.

Anne Kauffelt is the president and Mary Alice Johnson, vice-president, of La Tertulia, Spanish honorary.

Mary Katherine Amos and Dorothea Morris were



included in this year's *Who's Who in American Colleges*.

Patricia Stansbury has the leading role in "Claudia," a production of the University Players.

Betty Jane Board is the president of Orchesis, dance honorary.

Huldah Snoderly was elected to Matrix, journalism honorary.

SUSAN HARNISH

### Charleston, West Virginia—Chartered 1935

Because there is no service camp within 200 miles of Charleston, our group has no particular Army-Navy project, though practically all of us are doing Red Cross or other individual war work.

Our December meeting was a morning coffee at the home of Naomi Love (Mrs. Charles) for the actives who were home during the Christmas holidays.

We were happy to have our province vice-president, Lucy Higginbotham Mann (Mrs. James), with us at our February meeting, a dessert bridge at the home of Julia Aultz O'Connor (Mrs. Robert E.).

#### Personals

Katherine Amos Wright (Mrs. Ermen) and daughter Karen have joined Major Wright at Denver, Colorado. Bettie Pool was named a provisional member of the Junior League.

ELOISE P. NEFF

### Southern West Virginia—Chartered 1937

The past year has been one of much change in membership for us. We were sorry to lose some of our members, yet happy over gaining new ones. Margaret Louise Bryan from Kansas has joined our group. She is director of physical education for women at Concord college. She and Margaret Cox Kyle (Mrs. Bob) come together to our meetings. Due to weather we do not meet again until April and by then we hope to have some other new Kappas with us.

It was indeed good to have Lieutenant (j.g.) Harriet French, B T-West Virginia, home for a short furlough, looking smart and happy in her SPAR uniform. She is located in New York and enjoys her work very much.

Connie Bailey, B T, is with us this year. She is past counselor at Arkansas.

We were able to pay quite a bit on our Beta Upsilon house fund because some of our members were energetic magazine salesmen. It is certainly the ideal way to earn money.

At the present writing there is a regular blizzard outside. Yet I have seen a robin, so I say "Come on, Spring! So the West Virginia Kappas can get together again."

LUCY H. MANN

### Gamma Kappa—Chartered 1923

College of William and Mary,  
Williamsburg, Virginia

Formal rushing was conducted November 16-22, and November 29 we pledged 16 new Kappas. A

reception was given for them December 4, when men from the campus Army unit and civilian students were invited.

A tea was given for Mrs. Graham, our house-mother, and the town alumnae, December 15; and our annual Christmas party was the same week. One of our town girls, Dorothy Schwartz (pledge), gave all the Kappas a tea at her home, December 19.

With exams over and the new semester begun, we made plans for initiation March 1-2. The following girls were initiated: Beverly Bose, Joan Crawford, Mary DeVol, Barbara Humbert, Betty Grodecour, Betsy Hall, Patricia Jones, Ruth Shen Kressler, Patricia Kyle, Jeanne McKay, Carolyn Macy, Mary Ellen Megerle, Mary Louise Strong, Eleanor Weber and Barbara Duborg. A banquet for the initiates is planned shortly after initiation, and later on this spring we hope to revive the custom of having an all-day picnic at the beach.

VIRGINIA C. STEPHENS

### Gamma Chi—Chartered 1929

George Washington University, Washington, D.C.

The beginning of this school year found our chapter greatly depleted in number. In October we pledged 26 girls, 20 of whom were initiated this past February. The new initiates are Adrienne Barry, Virginia Beavers, Barbara Carlisle, Florence Crawford, Caroline Embry, Isabelle Harrison, Elizabeth Holliman, Nancy McDonald, Winifred Meyerson, Antoine Miller, Joan Palmer, Peggy Pritchard, Lorraine Seegrist, Ruth Smith, Barbara Stellwagen, Ann Stewart, Alma Jean Tolan, Darleen Weisenberger, Mary Catherine Welch and Florence Williams.

The pledge classes of all the sororities have to give short skits called "goat shows" in November. Kappa's show took first place for the third year in succession, making the Panhellenic cup ours for keeps.

In October the scholarship chairman, Beverly Parly, announced that Kappa had the highest scholastic average for the preceding year, and had won the Panhellenic scholarship cup for a year with a 2.88 average.

We welcomed two transfers this year, Marian Garnett, Γ K-William and Mary, and Nancy Winfree, Γ I-Washington university, St. Louis.

The Kappas have been contributing to the war effort in various fields. Several Kappas have been cooperating with the new campus organization, Gwaros, the purpose of which is to help entertain girls in the service and government girls. A Kappa, Elaine Smith, is one of the leaders of Gwaros.

Once a week a number of Kappas have been rolling bandages at the local Red Cross. Individual members have donated their blood regularly.

The February rush season was successful. We pledged seven girls.

Recently elected officers in Gamma Chi are



president, Valerie Popham; standards chairman, Beverly Pardy; pledge trainer, Laura McNeese; rush chairman, Mary Elizabeth Doolittle; marshal, Mary Elizabeth Doolittle; recording secretary, Nancy Winfree; corresponding secretary, Florence Williams; registrar, Mildred Hayward; Panhellenic delegate, Elizabeth Cugle; junior Panhellenic delegate, Ann Stewart; scholarship chairman, Dorothy Snyder; rooms chairman, Alma Jean Tolan; KEY correspondent, Jean Bodell; social chairman, Jeanette Brown; music chairman, Caroline Embry.

#### Personals

Jessma Oslin, a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Mortar Board, was named to *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*.

Nancy Wilson was elected vice-president of the senior class.

Jeannette Brown, Elaine Smith and Dorothy Snyder made the varsity soccer team this fall.

Named to the hockey varsity was Dorothy Lee Miller (pledge).

JEAN BRODELL

### Gamma Psi—Chartered 1929

#### University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland

Highlighting the winter quarter was a visit from our province president, Ruth Phillips Polack (Mrs. E. H.), who came just in time for initiation, February 10. Our 24 new members are Betty Bowles, Virginia Bradford, Betty Cissel, Martha Curtiss, Lucile DeGrazier, Poe Ewell, Ann Fusselbaugh, Betty Gatch, Barbara George, Frances Haller, Barbara Hicks, Jean Highbarger, Zenaide Jenkins, Carolyn Moody, Barbara Mumford, Martha Pohl, Ardelle Robberson, Mary Lee Rainalter, Genie Simmons, Joan Spears, Elna Stamen, Mary Elizabeth Timmons, Peggy Watson and Pat Willets.

We have installed as president, Mary Virginia Molden; standards chairman, Marilyn Henderson; recording secretary, Ruth Aldridge; corresponding secretary, Nancy Hobson; pledge captain, Peggy Snouffer; rush chairman, Virginia Galliher; marshal, Mary Jane Rodgers; registrar, Miriam Tittman; house president, Margurite Pearson, and house manager, Pat Howe.

The chapter has been active on campus this quarter. We gave a couple of open house dances for the soldiers in the Army Specialized Training Unit and January 29 our pledges gave a dance. We are proud of one of our new initiates, Ardelle Robberson, who won the title of Maryland pledge queen early in January.

Of momentary importance to us now is the interfraternity sing, February 29, which we hope to win for the third consecutive time.

#### Personals

Lois Bliss, F P, transfer from Allegheny college, was affiliated February 7.

Jane Woodring, a December graduate, was editor of *The Maryland Quarterly Review*, a literary publication.

DALE SHERMAN

### College Park, Maryland—Chartered 1938

Gamma Psi alumnae met for the second time this year at Jane Harveycutter Imlay's house in Bethesda. It was really crowded because we had such a wonderful attendance that night. About 40 members came. Perhaps one of the reasons was that J. Dewey Lutes, superintendent of the new Bethesda hospital, was good enough to come and give us a few pointers on the hospital, its functions and its management. Several of us became quite enthusiastic when we learned that they were planning to use nurses' aides there, because it is so convenient to most of our homes.

Our Christmas meeting, at the home of Millie Berry Welsh in College Park, was gay in spite of the fact that it was bad weather and not many of us were able to get there. We drew names for gifts (not over 25 cents) and everyone received useful little presents, some of them made by hand by different members. We played games and had a short business meeting.

Martha Shelton Castle, magazine chairman, reports that subscriptions are now 300 per cent over those of last year and will probably be even more by the end of the year.

The January meeting was at the home of Tempe Curry Grant, and turned out to be a bridge party, too.

The afternoon bridge club has been such a success that it meets regularly every first Wednesday of the month. It's a grand way for the mothers and housewives to get together these days, and of course the contributions to the Kappa funds will make these meetings worthwhile.

College Park alumnae expect to have about three more meetings this year. Barbara Davis, program chairman, has been successful in obtaining speakers. The last we heard she was endeavoring to get an alumna, now at the Naval hospital in Bethesda, to suggest some ways in which we might do some good out there at the hospital. We are most anxious to see what they have for us to do and to get started right away.

ALICE STRIBLING

### Delta Beta—Chartered 1930

#### Duke University, Durham, North Carolina

Rush week on the Duke campus this year consisted of three evening parties. Kappa's keynote was versatility. The first night we gave our traditional *Vogue* party; a pickaninny party was the feature of the second night (we even blacked up!), and the third evening we gave our regular blue-and-blue garden party. The girls received their bids October 30, and were welcomed into the chapter with a social in their honor that afternoon, with formal pledging the following day. The chapter gave a pledge banquet for them in November.

December 9 the chapter had a coffee, at which Dr. Hornell Hart spoke to us on "War Marriages." By December 20, with our grips all



packed for the holiday trek homeward, we were just in the mood for the Christmas party the sophomores of the chapter gave for the rest of us!

January found us reassembled at school, but with our heads buried in books, for those deadly days were approaching—exams! We had the pleasure of having Mrs. Ernest H. Polack, president of Lambda province, as a visitor, February 4-8. Initiation was conducted February 25, followed by a formal banquet.

Delta Beta is happy to welcome back Jean Moore, a sophomore who was not at Duke for the fall semester. We are, however, unfortunate in having lost Thalia Bell, who transferred to Western Reserve college in February; and Sarah Covington and Harding Boehme, who both left school to recuperate from recent illnesses.

#### Personals

Barbara Luessenhop has been initiated into

X Δ Φ, literary honorary. She was recently elected coed editor of the *Chanticleer*, Duke's yearbook.

Ruth Hollmeyer was chosen freshman representative on the Student Government association.

Among the girls on campus who earned COGS keys for 55 hours of war work during the fall semester were Mary Geyer, Doris Dill, Geneva Eldridge, Lucy Blue and Dottie Chorpeneing. This is the second semester Dottie has earned a key. Marilyn Wasson has been named COGS chairman of one of the dorms.

Chosen as commencement marshals for the year were Thalia Bell, Mary Ann Morrison, Geneva Eldridge, Dottie Chorpeneing and Marilyn Wasson.

Dottie Groome was elected beauty queen at Duke this year. Among the 20 candidates for the title were Beth Holcombe, Mary Nelson Freels, Catherine Dillon, Carolyn King, Peggy Bacon and Charlotte Crane.

MARILYNN WASSON

## Mu Province

### Beta Chi—Chartered 1910

#### University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky

Beta Chi celebrated its Founders' day with a banquet at the Lafayette hotel, February 11. Actives, pledges and alumnae were present, and we were happy to have Mattie Cary McCauley (Mrs. Gentry), one of our founders, with us. Sara Ewing, president, presided and Martha McCauley, pledge mistress, introduced the pledges. Fan Ratliff Matthews (Mrs. George) introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. George Edwin Smith, author of *She Came to the Valley*. Mrs. Hugh Campbell, president of the alumnae group, was in charge of arrangements.

Two of our pledges, Sarah Hall and Katherine Crapster, made perfect standings for the past quarter; and the pledge class as a whole had the highest standing on the campus. We are hoping to keep up the good work in order to win the scholarship cup presented by Beta Chi to the sorority on the campus having the highest standing for the year. Beta Chi has already won the cup for two years out of the three in which it has been presented.

We are doing quite a bit of war work, such as donating to the blood bank, rolling bandages and acting as nurses' aides. Elisabeth Garr, Roberta Parker, Sarah Louise Milward, Julie Landrum, Ruth Dimock and Mary Jane Gallaher (pledge) represent us as nurses' aides. We also help by entertaining soldiers at the Stopover station and at the chapter house.

Actives and pledges started off the Fourth War Loan drive by buying a bond for the chapter, and we are hoping to win the campus contest by selling the most bonds.

We have added one more to our pledge class. Lyde Gooding (pledge) was selected as first at-

tendant to the beauty queen. Lyde is the sister of Sue Fan Gooding, who was beauty queen in 1942.

#### Personals

Louise Wilson is working on her master's degree in physical education at Columbia university.

Sue Fan Gooding has a position in New York with Johns-Manville.

Jessica Gay is working in Louisville on the station WHAS staff.

Caroline Mason Wood (Mrs. E. Boyne) is now at home in Lexington while her husband is overseas.

Mary Lyle Mulholland (Mrs. Daniel) and her husband, a lieutenant in the Air Corps, were home for a few weeks in January.

Betty Reddish Cloud (Mrs. Robert) was recently here for a few days enroute to Fort Benning, Georgia, where her husband is an instructor.

Sue Ewing Johnson (Mrs. James) is at home in Anchorage while her husband is overseas.

SARAH FRANCES EDMONDS

### Gamma Pi—Chartered 1927

#### University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Alabama

Along with the changes that war brings to a campus a new system of deferred rushing was instituted at the University of Alabama last year. October 23 Gamma Pi pledged 24 new girls. At the end of rush week the pledges were honored at a banquet and house dance.

In keeping with the war effort, the girls have been hostesses at the USO and entertained the wounded soldiers at Northington General hospital. Many members and pledges are enrolling in the nurses' aide courses and contributing their blood for blood plasma.

Initiation came for three girls, November 6.



The Kappas were visited by two celebrities this year, Ruth Bryan Owen, woman diplomat; and Jeffery Lynn, film star.

Three girls, Dorothy Parmer, Betty Brannon and Barbara Chase, were chosen as beauties for the yearbook.

Gamma Pi has been well represented on the campus with Jean Moore making  $\Phi$  B K, Frances Waters, president of the women's senior class; Janet Simpson, assistant editor of the *Corolla*, and Betty Brannon, president of  $\Delta$   $\Delta$   $\Delta$ .

The Gamma Pi Kappas came back from Christmas holidays and started another year with new enthusiasm.

Sunday afternoon, January 30, we entertained at a faculty reception honoring our new housemother, Mrs. B. B. Glasgow. We have been entertaining the soldiers on the campus with monthly house dances.

Initiation was conducted for 12 girls February 4-5, and afterwards a banquet honored the new initiates. Awards were presented to Carol Thomason as the best pledge and to Jane Thompson for scholarship.

The pledges and new initiates entertained the pledges of the other sororities on the campus with an informal afternoon party, February 12.

The Kappas have continued their weekly trips to Northington General hospital to entertain the wounded soldiers. They have also shown great interest and coöperation in working in the new Red Cross room opened on the campus recently.

ERIN DAVIS

### Tuscaloosa—Chartered 1941

The Tuscaloosa alumnae club had its last meeting in December, when definite plans for the spring meetings were decided.

Mary Holbert Banks (Mrs. Wilkes),  $\Gamma$   $\Pi$ -Alabama, was appointed Army-Navy chairman, and will be in charge of contacting all transient Kappas in and around Tuscaloosa.

The group voted, as part of our war activities, to visit and entertain patients at the Army general hospital here at the same time as the local chapter. We volunteered to serve as hostesses at the Service Center when needed.

Mrs. B. B. Glasgow, new Kappa housemother, was welcomed as a visitor to our meeting, and she graciously offered to have as meal guests any visiting Kappas. We are also happy to have two new Kappas attending our alumnae meetings. They are Lieutenant Elizabeth Kelley,  $\Gamma$   $\Theta$ -Drake, and Private Ruth Wachs,  $\Gamma$   $\Omega$ -Denison. Lieutenant Kelly is stationed at the Army hospital and Private Wachs is the WAC recruiter for this district.

MARIE DROLET

### Atlanta, Georgia—Chartered 1931

As Atlanta is a center for both Army and Navy personnel, the membership of our group is in a constant state of flux. No sooner have we become acquainted with some attractive new Kappa than her husband is transferred to Washington or San Diego and we lose our new friend.

In spite of this last year our luncheon meetings in a centrally located tea room in downtown Atlanta proved so successful that we have continued these meetings this year. At the present time a brief program on a subject of current interest is being given at each meeting by a member of our group.

Our other activities of course center around war work in its various aspects, entertaining convalescent soldiers in the Red Cross hut at Lawson General hospital, rolling bandages for the Red Cross and urging everyone to visit the Red Cross blood bank as often as possible. We have also undertaken the work of the Atlanta Needlework Guild again this year.

At Christmas time our welfare chairman, Mrs. Beall, reported that the rural families in Georgia were having a difficult time because of the inability of the tenant farmers to secure work between crops. Upon Mrs. Beall's recommendation a Christmas basket was sent to a tenant farmer's family with eight children. The basket contained generous quantities of food and clothing and ample funds for the mother to purchase badly needed garments and Christmas cheer for her family.

ANNA R. VAN METER

### Delta Epsilon—Chartered 1932

Rollins College, Winter Park, Florida

Delta Epsilon entertained at a tea, January 16, for Miss Elizabeth Arden, who has decorated and stocked powder bars for the Kappa Service Women's Centers.

February 5 we initiated nine new members: Josephine Alther, Barbara Stanley, Molly Rugg, Elizabeth Smith (sister of Charlotte Smith), Elizabeth Lanier, Patricia Coerper, Martha Timberlake (sister of Virginia Timberlake), Jocelyn Bower and Barbara Brauer. After the initiation, the new members were honored by a formal dinner at the Boyd Hearthstone in Winter Park.

### Personals

The Rollins Libra, headed by Nancy Lee Ragan, Delta Epsilon president, sponsored a war bond and stamp sale which was a gratifying success.

December 31 Georgia Tainter was initiated into  $\Phi$  M E, music honorary, at Fargo, North Dakota. Georgia is an accomplished violinist.

In February Margaret Knight was elected to Phi society, freshman scholastic honorary.

Margaret Hult was initiated into  $\Pi$   $\Gamma$  M, social science honorary. She also participated in a student debate at the annual Rollins economic conference.



Georgia Tainter

debate at the annual Rollins economic conference.



Georgia Tainter and Jean Cline (pledge) played in the Miami golf tournament. Delta Epsilon was also represented there by Peggy Kirk.

VIRGINIA TIMBERLAKE



**MEMBERS of the Harvard War and Peace Policies committee are, left, Margaret Hult,  $\Delta$  E-Rollins, and Nieta Amaral,  $\Delta$  E, exchange student from Rio de Janiero, Brazil. Nieta is also chairman of the Rollins World Relations club and a member of the student council.**

### Delta Iota—Chartered 1935

Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Delta Iota began the new season by taking an outstanding part in the campus war effort. The chapter purchased \$1,500 in war bonds during a university bond drive, and every other week the Kappas have a war bond sale at which each girl purchases two 25-cent stamps which are put in one stamp book. Then one name is drawn and that girl wins the book of stamps equal to a bond. Every Monday we have a stamp booth in the center of the university field house where we sell stamps to students who group there between classes. This is a fine location for a booth, for it is the favorite campus hang-out. Sunday afternoons representative Kappas attend City Panhellenic's dances at the community club for soldiers from near-by camps, and periodically attend the USO in a body, to give a program during the evening and dance.

Our successful rush week ended with the 18 pledges being entertained at a supper in the home of May Louise Swart in Baton Rouge. Because of Panhellenic restrictions regarding entertainment, we had no Founders' day banquet. But we observed the occasion by wearing the traditional blue- and blue-ribbons. In October, Ruth Martin, Alice Phelps, Jean Kinnebrew, Mary Pipes, Jane Johnston and Louise Munson were initiated, and a dinner was given in their honor afterward at a popular restaurant. At three-week intervals throughout the year we have had pledge-active suppers after active meetings with a guest speaker who is usually an alumnae instructor.

Our Christmas party was in the highly decorated

home of Mrs. Norman Lant, alumna. Mrs. Lant was a jovial Santa Claus who distributed toy gifts that were turned over to a charitable organization. January 7-8 we initiated 12 and had a supper afterward at the home of Marguerite Charlet, for alumnae and actives.

### Personals

Linwood Lelane Gisclard, selected "Maid of Cotton" at the annual cotton festival at Memphis, has been campus beauty both years and is featured in the *Gumbo*, campus yearbook. She was elected president of the college of agriculture last year and is a member of Lambda, inter-sorority organization.

Carrie Lee Heard was elected president of Panhellenic, and to  $\Delta$   $\Gamma$   $\Delta$ , intersorority.

Marilee Arne is the only girl to be elected to the American Society of Chemical Engineers on this campus and she also serves as secretary to this organization. She was elected to K M E, honorary mathematics fraternity, and is secretary of the junior religious council.

Virginia Martin was elected to M  $\Sigma$  P, honorary equivalent to Phi Beta Kappa on this campus.

Johnita Flemington, Laura Flournoy and Isobel Voelker have been elected to  $\Pi$   $\Sigma$   $\Delta$ , honorary government fraternity.

Mary Turner Hunter and May Goldman were elected to K  $\Delta$   $\Pi$ , honorary education fraternity.

Cynthia Taylor was elected president of Grace King dormitory.

Gloria Thistlethwaite was elected to B T M, honorary pre-medical fraternity.



**Carrie Lee Heard, left, and Marilee Arne,  $\Delta$  I-LSU.**

Frances Whitaker was elected to K M E.

Mary Minor Pipes was elected to the YWCA cabinet.

Barbara Keller is a member of the Atorian club.

Fay Tyler Murray was elected to  $\Sigma$  A I, music honorary.

Wanda Scheurmann has been elected to Lambda.



Martha Welsh was elected to  $\Pi \Gamma M$ , honorary social science fraternity.

MAY McDOWELL GOLDMAN

### Delta Kappa—Chartered 1938

University of Miami, Coral Gables, Florida

Our annual touch football game with Chi Omega took place January 27. The game ended 0-0, but the most important part, the proceeds, went to the Infantile Paralysis fund. More than 400 people attended the game, including the navigation cadets and the Navy V-12 students attending the University of Miami. After the game, we gave a banquet in honor of our coaches, who are varsity players on the football team, and our sponsor.

After a kiddie party and a preferential tea, we pledged 13 girls.

A pot-luck dinner was given by the actives and pledges February 7 for the chapter advisors. These dinners are given once a month, and it is surprising what appetizing meals can be planned without the use of ration stamps.

### Personals

Sari Jane Blinn has been elected secretary of the student association and is on the staff of the *Ibis*, the university yearbook.

Lee Carpenter was chosen Sweetheart of Sigma Chi, elected president of the women's residence hall, managing editor of the *Hurricane*, university paper; elected to Lead and Ink, local journalism fraternity, and chosen co-chairman of the junior prom committee.

Dorothy Davis has been chosen for *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*.

Betty Batcheller was an attendant to the Sweetheart of Sigma Chi.

Barbara Rinehimer was elected secretary of the women's residence hall.

Mary Jane Davies and Lois Pelgrim were graduated in February.

BARBARA RINEHIMER



Lee Carpenter



IN THE University of Miami's annual "Powder Bowl" touch football contest last January these Kappas of Delta Kappa chapter, photographed with their coaches, held the Chi Omegas to a zero tie score and netted several hundred dollars for the fight against infantile paralysis.



### Jacksonville, Florida—Established 1942

The small but active Jacksonville alumnae club launched a successful campaign this winter to collect books, magazines and furniture for the day rooms at Camp Blanding near Jacksonville. The collection consisted of everything from tennis nets to mirrors, and the Duval county chapter of the American Red Cross expressed its sincere appreciation.

In response to an urgent request from the local Red Cross chapter Grace Gilmore Stormont (Mrs. F. N.), Δ-Indiana, our capable war work chairman, has been in charge of purchasing approximately 100 Valentines to be distributed to the men in

hospitals at Camp Blanding. These men, who are unable to get to the stores, can keep these Valentines themselves or send them to friends and relatives. Our alumnae group was the first organization to make a contribution to the Valentine box.

Helen Griscom Baker (Mrs. Clifford N.), Β I-Swarthmore, has been reappointed chairman of the membership recommendations committee.

We were happy to welcome one of our charter members back to Jacksonville, Flora Stewart Stinson (Mrs. William M.), Β O-Newcomb. At our January meeting we had two new alumnae with us: Helen Geis, Ω-Kansas, and Mrs. K. H. Rummells.  
MARY APGAR SANFORD

## L.A. Center Chairman Served Also in World War I

By Lucy Guild Quirk (Mrs. Akeley), Γ Ξ-UCLA, Κ Κ Γ Publicity Chairman

**Y**OU'VE HEARD a good deal lately about the Los Angeles Kappa Service Women's Center. But little has been said about its energetic chairman Helen Huston Garretson (Mrs. H. J.), Β II-Washington.

A graduate of the University of Washington's school of journalism, Helen took post-graduate work at Columbia. She volunteered to go overseas with Colonel Theodore Roosevelt's expedition, but his expedition fell through. She later received the appointment of Red Cross worker overseas and spent eight months as a hospital hut worker in France.

Back from France at the war's end, Helen plunged into family case work for two years. At that time she married and moved to a ranch in eastern Washington as the wife of McCord Taylor, Σ X, of Lexington, Kentucky. He died in 1931.

In 1933, she married Herman J. Garretson, Β Θ II, of Winnetka, Illinois, and with her marriage she acquired three stalwart sons.

In 1938 the Garretsons moved to California, and her family was augmented by two orphan nieces. These two girls, Roberta and Nancy, were just like daughters and have taken the name of Garretson. Helen is crowing these days over the fact that Roberta recently became a Kappa at the University of California at Berkeley.

Helen has always found time to donate time to the activities of Pro America, and



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**HELEN HUSTON GARRETSON** (Mrs. H. J.), Β II-Washington, executive chairman, Κ Κ Γ Service Women's Center, Hotel Hayward, Los Angeles.

the activities of Kappa have always demanded much of her time and interest. The Hotel Hayward's Service Women's Center in downtown Los Angeles is a monument of her continued interest, energy and organizational ability.



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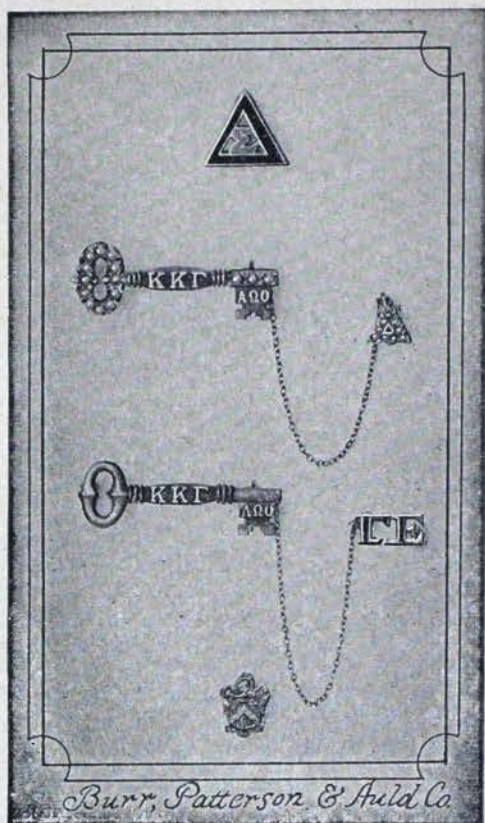
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# What to Do When

(Continued from Cover II)

## MARCH

- 1—Treasurer mails pledge fees to central office for all members pledged since major rushing season.
- 1—President of chapter house corporation notifies central office of housemother reappointment or contemplated change for next school year.
- 10—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping.
- 15—(on or before) Corresponding secretary sends names and addresses of officers and alumnae advisers to central office.
- 30—Chairman of alumnae advisory board sends annual report of activities of the board to the director of chapter organization and province president.

## APRIL

- 10—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping.
- 30—Treasurer sends central office per capita tax report and per capita tax for each member active at any time during the second half year, as well as per capita for all associate members, also check for annual audit.

- 30—(On or before) Corresponding secretary mails typewritten annual chapter report to central office.

## MAY

- 1—Membership chairman sends order for supplies to central office.
- 10—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping.
- 15—Province president sends an annual report to director of chapter organization.
- 25—Send birthday greetings to Kappa's only living founder, Mrs. Joseph N. Boyd.

## JUNE

- 10—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping.
- 10—Alumna finance adviser sends list of uncollected accounts to chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping.

## JULY

- 10—(On or before according to date last term of year ends) Treasurer expresses ALL material for annual audit to central office.

(For Alumnae Association and Club Officers and Province Vice-Presidents)  
(Club Officers responsible only for reports which are \*)

## AUGUST

- \*10—Corresponding secretary sends news items for *Fleur-de-lis* to chairman of publicity on special stationery.

## OCTOBER

- \*13—Founders' Day.
- \*15—Corresponding secretary places semi-annual news letter for December Key in mail to alumna editor.

## NOVEMBER

- \*15—Secretary sends list of alumnae who have moved to other cities to the nearest alumnae organization and to the central office corrected lists furnished them of their district. Secretary also sends to director of alumnae, central office, and province vice-president the organization's program for the current year and a directory or list of all local alumnae with their addresses.

## DECEMBER

- \*10—Corresponding secretary sends news items for *Fleur-de-lis* to chairman of publicity on special stationery.

## JANUARY

- 20—Province vice-president sends informal report to director of alumnae.

## FEBRUARY

- \*10—Secretary sends news items for *Fleur-de-lis* to chairman of publicity on special stationery.

- \*15—President appoints chairman of membership recommendations committee and sends name with address to central office. Information for publication in THE KEY.

- \*15—Secretary sends news items for *Fleur-de-lis* to chairman of publicity on special stationery.

## APRIL

- \*10—Secretary sends news items for *Fleur-de-lis* to chairman of publicity on special stationery.

- \*15—(On or before) Alumnae groups elect officers, secretaries send names and addresses of new officers to director of alumnae, central office, and province vice-president.

- \*30—Secretary sends annual report to director of alumnae and province vice-president and a list of alumnae who have moved to other cities to the nearest alumnae organization and to the central office.

- \*30—Treasurer sends to central office the annual per capita tax report and per capita tax for members of her organization during the current fiscal year (June 1, 1943-May 30, 1944).

- 30—Treasurers of alumnae associations send to central office annual convention tax.

## MAY

- 20—Province vice-president sends report of her province to director of alumnae.

- \*25—Send birthday greetings to Kappa's only living founder, Mrs. Joseph N. Boyd.

- \*30—Membership Recommendation chairman orders recommendation blanks from central office.

**WITHIN ONE WEEK AFTER REGULAR OR SPECIAL ELECTIONS** secretaries of chapters and alumnae groups send names of new officers and addresses to central office.



