

ZETA ZEST

It is thrilling to be living in an atomic age when women as well as men can be challenged by so many stimulating opportunities to serve humanity! With the growing body of knowledge about our world and its many phenomena, there has been an increased concern for human existence. This awakening has challenged the members of the Omega Beta Chapter of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated. As members of the sorority, we are interested in meeting the challenge of helping today's youth, of helping young women "find themselves," and of furthering the cause of democracy. With the unflinching trust placed in our beliefs of finer womanhood, scholarship, sisterly love, and service, we shall endeavor to meet the challenge.

The Omega Beta and Gamma Upsilon Zeta Chapters of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc., paused on January 19, 1958, to observe the thirty-eighth birthday of the sorority. Our Founders' Day Observance was held at St. Luke A. M. E. Church, Fayetteville, North Carolina. The reviewing of the history of the Zeta Phi Beta Sorority and its purpose locally and nationally was done by Soror Johnnie Pearl Murphy, a member of the undergraduate chapter.

An air of excitement prevailed at the Lilly Gymnasium on Saturday evening, February 15, when Omega Beta and Gamma Upsilon Zeta Chapters presented to Fayetteville society thirty-seven Zetalites at the Fourth Annual Zetalite Teenagers' Ball. The affair was sponsored by the local chap-

ters of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority and Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity. Miss Marjorie Herring, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stacey Herring, Wade, North Carolina, had her dreams fulfilled when she was crowned queen of the Zetalite Ball of 1958.

Finer Womanhood Week, an annual observance held the last full week in February, was launched with a rededication to our sorority, Zeta Phi Beta. The culminating activity of Finer Womanhood Week was the Annual Finer Womanhood Week Vesper Service held in the J. W. Seabrook Auditorium on Sunday, February 23, 1958. Soror Ellen Alston, Executive Secretary of the Baptist Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Conference of North Carolina was guest speaker. Soror Johnnie Murphy introduced the speaker and Soror Ruth McAllister gave a rendition of Gaines' "Faith, Only Faith." A tea, held in the recreation room of Smith Hall, followed the ceremony.

"Chapel in the Moonlight," a skit based on a song by the same name earned a cherished third place ribbon for participation in the Jabberwock for the Omega Beta Zetas.

In June 1958, the Omega Beta Chapter will bid farewell to eight of its members. She bids them good luck, good health, and happiness. Leaving, but forever letting Zeta's shield show forth her light, will be Sorors Bettye Allen, Mary Dunham, Margaret Evans, Rosa Foreman, Evelyntyne Humphrey, Ruth McAllister, Johnnie Murphy and Florine Steadman.

Our wish to everyone is for a happy, safe, and enjoyable summer vacation.

—Johnnie P. Murphy



MARY GLENN MOORE, junior from Fayetteville, N. C., who was recently chosen Sigma Sweetheart. Sigmas pictured, left to right, are George Ebron, Jr., James J. Smith, Jr., Winfield Coachman, Robert Williams, and Harold Hubbard.

All Around Sigmaland

Once again it is time to record the feats and accomplishments of the Pi Chapter of the Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity. Retrospect with me; this year it was the Sunday School program that brought Sigma-men to the foreground. Brother M. R. Silver, pastor of the Mt. Sinai Baptist Church, spoke impressively on the topic, "Deeds, Not Words."

Then came the night of the Zetalite Ball when the spirit of evening gowns and tails filled the gymnasium and campus with gaiety. The decorations were elaborate, debutantes were stunning and an enjoyable time was had by all. What a night — enjoyed by all who came and lingering yet in their memories. With us for the evening to present the debutantes was the Regional Director of the Southeastern District, Brother J. C. Duncan.

Around this time the annual donations were made to the Fuller School, Fayetteville; the Fuller School Station Wagon Fund; Oxford Orphanage, Bethany Orphanage, Millbrook, N. Y., and the J. W. Seabrook Scholarship Fund.

The "Bigger and Better Business Week" programs next claimed our attention with Miss Mary Glenn Moore being honored as the

as soloist. With the remaining sorors in the background, our park scene was complete.

Then came our National Founders' Day program at which time we observed the organization's golden anniversary. Delta Alpha joined with Zeta Pi Omega (graduate) Chapter as we worshipped in morning service at the First Baptist Church of Fayetteville. In the afternoon of the same day a Founders' Day vesper was held in the J. W. Seabrook Auditorium here on the campus. Soror Grace Matthews, coordinator of district schools of Richmond and AKA Mid-Atlantic Regional Director, was the guest speaker. The topic of her address was "The Width of One's World." We feel that the thoughts from that address are deeply embedded in the minds of all who listened and wondered, "How wide is my world?"

The members of our chapter anxiously look forward to our regular Cultural Hours at which time we gather for a period of serious thought and discussion, followed by a social-activities period of songs, games, and tasty repasts.

Recent sessions have brought to us from our own faculty Mrs. Edith LaBeach, of the Area of Art, who spoke on "Leadership," and Mrs. Minnetta H. Scott, of the Area of English, who talked with the group on "Our Social Customs and Acceptable Habits."

Nine of our sorors will be graduated in June. They are: Sorors Lucille Gilchrist, Elizabeth Gerald, Carrie Young, Lois Hill, Helen Curry, Ida Steward, Inez Evans, Shirley Smith, and Francenia McLean. Congratulations to them!

—Shirley Smith

Pi, Alpha Omicron and Beta Sigma Chapters' Sweetheart of 1958." It was an impressive program with gifts coming from as far north as Brother and Mrs. J. J. Smith, Sr., of Jamaica, New York, and as far south as from Brother M. P. Davis, of Tallahassee, Florida. The vesper program of the "Bigger and Better Week" program brought Brother T. F. Brooks, Superintendent of the Oxford Orphanage, to us as the speaker.

After the Tag Dance, the Zeta-Sigma Banquet, and Regional Zeta-Sigma Ball, the Sigma-men will look to other avenues for development. Always as their guide will be their motto, "Culture for Service and Service to Humanity."

—James Smith, Jr.

Wake Up and Read . . . Students

We, the members of Delta XI Chapter of the Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, were eager to join Miss Alice Jackson and the Library Committee in celebrating National Library Week. We were proud of this opportunity because library week is one of the Sorority's national and local projects. Soror DeLores Miller was one of the student panel members who represented the Junior Class at the "Evening of Reading" which climaxed the celebration of National Library Week. Soror Velma Lavender, president of Delta XI, presented to the librarian, Miss Jackson, for the college library, a copy of *And There Was Light* by Randolph Theil.

A Letter to the Students of F. S. T. C.

Dear Students of F. S. T. C.:

The progressive era in which we live is a challenge to us as future teachers to READ MORE.

You need to read in order that your minds, from which other minds are to gain strength and wisdom, may ever be alert. You need to read so that the full force of your abilities and personalities may reach out and be prepared to lead those who will be entrusted to you on ever-new heights of good living, self-development and

Something New On the Campus

On April 3, a group of students met under the direction of Miss G. J. Holmes, Dean of Women, and Mr. C. D. Sanders, Dean of Men, in order to form the Hospitality Club. The purposes of the club are (1) to see that the needs and desires of guests who come to our campus are met, (2) to create a friendly and homelike atmosphere for guests, (3) to welcome groups who come to the campus for any purpose, and (4) to serve as an organ of good relations for the college.

The officers of the Hospitality Club are Charles Johnson, President; Evelyn Boone, Vice-President; James Ebron, Recording Secretary; Helen Gillis, Corresponding Secretary. The chief messengers are Charles Robertson and Harold Ellis.

A training program has been designed by the advisors.

—James Ebron

Activities of JOYNER HALL

Meeting at regular intervals throughout this school year, Joyner Hall Dormitory Association has aimed its program toward enhancing the lives of the residents of this dormitory. This has been done through such media as panel discussions; cultural hours with discussions being led by our Dean of Women, Miss Geneva J. Holmes; and the showing of selected films by Grace Fowler. The members of Smith Hall Dormitory Association were our guests at one of these activities.

We, the young women of Joyner Hall, have had a very prosperous year and are looking forward to the coming of another eventful school term.

learning.

In our society, leaders are expected to be more familiar with public issues and to know more about the world around them. This is, and will be, your responsibility —to read widely in all areas. Only through such reading will you be able to become successful leaders of children.

It is often said that "Ignorance is the curse of God, knowledge the wing wherewith we fly to heaven." So, let us as future teachers read to eradicate ignorance and develop wisdom, for . . .

Books are keys to wisdom's treasure;

Books are gates to lands of pleasure;

Books are paths that upward lead;

Books are friends. Come, let us read."

—Emile Paulson

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Some of State's Ques "Bone up" for Finals



Men of Omega

Throughout the year the Delta Gamma Chapter of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity has striven to exemplify each of its four cardinal principles, manhood, scholarship, perseverance, and uplift. Because of the need and desire for academic achievement, the brothers of Omega chose higher scholarship as an ultimate goal. To accomplish this end, information concerning good study habits and skills was secured and a study hour chosen. This proved to be effective; for as the result, the names of 75% of the brothers appeared on the Dean's List, first and second quarters. In conjunction with the idea of scholarship the Ques sponsored a National Achievement Week program at which Bro. James Stuart, Chairman of the Business Department at A. & T. College at Greensboro, served as guest speaker. In April, a Memorial Service was held, in which the college family participated by lighting candles in memory of relatives or friends. Because of graduation, Delta Gamma will lose ten of its fifteen brothers; however the light fo

Alpha Kappa

Alpha Notes

The Delta Alpha Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority is nearing the end of another school term here at Fayetteville State Teachers College, under the sponsorship of Soror Beatrice W. Pirkle. We have sponsored several programs and participated in various activities during the year.

Our Assembly Program, which was heartily received by those in attendance, was captioned "Time on My Hands." It stressed how we as college students could use our time more wisely. Dr. J. W. Seabrook, President Emeritus of FSTC, was the guest speaker for this occasion.

"Carolina Moon" was the song used in the AKA Skit in the Jabberwock with Soror Evelyn Boone as dancer and Soror Hilda Davis

Omega shall continue to beckon men into her fold. Our sincere congratulations to Brother John Reavis who was chosen to serve as Second Vice District Representative of the Sixth District.