

PLEDGING SEASON IS ON WITH THE SORORITIES

ANNOUNCEMENT OF PLEDGES IS ALREADY MADE BY SEVERAL ORGANIZATIONS.

The sororities of the Normal School again are "rushing" new members, and a number may be pledged at the beginning of the new quarter. Those pledged to sororities this year are as follows:

Pi Delta Sigma—Julia Oles, Emilie Dawes, Evelyn Keese, Helen Duffy, Angelina Mahar, Mildred Belding, Beatrice McConville, Ethel Hewitt, Ella Rogers.

Phi Kappa Gamma—Ruth Fife, Regina Ryan, Edna Elliston, Kathryn McAllister, Beatrice Benbow, Norma Hammond, Helen Clark, Dorothy Mussen.

Zeta Gamma Upsilon—Gertrude Bell, Marian Bruce, Iona Hughes, Jane Judson, Frances Kimm, Belle Latham, Beulah Latham, Eula Lewis, Verlie Tuttle, Violet Smith, Louise Reese
Alpha Sigma Nu—Myrtle Demo, Flora Endres, Marian Fogarty, Orpha Gilmore, Josephine Murphy, Helen Russell, Agnes Smith, Mary Toomey, Dorothy Anable, Lumilla Gould, Marian Puffer, Grace Gedbow, Gladys Smith, Frances McCabe.

Three of the sororities, namely, the Pi Delta Sigma, the Phi Kappa Gamma, and the Alpha Sigma Nu, have houses, in each of which are about nine girls. It is reported that the Zeta Gamma Upsilon expect to secure a house for next year.

THE POWERS FAMILY

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them a very promising career. The technique of both musicians was perfect and they are better than many mature players. Their training is the best that can be given. Dorothy has been studying violin for 5 years and at present is in New York with Leopold Auer, the greatest violin teacher in the world. Some of his former pupils were Heifetz and Zimbalist. Her selections were the finest and rendered most beautifully. Dudley, who is only fifteen has also proven his ability as a cellist. He won a scholarship at the Juilliard Foundation and has been studying since September with Felix Salmond. The younger members of the quartet, Harold and Arthur are being coached by their sister and showed excellent ability in the ensemble.

The accompanist, Mary Brainard Powers, mother of the children, is a graduate of the University of Chicago and is an able pianist. During the summer and Christmas holidays the Powers ensemble conduct a home orchestra under the careful supervision and training of their parents.

The ensemble entertained former Normal graduates at the alumni banquet held in New York March 19th. This was the first time the ensemble had been together since last summer, and only resumed ensemble practice a week ago in order to present their concert in Potsdam.

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SCHOOL NOTES

Miss Ethel Bowman, '27, left on Friday night to take a position as teacher of the 3rd grade at Hartsdale, N. Y. Miss Bowman began her work on Monday, March 28. Miss Bowman plans to locate a few Normalites as soon as possible as this is her first visit to the Metropolis.

Miss Mollie Roach, '26, has been at home for a ten days' spring vacation. She accompanied Miss Bowman as far as New York city. Miss Roach is returning to her work at Storm King School, Cornwall on the Hudson.

Mary Smith Allen, ('12) of Massena spent Friday morning visiting the Normal.

Mrs. Laura Hainey, '26, who is teaching one of the junior high schools of Mt. Vernon, is very busy. She conducts a glee club for girls; teaches in night school three nights a week; and is taking work on Friday night and Saturday at New York University. Mrs. Harney expects to go to the N. E. A. convention this June.

Mrs. Hazel T. Hathway teacher of special drawing, who has been ill for a number of weeks, left for her home in Oswego last Wednesday morning. Mrs. Hathway is not expected to return until after the Easter vacation.

The condition of Miss Verna Peebles who has been confined to the hospital for the past few weeks is much improved. Miss Peebles has returned to her home and expects to be back in P. N. S. after Easter. The Hikers Club are in receipt of a letter from Miss Peebles thanking them for flowers.

The Organ Club anticipates a pleasant outing on Saturday afternoon. A hike to a sugar bush on the Winthrop road will be a feature. Besides the sweets a wiener roast is planned. The committee in charge consists of Ralph Patchin, chairman, Dorothy Smith, Edith Palmer.

Members of the Crane department of music entertained the senior high school assembly on Thursday morning. Miss Edna Elliston, accompanied Miss Kathryn McAllister and Miss Kathryn Weir accompanied by Sinah Gasser sang vocal solos while Carl DeShaw, accompanied by Miss Gladys Carver entertained by a violin solo.

Primary grades in appreciation, grades 1-3A, had an assembly program in Primary chapel Thursday afternoon, March 31. Several children took part in recitations, dialogues, and dramatizations.

Report cards were given out in grades 3B-6A Friday morning, April 1. The list of pupils having honor marks is now being compiled.

Monday morning, March 28, the pupils in grades 4B, 4A and 5B sang in Normal chapel before the Normal students. They were led by the Misses Winifred Evans and Isabel Williams, both students in the special music course.

ENGLISH CLASS PROGRAM

The work of the English classes in the primary and intermediate grades was brought to a most fitting climax on Friday morning when each grade presented a short program based upon the work of the past ten weeks. The programs included many

selections of songs and poetry with dramatizations of several spring topics. The programs were suggested by the pupils and carried out under the direction of the practice teacher.

The teachers in charge were: Misses Anna Regan, Anne Pierce, Emma Dayton, Muriel MacArthur, Marie Southwick, Eleanor Walker, Ruth Reynolds, Helen Robinson, Irene Brunet, Caroline Christiana and Ruth Hyland.

SCHOOL COMMITTEES.

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Hope Levya, Agnes Buskirk, Frances McCabe, Zella Haverstock, Irene French, Pearl Baltz and Captain-elect, Marion Corcoran.

Numerals were awarded to the following freshman, Dorothy Bell, Grace Page, Grace Kelsey, Amy Covell, Ruth Fife, Ida Van Alstine, Isabell Hymers. The committee also approved the appointment of Ruth Fife as manager for next year. These matters will be sent to the Student Council for their approval at their next meeting.

Public Performance

This committee is working on several projects all of which are intended to improve the general tone of the public programs as well as the programs which will be presented in the auditorium in the future. For some time the storing of stage properties has offered a perplexing problem so the committee has started plans for providing a special room where these materials may be kept. The assembly programs for the remainder of the year have been planned and various groups are now active in preparing their part. The student entertainment course for next year has doubtless been receiving the most attention, as several representatives of lyceum bureaus have been called in and offers for numbers are receiving consideration.

Social Activities

Discussion of the new rule regarding the extension of the study hour from 8 o'clock to 9:30, the new point system and the matter of an extra day at Easter to allow students to return on Monday was taken up by this committee last week.

The matter of the change in the study hour has been before the student council and the faculty at recent meetings and each returned the proposal to the Social Activities committee with suggested changes. The committee considered the proposed changes and have drawn up an amended proposition. This rule will not become operative until next September as there is considerable detail work which must precede its operation.

The following is the rule as amended: The study hours in the houses shall be from 8 o'clock until 10:30

o'clock on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday and should be strictly observed by all freshmen unless given special permission by the Dean of Women. Juniors are given a privilege of a 9:30 date on one school night a week for the movies or recreation, while the seniors may have the 9:30 privilege on two school nights a week for the same purpose. The names of those students using the 9:30 privilege must be filed with the Dean of Women on the next morning. These privileges would be denied any person whose scholastic work is not approved by the scholarship committee.

Publicity

The matter of the preparation of the mailing list for the Normal Racquette was taken up at this meeting. As a result of this cooperation the complete list of some 700 names was prepared and made ready for the printer.

Note

The Scholarship and Welfare committees failed to report their activity. According to reports considerable work has been done. We would be glad to have these promptly next week.

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