

Who's There and Where



By VERA CAULUM

Mary V. Campbell

Mabel V. Campbell, '05, who is chairman of the Home Economics Department of the University of Missouri, at Columbia, writes an interesting letter concerning her activities.

"We have a fine staff, and a wonderful student body. We are small in number, but we make up in quality. Iowa State girls would not be able to imagine such a small department as we have, neither could they imagine one so poorly equipped. For more than two years one half of our building has stood almost finished, awaiting the necessary dollars which we hope the next legislature will give us. Unlike Iowans, Missourians are hardly conscious of the professional opportunities in home economics or of the necessity of securing training for homemaking. Thus you see, we have a long ways to go in developing home economics in Missouri.

"Can you imagine it? Three of the members of our staff have never visited Iowa State College. We realize our education is sadly incomplete, hence we are all coming up to call on you. The twelve members of our resident staff and several of the extension staff will head our little "Chevies" northward some bright Friday morning in early spring. We will spend Saturday inspecting and securing inspiration from the finest Home Economics department the world knows, on the beautiful campus of my beloved Alma Mater. This is just one of the details of departmental administration.

"We are using every possible means to develop the interest of students and staff and women's organizations in a big state wide program for the development of home economics. A challenge, yes! A job full of interest, but quite different from that of Federal Agent for Vocational Education!"

Miss Campbell is president of the Missouri Home Economics Association, Regional Counselor of the American



Home Economics Association and a member of the Federal Board of Vocational Education.

Jennie M. Shaw, a graduate student in Institutional Administration, has accepted a position as director of the Lunch and Dining Rooms in the Tagney-McGinn Hotel at Waterloo.

Cecile M. Miller, a March graduate, has received an appointment as student dietitian in the Santa Barbara Cottage Hospital, Santa Barbara, California.

Maurine Hoskins, '27 received an appointment, effective April 1, as dietitian in the Philadelphia Orthopaedic Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.

Vesper Monk, a March graduate, has accepted a position in the Hyde Park Hotel Cafeteria, Chicago.

Kathryn McCarney, '26, has charge of the Home Service Department of the Missouri Utilities Company at Cape Girardeau, Missouri. Previous to taking over her new duties April 1, Kathryn had been a dietitian in the Iowa Lutheran Hospital at Des Moines.

Juanita Kenefick, who will graduate in June, has received a fellowship at

the University of Iowa. Juanita will work on her master's degree and receive student dietetic training.

Irene Shaben, '27 is teaching textiles and clothing in the Western Kentucky State Normal School, Bowling Green, Kentucky.

Sylvia Pedersen, our former editor, was married Saturday, March 17, to Lyle Connolly. The ceremony was performed at the Zeta Tau Alpha house by Dr. O. H. Cessna. Sylvia is a senior in home economics and journalism and will graduate in June.

Eva Donelson, '27, is doing nutrition work in the research laboratory of the Children's Hospital of Michigan, in cooperation with the Merrill-Palmer School of Homemaking at Detroit.

Gladys Koenig, '27, has completed her training in Child's Restaurant, New York, and is now food supervisor in Child's Restaurant at Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Thuesen, members of the class of '21, are living in the home economics practice house at Oklahoma A. and M. College, where Mrs. Thuesen directs the practice house work. Their three-year-old daughter, Betty, furnishes plenty of practice for the students in child training. Mrs. Thuesen was formerly Helen Hoover.

Alice Thayer, '25, is directing the high school cafeteria and teaching clothing at Clinton. Alice's address is 629 Twentfth avenue, south.

Mrs. Jean Grant Field, a March graduate, has gone to San Francisco to join her husband, who is engaged in the real estate business in that city.

Edith Scott, another March graduate, has accepted a position demonstrating the uses of paint for the De Voe Paint Company, Omaha.

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Phi Upsilon Omicron Conclave

Omicron Chapter of Phi Upsilon Omicron, professional home economics honorary, as hostess of the 1928 biennial conclave to be held June 21, 22, and 23, extends to each member of the fraternity a cordial invitation to the Iowa State College campus.

Definite arrangements for the business and council meetings, banquets, and invitations are being completed by the National Council. To enable the delegates to reach Des Moines in time for the opening session of the National Home Economics Convention, no plans are being made for Sunday. Of special interest to Iowa State College will be Anna E. Richardson, formerly dean of home economics, now field worker on the Committee for Parental Education and Child Welfare, who will speak on, "Progress of Home Management Study and Plans for its Future."

Future information concerning the conclave may be obtained by communicating with Harriet King, Chairman of General Arrangements, Ames, Iowa, or Dorothy Johnson, President of Omicron Chapter, Box W, Station A, Ames, Iowa.

German Periodical Features Pictures of Iowa State Laboratories

Studies in household equipment and household administration at Iowa State College are interesting European engineers. Pictures of the laboratories at Iowa State are reproduced on the front page of the March 14 issue of the official periodical of the Society of German Engineers, published in Berlin.

Accompanying the pictures is an article on "Technique in the Household" by Miss Lotte Matchoss of Germany, now a student at Iowa State. Miss Matchoss is the first German to study household equipment here as a student.

Improved household equipment is popular in Germany, says Miss Matchoss, where servants are scarce since the war, due to the demands of industry.

Miss Josephine Arnquist, chairman of the Hospitality Committee of the National Home Economics Association meeting in Des Moines, is soliciting ushers for the convention. Schools which can furnish students please notify Miss Arnquist at the Extension Office, Ames.

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