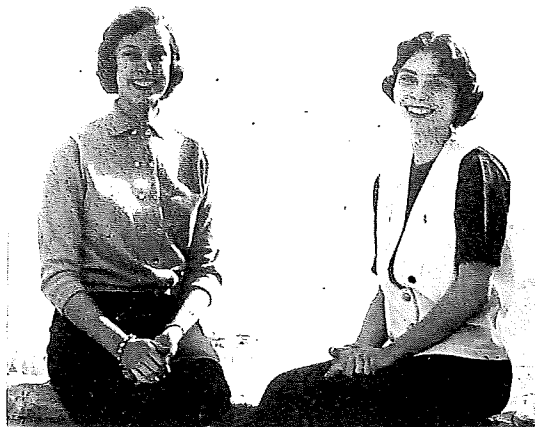


Nu Chapter Returns To Hanover College



These two were Nu colonizers—Larrilyn Carr, Laurie Scott, University of Oregon seniors.

Telegrams, letters and gifts poured into the new Nu Theta house at Hanover College from Kappa Alpha Theta alumnae and active chapters all over the United States and Canada. The week end of February 28, 1959, was a big one for Nu chapter, and Thetas everywhere knew it, as their warm greetings indicated. And installation at Hanover had special significance—for after sixty years' absence Nu chapter was being re-established. The original chapter was on campus from 1882 to 1899.

After a very full fall and winter of becoming established on campus and preparing for installation, under the supervision of Larrilyn Carr and Laurie Scott, colonizers, Nu colony was ready to become a chapter. Thursday afternoon, February 26, a kite flying party on a windy Han-

over quad began the busy week end schedule for the 30 pledges. Broken kite strings and home-made kites that wouldn't fly created many hilarious situations.

With the arrival of Grand President Alletta Henderson Munz; Grand Vice President Mary Forrest Brandriff; Executive Secretary-Treasurer, Helen Sackett; and Grand Council members, Florence Benner Wylie, Evelyn Widman Tunnicliffe and Virginia Speidel Edwards, initiation services began.

Kappa Alpha Theta actives from DePauw, Indiana University, Purdue, Butler, Miami, the University of Cincinnati and University of Kentucky were a meaningful part of the services.

The day went smoothly, showing the pre-initiation planning of Martha Brown Scott, Ann

Kites were judged before the thirty Nu colony pledges put them into the air to celebrate coming installation.





Enjoying Cornish hen at banquet are Hanover Thetas Ellen Thurman, Ann McMullen, Ginny Berry, Syd Mara

Scofield Carpenter, Dorothy Bucks and Jan Froeb Calvert, Nu Advisory Board members.

At the installation banquet that evening, Dr. John E. Horner, president of Hanover College, welcomed Nu chapter, saying, "I want to take this opportunity to extend the best wishes of Hanover College on the occasion of the installation of Kappa Alpha Theta on this campus. I am sure that the whole Hanover College family would want me to bid you welcome and express best wishes for a pleasant association as an important member of the Hanover College campus."

Other guests from Hanover College were Miss Nancy Schwartzwalder, Dean of Women, and Dr. Mowbray Tate, Dean of the College, and his wife.

Following the banquet, Letty Munz officially

installed a sparkling Nu colony as the eighty-third chapter of Kappa Alpha Theta.

Sunday, after attending church in a group, visitors to campus and Nu chapter Thetas enjoyed a banquet at the Kappa Alpha Theta sorority house.

That afternoon, the installation tea was held in President and Mrs. Horner's home, which overlooks the Ohio River. Grand officers and Martha Brown Scott in a receiving line greeted the many guests. The beaming Thetas were especially entertained by Mr. Clarence Dryden, a guest, when he showed pictures of members of the old Nu chapter and told tall tales about them.

After the tea, Thetas returned to their house and collapsed after an inspirational and unequalled week end. And both the tired Thetas and the cluttered house showed signs of the active week end. Munching on left-over tea sandwiches, and stepping over and walking around many floral arrangements . . . more pansies than they had ever seen . . . they happily went over the events of the thrilling days.

And the initiation-installation fun was complete when the Beta Theta Pis serenaded and ended with their special version of "So, ring out three cheers for Theta, for we love her as we know."

So Kappa Alpha Theta returned to Hanover on February 28, 1959. With Mary Benham, Virginia Berry, Joan Bosenbury, Judy Munz, Nancy Neumann, Sally Schotters and Marilyn Weil from Indianapolis; Jane Anderson from Munster, Carole LaFollette and Edith Harding from



At banquet, Hanover President, John E. Horner, discusses Theta - chapter - to - be with Advisory Board member, Dr. Dorothy Bucks (l.) and Letty Munz, grand president. Later Dr. Horner spoke and welcomed Theta to Hanover.

Installation is Fun . . .

Installation tea at the home of Hanover's President finds Theta VIP's greeting guests: l. to r., Virginia Speidel Edwards, Evelyn Widman Tunnicliffe, members at large; Mary Forrest Brandriff, grand vice president; Letty Munz, grand president; Larrilyn Carr, colonizer.



Relaxing during installation tea are Ann Scofield Carpenter, Nu chapter's Advisory Board; Mary Forrest Brandriff; Martha Brown Scott, Advisory Board; Florence Benner Wylie, member at large; Letty Munz; Dorothy Bucks; Helen Sackett, Theta's executive secretary-treasurer; Opal Kerr; Jan Froeb Colvert, Advisory Board.



Left: Sparkling with pleasure at everything about the installation are Letty Munz and Mary Brandriff. Right: Here Letty Munz smiles at Hanover member, Syd Mara.



. . . For Nu after Sixty Years



Nu actives and pledges line up to be counted and photographed before leaving tea at college president's home.

Crawfordsville, Marion Johnston and Mary Lou Sorg from Goshen, Suzanne McCutchan from Evansville, Nancy Scofield from Brazil, Martha Smith from Anderson, Linda Randall from Aurora, Madeline Miller from Hanover, Nancy Miller from Columbus, Diane Selke from Newcastle, Carole Ulrey from Knightstown, Sandra Weldy from South Bend, Emily Sohn from Elwood, Sydney Mara from Morgantown, Indiana; Molly Morris, Linda Mundy and Ellen Thurman from Louisville, Kentucky; Beth

Shannon from Ottawa, Illinois; Margo Stockton from Kenilworth, Illinois; Jane Stitt from Findlay, Ohio; and Ann McMullen from Colorado Springs, Colorado, Nu was off to a good start!

And it is interesting to note that during the seventeen years Theta was on campus at Hanover in the 1880's and 1890's there were exactly fifty active members. In this first semester of re-establishment, there are twenty-seven actives.

● Larrilyn Carr
● Laurie Scott



Left: Hardly anyone closed their coats when attending church together on Sunday. Why? So their new Theta pins would show! Right: Kites fly high on Hanover Quad in front of Parker Auditorium before Nu's installation and from now on will ever fly high on the Hanover campus.

