

We have had many pretty little compliments for our new catalogue, and, indeed, we are highly pleased with it.

We are in hopes of having Lu. Graff, '92, with us again the spring term. She is now at home with her parents, in Utica.

Never was our University in a more prosperous condition than at the present time. Our new fine art college, called "The Crouse Memorial College for Women," and costing \$500,000, is gaining a reputation throughout the educated world, and is considered the finest building of its kind in the country.

Several of our girls have been corresponding with the other Chapters, thus uniting more closely than ever the bonds of "Thetahood." We are always glad to hear from any of "the girls."

With the very best wishes for Theta, we remain,

Fraternally yours,

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The past term has been an eventful one with Omega Chapter, being the first in our active college life, for our organization took place just before the long summer vacation. As there is no preparatory in connection with the U. C. we have no pledged girls, but started vigorously in our first "rushing." We were fortunate in securing all of the seven girls we wanted. They reap a good share of the "first section," and are in the regular courses from classical to mechanics. But more than college honors, they have that indefinable something which marks a freshman as a good prospective Theta. The following are their names: Mabel Gray, Louise Shepherd, Anita Sims, Louise Bunnell, Julia Morgan, Mida Castelhoun and Frances Boggs.

As to the character of our Chapter work, we are not literary. No one is, in Berkeley, of his own accord, for the English courses are so full and varied and demand so much time that there is but little enthusiasm for outside work. We try to cultivate social life within our own Chapter, and have jolly informal meetings which are restful affairs, untroubled by an English paper.

The evening of Dec. 12, Omega gave a reception to its new members. It was at the home of Miss Harris. The house was profusely decorated with evergreens, ferns, chrysanthemums and silk drapes of our colors. The favors were lovers' knots of black and gold and Theta pansies. From nine till two the Theta girls entertained their many friends.

Among the guests were several Phi girls and Miss Mary Henderson, of Epsilon Chapter. Her presence has been a great treat to us; a number of the sisters of our girls were present, as well as some of the mothers, one of whom, Mrs. Watson, we claim as Omega's patron saint.

The Berkeley Greek world was well represented, both students and faculty.

Now we are resting and preparing for a quiet and steady development of Chapter life next term.

With best wishes to all the sisters.

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