

# Kwamas Will Pledge 19 Girls at Mortar Board Ball Saturday

## Jayne Bowerman Will Enter Government Training School After Graduation This Year

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To have a job and a Phi Beta Kappa key presented to you within a few days of each other is something which would make any senior sigh that "life just isn't like that." But sometimes it is, and Jayne Bowerman, senior in social science, has just that experience.

Jayne, a transfer from Scripps at the beginning of her junior year, has been named to an "internship" at a school for training in government service in Washington, D. C., sponsored by the National Institute of Public Affairs, an organization made up of leading college professors and men prominent in government affairs. They select a limited number of students for special "education" in government affairs with the view of training them for executive positions.

### Government Work Goal

At the end of a year's period of training, the students take a civil service exam, and ultimately go into government work, according to where their interest lies. Jayne especially wants to go into the government personnel field.

Jayne is tremendously thrilled about the opportunity. When she discovered that she had been selected—one of the four women women named on the Pacific coast, and one of the ten women from the entire United States—she came bounding down the steps of the Theta house, her campus home, shouting, "I got it! I got it!" Whereupon she and her sorority sisters promptly went out to celebrate the occasion properly over a coke.

The next morning she received notification that she had been awarded a scholarship at the Simmons School of Social Work in Boston. But Jayne decided to enter the other school instead, for she felt her interests lay more in that direction.

### Another Honor

A few days afterward, she got word that she had been elected to that highest of University honors—Phi Beta Kappa. For besides being lovely enough to rule as princess of Junior weekend last year, Jayne receives grades that are nothing short of amazing—a remarkable and rare combination.

She will be graduated from the University this spring, after spending two years here. Despite the

handicap of being a transfer from another University—and that right in the middle of her college career, she has made an outstanding record at Oregon. Her home is in Portland.

### Thinks Oregon Friendly

Jayne thinks everything said about the friendliness of Oregon is very true.

"When I entered here," she remarked, "I was afraid that I should feel out of everything, but in about a term I felt that I belonged here."

She said that she was particularly impressed with the friendly spirit at Oregon after having visited some of the California campuses, where the students tend to separate into small groups.

Jayne believes that an interest in study should be the main part of a student's life, for after all, she feels, that is what they are here for. However, she stressed the fact that these should not dominate to the exclusion of everything else, and that the social and active side of University life should not be ignored, for these, she feels, are the closest connection with the life outside of the University.

### Notices Contrast

When she entered the University of Oregon after the quieter, more studious life at Scripps, she noticed the increased emphasis placed on social activity here. Jayne thinks that this is a good thing, however, for both sides are here—study and activity—and it is up to the individual to choose his course, including both.

Jayne's favorite mode of relaxation from studying is horseback riding. She related sadly that she had a horse here last year, Juneau by name, but that Juneau had most inconsiderably gone in for raising a family, whereupon her upkeep became too expensive. She also liked dancing, swimming, and other sports.

"Just a normal, healthy girl," she grinned. "Lovely and gracious, Jayne is a model of everything contained in the expression, "all-around" girl. Charm, intelligence, beauty, ambition, a sense of humor—all combine to make Jayne a girl who would be outstanding anywhere."

### MISS ROBERTS WINNER

Helen M. Roberts, Portland, senior in Romance languages, has been awarded the annual Pi Delta Phi book award. The award is made each year by the French honorary to the graduating senior who has made the most progress in French during his or her four years in the University. Miss Roberts will receive ten French novels.

Is it better to keep your mouth shut and seem a fool or to open it and remove all doubt? Chinese proverb.

## Black Lace for the Young



Jacques Heim of Paris, who does lovely things for "jeunes filles" showed this in his recent collection. It is a tailor-made and yet feminine street dress of black wool lace. The skirt is shown over black and the upper part of the same black is lace made over white pique peeping out at all borders. The little hat is a tiny skull cap and sheer mesh veil is draped over it and continues around and down—showing what Paris is doing with veils this season.

## People We've Seen

### The Girl Who Crammed for Exams

Eleven weeks out of every term she was just an ordinary, normal, healthy, happy, every-day coed, going about her business with complete calm and self-possession, taking college life as it came, and as it went.

On the twelfth week she became a creature berserk, dashing madly about the campus, hair flying, clothes looking slightly slept-in, a wild gleam in her eye.

"I've been up half the night," she'd pant hysterically as she gulped an early morning cup of coffee in the Side, half seated on a stool with one foot planted firmly on the floor in preparation for a rapid take-off. "I drank gallons of black coffee last night, and I just had to fight to keep awake." And then she'd rush off in a panic-stricken whirl, muttering something about "eight o'clock exam," and "going to flunk the cock-eyed thing."

She was that way all examination week. A haunted creature, a miserable imitation of her usual happy self.

"Can't eat," she'd moan, "can't sleep. Never worked so hard in my life."

Everybody felt terribly sorry for her. She always looked so harried, so unhappy.

"It's the only way I can ever get through school," she'd insist unhappily. "No matter how hard I study during the term, if I don't cram all night before the final I'll flunk the course."

And so she ran the house's electric light bill up and developed arctic circles under her twinkling blue eyes. She lost sleep. She lost pounds. She lost friends. And all because she had that mania for last-minute cramming. One week she'd be as sweet and carefree as a bouncing babe, and the next she'd carry the weight of the universe on her shoulders and look like Methuselah's older sister.

So she went on her miserable way, each examination week leaving a little less of the joyful child who met life with a song and adding more of the weary woman, experience-saddened, until came spring term of her junior year when once again the dreary shadow of coming examinations fell across her happy path.

This time she was definitely in up to her ears, and the midnight season promised to be long and wearying.

"I don't know what I'm going to do," the harried girl wailed to her sympathetic sisters. "Examinations all day; study all night. Oh woe is me! Oh woe is me!"

Every night for a week she

## Dances Close Spring Term's Social Events

Using the theme of "Bad Taste," Phi Kappa Psi will hold their spring dance Friday night at the chapter house. Decorations will be unusually poor with clothes conforming to the general idea. Jimmy Morrison's orchestra will officiate.

Sigma Phi Epsilon will hold their spring formal at the Eugene hotel Friday night with Gus Meyers' dance orchestra playing.

The women's co-op are honoring their housemother, Mrs. Rosalind Wulzen at tea today. All other housemothers, house presidents, and special members of the faculty have been invited.

### Girl Date Dances

Mortar Board preference dinners will be an event of Saturday night at the Chi Omega and Sigma Kappa houses with the Theta underclass and Alpha Phi upperclass dinners.

The annual inter-dormitory banquet will be held at John Straub Memorial hall tonight with S. Stephenson Smith as the guest speaker. Walt Eschebeck will be toastmaster.

With the theme "Coronation," students will go imperialistic at the annual water pageant put on by the Amphibians and the Varsity swimming team at Gerlinger pool last night and tonight.

Seniors are being honored at Alpha Delta Pi and Chi Omega Friday night by a banquet; at Alpha Chi Omega tonight; and at Susan Campbell Sunday.

### Phi Theta Upsilon to Entertain at Tea

Phi Theta Upsilon, junior women's service honorary and Philomatele hobby groups are having a joint tea at Gerlinger, Tuesday at 4. The hobby groups will discuss plans for the Phi Theta contest that awards a prize to the best planned program for next year's activities. The prizes are being kept secret.

### Exchange Desserts Scheduled for Week

Acting as host tonight will be Gamma Phi Beta in an exchange dessert with Beta Theta Pi; Kappa Alpha Theta to Phi Delta Theta;

and opened her eyes to the shining sun. Slowly she climbed out of bed and took a leisurely shower. Then she dressed and made her way happily up onto the campus.

The sun was warm and bright, she was ready for her examination, all was right with the world.

Joyfully she greeted people whom she hardly knew. Then ahead she saw the girl who sat next to her in the class for which she'd worked so hard the night before. Going up to her exam no doubt. She whistled and hastened to catch up. The girl looked terribly dazed.

"What's the matter?" she asked cheerfully, and the girl groaned. "The matter? Do you mean to tell me," the girl asked incredulously, "that you lived through that eight o'clock exam, and can still ask 'what's the matter?'"

Horror-stricken our little friend glanced at her watch, and then she realized... Sleep-blinded she must have set her alarm clock for nine instead of seven. She'd slept through that eight o'clock exam!

After dinner that evening she scurried to the library and wolfed out the books she wanted, taking them home to the quiet recesses of her room under penalty of fine and perhaps expulsion. There she settled down to while away the hours with a big thick text-book in one hand and a nice cup of mud-black coffee in the other.

It was desperately hard to keep awake. She concentrated fiercely, focussing her eyes upon the printed page with the force of every nerve and muscle in her body. Her eyes burned, her head ached. As she studied she counted the ticking of her watch and mentally figured the seconds of grace she had before the fateful eight o'clock hour in the morning.

Midnight came. Then one o'clock, and two, and three. The pages before her began to dwindle, and those behind to pile up encouragingly. At last four o'clock in the morning she closed her book and her weary eyes, and settled down to catch some few winks of sleep before the alarm clock clamored for her awakening.

Some time later she reached down to shut off the noisy clock,

## Shirred Chiffon



Yellow chiffon printed with colorful flowers makes the dress of this ensemble. The shirred waistline releases the skirt in soft gathered fullness with dirndl effect. The bolero is in crepe exactly matching the print of the chiffon.

Chi Omega to Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Kappa Sigma to Pi Beta Phi; and Friday night, Alpha Phi is having Chi Psi.

Inviting all housemothers and personal friends, Alpha Xi Delta, gave a party for their housemother, Mrs. Agnes Beckett, Wednesday.

The final social events of spring term will be brought to a close by the picnics of Skull and Dagger, Saturday; Order of the O, Sunday; and the senior picnic, May 27.

## Alpha Chi Omegas Have Formal Tea For Housemother

Miss Grace Waha, housemother of the Alpha Chi Omega fraternity, was honored at a formal reception and tea given in the chapter house last Tuesday afternoon. Invitations were sent to more than 140 guests, composed of campus women, house presidents, house mothers, town women, and guests from outside of Eugene.

Miss Virginia Hartje, Alpha Chi alumna and at present dean of girls of Woodrow Wilson junior high school, Mrs. Robert D. Horn, and Miss Thelma Garretson presided at the tea table.

Miss Waha, Mrs. Alice B. MacDuff, and Miss Vivian Emery, house president, were in the receiving line.

The colonial house was decked with flowers, arranged by Florence Smith, chairman of the affair. The tea table was centered with pink snap dragons and rosebuds, arranged in a low light yellow bowl.

Irene Honstead played piano selections during the tea hours. Barbara Ward sang several vocal solos.

## Sophomore Service Honorary Names New Members During Evening of Girl-Date Formal

Kwama, sophomore women's service honorary, will pledge 19 new members to their organization at the Mortar Board ball this Saturday. Arrangements have been made to have the pledges assemble at 10:45 with the grand march starting at 11 o'clock.

The formal invitations will be distributed to the newly pledged freshman women before the march; then the girls will promenade through the dancers to the platform where Mrs. Hazel P. Schwering, dean of women, Mrs. Alice B. Macduff, assistant dean of women, and Kay Coleman, president of Kwama, will receive the girls, pinning the red, white, and black ribbons, symbol of the sophomore honorary on them.

### Skull, Dagger Take Part

Skull and Dagger, sophomore honorary for men, will take part in the pledging, forming a saber-archway under which the newly pledged and the initiated members of Kwama will march.

The Mortar Board ball is the annual reverse-date dance held each spring term. Women date men to the affair, buy them flowers, and refreshments.

Boutonnieres are purchased by the women for their dates. To allow women to more easily obtain the gardenias, which are the traditional flower for the evening, the Associated Women students have appointed representatives in each women's living organization to sell the flowers.

The price has been set at 35 and 50 cents, and the flowers will be delivered to the girls' houses.

Decorations for the dance will be in black and silver with the Mortar Board, symbol of the senior women's honorary, represented. Gus Meyers' orchestra will play.

### Formal Dress in Order

Dress for the formal occasion will be formal for women and dark or white suits for men.

Patrons and patronesses for the affair will be Dr. and Mrs. C. L.

Schwering, Mrs. Alice B. Macduff, Dean and Mrs. Eric W. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. John Stark Evans, Dean and Mrs. H. C. Howe, Dean and Mrs. James H. Gilbert, Dean and Mrs. Ellis F. Lawrence, Dean and Mrs. Victor P. Morris, Dean and Mrs. J. R. Jewell, Dean and Mrs. John F. Bovard, Dean and Mrs. Alfred Powers, Dean and Mrs. O. F. Stafford, Dean John J. Landsbury, and Mr. Orlando J. Hollis.

Guests of honor include Governor and Mrs. Charles A. Martin, Chancellor and Mrs. Frederick M. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Brown Barker, President and Mrs. C. Valentine Boyer. Mortar Board alumnae are also to be guests of honor at the affair.

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