Alpha Phi Omega, a service fraternity, has been quite active since its organization on the Delaware campus. This year it has undertaken and completed many projects that have been a benefit to the University. The fraternity is devoted to the service of the student body and faculty, the youth and community, members of the group, and the nation.

Alpha Phi Omega served the school by acting as guides for tours and as ushers for groups that requested help.
Alpha Zeta, the national honorary agricultural fraternity, has been quite active on campus since its installation in 1949. Under the leadership of Chancellor Yorke Rhodes, this fraternity has performed many worthwhile functions and has donated its services whenever they were needed. Alpha Zeta tries to foster high standards of scholarship, character, and leadership and to promote fellowship among its members. The fraternity promotes the field of agriculture in every way possible and attempts to render a service to agriculture students and to the school of Agriculture itself. The group assisted in both the University of Delaware Open House Program and the Parents' Day Conferences. It also served luncheon to visitors during the three days of Farm & Home Week. In the spring Alpha Zeta holds an annual dinner-dance and holds other social functions throughout the school year.

ALPHA ZETA

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Beta Beta Beta, a national honorary biological society, is instituted on a foundation of genuine interest in the promotion and propagation of scientific and scholastic functions of a biological nature.

The one hundredth chapter, Alpha Pi, was officially installed at the University on February 4, 1955, mainly through the joint efforts of undergraduate Karl Buretz and faculty advisor, Dr. Robert S. Howard. Subsequently, membership and available resources have been steadily increasing.

At biweekly meetings, appropriate films and speakers are presented. Group activities have been manifested in the form of tutoring, exhibitions, field trips of special interest, film programs, tree labeling, blood typing, and a variety of other constructive undertakings.

Omicron Delta Kappa is a national leadership honor society for men. The Beta Sigma Circle was established at the University in 1949.

Membership in the society is granted by election on the basis of character, scholarship, leadership, service in campus life, and consecration to democratic ideals.

The purpose of this society is to honor men who are outstanding in collegiate activities. These men create an organization which helps to mold sentiment on questions of intercollegiate interest; and to bring together members of the faculty and student body on a basis of mutual understanding and interest.

The Society holds bimonthly meetings to carry out this purpose.

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Vice-President RICHARD SUTTON
Sec.-Treas. DR. SMITH

FIRST ROW: T. Lennox, R. Sutton, J. Spivack, R. Haines. SECOND ROW: Dr. Smith, Dr. Lewis, Dr. Dougherty.
This year's junior counselor group consists of boys and girls, each of whom is assigned approximately ten new students whose area of study is similar to that of his or her own. The counselors work with the students as groups and as individuals, in helping them adjust to college life at the University. Alumnae groups and campus committees often call on the counselors to serve as guides, confer with parents, and help with various activities. These Junior Counselors work closely with the counselors in the Dean of Students' office.

FIRST ROW: Shirley Deats, Mallory Hughes, Joyce Mitchell, Jo Hires, Jane Walton, Harriet Herrman, Stephanie Klahr, Anna West, Eunice Harry, Jean Lunsford. SECOND ROW: Nancy Behling, Doris Reed, Mary Billingsley, Paula Turek, Ann Sutherland, Joan Hollingsworth, Mary Hoover, Mary Agnes Dennis, Carole White, Jane Wollenweber, Dorette Mueller, Carolyn Murray, Yvonne Nyland. THIRD ROW: Anne McGrady, Joan Maker, Dianne Sherman, Meredith Hall, Esther McDaniel, Marie Connor, Ann Harwood, Josephine Baldwin, Carolyn Brown. ABSENT: Nancy Chifton, Joyce Gottschall, Margaret Jones, Joan Moloney, Pat Samples, Dorothy Swanson, Marie Woerner.
The junior counselors' job begins in the spring semester when they attend training meetings. During the summer they write welcoming letters to their students. Since then, many lasting friendships have been formed, and the freshmen and counselors have found the experience a rewarding one.

Junior counselors, this year, also played an important part in making the annual Parents Day Conference successful. At this conference the counselors had a good chance to talk with parents and gain a better insight into their advisees' problems.
The Zeta Omicron Chapter of Kappa Delta Pi, an Honor Society in Education, is composed of students who demonstrate high scholastic ability. Kappa Delta Pi has been in existence on the Delaware campus since it was installed in 1949 and seeks to encourage high professional, intellectual, and personal standards. The program for the year consisted of field trips, honor teas, meetings featuring guest speakers, and panel or group discussions. Initiates were elected in November, honored at a tea in December, and formally initiated in January. Under the leadership of President Joan Henderson, Zeta Omicron's delegate to the National Convention in Oklahoma, Kappa Delta Pi has become very active on campus this year.
The purpose of Sigma Xi, a national society, is to encourage scientific research. Members are elected on the basis of demonstrated ability and scientific research. Reports of members, followed by discussions and refreshments, comprise some of their meetings. A Sigma Xi national lecturer also comes to the Delaware campus to speak to this group. A national program of awards through grants-in-aid is one of their major activities. There is a quarterly national publication, "The American Scientist," which contains popular scientific articles of a high standard. This year Sigma Xi has been presenting an interesting schedule to its members.

Dr. Ronkin, Dr. Somers, Dr. Kwart.
The aims and purposes of Scabbard and Blade, the honorary military society, are primarily to raise the standards of military education in American colleges and universities, to unite in closer relationships their military departments, to encourage and foster the essential qualities of good and efficient officers, and to promote friendship and good fellowship among the cadet officers.

The school year started off with a dinner and smoker for the members of the society and the faculty of the military department. The highlight of the year was the Military Ball at which the queen of the Ball was crowned as honorary Cadet Colonel.

Members of the Scabbard and Blade assume the responsibility of raising and lowering the campus flag each day while school is in session.
In order to fully recognize outstanding leadership and scholarship among coeds, an honorary women's society, Tassel, was organized on campus in 1950. Although a local honorary at present, the group is applying to affiliate with Mortar Board, the national organization. Taking steps in this direction the members have entertained Mortar Board representatives from other colleges.

Primarily functioning as a service group, Tassel performed such activities as conducting a large scale chrysanthemum sale on Homecoming Day, guiding guests and visiting scholars around campus, assisting and hostessing at University conferences and Open Houses, holding Listening Parties during away football games, giving a tea for the freshmen girls on the Dean's List, sponsoring a Leadership Conference, surveying for student polls, plus many other activities.

TASSEL

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Jane Frandsen, Pat Simpler, Joan Henderson, Elise Delano, Irene Haldas, Dean Collins, Loretta Wagner, Ruth Levy.
TAU BETA PI

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Tau Beta Pi, the national engineering honor society, was founded to mark those who have conferred honor upon their Alma Mater by distinguished scholarship and exemplary character as undergraduates in engineering. The society also aims to foster a spirit of liberal culture in the engineering colleges of America. The primary requisite for admission into the society is a high scholastic average. To be eligible, an undergraduate must be in the top eighty of his class in his junior year or in the top fifth of his class in his last college year. Consideration is also given to the number of campus activities engaged in. On the national scale, the major tangible objective of the society is its Fellowship Program for graduate students.