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Dear Members,

Another year is nearing an end, and soon most of us will turn our thoughts from books and ABA activities to summer jobs and other summer activities. ABA has had another very successful year. We've enjoyed some interesting programs and have had fun together. We tried a new approach to pledging and found it to be very successful. The sponsors and the officers of ABA wish you a very enjoyable summer and hope to see you all again next year.

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1968 - 1969 Officers

President	Mary Manz
Vice-President	Tena Natale
Secretary-Treasurer	Nina Mott
Historian	Kathleen Novotny
Sponsors	Mrs. Fagerburg Miss Speer

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Standing Committee Chairmen

Publicity	Arlene Sangmeister
Pledge Recruitment and Training	Linda Hoskins Phil Ringenburg
Social	Joyce Reinz Karen Kaiser

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MEETINGS, 1969

January

A trip to the Illinois Reading

Service was planned for our January 6th meeting, but due to snowy weather, it was postponed.

February

On February 3rd, Mu Chapter received 20 new members into the fraternity. They were:

Kris Bicknell (Mrs.)
 Ginny Blackly
 Violette Brooks
 Cindy Catt
 Karen Cronholm
 Marcia Donat
 Bob Enzweiler
 Laura Garrett (Mrs.)
 Carolyn Glabe
 Mary Harms
 Linda Hogren
 Denise Kennedy
 Carol Kreis
 Peg McNeil
 DeEtta Perkins
 Joy Pickworth
 Jeane Putnam
 Kathy Rahr
 Vicky Richmond
 Kathy Satorius
 Helen Smith (Mrs.)
 Diane Snyder
 Cindy Whalen
 Imogene Zachery

There was also a pledging ceremony for 7 new pledges. They are:

Cathy Baldwin
 Karen DeMarco
 Francis Edwards
 Beth Hischer
 Cindy Hopkins
 Mrs. Mary Patricia Powell
 Janet Schmidt

On February 8, Mu Chapter members toured the Illinois Reading Service. Miss Hindman told us a few facts about the reading service. She then let us

look through many of the books that were there. This was a trip worth waiting for.

March

Mrs. Phyllis Morales, the librarian in charge of the rare books collection, was the guest speaker at the March 3rd meeting. She discussed and showed us several rare books contained in the Milner Library collection. She also showed some of the work by Lois Lenski found in this collection.

April

At the April 4th meeting, new officers for the 1969-1970 year were chosen. They were:

- President Tina Natale
- Vice-President Nina Mott
- Secretary-Treasurer Ginny Blackly
- Historian Marcia Donat
- Their standing committee chairmen will be:
- Publicity Karen Kaiser
Kathy Rahr
- Refreshments DeEtta Perkins
Jeane Putnam
- Pledging Mary Harms
Imogene Zachery

May

The Summer Reading Program was the topic of our final meeting held on May 5th.

Mrs. Phyllis Wallace of Withers Library in Bloomington, discussed some of the programs Withers has had in the past, and how to maintain a successful program.

Our last get-together of the year is the Founders Day Banquet. This year it will be held on May 24th at the Sinorak. We will have as our guest speaker, Miss Hazelle Anderson who has been touring the Orient and searching for children's books for Milner's collection. This should be a very interesting talk, and we are looking forward to hearing about her trip. The new officers will also be installed at this meeting.

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OUR STUDENT TEACHERS

Second Semester, 1st Nine Weeks:

- Christine Ilguadas; Metcalf Library
- Mary Manz; Oakland Park School, Kindergarten
- Wilma Stevenson; Biological Science and Library Science

Second Semester, 2nd Nine Weeks:

- Carol Anderson; English and Library Science
- Deanna Brown; Decatur, Library Science
- Christine Ilguadas; Ottawa
- Mary Manz; Metcalf Library
- Pat Powell; English and Library Science
- Joyce Reintz; Ottawa, Elementary
- Arlene Sangmeister; Normal, University High School, History and Library Science

Sally Ann Walcott; Evanston, Elementary

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