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## THE PRESIDENTS COLUMN

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to teach them any lessons which we may have learned from our experiences and, in turn, we want to have our ideas refreshed by new viewpoints. Such exchange of ideas cannot help but make us all more alert and more valuable to our clients and to our employers.

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compiled it will be very useful in determining whether or not any of our members would be qualified or interested in any positions offered. This questionnaire is being prepared and will reach the members within a short time.

Due to the war conditions it probably will not be possible to hold a convention during the year 1943, but the directors will, if at all possible, meet during the summer and, as it will not be possible for the membership to get together to discuss a program for the year 1944, the directors would like suggestions from the members as to how this society can better further the interests of women in accounting. Please send your suggestions to Miss Josephine Kroll, Secretary, 2717 Potomac Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

#### NEWS FROM MEMBERS

Anna Grace Francis, C.P.A. has left Chicago for Washington to work for the Office of Price Administration.

Juanita Briggie has joined the WAACs. She is well equipped to handle her assignment for she has been private secretary to the County Superintendent of Schools, is an accountant, has a private flyer's license, and not so long ago, completed a meteorological course at Gonzaga.

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Probably the first nun to receive a C.P.A. is Sister Mary Hilary O'Brien, the only woman numbered among the fifty-five successful candidates in the November Illinois examinations.

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## Trouble in Balancing

"There are three things which even those awe-inspiring individuals known as certified public accountants must have trouble in balancing. The bank's balance seldom agrees with the individual's bookkeeping; the Christmas card income and outgo never coincide, and the government's reports of percentage upturns in the cost of food do not even faintly resemble the sums one hands over the grocery counter."

—Indianapolis Star