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field and of economics. They should constantly analyze, enlarge and readapt their courses to changing circumstances within the profession and business world. Devotion of the faculty to accountancy, their insatiable desire to pursue independent research, and their eagerness to inspire students with enthusiasm for the future are indices of excellence of teachers and teaching.

With regret it must be stated that the hidden spark, the touch of pure inspiration for excellence in teaching, is largely lacking in most University accounting departments. One wonders if notable accounting teachers have been killed off early in their academic careers by the deadly routine of their own teaching procedures. There is vital need today for the reclarification of accounting educational objectives and their relation to professional, business and war needs, a necessity for each teacher to stress the wider aspects of the subject, to stimulate the student's inquiry of mind as well as to reinforce his ethical and cultural standards.

Women have a particular gift to offer the profession during the war, and even after its conclusion, for they can assume the major burden of accounting instruction and endeavor to make it more profitable than ever before. In addition, they are the ones who should assume the responsibility of carrying forward accounting research and of adding to accounting literature by scholarly articles and books. The fields of teaching, research and writing are all correlated. Trained women C.P.A.'s, it is to be hoped, will devote more time in the future to the problem of making accounting principles and procedures more fascinating to students, practitioners and laymen by means of the spoken and written word. Through this contribution, freely made by these women, not only these individuals mentioned above but the public as a whole will learn to understand, love and appreciate the cultural and practical aspects of the higher ramifications of accountancy.

### THE PRESIDENT'S COLUMN

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For the duration of the war it will be necessary for us to conduct our business in this mail-order fashion. We ask the cooperation of all members and chapter officers in order that it may be done as efficiently as possible.

### A.W.S.C.P.A. NOMINEES

Nominations submitted by the nominating committee for national officers of the American Woman's Society of Certified Public Accountants are:

President .....	Grace S. Keats
First vice-president.....	Hazel J. Skog
Second vice-president.....	Ethleen Lassetter
Secretary .....	Josephine Kroll
Treasurer .....	Alice H. Haggerty
Director .....	Josephine O'Hara
Director .....	Jane Goode
Director .....	Margaret Lauer

### Chapter News

#### Terre Haute

New officers elected for the coming year are:

President .....	Jean Neil
First vice-president .....	LaVerne Williams
Second vice-president .....	Alma Moudy
Secretary .....	Eleanor Scott
Treasurer .....	Mary Hyslop

The next meeting is scheduled for September; the interim will be utilized to increase the membership, which is small. However, there has been a very large percentage of attendance.

#### Spokane

Mrs. Anna Jane Carrel chose "South American Relations" as her topic at the May annual banquet. New officers installed were:

President .....	Betty Jean Lucas
First vice-president.....	Martha Johnson
Second vice-president .....	Barbara Bateman
Secretary .....	Patricia McDonnell
Treasurer .....	Veva Johnson

### NEWS FROM MEMBERS

Mrs. Hazel Johnson Skog has been elected Secretary-Treasurer of the Washington Society of Certified Public Accountants—Spokane Chapter.

Alice E. Hayes is now Alice H. Haggerty (Mrs. Joseph I. Haggerty). This adds another name to the growing list of our members who, in addition to choosing accounting as a career, have decided that another accountant in the family is desirable.

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Authorship is, according to the spirit in which it is pursued, an infamy, a pastime, a day labor, a handicraft, an art, a science, a virtue.

—Schlegel