

MARGARET BLAIR (07/ 3/1890 - 10/19/1973)

PSI STATE FOUNDER 1936 5th PSI STATE PRESIDENT 1944-1946

BORN IN: Marietta, GA

EDUCATION:

B.S.H.E. Degree from Alabama Polytechnic Institute (1926) M.A. from Teachers College (1928) Studied at University of Chicago Studied at Syracuse University

EXPERIENCE:

TEACHING AND PROFESSIONAL
H.S. in Rome, Georgia
Georgia School for the Deaf
University of Georgia (until 1955)
Professor of Clothing and Textiles

DELTA KAPPA GAMMA LOCAL CHAPTER:

Alpha sponsor, organizer, charter member (January 3, 1936); president (1942-44); served on all committees (many as chairman)

PSI STATE ORGANIZATION:

Recording secretary (1st for state organization); president; 2nd vice president; helped organize Gamma Chapter, Athens, GA (1939); host for Psi State Convention 1946; dressed a doll to represent Miss Celeste Parrish then sent it to to Austin for display at National Headquarters; attended state conventions; gave reports, presented programs, introduced guests; visited chapters; conducted workshops and training sessions

REGIONAL (CONFERENCES, DUTIES, ACTIVITIES):

Attended regional conferences; presented workshops and programs as assigned; led discussions; introduced guests; gave reports; hosted GA reception for national guests

INTERNATIONAL (CONVENTIONS, DUTIES, ACTIVITIES):

Attended national conventions; gave reports; served on National Executive Board; assisted with programs and workshops as requested

COMMUNITY AFFILIATIONS:

Member of Independent Presbyterian Church; president of Women of the Church; active supporter and participant in Telfair Academy and Youth Museum; member of Executive Board for League of Women Voters; president of Georgia division of AAUW

HONORS:

Received local school and community recognition; esteemed by colleagues and friends

BURIAL INFORMATION:

Buried in Rome, GA at Myrtle Hill Cemetery next to her sister who was one of the founders of Beta State, AL