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The Associate Alumnae of Hunter College extend a most hearty invitation to ALL our graduates to attend the Harvest Home Festival in the College building on November twelfth.

Alice I. Popper,  
President.

### NOVEMBER 12TH

Our Harvest Home Festival this year will be the substitute for our usual Fall Reunion: an afternoon in which classes may come together for entertainment of various kinds followed by supper and dancing. It is a call to all the Hunter Daughters to return home, bringing with them to the Harvest Supper their families that the old Hunter Homestead may ring with laughter and merriment.

Our Jubilee Day of 1920 and our Revel of last year proved so successful that many of us think it perhaps a good plan to have, instead of our usual two staid Reunions a year, one of the nature of a jollification and yet at the same time an opportunity to bring back to Hunter a harvest of the brain-work of her daughters—an annual meet where original plays, poems, pageants, dances, would all prove the intellectual development of her graduates.

In the spring we return to the traditional Reunion, offering our platform to any speaker who has some message to bring.

Alice I. Popper.

### THE REUNION

At the May Reunion it was duly voted to amend our Constitution and By-Laws to the effect that the Fall Reunion should be held in either October or November.

No more do the faithful ones have to give up a glorious week-end in the country in order that they may attend a reunion in October. No longer does the Reunion Committee tear its hair over the difficulty of getting celebrities to entertain us in October. In bleak November we are to give you a bright Saturday, a happy homecoming to the Alma Mater. Call it a Harvest Home if you will. 'Tis one and the same thing this year and will be held on November 12th.

Be sure to come and come early.

Grace B. Beach.

A happy holiday horde for Hunter Homestead's Harvest Home! Here's hoping hit happens! Heave ahoy!

Betsy B. Davis.

### THE HARVEST HOME

"Seize what you can; the times are hard; one needs  
To snatch enjoyment nimbly while it passes."

So, dear Hunterites,—all along the line from 1870 to 1921,—Come one, Come ALL, for a jolly good time in our dear old HOMESTEAD, Saturday, November twelfth.

First of all, meet the members of your own Hunter Branch, for a warm hand-clasp and a happy chat,—1:30 to 2:30 P. M.—in the ne'er to-be-forgotten rooms of the old Home.—Older Daughters, give a right good welcome to the Youngsters.—And Younger Hunterites, come and get acquainted with your older sisters. We're a GREAT FAMILY!

At 2:30 we will merrily trip into the big, old HALL of the Homestead, where some right smart kin-folk will do their utmost to entertain you with jokes and songs, plays and dances, and all sorts of lively doings.

At 6:30—oh, my!!!—there will be a fine HARVEST SUPPER. Be sure to tell the men-folks all about it and warn them not to be late for the supper-bell!

Then, from 8 to 10:30, you may trip the light-fantastic with your best squire, in the new wing of the old home.

ALL kin-folk are invited to the evening's fun,—mothers, fathers, cousins, brothers, friends.—All for fun and fun for ALL.

Now for all this jollification, there will be some slight fees necessary. (Any surplus will go towards the Graduate Gift Fund.) For the afternoon, you will be taxed ten cents for a program, and the cloak-room charge will be a dime also.

The supper will cost \$1.50 per cover, which includes the dance fee. But any late-comer, not partaking of the supper, will be asked to contribute 25 cents for a dance-tag.

The committee regrets that there must be any charges whatever, at this merry reunion and festival.—BUT there are many expenses to be met.

Now—dear HUNTERITES—WELCOME to our

### HARVEST HOME FESTIVAL!

Viola Yoerg Hartman, Chairman,  
43 Caryl Ave., Yonkers.

No matter where'er you may roam,  
Through the country or 'cross ocean-foam,

Be sure to remember

The twelfth of November!

Come back for the dear Harvest Home!

Eleonore F. Hahn.

## A MERRY GATHERING

Roll-call will be a picturesque event, if each one will realize that she is to be part of the picture and will take the trouble to get and to wear, with becoming class-spirit, whatever decoration has been selected for her class. This selection may be made by the leaders of organized classes, who will notify all members, but if within a few days of the Festival you do not hear from this source, please accept the insignia suggested by the Committee, and listed below:

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| '70-'75—Lavender and<br>White Asters | '97—Barn Swallow                                |
| '76—Red, White, and Blue             | '98—Yellow Sunbonnet                            |
| '77—Wheat                            | '99—Apples                                      |
| '78—(Organized)                      | '00—Duck  |
| '79—Autumn Leaves                    | '01—First Snow                                  |
| '80—Red Chrysanthemums               | '02—Cricket                                     |
| '81—Grapes and Grape<br>Leaves       | '03—Corn  |
| '82—Oats                             | '04—Rabbit                                      |
| '83—Evergreens                       | '05—Acorns                                      |
| '84—Yellow Chrysanthe-<br>mums       | '06—Hayseed                                     |
| '85—Pine Cones                       | '07—Owl   |
| '86—Goldenrod                        | '08—Hunter                                      |
| '87—Blue Sunbonnet                   | '09—Nuts  |
| '88—(Organized)                      | '10—Chicken                                     |
| '89—Pink Chrysanthemums              | '11—Sun Flower                                  |
| '90—Bittersweet                      | '12—Carrots                                     |
| '91—Harvest Moon                     | '13—Tabby-cat                                   |
| '92—Pink Sunbonnet                   | '14—Bachelor's Buttons<br>(Small Chrysanthemum) |
| '93—Turkey                           | '15—Red Berries                                 |
| '94—Red Peppers                      | '16—Bat   |
| '95—White Chrysanthe-<br>mums.       | '17—Green Sunbonnet                             |
| '96—Farmer's Hat                     | '18—Dairy-maid                                  |
|                                      | '19—Farmerette                                  |
|                                      | '20—(Organized)                                 |
|                                      | '21—Scare-crow                                  |

Put this list in your purse as a reminder.  
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