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# Bowdoin Alumnus



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## Again The Seven Million

IN welcoming the delegates to the national conference of the American Alumni Council last July, President Charles W. Cole of Amherst College commented upon "something that is almost unique in history and typically American-alumni loyalty." French and German universities do not have it and there is little of it in connection with the great universities at Oxford and Cambridge. The nearest parallel to the spirit of devotion and loyalty of American men and women to their colleges is found at the so-called Public Schools of England. To the several hundred college alumni workers he was addressing, President Cole said, "You, as nurturers and guardians of American alumni loyalty have on your shoulders for the foreseeable future a termendous duty and a great opportunity because, with all the social, economic, political and international factors that are working for greater control and regimentation, I am convinced that alumni loyalty alone can preserve the freedom of American education . . . that alumni contributions are going to be the keystone to the finances of the privately endowed colleges of this country."

Those are significant words—significant not only to college alumni but as well to all who cherish the American way of life and want to keep it. The Alumnus has repeatedly endeavored to make clear to Bowdoin men how vitally necessary their active support is to this college and has tried to portray the role which the more than seven million college men and women must play if American higher education is to be safeguarded in its unfettered search for and teaching of truth. College, and university alumni are partners in the vast enterprise of education and the day is past when a silent partnership suffices.

Happily, Bowdoin's invitations to alumni that they share in its problems have met with sympathetic and generous responses. Literally hundreds of Bowdoin men give willingly of their time and capabilities to serve the College; literally thousands now share in Bowdoin's finances by contributing annually through the Alumni Fund. No day passes without some evidence of alumni effort to advance the welfare of Bowdoin. If President Cole sees correctly the American educational scene of the future, it is a matter for no little self-congratulation that Bowdoin alumni are already so well on the way to assuming the responsibility which is increasingly to be theirs.

FOR several years the College, in consideration of contributions to the Alumni Fund, has subscribed to the Alumnus for each contributor. During the war years the College has also subscribed for those Bowdoin men who were in the service. Thus the Alumnus has had a circulation of about 4700. At their recent fall meetings, the Alumni Council and the Directors of the Alumni Fund expressed the belief that the necessary acquaintance with what Bowdoin is and is doing and the imperative development of still greater alumni participation in the vexing problems of the College could best be assured by a circulation which would bring the Alumnus to all alumni. The College has accepted the recommendation and will subscribe to the Bowdoin Alumnus for every member of the Alumni Association. Circulation, therefore hits a new high of about 6300. To their larger public, members of the staff pledge their continued efforts to bring enlightening news of the College. Nor can they refrain from directing the attention of potential advertisers to their substantially expanded list of cover-to-cover readers.

### Football Returns

Daniel J. Hasson '47 Gives An Undergraduate's Reactions To The Results Of The First Postwar Season



CAPTAIN PITCHER AND COACH SHAY

THE first post-war football season Lame to Bowdoin, bringing doubt and apprehension to the students, faculty, and loyal supporters from the town of Brunswick. They viewed the 1946 football season with a mild feeling of fear. Could George "Dinny" Shay step into Adam Walsh's shoes and continue Bowdoin's Golden Era of State series competition? The candidates for the team were predominantly service men of whom a very few had played any college football. Could they round into shape? Could the T formation be taught effectively to players who had had no previous experience under that system?

To discover what might be done Coach Shay issued a call for candidates during the summer trimester. About fifty responded and regular practice started during the brief September recess, a few short weeks before the opening game. Dinny worked with quiet determination; Frank Sabasteanski, recently appointed line coach, had the drill master technique, and the players

showed exceptional enthusiasm towards the conditioning program. Things began to look brighter. From the light, inexperienced squad a team and reserves seemed possible.

The Polar Bears opened their season against Mass. State at Amherst in weather more suitable for baseball than football, and in a weird game, were defeated by a score of 11 to 8. Three safeties were registered, two for Mass. State and one for Bowdoin. Bowdoin's play throughout was spotty. Innumerable fumbles, one a yard from pay dirt, halted long marches. With the exception of Ed Gillen's touchdown pass to Gil Dobie in the second period, our aerial attack also left much to be desired. Despite green and jittery playing, Dinny Shay's charges led in first downs 13 to 6 and their ground gaining was double the home team's.

A determined but over-anxious Polar Bear eleven lost their second game of the season to an out-played Amherst team by the score of 7 to 0. Before a home crowd of more than 4,000, Bowdoin's light line outcharged their heavier opponents consistently, holding Amherst to 57 net yards of rushing while Bowdoin moved on the ground for 180 yards.

Put in an awkward position by a fumble on the opening kick-off, Bowdoin was deep in its own territory much of the first half. As in the Mass. State game, the line outplayed their heavier opponents. The team's defense was strong but no consistent offense could be put together, largely because effective blocking failed to materialize.

With every conceivable break against them, the Bowdoin line and backfield demonstrated an encouraging spirit and evidence of power. The team had made obvious progress but their brilliant defensive play was not sufficient to overcome the many defensive errors and misplays. Perhaps Amherst was fortunate to pull out a win but they did it by capitalizing on our mistakes.

In the third game of the season, before a Father's Day crowd of 3,500, the Polar Bears lived up to their potentialities when they shifted into high gear and rolled over a sluggish Williams eleven 26 to 0. Twenty of Bowdoin's points were registered in the first half. The White put together two touchdown marches and scored a third time on a well-executed fourth down pass. In the second half a rejuvenated Williams defense held Bowdoin scoreless until Captain Pitcher intercepted a



COACHES HUETHER, MacFAYDEN, SABASTEANSKI AND SHAY ATHLETIC DIRECTOR MORRELL, DOCTORS HANLEY AND JOHNSON

pass near the end of the game and ran unmolested for a touchdown.

Any doubts about Dinny Shay's coaching ability was erased by this victory. He had brought a green squad to a point where they had handed the visitors their worst defeat in the Bowdoin-Williams series. There was evidence that two strong lines now operated in front of a host of speedy backs. The Big White definitely seemed to be ready for the State series.

The Polar Bears lived up to advance predictions when they defeated Colby 6 to 0 in the State series opener before a crowd of 3,800 at Severn Field. The score came in the final period when Eddie Gillen passed to Marty Lee in the end zone, two plays after Tim Donovan had intercepted a desperation Colby aerial on the 15.

The win, which put Bowdoin in a tie with Bates in the series standings, was, however, not an impressive one. Lacking the cohesion and polish which marked their triumph over Williams, the Polar Bears collected only five first downs against nine for the losers and never did put on a sustained drive. The bright side of the game proved, as usual, to be the forward wall's defensive play when the chips were down.

The Bates football team hadn't won a State series championship since 1930; they hadn't had an undefeated season since 1898. They were favorites at Lewiston and lived up to pre-season predictions by defeating a stubborn Bowdoin eleven 6 to 0. A crowd of 3,000 saw the Bobcats prove themselves superior mudders as they wallowed to their sixth straight victory.

The lone tally came in the first period when Art Blanchard broke through the middle for 26 yards to climax a 79 yard touchdown drive. The Garnet victory was accomplished under the worst possible conditions. The field was a sea of mud, made steadily worse by a constant downpour. Despite frequent ball changes, the pigskin was treacherous and passing made impossible.

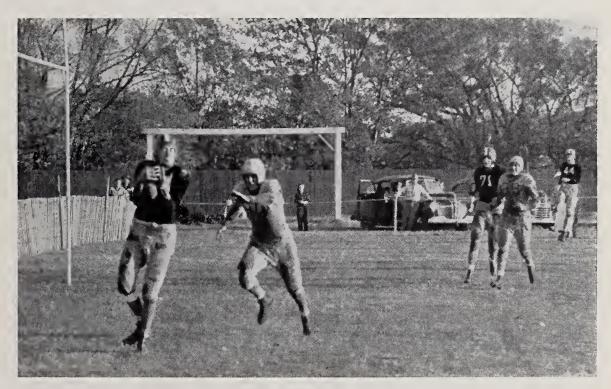
The home town team had a slight edge in the statistics, leading in first downs 12 to 10, and in net yards 149 to 137. Bowdoin's much feared aerial attack was stymied by the weather and an alert defense.



AMHERST — PIERCE AROUND END



WILLIAMS — TOOMY ON A LONG JAUNT



COLBY — GILLEN TO LEE FOR THE SCORE



BATES — BLANCHARD CARRYING

This second game of the series proved that the Polar Bears couldn't depend upon any sort of breaks to aid them. As in preceding games, their opponents showed the greater ability at capitalizing on mistakes.

The final game of the season was lost to Maine by the score of 23 to 7, before an Alumni Day crowd of over 9,000, at Whittier Field. The skies had cleared just before the game and Bowdoin adherents hoped that, despite their weight disadvantage, Dinny Shay's team would omit the misplays of earlier contests and reveal the consistent, spirited offense of which they were capable. But it was not to be. The Bowdoin rooters suffered with the coaches as Bowdoin mistakes set up each one of the scoring opportunities which Maine

promptly converted into points. Twice the White Team put on impressive offensive drives, one of them paying off when Gillen passed to Lee, who in turn lateralled to Branche for a touchdown. The score tells graphically enough the difference between the teams that played on November 9.

But the 1946 football scores do not tell the story of Bowdoin's first postwar season. Sports writers were agreed from the start that, with but one letterman and a light squad of inexperienced candidates, Coach Shay could not be expected to build fast enough to compete on equal footing with the veteran starred teams at the other Maine colleges. Dinny's coaching and the fighting spirit of the squad surprised everyone. An amaz-

MAINE — BOWDOIN'S TOUCHDOWN - GILLEN TO LEE TO BRANCHE

ing defense time and again stopped heavier and more experienced teams. Never was the Bowdoin team thoroughly outclassed; never did it quit trying. Dogged all year by costly fumbles and penalties, the Polar Bear team was always faced with the necessity of doing it the hard way. The victories were few but the defeats were by no means inglorious.

Next year should be something else. All but two of this year's team are expected to greet Dinny when he starts after the 1947 title. We think he made a valiant try for it this year. He has demonstrated his abilities as a head coach and we say he can't fail next year.

No freshman football team was organized this fall but a junior varsity schedule of five games was played. Games with Bridgton Academy, Maine Central Institute, Ricker Junior College and Higgins Classical Institute were played on Pickard Field, the one game away being that with Phillips Exeter Academy. Composed in large part of players who entered too late for the varsity conditioning program and handicapped by a fluctuating membership and the consequent difficulty in developing team play, the J.V.'s acquitted themselves well. They lost to Exeter and Bridgton, tied Ricker and won from M.C.I. and Higgins. Coach Huether uncovered some material which will, without question, bolster next year's varsity squad.

An Institute of World Politics and Organization will be held at the College during the two weeks' period beginning on April 8, 1947. This will be the twelfth in the series of biennial Institutes begun in 1923 and held regularly except for a wartime lapse from 1941 to 1944.

Arrangements for the sessions are being made by a faculty committee headed by Professor Orren C. Hormell.

Subjects tentatively under consideration for the Institution addresses include the United Nations Organization, the atomic bomb and world politics, the problem of displaced persons and the policies of the United States with reference to government in occupied countries.

Each Institute speaker will meet in round table session with a selected group of undergraduates on the day following his address.

## After Five Years

Philip S. Wilder '23 Returning As Assistant To The President, Portrays The Bowdoin He Finds



RHODES HALL

Long windrows of leaves are burning on the campus paths as they have burned for generations at "Bowdoin in the Fall." There are men on the paths, too, as always before, and as there will be, always. There are more men than ever before. The campus is the same as it was in 1941, but it is different.

Charles Burnett is gone, and Gerald Wilder from the Library, and Arthur Gilligan, and Herbert Hartman. Frank Johnson, who ploughed the campus paths in winter with his black horse, Bess, is gone, and young Frank Johnson drives a bright red tractor in his stead.

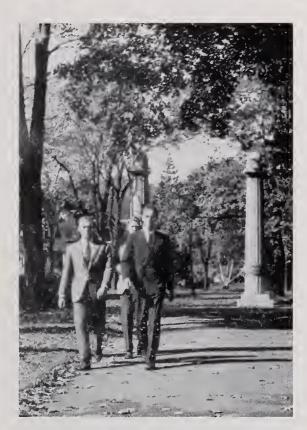
Dean Nixon is on leave in California, and Manton Copeland, also on leave, will join Professor Mason in the ranks of the Emeriti next June. Others of the older group are still about. Professor Mitchell taught during the summer and Professor Ham is holding classes now, in Russian. Professor Moody is seen on campus occasionally, but Professor Fred Brown is ill at his home.

Many of us who went away in '41 or '42 are back again. Van Cleve and Little, Wilder and Abrahamson, Stallknecht and Taylor, Russell and Shay.

Professor Kendrick is Acting Dean, and Dinny Shay is holding the coaching spot left vacant by Adam Walsh.

There are many new faces, some completely new, and others of the Alumni back to take up teaching duties. In the first group are Alton Gustafson, one time Acting Dean at Williams, who takes over Professor

Copeland's work in Biology, and Norman Munn, of Vanderbilt, who heads the Psychology Department. Jean Darbelnet, who was here as a young Teaching Fellow in French some eight or nine years ago, is with us again as a full professor and Perley Turner '19 has become Associate Professor of Education. Other Bowdoin men in the long line at the President's Reception for new faculty members were Lawrence Pelletier '36 and Lawrence Hall '37, in Government and English, respectively, Dan Hanley '39 who will act as Col-



TWO THIRDS ARE VETERANS

lege Physician while Dr. Johnson enjoys a well-earned leave, Nathan Dane '37 in Classics, and David Lawrence '43 Teaching Fellow in Physics. Frank Sabasteanski '41 is busy as an assistant coach of football.

The student body numbers about nine hundred sixty and of this number more than six hundred sixty are veterans studying under the G. I. Bill of Rights or its companion-piece, Public Law 16. Many of them are Bowdoin men who have come back to pick up the educational threads which they laid down to join the Army or some other service. They are of all ranks and ages. At the graduation exercises of fifty-one men

September 28, degrees were awarded to two members of Class of 1931 and to one man who had just put aside the eagles of a full colonel and is now beginning his long training at medical school. More than a hundred of our veteran students are married, living, with their wives, in Brunswick, most of them in the housing units that arose to shelter Navy and shipyard personnel during the war years. The veterans are good students, better students than the non-veteran group in college and better than they themselves were in their pre-war days. Housing is at a premium but Bowdoin student quarters are among the best which colleges can offer today. In the five campus dormitories are the 200 or more freshmen, half of them veterans and half young men fresh from the schools. With them are the usual proctors and a handful of other upperclassmen. The eleven fraternity houses, just returned to their owners after years of college management, are straining at the seams. Three buildings at the Brunswick Naval Air Station house 125 undergraduates, watched over by Mansfield Hunt '37 and served by a free and regular bus service to and from the campus. These buildings, named for Captains Alderman, Ellis and Taylor, who commanded the station during the war, were built and furnished as officers' quarters, and offer accommodations comparable to those in the campus dormitories. Much of the Air Station is used by the University of Maine as a training center for 800 Freshmen who have, so far, lived in peace and



AIR STATION CAMPUS

harmony with their Bowdein neighbors.

Campus activities are operating at a high level, with fine prospects not only in athletics, but in music, dramatics, and other fields. Classrooms are crowded and the College has expanded its plant by the purchase from the Town of Brunswick of the old school house across the Bath Road from the rear of Adams Hall and adjacent to the carpenter shop. This building, where Robert Coffin '15, Edward Ham '22 and Allan Johnson, Jr. studied as children and laid foundations for their work at Oxford, has been named Rhodes Hall.

Throughout the war the College operated the dining rooms in the Moulton Union and in such of the fraternity houses as were open. This college service has been extended and continued with the establishment of a co-operative buying and management organization serving all the dining rooms and using as its headquarters the well equipped cold storage plant and warehouse at the Naval Air

Station. Some of the fraternity houses are feeding more than eighty men, and with the lack of food supplies, the new organization has been operating under serious handicaps.

All in all, Bowdoin of 1946 is much like Bowdoin of 1941, and where there have been changes it would seem that many of them have



AIR STATION BUS

been for the better. Everything points to a gradual and rather painless return to the familiar pattern of the College as Bowdoin men have so long known it.

## On The Campus

#### Placement

A LUMNI visitors to Massachusetts Hall in the last few months have commented on the number of Bowdoin men calling at the office of the Placement Bureau. It is true that the activities of the Bureau are making the college an increasingly continuing factor in the lives of its alumni and is a means of developing further the already strong college alumni relationship and cooperation.

During the past twelve months the Bureau with its program of advice and counsel to veterans and other alumni has placed, directly and indirectly with the assistance of its committees, over 200 Bowdoin men in satisfactory positions. More than 300 prominent alumni and faculty members in 35 strategic areas are actively engaged in this work of assisting Bowdoin men.

The object of the program continues to be to assist each veteran, alumnus and new graduate to find the niche in civilian life for which he is best suited by reason of his interests, aptitudes, education, experience and geographical preference.

With the cooperation of the Psychology Department the Bureau is now able to administer vocational aptitude tests for those who are indefinite about their careers. These tests together with a complete record of the candidates classroom work and extra-curricular activities are used to determine his availability for positions open.

In addition to this veteran and Alumni program the Placement Bureau is engaged in a number of allied activities including part-time employment for undergraduates. summer employment, student agencies and concessions. The services of the Bureau are also available to wives of student veterans. To date all those who have applied have been referred to positions on the campus or in the town. It is planned to continue this service as long as conditions warrant its inclusion in the program.

Business conferences, industry recruiting programs and vocational lectures will be conducted for the benefit of the undergraduates. The objective of the entire guidance program continues to be acquainting un-

dergraduates with the opportunities and responsibilities in many fields of endeavor so that their vocational objective will be realistic and definite by the time they are ready to enter the business or professional world.

New committeemen are Lawrence M. Read '25 in New York and Barrett C. Nichols '25 of Barre, Vermont. The Bureau appreciates the full support of all alumni and especially those who serve as counselors or advisors in the program. All communications should be addressed to the Director, Placement Bureau, 302 Massachusetts Hall, Bowdoin College, Brunswick, Maine.

#### Music

FULL and active musical year A is assured. The Glee Club, again back to normal size, is rehearsing vigorously for what promises to be one of its best seasons. The Messiah is to be presented three times; on December 7 with the Colby Junior College Glee Club at New London, N. H., on December 13 with the Brunswick Choral Society, the Colby College Glee Club and the New Eng-Conservatory Orchestra Brunswick, and with the Colby College Glee Club at Waterville on December 14. A joint concert with the Wellesley College Glee Club is also to be given in Brunswick on March 9. The Glee Club has scheduled appearances at Damariscotta, Bradford, Wellesley, Worcester, Poughkeepsie, Philadelphia and New York before the second annual Bowdoin Night at the Boston Symphony Pops the second week in May.

The College Band, reorganized and recruited to full strength, has played at football games this fall and plans a concert later in the year. Student recitals in the Moulton Union will be a Sunday afternoon feature of the fall and winter. The first, with tea served after the recital, is to be held November 24. The Interfraternity Singing Contest will be held on three evenings — preliminaries on January 13 and 14 and the finals on January 20.

In addition to these student musical activities, the Brunswick Concert Association offers three concerts on December 7, January 15 and March 12 while the Bowdoin College Chamber Music Series presented Ives Tinayre, tenor, on October 21 and will present the London String Quar-

tet on February 24 and a trio concert by Alfred Zighera, 'cellist, Alfred Cripps, violinist and Frederic Tillotson, pianist on May 5. Generous support of the Elizabeth Sprague Coolidge Foundation and of Adriel U. Bird '16 has made the latter series possible.

It has long been the desire of the department to have some Bowdoin songs recorded. Thanks to the helpful underwriting of a friend of the College the recording has now been made possible. Your attention is directed to the record album advertisement elsewhere in this issue.

## September Graduation

M OST of the 51 who received their degrees at the graduation exercises on September 28 were former members of the armed services whose college careers had been interrupted by the war. Thirteen of them received degrees in absentia. Class affiliations of the graduates, the largest number since the wartime acceleration started, ranged from the Class of 1931 to the Class of 1947.

The brief exercises, held in the Chapel, included no speeches by candidates, but were carried out with an academic parade and according to the ancient Latin pattern of annual commencements. Organ music was by George L. Whitney '48 and Roger N. Williams '49 sang a tenor solo. Following the ceremony, graduates,



SEPTEMBER GRADUATES

their parents, officers of the College and guests were entertained at luncheon in the Union and in the afternoon President and Mrs. Sills held a reception for the new alumni and their families.

John F. Magee of Bangor and Norman Waks of Newburyport, Mass., were graduated summa cum laude and George M. Muller of Ridgewood, N. J., magna cum laude. Graduating cum laude were: Edward B. Burr, Worcester, Mass.; Robert L. Clarke, Scarsdale, N. Y.; Leonard W. Cronkhite, Jr., Cambridge, Mass.; Kenneth D. Gadbow, Philadelphia, Pa.; Frank H. Gordon, Dexter; David R. Hastings 2nd, Fryeburg; Luman N. Nevels, Jr., Portland.

In his address to the graduates, President Sills expressed the hope that even their grandchildren would never have to take part in war but warned them that they were entering a world "full to the brim of quarrels and bickerings of all sorts . . . Controversy in itself is not a bad thing. As a matter of fact it is essential to democracy. The educated man will welcome controversy and will find in it the seeds of growth and progress." Expressing the gratitude of the College for the service rendered by war veterans, President Sills urged that the spirit of service be carried on "in these far more difficult times of restless and uneasy peace. The College is confident that in your education here you have learned something of the importance of tolerance and high mindedness. You must extend your loyalties even beyond the horizon of own beloved country and be, in the true sense of the word, citizens of the world. Only in that way will peace finally come."

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m OWDOIN}$  alumni were duly recognized in the Maine political field in the September State election when four senators and five members of the House, all Bowdoin alumni, were among those elected to office. Senators chosen to serve in the 93rd Maine Legislature, which will convene in January, were: Robert E. Cleaves, Jr. '20, Cumberland County; Brooks Savage '24, Somerset County; Ray S. Baker '36, Kennebec County; and George D. Varney '23, York County. Representatives are George W. Weeks '27, Cumberland County; Frederic H. Bird '30, Knox County; James B. Perkins '03, Lincoln County; Lyman K. Lee '92, Piscataquis County; and Paul L. Woodworth '18, Somerset County.

### Phi Beta Kappa

T the Twenty-first Triennial A Council of the United Chapters of Phi Beta Kappa, meeting (where the Society was founded in 1776) at Williamsburg, Virginia, from September 9th to 11th, all three Bowdoin delegates were "in the news." Bela W. Norton '18, Vice-President in charge of public relations of Colonial Williamsburg, was chairman of the Committee on Information and Publicity. At the opening session, Justice Harold H. Burton '09 was introduced to the Council, amid applause, by President Marjorie H. Nicolson, and delivered a message from the Bowdoin Chapter notifying the Society of the Chapter's intention of inviting the Council of 1952 to meet in or near Brunswick. That meeting (the next in the East) will almost exactly coincide with the 150th anniversary of the opening of Bowdoin College. Professor Stanley P. Chase '05, the Secretary of the Bowdoin Chapter, was elected to the Senate of the United Chapters for a six years' term as the representative of the New England District. It is an interesting coincidence that the only previous Bowdoin member of the Senate was Professor Henry Leland Chapman '66, in whose honor Professor Chase's chair of English Literature is named.

Among the delegates from other institutions were George S. Chapin '93, Professor of Modern Languages at Marietta College, and Philip M. Palmer '00, Dean of the Arts College at Lehigh University.

Dean Emeritus Christian Gauss of Princeton was chosen as the new President of the United Chapters, and Dean George A. Works, formerly of the University of Chicago, as the new Secretary. The main task of the Twenty-first Council was to prepare, through appropriate legislation and appointments, for the resumption of the Society's normal activities, many of which had been suspended during the war. A resolution passed in 1940, which, it was felt, had unduly hampered the Senate in dealing with problems arising between the triennial meetings of the Council, was rescinded; and special powers were given to the Senate that would enable it in this interim to take effective action in the situation that has developed at the University of Texas.



PROFESSOR STANLEY P. CHASE '05

The participants in a symposium on "Contributions of Virginia and New England to Early American Culture" were Dean George Edgell of the Boston Museum of Fine Arts, Professor Herbert C. Lipscomb of Randolph-Macon Woman's College, and Professor Dumas Malone of Columbia. The traditional Southern hospitality of William and Mary College culminated in a Council Banquet on Tuesday evening, at which the principal speaker was President Frank P. Gaines of Washington and Lee University.

#### Class of 1950

A MONG the 962 who registered for the fall trimester are 25 transfer students, one special student and 211 freshmen. With the 41 who entered in June, the Class of 1950 now has 252 members. Forty-one of the new students are Bowdoin sons as noted elsewhere.

Geographical distribution of the 211 is as follows: Maine 74, Massachusetts 69, New York 16, New Jersey 10, Connecticut 9, New Hampshire 7, District of Columbia 6, Rhode Island 5, Pennsylvania 4, Florida 3 and one each from Michigan, Ohio, Vermont, Washington, Greece, The Netherlands, Norway, and Sweden.

Of those transferring from other colleges, 11 are from Maine, 10 from Massachusetts, 2 from New York and one each from New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

Mack Walker of Springfield and Emerson Zeitler of Brunswick received John Johnston Scholarships. John W. Lawless of Brunswick, John A. Mitchell of Haynesville, Malcolm S. Stevenson of Bangor and William T. Norton of Winter Harbor are the State of Maine Scholars entering. The Bowdoin Scholars are: William J. Beahm of W. Norwood, N. J., Norman F. Ottley of Union, N. J., Harlan B. Peabody, Jr. of Providence, R. I. and Paul T. Welch of Middletown, N. Y.

The ten entering recipients of Alumni Fund Scholarships are: William R. Barron of Wallingford, Conn., Cornelius P. Darcy of Biddeford, John E. Dulfer of Brunswick, John F. Gustafson of Laconia, N. H., Richard E. Herrick, Jr. of Albany, N. Y., Sanford R. Sistare of Pittsfield, Mass., James W. Stackpole of Saco, Alfred N. Tobey of Topsham, Dominic P. Toscani of Philadelphia, Pa., and William D. Verrill of Saco. Partial awards of Alumni Fund Scholarships were made to Donald W. Henderson of Medford, Mass., Everett M. Hodsdon of Dover-Foxcroft and Frederick Weidner III of St. Albans, N. Y.

#### Bowdoin On The Air

WITH the opening of the Fall term, Bowdoin-on-the-Air returned to its weekly broadcast over WGAN of Portland, at 4.45 Wednesdays. On the opening program undergraduates interviewed John Gould '32, editor and author. The reorganized Bowdoin Meddiebempsters took over the second broadcast. The next week Professor Robert P. T. Coffin gave readings from his more recent ballads. A program of popular music followed with John Devine '45, baritone soloist, and pianists Herbert French '46, and Herbert Gillman '48. On November 13 Dr. Norman L. Munn of the Psychology Department presented a talk on the psychology of war and peace. On November 20 students from Bates and Bowdoin debated the merits of centering an educational program around a study of the 100 great books of all times.

An organization of some thirty students, working under President Lewis P. Fickett, Jr., '47 and Secretary Ralph Griffin '46, is busy planning the weekly and special broadcasts made possible through the kindness of WGAN.

## Alumni Day

THE first formal postwar homecoming at Bowdoin, on Saturday, November 9, was attended by a record throng of alumni and their families. The threatening weather of Friday was followed by clearing skies on Saturday and nearly a thousand former students were among the nine thousand who flocked to Whittier Field to witness the Bowdoin-Maine game.

It was a full day. At 9:00 a.m. the Alumni Council met to organize for the year and to discuss ways and means to help the College. At 10:00 a.m. the representative committee appointed by President Sills to study the needs of the College met to receive subcommittee reports on a war memorial and the matter of engaging fund raising counsel. At 11:00 a.m. the Executive Committee of the Governing Boards held session to take action necessary between meetings of the Boards. At noon alumni and their families gathered in the Gymnasium for the annual Alumni Luncheon. Some class reunion committees also met on campus to plan their June celebrations. Following the game, which began at 1:30 p.m., President and Mrs. Sills were at home to alumni and friends until six o'clock and were hosts to Alumni Fund Directors and Council members at seven o'clock supper. The customary tea dances and alumni meetings were held at the various fraternity houses prior to the day's closing event, the Student Council Dance in the Gymnasium at 8:30 p.m.

Ezra Pike Rounds '20, President of the Alumni Council, used the microphone to advantage at the Alumni Luncheon to greet returning alumni and to introduce the speakers. Francis P. Freeman '22, Chairman of the 1945-46 Alumni Fund, was amusingly enlightening in his presentation of the Alumni Cup to Dan E. Christie, Agent of the winning class. President Hauck brought greetings from the University of Maine and President Sills added to his welcome his hope that Bowdoin would continue to find a way to bear a proper share of the perplexing educational problems now facing, all colleges.

The Council Committee, particularly Glenn McIntire '25, did a yoeman job with the lobster stew luncheon for which about 550 reservations had been made. When approximately 800 appeared to be fed, Caterer Grant pulled a few (figurative) rabbits from the hat and finally managed to serve over 650, but of necessity many could not be accommodated. Some suggestions for another year have been made, one of which is to dispense luncheon tickets in advance as football tickets are now handled. The Council hopes that some such procedure may reduce disappointments, relieve the College of financial liability and remove some of the bottlenecks.

There is also under consideration the advisability of separate luncheons for alumni and their families. General approval appears for the joint arrangement but increasing attendance may prevent its continuance.

The outcome of the game is discussed elsewhere. It was, of course, disappointing that we did not win but the concensus seems to be that, despite a creditable Bowdoin team development in a season which started from scratch, the better team won.

#### **Athletics**

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m ANY}$  Bowdoinmen were disappointed in the outcome of the Alumni Day football game, but those who knew the Bowdoin squad back last September know that an outstanding job of coaching has been done at Bowdoin this fall. High tackling, fumbles, and other mistakes, all faults of an inexperienced team, gave a fine University of Maine team too many opportunities. and the Bowdoin team, that kept fighting to score again until the game ended, went down to its worst defeat of the year. No Bowdoin squad in recent years has had to face the odds that confronted the 1946 squad. Few Bowdoin teams have deserved more credit for their fighting spirit. Most of the members of the team will be back next year, more experienced, and even more determined to win their share of victories.

Now that the football season is over, candidates for a number of teams that will compete this winter are beginning to report. The plans call for Varsity and Junior Varsity teams in basketball, fencing, hockey, rifle, track, swimming, and winter sports. It is possible that there will also be freshmen teams in some of these sports. Interfraternity competition in basketball, bowling, and handball will be carried on throughout the winter, while the big interfraternity swimming and track meets will be the climax of the season. In addition to the intercollegiate and intramural programs briefly outlined above, there will be the regular calisthenics, special swimming, boxing, and wrestling classes five days a week. Finally, there will be the daily classes in body building or corrective work for men who are unable for physical reasons to take part in the more vigorous activities.



ALUMNI DAY CROWD AT WHITTIER FIELD

### James Bowdoin Day

The sixth annual James Bowdoin Day was observed with exercises in Memorial Hall on October 23. An academic procession of the Faculty and the 68 undergraduates designated James Bowdoin Scholars marched across the campus from Hubbard Hall. Dr. Leonard Carmichael, President of Tufts College, gave the address; Joseph J. Fahey, Jr., of Lewiston, responded for the scholars and President Sills formally recognized those designated presenting special book awards to straight A men who had not previously received the gift.

Carrying no stipend, the James Bowdoin Scholarships were established in 1941 to accord recognition to undergraduates who distinguish themselves by excellence in scholarship.

#### The Fletcher Bequest

THE college collection of books of the Italian Renaissance, enriched in 1943 by a notable gift of rare volumes from the library of Jefferson Butler Fletcher, Litt.D. (Bowdoin, 1932), was further augmented this autumn by the generous terms of the will of the same donor. Professor Fletcher died at his summer home in York Beach, August 17, 1946, after a distinguished career as Professor of Comparative Literature at Columbia University from 1904 to 1939.

The donor's intimate personal and professional associations with Bowdoin date from 1904 when he was a cherished colleague and teacher of President Sills. For many years Professor Fletcher was a close associate of Professor William Witherle Lawrence, Ph.D., Litt.D., of the Class of 1898, in the Graduate Faculty at Columbia. Professor Fletcher's literary interests also link him with Bowdoin. His distinguished translation of Dante's Divine Comedy (1931) has an honored place in the succession of earlier translations by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, of the Class of 1825, and Henry Johnson, of the Class of 1877.

Professor Fletcher's library, reflecting his scholarly devotion to the literature of the Italian and English Renaissance, contains many more 16th and 17th century imprints which have immeasurably strengthened the



JAMES BOWDOIN SCHOLARS

College holdings in a field where it had been relatively weak. An incomplete check of the volumes reveals at least one item printed in 1500, thirteen printed between 1501 and 1550, forty printed between 1551 and 1559, and thirty-six unusual sixteenth century imprints. The College Library will issue a complete checklist when the collection is catalogued and placed in the new rare book room.

A graduate of Harvard in 1887, Professor Fletcher began his career as a teacher at his Alma Mater from 1890 to 1904 when he accepted an appointment at Columbia. His own books include a volume of graceful verse, Overture (1911), The Religion of Beauty in Woman (1911), Dante (1916), Symbolism in the Divine Comedy (1921), his translation of the Divine Comedy in 1932, and Literature of the Italian Renaissance (1934). An urbane and felicitous lecturer as well as a scholar of impressive erudition, Professor Fletcher's name is frequently joined with those of Longfellow, Lowell, Woodberry, Spingarn, and Babbitt in American scholarship in comparative literature.



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#### **Dramatics**

TINETY-FIVE of the nine hundred and fifty men in college have signified an interest in the work of the Masque and Gown. The season, dedicated to Professor Means in appreciation of his many productions of classical plays, opened with a reading of Ruddigore in the Union on November 15. The music for the Gilbert and Sullivan performance, a popular revival from post-war years, was played on the Simpson Sound System while a cast of students and experienced Masque and Gown actresses read the dialogue in the translation of Shelley.

Euripides' Cyclops will be presented, probably for the first time in America, as a joint Classical Club-Masque and Gown production and a feature of the Christmas house party on December 20. John Taussig, whom alumni may recall as a 6-foot-5-inch tackle on the football team, will play the name part. Special music has been written for the play, to be directed by Professor Quinby, by Mrs. Nathan Dane; and Robert Bliss, a returned veteran, has designed an elaborate setting for the production. Some twenty costumers, builders, electricians, painters, and property men—not to mention a mask maker-will work backstage to balance the cast of twenty actors, singers, dancers, and musicians on stage.

Three former playwrights have returned to the campus, and several new men promise to make them work for the prizes in the One-act Play Contest in February. No spring play has yet been selected; but it is expected that Aeschylus' Seven Against Thebes will be directed by Professor Means for Commencement, another joint production. With that performance Bowdoin may claim the distinction of having shown a play by every classical dramatist whose works are extant. except Seneca.

#### Bowdoin Fathers

N October 19, more than 150 fathers of Bowdoin sons attended the first Bowdoin Fathers Day under the sponsorship of the newly organized Bowdoin Fathers Association. Some had come the night before but most arrived here in the early forenoon and a final contingent were aboard a special Pullman from Boston. R. E. Michaud was chairman of the special committee of arrangements. From breakfast time on the campus was dotted with dads wearing the large white identification tags which Mrs. Michaud, Diz Livingston and Sue Young issued at the Union registration desk. Sons guided fathers on tours of the campus, calls at dormitories and fraternity houses and visits to classes. At 11:10 a special early Chapel for the

visitors and their sons was conducted by President Sills, who warmly welcomed this new unit of the larger Bowdoin family. President Herbert S. Holmes, Vice-President Kenneth L. MacLean and Secretary Carleton C. Young steered the group through the business meeting in the Union Lounge after which members were guests of the College at luncheon. Then to Whittier Field where fathers and sons together cheered themselves hoarse over a decisive Bowdoin victory over Williams. Tea with President and Mrs. Sills ended a day which all agreed must become an annual event.

#### Bowdoin Sons

S ONS of Bowdoin fathers among the October freshmen number 37. They are: Richard F. Alden (Dwight M. Alden '21), John P. Ashey 2nd (Harold C. L. Ashey '12), Charles S. Auten (Meredith B. Auten '12), Richard L. Badger (Joseph L. Badger '20), Robert M. Ball (Henry W. Ball m'09), Davis L. Burnell (Thornton L. C. Burnell '24), Thomas R. Chapman (Arthur B. Chapman '17), W. Churchill Cressey (George F. Cressey '12), Ainslie H. Drummond, Jr. (Ainslie H. Drummond '20), Samuel R. Dudgeon (Harold A. Dudgeon '21), John B. Freese, Jr. (John B. Freese '18), David W. Garland (Edward P. Garland '16), R. Channing Hay (Walter F. W. Hay '20), Angus G. Hebb (Edwin G. Hebb '23), Donald W. Henderson (Alexander Henderson '20), Leland B. Howe (George W. Howe '11), John R. Hupper (Roscoe H. Hupper '07), John D. W. Joy (John H. Joy '12), John W. Lawless (Kenneth O. Lawless '24), Charles W. Lovejoy, Jr. (C. Waldo Lovejoy '20), G. Thomas Macomber (George H. Macomber '11), Richard A. Morrell (Allen E. Morrell '22), Theodore P. Nixon (Hugh Nixon '21), William T. Norton and Richard H. Norton (Carroll P. Norton '22), Robert W. Olson (Gordon W. Olson '16), Charles M. Palmer (Philip M. Palmer '26), Samuel W. Philbrick (Karl R. Philbrick '23), Gilbert O. Pletts (Robert C. Pletts m'15), Benjamin M. Smethurst, Jr. (Benjamin M. Smethurst '19), Gregory H. Stone (Kenneth G. Stone '17), William T. Webster (Sereno S. Webster '10), Bruce H. M. White, Jr. (Bruce H. M. White '22), Richard W. Whit-

#### Where There's A Will There's A Way



# To Help Bowdoin College

The College has received notice of the following legacies:

From Arthur H. Huse of the Class of 1908 securities in sufficient amount to produce an annual income of \$500 as a memorial to Jessie Hosmer Huse. The use of the income is unrestricted.

From Jefferson B. Fletcher, Honorary 1932, a valuable gift of books from his private library.

ney (John J. Whitney '20), Charles W. Wilder (Philip S. Wilder '23), Norman M. Winter (John G. Winter '16), and Emerson G. Zeitler (Emerson W. Zeitler '20).

Four more Bowdoin sons are among those entering with advanced standing, namely: Robert E. Badger (Joseph L. Badger '20), Edward L. Herlihy, Jr. (Edward L. Herlihy m'20), Fred W. McConky III (Fred W. McConky, Jr. '18), Milton M. Mc-

Gorrill, Jr. (Milton M. McGorrill '19), Donald C. Pletts (Robert C. Pletts m'15).

There were omissions in the list of Bowdoin sons among the 41 June freshmen as reported in the August Alumnus. To the six listed should be added these three: William A. Haines (Norman W. Haines '21), James B. Lappin, Jr. (James B. Lappin '15), William C. McCormack (Roland L. McCormack '22).

## Alumni Associations and Clubs

BANGOR

About fifty members attended the fall dinner meeting at the Conduskeog Canoe Club in Hampden on Thursday, October 24. The Bowdoin Teachers Club members who were attending their convention in Bangor were also present. Professors Daggett and Hammond spoke on School and College Relations. Louis C. Stearns 3rd '33 was elected President and David G. Means '33 Secretary. Karl R. Philbrick '23 was reelected representative member of the Alumni Council. The new secretary's address is 51 Boutwell Road, Bangor.

#### CHICAGO

President E. A. Duddy '07 welcomed Dean Nixon, about twenty members and a representative of the Bowdoin Fathers Association at the luncheon meeting held at the University Club on October 3. The Dean spoke intimately and eloquently of Bowdoin, its hopes and achievements. The secretary, who is the club's member of the Alumni Council, "made a mercifully brief report of that body's Commencement session, mentioning with apparent awe the seven (count 'em) millons of dollars that there are hopes of raising."

#### DETROIT

Twenty-two members assembled at the fall meeting of the Bowdoin Club of Detroit held at Devon Gables, on October 25. Stanley F. Dole, President, spoke on the Alumni Fund and introduced Frank M. Sparks '00 who reminisced on earlier days at Bowdoin. Donald C. Hight '16, Council member from the Club, reported on the doings of the Alumni Council

and Hillard S. Hart '21 described the 25th reunion of his class last June. It was announced that Donald B. Mac-Millan '98 would be the speaker at the Club's next meeting on January 26. A spring meeting is also planned. Members are actively at work trying to increase the number of Bowdoin undergraduates from Michigan and expect at least six to be in Brunswick residence soon. The evening ended in a gab fest at the home of the President. The event was reported at length in the *Grand Rapids Herald* of which Frank Sparks is the editor.

#### LOS ANGELES

On Sunday, September 22, President William R. Spinney '13 welcomed the largest gathering the Bowdoin Club of Southern California has ever held. It was Ladies' Night and about forty-five partook of the boundless hospitality of Francis S. ("Duke") Dane '31 at his home in Santa Anita Oaks, Arcadia. Professor Noel C. Little '17 gave an interesting report on the College and its post war problems.

Officers elected were: President, Holland Hambleton M'15; Vice-President, Sherman Shumway '17; Secretary, Lendal I. McLellan '23. Alumni present included Bucknam M'95, Wheeler '01, Hutchins M'04, Spinney '13, Koughan '15, Foster '16, Foster '17, Shumway '17, Colbath '17, Howard '21, Webb '23, McLellan '23, Knox '29, Paul '29, Bodwell '29, Dane '31, Bassett '34, Downer '41, Bamford '41 and Watts '41.

It was decided to hold three meetings during the year with the ladies present at at least one of them. The Secretary's address is 387 East Green Street, Pasadena, Calif.

#### MINNESOTA

Former President Paul Koughan '15 is now located in San Francisco and Secretary Nathan Cobb '26 will be on government duty in the Philippines for a year. The new officers recently chosen are: President, Harry G. Cross '15; Secretary, Paul Laidley, Jr. '36; Council Member, James G. B. McCusick '11. The secretary's address is 4146 25th Avenue South, Minneapolis 8, Minn.

#### NEW YORK

About 150 members assembled at Ruppert's Brewery on Thursday, October 24, for an informal dinner meeting. President Cedric R. Crowell '13 welcomed the alumni, a large proportion of whom were members of recent classes, and read a letter from President Sills outlining the present campus situation. The secretary reports "the beer was on Ruppert's and all present appeared to be highly appreciative of the host's courtesy and generosity."

#### PORTLAND

President Charlie Hildreth greeted more than 100 members when the Bowdoin Club of Portland gathered at the Falmouth Hotel on Tuesday, November 5, for its first annual football meeting since 1942. He praised the work of Secretary Stanley H. Low '35 for staging so successful a meeting on short notice and promised a full year's program. Relaying the greetings and regrets of President Sills, Hildreth stated that Acting Dean Kendrick was also prevented at the last moment from being present. Introducing Placement Director Ladd '29 and Alumni Secretary Marsh '12 who told of life on the campus, Hildreth then turned the meeting over to Mal Morrell '24, Director of Athletics. In an amusing vein, Mal outlined the obstacles which had faced their efforts to produce a winning football team, paid high tribute to the results obtained by Line Coach Frank Sabasteanski '41 and Head Coach Dinny Shay. Both coaches responded briefly and promised an Alumni Day game that Bowdoin men could enjoy seeing win or lose. The meeting closed with a showing of motion pictures of the Williams and Colby games.

As the ALUMNUS goes to press plans are underway for meetings of Bowdoin Clubs in Lewiston on November 26, Boston on December 3, Worcester on December 4 and Springfield on December 5.

Cleveland alumni will meet on Friday, December 6 with the Alumni Secretary as guest. President Sills will make his annual report on the state of the College at the New York club's dinner to be held at the University Club on January 31. He will speak to the Philadelphia Club the following evening, February 1.

Many Bowdoin men, particularly those who are in the process of getting established, have commented favorably about the list of alumniclub secretaries which appeared in the August issue.

The list is repeated here with such personnel changes as have been reported to the Alumni Office.

Albany, N. Y.

Rev. Erville B. Maynard '27 St. Peter's Rectory 105 State Street

Augusta, Maine

Frank E. Southard, Jr. '36 282 State Street

Bangor, Maine

David G. Means '33 51 Boutelle Road

Boston, Mass.

Theodore L. Fowler '24 60 Congress Street

Bowdoin Teachers' Club

Harrison C. Lyseth '21 City Hall, Portland, Maine

Buffalo, N. Y.

Robert M. MacMullin '18 8249 Troy Avenue, Niagara Falls

Chicago, Ill.

Walter N. Emerson '11 7 South Dearborn Street

Cincinnati, Ohio

William M. Ittman '39 P. O. Box 599

Cleveland, Ohio

Donald M. Smith '35 17879 Lake Avenue, Lakewood

Colorado

Chester T. Harper '04 P. O. Box 72, Denver

Connecticut

Wolcott H. Cressey '26 1445 Boulevard, West Hartford

Detroit, Mich.

George O. Cutter '27 645 Woodland Avenue Birmingham, Mich.

Farmington, Maine

Benjamin Butler '28

Houlton, Maine

James P. Archibald '34

Lewiston, Maine

John M. Beale '35 93A Shepley Street, Auburn

Los Angeles, Calif.

Lendal I. McLellan '23 387 E. Green Street Pasadena 1

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Paul Laidley, Jr. '36 4146 28th Avenue South Minneapolis 8

Newark, N. J.

Howard S. Hall '31 151 Irving Avenue, South Orange

New Hampshire

Theodore S. Miller '25 804 Hanover Street, Manchester

New York, N. Y.

Richard C. Van Varick '32 40 Wall Street

Oregon

Daniel M. McDade '09 The Oregon Journal, Portland

Philadelphia, Penna.

John W. Leydon '07 3250 Ainslie Street Pittsburgh, Penna.

Geoffrey T. Mason '23 20 Thorn Street, Sewickley, Penna.

Portland, Maine

Stanley H. Low '35 8 Fairlawn Avenue, South Portland

Providence, R. I.

Elbert S. Luther '40 9B Colonial Village, Newport

Rochester, N. Y.

Rev. Frederick C. Lee '00 68 Ashland Street

San Francisco, Calif.

Henry Q. Hawes '10 114 Sansome Street

Skowhegan, Maine

Brooks E. Savage '24

Springfield, Mass.

Lawrence R. Flint '27 84 Elmwood Avenue, Longmeadow

St. Louis, Mo.

Edgar C. Taylor '20 The Taylor School Clayton, Missouri

St. Petersburg, Fla. (winter)

Dr. Charles S. F. Lincoln '91 340 Roland Court, N. E.

Texas

Dr. John G. Young '21 4005 St. Andrews Drive, Dallas

Vermont

Barrett C. Nichols '25 Peoples National Bank Barre

Washington, D. C.

Philip O'Brien '25 5908 Wilson Lane Bethesda, Maryland

Worcester, Mass.

Cloyd E. Small '20 Worcester Academy Worcester 4

## Looking

#### 1876

The Orient had many things to criticize. Ungentlemanly conduct in the gym was the first complaint, such acts as throwing clubs and dumbbells across the room, and "shouts and unearthly sounds." Windows were smashed, lamps broken and "other mischief done. We see no reason why a senior or junior should be guilty of such downright foolishness." Editors rebuked "members of all classes who persist in cutting and disfiguring the seats in the recitation rooms" and condemned the "boyish trick" of trying to block the chapel door.

There were recurrent complaints of bad ventilation in the gymnasium and recitation rooms. These were heated with wood stoves, and lighted on dark days by oil lamps. (The gymnasium at this time was probably the unfinished top floor of Memorial Hall).

There was a loud blast against the absence of modern and standard works in the library. The *Orient* said that the library was long on valuable old books but short on useful modern literature.

The summer school of science was a success at least matrimonially. Twelve men and six women registered for courses in chemistry, minerology and botany. Three couples paired off during the summer and married later.

College tuition fees at this time: Syracuse \$60; Bowdoin, Cornell and Rochester \$75; Brown, \$85; Dartmouth \$90, Williams \$90 and \$95; Amherst \$100; Yale \$140; Harvard \$150; Pennsylvania \$150 to \$170.

Dartmouth had 60 freshmen; Amherst 83; Williams 48; Bowdoin 47; Yale 123; Harvard 197.

#### 1896

A. J. Booker resigned as the "college janitor", and was succeeded by Isaiah Simpson. It was to be many years before the College had a superintendent of grounds and buildings.

Professor Emery was temporarily succeeded by Professor Hatch;



"Mitch" was back after a year's absence.

Elijah Kellogg spoke in Memorial Hall to a packed house. The audience realized that this was probably the last time he would come. After the service he unhitched his old horse from the college fence and drove off to Harpswell in his rickety buggy.

There was a distinct decrease in hazing, but many felt that this was a definite detriment to the freshmen and the College.

There was standing room only in the Town Hall when the Bostonians came to Brunswick with *Robin Hood*, because of the burning of the opera house at Augusta.

The College almost as a unit joined with the town in celebrating the victory of McKinley.

The football team was successful in its games with teams in its class.

#### 1921

Instead of a magazine sized publication, the *Orient* came out in the form of a four-page, five-column newspaper. Many of the older alumni bemoaned this change sentimentally, but everyone eventually approved it practically. Ham '22 was editorin-chief; Turgeon '23, managing editor; Tileston '22, business manager; and Quinby '23 had charge of intercollegiate news.

College opened with a registration of 450. Proclamation night took place the first week, closing with chapel rush.

Again the football team opened the season with a defeat of Massachusetts State by a score either of 13 or 9 to nothing, according to whether one play was counted as a touchdown or a touchback. Other scores of one of the most successful seasons in the history of the college, under the

## Backward

captainship of Al Morrell, the endship of the Hildreth twins, and the coaching of Ostergren: Bowdoin 0-Williams 0; Bowdoin 7-Trinity 0; Bowdoin 18-Colby 0; Bowdoin 14-Maine 7; Bowdoin 20-Tufts 0. There was no game with Bates because of a disagreement as to the date. Bates wanted to end its season with a game with Bowdoin, but Bowdoin preferred to end the season by playing Maine and Tufts.

The cross-country team beat Boston College, and Capt. Hart of the Bowdoin team won first in the New England cross-country races.

The questions of having a graduate manager and of placing the blanket tax on term bills were under discussion.

Thomson '21, was elected Rhodes scholar.

Social festivities at Christmas added postwar enthusiasm to prewar precedents. In addition to the college dance there were ten fraternity dances. The *Bowdoin Bear Skin* appeared, and the Masque and Gown gave two one-act plays, *Wurtzel-Flummery* and *Suppressed Desires*.

Both picture theatres were temporarily boycotted because of the arrest of two students for creating a disturbance, but a committee of students made peace with the theatres.

#### 1931

Helmreich joined the faculty. Van-Cleve and Gray were in Europe on sabbatical leave; and Cram enjoyed a semester's leave traveling in what President Sills referred to as the "perilous East."

The *Orient* enlarged its format to full seven-column newspaper size.

The football season began with a defeat by Massachusetts State College, and a one hundred per cent record of defeats followed. With the ending of this disastrous season there was much discussion of a recommendation by the athletic department that inter-fraternity athletic contests be given up because of their effect in lessening the enthusiasm for college contests, and the danger of injury to college players.

Christmas house parties as usual.

Pickard Field was graded during the summer, and several football fields established. Memorial Hall was redecorated, and physics lecture room in the Science Building remodeled and cushioned theatre chairs installed, the lecture table being replaced by adjustable metal racks. Alumni Day was held on October 31, the day of the Bates game.

The new bridge to Topsham, the new post-office on Pleasant Street, the new French-Catholic Church and the remodeled Lincoln Building, were all under construction in Brunswick. The Mustard House was acquired by the College. C. F. R.

## Books

Central Eastern Europe: Crucible of World Wars by Joseph S. Roucek, and Associates, Prentice-Hall, New York, 1946. Pp. 667. \$5.00.

Professor Ernst Helmreich has contributed two valuable chapters to this comprehensive study of the vast stretch of European territory lying between the Baltic and Aegean Seas. As pointed out by the editor of the volume, this part of the world is "terra incognita" to most Anglo-Saxons; he might have added that it is unknown ground to most other peoples as well.

The attempt to enclose within the limits of a single volume the complexity of facts and hypotheses that constitutes the past, present, and future of the huge area under consideration obviously is not lacking in ambition. Basically this book is devoted to a portrayal of the historic past and present circumstances of the Austrians, Magyars, Czechs, Poles, Russians, Finns, Letts, Liths, Romanians, Serbs, Croats, Slovenes, Bulgars, Albanians, Greeks, and Turks.

The first main section of the work is concerned with backgrounds, and covers the period up to 1918. The remainder of the volume deals with contemporary Central Eastern Europe. Development of the several national states between 1918 and 1945 and the effects of German and Russian occupation of the area are treated in detail. There are also chapters on post war plans and economic problems. Professor Helmreich's task has been to present a coherent and severely factual picture of the entire Central Eastern panorama, while other contributors have added essays on the individual nations and specialized topics. His first chapter, Central Eastern Europe in World Affairs, offers a streamlined survey of virtually the entire course of human events in this area from the dawn of recorded history through 1918. In the space of a few pages Professor Helmreich manages to treat such diverse subjects as national settlements, international conflicts, ethnic factors, and the religious, economic, and political develop-ment of Central Eastern Europe as a whole. Necessarily the primary emphasis is upon political development since the middle of the fifteenth century.

The main features of the enormous historical canvas that is unrolled are indicated skilfully. The author points out that in the study of Central Eastern European history it is essential to know how the territories came to be settled originally by "the mosaic of nationalities which have remained fairly

stationary there since the eleventh century." National governments set up in the Middle Ages were absorbed for various reasons into larger imperial supra-national states. These in turn underwent "liquidation and reshuffling, but the peoples remained rooted in their good earth." Divided on the grounds of religion, historical association, and political allegiance, some of the peoples have attained a more western orientation than others. All the national groups inhabiting the area were influenced to some extent by the ideals of the French Revolution during the nineteenth century, and by western liberalism after 1918.

Professor Helmreich's second chapter Central Eastern Europe in International Relations (1914-1945), offers an excellent synthesis of the tangled maze of diplomacy, alliances, treaties, peace settlements, regional pacts, and international crises that distinguish the period in question. He has succeeded admirably in avoiding the many pitfalls that threaten to entrap the analyst in such a controversial field of investigation through confining himself to a strict running account of events as they happened while avoiding detailed interpretations which would be out of place in this kind of treatment.

Perusal of Dr. Helmreich's plainly written narrative will suffice to give the ordinary layman the basic understandings needed for intelligent comprehension of the Central Eastern European drama. A short but excellent bibliography is attached to each chapter for the specialist who wishes to amplify his knowledge. Since this book is designed expressly for the Anglo-American reader, only sources in English have been cited, although undoubtedly many foreign language materials and references were drawn upon extensively in preparing this study. There are several good maps.

Certainly the chapters contributed to this work by Professor Helmreich present the clearest and most factual account of Central Eastern Europe that has been made available to the reading public up to the present time, and constitute real contributions to the understanding of this significantly important region. It should be noted that the introductory summaries at the beginning of each chapter are the work of the editor of the volume, and not of the author himself, as there are slight differences in emphasis in connection with some of the issues treated.

The History of Phi Beta Kappa by OSCAR M. VOORHEES, D. D., LL. D., Phi Beta Kappa Historian, Crown Publishers, New York, \$4.00.

The history of Phi Beta Kappa is to a large extent the history of American education. Founded in 1776, the year of the Declaration of Independence, the society has grown from a select group of patriotic young men, meeting secretly in the Raleigh Tavern at Williamsburg, to a well-organized honorary society that is a standard part of American academic life. In his description of this development, Dr. Voorhees, the historian of Phi Beta Kappa, has devoted special attention to the various steps leading to the emergence of the Phi Beta Kappa we know today. The decisions that led to the formation of its peculiar character as a growing, non-secret, scholarly organization seem to have been mostly a matter of chance, though, once its character had been established, its triumphant spread has been a matter of record.

Dr. Voorhees' bias is antiquarian, and possibly the most interesting aspect of his book is its picture of American college life in the late eighteenth and early nineteenth centuries. Education was humanistic, and Phi Beta Kappa seems to have differed little from other college literary organizations of its day. Meetings were devoted to discussions of moral, political, or theological topics, ranging from the desirability of an established church to the justice of the rape of the Sabine ladies; and conviviality was by no means absent. Its secrecy early attracted suspicion and envy. In 1787 at Yale those seniors not elected "were mortified and irritated by disappointment," and in 1803 its very existence at Dartmouth was threatened by a plot which a contemporary member likened to "the conspiracy of the Pazzi against Lorenzo the Magnificent." Thirty years later it was "exposed," in a book attacking Freemasonry, as "a younger branch of the same tenebrous family," and its motto was assailed as containing "the essence and sum of all infidelity." In general, however, the society met with approval. A letter of 1782 says that it is composed of "the reputable, judicious and amiable part of Harvard"; and its founding at Bowdoin in 1825 was hailed by the Portland Gazette as "an object of no ordinary importance ...[to]...that respectable institution."

Nor does Dr. Voorhees neglect the great moments of Phi Beta Kappa. Four of these are described in some detail: the 1824 meeting at Harvard attended by Lafayette, the 1837 meeting at which Emerson delivered his celebrated address, the meeting of 1881 (one could almost call it the Brahmin meeting) leading to the calling of a national convention, and the sesquicentennial celebration at Williamsburg.

Dr. Voorhees' History will probably be used principally as a work of reference. Much of it is occupied with a college-by-college description of the spread of Phi Beta Kappa; and few readers will do more than turn to the section describing the founding of the society at one's particular college. (Bowdoin was sixth in the succession; and for the information of Bowdoin readers, there is a fine twelve page section, "The Alpha of Maine...") The book is, after all, an official history, and, as such, is

hardly the one to handle such a controversial issue as the contribution of Phi Beta Kappa to American culture. However, since Dr. Voorhees himself gives us a start by estimating that until 1818 in New England 50% of the members were lawyers, 40% clergymen and teachers, and the remainder physicians, business men, or, perhaps, like a certain Dartmouth member, merely "of gross and habitual intemperance," one cannot help wondering what the break-down by percentages would be today now that the society numbers over 90,000 members, or what the break-down will be in the future when our colleges begin to fledge their bumper brood of 2,000,000 students.

E. B. BENJAMIN

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#### NOTES

ROBERT P. T. COFFIN's recently published book of verse, *People Behave Like Ballads*, will be reviewed in the February issue of the Alumnus.

The Journal of the International College of Surgeons dedicated its January-February 1946 number to the late Dr. Fred H. Albee '99. Dr. John R. Moore pays him, in part, the following tribute: "In addition to his work in the practical field—living monuments to his memory, are those who walk and work and go through life normal and erect because of his skill—he wrote texts which have become standards for his specialties... These, like his patients, are fitting tributes to his ceaseless efforts and unwavering steadfastness of purpose."

An article entitled Lollard Opposition to Oatlis by Creatures by Dr. Henry G. Russell, assistant professor of religion at Bowdoin, has been reprinted from the American Historical Review for July 1946.

No Badge of Color, an anthology of the creative writings of negro soldiers of World War II is being compiled by Lt. Peter W. Clark and associate editor Lt. David Dickson, Bowdoin '41 and Phi Beta Kappa scholar.

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## Doctor Lincoln Recalls Primitive College Days

P. K. Niven, Jr. '46 Interviews The Former College Physician And Veteran Class News Man

Editor's note: Because of its certain the Mobile, Alabama, Marine Hospiinterest to Alumni, this article is reprinted from the columns of the Bowdoin ORIENT.

Few men have a wider acquaintance among three generations of Bowdoin alumni than Dr. Charles S. F. Lincoln '91. Except for the twentyfive years which he spent as a medical missionary in China, Dr. Lincoln is a lifetime resident of Brunswick, and his white hair, gray goatee and bicycle are familiar to nearly every undergraduate.

Dr. Lincoln's father, a graduate of the College in the class of 1843, practiced medicine and lived on the site of the present Lincoln building on Maine Street. The Doctor is the last surviving member of the Brunswick High School Class of 1887.

He spent much of his youth around the campus much as town boys do at the present time, and so had a number of friends among Bowdoin undergraduates when he entered College in the fall of 1887. College life was "pretty primitive" in those days, the Doctor recalls; he and his classmates knew few of the conveniences which present-day students enjoy. There were few extra-curricular activities. Baseball, track and rowing were the only sports until football was introduced in Dr. Lincoln's sophomore year. He was active on the ORIENT for three years, and together with Dr. Thomas Burr '91 produced much of the "doggerel" which went into the paper at that time. Asked whether the ORIENT of that period maintained a higher standard of journalism than that of the present day, Dr. Lincoln dodges politely: "It was a much less complex proposition in those days."

After graduating in 1891 Dr. Lincoln went to Louisville, Kentucky, where he studied for three years at the Hospital College of Medicine. He interned for a year in Salem, Massachusetts, and then joined an uncle at

tal. Returning to Louisville he practiced for three years in that city.

In March of 1899 Dr. Lincoln went as a medical missionary of the Episcopal Church to a suburb of Shanghai, where he spent most of the next twenty-five years. He conducted a



DR. CHARLES S. F. LINCOLN '91

clinic for out-patients and taught in the medical department of St. John's College. Dr. T. Z. Koo, who spoke at Bowdoin College recently, was one of his students.

During his stay in China the Doctor made several visits to the States. In 1913 he returned via Europe, taking the famous Trans-Siberian Railway from Peking to Moscow. He made a tour of the latter city and was fortunate enough to spend a day in the palatial chambers of the Kremlin.

Dr. Lincoln returned to Brunswick for good in the summer of 1925, and from the following fall until 1927 held the position of College physician. For many years he assisted Dr. Manton Copeland informally in the biology laboratory. Dr. Lincoln knows nearly every man who has attended Bowdoin during the past twenty years.

An active and devoted member of the Psi Upsilon fraternity, the Doctor follows a tradition which was begun by his father and which has been carried on by his son, John Lincoln '29. Dr. Lincoln also has two daughters. Mrs. Lincoln, whom he married in 1903, passed away in 1919.

Doctor Lincoln would never leave Brunswick except for the climate, he says. He has passed the last eighteen winters in Florida, where for several seasons he has been active on St. Petersburg's famous softball teams. After a few years in the Half-Century Club he entered the major leagues with the famous Kids and Kubs, the much-publicized Three-Quarter Century teams, sneaking in as a substitute from time to time until he became eligible for a regular berth three years ago. Two years ago Dr. Lincoln and some of his teammates were featured in a "Saturday Evening Post" article entitled "Two Ball Teams the Draft Board Never Bothered."

Another of the Doctor's major interests has been tennis. Up until four years ago he was a familiar figure on the College courts, and the vigor with which he wielded his racket put most students and young faculty members to shame.

Dr. Lincoln is senior warden at St. Paul's Episcopal Church. In September he was a delegate to the triennial General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in Philadelphia.

For the past eleven years Dr. Lincoln has been Class Notes Editor of the Bowdoin ALUMNUS, carefully assembling the personal news items which keep thousands of alumni upto-date on one another's activities. In 1941 he was chairman of the committee which arranged the fiftieth reunion of his class.

With a keen mind steeped in the lore of Brunswick and of Bowdoin, Dr. Charles Lincoln is an important part of the tradition of the College.

## Bowdoin Men In The Service

Supplemental List

Insofar as the Alumni Office has the information, the service record of the College contains the names of all Bowdoin men who served in World War II between September 16, 1940 -the date on which the National Guard was called into Federal service — and August 14, 1946 — one year after the cessation of hostilities. No government action has as yet officially terminated the war. Since there seems to be needed some inclusive dates for future reference, the above somewhat arbitrary action has been taken.

To the total of those Bowdoin alumni and undergraduates known to have joined up during the years of war, we are adding the names of



LEVI G. DUREPO '25 MAJOR AAF Framingham, Mass. April 14, 1946

PEARY D. STAFFORD '42 LT USNR AC Plane crash in Maryland August 5, 1946

PAUL W. MONAHAN '45 LT AAF Killed in action over Tokyo May 25, 1945

those new students who were World War II veterans before they were Bowdoin men. The impressive total has now reached 2872. Bowdoin's gold stars now number 94.

Herewith appended are the names of Bowdoin men not previously printed in the service lists appearing in the ALUMNUS.

As always, the Alumni Office needs cooperation of alumni and their families to complete the service record. Particularly do we need information about completion of service and the resumption of civilian status. Many copies of this issue are being sent to military addresses for want of correct ones. WILL YOU HELP?

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Sumner F. Crowell Ens USNR
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John P. Kline Lt USA
Paul W. Muehlen Lt (jg) USNR
Cleveland A. Page Cpl USA
George G. D. Rockwell Lt AAF
Widgery Thomas, Jr. QM 3/c USNR
William C. Wiswall Ens USNR

Robert E. Badger S 1/c USNR
Robert D. Bruce Ens USNR
Richard M. Burston Lt (ig) USNR
William H. Cobb, Jr. M/Sgt USA
Robert R. Edgcomb S 1/c USNR
Donald E. Flagg Sgt USA
Lloyd A. Goggin Capt USA
Edward L. Herlihy, Jr. QM 3/c USNR
Morgan B. Hodskins, Jr. RDM 2/c USNR
Fred W. McConky III S 1/c USNR
Archie Y. Melville S 1/c USNR
Archie Y. Melville S 1/c USNR
Harold Palmer, Jr. Capt USA
George Paradis S/Sgt AAF
Donald C. Pletts Lt (jg) USNR AC
William L. D. Snyder Pfc USA
Louis A. Tonry Ens USNR AC
Ralph S. Turner Lt USA

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Richard F. Alden Lt AAF
Robert C. Alexander Lt USA
William W. Anderson PhM 3/c USNR
John P. Ashey II USMM
Thomas W. Attridge, Jr. Ens USNR
Charles S. Auten S 1/c USNR
Jackson H. Bailey Pvt USA
Robert M. Ball S 1/c USNR
Charles M. Barrett Lt AAF
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Gordon R. Beem S 1/c USNR
Eldredge L. Bermingham Pfc USA
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Dana W. Brown A/C USA
Paul C. Brown Cpl USA
Ralph C. Brown, Jr. QM 3/c USNR
Charles A. Bunnell S 1/c USNR
Edward J. Burke, Jr. EM 3/c USNR
Morrill L. Burke Cpl USA
Charles W. Carruthers EM 2/c USNR
Morrill L. Burke Cpl USA
Fred R. Coryell Cpl AAF
Churchill W. Cressey Sgt USA
Robert B. Crockford S 1/c USNR
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Ainslie H. Drummond, Jr. S 2/c USNR
Samuel R. Dudgeon S 1/c USNR
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Merton G. Henry Sgt USA
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#### PEARY STAFFORD--Navy Flier

It was not in him ever to live safe, He must have changed grandfathers to live so. He was American; eagles in his bones And in his eyes forbade his growing slow.

Ships were in his veins, the high-prowed ones Which brought our wing-heeled ancestors over the curled Atlantic, and when mountains barred their way, High Conestogas sailing a dry world.

The seed of Raleigh, Drake, and Frobisher Cried for an azure plot shaped like a sphere, When warm continents were sown and filled, It sought earth's ceiling, ice for all the year.

Last of the round-world admirals of sail, The Eagle of the Pole, sailed in his blood, The eagles cried in him to go aloft. Now men had plowed all furrows in the flood.

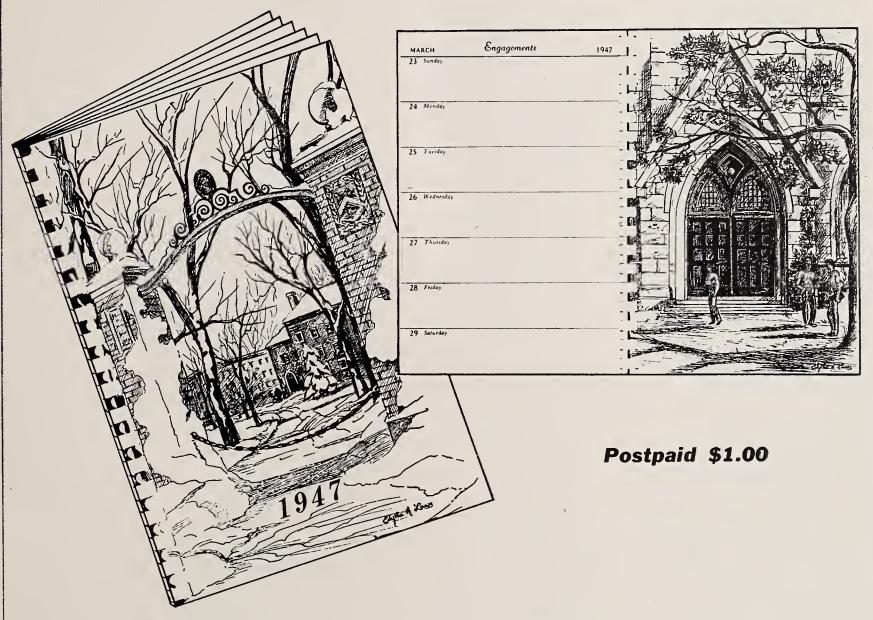
There was no place for him on land or sea, Only the unmapped oceans of the air Would do for home for him who had old gales In his stripling bones, his young bright hair.

Think not of him as promises unkept, Or one slowed to the music of slow death, Think of him with sunward eagles now, As part of the young and brave American breath.

ROBERT P. TRISTRAM COFFIN

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1933

William Perry, Jr. USA

1938

Francis Bilodeau USA 1940

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1941

Nils Hagstrom AAF Theodore Leydon USNR Richard Eaton USNR Laurence Stone USNR

1945

Philip Wilder, Jr. USA

1946 Clifford Little USNR Herbert Mehlhorn USNR

1947

John Holmes USA

The following men have been discharged from the service and returned to Bowdoin:

1931

Donald Cockroft USA

1941

Leonard Cronkhite, Jr. USA

Richard Achorn USNR G. Richard Adams USNR Paul Bickford USA Raymond Janney AAF

George Buck AAF George Fogg, Jr. USA Alfred Gregory USA Robert Morse USNR Sylvester Whiton, Jr. USNR

1944

Julian Ansell AAF
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Gregg Brewer AAF
John Devine USNR
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Bernard Havens, Jr. USA
Jerrold Hickey USNR
John Ingram AAF
Joseph Jchnson, Jr. USA
Franklin Joy II USNR AC
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Walter Main USA
Alan Qua USA
Arthur Shorey, Jr. USA
Leroy Sweeney, Jr. USA
Richard Warren USMC
Robert Waterman AAF

1945

Franklin Allen AAF
William Bailey AAF
Norman Barr USMC
Thomas Bartlett USNR
Robert Belknan USNR
Stanford Blankinship USNR
Richard Bonnev USA
Robert Brackett USNR
Edwin Briggs USNR
Wallace Campbell AAF
Philip Carde USA
Joseph Chadwick AAF
William Clennott USA
Alan Cole USA
Jesse Corum USA
Eugene Cronin AAF
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Stanley Lawry USA
Richard Lewis USNR
Edwin Lincoln AAF
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John Merrill USA
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Paul Morrell AAF
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Frank Oxnard USNR
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William Queen USNR
Anthony Reedy USA
Samuel Robinson AAF
Earl Rosen USA
Donald Ryan USA
Herbert Sawyer USA
A. Chandler Schmalz USNR
Richard Taylor AAF
Nathan Towne USA
Normand Tronerud AAF
Lewis True USNR
Myron Waks USNR AC
Harry Walsh AAF
Timothy Warren USA
Donald Webster AAF
Eric Weren USA

Donald Whelley USNR Carlton Woods, Jr. USA Robert Zimmerman USNR AC

1946

Richard Achorn USNR
Roger Adams USNR
Robert Allen USNR
J. Brenton Bare AAF
Emery Beane AAF
John Begley USA
William Blaine USNR AC
Rene Boudreau USA
Raymond Bourgeois USNR
Henry Bracchi, Jr. AAF
Harry Brockington USNR
Campbell Cary USNR
Harry Carey AAF
Chester Catler USNR
Malcolm Chamberlain USA
E. Paul Charak, Jr. USNR
Neal C. Clark USNR AC
Clinton Clarke USNR AC
Clinton Clarke USNR AC
Sidney Cousins, Jr. USNR
Edward Craine AAF
Richard Davis USNR
Laureston Dobbrow USNR
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J. Dickert Donovan USNR
Leland Evans AAF
Wallace Evers AAF
John Farrell USNR
Donald Fisher USA
Joseph Flanagan, Jr. USNR
Edward Faller USNR
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John Foran USA
Carl Francis USNC
Stanley Frederick, Jr. USNR
Edward Fuller USNR
William Geddes USNR
Jerome Geisler USNR
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Loring Hart USA
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David Towle USA
Robert True USA
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Robert Brall USNR
David Towle USA
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Robert Williams, Jr. USMC
David Wilson USNR
David Towle USA
Robert Williams, Jr. USMC

1947

Donald Blanchard USNR AC
Robert Bliss AAF
Thomas Boyd USNR
William Clark AAF
Raymond Clarke USNR
Charles Curtis USNR
Stanley Dole, Jr. USNR
Robert Doughty USA
Richard Eames USNR
Robert Golderman USA
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## Necrology

1888 Albert Currier Shorey died on September 8 at his home in Bridgton. Formerly editor of the Bath Daily Times and Brunswick Telegraph, he later became a printing specialist in Boston, retiring about 20 years ago. He was born in Portland on June 10, 1865, the son of Major Henry A. and the late Ida Currier Shorey. He was graduated from Bridgton High School and entered Bowdoin, where he was a member of Theta Delta Chi fraternity. After his graduation from college, he joined the staff of the Bath Daily Times, owned by his father at the time, and then came to Brunswick in 1894 to become editor of the Telegraph. He went to Boston in 1903 where he married the late Mrs. Martha Shorey. He was a member of the Sons of Union Veterans and the Masonic Fraternity. Surviving him are three sisters and a brother, Henry A. Shorey, Jr., 'oo, of Bridgton.

1889 EDWARD AUGUSTUS BURTON SMITH, retired deputy U.S. marshal, died at his home in Portland on November 14. He was born on June 19, 1867, in Augusta, the son of Augustus Leander and Mary Ellen Thorne Smith. After preparing for college at Westbrook Seminary, he attended Tufts College for two years before transferring to Bowdoin. He became prominent as a Bowdoin alumnus, and was twice offered the position of treasurer of the College. Following his graduation he was appointed chief office deputy United States marshal, district of Maine, with offices in Portland, a position he held until his retirement in 1937. When he became inactive in that office, he received special honors for his 48 years' service from Judge John A. Peters '85 of the U. S. District Court. As deputy marshal he was instrumental with the prosecution of many notable cases and his work brought proffered appointments to several Federal positions. In 1909 he was awarded an M.A. degree by Bowdoin, and Tufts conferred the degree of Bachelor of Science Extra Ordinem upon him in 1926. He was a 32nd degree Mason and a member of Zeta Psi fraternity. Surviving him are a daughter, Mrs. Louis Strickland of Portland, with whom he has made his home since the death of his wife several years ago, and a son, Paul W. Smith '20, of High Point, N. C.

1894 Frank Herbert Knight, for many years a pharmacist in Winchester, Mass., died in Westbrook on October 21. He was born in Durham on July 30, 1873, the son of Charles E. and Orianna Strout Knight. He received his preparation for college at Portland High School. At Bowdoin he was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Theta Delta Chi fraternities. Following his graduation he entered Massachusetts College of Pharmacy in Boston, receiving his Ph.G. degree in 1898. He worked at his chosen profession in Boston and Waltham for a time before establishing his own business in Winchester, Mass. In 1914 he married the former Emma Minnette Dow of Woburn. He was a charter member of the Winchester Rotary Club, a former director of the city's Chamber of Commerce, and a member of William Parkman Lodge AF and AM of Winchester. A sister, Mrs. Albert F. Austin of Portland, with whom he has been residing since the death of his wife in August, 1945, survives.

ARTHUR HARVEY STETSON, Well-1895 known San Mateo, Calif., judge, and native of Bath, died early in October in San Mateo. A resident of that city for 16 years, Judge Stetson was a noted member of the bar and held many important positions in legal circles both in California and in the East. Born in Bath on November 15, 1872, he received his LL.B. degree from Boston University two years after his graduation from Bowdoin, and did post-graduate work at Harvard Law School. In 1904 he was appointed assistant district attorney to Puerto Rico, and in 1907 he was elected Sagadahoc County attorney in Bath. He remained in Maine until the start of the first World War, when he enlisted in the Navy to serve as commandant of the fourth section of the first division naval base on the Atlantic coast. In 1920 he was appointed to the U.S. District Attorney's office in New York City, and named special district attorney for Southern New York. In 1929 he went to San Mateo to take up a private practice. He served as San Mateo municipal judge for nearly eight years until his retirement in 1942, when he was appointed to the Hillsborough, Calif., bench, and was presiding there at the time of his death. He was a member of the San Mateo Elks and Masons and of the American Legion. Surviving him is his widow, Mrs. Kathryn Stetson.

1896 Dr. WALLACE WILSON ROBINSON, who gained fame as the inventor of an improved tourniquet, died at the Columbia Hotel in Portland on November 3, 1946. He was born in Portland on September 16, 1873, the son of Edward B. and Julia Barber Robinson, and prepared for Bowdoin at Fryeburg Academy. While in college he was a member of his Class Squad and manager of the Athletic Association. In 1899 he received his medical degree from Long Island College Hospital, and served his internship in Boston and Staten Island hospitals. The Robinson first aid tourniquet was used in the first World War and was adopted by the U.S. Army and by police and fire departments. Dr. Robinson organized the American Standard Tourniquet Company, which manufactured a first aid kit designed by him as well as the tourniquet, the Robinson orthopedic stretcher and other medical appliances. After brief practices in Union, N. H., and New York City, he came to Portland where he carried on a general practice of medicine, serving for many years as house physician at the Eastland Hotel in Portland. He was a member of the Sons of the American Revolution, the Maine and Cumberland County Medical Association, the Portland Medical Club, and Portland Practitioners' Club. In 1902-05 he was a member of the Portland School Board. Surviving him is his wife. He was a member of Zeta Psi fraternity.

1898 JOHN WILBUR CONDON, prominent in educational and journalistic fields, died on September 30 at his home in Derry, N. H. Although he retired from the teaching profession seven years ago because of ill health, he had nevertheless remained active in the field as executive-secretary of the New Hampshire State Teachers' Association and editor-in-chief of its official publication, The Bulletin. He retired only a year ago after holding the joint offices for

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20 consecutive years. Born on April 26, 1875, in Berlin, N. H., the son of Orlando and Edna Jewett Condon, he prepared for Bowdoin at Berlin High School. As an undergraduate in college he was elected to Phi Beta Kappa and Delta Upsilon fraternities. He was a member of the Bugle Board, the Deutscher Verein, and the Orient Board. Immediately following his graduation from college, he joined the Portland Evening Courier and the Portland Sunday Telegram as a reporter, becoming City Editor of the Courier in a short time. In 1900 he went to Berlin Mills, N. H., as postmaster. Serving as state editor of the Manchester, N. H. Daily Union from 1900 to 1904, he became associate editor in 1905. He remained with the newspaper for 18 years. He married the former Rose L. Streeter of Bernardston, Mass., on September 25, 1900. In 1918 he left newspaper work to become a teacher at Allen Military Academy, West Newton, Mass., where he stayed until 1921, when he joined the faculty of Pinkerton Academy, Derry, N. H. After serving at Pinkerton for 10 years, he went to Manchester Central High School for eight years until his health failed and forced him to retire. He lived on his farm in Derry for 34 years, during which time he held many town and school offices. A member of the Masons, the Odd Fellows and the Presbyterian Church, he is survived by his wife, two sons and a daughter.

RALPH GARDNER SMITH, for many years a lawyer in Hillsboro, N. H., died at his home there on June 21. Born in Brewer on September 20, 1877, he prepared for college at Brewer High School. As a student at Bowdoin, he was a member of the baseball team, his class squad, and was vice president of the Reading Association. Following graduation, he spent four years in Curacoa, Dutch West Indies, as a merchant, returning to attend Boston University Law School in 1905. He started his practice of law in Hillsboro in 1906. Surviving is his wife, Mrs. Ethel A. Smith. He was a member of Alpha Delta Phi.

1900 George Wilkins Russell, proprietor of the Russell Cottages in Kearsarge, N. H., died at his home there on October 4. He was born in Kearsarge on October 19, 1876, the son of Henry W. and Annie Wilkins Russell. He attended the Conway schools and was fitted for college at Fryeburg Academy. While at Bowdoin he was a member of his class squad and football team, the Choir and Glee Club, and was treasurer of the Y. M. C. A. He attended the New England Conservatory of Music in Boston for a short time, and in 1900 became manager of the Russell Cottages at Kearsarge, associated in the hotel business with his father. He married Miss Ida Felt Newhall of Lynn, Mass., in 1905, and, with the death of his father in 1908, he became manager and proprietor of the Cottages. For many years he was a member of the New Hampshire Hotel Men's Association, serving once as president of that organization. He also served several terms in the New Hampshire Legislature, both as a representative and as a senator. He was a director of the Carroll County Trust Company, a trustee of the Conway and North Conway libraries, past president of the

Carroll County Y. M. C. A., a member of the North Conway Rotary Club and Chamber of Commerce. During the war he was a member of the Selective Service Board and received a Presidential Medal and citation for his contribution to the war effort. He was a member of Delta Upsilon.

1913 VERD RUSSELL LEAVITT, resident partner of the brokerage firm of Paine, Webber, Jackson and Curtis, died at his home in West Hartford, Conn., on September 12. He had been associated with the firm for 28 years, and was formerly president of the Connecticut Investment Bankers Association. He was born in Wilton on August 24, 1891, and prepared for college at Wilton Academy. As a student at Bowdoin, he was active on the Orient Board, Debating Council and the Glee Club. He was a member of Alpha Delta Phi. Always active in Bowdoin affairs, he had served as president of the Bowdoin Club of Connecticut and at the time of his death was a representative member of the Alumni Council. In 1928 he set up the consolidation of Veeder-Root, Inc., and served as director of the corporation. Formerly he had been a director in the American Reserve Insurance Company of New York and served on committees of the National Association of Security Dealers. He was a member of many fraternal organizations. Besides his wife, he leaves two daughters and a son, Brooks Russell Leavitt '46.

1914 REGINALD ALLEN MONROE died on October 13, 1946, in Bakersfield, Calif. Born in Milo on February 19, 1891, he was the son of Frank and Lulee Weymouth Monroe. He received his college preparation at Coburn Classical Institute, entering Bowdoin in 1910. As an undergraduate he was prominent in musical organizations including the Glee Club, Choir, Band, Quartet, and also the Chemical and Biology Clubs. Shortly after graduation he affiliated with the Standard Oil Company of California, and at the time of his death was assistant district sales manager. He was a member of various Masonic bodies and Zeta Psi fraternity. Surviving him besides his widow are two daughters, his mother, and relatives in Bangor and Milo.

1917 Information has been received of the death of Henry William Wallace on July 27, 1940. He was born in Hopkinton, Mass., on July 4, 1893, and received his college preparation at Lawrence Academy, Groton, Mass. After a year at Dartmouth College, he transferred to Bowdoin, but returned to Dartmouth to graduate after a brief stay here. He owned an oil trucking business in Fall River, Mass. Surviving him are his widow and two daughters.

1929 Joseph Atkins Ginn died in Marblehead, Mass., on August 19, 1946. He was born on May 21, 1905, in Portland, and prepared for college at Roxbury, Mass., Latin School. He attended Bowdoin for two years and was a member of Psi Upsilon fraternity. In 1927 while in business in Danvers, Mass., he married the former Jeannette Harvey of Topsham, who survives him. They made their home in Clifton, Mass.

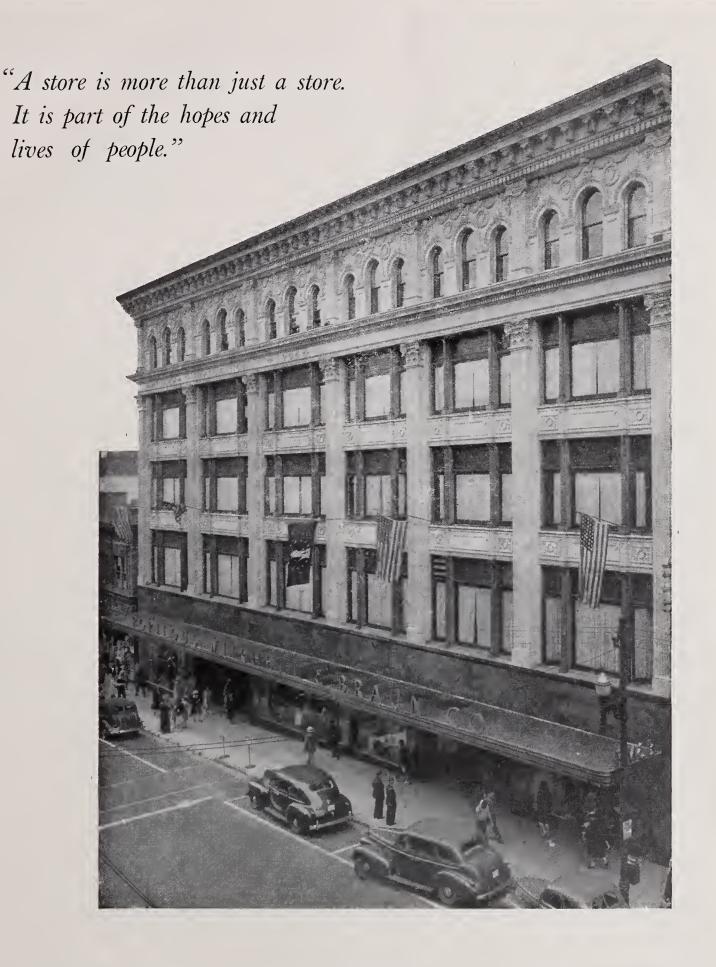
1946 CHARLES HENRY CARR, JR., an Ensign in the Naval Reserve, was killed in an automobile accident in San Diego, Calif., on October 13. A veteran of nearly four years in the Navy, he had only recently returned from Bikini where he served on a ship taking radio-activity pictures after the atomic bomb tests. He was born on September 18, 1925, in Owl's Head. the son of Charles and Grace Rowell Carr. now of Rockland. He prepared for college at Rockland High School, and left college in the summer of 1943 to join the Navy V-12 unit at Bates College. Later he was graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy Post Graduate School in Applied Communications at Newport, R. I., was commissioned and joined the crew of the U.S.S. Albany. He received a Certificate of Honor from Bowdoin. Survivors include his parents and a sister. He was a member of Chi Psi fraternity.

Houlton hospital on August 31. A recipient of a State of Maine scholarship to Bowdoin, he remained in college only a year before he was forced to leave because of poor health. He was born in Houlton on November 19, 1925, the son of Raymond and Iona Gilbert Wood, and prepared for college at Houlton High School, where he was an honor student. Surviving him besides his parents are a sister and a brother. He was a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity.

#### MEDICAL SCHOOL

1891 Dr. George Franklin Libby died in San Diego, Calif., on September 13. A native of Maine, he was born on March 4, 1868, in Portland, and was graduated from the Maine Medical School in 1891. He was assistant surgeon at the National Home D.V.S. at Togus, from 1891-94, and practiced medicine in Portland from 1896-1900. He subsequently carried on practices in Baltimore, Md.. Colorado Springs, Colo., and Denver, Colo., for a period of about 25 years, after which Dr. and Mrs. Libby went to San Diego to make their home. They moved to Fillmore, Calif., two years ago, where Mrs. Libby died less than two weeks before her husband. He leaves a nephew, Albert E. Libby of Portland. Probably one of the most consistently interested alumni among the graduates of the Medical School, Dr. Libby was active in the alumni groups of Colorado and the Pacific Coast. Many times recognized for outstanding work in the field of ophthalmology, he was given the Alumni Achievement Award in 1934.

On May 10 in Augusta. Born on March 6, 1875, in Portland, he prepared for college at Portland High School and was graduated from Georgetown University in 1897. He received his medical degree from Bowdoin three years later. His first practice was in Millinocket, where he remained for two years. After a short stay in Lewiston he moved to Greenfield, Mass., where he practiced until his retirement in 1935. He is survived by a brother, Louis A. Donahue '14 of Augusta.



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#### HONORARY

1932 Dr. Jefferson Butler Fletcher, professor of comparative literature at Columbia University from 1904 until his retirement in 1939, died at his summer home in York Village on August 17. He was born in Chicago, Ill., on November 13, 1865, and received his A.B. and A.M. degrees from Harvard in 1887 and 1889. In 1932 he was given the honorary degree of Doctor of Literature at Bowdoin. Before joining the faculty at Columbia, he was assistant professor of comparative literature at Harvard from 1902 to 1904. During the first World War he served in the American Field Ambulance Service. An authority on Dante, he was the author of several books, including Literature of the Italian Renaissance, Dante, and a translation of the Divine Comedy. He was a member of the fiction award jury for Pulitzer prizes for several years, and was selected by the Italy Americo Society to lecture on Dante at the Cast Italiana at Columbia University. In 1932 he was made a Commander of the Order of the Crown of Italy at Casa Italiana. He was a member of the National Institute of Arts and Letters and the Century Club. Surviving him are his widow and a daughter.

1934 Dr. Benjamin Freeman Kingsbury, professor of histology and em-bryology at Cornell University from 1895 until his retirement in 1941, and since then guest professor of anatomy at the University of North Carolina, died on July 8 at his home in Chapel Hill, N. C. Born in St. Charles, Mo., the son of Benjamin Barnes Kingsbury '57, he was graduated from Buchtel College and received his Ph.D. degree from Cornell in 1895, his M.D. from the University of Freiburg, Germany, in 1904, and was awarded an honorary Doctor of Science degree from Bowdoin in 1934. He was a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and a member of the American Anatomy Association. He was also a member of Phi Delta Theta, Nu Sigma Nu fraternities, and Gamma Alpha Scientific Club. Among the books he has written are Vertebrates Histology, Laboratory Directions in Histology and Histological Technique. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Janet W. Kingsbury; two daughters, and two sons, including Robert F. Kingsbury '34 of Bangor.

## News of



## the Classes

FOREWORD

News that isn't news: with the resumption of war-time suppressed activities such as Fathers' Day, football games, and Alumni Day, it is good to see the Old Guard coming back in such numbers, and we are only too glad to see them again. But do you know that, especially in regard to the older classes, there is a great paucity of news, due in part to the laxity of the class secretaries and to the failure of the men themselves to report to their class secretaries or to the Alumni Office items of interest concerning themselves and their next of kin? If any of you see the alumni magazines of most of the other New England colleges, you will realize the difference in cooperation.

Verbum sap.

1884 Secretary, Dr. Charles E. Adams 29 W. Broadway, Bangor

Classmates and friends sympathize with Professor Charles Torrey in the death of his wife, Mrs. Marian Richards Torrey, on October 5. Mrs. Torrey was a graduate of Smith College and received an M.A. degree from Yale. She was the author of two novels, Zandrie, in 1909, and My Outrageous Cousin, in 1929. The manuscript of a third novel was completed shortly before her death.

1885 Judge John A. Peters of the U. S.
District Court in Maine has announced that he will undoubtedly retire from the court next year. Reports indicate that he will be succeeded in January by U. S. District Attorney John Clifford '10.

1893 George Chaplin has been emeritus professor of modern languages at Marietta College, Marietta, Ohio, for the past five years, but is still teaching there.



DEAN PALMER OF LEHIGH

Marshall Jones, manager of the Mythology Company of Cambridge, Mass., has moved from Fitzwilliam, N. H., to 136 Elm Street, Andover, Mass.

1894 Secretary, Francis W. Dana 8 Bramhall Street, Portland

Clarence Michels, retired, has moved from Boston to Hampton Falls, N. H.

Secretary, Henry W. Owen, Jr. 109 Oak Street, Bath

Ralph Crossman's new address is 349 Cherry Street, San Francisco, Calif.

1897 Secretary, James E. Rhodes II 700 Main Street, Hartford, Conn.

Frederick Dole, who is supplementing his fifty years of public school teaching as

teacher of English at the Cambridge Preparatory School for Girls, contributed an article on "One Way to Teach Modern Poetry" for the September issue of *English Journal*.

1898 Secretary, Thomas L. Pierce Route 2, Box 496 East Tucson, Ariz.

Dr. Clarence Kendall, who was with the armed forces during the war, has moved from Flushing, L. I., N. Y., to 68 Birch Street, Biddeford.

1899 Secretary, Lucien P. Libby 22 Bramhall Street, Portland

The Journal of the International College of Surgeons recently published a memorial issue paying tribute to the late Dr. Fred Albee.

Dr. Richard Shields, formerly with the U. S. Public Health Service, has moved from Staten Island, N. Y., to the Hotel Martineque, New York City.

William Stockbridge has moved from Brimmer Street to 267 Commonwealth Avenue, Boston, Mass.

1900 Phil Palmer, who has long been Dean at Lehigh University and Acting President during the past year, was given double recognition and honor at the Lehigh Victory Reunion this fall. The alumni association president presented to the University a portrait of the popular Dean done by Frederick Rosher. Immediately following the acceptance of the gift announcement was made that the first Hillman award to be made annually to that member of the staff for outstanding service "for advancing the interests of the University" was given to Dean Palmer. Unable to be present at the exercises, he heard the radio broadcast of the events at his home.

Dr. Albert Stuart recently retired from the U. S. Public Health Service after serving 44 years and seven months. During his tour of duty in Portland he was quarantine inspector and immigration officer. In 1945 he was transferred to the staff of the Marine Hospital where he served in the out-patient department.

1901 Secretary, Walter L. Sanborn Box 390, Lansdale, Pa.

George Gardner has moved from Boston, and is located now at Kimball Union Academy, Meriden, N. H.

Dr. Frank Leslie, a member of the Board of Control at Des Moines, Iowa, is active in a movement to put Iowa institutions on a higher level of treatment for the mentally ill. A \$53,000 program to train technicians for six Iowa mental hospitals has been recommended.

Artelle Palmer has moved from Brewer to 459 South Main Street, South Brewer.

Kenneth Sills has been awarded the Medal of Liberation by the King of Denmark. When the Friends of Denmark started, right after the Nazi invasion of Denmark, he was among the first to join the cause.

1903 Secretary, CLEMENT F. ROBINSON 260 Maine Street, Brunswick

The summer issue of *The Maine Universalist* contains a biographical article on



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During the twelve-year period preceding the war (September, 1931, to September, 1942, inclusive), Governor Dummer sent 46 boys to Bowdoin and 46 boys to Harvard, a slightly larger number than was sent during that period to any other single college.

the class secretary, who was elected to the National Church Board of Trustees some months ago.

1904 Secretary, EUGENE P. D. HATHAWAY 3360 Mt. Pleasant Street N. W. Washington, D. C.

William Coan is living at 249 Lake Avenue, Newton Highlands, Mass.

1905 Seeretary, Stanley Williams 2270 Waverley Street Palo Alto, Calif.

Kenneth Damren is a state official at the Massachusetts State House, Boston, Mass. He lives on Birch Hill Road, Melrose.

Mr. and Mrs. James Finn have been living for the past year in the Poinciana

Apartments, Coconut Grove, Fla. They expect to build a home in Coral Gables.

Maj. Gen. Wallace Philoon is living at 8 Summer Street, Augusta, and attended the football games this fall. He is the new class agent for 1905.

John Brett has moved from Washington, D. C., to Robles Del Rio, Monterey County, Calif.

1906 Secretary, Ralph G. Webber 19 Stone Street, Augusta

Henry Chapman now lives at 19 Rudman Road, Portland.

Joseph Gumbel's new address is 731 Royal Street, New Orleans, La.

1907 Secretary, Felix A. Burton 234 Boylston Street, Boston Neal Allen and his son Frederick were featured in the newspaper series of Maine Father-Son Businesses.

Lorenzo Baldwin is a lawyer in Jacksonville, Fla.

President and Mrs. Sills headed the 39 guests when fifteen members of the class gathered for the annual picnic at Asa Pike's in Fryeburg on Saturday, August 24. Plenteous eats and an afternoon of song and merriment were the agenda for this preparatory meeting for the Fortieth. Members present were: Allen, Adams, Doherty, Fernald, Giles, Haley, Halford, Johnson, Lawrence, Leydon, Linnell, Pike, Hupper, Russell and Webber.

As this is written the elections are yet to be held. The political pot in Connecticut boils with a distinct Bowdoin flavor. Bill Snow, the present Lieutenant Governor, gained nation-wide notice when he defeated Chester Bowles for the Democratic nomination for Governor. His Republican opponent is Jim McConaughey, one time member of the Bowdoin Faculty. The Wesleyan flavor is also noticeable since Bill is on leave from his teaching duties there as a member of the English Department and Jim is a former president of Wesleyan.

Editor's note: Bill was a victim of the Republican landslide on November 5. Jim is now the Governor-elect of Connecticut.

1908 James Chandler has moved from Long Island City, N. Y., to Inyokern, Calif.

1909 Secretary, Ernest H. Pottle 31 Appleton Place Glen Ridge, N. J.

John Hurley's son, John, Jr., is reported to have been married recently. Important family events among the alumni should be sent in to the Alumni Office, in order that they may be reported promptly in the ALUMNUS.

Roger Thaxter has changed his address to 1026 Wayne, Dallas, Texas.

1910 Seeretary, E. Curtis Matthews Piscataqua Savings Bank Portsmouth, N. H.

William Atwood is living at 2 Stony Brook Road, Cape Elizabeth.

Bob Hale won re-election to Congress in the Maine balloting of September.

Herbert Warren is living in Fairlee, Va.

1911 Seeretary, Ernest G. FITTELD 30 East 42nd Street New York City, N. Y.

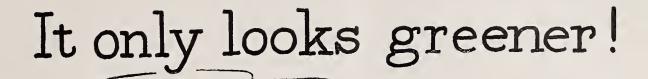
Alonzo Dennis is living in La Jolla, Calif. Formerly of Rockland, David Hyler is now living in Elk Rapids, Mich. Charlie Oxnard's son, Frank, has com-

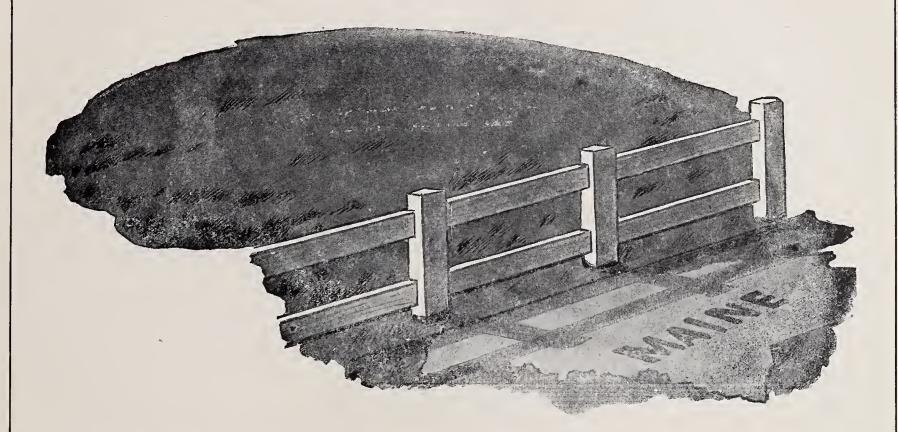
Charlie Oxnard's son, Frank, has completed his Bowdoin course, which was interrupted by war service. He was graduated in September as of the Class of 1945.

1912 Secretary, William A. MacCormick 316 Huntington Avenue, Boston

Meredith and Virginia Auten drove east in October to bring their second son to Bowdoin. Chuck is a member of the Class of 1950. Fred '47 is out of service and expected at College in February.

Overseer Harold Ashey of Worcester, Mass., is a second degree grandfather on the side of his daughter, Mrs. Nathaniel Whiting, whose daughter, Anne Robinson, was A message to the boys and girls of Maine





As far back as memory goes, the grass over the fence has appeared greener to young people. But sometimes it seems a terrible waste of pleasant pastures when a high percentage of the youth of a given community falls for the delusion and wanders abroad.

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born in September. Harold's son, John, is a member of the current Freshman class.

Herbert Bryant of Brewer has moved to 183 Hammond Street, Bangor.

At the inauguration of Richard Greene as president of Wells College on November 1, Eugene Bradford, registrar at Cornell University, represented Bowdoin.

Bill Holt has been elected president of the Portland Club.

The class secretary suffered a back injury when he fell from a window while removing screens. He is mending at the Boston City Hospital.

Joe Newell is again active in insurance with an office at One North La Salle Street, Chicago, Ill., Room 1433. His home adress is still 526 Scranton Avenue, Lake Bluff, Ill.

Loring Pratt hunted down a host of Bowdoin men on the Pacific coast when he attended the American Legion Convention there recently.

The Shanghai Evening Post and Mercury of October 4th reported that Ed Torrey of the Tientsin Branch of the National City Bank is living in a new home in the Sea Cliff District of San Francisco, Calif.

## 1913 Secretary, LUTHER G. WHITTIER R.F.D. 2, Farmington

Summer Pike was named by President Truman last month a member of the fiveman Atomic Energy Commission.

#### 1915 Secretary, HAROLD E. VERRILL 83 Exchange Street, Portland

William Aitchison, an attorney of Blue Island, Ill., has moved to 2450 West 108th Street, Chicago.

Dr. George Christie, U. S. Marine Hospital Service, has left Galveston and is now living at 2772 Bayside Drive, South, St. Petersburg, Fla.

The Los Angeles office of King Merritt Company, Inc., of New York, is in charge of Paul Koughan, formerly of Minneapolis.

Capt. James Lewis is stationed at the headquarters of the First Naval District in the North Station Building, Boston.

## 1916 Secretary, DWIGHT SAYWARD 415 Congress Street, Portland

Members who have been considering themselves aged may take cheer in the thought that the 25 members who attended the Bowdoin-Maine game found themselves on the ten-yard line or the end zone.

Winthrop Bancroft's new address is Graham Building, Jacksonville, Fla.

John Baxter is a member of the general committee of the Sailors' Bethel Society.

Col. Lowell Elliott's new address is San Jose Project, APO 897, c/o Postmaster, New Orleans, La.

"As Maine Goes" caused the defeat of Jack Fitzgerald, running for Congress on the Democratic ticket from the first Maine district

In addition to managing his own contracting business, Herb Föster is vice president of Fiesta Fruits, Inc., specializing in fancy packages of tree-ripened best grade California oranges, limes and lemons. In October Herb came all the way from California to spend the week end with Paul Niven, et als., at Mere Point.

Fred Powers, Jr., Ned Garland's son David, Norman Nickerson's son Hiram, and Glen Winter's son Norman are members of the Freshman class.

Hobart Hargraves is vice president in the newly organized advertising firm, Day, Duke & Tarleton, 270 Park Avenue, New York City. Hobie is head of the Media Department.

Ed Hawes, who has been with the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company for many years, has been promoted to an executive position with the title of director of sales training.

Bill Ireland, Jr., played left end for Bowdoin this fall; your correspondent picks him for all-Maine. Gordon Olson, Jr., playing his first year of football, got in a number of games at center and looks like varsity material next year.

Dave Kelley of Gardiner was elected president of the Maine Chapter of the National Association of U. S. Postmasters at its meeting in Lewiston in October.

Prof. Alfred Kinsey of the University of Indiana department of zoology, gave an address entitled "Studies on Human Sex Behavior" before the entire group at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association in Philadelphia in September. Also at the meeting were Dr. Paul Young '18 of the University of Louisiana; Dr. Harry Helson '20, and Donald MacKinnon '25 of Bryn Mawr.

After being stationed several years at San Diego, Capt. Bob Little has been transferred to Fort Sherman in the Canal Zone.

The address of George Stuart is 41 Redfield Street, Rye, N. Y.

Lillian Knowlton Trust, wife of Dr. Harry Trust, president of Bangor Theological Seminary, died on September 16. She had been active in many organizations identified with the civic betterment of her community. Her two sons, Harry Knowlton and Thomas Warren, are Bowdoin men. Harry's classmates extend to him and his two fine sons their deepest sympathy.

## 1917 Secretary, Noel C. Little 8 College Street, Brunswick

Major David Lane was awarded the Army Commendation ribbon for meritorious service from September 1945 to March 1946 as a member of the Education Branch, Information-Education Division of the Army in the Middle Pacific. He worked with Negro troops in all phases of information and education activities. "By his outstanding insight into the causes of dissatisfaction, wide previous experience, tact, perserverance, he helped to increase the general level of morale among Negro troops in that area, thereby affecting more harmonious relations within the command."

Chester Maguire is living at 23 Weston Road, Reading, Mass.

Gilbert Ogle's address is 719 Illinois Building, Indianapolis, Ind.

#### 1918 Secretary, Harlan L. Harrington 74 Weston Avenue Braintree, Mass.

Lloyd Coulter of McCann-Erickson, Inc., is living at 36 Westbrother Drive, Greenwich, Conn.

John Edwards lives in Basking Ridge, N. J.

John O'Donnell may now be addressed at 442 West 43rd Street, New York City. For ten years, he was assistant sports editor for the *Philadelphia Record* and then became editor for a New York publishing house which handles a wide variety of publications. He comments that "some men with six degrees know less about English than high school boys."

Capt. Albert Prosser is on the U.S.S. Apollo at the New London, Conn., submarine base.

John Thomas of Waterville will again conduct the Portland Women's Chorus this fall.

Leland Wyman, Ph.D., is Associate Professor of Histology at Boston University. His home is at 5 Furnival Road, Jamaica Plain, Mass.

## 1919 Secretary, Donald S. Higgins 78 Royal Road, Bangor

Orett Robinson is principal of Friendship High School, and lives on R.F.D. 1, Rockland.

Russell Turner, formerly of Meriden, Conn., lives in Providence, where he is a medical service representative.

## 1920 Secretary, STANLEY M. GORDON 208 West 5th Avenue, Roselle, N. J.

Lisle Burns has moved from Waterville to Phippsburg Center.

Kenneth Coombs, formerly of Togus, has moved to South Freeport.

Major Plimpton Guptill of Rochester, N. Y., writes that he found the trip to Bikini pleasant and successful.

Emerson Higgins has moved from Augusta to Houlton.

Col. Frederick Kileski is administration officer at the Chemical Corps School, Edgewood Arsenal, Md. His home is in Bel Air, Md

Major Justin McPartland was discharged from the Army Medical Corps and is now executive officer at the Veterans Hospital, Northampton, Mass.

Dr. Cornelius Rhoades, director of the Manhattan Memorial Hospital, is quoted as saying in *Time Magazine* on October 14 that there is decided hope for the treatment and possible cure for some forms of cancer in the use of isotopes of organic compounds, such as amino-acids and sex hormones and that startling discoveries may be made within the next decade.

Phil Crockett is out of the Navy as a lieutenant commander and is living at the Theta Delta Chi Club in New York City, where he lived before entering the service.

Emerson Zeitler was elected vice-chairman of the Brunswick Chapter of the American Red Cross at the August meeting of the Chapter's board of directors. He succeeds the late Dr. Charles T. Burnett, who served in that position for many years. Zeit was chairman of the Red Cross fund campaign in Brunswick the past two years, His son, Emerson, is a freshman, as are also the sons of Joe Badger, Ainslie Drummond, the late Walter Hay, Alexander Henderson, Waldo Lovejoy, and John Whitney, all of the class of 1920.

Dr. Edward Taylor, headmaster of the Taylor School for Boys in Clayton, Mo., was among the recipients of the King's Medal, awarded by the British Government during the summer for service in the cause of freedom.

## 1921 Secretary, Norman W. Haines 60 State Street, Boston, Mass.

The class secretary is practicing law in Boston with Bradley Howes '28. He also has an office at the Savings Bank Building in Reading, Mass. His son, Bill, entered Bowdoin last June.

Alonzo B. Holmes, colonel in the Army Reserves, has been elected president of the newly-formed 240th Coast Artillery Association. He was formerly commanding officer of the organization.

New address for Major Herbert Ingraham is Casual Personnel Section, Central Mail Directory, APO 503, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

#### 1922 Secretary, Albert R. Thayer 40 Longfellow Avenue, Brunswick

Capt. John Bachulus, Navy staff medical officer, offers entertainment to classinates who call him in London. Mayfair 9222, extension 123. In April Prince Umberto of Italy decorated Capt. Bachulus with the crown of Italy, aboard the U.S.S. Missouri.

Maynard Howe has been named registrar of the new Maine Vocational-Technical Institute. He was released from the Army in the spring, where he served as instructor in

the AAF as assistant to the commandant at the AAF pre-flight school at Maxwell Field, Ala. Later he was in Boston as training liaison officer between the AAF and the New England CAP.

Eben Tileston is back in the Army with his present address 344 Harbor Craft Company, Fort Eustis, Va. Eben expects to be on the West Coast by Christmas with the Amphibious Engineers.

## 1923 Secretary, RICHARD SMALL 59 Orland Street, Portland

Kenneth Coombs has moved from Yarmouth to Togus.

Hubert Davis is teaching at the Cranbrook School, Bloomfield Hills, Mich.

Phil Wilder is campaign chairman of the 1946 Brunswick-Topsham Community Chest drive.

## 1925 Secretary, William H. Gulliver, Jr. 1 Federal Street, Boston, Mass.

Walter Hayes has been appointed director of visual education at Cranston High School in Rhode Island, where he has been a teacher of biology for a number of years.

Ted Shields is president of the Kennebunk Lions Club, and lives in that town with his wife and four young sons.

## 1926 Secretary, Albert Abrahamson 76 Federal Street, Brunswick

Major Carleton Andrews is at Fitzsimmons General Hospital in Denver, Colo., where he will remain until December, when he leaves for Miami, Fla. His work is in military intelligence.

Nate Cobb is taking a year's leave of absence from his law firm in Minneapolis to accept appointment as prosecuting attorney for the War Crimes Division of the War Department He will be located in Manila, Philippine Islands.

Leavitt Coburn's address is 7 Baltimore Place, Atlanta, Ga.

New address for Ashley Day is 19 Clark Street, Pleasantville, N. Y. Formerly he lived in Freeport.

Sonny Gray has re-enlisted in the Army and is in Japan. He is married to an Australian girl who joined him in Japan. They have twin boys, ten months old, and another son nearly five years old.

Hazen Nutter writes that he is professor of education at the University of Florida, Gainesville, Fla.

Arthur Raymond has moved from Flushing, N. Y., to 24 Gannett Street, Augusta.

# 1927 Secretary, George O. Cutter 654 Woodland Avenue Birmingham, Mich.

No longer at Washington and Lee University, George Jackson is now associated with the essential intelligence group in the State Department, engaged in editorial work.

Alden Sawyer, assistant vice president and officer of the National Bank of Commerce in

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Portland, has announced his candidacy for election to the Portland School Committee in the December election.

1928 Secretary, William D. Alexander Middlesex School, Concord, Mass.

John Andrews, formerly of Methuen, Mass., has moved to 601 Central Building, Essex Street, Lawrence, Mass.

George Beckett was discharged from the Army as a major in July and is now practicing law with Clark Sears in Salem, Mass.

Frederick Jones has moved from San Diego, Calif., to East Falls Church, Va., where he is an attorncy.

Samuel Prime is a credit manager and lives in Edgewood, N. J.

1929 Secretary, LeBrec Micoleau 1775 Broadway New York City 19, N. Y.

Olin Cloudman has moved from Mobile, Ala., to New Orleans, La.

Rev. Carter Gillis, formerly a chaplain in the Army and recently assisting at Christ Church Cathedral and Trinity Parish, Hartford, Conn., is rector of Christ Church, Washington Parish, Washington, D. C.

Three items of news have been received from Carl Norris: first, that he received his degree from Northeastern Law School in 1941; second, that he was promoted to treasurer of the Malden, Mass., Co-operative Bank; and third, that he was married in June to the former Josephine J. Wardrobe of Medford, Mass. His address is 58 Meridian Street, Malden.

F. Hamilton Oakes has moved from Palo Alto, Calif., to 1617 Euclid Avenue, Berkeley 4, Calif.

Roger Ray of South Portland has been nominated by Governor Horace Hildreth to the Maine State Parole Board to take the place of Bill Mills who recently resigned the position.

Dr. Philip A. Smith is assistant professor of English at Elmira College, Elmira, N. Y. He came out of the Navy a lieutenant commander.

Philip L. Smith was an attorney at the Litchfield trials in Bad Nauheim, Germany. New address for Thomas Spencer is 739 Sherman Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

## 1930 Secretary, H. Philip Chapman, Jr. 19 Rudman Road, Portland.

Dr. Pliny Allen is a pathologist at Maumee Valley Hospital, Toledo, Ohio.

Caleb Dyer is principal of the high school at Dover-Foxcroft.

Bill Heath has moved from Bloomfield Hills, Mich., to Bar Harbor.

Ray Jensen, Portland attorney, has announced his candidacy for city-councilor-atlarge in the election scheduled for December 2 in Portland. A veteran of World War II, he served as a lieutenant in the Navy in the Pacific and Carribean as communications officer of the *U.S.S. Gordonia*.

Manley Littlefield's new address is Apt. 42, 35-42 77th Street, Jackson Heights, N. Y. He moved to Long Island from Freemont, Ohio.

Oliver Lyon is an engineer with the New Jersey Bell Telephone Company, and lives in Bloomfield, N. J.

Carl Moses is with the Electronics Division of the International General Electric Company at Schenectady, N. Y.

Herbert Prescott, director of publicity and assistant professor of English at Grinnell College, has been named faculty adviser of the Grinnell chapter of Sigma Delta Chi, national professional journalistic fraternity, into which he was recently initiated. This is his third year on the Grinnell faculty.

Dr. Howard Sapiro's address is 18 Quebec Street, Portland.

Francis Selleck has left Morton, Penna., and moved to Auburndale, Mass.

Howard Stiles is with the Chester Cable Company, Chester, N. Y.

#### 1931 Secretary, Albert E. Jenkins 515 Maulsby Drive Whittier, Calif.

Artine Artinian spent the summer in France as one of a group of American teachers who were invited to visit France as guests of the French government.

Jim Blunt and John DeMeyer '32 have established a publishing firm in Springfield, Mass., and are launching the Family Book Club of America, with John as president and Jim as vice president and treasurer. They are interested in receiving manuscripts from Bowdoin alumni for possible publication. John is well known in the literary field as author of several leading novels. He is married and the father of two sons. Jim has been associated with the Monarch Life Insurance Company for 15 years, is a member of the University Club and active in Springfield community affairs such as the Red Cross and Springfield Playhouse. serving as president of the latter for two years. He is married to Betty Bacon Blunt, author-artist of three best sellers. They have two daughters.

Norman Brown's new address is Baptist Road, Canterbury, N. H.

Donald Cockroft is on the faculty of Jonesport High School, Jonesport.

Lyman Cousens, treasurer and director of Long, Libby and Hanson Company of Portland, served as co-chairman of the Public Service Division of the Greater Portland Community Chest campaign.

From Richard Dennis comes word that he is in the retail business in Marblehead, Mass.

Merle James is teaching at Islesboro.

The class secretary writes that he became rector of St. Matthia's Episcopal Church at Whittier, Calif., on October 15, and was more than happy to have the church find him a new house, especially appreciated in these days of housing difficulties.

David Mullin is in Bath with the personnel department of the Bath Iron Works.

1932 Secretary, George T. Sewall c/o Young & Rubicam, Inc. 285 Madison Avenue
New York City, N. Y.

Address changes for class members include John Barnes from Alexander, Va., to 40 Inness Street, Manhasset, L. I., N. Y.; Richard Cobb to 26 Einhorn Road, Worcester, Mass.; and John Dvorak, formerly

of Waldoboro, to 85 North Street, Danbury,

Frederick Eames, formerly of Washington, D. C., has moved to Winthrop, Mass., and is teaching in West Hartford, Conn.

Brooke Fleck is doing architectural work with Alfred T. Granger Associates of Hanover, N. H.

Stanton Gould is football coach at the University of Chicago.

Robert Grant has left the University of New Hampshire and is living in Berkeley, Calif., prior to taking up residence in Japan.

Garth James has moved from Alexandria, Va., to Ryc, N. Y.

Upon his discharge from the Army last February, Laurier Rousseau remained in France in order to submit his doctor's dissertation at the Sorbonne.

Dr. Lincoln Smith has accepted an appointment as visiting assistant professor of political science at the University of California, Los Angeles, for this year. He will give lectures in American government and will offer an advanced course in problems of public administration.

John Taylor has moved to Marshfield Hills, Mass., from Pittsburgh, Penna.

## 1933 Secretary, John P. Merrill Box 175, Towanda, Pa.

Dr. Charles Chalmers, who practiced medicine in Brunswick for several years, has opened a new practice in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Edward McMenamin, formerly of Portland, is a personnel officer with the government in Washington. His address is 2651 Woodley Road, N.W., Washington, D. C.

Recently discharged from the Army as a major, Bill Perry is teaching English at M. I. T. and working for his Master's Degree at Boston University.

Louis Roehr lives at 189 Grand Avenue, Cranston, R. I.

# 1934 Secretary, REV. GORDON E. GILLETT Cathedral House Garden City, L. I., N. Y.

Frank Bates is out of the service and living at 12 Park Avenue, Winchester, Mass.

Ray Brown, formerly with radio station, WGAN, Portland, is now with station WOL, Washington, D. C.

Charles Burdell lives at 1635 K Street, Lincoln, Neb., where he practices law.

Robert Carson is in the woolen yarn manufacturing business in Lexington, Va.

Henry Curtis is a special representative of the National Biscuit Company at Melrose, Mass.

John Griffin is a financial analyst with the U. S. Rubber Company in New York City, and lives in Babylon, L. I., N. Y.

Joseph Ham practices medicine in Portland.

Hudson Hastings has moved from Silver Spring, Md., to 1305 K Avenue, Nevada,

Donald Johnson is teaching chemistry and German at Worcester Junior College, Worcester, Mass.

Arthur Lord is Superintendent of Schools in Eastondale, Mass.

Charles McKenney lives in Melrose Highlands, Mass., and is employed by American Airlines, Inc.

New address for Charles McKenney is 33 Walton Park, Melrose Highlands, Mass.

Edward Miller is a bookkeeper with the Clinton Beef Company of Boston.

John Morris of Newtonville was married in August to the former Doris Jean Cotant of San Diego, Calif.

Norman Slayton is with the production department of the Improved Paper Machine Company of Nashua, N. H. He lives in Amherst.

#### 1935 Secretary, PAUL E. SULLIVAN 495 Turner Street, Auburn

Marshall Barbour is with the Monsanto Chemical Company at Everett, Mass.

Irving Bowman is teaching in Arlington. Vt.

Dr. David Bryant is living in Augusta. Robert Dougherty is a purchasing agent with James O. Welch and Company of Cambridge, Mass.

Granton and Irene Dawse of Weston, Mass., are parents of a son, Granton Hall, III, born in July.

Roger Edwards, assistant curator of the Bowdoin Museum of Fine Arts since 1939, went to Greece in October to study archaeology at the American School of Classical Studies in Athens.

Richard Henry, formerly of Fitchburg, Mass., is assistant publicity director at City College, New York City. He writes that he left the *Fitchburg Sentinel* in February, 1946, served in the Army for three years with the 10th Armored Division, is married and has a step-daughter 13 years old and a son 17 months.

Allan Hubbell, formerly of Rockville Center, N. Y., has moved to Amityville, N. Y.

Sterling Nelson has just been home for a three months' furlough from the Aleutians. His address is APO 944, c/o 71st Engineers Service Detachment, c/o Postmaster, Seattle, Wash.

Lt. (jg) Jackson Stoddard has been transferred from the Naval Hospital at Corpus Christi, Texas, and is at 425 E. Wisconsin Avenue, Milwaukee, Wis.

Paul Sullivan is a member of the staff of the Bank of Commerce in Long Beach, Calif.

Harold Tipping's new address is 211 Wren Street, Scotia, N. Y.

1936 Secretary, Hubert S. Shaw St. Albans School Washington 16, D. C.

Francis Benjamin is a member of the history department at Emory University, Atlanta, Ga.

A second daughter, Nancy Collins, was born in the spring to the Edward Browns. Their other daughter, Ellen, is three years old

The wedding of Casper Cowan and Nancy Linnell was solemnized in Portland on October 19. Casper is practicing law in Portland.

Dr. Dick Elgosin is living in Hamden, Conn.

Thomas Gibb has moved from Watertown, Mass., to 34 Rose Avenue, Marblehead, and is working with the Research Laboratory at Metal Hydrides, Inc., at Beverly, Mass.

George Hildreth is manager of the F. W. Woolworth Company store in Brookline, Mass.

Sid McCleary is supervisor with the Plant Cast Control division of the National Gypsum Company in Buffalo, N. Y.

Discharged with the rank of major from the Army Medical Corps, Dr. Edward Mc-Farland of Lisbon Falls has opened an office in Brunswick for the practice of general medicine.

Vale and Hilda Marvin are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter, Patricia Daniel, in Portland in July.

The correct address of Robert Peakes is 355 South Union Street, Burlington, Vt. He still intends to go into the country inn business as soon as he can get his place remodeled.

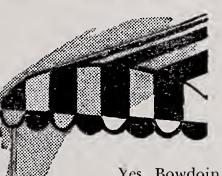
Hubert and Eleanor Shaw are being congratulated upon the birth of a second son, Noyes French, in July. Hubert is still teaching at St. Albans School, Washington, D. C.

Everett Swift, formerly a member of the staff of the Peddie School, Hightstown, N. J., has returned to the school as master of the social studies department, after serving in the Army in New Guinea since 1942.

#### 1937 Secretary, WILLIAM S. BURTON 1425 Guardian Building Cleveland, Ohio

Ed Benjamin received his Ph.D. at Harvard in October and is teaching at Yale.

The class secretary recently received a presidential citation for his service in the Navy.



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Horace Buxton, out of the Navy in the spring, is living in Madison, N. J. He was married on November 2 to Miss Ann Wallace James of Hampton, Va.

Herbert Clennot has opened a new music store in Portland.

Chandler Crawford is living at 600 W. 122nd Street, New York City.

Charles Curtis is practicing medicine in Salem, Mass.

Among the new members of the faculty at the University of Maine extension at the Brunswick Naval Air Station is Jonathan French, who was appointed administration assistant to the director, and instructor in French. During the war he served as an educational service officer for the Navy and recently has been a training officer for the U. S. Veterans Administration.

A daughter, Stephanie Jeanne, was born in the spring to Mr. and Mrs. Crowell Hall. Enoch Hunt has been awarded the Purple Heart.

Mansfield Hunt is executive head of the Bowdoin group at the Brunswick Naval Air Station.

Paul Ivory is with the Department of Music at the University of Minnesota.

Dr. Bill Levin is practicing in Waltham, Mass.

Bob Rohr writes that he is a chemical engineer and lives in Granby, Conn.

Bill Rowe is an accountant with the New England Wheel and Rim Company in West Somerville, Mass.

Thomas Spencer has moved from Plainfield, N. J., to 45 East 29th Street, New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Steer are announcing the birth of a son, Peter Daymond, on October 20.

Dr. Charles Tuttle, out of the Army a major, has opened an office for the general practice of medicine in Brunswick. He was with the 262nd Medical Battalion in Australia and served in the Pacific area for three years. He has one son, Charles Henry.

#### 1938 Secretary, Andrew H. Cox 51 High Street, Bangor

In October, Francis Bilodeau returned to his work in Germany.

Lt. Philip Chapman, since returning from the Pacific, has been assigned as legal officer to the U. S. Naval Air Station at St. Simon's Island, Ga. He received the Bronze Star for service during the second battle of the Philippines when his ship, CVE Fanshaw Bay, was badly damaged.

Kosrof Eligian is doing social work for the Youth Bureau of Cleveland, Ohio.

Bill Fenton is in Susanville, Calif.

Announcement has been received of the marriage of Ernest Files to Velma O'Neal Voelhel of Mansfield, La., at Long Beach, Calif., in May. Ernest has resumed surgical training following his release from the Navy Medical Corps in August. He is now assistant surgical resident in the Fourth Surgical Service at Boston City Hospital.

Bob Fox is with the Low Graupp Lumber Company in Menlo Park, Calif.

With the addition of twin girls, Bob Hooke of Maplewood, N. J., now has four children

Donald Patt is at Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vt.

Tom Read is an auditor with the Southwestern Public Service Company, Roswell, N. M.

Dave Soule has moved from Augusta to Rockland.

Recently on the legal staff of the FCC, Vincent Welch is now a member of the law firm of Welch & Mott in Washington, D. C. He specializes in radio and communications law.

#### 1939 Secretary, John E. Rich, Jr. International News Service Tokyo, Japan

Phil Bean is working in the New York City sales office of the Standard Register Company. He resides in Port Chester, N. Y.

Bill Brown has changed his address from Boston to 229 East 79th Street, New York 21, N. Y.

Nels Corey has joined the faculty of Governor Dummer Academy in South Byfield, Mass. He teaches mathematics and is assistant coach of football, hockey and baseball.

Bob Fleischner of the agency department of the New England Mutual Life Insurance Company, Boston, is directing and playing the part of Mark McPherson in the company's production of "Laura." He organized and was the first president of the New England Mutual Players organization.

Milton Gordon was married in August to Martha Miles of Philadelphia.

Linwood Groder has moved from Skowhegan to 395 Terhune Avenue, Paramus, N. J.

Tom Howard has moved to 41 Sunnyside Drive, Ludlow, Yonkers, N. Y.

Bill Mitchell has moved from Los Angeles, Calif., to Melrose, Mass.

The class secretary broadcasts each Sunday from 12-12:30 noon on the American network from Tokyo, in a half-hour radio program entitled "News Around the World."

Walter Rowson has opened offices for the general practice of medicine at the Hotel Putnam, Putnam, Conn.

The marriage of Al Smith and Mary Frances Donahue of Arlington Heights, Mass., took place in July. They are making their home in Watertown, Mass.

Robert Taylor is practicing medicine in Rangeley.

New address for Jim Zarbock is 6 Bolton Place, Fairlawn, N. J.

## 1940 Secretary, NEAL W. ALLEN, JR. Girard College Philadelphia, Penna.

The class secretary reports that he is teaching at Girard College in Philadelphia, and that Neal W. Allen III was born in July in Portland.

Walter Bush is with Gregg Storer and Company, investment bankers, of Boston.

A new address for Dr. Stephen Carbone places him in Norwood, Mass.

Major Tom Lineham has left Orlando, Fla., and is now in Washington, R. I.

Recently discharged from the Army as a captain in the Medical Corps, with service on Guam and Tinian, Arthur Loomis is at present a resident in pathology at the Pennsylvania Hospital in Philadelphia. He has a son, Robert Hale, about a year old.

Harold Oshry lives at 385 Mineola Blvd., Mineola, L. I., N. Y. Formerly a coach at the Tilton School, Tilton, N. H., Francis Rocqua has returned to his home on Staten Island, N. Y., and is employed by W. R. Grace and Company of New York City.

Charles Small is first assistant engineer on the S.S. Glorietta of the Marine Transport Lines.

#### 1941 Secretary, HENRY A. SHOREY, 3RD 2 Chestnut Street, Boston, Mass.

John Bamford has moved from Santa Monica, Calif., to Venice, Calif.

Lt. Col. Preston Brown expects to be out of the AAF in December and plans to return to college in February.

Dr. and Mrs. Bob Chandler of Detroit announce the birth of a son, Robert Dell, in August.

Dick Chittim, Bowdoin mathematics instructor, has been named as one of the Bowdoin candidates for a Rhodes scholarship.

Thomas Coles, formerly of Fulton, N. Y., is in St. Joseph, Mo.

A daughter, Deborah, was born last summer to Donald and Elizabeth Conant of West Newton, Mass.

John Craig is home office representative with the Aetna Life Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn.

News of Frank Davis comes from Paris, France, where he is located with the financial department of the American Express Company.

Charles Edwards has been appointed assistant to the dean at the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts College. A son, Charles Robert, was born on September 7.

A son, Paul Bernard, was born on October 9 in Brookline, Mass., to the Paul Gardents.

Nils Hagstrom is out of the AAF and employed by Grace Line, Inc., New York City.

Bob Harrington is a chemist at the General Electric plant in West Lynn, Mass.

Paul Holliday has a dental practice in New York City with an office in the U. S. Realty Building, 115 Broadway.

The wedding of Capt. John Hubbard and Miss Sally Ann Sinnott took place on September 21 at St. Mary's Church, Clinton, N. Y. Johnny was recently transferred to Murphy General Hospital, Waltham, Mass. They are making their home in Boston.

Forbes Kelley is stationed at Fort Benning, Ga., with the Field Artillery.

Announcement has been received of the birth of a son, William Whitney Mallory, Jr., on October 9 in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer McDuff of Orlando, Fla., are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter, Michele Ann, on October 17.

A daughter, Leslie Ann, was born on September 15 to Mr. and Mrs. Hal Pottle. Hal writes, "That really gives me a perfect family with my little boy, Martin Knapp. now four years old. I'm still hoping to get up to Brunswick in the not too distant future."

George Thomas is a member of the chemistry department at Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill.

A recent addition to the English department in the Gloucester, Mass., high school is George Toney.



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1942 Secretary, John L. Banter, Jr. Brunswick

The class secretary and his wife, Alice, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a baby girl, Constance, on October 1.

Lt. Fred Blodgett has left Fort George G. Meade, Md., and is stationed at Fort Sam Houston, Tex.

The engagement of Miss Elinor Whitney of West Hartford, Conn., to Frederick Butterfield has been announced.

Dick Bye is living with Arthur Wang and Dick Eveleth at 194 Riverside Drive, New York City, and is working for the Ronald Press.

Bob Davidson is an instructor in English at the New York State Agricultural and Technological Institute in Farmingdale, L. I., N. Y.

Miss Janet S. Hickey of Boston and Dan Drummond planned to be married in October. He has re-entered Harvard Law School to complete his course there after four years in the Navy.

Bill Georgitis lives in North Quincy, Mass.

Capt. Fred Hall is in Europe working with the Office of Military Attache.

Chick Ireland, now at Yale Law School, was chosen a Bowdoin candidate for a Rhodes Scholarship.

Dr. and Mrs. E. T. Wright of London have announced the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy Elizabeth, to Ernest Haskell.

From Bob Hewes comes information that he is a flight engineer with Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Corporation in Fort Worth, Tex.

Ed Kerbs has moved from Western Springs, Ill., to 256 Conway Street, South Orange, N. J.

A son, David Gregory, was born in May to Mr. and Mrs. John McKay.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayland Morse are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son, Thomas Webb, on October 6, at Ossining, N. Y. Dutch has been attending Columbia Law School since leaving the service in 1945.

With a graduate fellowship at Yale, George Muller is in New Haven continuing his study of physics. He completed work for his Bowdoin degree in September.

Robert Neilson has moved from Brunswick to 35 Fales Street, Worcester, Mass.

Niles Perkins has completed requirements for his Bowdoin degree and is studying at Tufts Medical School. He has two children, Bernice 5 and Lee 3.

Dr. Arthur Reynolds has a medical practice in Presque Isle.

Ken Stone is working for the Sun Chemical Corporation and is living at 104 N. Munn Avenue, East Orange, N. J.

George Weeks has moved to Route 1, Lake View Heights, Madison, Wis.

The Bob Westons have a daughter, Catherine Anne, born in August.

Barry Zimman has moved from Lynn to 327 St. Paul Street, Brookline, Mass.

1943 Secretary, John F. Jaques 273 State Street, Portland

Frank Alger is with the Union Central Life Insurance Company in Boston.



The Responsibilities of Victory, an address by H. W. Prentis, Jr., before the National Association of Manufacturers closed with the following words:

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Lt. John Babbitt writes that he is "still single and running Stiegl's Brewery in Salzburg, Germany. I am shuttling PX supplies to troops stationed in the vicinity. In a word, a GI good humor man."

While working on a treatment farm for problem and delinquent boys in Walpole, Mass., Bill Beckler is planning to study social work part time in Boston. His address is 28th Street, Everett.

Charles and Betty Black have a daughter, Nancy Bennett, born in July.

Ted Bubier and Janet Atwood were married in August in Annisquam, Mass.

Hal Bunting finished his year at the University of Virginia and is working in Kansas City, Mo., as a chemical salesman.

Lt. Win Carr is living in Westbrook and serving on the *U.S.S. Juneau*, now tied up in Portland Harbor, as communication officer. He expects to be stationed in Portland until the first of the new year before sailing.

Dr. Charles Colburn was married in June to Alice Miriam Birmingham at Newtonville, Mass.

Dick Eaton, out of the Navy, spent the summer in Bangor and on the Maine coast. He plans graduate work at M.I.T., Cornell or the University of Pennsylvania for his M.S. degree. Ultimately he hopes to enter television or an allied branch of electronics.

Al Gregory is at Brown University Graduate School.

The engagement of Miss Nancy Knowles of Worcester, Mass., to Jim Higgins has been announced.

Dick Hyde is taking the electronic applications course at M.I.T. and has several classes with Don Mileson, who is taking a course under the Marine Corps, Dick Webb '44 and Dick Saville '44, also at M.I.T.

Howard Jones is doing graduate work at the University of Iowa.

Dee Minich is working with the Guilford Woolen Mills in Guilford.

Fred Morecombe is still at work in St. Louis, Mo., where he helped with the atom bomb project. His sidekick and fellow chemist. Bob Bragdon, has returned to Marblehead with his wife and daughter. Fred expects to continue in St. Louis for another year.

Dr. Robert Paine's address is 2650 Ridge Avenue, Evanston Hospital, Evanston, Ill.

Larry Stone, out of the Navy, is engaged to Peg Courtney. Hs is getting a new haircut in preparation for joining the Bowdoin group in Harvard Yard this fall.

A note from Arthur Sullivan contains the news that he passed his New York State bar exam.

John Tuttle has moved to Greensburg, Pa.

Al Warren says that he is with the Harold C. Wiswall Real Estate Company in Waban, Mass.

John Wentworth is with the Travelers Insurance Company in Hartford, Conn.

1944 Secretary, J. Edward Ellis 7422 Boyer Street Mt. Airy, Philadelphia, Pa.

Erwin Archibald has been accepted at the University of California.

Clarence Baier has been admitted to Clark University Graduate School.

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Miss Louise Parker of Odessa, Texas, was married to George Brown on October 5 at St. Charles Church in Brunswick. George has returned for the fall term.

Joe Brown is at Haverford College.

Thomas Cooper reports that he is married and living in San Francisco, where he is associated with Getz Brothers and Company, exporters.

Stan Cressey has been appointed instructor in English at the University of Maine, Orono.

Norm Duggan is studying dentistry at the University of Pennsylvania Dental School.

Thayer Francis is studying engineering at Brown University Graduate School.

Bob Fraser is studying at Boston University.

Dick Gingras has started graduate work at Tufts Dental School.

Dave Lawrence is a teaching fellow in the Bowdoin physics department.

Milton Paige is with Walter H. Baker Company of 178 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass.

Following his graduation from Syracuse University College of Medicine last June, Dr. John Parsons started his internship in the U. S. Public Health Service (Marine) in Detroit, Mich.

Alan Perry and Nancy Blood were married in Amsterdam, N. Y., on September 14.

Eddie Richards is taking a six-months training course with the Insurance Company of North America in Philadelphia.

Carroll Ross is at the University of Pennsylvania School of Dentistry.

Dave Rounseville transferred from New York Medical College to Tufts College School of Medicine, and is a second year student there.

Arthur Shorey has moved back to Bridgton.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon B. Smith have aunounced the marriage of their daughter, Sara Ann, to Franklin Joy, on October 12 at Orleans, Mass.

1945 Secretary, Thomas R. Huleatt, Jr. 273 Middle Street Braintree, Mass.

Bill Bailey and Gloria Rice were married on September 7 in Portland. Bill has returned to college and hopes to set up honsekeeping in Brunswick soon.

Wallace Campbell is at Boston University Law School.

Lt. Ed Drinkwater has been transferred from West Point, N. Y., to Fort Sill, Okla.

Lt. Dick Elliott is stationed in Germany. Rudolph Flinker is with the Trust De-

partment of the Guaranty Trust Company of New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thew have announced the marriage of their daughter, Robin, to Ed Lincoln, on June 27 in White Plains, N. Y.

Nelson Oliphant is with the research department of Johns-Manville Corporation of Manville, N. J.

Waldo Pray is living at the Hotel Ambassador in Portland.

Garth Stonestreet is in Anchorage, Alaska, working with a construction company making an air base there.

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Norman Waks is attending Harvard Graduate School.

Miss Phyllis Faber was married to Tim Warren in August at Essex Fells, N. J.

Phil Wilder is studying government at Harvard Graduate School and lives at 39 Irving Street, Cambridge, Mass.

1946 Secretary, Malcolm Chamberlain Theta Delta Chi House, Brunswick

Bill Frye is in Cincinnati attending medical school.

Frank Gordon started graduate work in chemistry at Harvard this fall.

Ed Hawks and Nancy Balcom were recently married in Nashua, N. H.

John Magee as principal and Neil Taylor as alternate were named Bowdoin Rhodes Scholarship candidates.

Rev. and Mrs. Frederick McNeil have announced the marriage of their daughter, Melba June, to Warren Kelley on September 29 in Saco.

A third year medical student at Tufts, Peter Mason lives at 9 Akron Street, Roxbury, Mass.

Included in the faculty at the University of Maine's Brunswick extension is Herb Mehlhorn, who is teaching mathematics.

Bill Moody has entered Harvard School of Business Administration.

Ambrose Saindon, teaching at the Abbey School in Simsbury, Conn., says that his work at the school there has proved to be an interesting venture and he is enjoying it.

Robert Schwarz is at Boston University Law School.

A change of address for Bob Seeley has been reported: from Stillwater, Okla., to 1404 Washington Street, Holliston, Mass.

1947 Tom Chadwick works with the General Ice Cream Corporation in Schenectady, N. Y.

David Demaray is teaching at Wilbraham Academy, Wilbraham, Mass.

Kenneth Gadbow is teaching English at the high school in Deposit, N. Y., where he has also been able to find a house for his family. His son, Kenneth John, is three months old.

Following graduation, Leonard Gottlieb entered Tufts Medical School.

John Holmes is living at 1345 Tea Street, N.W., Washington, D. C.

Ralph Hughes is in the Navy and stationed in Orange, Texas.

Al McKenna left college in October to enter the Army.

News from Bob Miller says that he is with the International Tel. and Tel. Company at the office in Havana, Cuba.

Phil Smith is an x-ray technician at Camp Polk, La.

John Tatsios has left college because of poor health.

Stan Weinstein sailed for Athens, Greece, in August, and is teaching English at Athens College there. Word has been received that, at a recent public exercise he told of student life at Bowdoin.

Ted Zetterberg is teaching at Monson Academy, Monson, Mass.

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1903 Dr. Stillman Little has moved from the Professional Building to 735 East McDowell Street, Phoenix, Ariz.

Dr. Harry Moody has retired from his long medical practice in Rumford, and has purchased a home in Brunswick, where he will reside.

1913 Dr. Ridgely Hansoom, formerly of Brooksville, Md., is now living in Laurel, Md.

1918 COMMANDER JAMES KIMBALL, formerly with the Veterans Administration at Cheyenne, Wyo., is now living at 703 East Providence, Burbank, Calif., c/o Mrs. Baker.

1919 Dr. GIRAGAS PATCHANIAN is now located in Hampshire, Ill.

#### HONORARY

1943 JEAN HERSHOLT received the same honor as President Sills, that of the Medal of Liberation from the King of Denmark. Mr. Hersholt was the first American citizen to enter Denmark following the liberation in May, 1945. He went there as president of the America-Denmark Relief, Inc., to confer with the Danish government regarding further help for Denmark. While in Copenhagen he was the King's guest. Shortly after he returned to the United States, he was knighted by the King with the Order of Dannebrog, the oldest knighthood in the world.

#### FACULTY

Dr. Norman L. Munn, professor of psychology, attended the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association in Philadelphia in September, and was elected president of that Association. In August, Dr. Munn gave a lecture on "Psychology of Marriage" at Moulton Union, sponsored by the Student Union Committee.

Dean and Mrs. Nixon have been able to spend two brief periods at their Ash Point cottage. They are now on the West Coast and may be addressed in care of Mrs. J. E. Miller, 613 Pacific Street, Ocean Park, Calif.

Dr. Henry G. Russell, assistant professor of Biblical literature, was speaker on "The Influence of the Bible as Literature" on a Sunday morning radio program on October 13 on Maine stations WCSH, WRDO and WLBZ. The program series is under the sponsorship of the Maine Council of Churches.

#### FORMER FACULTY,

Linn Wells, former hockey, basketball and assistant football coach, is coach of the Iowa Seahawks football team. He resigned his Bowdoin position in April to remain in the Navy, where he holds the rank of lieutenant commander.

Yves Moroni, a member of the summer faculty, has been appointed instructor in economics at Brown University.

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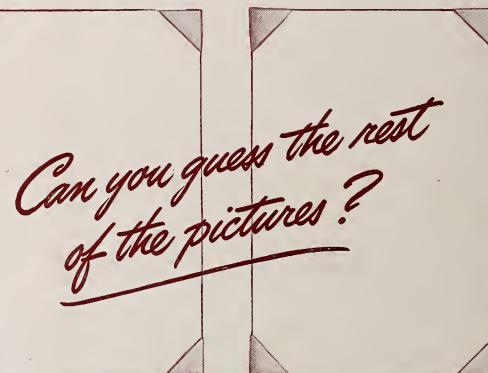
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#### A Gentleman's Grade

THE 1946-47 Alumni Fund was officially launched with dinner meetings of Fund Directors and Class Agents at Portland and Boston on February 13 and 14. At those meetings Fund Chairman Widgery Thomas '22 announced that substantial progress had already been made toward the year's objectives of 4500 contributors and \$70,000 and reported that 770 contributions had been received with gifts amounting to about \$21,000. Reminding Agents that the Fund program was now in their hands, he asked that every possible stress be laid upon the effort to enlist as participants 70% of Bowdoin men. From a mere passing mark of sixty, Bowdoin's Alumni Fund was now determined to reach a Gentleman's Grade. Excellent as has been the past record of alumni sharing in the annual Alumni Fund, there appears to be a happy sort of challenge in the current appeal. Modest enough is the undergraduate's aim at a mark of seventy. A gentleman's grade—seventy percent of alumni participating—may seem at first reading like prodigious sight setting. But there are those who say Bowdoin men can reach that objective.

As the Alumnus goes to press, the second annual on-campus meeting of the newly enlarged Alumni Council is about to be held. Nearly thirty members are expected to come for the two-day session. Arriving during the day on Friday, February 21, Council members will check in at the Eagle Hotel where the College is providing accommodations for want of any available campus lodgings, make campus visits and meet for a business session before attending dinner in the Moulton Union Lounge. President Sills will address the Council and discuss with them the current problems of the College. The first of two major program meetings will be held in the Faculty Room at Massachusetts Hall Friday evening. Five staff and faculty members will speak on the general topic, Undergraduate Affairs and Campus Life. Following breakfast in the Union, the second major meeting will be held Saturday forenoon with five other speakers discussing Admissions, Prospecting, Scholarships and Public Relations. President and Mrs. Sills entertain the Council for luncheon and those not otherwise engaged are invited to attend the dual Track Meet with Bates in the afternoon. Last year's Council meetings were adjudged extremely helpful not only to those who attended but to the College as well. The midwinter gathering seems a fixture on the college calendar.

THE Committee appointed by President Sills to consider the needs of the College will meet at Brunswick on the afternoon of February 22. As a result of the Alumni Council's recommendations last year this committee was authorized by the Governing Boards and has held several meetings. In the fall it was decided to engage Fund Counsel to make a survey of Bowdoin's needs and of Bowdoin's potential sources from which those needs might be met. The survey is now completed and will be studied by the Committee at their meeting. It is hoped that at that time the Committee may be able to formulate recommendations to the Boards for appropriate action.

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The shelves lack some of the early Marine Research Society's books, such as The Sea, the Ship and the Sailor, Tales of Adventure from Log Books and Original Narratives, with an introduction by Captain Elliot Snow, and Whale Ships and Whaling, a Pictorial History of Whaling During Three Centuries, with an Account of the Whale Fishery in Colonial New England, by George Francis Dow. We have many blanks to fill to complete the list of items published for the Metropolitan Museum of Art. Such fine books as



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George Santayana's Lucifer, or the Heavenly Truce, a Theological Tragedy, Cambridge, Massachusetts, Dunster House, 1924, and Flaubert's Salammbo, a Story of Ancient Carthage, New York, The Brown House, 1930, are likewise not on the Rare Book Room shelves. Both Mr. Anthoensen and the Library have begun to search out these missing books so that the collection and the record can be complete.

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Society, of Salem, Massachusetts, 1923, makes up the record of one of the most distinguished printing houses in the United States. In fact, according to the expert opinion of such authorities as Paul A. Bennett and Rudolph Ruzicka, few can equal, and none can surpass The Anthoensen Press for the designing and printing of fine books.

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volumes of particularly fine work. In fact, just a partial list of The Anthoensen Press clients is proof enough of worldly success. Publishers, clubs, learned societies—such as the Club of Odd Volumes, the Rowfant Club, the Typophiles, the Bibliographical Society of America and The American Neptune, Inc.; colleges and universities—such as Har-Yale, Bowdoin, Williams, vard. Smith, Colby and M.I.T.; institutions—such as the Metropolitan Museum of Art, for whom the Press has made a series of magnificent illustrated catalogues and reports, the Peabody Museum of Salem, the Isabella Stewart Gardiner Museum, the Philadelphia Museum of Art, and the Bangor Public Library; individuals -such as the famous book dealer and collector, Dr. A. S. W. Rosenbach, of Philadelphia, for whom the Press designed and printed that monumental catalogue, Early American Children's Books, handset in Bell, Oxford and Fry italic, with 100 illustrations, many colored by hand and all facsimiles of original pages, bound in full colored pigskin, stamped in blind and gold, the whole volume fitted with a blue velvet lined box—which book sells for \$125; and finally, such successful businesses and corporations as Standard Oil of New Jersey and the Mergenthaler Linotype Company—all these clients knew what they wanted when they gave The Anthoensen Press their highly specialized work to be printed. There is no question about the value of the results, for each book printed has become a collector's item.

Among the Anthoensen books on the shelves of the Rare Book Room are those old friends, The Pearl (The Bowdoin Edition), the Text of the Fourteenth Century English Poem, edited by the Chaucer Class of 1932, and The Pearl, Rendered into Modern Verse with an Introduction by Stanley Perkins Chase, ranking professor of the Bowdoin English Department. In 1932, this last volume was one of the Fifty Books of the Year, chosen by a jury of printers and bookmakers, the American Institute of Graphic Arts. In 1925 The London Perambulator, by James Bone, was the first of Mr. Anthoensen's books to be so honored, and since then every year at least one such Anthoensen book has been so honored.

However, the books are not all esoteric items for rich men and connoisseurs, for the Press gets out our present handsome and easy-to-read Bowdoin Catalogue, as well as The New England Quarterly, edited here in the library in Herbert Ross Brown's, and the College Publication's, office across the hall from the Rare Book Room. For a couple of years Mr. Anthoensen printed The Quill, too, when it was very good to look at, and pretty good to read.

Today the Press is so well-known for its excellent and reliable work that Mr. Anthoensen is forced to turn down jobs, for he has more work than he can handle, and he will not contract to do a piece of printing which he hasn't the time to execute, or at least to supervise personally.

What manner of man is this who can say no to good money and refuse

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His greatest desire as a printer is to be correct and accurate, as he makes clear in his own book, Types and Bookmaking, (Portland, Maine, The Southworth-Anthoensen Press; 1943). A book must be designed not as an abstract thing of beauty, but as a book, something to be read, to be held in the hand, a combination of materials which looks good and feels good. The paper must be suitable to the purpose of the book. The type face must primarily be easy on the eye. From the choice of types, inks and papers, to the size of the page and the quality of the binding, and in particular the title page and the double page spread open, the over-all design of the book must harmonize with, and emphasize the meaning and purpose of, the subject matter. In other words, the aesthetics of the book derives from the function—the conveying of the meaning of each

word arranged with the preceding and following word for the purpose of communication.

The process of making a book begins with the reading and appreciation of a manuscript. A book has an essential life and personality of its own which must be respected. This a designer has to take into account before he sets to work. After that he selects the type, the paper, the decorations, and the spacing of the page, all from the point of view of the reinforcing and emphasizing the contents of the book. Yet the physical aspect must remain unobtrusive and subsidiary. For these reasons none of the eclat and noise accompanying other forms of self-expression and creation can get into good printing. The setting of a mood or a tone is a quiet art. The moment bookmaking makes itself obvious it ceases to fulfill its function.

Yet there is a purely tactile and visual beauty in any physical object. The binding, whether of buckram or leather, the feel of the page, the pattern of black or colored ink on paper, the shape of the lines of any single letter or letters grouped in words or sentences all contribute to the enduring and crescent pleasures of reading. Can any whole man say as much for any other part which goes to add up to the sum total of life?

The Anthoensen books are made of honest, first-class materials and good, hard work. The human quality is never allowed to vanish — though there is no place in good work for

errors. In fact, the Anthoensen proof sheets rarely show any mistakes. The words are all spelled right, and the punctuation is in its proper place. Even the facts of the matter are carefully checked. A bookmaker must be an editor, a critic, a scholar and —to be sure—a gentleman at all times.

But most important, the work must look like what it is. There must be nothing faked, nothing sham or pretentious, nothing false or skimped. The leather must be leather; the cloth, cloth; the work has got to be work. Mr. Athoensen will let nothing not authentic get past his careful eye.

Once he wanted some pewter for his library—a bowl for an ashtray, and a plate for his desk. He couldn't at that time find or afford exactly what he wanted. So he made do with good, modern reproductions. The things bothered him, once he got them, for they were inescapably fake; that spoiled his pleasure. Finally he sent off and got an original bowl and a real plate. Since then his collection of antique pewter has grown. He doesn't know, and doesn't care, what happened to the modern stuff, untouched by human hand, made by machinery.

Mr. Anthoensen explains his philosophy in word and in deed, for his books testify to his beliefs, and his life is based on the symbiosis of theory and pratice. Like a good New Englander, he prefers to let his actions speak for him. He is glad to let his books be known and handled, but he is determined to keep his private life for himself, for his own pleasure and usage.

For this reason, he will have no advertising, and that is why few people, other than those who can recognize a fine book, know about The Anthoensen Press. As the purpose of this article is to make clear the value of Bowdoin's new collection, a few words about the man who designed and printed the books and made the gift, whose name is likewise the name of The Anthoensen Collection, and The Anthoensen Press, ought to go here—even at the risk of the man's displeasure.

Most of us know how hard it is to have any life in life today. Pressures of one kind or another crowd around us. Unions and corporations tend to erase the individual man as they do the individual quality of any



RARE BOOK ROOM WHERE THE COLLECTION IS HOUSED

single product. That is precisely the reason for The Anthoensen Press. It is impossible to separate this man's life from the history of printing, for one is the reason for the other.

We all know something about Gutenberg and his Bible of 1456, the first book printed from movable type. This happened in Mainz on the Rhine. Then, because of war and invasion, the art of printing spread all over renascent Europe-up and down the Rhine, to Venice and Florence, to Geneva and Paris, and to the Low Countries and England. Caxton and Wynkyn de Worde, in fact, helped make English English, for Chaucer's printed Canterbury Tales, and Sir Thomas Malory's book, Le Morte de Arthur established the spoken word as the written word. Since Shakespeare's First Folio, and King James's Authorized Version, English language has changed in only a few minor ways. That is the power of the printed word.

The first types cut imitated as closely as possible the writing of the scribes, and the early books resembled the illuminated manuscripts of the Middle Ages. It's interesting to note that a fine manuscript on vellum or parchment, adorned with gold and lapis-lazuli, cost as much the day it was first sold as it does now at auction. Only the rich could afford to be literate. Printing has changed all that.

Gutenberg used a Gothic script for his type, and Germany uses about the same thing today. The various presses in Italy cut letters, known today as roman, based on the humanistic characters of Greece and Rome. Later italics were cut from handwriting current in the Renaissance. All this is clearly ABC; the point is that bookmaking was based on the human hand and eye at its inception.

The products of the Master Printers of the 16th, 17th and 18th Centures—the Aldines, the Estiennes, Grandjean, Baskerville, Bellwent under with the inundation of cheap, machine-made books of the 19th century's industrial revolution and commercialism. Mass production, efficiency, speed, cheapness, all turned out to be singularly shortsighted-and nearly ruined the reading public's eye for beauty as well as for eye qua eye. The "successful" bookmaker turned them out fast. Naturally, a machine can't be expected to do as good or as correct



AN INTERESTING EXAMPLE OF SERIAL LABELS

work as the skilled human being, once the machine has got out of hand.

Then, toward the end of the 19th century, the two Charles Whittinghams and, more famously, William Morris began to redesign books so that they could be both useful and beautiful—the basis of all functional order. In actual fact, Morris went back too far, and mixed antiquarianism with his appreciation of Gothic beauty.

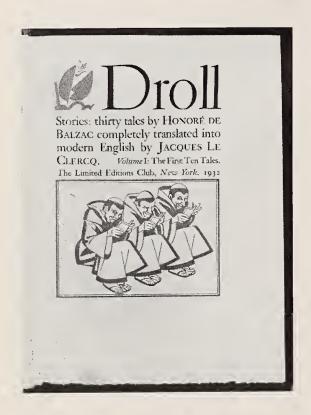
He thought he had found the solution for all the world's ailments by applying an overabundance of decoration to everything in sight. He tried to abolish modern disharmonies by reviving Guild Socialism, and he made his great Kelmscott Chaucer look as much like an illuminated manuscript as possible. He was right in thinking that mass-production had spoiled printing, but his beautiful books are not always easy to read, and the subject matter is often hard to get at in his thickets of rambunctious foliations. He overlooked the first rule—that a book must primarily be easy to read. Morris knew something was wrong, but then he went off on a tangent galloping his Gothic hobby horse. However, he was an artist so full of juice that a book of his foliated borders moves with more vitality than a roomful of Rossetti's literary languid, goitrous beauties, bee-stung lips and all.

Over here in America Morris' books inspired Bruce Rogers of the Riverside Press, and D. B. Updike of the Merrymount Press to experiments which laid the foundation for the modern renaissance in book design. This is where Fred Anthoensen comes in. He was an apprentice in Marks Printing House in Portland, 1898, and he saw specimen pages of this new work in *The Printing Art*, a fine trade journal, and he made up his mind what he wanted to do.

He was born in 1882 in Jutland, Schleswig-Holstein, and comes of Danish stock. In 1901, as a young compositor for The Southworth Press, he was well started on his way. By 1917, at the age of thirtyfive, he had become managing director for the Press, a business founded about 1875 by the Reverend Mr. Francis Southworth to print religious tracts and papers which he distributed among the sailors of the harbor. The four Southworth sons, instead of entering the church, made a business of printing.

In 1934, this firm changed its name to The Southworth-Anthoensen Press, and on January 1, 1947, it became The Anthoensen Press. Today the Press is his, and he is the Press.

Horse breeders know the simple facts of bringing new blood into an established line to preserve the old qualities and keep up the standards which otherwise perish with inbreeding. There's nothing new, and nothing hidden, in these words; nor do they connote anything specifically equine. The fact is that Mr. Anthoensen represents all that is best in the New England tradition of quality and achievement, of hard work, honesty, independence, selfrespect and privacy. For the usual reasons, for Mr. Anthoensen has always earned his own living, he was denied a college education. In many ways (and take notice where these



SPECIMEN TITLE PAGE

words are printed) this has proved to be not the hardship he still considers it. He found out young what he wanted in life. He wouldn't let a gosh-darn thing deviate him from his set course, once he'd made up his mind what he was going to do. He set to and learned his trade. He became a fine printer.

Then, because after all, it is the word printed and not the printed word that's important, he began to read. Today he is a man with a truly liberal education, something a minimum of Americans have managed to attain. Perhaps determination and a realization of values, a perspective, a desire to know, an ability to work and apply thought to work, for their mutual benefit, lies back of the recognized value of The Anthoensen Press colophon.

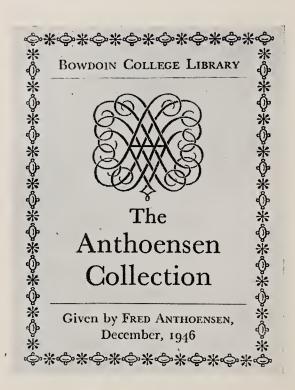
Today, at the top of his career, Mr. Anthoensen is fighting for time enough, leisure enough, peace enough to live the life he has chosen to make. He lives in a family house, an old farmhouse remodelled for practical living. He grows trees, vegetables and flowers—roses, in particular, which he cultivates, though his daughter (whose middle name is Evelina after Madame d'Arblay's heroine) has an active part in designing the gardens. He and Mrs. Anthoensen collect antiques—early American 18th century furniture, suitable to his farmhouse. He has a library of 18th century English literature, which he reads. Now and again he buys himself a first edition —he has all of Jane Austen's novels, which are not particularly handsome books, by the way. Dr. Samuel Johnson is an old friend, and Mr. Anthoensen rereads Boswell's Life just about every year. Bewick wood engraved bookplates make up the single collector's collection in his house. He has about a hundred of these, including the famous Chillingham Bull. There are about nine hundred Bewick wood engravings yet for him to find.

The collections of types of The Anthoensen Press reflect his scholarly interest in the literature of the 18th century. He has collected in England and imported among others authentic Caslon, Fry and Bell types punched from the original matrices in the possession of companies still in existence after 250 years.

In his opinion, nothing can improve the utility of these designs, and the Anthoensen books set with these fonts have the brilliance and sparkle, the elegance and charm, the order and beauty, the readability and suitability of what time has proved to be perfection (or the next thing to it) in printed words on a well-leaded, well-filled page.

When a book calls for it, Mr. Anthoensen choses handmade paper from France, and leather for the binding from England, countries where the tradition of craftsmanship has managed to survive the mass production and lowered standards of modern times. In this way he practices what the U. N. has been trying to set up—an understanding and cooperation based on an exchange of the best obtainable no matter where it is.

That, in brief, is the history of the man and the books he has given to Bowdoin College. As there is nothing ostentatious about the man, so there is nothing spectacular about the books — unless their uniform quality and excellence be called spectacular today. The Press is housed in an old brick building on Middle Street. A white, wooden sign announces in black Caslon letters the entrance to The Anthoensen Press. Then it is two flights up some very steep steps to the office, a printer's office with no interior decoration except for black framed engravings of men like Dr. Samuel Johnson, lexicographer, Baskerville, typefounder and bookmaker, and Ben. Franklin, printer. To be sure, there are shelves full of books which show the signs of use. Mr. Anthoensen and a dozen men and women make up the entire staff.



THE BOOKPLATE

When you go in if you like books you are among friends. If you don't like books, don't go in. For the time being, better not go in except on business, for The Anthoensen Press is working at capacity; that is to say, the Press is carefully at work turning out books which show the mark and the colophon of an exacting, high standard of taste, of craftsmanship, and of achievement. Fred Anthoensen gave his books to the Bowdoin Library because he knows the library is the center of college life, and education the basis of all human—that is to say, civilized life.

#### William Albion Moody

A Minute Proposed By Professor Edward S. Hammond And Adopted By The Faculty On February 14, 1947

ILLIAM ALBION MOODY graduated from Bowdoin College in 1882. In 1884 he was called back to the College as tutor in mathematics and was made professor of mathematics in 1888, a position which he held until his retirement in 1926. In these forty-two years he left a deep imprint of his character and personality on the growing college. For many years during which mathematics together with Latin and Greek were required of all students, the conduct of all courses in this subject lay in his hands. With the increase of the college enrolment assistance came to be needed, but the rigorous standards of accomplishment in this field were set by Professor Moody. His teaching methods have been aptly described as a challenge to the students before him. Mathematics in his classes was not a subject to be listened to but one which called for active participation. A student whose work at the blackboard was progressing poorly was told to begin over and in a few words was set on the right track. A good student who thought his work completed found some extension of it suggested to increase his interest.

While Professor Moody made no particular attempt to keep abreast of the main lines of research in the twentieth century, mathematics was never a finished process for him. deepest mathematical interest lay in the field of synthetic geometry, in which for many years he offered a course to Bowdoin seniors. After his retirement, with freedom from classroom duties, he spent much time in developing ideas which had of necessity been put aside in his active years. Many a problem in all its ramifications was worked out to his own personal satisfaction.

But Professor Moody's influence on Bowdoin was felt not only in the classroom. He bore his full share of administrative duties starting back



WILLIAM ALBION MOODY 1860 - 1947

in his early days on the Faculty when administration was widely shared and distributed among committees. He was first appointed to the Recording Committee in 1901 served on it until his retirement. For many of the early years of this century Professors Whittier and Moody the faculty committee on athletics, recalling that as an undergraduate not only was he elected to Phi Beta Kappa but that he was also a member of the four-oared crew that on one occasion outrowed West Point. Back in the days before there was a dean, his name appears on the list of class officers or "little deans," to use his own phrase. Shortly before his retirement he served the College as acting president while President Sills was on leave of absence.

Professor Moody's part in the life of the town deserves mention. For years he was an officer of the Building and Loan Association and served as Treasurer of the Board of Trustees of the Curtis Memorial Library. He was the last charter member of the Town and College Club, which over the years carried on its rolls the great names of the Bowdoin facleading citizens.

No Professor appreciation ofMoody would be complete without testimony to his gift of story-telling. He drew on his experiences in the forests and lakes of northern Maine, where he spent many vacations with Professor Hutchins. His boyhood at Kennebunk and tales passed on to him by his father of early days on the Maine coast furnished source for reminiscences from an entirely different background. Kennebunk at the time of the Spanish-American War was the subject of an absorbing hour or two.

But to match his own fund of stories are the stories that Bowdoin men tell of him whenever they meet. There are humorous anecdotes of times when his dry wit lightened a recitation hour. There are tales of difficulties with mathematics for he had no desire to make his subject easy.

But Bowdoin men will remember him longest for his sterling character, the soundness of his judgment, his complete reliability and steadfastness, his readiness to give counsel and active assistance to one in trouble. One of the last of his assistants remembers the pleasure and inspiration of working with him day by day and takes this opportunity to add his personal tribute.

It remains for Judge Peters who knew Professor Moody as an undergraduate to put in one line Bowdoin's tribute to him after the years, "He was made of strong and high-grade stuff."

#### On The Campus

#### **Athletics**

THE best news in athletics is that Adam Walsh will return to Bowdoin as head coach of football. He plans to come to Brunswick about the first of March. Dinny Shay, who did an outstanding job last fall with inexperienced material, will again assist Adam in football.

This winter most of the pre-war sports are active again, with the exception of fencing, and we hope to have that sport organized in another year. With the Varsity, Junior Varsity, and Freshman teams, we have at last approached the athletics-for-all ideal. Fourteen teams have been in competition during the winter, and on one Saturday, we had 11 contests with seven of them at home.

Coach Magee has a good squad working out in track and by the end of the year should develop a fairly strong team, although he has very few experienced men. The squad is getting plenty of competition with dual meets with Maine, Colby, Bates, and New Hampshire, and a state meet at Orono. The climax of the indoor season will be the annual interfraternity track meet on March 7. The indoor Bowdoin interscholastic track meet will be held again on March 8 for the first time since 1942.

Coach Dan MacFayden has worked hard trying to make enough ice for his candidates to get in a little practice. So far most of the scheduled games have been played, but there has been very little good ice for practice. The team has done fairly well and should improve.

Bowdoin has a good basketball team this winter, but the team lacks a high scorer — a man who can really shoot. In basketball, as in all of our sports this year, one or two experienced men would make a very great difference.

The Winter Sports team has done very well, and has been capably handled by student-coach Merrill Hastings. The rifle team is just getting started.

The swimming team this winter is outstanding, and one of the best in New England. None of the other teams is strong, and that is largely because there are not as many good athletes in Bowdoin as there are at most of the colleges on our schedules. Bowdoin is a three-year college now, and that very definitely affects the strength of the athletic teams.



ADAM WALSH

#### February Graduation

MONG the fifty-three to whom A MONG the hits shirts of classruary 8 were representatives of classes from 1941 to 1948 inclusive. It was the largest group to be graduated at any of Bowdoin's interim exercises. Fog, rain, thunder and lightning were dispensed by the weather man but they were able only to shorten the academic parade. Members of the Executive Committee of the Boards, the Faculty, the graduates and their families filled the chapel to overflowing. To the accompaniment of Organist Charles R. Nicholls, new assistant in the Department of Music, Stanley A. Frederick, Jr. '46 played a trumpet solo and John J. Devine, Jr. '44 sang Cesar Frank's Panis Angelicus. After the degrees were conferred according to Bowdoin's ancient Latin formula, President Sills delivered a brief but forceful address. In it he deplored failure of college men women to become leaders in after life and urged the new alumni to be-

gin their after-school careers with less of the negative attitude and more of the positive approach to the problems which beset the world; to take a more active part in life itself even at the expense of the effort to make a living. The President congratulated the graduates for a remarkable scholastic record, saying that of their 250 recorded grades only 10 were below the grade of C and that never before had so large a proportion of those graduating received honor grades. George M. Hooten, Jr. '47, William A. Johnson '46 and William E. MacIntyre '45 graduated magna cum laude. Those graduating cum laude were Stanley N. Altman '47, Thomas S. V. Bartlett '45, Malcolm Chamberlain '46, Alan S. Cole '45, Robert W. Donovan '46, James Early '45, Willis V. Gray '47, Myron Milden '48, Earl W. Ricker '45, William T. Talcott, Jr. '45 and Harold R. Thalheimer '46.

#### Music

FOLLOWING concerts at Damariscotta on February 19 and at North Conway under the sponsorship of Harvey D. Gibson '02 on February 22, the Glee Club sings at Pine Manor Junior College on February 28, at Bradford Junior College on March 1 and at Wellesley College on March 2. The annual campus concert will be given in Memorial Hall on March 8.

On March 28, the Bowdoin Club sponsors a concert at Worcester, Mass. The following evening, March 29, Bowdoin and Vassar give a joint concert at Poughkeepsie, N. Y. The Bowdoin Club of Philadelphia is host for a concert on March 31 and the Glee Club sings at Girard College in that city on April 1. The final concert of the trip will be at Edgewood Park Junior College in Briarcliffe Manor, N. Y., on April 2.

The Glee Club's season closes with the second annual "Bowdoin Night" at the Boston Symphony Pops on May 12.

The Interfraternity Sing was won by Alpha Delta Phi with Kappa Sigma second. The President's Cup for most improvement was awarded to Beta Theta Pi.



PLAYWRIGHTS: MERGENDAHL '50, COOK '48, BLISS '47, CARMICHAEL '44

#### **Dramatics**

THE student-written one-act play contest fell upon hard days during the War. The two manuscripts submitted last year seemed to the judges unworthy of production, and in 1945 only one play was submitted. Having been produced in the Union, as had the plays in 1944, it received the Masque and Gown "Oscar," which the playwright, James Cook, now puts back in competition.

From a group of eight plays submitted, the judges picked four to be produced in Memorial Hall on March 3 with the wish that time and equipment would permit that all eight plays might be shown. So high a level of competence has not been known since the contest started in 1934.

Three of the plays chosen by the judges are by former contestants: Cook, abovementioned; Carmichael, who won the contest in 1943; and Bliss, who had a play in the 1944 contest. Both Carmichael and Bliss have returned from the armed service, and the former's play is laid in a WAC recreation room. The author of the fourth play chosen, Roger Mergendahl, is a brother of the prize-winning playwright in the contests of 1939 and 1941. By having his play accepted for production in his freshman year, Roger has surpassed Charles.

The playwrights will cast and direct their own plays. A faculty cast will present *How He Lied to Her Husband*, by George Bernard Shaw, on March 3, while the judges reach a decision on the winner and runner-up of the four student-written plays.

The recently elected Executive Committee, to serve until February, 1948, will pick a modern comedy for production late in April, to be re-

peated at Ivy. Professor Means will use a translation by Herbert Weir Smyth for the Commencement presentation of *The Seven Against Thebes* of Aeschuylus.

Albums of recorded Bowdoin Songs may now be obtained from

## The College Store Moulton Union

The price is \$4.95 plus 35 cents postage

Profits resulting from these sales will help defray the expense of a 1948 Glee Club concert in Town Hall, New York.

#### Bowdoin On The Air

WITH the continued assistance of Faculty Adviser Professor Albert R. Thayer, and Professor Frederic Tillotson of the Music Department, the college radio club has maintained its program of weekly broadcasts over WGAN, featuring at various times the Chapel Choir, the Bowdoin Christian Association, and the Meddiebempsters.

Under the leadership of a new and aggressive Executive Council consisting of Lewis Fickett, Jr. '47, Director; Clarence Fiedler '49, Assistant Director; Ralph Griffin '46, Secretary; John Hupper '50, Corresponding Secretary; Richard A. Wiley '49, Publicity Manager; and John Merrill '44, Treasurer, Bowdoin-on-the-Air has launched a vigorous drive for the construction of a campus radio studio.

Early this year, the organization inaugurated a new series of programs entitled "The Bowdoin Roundtable," featuring faculty and undergraduate discussion groups on the pressing problems of our time. The first in this new series of broadcasts was presented on January 15, when the topic for discussion was "A Constructive American Labor Policy."

The Club's future looks promising, indeed, as various faculty talks, musical programs, and intramural radio debates have already been scheduled for the weeks to come.



THE ICE STORM



BASEBALL CLINIC FACULTY: Neil Mahoney, ex-Bowdoin coach and Red Sox Scout; Del Bissonette, new Portland manager and ex-Brooklyn first sacker and Boston Braves pilot; Clyde Sukeforth, Brooklyn coach; Johnny Pesky, Red Sox shortstop; Danny Macfayden, Bowdoin coach and ex-big league hurler; Ervin Huether, assistant coach at Bowdoin; Don Brennan, ex-New York Giants' flinger; Elbie Fletcher, Pittsburgh first sacker; Mal Morrell, Bowdoin athletic director.

#### Baseball Clinic

DESPITE the freakish weather, more than 400 schoolboys, coaches and fans attended Bowdoin's Baseball Clinic in the Gymasium on Saturday, February 8. Representatives from 23 schools were registered for the morning session and more arrived after luncheon. The accompanying picture shows the Clinic

faculty members who were kept busy throughout the day demonstrating their several skills and answering the queries of the eager young players present. As the writer of the press story said, there is little cause for fear that the country is going to the dogs when so many sports-minded boys would brave the elements and miserable travel conditions to learn how to improve as players of the national game.

#### How Well Do You Know Bowdoin?

Cedric R. Crowell '13, President, prepared this quiz for use at a meeting of the New York Bowdoin Club. Other program items crowded it off the agenda and Mr. Crowell submitted it for Alumnus publication. The answers may be found on page 27.

- 1. Since its founding 153 years ago, Bowdoin has had how many presidents? Name five of them.
- 2. In what year did the first class enter Bowdoin?
- 3. (a) Name three of Bowdoin's Trustees.
  - (b) Name five of Bowdoin's Overseers.
- 4. Give the scores of the football games Bowdoin won last fall.
- 5. In what year were the following Bowdoin publications first issued? *Orient*, *Bugle*, *Quill*.
- 6. What is Bowdoin's present enrolment?
- 7. What class donated, by request, the present Bowdoin Chapel doors?
- 8. Give three alumni reasons (and their classes) why Bowdoin men feel a proprietary interest in the North Pole.

- 9. What per cent of Bowdoin Alumni contributed to the 1945-46 Alumni Fund? (If you have any ideas as to how that per cent can be increased, please communicate them to the Alumni Fund, Bowdoin College.)
- 10. (a) When and with whom did Bowdoin first play intercollegiate football?
  - (b) When did Bowdoin first play intercollegiate baseball?
  - (c) What was the date of the first Bowdoin track meet?
- 11. Since the first Rhodes Scholarship in 1904 until their temporary discontinuance in 1939, there have been 1,126 Rhodes Scholars from the United States. How many of these were Bowdoin men? Name three.
- 12. William De Witt Hyde, age 26, became President of Bowdoin in 1885.
  - (a) What was Bowdoin's endowment at that time?
  - (b) What was it 30 years later, two years before his death?
  - (c) What was it 30 years later, i. e. June 30, 1945?

#### Class of 1950

To the 252 members of 1950 already enrolled, there are now added 48 more who registered on February 10. The class will not need the few more who may register late to establish itself as Bowdoin's largest class, with a membership of 300.

Maine supplied 18 of the new freshmen and Massachusetts 15. The others are distributed as follows: New Hampshire 4, New Jersey 3, Connecticut and New York 2 each, and one each from Rhode Island, South Carolina, Virginia and the District of Columbia. Of the seven transfer students admitted, three are from Massachusetts, two from Maine and one each from Califòrnia and New York.

Robert E. McAvoy of Saco enters with an Alumni Fund Scholarship. Richard C. Lunt is the son of Paul C. Lunt '13; Allan H. McKinley is the son of Alan R. McKinley '20; Henry R. B. Smith is the grandson of Henry Russell Bradley '84.

- (d) What additional endowment has the Alumni Council recommended?
- 13. Name the head coaches of the following Bowdoin teams: football, track, baseball, swimming, basketball.
- 14. There have been eleven professors who have served Bowdoin more than 40 years. Name four.
- 15. When is Commencement Day 1947?
- 16. Give the approximate number of bound volumes in Bowdoin's library.

The Placement Bureau needs a 1936 Bowdoin Bugle to complete its files.

The Director appreciates the cooperation of the Alumni and is very grateful to those who have already submitted copies. Copy may be sent to the

PLACEMENT BUREAU 320 Massachusetts Hall Brunswick, Maine

#### Alumni Associations and Clubs

#### BOSTON

Sports Night, at the Statler Hotel on December 3, brought out 180 members of the Boston Bowdoin Club. Alumni of the younger classes were predominant. President John W. Tarbell '26 announced that Don J. Edwards '16 was chairman of the committee to stage the second annual Bowdoin Night at the Boston Symphony Pops and that a date in May would soon be announced. Following introduction of speakers table guests, the Alumni Secretary spoke briefly and Acting Dean Kendrick reported on the state of the College. The Dean made a strong plea for continued alumni help in finding the best possible prospective students.

President Tarbell then turned the meeting over to Malcolm E. Morrell '24, Director of Athletics, who introduced former baseball coach Neil Mahoney of the Red Sox staff; Jack Magee, Coach of Track; Bob Miller, Coach of Swimming; Dan Mac Fayden, Coach of Hockey and Baseball and Dinny Shay, Coach of Football. The members of the Athletic Staff proved themselves entertaining afterdinner speakers with reports of team accomplishments and prospects, together with much enjoyed reminiscences and pointed comments on Bowdoin now and formerly. The speaking program was followed by a showing of football movies of this season's games.

Herb French '46 played for the group singing.

#### CLEVELAND

The Bowdoin Club's first meeting in some years was held at the University Club on Friday, December 6, with Alumni Secretary Seward J. Marsh '12 as guest. Twenty members were present. It was an enthusiastic gathering of alumni who plied the Alumni Secretary with questions until a late hour. Expressing a desire to see Ohio boys as undergraduates, the club set in motion a program to disseminate Bowdoin information through local schools. William S. Piper '31 was named to head the activity. Bowdoin Engagement Calendars were ordered to present to prospective students. Because of a

limited membership, the club decided not to undertake a Glee Club concert in Cleveland but promised that Ohio would be represented in future Bowdoin classes. The members present voted appreciation of the labors of Samuel W. Chase '14 in keeping the club alive during war years. Officers chosen for the ensuing year were: President, James Berry '25; Vice-President, Donald McKay Smith '37; Secretary and Council Member, Richard H. Woods '37; Treasurer, Virgil G. Bond '37. The Secretary's address is 1500 Guardian Building, Cleveland.

#### DETROIT

After attending a highly interesting lecture of the World Adventure Series at the Detroit Institute of Arts given by Commander Donald B. MacMillan '98, on January 22, the Bowdoin Club of Detroit had the Commander as its dinner guest at the Wardell Sheraton Hotel. Commander MacMillan informally entertained the group with many anecdotes of the Arctic and Bowdoin. One of the most loyal and distinguished members of the Detroit group, Mr. William J. Norton '05, could not attend the meeting because of illness. Members present sent him flowers and best wishes for a speedy recovery.

Donald C. Hight '16 was elected president, to succeed Stanley F. Doyle '13 who has ably served in this capacity for several years. George O. Cutter '27 was re-elected secretary.

#### HARTFORD

Nearly ninety members and their ladies gathered at the University Club in Hartford for the annual meeting of the Bowdoin Club of Connecticut. President James E. Rhodes 2nd '97 presided and introduced for brief responses, Bob Hall '05, Max Ryder '21 and Dick Chittim '41, Bowdoin's Rhodes Scholar elect. Professor Stanley P. Chase '05 gave a complete and interesting account of what was happening on the campus to-day. After the report of Secretary Wolcott Cressey '26 the following officers were elected for the

ensuing year: President, Robert E. Hall '05; Vice-President, J. Maxim Ryder '21; Secretary, Robert L. Mc-Carty '41. The new secretary's address is 60 Park Avenue, Hamden, Conn.

#### LEWISTON

More than 50 assembled at the DeWitt Hotel on November 26 for the fall meeting of the Androscoggin County Bowdoin Club. It was Sports Night and 18 schoolboys were guests of the club. President David Berman '23 recounted his athletic career as an undergraduate and his present conviction that sports participation was an important part of a student's education. He introduced the Alumni Secretary and Acting Dean Kendrick who reported on the College as it is today. Athletic Director Malcolm E. Morrell '24 told of the athletics-forall program, outlined the handicaps faced in the building of a football team and presented Head Coach George "Dinny" Shay. After Coach "Mose" Nannigan of Lewiston High School, a former varsity end at the University of Maine, had spoken of school and college relations, Coach Shay reported on the 1946 season and showed motion pictures of this fall's games. The club presented Bowdoin Engagement Calendars to the schoolboy guests.

#### MINNEAPOLIS

A small but enthusiastic group met at the Minneapolis Athletic Club on January 23. Secretary Paul Laidley gave an account of the College as he saw it in October. Members agreed that they should work to interest local schoolboys in Bowdoin, and discussed the possibility of scholarship awards for promising candidates. The Club recorded its deep sorrow over the recent death of Frank E. Kendrie '10 Professor of Music at Carleton College and an active member of the Bowdoin Club. President Cross reported on placement activities and announced a plan for more frequent meetings, the next being scheduled for late March or early April.

#### NEW JERSEY

President Roderick L. Perkins '21 greeted 22 members when the New Jersey Bowdoin Club held its fall meeting at the Montclair Athletic Club on Thursday, December 12, 1946. Acting Dean Kendrick represented the College and reported on campus activities and problems. The next meeting of the club will be held in April with Bowdoin fathers of the area as guests.

#### NEW YORK .

President Sills was the only speaker at the 78th annual dinner of the Bowdoin Club of New York and vicinity, held at the University Club on January 31. One hundred fourteen attended. Considerable discussion was had concerning the type and frequency of club meetings. Present plans call for an informal gathering in the spring. Discussion of the suggested repeat performance of the Glee Club at New York's Town Hall, brought forth a general sentiment in favor of some more intimate sort of concert; perhaps at one of the city's hotels. New officers elected were President, Ralph L. Barrett Treasurer, John V. Shute '36; Council Member, Cedric R. Crowell '13; Secretary, Carleton S. Connor '36, care of Alexander and Green, 120 Broadway, New York 5, N. Y.

#### PHILADELPHIA

The 33rd annual meeting of the Bowdoin Club of Philadelphia was held on February 1 at the Franklin Inn Club, a charming 18th century inn now owned by the literati of the city. President Clifton O. Page '13 greeted 94 members and ladies; by a wide margin the largest recorded attendance at a club meeting. Lloyd Knight '45 sang several baritone solos and President Sills gave his annual report on the state of the College. Secretary Leydon reported that the club would sponsor a concert by the Bowdoin Glee Club on March 31 at the Ardmore Junior High School, of which Edward H. Snow '14 is principal. It is expected that at least part of the concert will be broadcast over Station WIBG and that the Glee Club will also sing at Girard College the following day. New officers elected are *President*, Earle F. Maloney '12; *Vice-President*, Charles A. Cary '10; *Council Member*, John H. Halford '07; *Secretary*, J. Edward Ellis '44, 7422 Boyer Street, Philadelphia 29, Pa.

#### **PROVIDENCE**

President Craig S. Houston '20 greeted 20 members of the Rhode Island Bowdoin Club, who had braved the heavy "smog" of January 30 to attend the meeting of the Metacomet Country Club. An informal discussion period preceded an excellent roast beef dinner. The Alumni . Secretary outlined the activities of his office, and reported progress on the Alumni Fund and the work of the committee to study the capital needs of the College. Acting Dean Kendrick described the campus life of today and touched upon some of the problems which a crowded college presented. Following a question hour, the club re-elected the present officers and appointed a committee to distribute the College Engagement Calendar to prospective students. spring or summer meeting at President Houston's lakeshore camp was suggested.

#### SPRINGFIELD

Football night of the Springfield Bowdoin Club was held at the Sheraton Hotel, December 5. Thirty-five members attended. President J. Maxim Ryder '21 called on Alumni Secretary Marsh for a report of present day Bowdoin life and upon Director of Athletics Morrell for a review of the athletic program at the College. Both speakers stressed the necessity for alumni cooperation in college problems and urged continued assistance in finding prospective students. Mr. Morrell paid warm tribute to the football players and coaches who had built the first post war team from inexperienced material. Head Coach Shay offered no alibis for the season's scores, praised the fighting spirit of the players and predicted a better team next fall. He then showed motion pictures of the Colby and Williams games.

Officers for 1946-47 elected were: *President*, H. Philip Chapman, Jr. '30; *Secretary*, Wilbur W. Baravalle '31. The secretary's address is 1557

Westfield Street, West Springfield, Mass.

#### ST. PETERSBURG

Dr. Charles S. F. Lincoln, the Class Notes Editor, writes from his winter home that one of the great pleasures when one is away from home is to meet with old Bowdoin friends. In St. Petersburg, Dr. Lincoln reports a good-sized colony of Bowdoin alumni, mostly winter vacationists. Dr. Olin Pettingill '30 gave two of his bird lectures, one on January 14 and the other on January 15, when alumni had their first Bowdoin luncheon at The Chatterbox, with Dr. Pettingill as guest of honor. Among those present for the occasion were Fred Fessenden '95, Dr. Henry L. Johnson '07, Dr. Vincent Smith '90, Dr. Lincoln '91, Charles Howard '93, and John Sinkinson '02. Dr. Frank Leslie M'01, Bill Tench '34, and Cy Packard '04 were unable to be present. Another meeting is planned for the middle of February.

#### WORCESTER

Fifty members and guests assembled for the Ladies Night meeting of the Worcester Bowdoin Club at the Tatnuck Country Club on Wednesday, December 4. President William D. Ireland welcomed those present and conducted the business meeting at which the following officers were elected: President, Percy D. Mitchell '14; Vice-President, Paul Sibley '25; Secretary-treasurer, Cloyd E. Small '20; Council Member, Philip S. Smith '15. Expressing appreciation for the labors of Mr. Ireland and Harold Ashey '12 in keeping the Club alive during recent years, President Mitchell called on the Alumni Secretary and Acting Dean Kendrick for reports of alumni and undergraduate activities, and introduced Director of Athletics Mal Morrell '24. Mal gave an outline of the Bowdoin sports program, recounted the difficulties encountered in building a football team from scratch and predicted an extremely active year in all sports. Football Coach Shay paid tribute to the fighting spirit of this year's team and promised a better team next year. The meeting closed with movies of the Colby and Williams games.

#### Admissions

A Statement By Director Edward S. Hammond

Editor's Note: The Director of Admissions has made a frank statement concerning some of the difficulties he faces daily. Alumni should read it carefully and understandingly. It can be repeated here and emphatically, that, in good times and bad, whether applicants for admission are many or few, no alumni service to Bowdoin is more consistently important than the continuing effort to interest likely prospective students in the College. It must be clear that not all schoolboys whom we alumni recommend can be admitted. Particularly is this true today when applicants so heavily outnumber places on the campus. We must expect disappointments but we should not cease our efforts. As President Sills has said, "The College welcomes alumni endorsement of applicants for admission and earnestly tries to give such applicants every deserved consideration. In truth, we are perhaps guilty of extending to those applicants an unfair amount of consideration. And when admission is impossible, we share with the interested alumnus his disappointment. We hope alumni will consider those disappointments as one of the penalties of maintaining Bowdoin's stand-

N February 10, 1947, the third section, 48 strong, of the Bowdoin Class of 1950 matriculated at the College. In June, 1946, the advance section appeared 42 in number, and in October, 1946, 211 names were put on the class roll, making a grand total of 301. In addition, 38 men have been enrolled with advanced standing. 472 former Bowdoin undergraduates have returned from varying terms in their country's service. Last June and at the special exercises in September and February 139 degrees were granted to members of Classes ranging from 1934 to 1948. The net result of these additions and subtractions is an enrolment of about 960 men as the Spring Trimester of 1947 opens. This is substantially the same as the enrolment last October and seems to be a maximum practical figure.

What are the prospects for the Class of 1951? There are already in the files of the Admissions Office about 1,200 applications which might be divided among various categories. There are applications from veterans dating from the early spring of 1946 and continuing in somewhat decreasing numbers to the present day. There are applications in numbers troublesomely large of well-qualified men who graduated from secondary schools in 1946 for whom Bowdoin

had not room and who have not been located yet in educational institutions satisfactory to them, if in any. Junior colleges and the temporary institutions of college grade which have sprung up independently or as expansions on new campuses of other colleges have enrolled many of these men, but they write rather desperately of their desire to enter Bowdoin in the summer or fall. Lastly boys graduating this coming June from high schools and preparatory schools are filling page after page of the Registration Book — boys with whole-hearted recommendations from their school heads for scholarship, for athletic prowess, for all-round interests that will keep the many sided activities of the College flourishing. 1,200 applications on February 10 — with the rest of the spring to come!

There are apparently between 200 and 250 places available in September, depending on the number of former students who return to take up their work in June and September. Last year one of the most diffi-

cult problems that faced the Dean and the Director of Admissions was to make an accurate estimate of the number of these returning men as they formed a controlling factor in the College's enrolment. This year these men will fill comparatively few of the places made available by graduation and from other causes.

There are no very rigid bases for selection among this horde of applicants as so many characteristics go into the make-up of a good Bowdoin man and so many different kinds of good Bowdoin men are needed to make a good student body. Obviously the standard academic requirements must be met, and deficiencies in this department will rule out a substantial number of applicants. Most of these candidates have applied at two, three, or more colleges, and due allowances must be made. There will be places for qualified sons and brothers of Bowdoin men. Recommendations from alumni are of definite value in the selection, though in the past months the Director of Admissions has been forced sometimes to refuse, but more often to postpone, favorable action on candidates of whom alumni have spoken in high praise. Sound character and attractive per-



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sonality are not always accompanied by certifying grades. Postponements may leave time for desirable additional preparation. But new applications prompted by alumni are very welcome, and additional information about applicants already on the books is helpful and appreciated. This year, unfortunately, all applicants must be told of the keen competition for places, and as in 1946 disappointed applicants will unavoidably be many.

Prophecy for 1948 and 1949 may be futile, but interest in the situation for these years is definitely with us. Already there are many applications for 1948, though they have not been encouraged. Surely selection should not be controlled by priority in time. As far as estimates can be made, the year 1948 will witness the granting of more Bowdoin degrees than any previous year of the College's long history. An estimate of the number of applicants for admission is still more uncertain. Probably some disappointed candidates from 1947 will again present their names, and a substantial group of

1946 candidates who entered the Army and Navy for eighteen-month or two-year enlistments will seek admission in 1948. It is possible that applications for advanced standing will be a problem. Certainly substantial additions to the number of 1948 graduates from schools are to be expected with consequent pressure for an enrolment well above prewar figures. At this comfortable distance and after these many years of scarcities and surpluses may the writer hope for a normal year for the Admissions Office in 1949?

#### Looking

#### 1877

The *Orient* advocated publishing the annual reports of the president and the treasurer. "The majority of colleges are wont to manage their affairs with a positive secrecy as if it were not a public function which they are discharging."

The Faculty ruled that students not having homes in Brunswick must live in the dormitories whenever accommodations are there available. The *Orient* approved but many students didn't.

The graduating class voted to give a painting for one of the chapel panels.

The Medical School set up admission requirements. An examination in geography, arithmetic, and grammar must be passed. Very few medical schools at this time prescribed examinations for admission. The examination this year was very elemental, but two applicants failed to pass it.

On February 27 an impromptu gathering of Faculty and students celebrated Longfellow's ninetieth birthday. President Chamberlain, Professors Packard and Chapman, and C. W. Morrill '77 spoke. A greeting was sent to the poet.

In March clear, cold weather and an absence of snow permitted skating from the bridge to Merrymeeting Bay.

John Mussey of Portland of the Class of 1809 was the oldest living graduate. He lived to be nearly 100.

The *Orient* editorial board for the new volume: Hartley C. Baxter, Alfred E. Burton, Barrett Potter, W. E. Sargent, George C. Purington,



Samuel E. Smith, J. W. Thing. Baxter was to have a distinguished career in business, Potter in public life and law, and Sargent and Purington in teaching. Smith practiced law at Thomaston and Thing became a farmer.

#### 1897

A schedule of 19 games for the college nine and several games for the second nine, prepared by Percival Baxter, the baseball manager, was modified by the Faculty.

There was practically no snow until a heavy snowstorm came late in the season, and skating conditions were the best ever known. The flooded athletic field and the river were rife with skaters.

"King Mike" Madden gave a cake party to a large number of his friends in North Maine.

The suit for false arrest brought by Percival Baxter against Officer Kittredge of Bath came to trial in Portland. Many students attended, and, at the request of the trial judge, gave in court the Bowdoin yell to illustrate the "disturbance" which the officer said he was trying to quell. Baxter was awarded one cent damages, and still wears the cent on his watch chain.

#### Backward

Joe Boyd was displaced as college handyman. Many students protested, and subsequently he was reinstated.

The election of editors for the new volume of the *Orient* was characterized by the outgoing editor-inchief as "an unfortunate affair." There was no complaint at the selection of Baxter '98 as chief editor, and Marston '99 as assistant, but the editorial criticizes the selection of two associate editors. The editorial pulled no punches, gave names and figures, and called the affair "dishonorable, unworthy, and disgraceful."

During the past year more interest has been taken in the art of debating than for many years. This is the result of the persistent work of one of our younger professors, Mr. Mitchell.

A Longfellow issue of the Orient carried reminiscences by his surviving classmate, Senator Bradbury, and a poem by McLellan of the Class of 1826. Professor Chapman told of Morituri Salutamus and the Commencement of 1875. He said the poem was written in 10 days, and manuscript, proofsheets, and were guarded solicitously against premature publicity. While staying at the Cleaveland House for the occasion Longfellow wrote the sonnet on Parker Cleaveland, which the manuscript penned by Longfellow is on the wall of the President's office in Massachusetts Hall.

The Bowdoin Club of Boston condemned fraternity houses, but the *Orient* favored them.

Construction of a new railroad station to replace the one destroyed

by fire was begun, but it turned out to be, and for some years remained, a mere wooden shack.

Record Medical School enrolment: 137.

The Garcelon will case was finally decided in favor of the College.

The Charter Oak was given in Town Hall, with many students in the cast.

"Browser" Clark '99 excelled all previous strength test records in American colleges.

The juniors won both the class drill contest and the indoor meet.

For the old system of average of repairs was substituted the requirement that each student must be responsible for damages in his own room.

Two electric lights were established in the organ loft. Two arc lights were temporarily installed in Memorial Hall for the Psi U Hop.

#### 1923

The Society of Bowdoin Women was organized by 13 women invited to lunch by Mr. W. J. Curtis in New York City. Mrs. Sills was elected honorary president, and Mrs. Kate Douglas Riggs president.

The debating team won from Ripon College at Brunswick and from Tufts, Ripon, Knox, and Syracuse away. The Bowdoin team: Ham, Thayer, and Jacob; Lee, alternate.

The dramatic club gave The Thirteenth Chair.

The musical clubs had a successful trip to Saco, Portsmouth, Wheaton College, and Boston, following a series of concerts in Maine.

The relay team won from Williams at the B.A.A. meet for the third successive year.

Chi Psi won the interfraternity meet. A.D. and Chi Psi tied in the relay race, establishing a new record. The freshmen beat the sophomores in an interclass indoor meet.

Minot '96 characterized the *Quill* as a "pathetically thin little number, which seems to lack strength, sureness, maturity, and vitality."

Ostergren was rehired as football coach. The baseball manager scheduled 27 games. Assistant Professor Thomas Means was selected as the first graduate athletic manager.

The Student Council recommended abolishing the existing class secret societies—Friars, Abraxas, U Q—and substituting three new ones, one

for each class, to rank as honorary societies. There was much discussion of this recommendation and of a plan for a "tap day."

The *Bearskin* came out with a "pure" number.

The Sophomore Hop and accompanying fraternity dances ended the winter season; refreshments at the Sophomore Hop were criticized by the *Orient*.

Towle won the '68 and also was elected Longfellow scholar. Ham was elected Everett scholar.

Phi Delta Psi, the eleventh fraternity, acquired a house and won the Friars cup.

At midyears, 11 men were dropped and 27 received major warnings.

In a whimsical letter to the *Orient*, Edward Stanwood, editor of the *Youth's Companion* and "a member of the Class of 1861 when Latin was studied," called attention to the fact that "errata" is a plural noun.

E. P. Mitchell '71, editor of the *New York Sun* and the author of *Phi Chi*, was tendered a banquet in New York. President Harding sent

greetings and many distinguished guests attended.

Again Bowdoin led all colleges except Harvard in graduate school membership at Harvard. Forty-one Bowdoin men were enrolled.

Chi Psi started its new chapterhouse on Boody Street. The building was made possible by the gift of J. W. Anderson, a graduate of Cornell, son of W. A. Anderson, Bowdoin '61.

The Masque and Gown play, Wings Over Europe, was presented at Bangor and Mount Holyoke College. For the first time in several years all the parts were taken by students.

The debating team toured the smaller colleges of Pennsylvania and New Jersey, holding eight debates.

The watch carried by President Allen was presented to the College by his son.

Zeta Psi won the Student Council cup for scholastic standing.

Barton won the '68 prize speaking contest.

Burnham '62 was the oldest living graduate.

#### Books

ROBERT P. TRISTRAM COFFIN, People Behave Like Ballads. Macmillan, 1946. Pp. 100. \$2.25.

There are a good many writers who find stimulation and material in this or that aspect of Maine, but theirs seems a limited, qualified devotion beside Mr. Coffin's. What he finds is continuous and complete; and Maine is not only his scene but also his viewpoint. The Maine of Mr. Coffin's books is not merely a regional background, it is a poet's world.

That has been said before, of course; indeed, much of what one might say about People Behave Like Ballads has been said of Mr. Coffin's previous books. And yet he is a dangerous man to review: he trips up his critics, sometimes he disappoints his admirers, frequently he steps out to block the way of a comfortable generalization. In the past, for example, reviewers have complained that Mr. Coffin deifies the strong, silent men of his State. The critics' attention is called to a poem in this new book called "Battle of Rams," a curt, wry account of how father and son rowed against each other in the same boat all one day. The Wrights of this shrewd ballad are certainly Maine men, but just as certainly they are not gods. Or take another generalization: that Mr. Coffin's world is always sunlit, windswept, fresh, and all too easily comprehended. That summary allows no room for a poem like "The Red Drummer" -an eldritch poem, filled with darkness and concerned with the unseen.

Mr. Coffin can disturb the reviewer in quite another way-by failing to succeed in

a kind of poem that he has the ability to do magnificently. He has proved before, and proves again in this new book, that he is a fine story-teller, a ballad-maker. And yet sometimes he lets you down. In the story of Matthew Thornton, one of the "Three Citizens of Brunswick," you are carried along in high suspense by Mr. Coffin's skillful, economical lines until the last three stanzas, which are disappointingly slack. It has always been a particular gift of Mr. Coffin's that he can make something moving out of simple, seemingly minor materials; and it seems to me that "Fire Draws Fire" exemplifies that gift. But now and again, in cases like "The First Man of Columbia Falls," the final achievement itself is minor.

Disappointment in Mr. Coffin never lasts long, however. If you are a captious admirer like myself, you may be bothered by the tendency toward cuteness in the line: "Dan's eyes were big as two barn doors." And then, in the next stanza of the same poem ("The Thanksgiving Turkey Shoot"), you will come upon a closing line that is so simple and so right that it is startling. Here is the stanza, with its fine fourth line:

"They shot their guns with careless grace Down the target's way, They put a few shot in the sheet And many in the day."

If I say that *People Behave Like Ballads* flashes and sings with phrases that are characteristically Mr. Coffin's, readers familiar with his verse will know at once what

I mean. But I will give an illustration, if only because I enjoy quoting the line: "And the May-night blizzards of mountain laurel." Because this felicity persists in Mr. Coffin's poetry, there is always new pleasure for the reader.

And there is another kind of pleasure. It is the pleasure of encountering a poet who knows his world thoroughly and is thoroughly at home in it, who accepts the whole scene he has chosen for himself and yet is poet enough not to justify or to explain all that he sees. He is assured and content, and those are rare things in people and poetry today.

BURROUGHS MITCHELL

LAWRENCE P. SPINGARN, Rococo Summer and Other Poems, E. P. Dutton & Company, New York, 1947. Pp. 64. \$2.50.

Some fifty of Mr. Spingarn's poems, the choice product of ten years' work, are here included for the first time in book form. Some of them we have seen in magazines and newspapers during the past decade—during 1937, 1938, and 1939 in the Bowdoin Quill and more recently in the Saturday Review, Harpers, and the New York Times.

The title poem is a striking tour de force, a short story of only sixteen lines. It well deserves its name, although it is deliberately, executed in a very modern manner. As a rule, Mr. Spingarn prefers a somewhat more traditional tone. The spirit of his best work is romantic and lyrical as his college poems made manifest ten years ago. Thus the "wry humor" which one critic has already noted in the more recent poems may not be wholly in harmony with the richly sensuous mode of expression which readers of *The Quill* will remember. There are at least two tendencies in Mr. Spingarn's work: music and sensuous imagery on the one hand, austere satire, conceptual firmness, and Yankee wit on the

other. The reader senses at times the presence of conflict. But such poems as North by East and Ecce Homo: Vermont indicate that this conflict, or indecision, is superficial and can at times be resolved to advantage. The excellence of these poems might suggest that Mr. Spingarn has already come very close to finding or fashioning the particular style best suited to his talent and his insight. But I am not sure that this is true. Mr. Spingarn has been experimenting very competently, and so we are sometimes prone to forget that he is experimenting and that we may still look to him for something more characteristic and individual. These are indications that this development may include a few lengthy narrative poems of substance and power.

But this is hardly the time to distract the reader's attention from the present volume. Here Mr. Spingarn has found plenty to write about and he is at no loss in developing his themes. There is nothing trivial or amateur about his work. His observation of things and of people is often acute and there are not a few significant images so fresh and clear and so fully realized that one welcomes them without reservation.

I know your house, John Abbott; How very white and still Are centuries in a sturdy frame Upon a solemn hill!

As Mr. Benet says, "Rococo Summer is literature." Even its occasional imperfections show genuine promise, as in the title poem which is remarkable despite the presence here, as elsewhere, of the still incompletely mastered influences of other writers. These blemishes are few and in essence nothing more than the trials and errors of imaginative experimentation. Certainly there are poems in Rococo Summer which will be reread by not a few of us, and we shall all await Mr. Spingarn's further work with eagerness and interest.

NEWTON P. STALLKNECHT

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#### To Help Bowdoin College

The College has received notice of the following legacies:

From Gertrude Lockwood Stevens, \$1000 subject to a life interest.

From Mary Lurena Webster, \$3000 to establish the George Webster Scholarship in memory of her father, a member of the Class of 1859.



LAWRENCE P. SPINGARN '40

#### NOTES

. Professor Stanley P. Chase has made a recording of fourteenth century English poetry. The record (price \$4.25 postpaid), with selections from Chaucer's *Prologue* to the *Canterbury Tales* on one side and from *The Pearl* on the other, may be ordered from the Ace Recording Studios, Inc., 120 Boylston Street, Boston 16, Mass.

An Approach to the Study of Entrepreneurship, the presidential address of Arthur H. Cole '11 at the annual meeting of the Economic History Association held at Johns Hopkins University, September 14. 1946, has been issued in pamplet form by the Committee on Research in Economic History.

#### **AUTHORS**

Robert P. Tristram Coffin '15 is a competent zoologist whose study of the lobster, Calvin Cautious Crustacean (Mainstays of Maine, 1944), is the only comprehensive monograph on the behavior, habits, and flavor of our native homarus Americanus Mainiensis.

Since graduating from Bowdoin, Lawrence P. Spingarn '40 has been engaged in a wide variety of interests: graduate work and teaching at the University of Michigan, consultant at the Library of Congress, free lance writing in. New York, and during the war publicity work for the U.S.O. For the past two years he has devoted all of his time to writing and is now working on a novel.

#### REVIEWERS

Bowdoin's peripatetic philosopher and literary critic, Professor Newton P. Stall-knecht, is the author of *Strange Seas of Thought*, which was reviewed in the August, 1945, issue of the Alumnus.

Burroughs Mitchell '36, whose father, Edward Page Mitchell '71 was the editor of the *New York Sun*, has contributed reviews and literary criticisms to various publications. Former editor of the *Argosy Magazine*, Mr. Mitchell is now a reader for Charles Scribner's Sons.

#### Necrology

1876 CHARLES GARDNER WHEELER, last surviving member of the Class of 1876, died at his home in Topsham on September 19, 1946. Born in South Danvers, Mass., on September 21, 1855, the son of Charles H. and Ellen Gage Gardner Wheeler, he spent his life as a teacher, author, and woodworker. After his graduation from college, he assisted in the preparation of a history of the towns of Brunswick, Topsham, and Harpswell. For two years he was principal of the high school at Winchendon, Mass., during which time he wrote a volume of reference entitled Who Wrote It? an index to the authorship of more famous works in ancient and modern literature. Becoming interested in woodworking as a hobby, he designed and carved furniture and wrote Woodworking for Beginners in 1899, which became the standard authority on the subject. In 1908 he returned to Brunswick to teach, making his home in Topsham and heading the school workshop program in Brunswick and Topsham schools. He was a member of the Topsham School Board and for 20 years a member of the national council of Boy Scouts as advisor in carpentry. In 1935 he received the Veterans' Badge, emblematic of his service to the Boy Scout organization. He retired in 1932 after 24 years of teaching, but remained a member of the School Board until 1943. His grandfather, Amos D. Wheeler, D.D., was a member of the Bowdoin Class of 1860; his uncle, William A. Wheeler, was graduated in 1853; and his nephew, Col. Boyd Bartlett, is a member of the Class of 1917 and a former faculty member at Bowdoin.

MELVILLE JOSIAH SMITH died at his 1880 home in Dover, N. H., on January 27. He was born on August 1, 1857, in Cumberland, the son of Rev. Ezekiel and Clara Cooper Smith. He attended Bowdoin for only one year, leaving college in 1878 to become a taxidermist in Brunswick. He was State of Maine taxidermist for several years. During this period he assembled his private natural history collection which has since become widely known throughout the East. In February, 1883, he married the former Mary A. Lombard of Brunswick, and in 1895 moved to Dover, N. H., where he established a photographic studio. He continued his interest in a natural history collection until his hobby became his occupation. In 1915 he was made curator of the Annie E. Woodman Institute in Dover, which post he held until his death. He was a member of the Methodist Church, Pejepscot Lodge, IOOF, the Golden Cross, and Strafford Lodge, No. 29, F. & A. M. Surviving him are a daughter, Mrs. Ethel G. Clark of Dover, and a sister, Mrs. F. E. Bragdon of Merrimac, Mass.

1881 Rev. Charles Herrick Cutler, more than 60 years in the Congregational ministry, died at his home on Chestnut Street in Waban, Mass., on Nov-

ember 10, 1946. He was born on December 18, 1859, in Farmington, and prepared for college at Hallowell Classical Institute. While in college, he was class poet at his commencement exercises. Following his graduation he studied at Harvard for three months in the fall of 1881, returning to Bowdoin as instructor in rhetoric and assistant librarian. In 1883 he entered Andover Newton Theological School, graduating in 1886. He was ordained and installed as minister of the First Congregational Church of Bangor, where he remained for 25 years. In November, 1912, he became pastor of Union Church in Waban, Mass., remaining there until his retirement in 1925. For 30 years he was a member of the Board of Overseers of Bowdoin, and was a trustee of Abbot Academy in Andover, Mass. In 1905 Bowdoin awarded him the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity. He leaves a son, G. R. Cutler of Waban, and two daughters, Miss Elizabeth A. Cutler of Waban, and Mrs. W. S. Knickerbocker of Fort Devens. He was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Alpha Delta Phi fraternities.

1881 WILLIAM ALEXANDER GARDNER, Who before his retirement was engaged in sales service for several carpet manufacturing firms, died at his home in Westfield, N. J., on January 8. He was born on April 21, 1860, the son of Benjamin and Sarah S. Gardner. He received his preparatory education at Augusta High School. While in college he was class historian, captain of the baseball team, and managing editor of the Bugle. He was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and of Zeta Psi. Following graduation, he attended Bryant & Stratton Business College in Boston, Mass., and then joined the wholesale department of John H. Pray, Sons & Company, carpet dealers, of Boston, where he remained for the next ten years. In 1892 he became associated with a Philadelphia carpet concern, joining the company as travelling New England agent. In 1899, he went to New York City as New England agent for the Hartford Carpet Company, subsequently becoming manager of the sales department with general supervision of the New York office. He was an honorary member of the Westfield Tennis Club and a member of the Westfield Golf Club. Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Emma Schell Gardner, whom he married in 1886, and a daughter, Mrs. Hazel G. Coumbe of Westfield, N. J.

physician of Hadley, Mass., for the past 37 years, died at his home there on December 22, 1946. He was born on October 3, 1859, in Augusta. After his graduation from college he began the study of medicine under Dr. H. H. Hill of Augusta, attending lectures in Brunswick, and receiving his medical degree in 1884. He did graduate work at Columbia University, and received his A.M. degree there.

Settling in Augusta, he shared an office with Dr. Hill, but later began his own practice in Sidney. In 1909 he went to Hadley, Mass. He was a member of the Massachusetts Medical Association, the Men's Club of the Hadley First Congregational Church, and Zeta Psi fraternity.

1882 WILLIAM ALBION MOODY, professor of mathematics at Bowdoin for more than 40 years before his retirement in 1926 and since then active in College and town affairs, died at the Brunswick Hospital on February 2, where he had been a patient since he suffered a fractured hip several days before. Professor Moody was born on July 31, 1860, in Kennebunkport, and received his college preparation at Hallowell Classical Academy. As a college undergraduate he was a member of his class and the varsity crew teams, and was elected to Phi Beta Kappa. After graduation he taught two years at Edward Little High School in Auburn, serving there also as submaster. In 1884 he returned to Bowdoin to take his Masters degree the following year, and then remained as tutor for three years before being named full professor of mathematics in 1888. In 1907 he became Wing Professor of Mathematics. In 1885 he married the former Jennie Lord Mason, who died about 15 years ago. In 1922 Bowdoin awarded him the honorary degree of Doctor of Science. During 1924-25 he was Acting President of the College. Among the organizations of which he was a member are the American Mathematical Society, the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the Brunswick Club, the Bowdoin Club of Portland, and Alpha Delta Phi fraternity. He was a director of the Brunswick Building and Loan Association, and for many years was treasurer of the Curtis Memorial Library in Brunswick. Surviving are several cousins.

1890 Dr. Edward Aloysius Francis Mc-CULLOUGH died at his home in Meriden, Conn., on November 24, 1946, less than two days after the funeral of his wife. He was born on June 19, 1868, in Bangor, and prepared for college at Bangor High School. After his graduation from Bowdoin he went to Harvard Medical School, where he received his M.D. degree in 1894. He returned to Bangor and opened a general practice, remaining there until 1898, when he enlisted in the Spanish-American War and went to the Philippines as assistant surgeon in the United States Army. Upon his release from the Army, he completed studies at the Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston, and he settled in Meriden and Hartford as an eye, ear, nose, and throat specialist. He practiced in these two cities for 49 years, with offices in both places. He was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity, the Meriden Medical Society, Knights of Columbus, and was a past commander of Charles B. Bowen Camp, USWV. Surviving him is one son, William J. McCullough.

1892 John Carpenter Hull, for many years active in Massachusetts political circles, died on January 7 at the Massachusetts Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat

Hospital in Boston. He was born in Deering on November 1, 1870. During his undergraduate days he was active as managing editor of the Bugle and assistant managing editor of the Orient. He was also senior class orator. He first turned to teaching as a career, serving as principal of Fryeburg Academy until 1895, when he became principal of the high school at Adams, Mass. In 1902 he went to Milford, Mass., and finally to Leominster high school, where he remained as principal until 1911. Admitted to the Massachusetts bar, he began his law practice in Leominster. Entering local politics he served as a school-committeeman and town moderator from 1912 to 1915. The following year he was elected to the Massachusetts House of Representatives. Active work on several important committees led to his election as Speaker of the House, a position he held for four years. After his defeat for the Republican nomination for lieutenant-governor in 1928, he retired from elective politics. He was, however, named a member of the Massachusetts Industrial Accident Board and later director of the state's securities division of the Public Utilities Department. He was a member of the Pilgrim Congregational Church of Leominster, Wilder Lodge, A. F. and A. M., and Phi Beta Kappa and Theta Delta Chi fraternities. Surviving him are a daughter and three sons, including Alden Hull '29 of St. Johnsbury, Vt.

1897 Frank Austin Stearns died at his home in Hot Springs, Ark., on January 25. He was born on April 13, 1876, in Quincy, Fla., the son of Timothy S. and Sirena E. Stearns. He received his college preparation in Maine at Bridgton Academy. At college he was a member of the varsity track and football teams, serving as captain of the latter during his senior year. On Ivy Day he was his class marshal. Following graduation he entered the hardware business in Hot Springs, Ark., where he remained until his death. On December 6, 1899, he married the former Marie L. Matthews of Pine Bluff, Ark. A son, James M., died several years ago. Always actively interested in fraternal and civic organizations, he had been president of the Hot Springs Rotary Club, judge of the local Boy Scout Court of Honor, a member of the Masonic bodies, a past Commander of Hot Springs Commandery, K. T., and Past Master of the city's A. F. and A. M. lodge. He served as City Commissioner in 1918. He was a member of Theta Delta Chi fraternity. Surviving is his widow.

1899 VICE ADMIRAL ARTHUR PHILIP FAIR-FIELD, USN, one-time Assistant Chief of Naval Operations, died on December 14, 1946, at the Bethesda, Md., Navy Medical Center. Funeral services were held at Arlington National Cemetery. He was born on October 29, 1877, in Saco, the son of Rufus Albert and Frances Patten Fairfield, and received his college preparation at Thornton Academy. He spent two years at Bowdoin, leaving at the end of his sophomore year to enter the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, where he was graduated in 1901 with the rank of ensign. He had previously served as a naval cadet on the cruiser Columbia in the Spanish War. In 1913 he was commissioned a lieutenant

commander, and during the first World War commanded a convoy squadron. Later he was placed in command of the Navy's 27th Destroyer Division and commanded the USS Chester when it was commissioned in 1930. From 1933 to 1935 he was Assistant Chief of the Bureau of Navigation. Commissioned as admiral in September, 1934, he commanded the third Battleship Division. In 1938 he was made Assistant Chief of Naval Operations, and was retired from naval service in 1941, being recalled to active service on the Maritime Commission during the war. Surviving are his widow, the former Nancy Duval, whom he married in 1906, and a brother, George A. Fairfield of Mineola, L. I., N. Y. He was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity.



VICE ADMIRAL ARTHUR P. FAIRFIELD '99

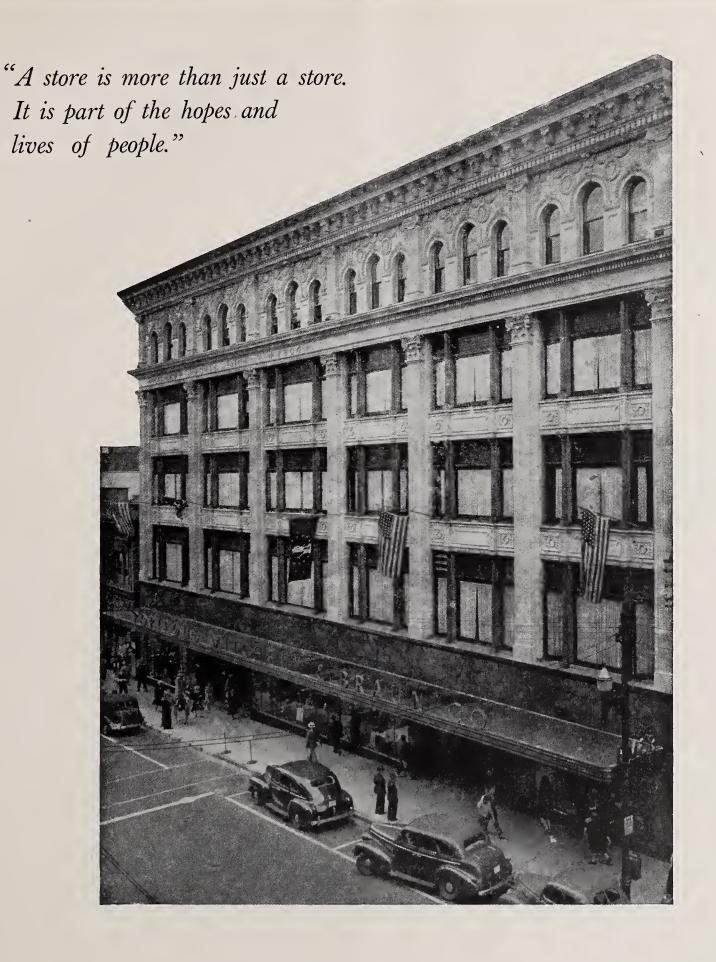
1901 ARTELLE ELISHA PALMER, former city official of Brewer, died at his home in South Brewer on January 8. He was born on February 2, 1878, in Brewer, the son of Zuinglus and Charlotte Palmer, and received his preparatory education at Brewer High School. At Bowdoin he was a member of the class baseball and football teams, and joined Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity. Following graduation he was employed in the office of the F. H: Ayer Company at South Brewer, but shortly became associated with the Eastern Manufacturing Company of Brewer. In March, 1916, he began several years service with the Blue River Lumber Company, Ltd., of Blue River, Quebec, Canada. Returning to Brewer, he became tax collector for the city, then purchasing agent, and finally city treasurer from 1928 to 1932. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Bertha H. Palmer; two sons, Paul D. of South Brewer and Frederick C. of Bangor; and one sister, Mrs. Andrew C. Bernett.

1904 FITZ EDWARD SARGENT, a farmer for the majority of his life in Falmouth Foreside, died at the Maine General Hospital in Portland on August 15, 1946, after a brief illness. Born in Falmouth on

October 6, 1881, he prepared for college at Portland High School. At college he was a member of his class squad and the Deutscher Verein. He joined Kappa Sigma fraternity and was graduated from Bowdoin cum laude. He entered business in Enterprise, Iowa, in 1905, but remained in the West for only a year. Returning to Falmouth, he began the life of agriculture, which was interrupted by service in the first World War. He is survived by three sisters, all of Falmouth Foreside: Miss Margaret Sargent, Mrs. Lawrence P. Parkman, and Miss Grace A. Sargent.

1905 Col. Harold Everett Marr, retired Army officer, died in a Bangor hotel on February 11. His home was in Searsport. He was born on December 10, 1883, in Clinton. At college he was a member of his class track team and Deutscher Verein. After his graduation he served as principal of the high school at Searsport for a year, then went to Harvard Law School before entering the Army in September, 1908, as a second lieutenant in the Field Artillery. During the first World War he was an instructor at Fort Sill, Okla. In 1930 he became senior artillery instructor of the 152nd Field Artillery in Bangor, where he served for four years. In 1934 he went to the Philippines, serving there until 1939 when he retired from active service with the rank of colonel. During his retirement he made his home in Searsport. He is survived by his wife, the former Mildred Bowen; a son, Col. Harold, Jr., now stationed in Germany; a daughter, Mildred D. of Providence, R. I.; and two brothers, Leon H. of Farmington, and Vernon W. '14 of Boston, Mass.

1905 Dr. George Henry Stone, former superintendent of Memorial Hospital, Worcester, Mass., and Eastern Maine General Hospital, Bangor, died in New Orleans, La., on January 4. He was a resident of Norwalk, Conn. Born in Portland on October 25, 1882, the son of Henry and Eliza Goodwin Stone, he received his college preparation at Portland High School. At Bowdoin he was secretary-treasurer of his class, a member of his class squad, the History Club, and Theta Delta Clii fraternity. He received his M.D. from the Maine Medical School in 1908, and was a member of Alpha Kappa Kappa medical fraternity. The year after his graduation from medical school, he served as interne and house physician at the Maine General Hospital in Portland. He opened his practice in Clinton, Mass., a year later, where he remained for two years, and married the former Eva M. Scott of that city. He practiced in Boston the following year, and was made executive assistant at Boston City Hospital. Later, from 1915 to 1921, he was assistant superintendent at Peter Bent Brigham Hospital in Boston. In 1921 he began a nineyear term as superintendent of the Eastern Maine General Hospital in Bangor. He went to Worcester in 1930 to head Memorial Hospital there, and served in that office until his retirement in 1942. During the first World War he was a captain in the Army Medical Corps, and was made a major in the Reserve Corps after the war. He was a member of the American Hospital Association, and the Maine and Massachusetts



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Medical Associations. He was president of the New England Hospital Association in 1924-25, and a director of the Bangor Anti-Tuberculosis Association. He served as medical examiner for the Prudential and Boston Mutual Life insurance companies. He was also a 32nd degree Mason. Surviving him are two daughters, Mrs. Philip C. Pearson, Jr., of Norwalk, Conn., and Mrs. William A. Clark of Manila, P. I.; and a son, George H. Stone, Jr., of Honolulu.

1910 Frank Estes Kendrie, violinist, composer, and chairman of the Music Department at Carleton College, died at his home in Northfield, Minn., on January 18. Born on July 4, 1887, in St. Paul, Minn., the son of James and Eliza Ann Estes Kendrie, he attended the schools of St. Paul and Old Orchard before receiving his college preparation at Thornton Academy. As an undergraduate he was active in musical groups such as the Glee Club and the Chapel Choir, and also belonged to Deutscher Verein, the York County Club, and was vice president of the Thornton Club. While still an undergraduate, he started concert tours as a violinist, and after graduation maintained a studio in Lewiston for a short time. He received his Masters degree from Harvard in 1912. Later he studied with several well-known teachers in Boston, New York, London, and Paris. While at Harvard he was soloist for two years with the Appleton Chapel Choir, and during the 1913-14 season he was a member of the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra, playing first violin. He married the former Helen P. Walcott of Belmont, Mass., in December, 1914, and that year became professor of music at Valparaiso University Conservatory of Music at Valparaiso, Ind. Later he went to the University of Kansas as teacher of violin, and became prominent in the school's musical development. Besides teaching violin, he conducted the University Orchestra and coached the Men's Glee Club. Four years later he went to the University of Iowa as teacher of stringed instruments, where he remained for 15 years. In 1936 he joined the Carleton College faculty as professor of music, later becoming head of the department. Upon his retirement he had hoped to make his home in Brunswick. He was a member of Beta Theta Pi and Phi Mu Alpha fraternities. Surviving him are his wife and a daughter, Carolyn.

died at his home in Connellsville, Pa., on October 30, 1946. Born on December 29, 1889, in Westbrook, he prepared for college at Westbrook High School. Following his graduation from college, he lived in Westbrook for a time doing newspaper work and conducting a men's clothing store. After some years with theatrical booking agencies, he entered the insurance business in Uniontown, Pa., in 1926, where he was also connected with the local newspaper. He was married to Elsie Meadows in Brooklyn, N. Y., on May 21, 1919.

1912 Dr. Arthur Hale Parcher, for many years a practicing physician in Ellsworth, died at his home in that town on December 25, 1946. He was born on July 4, 1889, in Ellsworth, the son of George Asa and Lucy Hale Parcher. He received

his college preparation at Ellsworth High School, and after his graduation from college, entered the Maine Medical School from which he was graduated in 1915. During his college days he was a member of the Mandolin Club and his class baseball team. After his internship at the Eastern Maine General Hospital in Bangor and a post-graduate course in New York City, he practiced medicine in Ellsworth and in Bangor before entering the first World War as a captain in the Medical Corps, stationed in England. In 1919 he was married to Winifred Hassall, daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. Albert Hassall of Washington, D. C. After his discharge from the Army, he returned to Ellsworth where he opened offices for the general practice of medicine. Always interested in civic affairs, he served as an alderman of the town and a member of the school board. He belonged to various organizations, including Lygonia Lodge, F. and A. M.; Acadia Chapter, R. A. M.; Blanquefont Commandery, K. T.; American Legion; Veterans of Foreign Wars; county, state and national medical associations; and two fraternities, Beta Theta Pi and Epsilon Phi Alpha. He is survived by his wife, a daughter Joan, a brother Dr. George '05, all of Ellsworth; and several cousins.

1914 HORACE ALLEN BARTON, attorney and former Connecticut senator, died at the Greenwich, Conn., Hospital on February 5 several hours after he had been stricken with a cerebral hemorrhage during a court session in that city. He was born on February 28, 1893, in Greenwich, the son of Horace W. and Fannie Allen Barton. He received his preparatory schooling at the Brunswick School in Greenwich. At Bowdoin he was a Friar, a member of the Masque and Gown, the Mandolin Club, and his class baseball team. He went to Harvard Law School after receiving his degree at Bowdoin, and was awarded his LL.B. from Harvard in 1917. He joined the faculty of the Brunswick School in the fall of 1917 to teach until June, 1918, when he entered the Naval Reserve, serving in the first World War at Pelham Bay and Bremerton Navy Yards until his discharge in February, 1919. He was admitted to the Connecticut Bar in 1919, and opened his law practice in Greenwich, continuing there until his death. In November, 1923, he married the former Elizabeth Folwell Hoisington of Rye, N. Y. He served in the Connecticut State Senate in 1931, was a Judge of the Town Court the following year, and was Greenwich town counsel from 1935 until last January 1. He was a member of the Merritt Parkway Commission from 1935, when it was established, until 1942. His fraternity was Theta Delta Chi. Surviving, besides his wife, are two sons, Allen H. and David K., and a daughter, Elizabeth M.

1927 Frank William Saunders was fatally injured in an automobile accident on November 22, 1946, in Gouverneur, N. Y., when the car he was driving skidded and overturned. He died on the way to a hospital. Born in Keene, N. H., on July 7, 1905, he prepared for college at Keene High School, and attended Bowdoin, Massachusetts Agricultural College and Amherst College. Later he was proprietor of a hab-

erdashery business with stores in Watch Hill, R. I., and Palm Beach, Fla. In July, 1942, he entered the Army Air Force where he served for two years. Following his discharge he entered business with his brother, Joseph, of Carthage, N. Y., making and distributing mayonnaise under the firm name of Saunders' Foods. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Joseph E. Saunders of Keene, N. H.; four brothers and two sisters. He was a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity.

1930 STUART RANDOLPH STONE died on July 11, 1946, in Newton, Mass. He was born on August 27, 1906, in West Newton, Mass., the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Stone. He prepared for Bowdoin at Newton High School and Williston Academy. He was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon, the varsity football and hockey teams, the Athletic Council and president of his class during his junior year. He married the former Nancy Page Kimball in 1932. For several years he was connected with the Aetna Life Insurance Company and Equitable Life Insurance Society in Boston. After serving for a time as assistant treasurer of the Epinosa Fruit Company in Puerto Rico, he returned to New England in 1938 as supervisor of the Charles Cutter Agency for the Union Mutual Life Insurance Company. He was a member of the District Neighborhood Commission of the Boy Scouts of America and the Young Men's Christian Association. Besides his parents he leaves his widow and a son, Roger.

1944 WALTER LEE MAIN, JR., died at the Memorial Hospital in New York City on December 21, 1946. He was born on April 29, 1922, in Wilmington, Del., the son of Walter L. and Margaret Caldwell Main. He received his college preparation at the Salem, N. J., high school and at Blair Academy, Blairstown, N. J. Entering Bowdoin in the fall of 1940, he remained here until November, 1942, becoming a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity. In August, 1943, he entered the Army Medical Corps, being stationed at Fort Monmouth, N. J. He was elected for officer's training at Carlisle Barracks, Pa., in March, 1945, later being sent to Luzon in the Philippines for duty. He was discharged from the service in April, 1946, and despite the handicap of a malignant lymphatic disease, re-entered Bowdoin last fall. He remained on campus, winning the admiration of members of the faculty and student body alike by his high spirit, until November 26, when he was transferred from the college infirmary to Memorial Hospital in New York City for treatment. His condition had become so acute that medical treatment was unable to help. Surviving him are his parents of Salem, N. J.

November 19, 1946, in Melrose, Mass., having returned to his home because of an increase in the seriousness of his illness only two days before his death. He was born on December 10, 1928, in Malden, Mass., the son of Ernest and Emma Freeman Nordstrom. He received his college preparation at Melrose High School, entering college last September. In spite of the handicaps of an incurable malady, the nature of which he never realized, he was determined to enter Bowdoin and take his place in campus

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activities. He was amazingly successful in this aim during his few weeks as a Bowdoin undergraduate. He was a member of the Glee Club, the Sunday Chapel Choir, and Delta Upsilon fraternity. President Kenneth C. M. Sills was a practicipant in the funeral services held on November 22.

#### MEDICAL SCHOOL

1884 Dr. Charles Avery Moulton, onetime president of the Maine Medical Association and practicing physician for over 60 years, died at his home in Hartland on December 7, 1946. Born in Concord on March 12, 1860, the son of Lorenzo and Sarah Piper Moulton, he received his college preparation at Westbrook Seminary in 1878-81, and then entered the Maine Medical School at Bowdoin. He began medical practice in New Portland in 1884 moving to St. Albans in 1885 and in 1897 to Hartland where he remained until his death. Before taking up his medical studies, he taught briefly in the Solon and New Portland high schools, and later took a post graduate course at Harvard. A member of the Maine Medical Association, he was elected president of that group in 1923 and received the organization's 50-year medal in 1934. Dr. Moulton also served as a school physician and as president and secretary of the Somerset County Medical Association for several terms. He was a trustee of Maine Central Institute and Hartland Academy, and prominent in Masonic and Odd Fellows bodies. In addition to his fame as a physician, Dr. Moulton also was instrumental in the development of the Hartland and St. Albans Telephone Company, of which he was principal owner. Later he helped organize the first electric light company at Hartland. In 1933, he founded the town's first hospital. He is survived by a daughter, Miss Ina M. Moulton of Hartland; a son, Dr. Arthur Moulton of Auburn; a sister; and two grandchildren.

1891 Dr. George Augustus Gregory, physician and surgeon for 55 years and founder of St. Andrew's Hospital in Boothbay Harbor, died at his home in that town on December 1, 1946. Born on March 4, 1865, in Churchover, Shelburne County, Nova Scotia, the son of John and Sarah Acker Gregory, he prepared for college at Shelburne Academy. Following his graduation from the Maine Medical School, he began practice in Boothbay Harbor and later founded the hospital there in 1908. In 1910-11 he studied at the New York Polyclinic Medical School and Hospital. He was a fellow of the American College of Surgeons, a member of the Lincoln and Sagadahoc Medical Associations, and for 32 years was medical examiner for Lincoln County until 1944 when his son, Dr. Philip O. Gregóry, succeeded him. In 1941 he received the gold medal of the Maine Medical Association awarded to physicians with 50 years of practice. Interested in politics, he was a member of the Governor's Council in 1921, and was also chairman of the Boothbay Harbor Republican Town Committee. Since 1933 he had been a director of the Depositors Trust Company. Among the fraternal organizations of which he was

a member are the Masons, Knights Templar, and the Rotary Club. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Ricker Gregory; two sons and two daughters.

1894 Dr. Arthur Davis Variell, widely known for his research in leprosy, died in Miami Beach, Fla., on April 16, 1940, according to a belated report received at the Alumni Office. He was born on August 26, 1869, in Gardiner, and attended Maine Wesleyan Seminary at Kent's Hill and the Portland Academy of Medicine before receiving his M. D. from the Bowdoin Medical School. After post-graduate work in hospitals and clinics in Europe, he practiced medicine in Watertown, Conn., from 1896 to 1906, and at Waterbury, Conn., from 1907 to 1916. While in Waterbury he was on the staff of the city's hospital for four years and president of the Waterbury Board of Health for two years. In 1916, he gave up his practice to become secretary and part owner of the Waterbury Steel Ball Company. In 1919 he acquired a half-interest in the Waterbury Lock and Specialty Company, of which he later became vice-president. He retired from business in 1924. Dr. Variell traveled widely in Asia, Africa, Syria and the Balkan states to study leprosy, and was said to have been the first to observe that when the Syrians ate large quantities of uncooked vegetables, the severity and extent of leprosy among them dropped. He attributed this to the now widely held theory that vitamins in raw vegetables build up resistance. He was an honorable secretary of the World League for Permanent Peace, and was an official delegate to the

American Academy of Social and Political Sciences in Philadelphia in 1932. He was a member of the Grotius Society of London, the British Royal Society of Literature, the Societie de Geographie de France, the National Arts Club, the New York Athletic Club, the Bath Club of Miami Beach and the River Club in Kennebunk where he lived when not in Florida or abroad. Dr. Variell was knighted by the Patriarch of Syria for humanitarian work, and decorated by the governments of Montenegro, Spain, Portugal, and France.

1901 HENRY WILLIS HAYNES died after a brief illness in New York City on November 12, 1946. He was born in New York City on April 16, 1873, the son of Archibald and Elizabeth Conover Haynes, and received his college preparation at St. Luke's School, Bustleton, Pa. He attended Princeton University and Amherst College, later receiving medical training at Dartmouth and Bowdoin. After receiving his degree from the Bowdoin Medical School, he practiced medicine in his native New York for a short time, but left medicine in 1905 to enter the insurance business with his father. He served in the first World War as a captain in the Army Medical Corps, returning to New York to carry on his business as insurance broker and agent. He was a member of the Sons of the Revolution, the Society of Mayflower Descendants, the Military Order of the World Wars and the Veterans of the Seventh Regiment. Surviving him are his wife, Mary C. Haynes, of 201 West 85th Street, New York City: a son, Ralph C. Haynes; and a grandson.

#### News of



#### the Classes

1885 On the approach of his retirement from the bench, Judge John A. Peters was cited by President Truman for nearly 25 years of service in the Federal Judiciary. President Truman expressed his appreciation for the splendid service rendered by Judge Peters and wished him a full measure of happiness and contentment in the coming years. The Judge also received a commendation from U.S. Attorney General Tom Clark.

1889 A recent letter from Lory Prentiss reports that he is visiting his son, Maj. Gen. Paul Prentiss at Pope Field, N.C., but hopes to go to Florida later in the spring.

1893 Marshall Jones is in the publishing business at 46 Beacon Street, Boston, Mass.

1895 Secretary, Hon. William M. Ing-RAHAM 79 High Street, Portland

Fred Fessenden, in the insurance business in Cincinnati for the past 40 years, is now retired.

1897 Secretary, James E. Rhodes, in 700 Main Street Hartford, Conn.

George Carmichael writes that he was designated headmaster emeritus of Bruns-

wick School, Greenwich, Conn., last November. He and Mrs. Carmichael are passing the winter in Clearwater, Fla.

Dr. Ralph Clark of East Rainells, W. Va., is resident physician in an optical plant. He reports a mild winter— snow which has fallen disappears in a day or so.

R. Sidney Hagar, who was stricken with paralysis three years ago, is with his daughter this winter at 634 Lillian Way, Los Angeles, Calif.

Ralph Parker is spending the winter in Washington, D.C.

The class secretary has recently prepared a digest of the Connecticut decisions relating to real estate brokerage, which has been printed and circulated by the Hartford Real Estate Board.

William White has retired from his law practice and lives at 32 Middle Street, Hingham, Mass.

1898 Secretary, THOMAS L. PIERCE Route 2, Box 496 E. Tucson, Ariz.

Father and son lawyer combinations who are members of the Portland law office of Verrill, Dana, Walker, Philbrick and Whitehouse include John Dana '98, former president of the Cumberland County Bar Association, his son Edward Dana '29, who has been with the firm since 1932, with time



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out for the AAF during the war; Leon V. Walker '03, former head of the County Bar Association, and son Leon Walker, Jr., '32, youngest member of the firm, who served as lieutenant commander in the Navy.

Clarence Eaton of Portland has been named secretary-historian of the Maine Society of Mayflower Descendants.

A letter of commendation to retired Supreme Court Justice Thomas Marble of Concord, N.H., was sent to him by Gov. Charles M. Dale of New Hampshire in December. The letter lauded Justice Marble for his judicial services to citizens of the state for nearly a score of years. Upon reaching his 70th birthday on December 23, Justice Marble retired. The letter said in part: "Through all of your active years in judicial positions you have responded to additional public services and have performed them with credit to yourself and with benefit for the people of the state. May you find joy and peace in these later years of life and may the state continue to benefit from your judgement in positions of trust and confidence."

#### 1899 Secretary, Lucien P. Libby 22 Bramhall Street, Portland

Edwin Nelson is in the hotel business in Calais.

Senator Wallace White has become majority leader of the 80th Congress, and is very much in the news.

#### 1901 Secretary, Walter L. Sanborn Box 390, Lansdale, Pa.

Violetta Berry Spencer, daughter of Harold Lee Berry and Mrs. Berry, was married on December 28 in Falmouth Foreside to James Sanford Otis. They are living in Libertyville, Ill.

Dr. Motley Fuller and his son, Dr. Edwin Fuller '31, both members of the staff of the Bath Memorial Hospital, are observing the 100th anniversary of their family in Maine medicine. In 1847, Dr. Andrew J. Fuller, brother of Dr. Motley Fuller's greatgreat grandfather, began his practice at Bath, and members of the family have continued the profession since that time.

#### 1903 Secretary, CLEMENT F. ROBINSON 260 Maine Street, Brunswick

Scott Simpson, wintering in Asheville. N. C., presided at the Lincoln Day dinner there and introduced Congressman Bob Hale '10. Scott says the Bowdoin Yankee was well received.

# 1904 Secretary, EUGENE P. D. HATHAWAY 3360 Mt. Pleasant Street, N.W. Washington, D.C.

C. Franklin Packard and Mrs. Packard of South Harpswell have a cottage at Pass-A-Grille Beach, Fla., for the winter.

#### 1905 Secretary, Stanley Williams 2270 Waverley Street Palo Alto, Calif.

At a two-day seminar for ministers and lay workers in the church, under the sponsorship of the Social Education and Action Committee of the Maine Council of Churches at Lewiston, Maj. Gen. Wallace Philoon spoke on "State Government and Social Welfare."

William Webb left on December 1 to spend the winter with Mrs. Webb and his daughter in Honolulu.

#### 1907 Secretary, Felix A. Burton 64 Collins Road, Waban 68, Mass.

Benjamin Briggs is passing the winter with his mother at her home in Clearwater,

Dr. Joseph Drummond has retired after 12 years as Medical Director of the Union Mutual Life Insurance Company of Portland.

Professor Edward Duddy of the University of Chicago left on January 1 for two months' vacation in Tucson, Ariza. He is president of the Chicago Bowdoin Club.

Dr. Henry Johnson is spending the winter in Tampa, Fla.

Despite the Republican landslide in Connecticut, Wilbert Snow became governor of that state for several days in December when Governor Baldwin's resignation to enter the Senate elevated the Democratic Lieutenant Governor.

#### 1908 Secretary, Charles E. Files Cornish

Jim Chandler is cost accountant and auditor at the Naval Ordnance Test Station at Inyokern, Calif.

Dr. Carl M. Robinson has been elected to the Board of Governors of the American College of Surgeons at a recent meeting of that group in Cleveland, Ohio. Dr. Robinson is chief of the surgical staff at the Maine General Hospital and is a former president of the New England Surgical Society.

#### 1909 Secretary, Ernest H. Pottle 34 Appleton Place Glen Ridge, N. J.

Senator Owen Brewster assumed the chairmanship of the Committee to Investigate the War on January 6.

Edwin Johnson has moved to Weston, Vt. Dan McDade reports he is up to his neck, "which means I'm happy". His particular job when he wrote was that of general chairman for the children's Christmas party in Portland, Ore. Dan says he has recently seen Harold Burton and Loring Pratt '12. He missed Owen Brewster, who was campaigning on the West Coast.

Dr. John Wentworth says he is looking forward to having his grandson, Jeffrey Randall Wentworth, with him again.

#### 1910 Secretary, E. Curtis Matthews Piscataqua Savings Bank Portsmouth, N. H.

Charles "Jingle" Cary, assistant general manager of E.I. Du Pont de Nemours & Company, has been appointed to the company's executive committee, the board of directors, and a vice president of the company. He joined the Du Pont Company in 1918, serving successively as assistant superintendent of several of the company's explosive plants, superintendent of the Connable Works, Birmingham, Ala., in 1923, and in 1925 transferring to the Du Pont Rayon Company, now the Rayon Department. He became assistant manager of the Nylon

Division in 1940, and manager in 1944. A year later he was made assistant general manager of the department.

John Clifford has been nominated by President Truman as judge of the U.S. District Court for Maine, to succeed Judge John A. Peters '85. Clifford has been U.S. district attorney in Maine since December 1933.

Raymond Tuttle's daughter Ruth is assistant professor of biology at Margaret Morrison College in Pittsburgh, Pa. His daughter Virginia is a senior there.

#### 1911 Secretary, Ernest G. Fifield 30 E. 42nd Street New York City, N. Y.

The class secretary's daughter, Barbara Fifield, was married on January 4 to Hugo Swan at the Unitarian Church in Montclair, N. J.

Melville Gould has moved from Madison to Dover-Foxcroft.

#### 1912 Secretary, WILLIAM A. MACCORMICK Y.M.C.A.

316 Huntington Avenue, Boston

Raymond Hathaway is with Remington Rand Inc., in Pittsburg, Pa., working with the systems division.

Dr. William Holt of Portland has been re-elected president of the Maine Cancer Society, Inc.

The secretary is convalescing from his October injury and is able to spend several days a week at his desk at the Y.M.C.A. He promises soon to be seeking data for the Class Report.

Frank Smith is chairman of the 35th Reunion Committee. Lee Means, Farmer Kern and Seward Marsh are assisting. Moore Hall will be reunion headquarters. Frank will soon be reporting other details.

Ernest "Skin" Weeks has been appointed by Governor Hildreth to serve a four-year term as probation officer of York County. He often runs into Judge Lester Bragdon while on the job. Skin is continuing farming at East Parsonfield.

#### 1913 Secretary, LUTHER G. WHITTIER R.F.D. 2, Farmington

Chuck Crosby has been named a director of the American and Foreign Power Company.

Paul Douglas has been honored by election to the presidency of the American Economic Association.

#### 1914 Secretary, Alfred E. Gray 324 Canton Avenue Milton, Mass.

Charles Bickford has served as class agent for the Alumni Fund for nearly 10 years, and it is believable when he says that this job, together with his regular work, keeps him busy constantly. He is assistant cashier of the National Bank of Commerce in Portland, specializing in the bank's real estate.

Dr. Henry Dixon was consultant of the Norwich, Conn., draft board during the war, and was alderman in the Court of Common Council from 1940 to 1944. His son, Henry, Jr., '46, is back at Bowdoin following his discharge from the Marine Corps.

Bill Farrar and Percy Mitchell took a trip together around the Gaspe Peninsula





last August. Percy writes that he found Bill as enjoyable and stimulating a companion as ever. Percy is comptroller of the Morgan Construction Company in Worcester, Mass.

Eugene Gordon was recently elected mayor of Brewer, where he is engaged in the insurance business. Gene also finds time to teach mathematics at the University of Maine.

Harold Hayes, released from the Army, is back in Dover-Foxcroft practicing law, although he still continues as part-time State Director of Selective Service, spending several days in Augusta each week.

Elroy LaCasce of Fryeburg Academy has been named a delegate to the New England Council from the Maine Association of

Bob Leigh has been located at 25 East 83rd Street, New York City, since 1942. He has served as director of the Commission on Freedom of the Press since 1944. At the present time he is serving part-time as an expert consultant to the New York State temporary commission on the Need for a State University. Beginning on March 1 he will be chairman of the committee and director of an inquiry into the American library. An article written by Bob, entitled *Politicians vs. Bureaucrats*, was published in the January 1945 issue of *Harper's*. Principals of Secondary Schools.

Frank Loeffler, vice president of the Gloucester, Mass., National Bank, is a trustee of the Addison Gilbert Hospital and a member of the Gloucester School Committee.

Vernon Marr, who has been engaged in the general practice of law since 1922, has an office at 14 Beacon Street, Boston, Mass., and lives in North Scituate From 1939 to 1941 he was a member of the Board of Governors of the Boston City Club, and later became treasurer of this club. In 1940 he was a delegate to the Republican National Convention. He served as treasurer of the National Association of Legal Aid Organizations from 1941 to 1942, and has been a member of the Massachusetts Industrial Accident Board. From 1941 to 1946 he was a lieutenant colonel in the Massachusetts State Guard.

Philip Pope has been appointed curator of the Whitman College Museum.

Herb Shea reports his occupation as power sales engineer for the Columbus and Southern Ohio Electric Company of Columbus, Ohio. He has been with the company for 15 years, after spending 15 years with the General Electric Company in various cities.

Earle Thompson, director of the City Bank Farmers Trust Company, New York City, is a trustee of the Dry Dock Savings Institution in Manhattan.

A scholarship at the University of Buffalo donated by author Mrs. Marcus Reback has been named for Ray Verrill, who taught in the evening session of Arts and Sciences for 22 years, and whom the author credits with encouraging her to become a writer.

#### 1915 Secretary, HAROLD E. VERRILL 83 Exchange Street, Portland

Professor George Bacon of Fordham University's law faculty received the University's gold medal *bene merenti* in November for his 20 years' "distinguished and unselfish service" at Fordham Law School.

James Lewis, out of the Navy a captain, has resumed his teaching position at Tabor Academy, Marion, Mass., after six years absence in service.

# 1916 Secretary, DWIGHT SAYWARD 415 Congress Street Portland

Lawrence Cartland has moved from South Dartmouth, Mass., to 113 Cononchet Avenue, Providence, R. I.

Col. Lowell Elliott, commanding San Jose Island 60 miles out in the Pacific from Balboa in the Panama Canal zone, writes that the location is the paradise of the Pacific.

Urban Merrill has moved from Lawrence, Mass., to Newport, where he has offices.

Leigh Webber, Norway town manager, has resigned to accept the office of executive secretary of the Maine Municipal Association. He had served as town manager of Norway since 1943.

# 1917 Secretary, Noel C. Little 8 College Street, Brunswick

Roland Eaton has been appointed foreign representative of Ginn and Company and is now on a trip through the West Indies.

Chester Maguire has moved from Reading, Mass., to 279 Washington Street, Melrose, Mass.

News from Frank Noyes includes the following facts: he entered the Army with the rank of major in March, 1941, and became commanding officer at the School for Bakers and Cooks at Fort Knox, Ky., then commandant of the 5th Service Command School for Cooks and Bakers, director of Food Service, 5th Service Command, and director of Food Service for the 2nd Army. He was awarded the Army Commendation Ribbon and the World War II medal. He left the Army last November with the rank of colonel, and is now president of Frank Noyes Pies, Inc., of Columbus, Ohio. He has accepted the request of the War Department to go to Europe for 60 days as a civilian to check the Army's bakeries.

Donald Philbrick is president of the Pine Tree Council, Boy Scouts of America.

#### 1918 Secretary, Harlan L. Harrington 74 Weston Avenue Braintree, Mass.

Archibald Dean of Buffalo, who is serving his 21st year as district health officer for the New York State Department, was recently promoted from assistant to associate professor of preventive medicine and public health at the University of Buffalo School of Medicine and Nursing. He introduced his three sons and daughter to Bowdoin last August on a vacation trip with his family. His oldest son, David, applied for admission to Bowdoin in 1948.

Hervey Emery of Bucksport is a member of Governor Hildreth's executive council.

Elliot Freeman is treasurer of the Kennebunk Fire Society.

Paul Hamlin is manager of the Maine mills and properties of The American Thread Company.

Brig. Gen. Paul Prentiss has moved from San Antonio, Texas, to Pope Field, Fort Bragg, N. C.

# 1919 Secretary, Donald S. Higgins 70 Royal Road, Bangor

Lee Gorham is en route to Japan where he will be Civil Information and Education Officer for the Military Government of the Eighth Army.

#### 1920 Secretary, STANLEY M. GORDON 208 West Fifth Avenue Roselle, N. J.

Robert Cleaves has been re-elected chairman of the Cumberland County Republican delegation to the Legislature.

Kenneth Coombs is rehabilitation chief at the Portland sub-regional office of the Veterans' Administration.

Leland Goodrich, serving as director of the World Peace Foundation of Boston while on leave of absence from the department of political science and sociology at Brown University, will be a full professor when he resumes his teaching post at Brown soon.

Rev. Alan McKinley was recently ordained to the Sacred Dia Conate and appointed vicar of St. George's Church in Sanford. His sons, Gordon and Allan, are in the Navy Air Corps. One of his daughters is married and lives in Baltimore, and another is in school in Sanford.

George Noss is professor of philosophy and religion at Berea College, Berea, Ky., after having obtained his degree at Columbia where he taught Japanese during the war.

The Harvard University Alumni Bulletin carried an item about Cornelius Rhoads, director of the Memorial Hospital for the Treatment of Cancer and Allied Diseases in New York, in the Harvard December issue. The article quotes Dr. Rhoads in an address he gave before the New York Herald Tribune Forum on Current Problems as saying that the use of atomic energy and its byproducts in the cure of diseases is far more limited than rumors have suggested. Dr. Rhoads said that the fact of limited use today does not, however, mean that radioactive materials are not destined to play a deciding role in the subjugation of cancer tomorrow. They will be of incredible value, but not in frontal attack as much as in the new information their use will bring.

Cloyd Small is back at his teaching post at Worcester Academy, and has resumed his duties as secretary of the Worcester Bowdoin Club.

# 1921 Secretary, Norman W. Haines 60 State Street, Boston, Mass.

Frederick Anderson has moved from Columbus, Ohio, to 3021 Rockefeller, Everett, Wash.

Woodbury Hone reports three children: two boys, ages 16 and 11, and a girl, 6. He is a member of the State Executive Committee of the New Jersey Education Association.

Maj. Herbert Ingraham, home from Japan, is teaching military science at the University of Maine.

Joseph Rousseau is located at Stuttgart, Germany. He is a lieutenant colonel in the Army.

The Waterbury, Conn., Democrat, of which J. Maxim Ryder was managing editor, was recently sold and no longer exists. Max is now manager of radio station

WBRY in Waterbury. The station is owned by the Republican-American, which newspaper acquired the Democrat.

#### 1922 Secretary, Albert R. Thayer 40 Longfellow Avenue, Brunswick

Capt. John Bachulus is overseas with the Navy Medical Corps.

Lee Butler's address is 310 E. 44th Street,

New York City.

Lt. Col. Clayton Ela, on duty with the Army in Alaska, frequently goes fishing and catches salmon weighing from 20 to 30 pounds each.

Allen Morrell has been elected a director of the First National Bank in Brunswick.

Dr. Francis Sleeper, former assistant commissioner of mental diseases for Massachusetts, is now superintendent of Augusta State Hospital.

Evarts Wagg writes that his son, Evarts, Jr., was a member of the Coolidge High School football team, champions of the District of Columbia, and is also an honor student.

#### 1923 - Secretary, RICHARD SMALL 59 Orland Street, Portland

Eaton Lothrop was promoted to lieutenant colonel in the Army Medical Corps in November, and is on the inactive, retired status.

1. Eight. Joseph McKeen (1802-07), Jesse Appleton (1807-19), William Allen (1819-39), Leonard Woods (1839-66), William Allen Samuel Harris (1866-71), Joshua Chamberlain (1871-83), William De Witt Hyde (1885-1917), Kenneth C. M. Sills (1917-

2. September 3, 1802.

3. (a) Trustees: H. L. Berry '01, Philip Dana '94, J. F. Dana '95, H. D. Gibson '02, A. T. Gould '08, W. D. Ireland '16, W. W. Lawrence '98, H. A. Moore '95, J. A. Peters '85, F. W. Pickard '94, K. C. M. Sills 'or (ex-officio), F. H. Swan '98, E. F. Abbott '03; Secretary, W. H. Farrar '14.

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Emery Mallett has been elected town treasurer of Farmington.

Senator George Varney of Kittery was renamed president of the Maine Senate for the meeting of the 93rd Legislature. He was also named to the executive committee of the Maine Bar Association.

Philip Wilder has been elected president of the Brunswick-Bath Reserve Officers Association.

#### 1924 Secretary, CLARENCE D. ROUILLARD 24 Roxborough Drive Toronto 5, Ontario, Canada

Jake Aldred and Dorothea F. Leland were married in Kennebunk recently. They are making their home in Brunswick, where Jake is an attorney.

After two years on the West Coast, Buck Dunphy is back in New England, still with Du Pont Company, still single, still happy. His address is 1401 Beacon Street, Brookline, Mass.

Rupert Johnson of Sebago Lake has been elected vice president of the Maine Association of Principals of Secondary Schools for this year.

Rev. Albert Kettell, formerly of Gorham, has a church in Atlantic City, N. J.

Robert Lavigne is a foreman for Cushman's Bakery in Lynn, Mass.

Brooks Savage is representing Somerset County in the Maine Senate.

1925 Secretary, WILLIAM H. GULLIVER, JR. 1 Federal Street, Boston, Mass.

James Berry writes that he is living in Rocky River, Ohio. Jim has recently taken over Ohio's largest Buick dealership, that

Donald Cummings reports a son, Arthur Lee, who arrived on January 11, and wants to enter Bowdoin in the Class of 1967.

Mr. and Mrs. Coffin C. Wilson, Jr., of Paoli, Pa., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Frances Williamson, to Laurence Frizzell of Evanston, Ill. He is assistant professor of chemistry at North-

Rev. Philip Gregory has moved from Kalkaska, Mich., to Brooklyn, Mich.

Archibald Hepworth is back at Williston Academy, where he is head of the history department and coach of various athletic squads. He left the Navy a lieutenant commander.

Horace Hildreth, re-elected Governor of Maine, recently addressed a joint session of the House and Senate of the 93rd Legislature at inaugural ceremonies of his second two-year term.

Lawrence Page of Sanford has been named a delegate to the New England Council from the Maine Association of Principals of Secondary Schools.

James Shea is located at the Waterbury Club, Waterbury, Conn., and has just been

# Quiz Answers

worth '86, A. Woodcock '12, L. V. Walker '03; secretary, J. A. Aldred

- 4. Bowdoin 26, Williams o; Bowdoin 6, Colby o.
- 5. Orient, 1871; Bugle, 1858; Quill, 1897.
- 6. 960. 7. The Class of 1900, following an inter-
- class fight. 8. Gen. Thomas H. Hubbard, 1857; Adm. Robert Peary, 1877; Comdr. Donald MacMillan, 1898.
- 9. 56.5% of Alumni with good addresses, who were solicited last year, actually contributed to the Bowdoin Alumni Fund. Other 1946 results of interest are: Amherst, 43.6%; Brown, 40.8%; Dartmouth, 60%; Mt. Holyoke, 52%; Princeton, 42%; Smith, 26.6%; Vassar, 62.3%; Wellesley, 51.1%; Wesleyan, 41%; Worcester Tech, 50%; Yale, 40.3%. Exact comparisons are difficult as some colleges do not give percentage credit for lost but living alumni as we do, and others compute on graduates only. Bowdoin's participation record is widely envied.

10. (a) 1889—Tufts 8, Bowdoin 4; (b) 1872—Bowdoin 25, Bates 19; (c) 1868 interclass track meet; 1895 Maine intercollegiate meet; 1887 New England intercollegiate meet.

11. Twelve were Bowdoin men. R. P. T. Coffin '15, P. D. Crockett '20, L. A. Crosby '13, R. Hale '10, E. B. Ham '22, E. E. Kern '11, L. B. Leighton '25, J. P. Pettegrove '30, D. R. Porter '06, D. M. Swan '29, A. Thomson '21, N. Tuttle '14. Richard L. Chittim '41, recently elected, makes the count thirteen.

- 12. (a) 1885-\$378,273; (b) 1915-\$2,312,-868; (c) 1945—\$8,844,995; (d) \$2,000,-000 new endowment, \$2,000,000 added maintenance funds and \$500,000 scholarship funds, in addition to \$2,800,000 for buildings. Other endowments: Williams -\$12,000,000; Amherst-\$19,000,000 and currently raising \$2,000,000 more.
- 13. Football Adam Walsh; track John J. Magee; baseball—Daniel K. MacFayden; swimming-Robert B. Miller; basketball Ervin Huether.

14. Charles T. Burnett

1904-1946 Psychology Henry L. Chapman 1869-1913 English Parker Cleaveland 1805-1858 Science

Henry Johnson

1877-1918 Modern Languages Wilmot B. Mitchell

1893-1939 English William A. Moody

1884-1926 Mathematics

Alpheus S. Packard

1819-1884 Classics and Literature Kenneth C. M. Sills

1906-1947 Classics and Literature William Smyth

1823-1868 Mathematics

Thomas C. Upham

1824-1867 Philosophy

Roscoe J. Ham 1901-1907

German 1909-1946

(An interrupted term of 43 years)

15. Saturday, June 7, 1947. 16-211,501. Amherst has 245,000; Williams has about 198,000; Wesleyan has about 309,000.

appointed head of the club management division of Treadway Inns.

Lt. Col. Albert Tolman recently returned to civilian life after three and a half years in the Army. While in the service he received the Bronze Star for service in Italy in 1944, the Legion of Merit, and Army Commendation Ribbon with an oak leaf cluster. Presently he is manager of the New York City office of Peat, Marwick, Mitchell

Newell Withey is teaching at the New York Military Academy in Cornwall, N. Y.

#### 1926 Secretary, Albert Abrahamson 76 Federal Street, Brunswick

Carleton Andrews is spending the winter in Miami, Fla.

John Aspinwall is with the Associated Press in New York City and lives in Brightwaters, N. Y.

Roger Littlefield is a restaurant manager in Wrentham, Mass.

A son, Bruce Dillon, was born on August 14 to the Kenneth MacLeans.

Philip Palmer is associate professor of German at Clark University, Worcester,

George Robinson's address is 19 E. Edgewood Terrace, Belle Haven, Alexandria, Va. Jerome Watson, director of purchasing and stores for Florida Power Corporation

and past president of the Purchasing Agents Association of Florida, has been named director of the National Association of Purchasing Agents.

#### 1927, Secretary, George C. Cutter 654 Woodland Avenue Birmingham, Mich.

Red Sox fans will be pleased to know that a Bowdoin man, Hodding Carter, was toastmaster at the banquet which Mississippians tendered to Dave Ferris.

Ed Hutchinson is associate professor of sociology at the University of Pennsylvania.

Robert Michie has been promoted to vice president in charge of revenues of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone companies, and has been transferred from Richmond, Va., to Washington, D. C., to assume his new duties. He first joined the company as a statistical clerk in 1927.

Lt. August Miller is an instructor in diplomatic history at the U.S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md.

Roswell Moore is in business for himself as a manufacturers' agent for lockers, steel shelving, and steel benches.

Benjamin Proctor has moved from Providence, R. I., to 19 Bonwood Street, Newtonville, Mass.

Alden Sawyer who was elected a member of the Portland school committee last fall, has been out of circulation of late with a troublesome abscess.

#### 1928 Secretary, WILLIAM D. ALEXANDER Middlesex School Concord, Mass.

Benjamin Butler of Farmington was elected governor of the Maine Society of Mayflower Descendants at a recent meeting of that group.

A daughter, Deborah, was born last May to the Bill Dunbars, who are back in Birmingham, Ala. Bill is distributor of radios and electrical appliances and operating his own company, the W. M. Dunbar Company.

Webster Fisher is living in Rochester, N. Y., where he is a chemical engineer.

Roger Luke is still connected with the Hyde Windlass Company of Bath. This year he was elected to the Board of Assessors in Bath, and is also prominent in the Boy Scout movement.

Stephen Trafton of Lewiston was elected president of the Corporate Fiduciaries Association of Maine during the annual fall meeting. He succeeds John Vose '22 of Bangor, retiring president. George Peabody '34 was a speaker at the meeting and Alden Sawyer '27 of Portland was re-elected secretary-treasurer of the group.

Frank Walch is a Bath resident and employed by the Hyde Windlass Company.

#### 1929 Secretary, LeBrec Micoleau c/o General Motors Corporation 1775 Broadway New York City 19, N. Y.

Alden Hull is manager of the St. Johnsbury House, St. Johnsbury, Vt.

James Joslin is associated with the law firm of Caiger & Gramkow of Boston.

Donald Macurda has moved from Scarsdale, N. Y., to Pleasantville, N. Y.

The class secretary has moved from Alpine, N. J., to Haworth, N. J.

Hamilton Oakes is director of the Oakland, Calif., Blue Cross.

Harold Rehder was promoted last October from associate curator to curator of the division of mollusks at the U.S. National Museum.

Prescott Vose, appointed director of the Maine OPA four years ago, resigned his office at the start of this year and has been appointed purchasing agent at Harvard University.

#### 1930 Secretary, H. PHILLIP CHAPMAN, JR. 508 Cold Spring Avenue West Springfield, Mass.

Dr. Ronald Bridges, president of Pacific School of Religion, Berkeley, Calif., was speaker at the Sunday chapel service on January 26.

Herbert Chalmers is in West Barrington, R. I., as manager of the telephone company in Providence.

The secretary was recently elected president of the Bowdoin Club of Springfield.

Bill Dean is in the department of economic affairs of the Secretariat of the United Nations.

Dr. Gerald Garcelon has his practice in West Newton, Mass.

Bill Heath is an instructor in government at Champlain College, Plattsburg,

Raymond Jensen, Portland attorney, won the office of councilor-at-large in the recent Portland municipal election.

James Pettegrove is in the Army. His address is I.S.B. Unit 2, APO 174, c/o Postmaster, New York City.

Hewlett Stone has moved from Lexington, Mass., to 4 Ardley Place, Winchester,

Dr. Benjamin Whitcomb is a surgeon in West Hartford, Conn.

Vance Williams, a major in the Army, is an investigator for the War Crimes Group. 1931 Secretary, Albert E. Jenkins 515 Maulsby Drive Whittier, Calif.

Arthur Decks is with the Northwood School, Lake Placid Club, N. Y.

Al Fenton is editor of the house publication and doing public relations for Textron, Inc., in Providence, R. I.

Lendall Smith is secretary of the Kenne-

bunk Fire Society.

Austin "Spike" Smithwick is associated with A. W. Smith & Company, Inc., of Boston. He and Frances have an apartment at 6 Mount Vernon Square, Boston. Spike was recently released from the Coast

John Lochhead is now with the library of the Mariners' Museum, Newport News, Va., and is taking a full year's course in library science at Columbia University this year. His New York City address is 405 Furnald, Columbia University, New York City 27.

Robert McFarland has moved from Maryland to Unionville, Chester County, Pa.

#### 1932 Secretary, GEORGE T. SEWALL c/o Young & Rubicam, Inc. 285 Madison Avenue New York City, New York

Frank Carpenter, out of the Army, is representing United Film Service, Inc., of Kansas City, Mo., in the Northwest.

Clyde Dolloff was transferred from Maine to Vermont last July as an employee of the American Agricultural Chemical Company of North Weymouth, Mass. He is living on Montpelier Road, Barre, Vt.

Dick Durham writes of the birth of a son, Arthur, on September 27. Dick is spending a year in pathology at the University of North Carolina Medical School, but hopes to be moving north next spring to another job and be on hand for the 15th reunion.

Robert Grant recently received a card from Susumu Kawakami, who was in Japan throughout the war. Su wrote that he was not called to the front during the war, and is living at 40 Nishi-Ashiya-cho in Ashuya-City, Hyogo-ken, Japan, with his wife and two children, a girl 9 and a boy 7.

Gordon Knight reports the arrival of David Curtis on September 21-"our third small fry." The Knights are living at 61 Woodstock Road, Hamden, Conn.

Stephen Lavender's third son was born on November 17, and named John Oliver, after John Creighton, former classmate.

Stephen Leo has been appointed civilian advisor to Brig. Gen. Emmett O'Donnell, AAF Director of Information. Steve arrived in Washington from Berlin, Germany, in November, having previously served as deputy to Sumner Sewall H'44 in the American Military Government Germany.

To complete a mixed quartet of boygirl, boy-girl, Grace Gardner was born last April to the Ned Packards.

James Scholefield has joined North American Life & Casualty Insurance Company of Minneapolis as agency director. Formerly with the West Hartford, Conn., office, he will live at 2200 Oliver Avenue, South, Minneapolis, Minn.

Marion Short is on leave from American Airlines to start a manufacturing business

called Bell Products, Inc.

Lincoln Smith's address at the University of Southern California is 10947 Wilkins Avenue, Los Angeles 24, Calif. He spent Christmas vacation at home in Brunswick.

Donald Stockman this year became president of Count-Rite Industries, Chicago, Ill.

Hugh Tuttle and his wife have opened a camera shop in Fort Pierce, Fla., where they reside all year round. Although their son is still in grade school, he's talking of the time when he'll be "going to Bowdoin in the fall."

1933 Secretary, John B. Merrill Box 175, Towanda, Pa.

Richard Boyd has been elected to a fiveyear term on the Portland City Planning Board. He was discharged from the Army a major, after five years' service.

Newton Chase has been appointed assistant headmaster of the Thacher School in Ojai, Calif., where he teaches history, Latin, and Greek.

Dr. Oscar Hanscom, formerly of Norway, is now living in Sanford.

Arthur Jordan has moved from Rutland, Vt., to Wallingford, Vt.

Donald McCormick and the former Jean Currie Campbell of Springfield, Mass., were married on January 1 at Lenox, Mass.

Winthrop Prescott lives at 932 Ideal Way, Charlotte, N. C.

Eliot Smith is with the Travelers Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn., and is working with the Boston office as field assistant.

Hall Stiles has moved from Marblehead to 97 Beach Bluff Avenue, Swampscott, Mass, 1934 Secretary, REV. GORDON E. GILLETT Cathedral House Garden City, L. I., N. Y.

Robert Fletcher is living in Wilmington, Del., where he is assistant supervisor with the Du Pont Company.

Robert Foster is with the Arlington Trust Company of Lawrence, Mass., and resides in Topsfield, Mass.

After his release from the U. S. Navy Chaplaincy in October, Rev. Lloyd Hackwell became rector of St. Andrew's Church in Albany, N. Y.

Roger Hall joined the Teaching Films, Inc., organization last fall, and is located temporarily with offices at the American Book Company, 88 Lexington Avenue, New York City.

Walter Hinkley is living in Lancaster,

From Upperco, Md., comes word that Jerome Kidder is employed there as an assistant personnel manager. He formerly lived in Baltimore.

Thurman Larson has entered the Army Medical Corps and is stationed with the Third Army in Europe.

Harold Siegal has changed his name to Harold Chandler and is presently serving as chief resident surgeon on medical service at the Boston City Hospital. He was discharged from the Army a year ago as a major in the Medical Corps after 53 months in the service, mainly with the 16th General Hospital in the European Theatre and with the 229th General Hospital in Japan.

Norman Slayton has moved from Amherst, N. H., to Milford, N. H.

Donald Smith is secretary-treasurer of the Concord Lumber Corporation of Concord, Mass.

Dr. Fred Sweetsir, discharged from the AAF Medical Corps a year ago, has returned to Merrimac, Mass., where he has his practice.

Robert Winchell is located in Bingham with the Allen Quimby Veneer Company.

The engagement of Miss Janet E. Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Brown of Flushing, L. I., N. Y., to Blakeslee Wright of Newtonville, Mass., has been announced.

Dr. Bill Tench and his English bride are settled in their new home in Clearwater, Fla. He has his office in that city.

Carl Weber is at the Hopkins School in New Haven, Conn., where he is teaching Latin and English. His third son, John Paul, was born in New York City on March 7, a year ago.

1935 Secretary, PAUL E. SULLIVAN 352 Walnut Avenue Long Beach 4, Calif.

George Bartter is in the publishing business in Chappaqua, N. Y.

After service in the South Pacific, Capt. Charles Begg has been discharged from the Army Medical Corps.

Robert Dunton reports two children, Robert, Jr., age four and a half, and John Magune, born last April. Bob is now section chief of the budgets and results accounting division of Western Electric Company in Kearny, N. J.

Charles Garcelon is an accountant and lives in Wilkinsonville, Mass.



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HAROLD E. FOOTER

Manager

Allan Hubbell has moved from Amityville, N. Y., to 419 West 118th Street, New York City.

A new addition has joined the Elias Long family. A son, Richard Alan, was born on August 30.

Stanley Sargent is selling insulated wire and cable throughout New England for Rockbestors Products Corporation of New Haven, Conn.

Donald Usher is out of the service and back with Pan American Airways, Chrysler Building, New York City, as director of traffic procedures.

Robert Whitmore, married in December, 1945, is operating a sport fishing boat in Florida.

#### 1936 Secretary, Hubert S. Shaw St. Albans School Washington 16, D. C.

Robert Ashley is teaching English at Harvard and writing a thesis for his Ph.D. Richard Charles has moved from Framingham, Mass., to Fayville, Mass.

Harry Clark is living in Los Angeles, and works with the General Petroleum Company.

From Philadelphia comes word from Howard Dana of his new job as manager of the paper division of the Curtis Publishing Company. He has four children: Howard, Jr., Katherine Hale, Matilda Clifford, and Margaret Ellen.

Franklin Hamlin, after receiving his M.A. from Middlebury last June, is now studying in Paris. His address is Grand Hotel St. Michel, 19 Rue Cujas, Paris, France.

Bill Hooke has moved from New Hartford, N. Y., to 28 Euclid Avenue, Maplewood, N. J.

Bickford Lang writes that he is finally ready to start practice as a pediatrician. He's located in Erie, Pa.

Rodney Larcom has been appointed assistant medical director for John Hancock Life Insurance Company of Boston, Mass. Following his graduation from Harvard Medical School in 1940, he served a twoyear internship at the Massachusetts Memorial Hospital, and served in the Army Medical Corps during the war.

Dr. Wilbur Manter is resident physician specializing in internal medicine at the Rhode Island Hospital, Providence.

A son, John Gibson, was born to the Robert Proutys of Spencer, Mass., on December 28.

Gaynor Rutherford, out of the Navy, is in law practice with Joseph Wiggin at 27 State Street, Boston, Mass.

Winthrop Walker is with the Canal National Bank in Portland.

#### 1937 Secretary, WILLIAM S. BURTON 1425 Guardian Building Cleveland, Ohio

Bill Diller is chief production engineer with Pitney-Bowes, Inc., of Stamford, Conn.

Dr. and Mrs. Paul Gilpatric are in the market for bids to 1960 houseparties for their new daughter, Beth.

Now back teaching English at Harvard, Frederick Gwynn writes that he spent last summer as aide and flag lieutenant to Fleet Admiral W. F. Halsey on a goodwill tour of South America.

Charles Harkins has moved from Buffalo to 183 Rawlinson Road, Rochester, N. Y. He is with the FBI.

Bob Porter, on inactive duty after nearly five years in the Army, is back teaching social studies and coaching track at Germantown Academy, Philadelphia, Pa.

Dr. Joseph Rogers is resident in medicine at Boston City Hospital, and has been appointed resident at the Joseph H. Pratt Diagnostic Hospital for this year.

Dr. Sumner Sapiro, formerly of Hampton, Va., is practicing dentistry in Rockland.

Norman Seagrave was appointed secretary of the economic division of the U.S. Coordinating Committee on November 18.

Eaton Tarbell of Bangor has been named architect for a \$500,000 housing development to be erected this spring in Orono adjoining the University of Maine campus.

Dr. John Twaddle has opened an office for the general practice of medicine at Glen, N. H.

Gerald York has received his discharge from the Army and has been appointed instructor in mathematics at Bowdoin. He and Mrs. York are living on School Street, Brunswick.

#### 1938 Secretary, Andrew H. Cox 51 High Street, Bangor

Bill Fish has a daughter, Susan, born on November 14.

John Forbes is director of the William L. Hornaday Foundation of New York City, and is in Atlanta, Ga., setting up children's museums.

Lt. Comdr. Claude Frazier is attached to the aircraft carrier Tarawa and writes that he is flying Corsairs both on and off the ship and the fighter strip at Saipan.

William Frost has been elected to the Yale Elizabethan Club.

A son was born to the Richard Griffins on October 22. Richard is a public accountant in New York City.

Robert Hawley is with Connell Brothers Company, Ltd., in Hong Kong, China. He expects to remain there for the next three years.

Robert Laffin is president of the Laffin Supply Corporation of Charlestown, N. H.

John Redman is back in Philadelphia, having completed his project in Newburyport, Mass., and is still with the Philadelphia Red Cross Fund Campaign. As a hobby he is stage crew chairman of Plays and Players, a well known little theatre group in Philadelphia.

Bill Rice is assistant manager of the retail development division of General Electric Company, located in Plainfield, N. J.

Dave Soule has been appointed adjudicator of the Veterans' Administration at Togus.

Selah Strong has moved to 14 Hawthorne Place, Summit, N. J.

Carl de Suze is planning to take his wife and child to Paris, France, to cover the spring fashion shows and see relatives there.

Bill Tootell is celebrating his sixth year with the FBI.

#### 1939 Secretary, JOHN E. RICH, JR. International News Service Tokyo, Japan

Charles Campbell was married last July in Washington, D. C., to Miss Marion Wade Doyle, daughter of the dean of Columbian College, George Washington University, Henry G. Doyle and Mrs. Doyle. According to the latest news received, Charles was going to Frankfurt, Germany, as a writer for the War Department, and Mrs. Campbell was going along as a foreign newspaper correspondent.

Vernon Carten is a salesman with the coated fabrics division of the U.S. Rubber Company. For six years he was a development chemist with the company.

Malcolm Creighton is teaching piano at the New England Conservatory of Music. He lives at 19 Shattuck Road, Watertown, Mass.

Philip Crowell has moved to 21 Sycamore Lane, Hingham, Mass.

Louis Garcelon is a food broker in Read-

Charles Gibbs has been with the Associated Wire and Steel Company in Millbury, Mass., but expected to be transferred to Cleveland, Ohio, the first of the new

Bill Ittmann has been promoted to manager of the media department of Procter and Gamble Company, and is located in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Harold Lehrman, released from the Navy, is at George Washington University Hospital in Washington, D. C., as a fellow in neuropathology.

Fred McKenney is an insurance broker in Melrose Highlands, Mass.

Ross McLean, who was separated from the Navy last August after nine months in Tsingtao, China, with the Marine Corps, is now a fellow in medicine at Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md.

Paul Messier is a physician on the staff of the New York Hospital at 525 East 68th Street, New York City.

A daughter, Nancy, was born to the John Padburys early in January.

George Reardon is an industrial expediter in Quincy, Mass.

Ted Stern is teaching anthropology at the University of Pennsylvania.

Ken Sullivan is in Berlin, Germany, as a War Department civilian employee.

Col. Philip Tukey has been named to head the 101st Fighter Group of the Maine National Guard.

Ralph Wylie is out of the service and living at 6 Symphony Road, Boston, Mass.

#### 1940 Secretary, NEAL W. ALLEN, JR. Girard College Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bliss of Chapel Hill, N. C., have announced the birth of a son, David Francis, on October 18.

Fred Dambrie was recently married to the former Miss Louise R. Lee of Portland.

Mary and Peter Donovan of Pittsfield, Mass., are announcing the birth of Mark Averill on December 9, 1946.

Guy Hunt writes that he and Dick Ber-'45 are salesmen for the same food brokerage firm in Boston.

Walt Loeman has moved to 89 School Street, Manchester, Mass., where he is associated with an iron foundry.

Gordon MacDougall is teaching Spanish at the University of Michigan.



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Mr. and Mrs. Leslie W. McKay have announced the marriage of their daughter, Nancy Allen, to Philip Young, last October 20, at Milton, Mass.

John Marble was graduated from Harvard Law School in November and is now with the law firm of Deland & Rockwood of 22 Beacon Street, Boston. He is studying for the Massachusetts and Maine bar exams.

Ralph Reynolds has moved from New Britain, Conn., to 6334 Sunset Drive, Cleveland, Ohio.

John Stewart has been in Washington, D. C., with the insurance division of the Veterans' Administration since August, as an analyst on the staff of the director. His address is 5409 34th Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

A second child and daughter was born to the Bob Thayers last June, and named Barbara.

On September 6, Horace Thomas married Martha Presnell of Portland, sister of the late Capt. John Presnell '40, who was killed while a Japanese prisoner of war.

Paul Wheeler is a traveling visitor for Chi Psi fraternity.

1941 Secretary, Henry A. Shorey, 3RD 2 Chestnut Street, Boston, Mass.

Charles Badger is working in a strip coal-mining plant in Madisonville, Ky.

Bob Barton is assistant information attache at the U. S. Embassy in Montevideo, Uraguay.

Hank Bonzagni's home address is 10 Pearl Street, Waterville.

Rev. and Mrs. William Booth are in South Africa under the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions. They are teaching at the Adams Mission Station in Natal, South Africa.

Dick Chittim was one of 18 collegemen in the nation selected to receive a Rhodes Scholarship. He expects to enter Oxford in September.

Orville Denison has a daughter, Deborah, born on October 10 in Portland. Orville hopes that she will go to Bowdoin—at least during 1964 houseparties.

David Dickson is a graduate student at Harvard Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, where he is working for his Ph.D. in English.

Dr. John Dorsey reports that he is practicing medicine in Portland, is married, and is the proud father of two children.

The engagement of Miss Cynthia Ann Nichols of Chicago to Charles Hartshorn of Walpole, Mass., has been announced. He served five years with the Navy.

Maxime LeRoyer is with the Proctor Ellison Company of Boston, Mass.

Ted Leydon is associated with the Ballinger Company, architects and engineers, of Philadelphia, Pa.

David Lovejoy, formerly of Yarmouth, is presently at Brown University graduate school in Providence, R. I.

A daughter, Katherine Hodge, was born on November 14 to Mr. and Mrs. John Marble of Dallas, Texas.

The engagement of Miss Cecil Leighton to Frederick Matthews has been announced. The wedding is scheduled for this month.

The Charles Mergendahls of Damariscotta have a daughter, Dabney, born on October 30.

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The Responsibilities of Victory, an address by H. W. Prentis, Jr., before the National Association of Manufacturers closed with the following words:

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Freemont Merrow has moved from Portland to Amsterdam, N. Y., where he is an insurance agent for John Hancock Insurance Company.

Bob Page has moved from Fort Kent to 5 Manor Road, Springfield, Mass.

Hal Pottle is with Doubleday & Company, New York publishers.

John Robbins is in the wool business in Boston.

John Sibley is employed with Eliot Bicknell, a Boston wool brokerage house.

1942 Secretary, John L. Baxter, Jr. Brunswick

Fred Blodgett, attending the Army X-Ray School, says that he recalls appreciatively the efforts of Professors Bartlett and Little to teach him physics.

Charles Bowers is working as pathologist for the occupation forces in Japan.

Jack Clifford is out of the Navy and at home in Lewiston.

Lt. George Cummings is with the Army Medical Corps at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas.

Albion Eaton is living in Scarsdale, N. Y., and working with Jones and Laughlin Steel Corporation.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles R. Joy of Newton Highlands, Mass., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Nancy, to Anthony Eaton. He is studying at the University of Chicago.

Dick Gardner is studying at the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy in Medford,

Capt. Fred Hall is at the London Embassy with the office of the Military Attache.

Harold Hendrickson is with the power markets division of the Reclamation Bureau in Denver, Colo.

Donald Horsman has moved from Brighton, Mass., to RFD #6, Augusta.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis of North Haven have twin sons, George and James, born in Portland last April 16.

Out of the Army, Philip Morgan is attending Wesleyan University.

Donald Morse is out of the Navy and living at 48 Chestnut Street, Nutley, N. J.

Burton Robinson is a representative for Aetna Life Insurance Company in Norfolk, Va., and vicinity. He was married in January, 1946, to the former Anita Halstead of Cincinnati, Ohio, at the chapel of the Norfolk Naval Base. Burton was discharged last August with the rank of lieutenant.

From Randolph Sides comes the news that he is buying a home in Fayetteville, N. Y., and is anxious to meet any alumni in or around Syracuse.

Frank Smith is a radiotelephone engineer with the New England Tel and Tel Company.

Miss Margaret Alexandra White of Wiscasset was married to Rufus Stetson at St. Philip's Episcopal Church in Wiscasset on November 27.

Len Tennyson is with United Press, 819 Madison Avenue, New York City.

Rev. and Mrs. Maxwell Welch have been appointed career Congregational missionaries by the American Board of Missions for rural work among the Ovimbundú people of Angola, West Africa. The Welches have two children, Kenneth, two and a half years old, and Thomas, one year.

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Johnnie and Jan Williams are parents of a son, David Pratt, born on December 20.

1943 Secretary, John F. Jaques 273 State Street, Portland

After receiving his M.D., Charles Colburn went on active duty with the Navy, and is stationed at the veterans' hospital in Bedford, Mass.

Phil Cole has moved to Marshmellow Hill, Allenwood, N. J.

Norm Gauvreau has moved from Lewiston to Fort Ethan Allen, Vt.

Lt. (jg) Richard Goode was married last July to Miss Mary Lee Minter of West Hartford, Conn., a graduate of Connecticut College for Women in 1946. He was attached to the *Admiral Papps* in the Pacific during the war, and is presently on the Coast Guard cutter *Bibb*, with headquarters in Boston, Mass. The Goodes live at 336 Commonwealth Avenue, Boston.

Donald Hamlin is at Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vt., studying for his Masters degree.

Roscoe Ingalls is employed with the brokerage and investment firm of Ingalls & Snyder, 100 Broadway, New York City.

Lt. (jg) Bob Marr has been appointed to the regular Navy and is on a destroyer escort working with aircraft carriers. Recently he became father of an eight-pound baby girl. He is stationed on the USS Coolbaugh (DE-217).

Robert Qua's address is 420 W. Surf Street, Chicago 14, Ill., Apt. 306.

Bill Simonton planned to attend insurance school in Boston for six weeks starting last month.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Lawson of Brooklyn, N. Y., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Kathleen, to Arthur Sullivan. He is with White & Case in New York City.

After 30 months' duty, Harlan Taylor was separated from the Navy and is now with the research division of the United Aircraft Corporation as aeronautical engineer specializing in wind tunnel work. He lives at 56 Home Terrace, East Hartford, Conn.

Lt. (jg) Sewall Webster and Miss Wiletta German, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank German of Pittsburg, Kan., were married at Pittsburg in December. Following a wedding trip to the Ozarks, the couple are at home now in Augusta. He is on terminal leave from the Coast Guard.

Warren Wheeler writes that his son, Richard Hoagland, was born on November 14. Warren will receive his B.J. at the University of Missouri School of Journalism this month, but will remain there to work on his Masters and also teach as graduate assistant in journalism.

1944 Secretary, J. Edward Ellis 7422 Boyer Street Mt. Airy, Philadelphia, Pa.

Bob Bassinette is now with the Mas-Con Printing Company in New York City.

Vance Bourjaily was married to Miss Bettina Yensen of Camino, Calif., on December 26 at the home of Burt Whitman '35, in Brunswick.

Irving Callman is employed by the Armstrong Cork Company in Lancaster, Pa. His work is in the glass and closure division.

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Elliot Cohen has changed his name to Elliot Chase.

Walt Daniels is with the American Optical Company in Southbridge, Mass., working with the quality control division.

Walt and Lillian Donahue are proud parents of Walter Scott, III, who was born on Jan. 11. They are living in Taunton, Mass.

Holden Findlay is with the National Cash Register Company in Bangor.

John and Jeanne Harrington are parents of a son, John Talbot, born on November 29 in Brunswick.

Stuart Hayes is at Harvard Law School. He is married to the former Ruth Marguerite Stacy of Dover-Foxcroft.

Jim Higgins has moved to 10 Sherman Avenue, Summit, N. J.

Dick and Marion Johnstone are living in Rockland, Mass. Dick is with the New England Tel and Tel Company in Brocton.

Frederick Lee is serving his internship at Cambridge Hospital.

Albert Long, still at the University of Chicago Law School, hopes to finish in Iune.

George Muller is a graduate student in

mathematics at Yale.

Ed Pennell, back on active duty with the Marine Corps, is stationed at the Philadelphia Navy Yard.

Philadelphia Navy Yard.

New address for Alan Perry is 80 Mount
Vernon Street, Boston, Mass. Formerly he
lived in Brookline.

Donald Philbrick is at Harvard Law School.

Dick Rhodes is at Storrs, Conn. On February 10 he accepted appointment as instructor in physics at the University of Connecticut.

instructor.

A men's clothing store has been opened in Brunswick by John Ryan, now completing his senior year in college.

1945 Secretary, Thomas R. Huleatt, Jr. 273 Middle Street Braintree, Mass.

Herb Babcock has joined the staff of the Brunswick Record as reporter.

Bernardo Gicovate has been appointed instructor in Romance Languages at Randolph Macon Woman's College, Lynchburg, Va.

Mrs. A. Y. Wellner of Ashland, Pa., has announced the engagement of her daughter, JuleAnne, to the class secretary. Miss Wellner is a student nurse at the School of Nursing, Columbia - Presbyterian Medical Center, New York City. Tom is attending the College of Physicians and Surgeons at Columbia University.

Lloyd Knight was married to Ellen Johanne Carleen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Carleen of Audubon, N. J., on December 14 at Logan Memorial Presbyterian Church, Audubon. Lendall Knight '41 was best man for his brother. Mrs. Knight is presently appearing in the musical version of Elmer Rice's *Street Scene* in New York City. Lloyd is attending the Philadelphia Academy of Vocal Arts.

Harold Marsh was married to Miss Marion Carhart of Warrenton, Va., on December 28 at St. James Church, Warrenton.

Alfred Perry is with the physics department at the University of Rochester, Rochester, N. Y., where he is a graduate

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Harold Vath writes that he is studying for his M.A. at the University of Ottawa, Ottawa, Canada.

1946 Secretary, MALCOLM CHAMBERLAIN 209 Court Street, Plymouth, Mass.

Beverley Campbell is working with the American Can Company in Baltimore, Md. Morgan Heussler was married to Betsy Case at the First Presbyterian Church in East Aurora, N. Y., on October 4.

Miss Frances Martin Shackelford, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John A. Shackelford of Martinsville, Va., was married to Brooks Russell Leavitt at Martinsville on December 28 at the Anderson Memorial Presbyterian Church. Best man was Walter Bartholomew, and ushers were Dexter Foss, Herb Spencer, Laureston Dobbrow, Joseph Flanagan, and John Dunlap, all members of Alpha Delta Phi at Bowdoin. The Leavitts are living in Brunswick.

Gordon McKinley has moved from Newton Centre, Mass., to 28 Farmington Avenue, Longmeadow, Mass.

1947 Secretary, Kenneth M. Schubert
Sigma Nu House
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The marriage of Jason Thurston and Miss Muriel L. Adams of Rockland took place at the First Baptist Church in Rockland on November 10. They are living in Rockland where he is employed by the House-Sherman Electrical Company.

Stan Weinstein's address is Benaki Hall, Athens College, Psychiko, Athens, Greece.

#### MEDICAL SCHOOL

1891 Dr. Willey Sincock of Caribou has been named president of the Aroostook County Federal Savings and Loan Association.

1901 Dr. Frank Leslie is spending the winter in St. Petersburg, Fla., and is staying at the Martha Washington Hotel there.

1904 Dr. William Hutchins, formerly of La Canada, Calif., has moved to 2502 Otis Drive, Alameda, Calif.

1917 James Moulton, 24-year-old son of Dr. John Moulton of Rangeley, died in Los Alamos, N. M., on November 27.

#### **FACULTY**

Professor Warren B. Catlin has been named to the nominating committee of the American Economic Association.

Dr. Manton Copeland was chairman of a session of the Ecological Society of America at a recent meeting in Boston.

Dr. Alfred O. Gross attended the meetings of the Massachusetts Audubon Society in Boston last month, and gave an illustrated bird lecture there.

Professor Cecil T. Holmes was speaker at a Parent-Teacher Association meeting in Brunswick in December. He discussed "The School Budget."

Professor Orren C. Hormell presided at a meeting of representatives of town, county, and state social and welfare agencies in Brunswick on January 16.

Dr. Wilmot B. Mitchell gave his traditional Thanksgiving talk to members of the Brunswick Rotary Club. He was presented to the group by Professor Herbert R. Brown.

It was erroneously reported in the November issue of the Alumnus that Professor Norman L. Munn was elected president of the American Psychological Association. Dr. Munn was elected president of the General Section of the American Psychological Association.

Coach George "Dinny" Shea was principal speaker at a testimonial sports banquet at the American Legion Home in Farmington in December.

#### FORMER FACULTY

James McConaughy; former President of Wesleyan University, was elected Governor of Connecticut last fall.

Adam Walsh, former head football coach at Bowdoin, has resigned his position as coach of the Los Angeles Rams professional football team and will return to Bowdoin as football coach.

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For the Seven Million the urgent responsibility is that we do our utmost to insure immediate and substantial increases in the financial and physical resources of our colleges and universities—"lest they fail in the greatest opportunity ever presented to them."

PRESIDENT Sills has announced that a concerted effort to supply Bowdoin with some of its long known major needs will be made. The committee appointed to consider those needs met on February 22 and weighed with care the survey which had been prepared by professional fund counsel. That survey presented a detailed study of Bowdoin's apparent needs and an analysis of the potentials to meet them. Stating that Bowdoin enjoyed a distinctive reputation for fine teaching and for the management of its affairs, fund counsel called attention to a disproportionate list of deficiencies in the financial and physical resources. Considering the reputation of the College for excellent work of high standard and the evidences of an unusual degree of alumni loyalty and support, the conclusion was that Bowdoin should conduct a campaign for capital sums and that such a campaign would be successful if the needs of the College were effectively made known. Fund counsel also offered a suggested plan and schedule of organization.

After long hours of discussion, the special committee unanimously voted to refer the survey to the Governing Boards as the committee's recommendation for action. At their special meeting on April 12, the Boards accepted the recommendation, voted to authorize the effort to raise capital sums amounting to more than \$6,000,000 and selected from their membership a committee which should set the program in motion. Chairman of that committee is Harvey D. Gibson '02. His associates are William D. Ireland '16 from the Trustees and Harry L. Palmer '04, Harold C. L. Ashey '12 and Earle S. Thompson '14 from the Overseers.

No definite plans have been made and no specific objectives have been determined but there is no doubt that the wherewithal to meet the publicized major needs of the College will be sought. It is expected that the campaign will be divided into an intensive effort of perhaps a year or two and a continuing effort which may extend over five or even more years. To the Alumni Council for its initial urgings, to the special committee for its studies and considered recommendations and to the Boards for their forthright acceptance of the task, are due the thanks of all to whom Bowdoin's well-being is dear.

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# Bowdoin Leisure 1840-1846

Richard P. Mallet '30 Explores Undergraduate Doings Of Yesteryear

ENRY W. LONGFELLOW and Nathaniel Hawthorne, in their college years, occasionally complained that Bowdoin and Brunswick afforded very few recreational opportunities. Several illustrious Bowdoin alumni have publicly taken notice of such statements, but have cautioned us not to feel too sorry for the early undergraduates. They point out that the resourcefulness and energy of youth formed a combination that resulted in the perpetration of highly imaginative extra curricular activities. The college historians assure us that life, in early American institutions, was far from Furthermore, these writers prove their point, but, in so doing, they overemphasize the former rowdyism and thereby present a distorted picture of old college years. There is no denying the precarious existence once led by unpopular tutors, nor the double role played by professors. These men of learning dispensed knowledge and encouraged wisdom during the day, but turned into vigilantes at night. Stationing themselves behind trees, they would dart out to seize a careless prankster, or chase the students into the pines. This certainly added to the

liveliness of college days and nights; it also increased the jollity of Commencement Day reminiscences. But we would be remiss in our duty if we did not speak of the other uses of leisure time.

Abundant proof exists for our contention that the student of a hundred years ago did not use all his spare moments in defying the college regulations. Many in those days kept voluminous journals, and Charles P. Roberts, of the class of 1845, was one of them. He was no better than an average student, but he had a commendable curiosity and an itch to write. The result is a fairly complete account of his four years at Bowdoin. One can overlook the mixed metaphors and bombastic style for the sake of those facts which are obtainable from no other source. He is not an entirely reliable witness because of his strong campus prejudices. He belonged to the Athenaean Society and the rival Peucinians filled him with disgust and bitterness. In his Junior Year he helped form the Chi Psi fraternity and then the targets of his satire were the Psi U's. As a fraternity member he helped pledge some of the Peucinians whom he had earlier

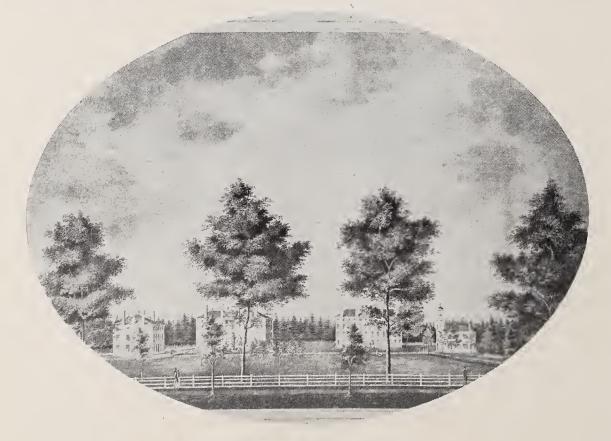
labeled "fiends and infidels." But it is time to take a look at other extra curricular activities of a century ago.

A Mr. Sprouts had a Writing School in town and many students attended the evening session. This sounds like a dreary way to spend an evening but Roberts found that it served well a double purpose. "I went down to my writing school where I made great improvements, both in writing and in accompanying the girls home."

The Tontine Hotel was the local Waldorf-Astoria and the scene of an increasing number of concerts in the 1840's. One night a quartette from Bath would charm the audience, the next evening a flutist and dancer would entertain. Dancing and singing schools were held at the local hostelry and Bowdoin students were much in evidence. Music might sometimes be heard outside the concert hall, for it was at this time that the pioneer brass band of Brunswick first thrilled its listeners.

Brunswick organized a Lyceum in 1843 and the series of lectures were well attended by both students and townspeople. The subjects were varied. One night "Ferox" Smyth, the Bowdoin elucidator of Calculus, would talk on "Explosion of Steam Boilers", and the next week Professor Goodwin would defend some of the ideas of Machiavelli. Elihu Burritt, the learned blacksmith, was a favorite with those who attended the Lyceum. Burritt greatly impressed Hanscom, Bowdoin 1846, who wrote in his journal: "I never heard as much originality— so many new ideas in a lecture. His language was lofty and beautiful. His delivery was natural and his voice deep and strong, as the arm that wields the sledge."

The so-called science of Phrenology claimed more than its fair share of charlatans in the "fabulous forties." The practitioners of the trade formed phrenological societies, published a magazine, and won the praise of Bowdoin students, President Quincy of Harvard, Whitman



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and Emerson. Many local collegians learned the art of exploring the bumps of caution and what-not. Roberts wrote in his journal, "had my cranium manipulated by a fellow student who has pursued the study of Phrenology for a considerable length of time— he gave me a good head."

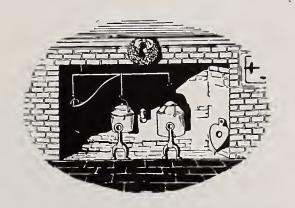
Professor Upham's course in Mental Philosophy was well received by the students, but the study of the mind that aroused their enthusiasm was Mesmerism. Some believed that the brain was affected by some strange electromagnetic fluid; others were satisfied that Mesmerism was the result of mental suggestion. Roberts wrote excitedly that a man, in this vicinity, had been operated on while under the spell.

It is difficult for us to realize the amount of interest that religious meetings had for the undergraduates of a hundred years ago. Those were tempestuous days along the theological front. Bowdoin had a faculty in the 1840's that was valiantly defending the citadel of modified Calvinism, but its ramparts were being attacked by Universalists, Unitarians, Methodists, Millerites, and countless other sects. The Bowdoin students were reading the sermons of Theodore Parker and William Ellery Channing. Another Unitarian, John Pierpont, was telling Maine audiences that the Bible was not always the final source of authority. This doctrine was more significant than many of his listeners realized. Methodist circuit riders were whipping their congregations into paroxysms of excitement. Many were converted only to backslide later. Nearly all the new Protestant sects invaded Brunswick and collegians attended emotion-charged revivals, either to scoff or to worship.

In 1831 William Miller, a dirt farmer of New York state, predicted the imminent second coming of Christ. His intricate calculations were based on the books of Daniel and Revelation. He assured his rural congregations that the Kingdom of Christ would cover the world sometime in 1843. Miller, and his disciples, convinced around a million hopefuls that his prophecy would be fulfilled. Great excitement spread throughout New York and New England; the millenium seemed "just around the corner."

Charles Roberts was a frequent attendant of Millerite meetings in Bangor and Topsham. He listened to their arguments and wrote scornfully in his journal about "the ignorant dupes." Roberts heard Professor Upham explain "the fallacy and deception of Father Miller's scheme yet he (Upham) could but think that we are now at an important crisis— that we are in the last, or approaching the last act."

When it seemed apparent to the Topsham Millerites that the earth was about to be destroyed they "assembled at Richardson's to await the end of the world. As the hands of the clock approached 12 midnight the Millerites were terrified, and as 1844 came in they seemed greatly relieved." Their relief was somewhat offset by their economic con-



dition. Firm in the belief that the Kingdom of Christ was to come in 1843, they had given their belongings away. This meant they had to receive help from kindly neighbors who had found flaws in the logic of the New York messiah.

The lack of organized athletics and gym classes at Bowdoin resulted in insufficient exercise for many. There were some, however, who managed to keep vigorous even before the days of Sargent and "Doc" Whittier. The game of bat and ball, forerunner of baseball, was popular; some grimly set aside time each day to saw wood. Many developed their muscles by pulling themselves up a rope in the old gym; others were satisfied to limit their exercise to walking with the girls. Cyrus Hamlin, in the 1830's, always walked from Brunswick to Portland (Yes, I said Portland).

Perhaps the game that consumed the greatest amount of the students' time was the game of politics. The Peucinian and Athenaean Societies were constantly debating such subjects as, "Is Free Masonry Incompatible with Democratic Institutions?" or "Is a War with Mexico Justified?"

Roberts, the journalist, wrote for posterity his reasons for not buckling down to study. "I cannot study this week— so many things upon the mind. Such enthusiastic Whig spirit and the excitement of election; all this has distracted my mind and incapacitated me for study." The worst distraction was yet to come for our reporter, because his beloved Whigs were beaten by Polk and Company. Roberts' journal carried a gloomy passage after he received the awful news. "The miserable Locos (Democrats) by the aid of their miserable and ignorant allies have carried the Presidential election. The news affected me more deeply than did the death of Gen. Harrison in 1841— for then I did not suppose the Whig policy was dead- now it is for the present. The business of this country will receive a powerful shock. At night some Locos of the town rang the Chapel and Town bells."

"I felt so depressed in spirit that I repaired to Topsham in the evening to Miss Foster's to receive consolation."

Life was not too dreary in Brunswick and Bowdoin a hundred years ago with Miss Fosters to extend consolation and sympathy.

Editor's Note: Through the courtesy of Mr. Fred W. Rust of Boston, the College has temporary custody of a journal written in 1846-47 by Isaac Winston Case of the Class of 1848, the great-grandfather of Donald E. Rust, Jr. '35. It is hoped that a way may be found to publish it.

#### Calendar

June 1

Baccalaureate

June 5

Meetings of the Boards

June 6

Alumni Council meeting Fund Directors meeting Alumni Association meeting

June 7

Commencement

June 16

Summer Trimester begins

September 20

Graduation

September 29

Fall Trimester begins

# The Alumni Council

IVING up their holiday and J braving some of the worst travel conditions of the winter, 25 members of the Alumni Council met for the second annual mid-winter oncampus meeting. Sessions began at 4:30 p.m. on Friday, February 21, and continued through the evening of that day and the forenoon of Saturday, February 22. Because of crowded conditions on campus, the College arranged overnight accommodations at the Hotel Eagle. At the initial business session the Council heard reports of various committee chairmen, applauded the arrangements of the Alumni Fund Directors whereby the ALUMNUS is now being subscribed to for every member of the alumni association, decided that the Snow Reunion Trophy for commencement attendance should be retired and not continued as a commencement award, recommended that the College arrange for the sale of luncheon tickets on Alumni Day much as football tickets are now distributed, and voted that appeals for funds to alumni should be restricted to the annual Alumni Fund appeal and any regularly organized extraordinary capital fund effort which the Boards might authorize.

Adjourning at quarter of six, the Council met in the Union for dinner as guests of the College. President Sills welcomed the Council and remarked on the encouragement which the administration received from so large an attendance of interested alumni. He reminded the Council that Bowdoin was now an annual million dollar operation and outlined some of the real problems which the administration faced. Although predictions were difficult, he anticipated that the large attendance at Bowdoin might continue for another several years. It is possible that the summer session may not be held after 1947. The President concluded his remarks with a report of progress made by the special committee on the needs of the College. He stated that that committee would meet directly upon the adjournment of the Council to consider a survey made by professional fund raising counsel. An informal question and answer period concluded the meeting. At 8:15 President Rounds called

to order the first major session in the Faculty Room in Massachusetts Hall. He announced that the topic of the session was to be Undergraduate Affairs and Campus Life and introduced five speakers who addressed the Council members and answered their questions.

Acting Dean Nathaniel Kendrick spoke of the present undergraduate body, its make-up and distribution in various housing areas in Brunswick and discussed some of the problems of undergraduate life.

Donovan D. Lancaster '27, Union Manager, outlined the newly installed cooperative buying system and the results which the dining services had been able to obtain so far. He was optimistic about the ultimate success of the operation.

William A. Dougherty '46, Student Council President, stated that undergraduate spirit was on the increase and that, as opposed to his report to the Council a year ago, the undergraduate paper now more truly represented student opinion. He outlined a plan for delayed rushing and pledging which the Student Council hoped to put into operation this summer.

Professor George H. Quinby '23, Director of Dramatics, gave a resumé of the work in dramatics at Bowdoin over the past twenty years and stressed the need for a little theater and modern equipment.

Professor Frederic Tillotson of the Department of Music gave a stimulating talk on the past ten years of music at Bowdoin and paid great tribute to the interest and work done by the large number of



THE ALUMNI COUNCIL

First Row: Rounds '20, Micoleau '29, President Sills, Roberts '95, Wheeler '98, Swan '29. Second Row: Ireland '42, Smith '15, Fifield '11, Willey '17, Twombly '13, Brown '14. Third Row: Smith '25, Marsh '12, Trafton '28, Little '17, McIntire '25, Chapman '28, Deering '25. Fourth Row: Philbrick '23, Cousins '20, Low '35. Not present when picture was taken, Joy '12, White '12, Weick '16, Haskell '33.

students working in the various musical organizations.

After a period of discussion, the Council adjourned at 10:45 p.m.

On Saturday, February 22, Council members were again guests of the College at an 8 o'clock breakfast in the Union. Promptly at 9 o'clock, President Rounds called the Council to order for its second major session with the topic Admissions, Prospecting, Scholarships and Public Relations.

Professor Edward S. Hammond, Director of Admissions, described the vast amount of work in his office as a result of the wave of applications and made a plea for continued alumni assistance that the better applicants might be selected. He stated that the pressure would extend through the coming year but that the large number of degrees to be granted in 1948 might provide more places for schoolboy applicants.

Professor Athern P. Daggett '25, Chairman of the Secondary School Committee, discussed the relations between the College and secondary schools and spoke hopefully of the work which Professor Perley Turner '19 was doing. A substantial increase in the number of Bowdoin men engaged in teaching may result. He paid tribute to Bowdoin's debating team, said it was probably the best since 1922. Professor Daggett said that the administration wants to install an assistant director of admissions but is waiting to secure the right man.

Malcolm E. Morrell '24, Director of Athletics, expressed the joy of the department and of the whole college upon the news of Adam Walsh's return to the position of head football coach and of Dinny Shay's decision to remain at Bowdoin and continue his work with Adam. Athletic victories have not been many but the varsity Swimming Team is Bowdoin's best in several years and has lost but one meet. He reviewed the remarks which he had made to the Council at last year's sessions and repeated his conviction that one of the real needs was to secure promptly the services of a capable field representative. Mr. Morrell emphasized again his conviction that we must do a great deal more of intelligent personal prospecting in the field, particularly in areas beyond New England. He assured the Council that

continued alumni assistance in the very important matter of interesting and selecting school boys of virile characteristics is vitally necessary. The proposed field man could do a great deal to organize and make more efficient alumni efforts in this direction.

Professor A. R. Thayer '22 of the Department of English spoke chiefly concerning scholarships and selection of those who were to receive them. He believes that Bowdoin can do more in this important field and again suggested provision for larger scholarships to be awarded to outstanding boys. Such a move would be entirely in line with practices at other institutions of our type.

Professor Herbert R. Brown of the English Department confined his remarks very largely to Public Relations which he said differed emphatically from Publicity in the accepted sense. Excellent teaching and an enthusiastic student body are two important features of any successful public relations program. He mentioned the College Catalog and other publications as forming an effective part of Bowdoin's advertising. Visits of President Sills and members of the Bowdoin faculty were constantly building good will both in Brunswick and in other territories from which students are drawn and the College was really enjoying a reputation for excellence in the work of its various departments. He stated that the least spectacular kind of public relations is probably the most effective. He expressed the hope that more Bowdoin men would enter the field of secondary school teaching.

In the long period of discussion which followed the appearance of speakers to the Council, members expressed general satisfaction that the College was handling its problems well. They were agreed that they had succeeded in becoming well informed and could carry a reassuring message back to the members of their respective clubs. Council members generally expressed disappointment over the fact that the College had not as yet been able to install the field representative which all had agreed last year was a necessary addition to the staff. In a formal vote, the Council urged the College to secure an able assistant to the Director of Admissions and arrange that his work in the field begin as soon as possible.

Instructing President Rounds formally to express to President and Mrs. Sills and to the members of the staff who had addressed them, the Council's appreciation of the hospitality extended and the assistance rendered in making the second annual campus meeting a decided success, the Council adjourned at 11:45 to attend a luncheon at the home of President and Mrs. Sills.

These doors presented to Bowdoin College by the Class of 1900 by request.

So reads a brass plate on the Chapel doors. Prompted by remarks in recent issues of the Alumnus, Rufus Y. Storer 'or supplies an eye-witness account of a Bowdoin "incident".

Fifty years ago next November the present Chapel doors were hung. On Hallowe'en of that year the Sophomores thought it would be a good prank to prevent Chapel exercises from being held the following morning, so they barricaded with settees the doors which then opened inward.

When it came time to ring the bell for Chapel and entrance couldn't be made, Isaiah Simpson, who was then in charge of the buildings, was notified and he cut a hole in one of the doors. Men entered the Chapel, removed the settees and placed them on each side of the broad aisle, for the Chapel seats were unfit for use as the Sophomores had smeared them all over with lard. In spite of the difficulties, exercises were held, at the close of which the Freshmen, contrary to custom, went out ahead of the Sophomores.

A short time later the 1900 vs. 1901 football game was played and was won by the latter class. To celebrate this victory the Freshmen had a bonfire in front of the Chapel using the old doors that had been left outside.

# Commencement Preview

BOWDOIN'S 142nd Commencement will be sandwiched in between spring trimester finals and the opening of the summer session which begins June 16. Baccalaureate on Sunday, June 1, and the customary meetings of the Boards on Thursday, June 5, are the preliminaries to crowded Friday and Saturday. Friday, June 6, the day of most alumni activity, is but three days away from the last examination. Where to house the largest graduating group since the war and how to provide for the host of alumni who reunion chairmen say are returning, are reasons for spiralling aspirin costs in the Bursar's office. But Glenn McIntire is hoping there will be beds on Friday night for those who plan to use them. Here are reunion plans as reported to the Alumni Office.

1897 The 50-year class will center its activities at the Union. Professor Emeritus Wilmot B. Mitchell '90 will be the guest of honor and Donald MacMillan '98, who was for three years a member of 1897, will be the toastmaster. Chairman Dr. John H. Morse expects 20 members and uncounted relatives to be present.

No report of 1902's plans has come in.

1907 Headquarters are at the Harriet Beecher Stowe House and the class dinner will be at Sunset Farm, Harpswell. Chairman John Leydon says that 40 members "and their families" will attend.

1912 Dr. Frank A. Smith, Chairman, will open headquarters in South Moore, Thursday, June 5. Between 40 and 50 members will attend the 35th. Ladies are to be quartered at the Lookout Point House, where the class dinner and outing are to be.

1917 Headquarters are in North Moore, where the class will hold a reception on Friday. Chairman Carl K. Ross expects at least 40 members of the class.

1922 The 25-year class has much underway. Quartered in South Hyde, 1922 opens its celebration at Pickard Field House on Thursday after-

noon and journeys to Brentwood in Yarmouth for the class dinner on Friday. George A. Partridge is chairman of a large and active committee which is arranging a full three-day program. Over 70 will attend.

1927 John McInnes is the 20th Reunion Chairman. Headquarters are in North Appleton and the class dinner will be held at the Gurnet House for the more than 65 expected.

1932 With double the attendance at previous reunions, Chairman Phil Dana, Jr., counts on an overflow of South Appleton — "sixty at least." Friday's outing and dinner will be at the Bath Country Club.

1937 Chairman Bill Owen says their tenth "will be something with 70 already checked in." Headquarters in North Maine "just aren't big enough." The program features are "movies of our campus days" shown by Charlie Brewster, an old-fashioned clam bake at Rock Hill Inn and "athletic contests, from softball to golf and horseshoes with 1942 — or anyone else."

1942 Dick Hanson heads the

Fifth Reunion committee. He expects 70 and more to register at South Winthrop headquarters. Friday's program includes the acceptance of all athletic challenges — from 1937 up — and a jambouree and shore dinner at Hope Farm.

At least one class has set in motion plans for next year. President Cedric Crowell has appointed to 1913's 35th Reunion Committee Lawrence W. Smith, Chairman, Chester G. Abbott, Robert W. Belknap, Reginald O. Conant, James L. Creighton, D. Earl Gardner, William J. Nixon, Sumner T. Pike and Luther G. Whittier. A class dinner will be held on Friday, June 6, notice of time and place to be posted at the library. Doc Smith and Rex Conant, being the Brunswick residents of the committee, are making arrangements.

If predictions of chairmen are borne out, there will be hammocks slung in and around the college dormitories. With transportation restrictions off, alumni — young and old — appear to be headed for Brunswick June 6 and 7. The 142nd Commencement may break some records.

## Where There's A Will There's A Way



## To Help Bowdoin College

The College has received notice of the following legacies:

From William A. Moody '82 \$20,000 for scholarships or other purposes in memory of Jennie L. Moody.

From John H. Payne '76' \$10,000 for scholarships.

From Ernestine A. Payne, subject to certain life tenures, \$62,500 to establish the John H. and Ernestine A. Payne Scholarship Fund.

From Thomas F. Quimby Med. '77 \$3,000 without restrictions.

From Anna S. Buck \$1,500 for pre-medical scholarships in memory of her husband, Dr. William Buck of the Class of 1859.

# A Silver Anniversary

1947 marks the twenty-fifth anniversary, not only of the Class of 1922 but of another college organization, the Society of Bowdoin Women. Organized at a meeting held in February, 1922, at the home of Mrs. William J. Curtis in New York City, the Society has developed to become an important factor in Bowdoin circles, particularly at Commencement time.

Original officers of the Association included Mrs. Kenneth C. M. Sills as Honorary President and three Honorary Vice Presidents, Mrs. Frances G. Allinson, honorary Litt.D. 1911, Miss Heloise E. Hersey, honorary A.M. '21, and Miss Anna W. Hubbard. Active President was Mrs. George C. Riggs, better known as Kate Douglas Wiggin, who had been given an honorary Litt.D. in 1904. The Executive Committee included Mrs. William J. Curtis, Mrs. Hoyt A. Moore, Mrs. Howard R. Ives, Mrs. Sidney W. Noyes, and Mrs. John W. Frost, who also served as Secretary-Treasurer.

Between the organization meeting and Commencement several meetings of interested women were held outside of New York.

Commencement headquarters the Society (in 1922) were established at 69 Federal Street and on Wednesday evening, after Shakespearean play, a reception was held with Mr. Frank H. Munsey as guest of honor and with Mrs. Ives and Mrs. Henry Hill Pierce as hostesses. On Thursday noon, at the time of the Commencement Dinner, a buffet lunch was served in Memorial Hall. Mrs. William J. Curtis and her daughter, Mrs. Henry Hill Pierce, were the prime movers in this affair which has since developed through the years into one of the most interesting and pleasant features of the traditional Bowdoin Commencement.

In 1923 the Society headquarters were again opened on Federal Street and it was announced that "light refreshments" would be available there throughout the Commencement period. The Thursday lunch was served in Hubbard Hall with tickets being sold in advance to interested ladies.

Through the years the program of Commencement hospitality has developed to a high point, particular attention being paid to the mothers of graduating seniors. These ladies have been provided with identifying



KATE DOUGLAS WIGGIN

badges and have been made the guests of the Society at the luncheon held on "Alumni Day," originally Wednesday and now Friday of Commencement week. This year the Friday luncheon will be held at the Harriet Beecher Stowe House, only a few doors from the original Federal Street headquarters, and the

Saturday luncheon, open not only to members but to all ladies on the campus, will be held in the gymnasium, where there will be an opportunity to hear the program at the Commencement Dinner.

Although the Commencement activities of the Society have been their most conspicious contribution to the College program, the ladies have been helpful in other ways, as well. They have contributed funds to provide an outstanding woman speaker at each of the twelve Bowdoin Institutes and have built up an endowment fund now amounting to more than \$30,000 for the general purposes of the College.

In this silver anniversary year the Society is still headed by Mrs. Sills as Honorary President, with Mrs. Frank A. Smith as President, Mrs. Chester G. Abbott, Vice President, Mrs. Kenneth G. Stone as Secretary, and Mrs. Stephen E. Merrill as Treasurer. Mrs. Rufus E. Stetson is Chairman of the House Committee and Mrs. William S. Linnell is in charge of the Saturday luncheon.

Bowdoin can well be proud of the Society of Bowdoin Women. She is outstanding among the nation's colleges for men, not only in the welcome offered to ladies who visit her campus at Commencement but in the year-round interest and support which she receives from the mothers, wives, and daughters of her sons.

# Art Acquisitions

THROUGH the generosity of two friends of the College, Bowdoin has recently been presented with a number of new paintings which make significant additions to the art collections.

In November 1946, Colonel Francis M. Weld of New York City gave the College a fine landscape, "A Cleared Spot in the Woods," by the American artist, Alexander Helwig Wyant (1836-92). Born in Ohio, a pupil of George Inness, Wyant studied in Germany and in England where he was influenced by the landscapes of Turner and Constable. Returning to this country, he devoted himself to

studies from nature. He overtaxed his strength on an expedition to the west and suffered a stroke in 1873 which crippled him for life. His later pictures were painted with his left hand, as he had lost the use of his right arm. Unable to move around, he used for his subjects the views from his porch in the Adirondacks and in the vicinity of another home in the Catskills. Instead of the large and expansive subjects of his earlier years, he turned to the more intimate aspects of nature, studying 'especially atmosphere and light. It is to this period that Colonel Weld's gift, now on exhibition in the Boyd Gallery of



"A CLEARED SPOT IN THE WOODS" BY ALEXANDER HELWIG WYANT

the Walker Art building, belongs. The College is fortunate to own this excellent example by one of the outstanding figures of American nineteenth century landscape art.

The course of American art in more recent years is admirably represented by five paintings presented to Bowdoin by James N. Rosenberg of New York. A lawyer by profes-

sion, Mr. Rosenberg has been painting for thirty years. Examples of his work are in such public collections as the Fogg Museum, Cambridge, Massachusetts, the Brooklyn Museum of Art, the Carnegie Museum in Pittsburgh, and the Philadelphia Museum. In addition to painting himself, Mr. Rosenberg has encouraged many other contemporary artists and is the owner of an outstanding collection of modern American painting. Visitors to the Walker Art Building last summer will remember the notable series of paintings, both by himself and other contemporaries, which Mr. Rosenberg loaned to the College at that time. From the paintings exhibited then, Mr. Rosenberg has most generously given five to Bowdoin. His own recent work is represented by two landscapes, "The Clouds Roll By" and "The Golden Trees". Also included in the gift are "Green and Gold" by Louis Michel Eilshemius, "Landscape" by Ernest Fiene, and "Skating Pond" by Lawrence Leb-

# Bowdoin In The News

For his personal services during the war, President Kenneth C. M. Sills has been awarded a certificate of \*commendation from the U. S. Navy. Lt. Robert S. Stearns, USNR, brought the award to Brunswick and, fittingly enough, Comdr. Noel C. Little '17 made the presentation.

When he terminates his leave this summer Dr. Paul Nixon will rejoin the Bowdoin Faculty as a teacher in



COMMANDER NOEL C. LITTLE '17 PRESENTS TO PRESIDENT SILLS THE NAVY CITATION, WHICH LT. ROBERT S. STEARNS HAD BROUGHT



FORMER DEAN PAUL NIXON

the Department of Classics. He has resigned as Dean of the College, a post which he held for 29 years. His successor as Dean is Prof. Nathaniel C. Kendrick of the History Department. Dean Kendrick has been serving as Acting Dean during Dean Nixon's absence.



DEAN NATHANIEL C. KENDRICK



AUSTIN H. MacCORMICK '15

On April 30, Austin H. MacCormick '15 was awarded the Presidential Medal for Merit in recognition of his services to the War Department on correctional problems. Now Executive Director of the Osborne Association, "Spike" was Bowdoin's first Alumni Secretary.



HON. JOHN A. PETERS '85

After 25 years as Judge of the U. S. District Court in Maine, Hon. John A. Peters '85 retired on March 14. At a dinner given by the Cumberland County Bar Association, he was presented a portrait of himself, done by Joseph B. Kahill. Carrying out his intention, made known to President Sills some years ago, Judge Peters has retired from his long and valuable service as a Bowdoin Trustee.

Succeeding Judge Peters, U. S. District Attorney John D. Clifford, Jr. '10 was confirmed as Federal Judge on March 14.



HON. JOHN D. CLIFFORD, JR. '10

Following the confirmation of Chairman Lilienthal, the Senate confirmed the appointment of his associates on the Atomic Commission. Among them is Sumner T. Pike '13, formerly Solid Fuels Advisor and for several years a member of the Securities Exchange Commission.



SUMNER T. PIKE '13



HARRISON M. DAVIS, JR. '30

Harrison M. Davis, Jr., '30, has been elected President of Nasson College at Springvale, Maine, and will take up his residence there on September 1. Nasson is a small college for women, offering a four-year course in practical and liberal arts, leading to the B.S. degree.

# Chairman Widgery Thomas '22 Reports Alumni Fund Progress

Student, teacher; dean and president. Kenneth Sills has been giving his all for Bowdoin for fifty years. As the human span goes, half a century is quite a long time to devote to any endeavor. All will agree that such continuous service permits a man to speak with some authority when he talks about his life work.

At the annual meeting of the Bowdoin Club of Portland, President Sills said that the Alumni Fund was the greatest single asset which Bowdoin has. I had never before heard the Fund evaluated in just those terms, so I asked the President to tell me why he rated our annual mass giving above all the other resources and treasures our college has.

Briefly this was his reply: "The combined annual gift which sharers in the Alumni Fund make for general college purposes is now so substantial as to be the equivalent of the income on nearly two million dollars of endowment which Bowdoin does not possess. In these days of declining returns on invested sums and mounting operation costs in every college department, it would be difficult indeed to overvalue such a gift. The Alumni Fund is dependable and recurring and is given with few restrictions as to its use. That sort of gift makes possible numerous items in the college program which cannot always be budgeted - those features which lift Bowdoin's offer to its students above mediocrity and which in large measure spell out the superiority that we Bowdoin men believe our college has. But of perhaps even greater importance is the stimulating fact that more than 3000 alumni now share in this yearly giving. Few alumni, not engaged in academic work, can appreciate fully what it means to those whose responsibility it is to keep the College going on its high standard when so many former students combine to show their loyalty and support in this impressive fashion. It is little short of thrilling to observe that the Directors of the Alumni Fund are now aiming at a Gentleman's Grade — a 70% participation. in the Alumni Fund gift."

Casey meant what he said. He is convinced that the Alumni Fund is Bowdoin's greatest single asset. What of us? Do we agree? Are we securing that asset?

In intercollegiate circles, Bowdoin's Fund ranks high with its 1946 record of nearly 60% participation. In 1947, our fluctuating list of Bowdoin alumni with good addresses will probably number between 5800 and 6000. Your Fund Directors thought it altogether reasonable to expect that 70% of those reachable Bowdoin men would share in this year's Fund — would conclude that what Bowdoin did for them and continues to do for other generations deserved the same sort of yearly support which they give to such other worthy and necessary institutions as their churches and their community chests. Your Fund Directors did not think they had set the sights too high when they aimed at a Gentleman's Grade. They, and 52 Class Agents, believe that the 70% mark can be reached by June 30.

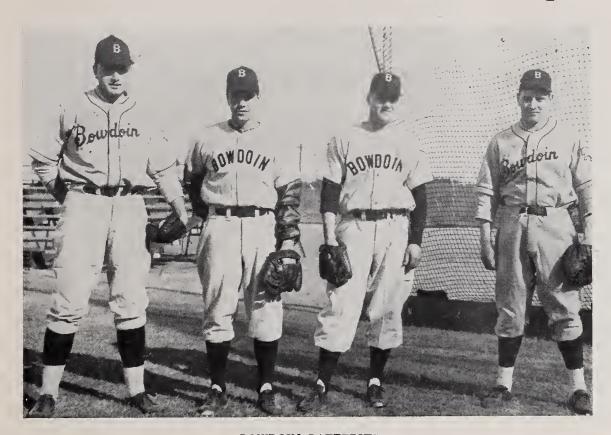
The accompanying progress report shows where the Fund stood on May 10. Where does your class stand? Are you among those who have yet to respond to the urgings of your industrious Class Agent? Are you remembering that your contribution is far more important than the size of it? The Alumni Fund is a voluntary organization of which a Bowdoin man may elect himself a member and fix his own dues.

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	'48, '49, '50	15		118.00	
	Medical	43		793.00	
	Honorary	14		447.50	
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How much a man gives is for him to determine and we keep it confidential. But we tell the world who and how many give something.

Join the hosts who are determined to nurture and secure Bowdoin's greatest single asset. A Gentleman's Grade for 1947 means that 2000 more Bowdoin men must become contributors by June 30. Will you be one?

# On The Campus



BOWDOIN BATTERIES
Kehlenbach '45, catcher; Densmore '46, pitcher; Pendleton '46, pitcher; Cox '46, catcher.

## Athletics

As this is written, Bowdoin is leading the league in baseball, golf and tennis, and has scored a surprisingly strong second in the State Track Meet. The golf and tennis teams are undefeated in State competition. One more baseball victory will give Bowdoin at least a tie for first place in three of the four spring sports — a fairly satisfactory competitive result.

The junior varsity teams have been comparatively strong in all sports. As there are few seniors on these teams the prospects are fairly bright, provided that the year-round college sessions do not continue. Under the trimester plan, with long summer sessions, Bowdoin is, in fact, a three-year college insofar as athletic competition is concerned. Many promising athletes receive their degrees before reaching their peak in sports.

The return of Adam Walsh has greatly strengthened our football staff, and he seems to bring good luck in other sports. Bowdoin celebrated his first day on the campus by defeating Maine in baseball, tennis and golf. The present coaching staff is a good one. They may be expected to produce our full share

of athletic success in the years to come, if a fair number of interested and capable boys enter college. Not even Adam Walsh is a miracle man. Winning teams can only be built around some good material. Until a better idea of available candidates is to be had, we must not expect too much of his first season.

All sports squads are large; a record number of 105 reported for baseball. Full spring schedules are being carried through for three teams. While emphasis is, of course, placed on the varsity teams, every possible effort is made to provide competition for the largest number of candidates. We of the Department of Physical Education believe that our program of "Athletics for all" means just that. In addition to the varsity and junior varsity schedules, we conduct an active intramural program with seasonal league competition involving teams from the twelve fraternities.

There hasn't been a time in the last twenty-five years when students have shown so much interest in athletics as they have this year. There is an encouragingly wide participation in both intercollegiate and intramural sports. This is a healthy condition and one that we believe will continue.

## Music

large and hard working Glee A Club is completing one of Bowdoin's most successful seasons with its appearance at the second annual Boston Symphony Pops Concert on May 12. The Meddiebempsters, popular double quartet, have also been warmly welcomed. The college music series and the Chamber music concerts have given the college community an appreciated winter and spring program. The weekly musical chapels continue to popular and the department has . sponsored three student recitals at the Union on Sunday afternoons.

#### **Dramatics**

PRESIDENT Douglas Carmichael of the Masque and Gown became the third double winner of the One-Act-Play Contest on March 3. Like his predecessors, Vergason '39 and Mergendahl '41, he has also had a full-length play produced while an undergraduate. The runner-up this year was Mergendahl's younger brother, Roger. Past contestants continue to appear in the news; a book of poems by Spingarn '40 was reviewed in the last Alumnus, and Scribner will be bringing out a novel by Bourjaily '44 in the fall.

Aside from the student-written one-act plays, this is a season of revivals; for after the Gilbert and Sullivan reading in the fall and the performance of the Cyclops at Christmas, the Masque and Gown is offering a Victorian farce, The Private Secretary, as its Ivy production and As You Like It at Commencement. Professor Means' illness prevented the projected production of Seven Against Thebes, and in the emergency it seemed best to tempt the weather with a revival of As You Like It, which was unhappily forced into Memorial Hall from under the campus trees at the Sesquicentennial Commencement. Two of the actresses from the earlier performance will repeat their parts, and the cast as a whole is rapidly matching their excellent performance.

The summer months are likely to be spent on polishing the book,

lyrics, and orchestrations of original musical burlesque of the College which several ambitious undergraduates have been putting together this spring. A visit to Memorial Hall of the Colby Varsity Show, also a musical, on April 8, three days after the annual visit of the State High-School One-Act Play Contest, undoubtedly advanced the interest in a Bowdoin musical. Our last attempt of this sort was Take It Away by Brown '39, now on the staff of the Julliard School of Music in New York, and R. K. Craven '38 who was a teaching fellow at the College in 1940. It was sufficiently popular to warrant trips to Boston and Portland in order that the alumni might enjoy its jibes at the faculty and its catchy tunes. The authors of the present production hope to present it on campus in November, tour it in December, and repeat it here for the Christmas houseparty.

## Debating

UNDER the leadership of Professor Albert R. Thayer, the Debating Council has enjoyed the fullest season of recent years. During the fall and spring trimesters Bowdoin men met delegates from Temple, Brown, Bates, New Hampshire, Williams, Amherst, N.Y.U., Clark and Lafayette. The question of granting labor a direct share in the management of industry and the issue of federal world government were prominent among the several resolutions debated.

Highlighting the season was Bowdoin's first international debate on March 28. Lewis P. Fickett, Jr., '47 and Ian S. Lloyd of Cambridge, England, opposed Clement A. Hiebert '47 and William Richmond of Cambridge on the question of interference in the internal affairs of sovereign nations.

Others who participated actively were Robert E. Hart '49, Alfred F. Wehren '47, John R. Hupper '50, Rufus E. Stetson, Jr., '42, Sherman E. Fein '49, Paul R. Aronson '48, Malcolm E. Stevenson '50, Richard A. Wiley '49, Herbert S. Sawyer '48, and H. Newman Marsh, Jr., '45.

Officers of the Debating Council are: President, Clement A. Hiebert



1NTERNATIONAL DEBATERS
Fickett '47, Ian Lloyd and William Richmond of Cambridge University, Hiebert '47

'47; Manager, Robert E. Hart '49; and Secretary, Malcolm E. Stevenson '48.

## Bowdoin On The Air

THE highlight of Bowdoin-on-the-Air activities this year has been the vigorous campaign for the construction of a campus radio studio. President Sills on March 26 appointed a special student-faculty-alumni committee to study the possibility of a campus studio, and the Bowdoin-on-the-Air organization itself has undertaken extensive research work concerning various problems involved.

Meanwhile, the President's Coordinating Committee, headed by Professor Albert R. Thayer, has been active in discussing site possibilities, estimating probable cost, and generally determining over-all policy.

On May 21 the organization will conclude another busy and successful year of broadcasting over Station WGAN in Portland with an address by President Kenneth C. M. Sills. During the past trimester the college radio club has featured, at various times, panel discussions, musical programs, intramural radio debates, and several excellent talks by members of the Faculty. The program will be renewed early next autumn.



VARSITY SWIMMING TEAM which won eight of nine dual meets and placed second in the New England meet.

## Phi Beta Kappa

THE chief event of the academic year for Phi Beta Kappa was the public lecture on February 17th by Professor Theodore M. Greene of Yale on "The Challenge to Liberal Education." Seldom has a lecture stirred up so much discussion among both faculty members and students. Some influence of Professor Greene's plea for greater unity and purposiveness in the curriculum seems to be evident in plans now being matured by the Faculty in consultation with the Boards' Committee on Educational Policy.

Another matter under discussion is the proposal of a committee of the National Council for membershipat-large — i.e., membership to be extended, following the passing of a set of examinations, to certain selected students from institutions without Phi Beta Kappa chapters. At an informal meeting of local members in the Barn Chamber on January 7th, very strong opposition was expressed to this plan. On March 22nd, a meeting in Cambridge of delegates from the New England chapters, attended by Professors Kirkland and Chase from Bowdoin, unanimously disapproved the proposal.

At chapter meetings on October 14th and February 17th, seven new members were elected and initiated: G. M. Muller '44, W. E. MacIntyre and H. O. Curtis '45, S. N. Altman, J. F. Magee, and C. W. Curtis '47, and James Eells, Jr. '48.

## Pentagonal Conference

N 1943, the presidents and other Astaff members of Amherst, Wesleyan, Williams and Bowdoin accepted the invitation of President Hopkins to meet at Dartmouth and discuss wartime problems. As a result of that meeting there was formed the Pentagonal Conference which has met each year since. On February 28 and March 1, the fifth gathering was held at Brunswick with Bowdoin as host. President Sills states that while there is no publicity given to the discussions, there is the freest sort of interchange of ideas and experiences, and the Pentagonal Conferences have proved extremely helpful to the officers of Administration.



America's oldest boarding school, Governor Dummer Academy, was founded in 1763 in South Byfield, Massachusetts, thirty miles north of Boston.

The picture above shows a new dormitory, Ingham House, completed just in time for the opening of school in September, 1946. This building contains single rooms for 39 boys, suites for two unmarried masters, and a two-story dwelling house for a married master.

Governor Dummer is now a school of 210 boys and twenty-five masters. Students come from all parts of the United States to be prepared for college. The size of the school and the number of instructors make possible small classes, individual attention, and a friendly, homelike atmosphere. Emphasis is placed on hard work and high standards in studies, in athletics, and in daily living.

During the twelve-year period preceding the war (September, 1931, to September, 1942, inclusive), Governor Dummer sent 46 boys to Bowdoin and 46 boys to Harvard, a slightly larger number than was sent during that period to any other single college.



CANDIDATES FOR STATE OF MAINE SCHOLARSHIPS



DR. WILLARD L. THORP HOLDS CONFERENCE IN THE LOUNGE

#### The Institute

PROFESSOR Orren C. Hormel is chairman of the committee in charge of Bowdoin's twelfth Institute, which has as its topic World Politics and Organization, and which will be divided into spring and fall sessions. On April 14, Dr. Willard L. Thorp, Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs, opened the Institute with a discussion of the Inter-relation of United States Foreign and Domestic Policies. On April 21, Sir Frederick Puckle, member of the British Embassy staff, spoke on India and World Peace and, on May 10, Senator Alben Barkley of Kentucky discussed the Foreign Policy of the Truman Administration. As Major General John H. Hildring was forced to cancel his engagement to come to Brunswick, the fourth speaker of the spring series will be Dr. Ralph Bunche of the U. N. Secretariat. His subject is the Future of Dependent Peoples.

Among those expected for the fall session is U. S. Senator J. W. Fulbright who will talk on Intercultural Relations. As in former Institutes, each speaker meets with undergraduate groups for informal discussions.

## Revivals

VY Day, which has not been observed during war years, was reinstated on the Bowdoin calendar, May 2 and 3. Campus juniors carried out the traditional program on the Art Building steps and planted their class ivy. President Matthew D. Branche gave the address of welcome, introduced Poet Irving B. Pliskin '49 and Orator James B. Longley '48 and presented the wooden spoon to Popular Man S. J. Stankis '49, football captain-elect. Despite miserable weather which prevented planned picnics and excursions, nearly 500 undergraduates and their guests attended the several house dances and

the Ivy Dance at the Gym. Also of interest to alumni is the fact that the June graduates will restore parts of the customary Class Day program on June 6. The varied class affiliations among them make the traditional exercises seem unwise, but there will be a Seniors Last Chapel and a Senior Dance in the Moulton Union.

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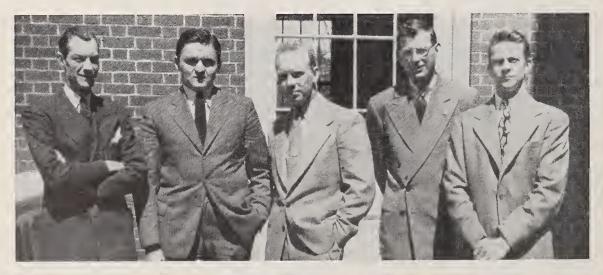
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COMMENCEMENT SPEAKERS

George M. Hooten, Jr. '47; P. Kendall Niven, Jr. '46; Douglas Carmichael '44; Robert M. Gross '45 (alternate); James Eells, Jr. '48

# Alumni Associations and Clubs

#### AUGUSTA

With visiting Bowdoin members of the legislature swelling the attendance, one of the largest gatherings of recent years assembled at the Augusta House on Thursday, April 24, for the annual dinner meeting of the Kennebec Alumni Association. Governor Horace Hildreth '25 brought greetings from the State; Professor Herbert R. Brown spoke in his usual entertaining fashion of Bowdoin's public relations and President Sills gave the major address of the evening, stressing the needs and problems of Bowdoin in particular and of American education in general.

Illness prevented President Gardner K. Heath '09 from attending. Sewall Webster '10 conducted the business meeting and introduced the evening's toastmaster, Richard B. Sanborn '40. Sewall Webster '10 was elected President and Stanley L. Bird '30, Secretary-Treasurer.

#### BANGOR

Seventy-five members of the Penoboscot County Bowdoin Club attended the annual dinner meeting at the Tarratine Club on Monday, March 10. President Lou Stearns '33 said it was the largest meeting any of the members could remember. The Alumni Secretary spoke briefly concerning the work of the Alumni Office. President Sills gave the major talk of the evening outlining some of the problems Bowdoin faces and making a strong plea for alumni support in the effort which all college men are making to improve the American educational picture. Several gatherings were held both before and after the dinner and the Bowdoin ladies of Bangor had their own dinner meeting at the Penobscot Hotel. In the absence of Secretary David Means '33, Karl Philbrick '23 was in charge of arrangements.

#### BOSTON

Nearly two hundred members gathered in the Statler's Georgian Room for the Club's annual meeting on Thursday, April 10. Chet Gaylord, popular radio singer of Station WBZ, furnished the enter-

tainment and led the group singing. President John W. Tarbell '26 announced that the club had taken the entire house for the second annual Bowdoin Night at the Boston Symphony Pops on May 12 and urged all to remember the sell-out of last year and to get reservations in promptly. He introduced Thomas Otis '10 and Harrison Davis '30 and the new officers for 1947-48 who are: President, Harold W. Davie '10; Vice-Presidents, William P. Sawyer '36 and Theodore L. Fowler '24; Secretary, John Williams '42; Treasurer, Roy L. McNiven '41.

The Alumni Secretary emphasized the growing importance of alumni participation in educational problems and expressed the appreciation of the Bowdoin staff for the interest and support the alumni are giving the College. President Sills, reporting for the thirty-first consecutive year, made his annual statement on the Bowdoin of to-day, and paid tribute to the excellent course work being done by the large G. I. student group. Saying that Bowdoin's summer sessions were held to assist in making up the educational deficit caused by the war, the President stated that the tremendous backlog of secondary school students desiring further schooling would maintain the college admissions pressure for some years yet. He outlined the vital problem of securing trained teachers and maintaining Bowdoin's high standards of teaching ability. Although long an opponent of Federal aid to education, President Sills confessed that he might well support a program of Federal financial assistance, either to States or to the teachers themselves, unless some other method can be found to attract more able men and women to the teaching profession. He believes the need exists particularly in the field of grade schools and secondary schools. The problem constitutes a national issue which should concern us all, lest it become disastrously acute a few years hence through a "drying at the source" of our supply of trained instructors.

Paul L. Courtney of the National Tax Equality Association pictured the danger to the national economy from the spread of unfairly taxexempt co-operatives in all fields. He urged the support of all thinking Americans to the curbing by congressional action of this growth which, if permitted to expand as at present, will lead to the wrecking of American business, large and small, and the establishment of an industrial oligarchy. Newly-elected President Davie accepted the gavel and adjourned the meeting at ten o'clock.

#### CHICAGO

President Edward O. Duddy '07 greeted twenty Illinois, Indiana, and Wisconsin alumni at the spring meeting of the Chicago Bowdoin Club, held on Wednesday, April 9, at the Electric Club. Walter N. Emerson '11, Secretary and Alumni Council member, reported on the Council's midwinter meeting. The remainder of the evening was devoted to remarks by D. D. Lancaster '27, Union Manager at the College, and informal discussion. In the words of the Secretary, "'Don' Lancaster settled himself comfortably and proceeded to talk, quip, and smile himself into the affections of all present. His quiet but penetrating observations on campus conditions served to give everyone a pretty good idea of Bowdoin as it is today and to strengthen their confidence in President Sills and his assistants."

#### DETROIT

Donovan D. Lancaster '27, Manager of the Union, was the club's guest and speaker at the spring meeting, held at the Detroit Athletic Club on Tuesday, April 8. A pleasant evening was spent in informal discussion of the Alumni Council's mid-winter session and of present campus conditions and activities as reported by Mr. Lancaster, who was the first visitor direct from the College in many months. Secretary George O. Cutter '27 was instructed to forward to Adam Walsh the club's best wishes and expression of confidence.

#### LOS ANGELES

One of the most enthusiastic and best attended meetings ever held by the Bowdoin Club of Southern California met at the Mona Lisa Restaurant on February 28. There were 31 present. President Holland G. Hamand bleton M'15 presided troduced the several guests. George C. Wheeler '01 was reelected the Club's Alumni Council Representative. The next meeting planned is to be a ladies' meeting. Dan Downer '41 was appointed chairman for arrangements. Adam Walsh, Bowdoin's football coach, spoke briefly concerning his plans for the coming football season. He amused his hearers by heckling Dean Nixon concerning the difficulty in getting good football players admitted to the College. Dean Nixon responded in like vein and proceeded to give an interesting word picture of the Bowdoin of today. During the informal session which followed the meeting, Secretary McLellan played the recently issued records of Bowdoin songs. The Club is actively engaged in finding Bowdoin men who have recently located in California and officers expect that their next meeting will be largely attended.

#### NEW JERSEY

Bowdoin Fathers and prospective students were guests of the Bowdoin Club of New Jersey at their spring dinner meeting, held at the Montclair Athletic Club on Thursday, April 24. George W. Bacon '15, of the Fordham Law School faculty gave the major address. Bowdoin Engagement Calendars were presented to schoolboy guests. New officers elected were: President, Frank H. Omerod '21; Vice-President, Donald A. Brown '27; Secretary-Treasurer, Howard S. Hall '31; Assistant Secretary, Kenneth G. Stone, Jr. '42. Roderick L. Perkins '21 was chosen representative member of the Alumni Council.

#### PORTLAND

With music led and played by Allan Howes '25, 125 gathered at the Falmouth Hotel on Tuesday, April 22, for the annual meeting of the Bowdoin Club of Portland. President

Charles Hildreth '25 conducted a snappy business meeting. Secretary Stan Low revealed a solvent treasury and the following officers were elected: *President*, Harold E. Verrill '15; *Secretary-treasurer*, Stanley H. Low '35

Claiming his inability to give speakers "dignified introductions", President Hildreth was amusingly effective as he presented Alumni Secretary Seward J. Marsh '12 for a brief appreciation of alumni support, Director of Admissions Edward S. Hammond for a recital of the problems that face an admission officer and recently appointed Dean Kendrick. Not quite sure whether Dean Nixon had handed him the job as a reward for playing more than his share of the court at doubles or as a means to avenge some of Dean Kendrick's comments on their respective tennis abilities, Bowdoin's new Dean expressed his appreciation of the honor and responsibility that had come to him and pled for all the support that alumni were willing to give him.

As he had done for some thirty years, President Sills reported to the club on the state of the College. Reviewing some features of present undergraduate life and doings, the President expressed his warm gratitude for the support of the public in Maine and particularly for the interested assistance of the Portland newspapers and of the press generally. He emphasized the importance of alumni interest to the College and stated that the Alumni Fund was the greatest single asset which the College possessed. Nothing even an intensive effort to raise capital sums- should interfere with the annual Alumni Fund which had come to be so vital a part of the operation of the College.

President Sills reported that the program to raise substantial capital to meet endowment and physical needs, which had been urged by the Alumni Council, had now reached the stage where a committee of the Governing Boards was engaged in setting up a working organization actually to seek \$3,000,000 now and "twice that much eventually". Messers Gibson '02 and Ireland '16 from the Trustees and Palmer '04, Thompson '14 and Ashey '12 from

the Overseers make up the committee. The President concluded with a plea for the active interest of all Bowdoin men in the matter of education— the improvement of our teaching and equipment in the grade and secondary schools, lest the efforts of our colleges and universities go for naught.

#### ST. PETERSBURG

The final meeting of the club was a luncheon gathering at the Chatterbox on March 28. Those present were Fred Ridley '90, "Cos" Smith '90, Lincoln '91, Fred Fessenden '95, George Webber '95, Hudson Sinkinson '02, Richardson '09, Ezra Skolfield M'99 and Ernest Call M'04. Several of the faithful had already departed for points north and sent regrets. The Club will function again next winter, when the perennial impresario, Dr. Charles S. F. Lincoln '91 again heeds the call of the Kids and Kubs and hies himself south. Alumni planning to be in the vicinity can help by so informing Dr. Lincoln. Address him at the Alumni Office.

#### WASHINGTON

It was Ladies' Night at the Mayflower Hotel on April 29 when the Bowdoin Club of the capitol city held its annual dinner meeting. President and Mrs. Sills Smith of Maine's Congressman Second District were the guests of honor. President Owen Brewster '09 presented the regrets of Senator Wallace H. White '99 who had been bidden to a White House dinner for Mexican President Aleman. Re-Congressman Robert sponses by Hale '10. Associate Justice Harold H. Burton '09, Atomic Commissioner Summer T. Pike '13 and Major General Willard G. Wyman '20 preceded the address of President Sills who portrayed the Bowdoin of today and dwelt upon the problems of education in general. With his emphasis upon "President" Brewster and an envied nomination and election process, Harold N. Marsh touched off a gay spirit which prevailed throughout the evening. Robert Hale '10 was elected President and Philip M. O'Brien '25 was re-elected Secretary-Treasurer.

# Albert Trowbridge Gould '08

Remarks Made By Clement F. Robinson '03 At The Memorial Chapel Service, March 3, 1947

THIS morning I am to speak to You about a lifelong friend of mine who died on March 1, - Albert Trowbridge Gould of the Class of 1908, - Al, we called him. But the reason why I am speaking of him here today is not merely because he was my friend, but because he was a loyal alumnus of this College who put his experienced capabilities at the service of the College for many years. It is the third such loss sustained by the College within a very few years. Successively the board of trustees has now lost three vigorous Boston lawyers in the prime of life. The places they left vacant can never really be filled.

Who was Al Gould? I put the question curtly because I have asked a similar question myself many times when, like you, I have sat in these chapel seats and listened to some speaker who came here to talk about some man whom we on the benches did not know. And this morning I wish I could picture Al Gould to you. He is vivid to me, and I shall be very happy if I can pass along to you at least some part of the picture.

Al Gould came from Thomaston. After graduation from Phillips Andover he tried Harvard for a year and then came to Bowdoin, largely at the instance of a member of the class of 1907 who came from Al's part of the state, and who like Al was to become a distinguished admiralty lawyer and a valuable member of the governing boards of the College.

In college Al Gould was intellectually distinguished, — he was Ivy Day and Class Day orator; he won the Class of 1868 prize, the Class of 1875 prize, the Noyes Political Economy prize, and the Philo Sherman Bennett prize; he was on the Quill two years and was editor-inchief of the Bugle; and he graduated summa cum laude.

This list of college honors might give the impression that Al Gould was one of the college intelligentsia of his day. Well, he was,— in the best sense of the word. But he was

then and always much more than merely a brain and a voice.

In the first place he was then and always intensely an outdoors lad.



ALBERT TROWBRIDGE GOULD 1885 - 1947

Born and brought up in sight of deep sea water, he carried through life an intense love of the sea. He never was happier than when he was in a boat, big or little, on deep water. The summer after his graduation he spent with Dr. Grenfell in Labrador, and during the rest of his life he maintained a keen interest in the work of the Grenfell Mission. Again and again he went to Labrador and Newfoundland; he entertained Dr. Grenfell on his visits to New England; he was a tower of strength in the Grenfell organization which financed and supported the Mission.

And in the second place his personality marked him out for activity in the affairs of life. He was one of those men of winning charm who combine intense loyalty to friends and to institutions with a keen and realistic intellectual appreciation of facts and situations. His common sense and his ability to see the elements of a problem which made him after college a distinguished lawyer, made

him in college and afterwards a devoted friend and a valued associate in public and group activities.

After graduation from college and Harvard law school he went into the practice of law, and very quickly became one of the most distinguished lawyers in his specialty— admiralty law— not only in Boston but in the country. For many years he was chairman of the governing board of the Maritime Association of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, and held many other positions of trust and honor in his profession in connection with his specialty.

But it is of his work for Bowdoin College that I want particularly to speak. He was a member of the smallest class that graduated from Bowdoin in the last fifty years, but a class which has contributed several distinguished men to the governing boards. Elected a member of the Board of Overseers, his acumen and wisdom were quickly appreciated, and in a short time he was elevated to the Board of Trustees where until the very last he was one of the busiest members — entrusted with jobs requiring time and energy. The College will sadly miss him.

I am glad that the college awarded him an LL.D. last summer. It was an honor which was universally approved, but it came to him as a complete surprise.

I have told you objectively of Al Gould's life. You can see from the mere statement of the facts that he was unusual and distinguished. But it is of Al Gould the man whom we who knew him will think first, — Al Gould the lawyer and Al Gould the man of affairs comes second in our memories. Charming, whimsical, loyal, dependable, wise, — a steady friend to tie to, a friend whom we will never forget.

I have tried to paint the picture. It cannot be so clear to you as it is to me, but I hope that from what I have said you will appreciate the depth of the grief and the sense of the loss which is felt by his friends and the College to which he was devoted.

# Looking

#### 1877

A singing class was formed under the leadership of Professor Sewall.

S. A. Gurdjian '77, an Armenian by birth, lectured on the Eastern Question. The *Orient* commented on the ignorance of the average collegian about international affairs at a time when the Russia-Turkish war was "convulsing an entire continent and indirectly the world." "These important matters," said the *Orient*, "affecting the destinies of a nation, are regarded with far less interest by the average student than the intricacies of whist and the fascinations of the leather-tipped cue."

Professor Jotham B. Sewall of the Greek Department resigned after a service of eighteen years.

New England college and university enrollments showed that Bowdoin with 141 ranked eighth, after Harvard, Yale, Dartmouth, Brown and the "little three."

The *Orient* caustically criticized existing college prizes, saying that some were not worthwhile, and others not actually paid to the winners, for lack of prize endowment funds. The *Orient* said that it had been requested to retract and apologize, but it didn't.

The summer school of science had twenty-four pupils under the instruction of Professor Carmichael and Instructors Robinson and Lee.

At Ivy Day, Purington was Orator; A. E. Burton (later for many years Dean of M.I.T.) was Popular Man.

At Commencement the Athenaean and Peucinian Societies arranged to transfer their libraries to the College.

Rev. John Cotton Smith was the orator of Commencement week.

#### 1897

Extracts from the Orient of March 31.

"The campus has been a pond for nearly a month. A canoe club should be started."

"No more cigarettes and the University of Maine are our latest laws. What will come next?"

"The suspension of seventeen Sophomores took the interest out of the indoor meet."

"The recent 'opening of spring' has called forth a great deal of ex-



citement among the papers of the state. ... The wicked Sophomores ... are enjoying life under the parental roof."

Alpha Kappa Kappa was organized—the first medical fraternity at Bowdoin.

Bowdoin was third to Dartmouth's first and Brown's second at the Worcester meet, winning both hurdles and the shot put; and a second and a third, making a total of 19 points. The *Orient* said that the question of withdrawing from the Maine track association was under discussion.

The baseball season ended in a triple tie after Colby had been dropped from the league for refusing to play off a game with Maine. Bowdoin won both singles and doubles in the state tennis tournament, and handily won the state track meet.

An elaborate flower bed was laid out southeast of Memorial Hall.

Lawrence was Ivy Day Orator and Marble, Poet. Spear was Popular Man, Ives was Marshal, and White presided.

Lightning struck the Chapel, knocking off several stones from the rear wall.

At Commencement it was announced that during the college year Bowdoin had received \$567,500 in bequests. President Hyde announced the appointment of W. B. Mitchell as Edward Little Professor of Rhetoric and Elocution.

White was senior President and French the Marshal. The Class Day oration was by Ellsworth and Hewitt was the Poet. Brett, Carmichael, Andros and Cook had the addresses under the Oak.

Speaking for his class, Peary '77 said, "I have dreamed of Bowdoin when there was nothing of the world around me but the infinite

# Backward

expanse of ice, blue sky and white sun."

The Boards voted to remodel Appleton Hall.

#### 1907

Reminiscing about college baseball at a baseball dinner in Portland in March, 1947, the president of the Maine Medical association told about a game between Bowdoin and Bates at Lewiston on Memorial Day, 1907. He said that because of Memorial Day regulations the game did not start until four o'clock. In the dusk of the last half of the ninth inning Bates led by one score; Bowdoin was at bat; two men on bases and two out. The Bates center fielder ran back for a long fly, got under it and the game ended. By agreement between the Bates fielders the last ball caught was to belong to the narrator, who was playing left field for Bates. He was rebuffed by the center fielder when he asked for it. Later they came out with a lantern and found the ball in the bushes where it had landed. The center fielder had muffed it in the twilight.

A good story; but here are the facts as they appear in the *Orient*.

According to the *Orient* Bowdoin was undefeated champion for the year, and won a "listless" game from Bates at Lewiston on Memorial Day by the score of five to two. The narrator does not appear in the Bates line-up.

The *Orient* also gives the account of "the most exciting game of the year" at Lewiston on Saturday, May 25, 1907, which Bowdoin won four to three. "Bowdoin's superb rally in the ninth gave her the game. With Bates three to one in the lead and one man out, people began to leave the field considering the game practically over, but it was not." A base on balls, a three-base hit and a single scored two runs and tied the game. In the last of the tenth a twobase hit and a single won the game. The narrator of the story above did play left field for Bates. The Bates center fielder was the same in both games.

Too bad to spoil a good story, but the facts don't back it up.

#### 1922

Stephen Leacock gave the annual Annie Talbot Cole lecture on the subject: What I Don't Know About the Drama.

On its southern trip the baseball team won from Columbia, Pennsylvania and Delaware; lost to the Navy, N.Y.U. and Princeton. On New England trips it defeated N.H. State, Tufts, and Wesleyan, and lost to Holy Cross, Brown, Harvard, Tufts, and Yale. The state series ended in a tie between Maine and Bowdoin. The track team won its fourth consecutive state championship, and was seventh in the New England meet. The tennis team came out second to Colby.

At a conference of presidents of

eleven New York and New England colleges, including Bowdoin and the other Maine colleges, it was voted to recommend the abolishment of the seasonal coach in all sports, substituting a faculty system, coaches to belong to the teaching staff and be assigned to the physical education department. It was recommended that henceforth colleges pay the coaches instead of permitting payment by student bodies, athletic associations or alumni groups. No universities were represented at the meeting.

The musical clubs gave four concerts in Connecticut and New York.

Frank A. Munsey endowed a pro-

fessorship in history with a fund of \$100,000.00.

Brunswick went back to standard time, but the College remained on daylight saving.

The gifts of Brunswick and Topsham people to the endowment drive were presented at a ceremony under the Thorndike Oak on May 26.

On Ivy Day, Turgeon was Poet, Fitzmorris was Orator and Eames, Popular Man.

Woodbury presided at the seniors' Class Day exercises; Partridge was Marshal; Mitchell was Orator and Bartlett, Poet. The three addresses were given by Hughes, Stairs and Thayer.

Twelfth Night was the Commencement play. C.F.R.

# Necrology

EDWARD FREEMAN HOLDEN, a teacher in the schools of Boston, Mass., and its immediate vicinity for 36 years before his retirement in 1923, and an authority on ornithology, died on March 5 at his home in Melrose, Mass. He was born on September 2, 1857, in Otisfield. As an undergraduate he was elected to Phi Beta Kappa fraternity. His public school training career began in Bangor the year after his graduation, then he served as sub-master of Portland High School from 1884 to 1886. During the next year he continued his education at Harvard, where he received his M.A. degree. In 1887 he became master of the high school at Charlestown, Mass., remaining there until 1908. That year he went to the High School of Commerce in Boston, where he remained until his retirement. Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Mary Holden; a son, Edward W. of Concord, N. H.; two daughters, Mrs. Francis Dow of Livermore Falls, and Mrs. Hector MacDonald of Melrose, Mass.

1895 RALPH TAYLOR PARKER, Oxford County attorney, died on February 25 in Washington, D. C. Born on April 3, 1871, in Lebanon, the son of John S. and Carrie Maria Wood Parker, he prepared for college at Nichols Latin School. As an undergraduate he was active in speaking activities, including Junior Prize Speaking and the Sophomore Prize Declamation, which he won, and served as his class's statistician. He went to Boston University Law School after graduation to prepare for the law, and studied there during 1897-98. In 1898 he started his law career in Rumford with the law firm of Bisbee and Parker. He was also admitted to the New Hampshire Bar and Oxford County Bar that year. He married the former Bernice Cates of Rumford Falls on March 2, 1901. His fraternity was Psi Upsilon.

DANIEL CLARK LINSCOTT, JR., Boston, 1897 Mass., attorney, died on November 7, 1946, at his home in Winchester, Mass. He had been in poor health for two years. Born on October 23, 1876, in Boston, he was the son of Daniel Clark and Annie Barron Linscott. He prepared for college at Boston Latin School. After his graduation from Bowdoin he continued his education at Boston University, where he received his LL.B. degree in 1900. He started his practice of law in Boston in that year, and continued actively in that field, specializing in income tax work, until a few weeks before his death. In May, 1907, he married the former Harriet Read of Fall River, Mass. He was a member of the Winchester Baptist Church, where he served as deacon and church school superintendent. Surviving him is his wife. His class was represented at the funeral services by Frederick H. Dole, Rev. Hugh MacCallum and Eugene C. Vining. He was instrumental in preparing the class history with Frederick Dole in 1937.

1905 WILLIAM BLAINE WEBB died of a heart attack in Honolulu on April 21, a few days before he was to sail home after passing the winter there with his family. He was born on September 29, 1882, in Skowhegan, the son of Converse L. Webb and Rachel Steward Webb. He prepared for college at Skowhegan High School. As an undergraduate he was a member of his class squad, the class track team, M.I.C.A.A., and the varsity track team. He won the Goodwin French prize during his freshman year, and was a member of the college band, History Club, and the Senior Government Club. On Ivy Day he served as class marshal. After his graduation he joined International Banking Corporation and worked with that concern in Honolulu until 1910. During that time he met Miss Mary Wyman Lawrence of Wabasha, Minn., whom he married in Wabasha upon his return to this country in 1910. She died in 1927, and he later remarried. He entered the flour milling manufacturing business in Wabasha in 1910 and made his home there since that time. An interested alumnus of the College, he formerly served as an alumni agent for his class. He is survived by his wife, a daughter Mary, and a son William, Jr., '38 of Wabasha. Funeral services were held in Wabasha on April 27. His fraternity was Delta Kappa Epsilon.

1908 Albert Trowbridge Gould, prominent Boston admiralty lawyer and Trustee of the College since 1942, died at his home in Cambridge, Mass., on March 1. He was born in Thomaston on January 9, 1885, the son of Albert Palmer and Stella Trowbridge Gould. He prepared for college at Phillips Andover Academy in Andover, Mass., and attended Harvard for a year before transferring to Bowdoin. At college he was a member of the Quill editorial board, the College Jury, editor-in-chief of the *Bugle*, an Alexander Prize Speaking contestant, winner of the Class of 1875 American History Prize, Ivy Day orator, assistant manager of the Debating Council. Class Day orator, assistant in history, president of the Good Government Club, \*secretary-treasurer of the Intercollegiate Press Association, and a member of the Ibis, History, and Romania Clubs. He was graduated from college summa cum laude and then entered Harvard Law School, where he received his LL.B. degree with honors in 1911. While still a student at law school he married the former Emilie Creighton of Thomaston. He started his legal career with Burlingame's firm in New York City. In 1912 he was admitted to the bar, and in the following year he moved to Boston, where he was associated with Blodgett, Jones, Burnham & Bingham. He

became a partner in 1916 and continued with the succeeding firms until he founded the firm of Bingham, Dana & Gould. He became internationally known as an admiralty lawyer, and devoted much time to the maritime affairs of Boston. He served from 1926 to his death as a member of the Governing Board of the Maritime Association of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, and as chairman of that body from 1933 to 1940. He was a member and former president of the Propeller Club of Boston and was an honorary member of the Boston Marine Society. From 1932 to 1943 he was an Overseer of the College, and was awarded an honorary LL.D. from Bowdoin in 1946. He was a member of the Massachusetts Bar, a former executive committeeman of the Maritime Law Association of the United States, associate member of the Association of the Bar of the City of New York, director of the International Grenfell Association, and former rear commodore of the Cruising Club of America. Surviving him are his wife; a son, Albert P. Gould '37 of Groton, Mass.; and a daughter, Mrs. Gibbs W. Sherrill of Beverly Farms, Mass. His fraternity was Psi Upsilon. He was also a member of the Phi Beta Kappa.

1908 HARRY HERMAN HAYES died at his home in Lynn, Mass., on January 4 following a brief illness from diphtheria. He was born on December 2, 1886, in Somerville, Mass., the son of Evander B. and Carrie Quincy Hayes. He received his college preparation at Bridgton Academy. As an undergraduate he was a member of his class baseball team, the Chemical Club, the Bugle Board, rally committee, and the Interfraternity Council. After graduation he entered the banking field, joining International Banking Corporation. While with that concern he worked in New York City, London, and Manila. After some years in Manila he returned to this country and became, associated with the Market Trust Company of Brighton, Mass., which finally merged with the First National Bank of Boston, where he was associated at the time of his death. He was a member of Delta Upsilon fraternity. He is survived by his mother of Lynn, Mass.

1916 RICHARD HILLS STUART died at his home in Columbus, Ohio, on March 29. He was born on March 16, 1894, in Newport, the son of Wilson M. Stuart. He received his college preparation at Newport High School and Kent's Hill School. After a brief stay at Bowdoin, he left to enter business as a salesman with Loring, Short and Harmon Company of Portland. During the first World War he served in the Army in France. He re-entered the selling field with the Kardex-Rand Sales Corporation in Oakland, Calif., for a time, then became district manager for the Buxton Company of Springfield, Mass., a position which he held for approximately 20 years prior to his resignation last year due to poor health. His territory with the Buxton Company included several mid-western states. Surviving him are his wife and a daughter, both of Columbus, Ohio; and a cousin, Mrs. Ruth J. Ober of Auburn. His fraternity was Alpha Delta Phi.

1918 MILAN JAMES SMITH, Portland attorney and former clergyman, died at his home in Portland on March 17. He was born in Hanover, N. H., on July 17, 1894, the son of William and Annie Filgate Smith. In 1912 his family moved to Dennysville. He prepared for college at Washington Academy, East Machias, and attended the University of Maine for a year before transferring to Bowdoin. An ordained Methodist minister, he was pastor of a church in Woolwich while attending college. After graduation he was appointed seminary pastor at Kent's Hill Seminary, where he also taught several courses. He served at several churches in the Maine Methodist District, his last church being the Elm Street Methodist Church in South Portland, where he remained six years before his resignation in 1934 to devote full time to his legal practice. He was admitted to the Maine Bar in 1931 after his graduation from Peabody Law School. He also did some post-graduate work at Boston University. Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Paula Smith, four daughters, and one son.

RAY EVERETT MOON, senior member of the Moon and Smith Refrigeration Company of Bangor, died following a heart attack at his home in Bangor on January 3. He was born on July 22, 1895, in Hancock, the son of the late E. Eugene and Flaville Webster Moon, and prepared for college at Maine Central Institute in Pittsfield. On December 24, 1922, he married the former Beatrice Maynard of Lincoln. For the past 25 years

he had made his home in Bangor, and as a refrigeration engineer and salesman he was well-known throughout New England. He was a charter member of the National Association of Power Engineers, and was an associate member of the Society of Refrigeratory Engineers. Other memberships included the Bangor Male Chorus; the Danforth Men's Class of Columbia Street Baptist Church, Bangor; James W. Williams Post, American Legion; and Horet Lodge, F. & A.M. of Lincoln. He was a veteran of World War I. Surviving him are his wife; a daughter, Joyce Rae; a son, Eugene Dow; a sister, Mrs. Emily Kirrer of Clifton, N. J.; and a brother, Kenneth Max of East Bound Brook, N. J.

1925 CECIL ROBERT WHITE is reported to have died in California about two years ago, according to belated information received at the Alumni Office. Born on June 6, 1904, in Hull's Cove, the son of Ralph L. and Mattie Hawking White, he prepared for Bowdoin at Bar Harbor High School. In college he was a member of the Bugle Board, was assistant manager of the tennis team, an assistant in French, and a member of the Mathematics Club. He entered the building contracting business in Hull's Cove with his father after college. His fraternity was Sigma Nu.

1941 Major John Moshier Chapin, Army Air Force pilot, was killed on April 7 when his P-80 jet fighter plane nosed into the ground at Andrews Field, Md., on a routine flight from Langley Field, Va., to Andrews Field. Born on June 21, 1919, in West Point, N. Y., he was

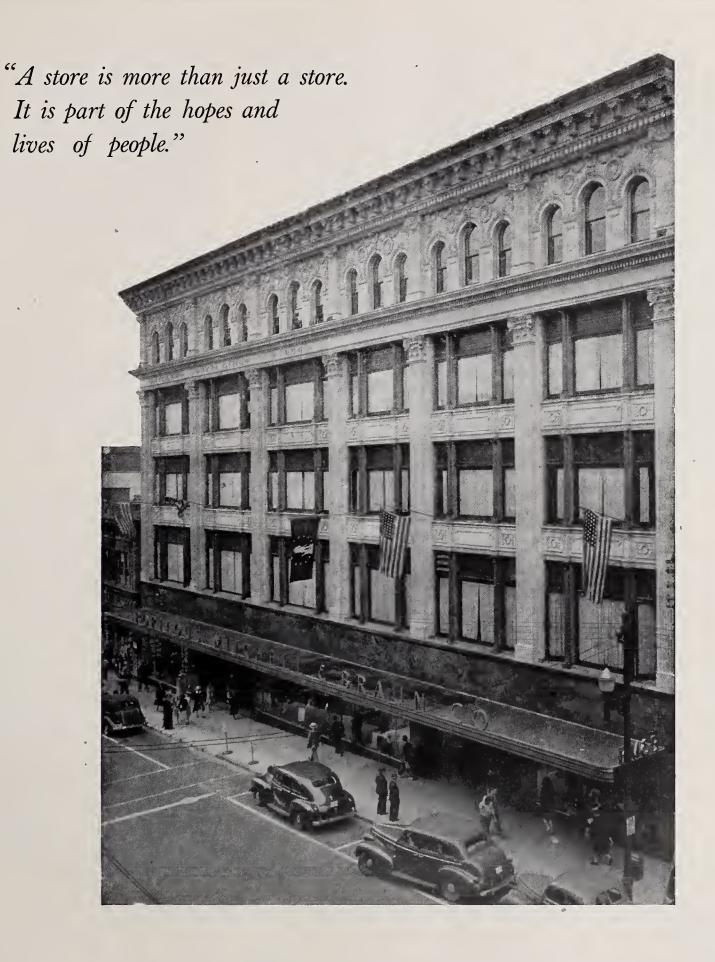


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the son of Col. and Mrs. Willis M. Chapin of Cape Elizabeth. Col. Chapin is senior instructor for the Organized Reserves of Maine, and was formerly instructor of the 240th Coast Artillery of the Maine National Guard from 1934 to 1939. Major Chapin prepared for college at Deering High School, and was active on the golf, swimming and baseball teams while in college. He left Bowdoin at the end of his sophomore year, and enlisted in the Army Air Force in April, 1941, winning his wings at Craig Field, Selma, Ala., the following December. During the war he served more than three years overseas as a reconnaissance pilot, totaling 60 combat missions over the European continent. He was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for his part in photographing the Normandy coast prior to the invasion there; the Air Medal with 10 Oak Leaf Clusters; and the Belgium Fourregere. Last July he was commissioned in the regular Army with the rank of first lieutenant, and was made executive officer of the 22nd Reconnaissance Squadron, Army Air Force, stationed presently at

Laugley Field. Surviving him are his wife, the former Miss Mary B. Zemp of Camden, S. C.; a six-weeks-old son, Willis McDonald Chapin, 2nd; and his parents. He was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity.

#### MEDICAL SCHOOL

1899 Dr. WILLIAM D'ARCY KINNEY died at his home on West Bay Road, Osterville, Mass., on July 12, 1946. He was born on April 17, 1873, in Woodstock, N. B., the son of Henry Saunders and Phoebe Walton Kinney, and prepared at Fort Fairfield High School. After receiving his degree from the Maine Medical School, he continued his training at Boston City Hospital during 1899-1900, and then began his practice at Osterville, Mass. On June 4, 1902, he was married to the former Anna L. Stevens. He was a director of the Barnstable County National Bank, and was a member of the Osterville Community Church, Mariners Lodge, A.F. & A.M., the Massachusetts Medical Society and the Massachusetts Medical Legal Association. Surviving him are his wife and three brothers: George W., Roy L. '08 of Daytona Beach, Fla., and Henry E. of Pittsfield.

1901 Dr. Morton Maxwell Small died at his home in Waterville on April 23. He was born on May 12, 1878, in Sunset, the son of Edward S. and Clara Powers Small. He received his college preparation at Freedom Academy. Following his graduation from the Maine Medical School, he began the general practice of medicine at Weeks Mills and surrounding community. Later he entered the particular field of ear, eye, nose and throat, specializing in the eye. He remained as oculist for 25 years. Among the organizations of which he was a member are the Maine Medical Association, the Kennebec County Medical Association, and Dirigo Blue Lodge, A.F. and A.M. of Weeks Mills. Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Marion E. Small of Waterville, and two sons, Edward M. of North Vassalboro and William of Waterville.

# News of



# the Classes

#### FORWARD

Maine is a wonderful state; the pride of its natives, and the joy of many visitors who have learned to know and love it. The only handicap to its supremacy is that it is too far north of the equator to insure its having an early and comfortable spring.

The climate is then a hazard to health and longevity, and a menace to one's religion. In spite of these dangers, necessities, and tribulations it is a joy to be at home again, and the thrill of getting back on to the campus is ever new. Come on summer! you are badly needed right now, and for the next four months.

1884 Secretary, Dr. Charles E. Adams 29 W. Broadway, Bangor.

Ernest Smith of Fort Collins, Colo., who retired nearly two years ago, is busy revising Willows of Colorado.

1891 Secretary, Charles S. F. Lincols 35 College Street, Brunswick

The class secretary has returned to Brunswick after passing the winter in St. Petersburg, Fla., where he met many Bowdoin men and their families also vacationing in the South.

1897 Secretary, James E. Rhodes, II 700 Main Street Hartford, Conn.

Earl Davis plans to be on hand for the 50th Reunion in June.

Fred Ellsworth is still preaching at Killingly, Conn., where his church has made extensive repairs.

Fred Kneeland remains judge of the County Court at Jamestown, N. D., and writes that these duties, together with those as member of the Park Board, Pub-

lic Library Board, and the Board of Trustees and Executive Committee of Jamestown College keep him busy. He now has a total of six grandchildren, three more having been added last year.

Headquarters for the 50th Reunion will be the Moulton Union. Professor Mitchell will be guest of honor and Donald Mac-Millan, for three years a member of '97, will be toastmaster. Chairman John Morse reports a large attendance is expected.

1898 Secretar, Thomas L. Pierce Route 2, Box 496 E. Tucson, Ariz.

Comdr. Donald MacMillan plans to sail on June 21 from Boothbay Harbor with a party of scientists from eight American colleges, including Bowdoin. His trip this year will take him to Etah, North Greenland.

1899 Secretary, Lucien P. Libby
22 Bramhall Street, Portland

Lucien Libby, submaster of Portland High School, will retire in June. He joined the school system in Portland in 1901, and was made submaster of the high school in 1922.

Waldo Thomas Merrill is still in the livestock business in Sidney, Mont.

Dr. Winford Smith retired in April after 35 years as director of Johns Hopkins Hospital. The Board of Trustees gave Dr. Smith a testimonial dinner and presented him with an illuminated, bound minutes of appreciation and a silver tray with all the names of the Board inscribed.

1900 Clifford Bragdon writes that his daughter, Helen, is president of Lake Eric College, Painesville, Ohio.

1901 Secretary, Walter L. Sanborn Box 390, Lansdale, Pa.

George Gardner has joined the staff of Sampson College, Sampson, N. Y., as instructor in mathematics.

1902 . Secretary, PHILIP H. COBB, PH.D. Cape Elizabeth

Professor Charles Bellatty has moved from Boston, Mass., to 15 Euston Street, Brookline, Mass.

Harvey Gibson is serving his second year as chairman of the national Red Cross fund campaign. He has been named honorary chairman of the Theta Delta Chi Centennial Convention at Lake George, N. Y., next month.

1903 Secretary, CLEMENT F. ROBINSON 260 Maine Street, Brunswick

Farrington Abbott and his son, Farrington, Jr., '31, are operating a new shoe factory in Lewiston. Both the Abbotts remain affiliated with the Charles Cushman Company of Auburn.

Scott Simpson was a March speaker at the County Republican Club's pre-primary rally in Asheville, N. C. He also spoke at the 12th Congressional District Republican meeting in Franklin, N. C. The Asheville Citizen of March 22 devoted a half-column to his address at the Asheville Republican rally.

1904 Secretary, Eugene P. D. Hathaway 3360 Mt. Pleasant Street, N. W. Washington, D. C.

George Burpee has been re-elected president of General Aniline and Film Corporation.

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The Very Reverend Chester Emerson, Dean of Trinity Cathedral, Cleveland, Ohio, was a special Lenten preacher at the noonday services at St. Bartholomew's Church in New York City.

# 1905 Secretary, STANLEY WILLIAMS 2270 Waverley Street Palo Alto, Calif.

John Brett has moved from Robles Del Rio, Calif., to Carmel, Calif.

Jim Finn expects to get to Maine from Miami in time for commencement. He and Mrs. Finn spent the winter in Florida.

Prof. Herbert Hill resigned as professor of agricultural education at the University of Maine to work full time in the State Department of Education as Director of Agricultural Education, with headquarters in Augusta.

Ray Pettengill continues his work in Washington. In spite of the shortage of good educators, the government has thus far refused to turn him loose.

Paul Robbins has acquired a farm in southern New Hampshire to which he expects to retire in a year or so.

Arch Shorey, retired but far from inactive, lives in Albany, N. Y. The Red Cross, Boy and Girl Scouts, and Adirondack Mountain Club activities keep him busy, not to mention his writing for the New York State Conservation, editing an Adirondack Mountain guide book, and checking U. S. Geological Survey maps.

Cyril Simmons was discharged from the Navy in April.

Raymond Warren has retired from active business. He will continue to live in Portland winters and in South Waterford summers.

# 1906 Secretary, RALPH G. WEBBER 19 Stone Street, Augusta

Visitors at Little Boar's Head, N. H., should not fail to see Ted Hale's colony there.

At the recent biennial session of the Maine Bar Association, none other than Currier Holman was accorded the signal honor of being elected president.

Any of the class needing advice on artesian wells should consult Frankie Rowe and Stubby Jenks. They have experience.

#### 1907 Secretary, Felix A. Burton 64 Collins Road, Waban 68, Mass.

Professor Edward Duddy represented Bowdoin at the Centennial Ceremony of Rockford College, Illinois, on May 3. He is President of the Chicago Bowdoin Club.

# 1908 Secretary, Charles E. Files Cornish

The class secretary voices the unanimous sentiments of the class that in the death of Albert Gould not only the class but the College has met with irreparable loss. From the time of our entrance to Bowdoin until Commencement Day last year, in spite of all his successes and achievements through years of law practice, he was the same kindly considerate fellow we had

known many years before. He was the ideal type.

Bowdoin Gregson has recovered from a recent illness and has resumed architectural work in Portland.

Sturgis Leavitt of Chapel Hill, N. C., has completed his term as president of the American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portugese. He was re-elected a delegate to the American Council of Learned Societies.

#### 1909 Secretary, Ernest H. Pottle 34 Appleton Place Glen Ridge, N. J.

Tom Ginn has been appointed director of vocational guidance and director of the Boston School Committee Bureau of Child Accounting.

Col. Oramel Stanley, formerly commanding officer of Halloran General Hospital, Staten Island, N. Y., has been appointed commander of Oliver General Hospital in Augusta, Ga.

#### 1910 Secretary, E. Curtis Matthews Piscataqua Savings Bank Portsmouth, N. H.

The class is supplying its full share of Bowdoin Club officers. Hoot Davie is president in Boston; Sewall Webster in Augusta; and Bob Hale in Washington, D. C. Henry Hawes has long been the convener in San Francisco.

The big news, of course, is that District Attorney John Clifford has succeeded Hon. John A. Peters '85 as judge of the Federal Court in Maine. See elsewhere in this issue.

Senator Robert Hale addressed the House on the subject of Henry W. Long-fellow on the poet's 140th birthday.

#### 1911 Secretary, Ernest G. Fifield 30 East 42nd Street New York City, N. Y.

John Babbitt is a department manager for Bond Stores, Inc., in Albany, N. Y.

Harrison Berry is auditor for the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania. He lives at 27 Narbrook Park, Narberth, Pa.

Fred Black is with Black & Gay, Canners, Inc., of Thomaston.

Frank Burns is vice president of Forbes Magazine, New York City.

In addition to his duties as president of United Roofing Company of Hackensack, N. J., Linwood Clarke is also president of the Building & Loan of Bergen County.

Arthur Cole has been elected president of the Economic History Association.

Lawrence Davis is advertising manager of Kendall Mills and director of public relations for Bauer & Black.

Walter Emerson is a wholesale stamp dealer in Chicago. His address is 1346 Howard Street, Chicago, Ill.

George Graham is a counsellor at Hayden Home for Boys of the Morgan Memorial in Boston, Mass.

Edward Skelton is general accounting supervisor with the New York Telephone Company. He lives at 1 Woodcrest Avenue, Millburn, N. J.

Horace Watson has moved from Sandstone, Va., to Bushy, Va.

Joe White is president and Bobby Burns is secretary of the Maine Society of New York.

# 1912 Secretary, WILLIAM A. MACCORMICK Y. M. C. A. 316 Huntington Avenue, Boston

Hal Ashey is one of the Overseers on the committee to set in motion Bowdoin's ef-

fort to raise big money for college needs.

Meredith Auten's two boys are both varsity letter men in track — two additional reasons for an Auten trek to our 35th.

Reg Foss declines to permit a late start to bother him. John Chadbourne Foss was born in New York on April 20.

Jim Gillin says he'll make that reunion somehow despite demands of his clients.

Shirt Hathaway would be happy to see any Bowdoin men at the Pittsburgh office of Remington Rand, Inc. He lives at 100 Academy Avenue and says he'll be present in June "with the Mrs."

Bill Holt's son seems headed for Williams from Exeter — because it isn't quite so near home.

Steve Hughes will be among those present in June. He is still hoping his boy will join the Bowdoin family.

Farmer Kern says that his sons can run the business so he'll be at Moore Hall early.

The class secretary is on the job daily and gradually mending those broken bones.

Arnett Mitchell will fly both ways from Columbus, Ohio, to pay his first visit to Bowdoin since graduation.

Rev. John Moseley lives in Saundersville, Mass.

Loring Pratt's message is "try and keep me away."

Judge Earle Russell is convalescing from some major surgery at the Maine General Hospital in Portland. Our 35th is a possibility

George Tibbetts is ailing a bit and has to take it easy, but hopes to be present in June.

Harold Vannah is chemist at Ecusta Paper Company, Brevard, N. C., makers of most of the cigarette paper in the world. All his children are in college. He attended the Lincoln Day dinner in Asheville, N. C., when Congressman Robert Hale spoke. Scott Simpson '03 introduced Hale '10.

Carle Warren has established the Warren School at Olney, Md.

Donald Weston is assistant purchasing agent for American Home, Inc., 570 Lexington Avenue, New York City.

# 1913 Secretary, LUTHER G. WHITTIER R.F.D. 2, Farmington

Vice President Chester Abbott of the First Portland National Bank was speaker at a group conference of the Maine Bankers' Association in Lewiston in February. He is chairman of the bankers' Public Relations Committee.

Josiah Brown is a sales representative and jobber in Glenbrook, Conn.

President Ced Crowell has called a class meeting for Friday, June 6, to make plans for our 35th Reunion. When you register at the Library, see notice on the bulletin board of the time and place. We hope to

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arrange a dinner meeting. If you have any thoughts about our reunion next year, please send them to Chairman Lawrence W. Smith, 157 Maine Street, Brunswick. Your secretary will be glad to relay any ideas which come to him.

#### 1914 Secretary, Alfred E. Gray 324 Canton Avenue Milton, Mass.

Ken Alling is still with the Association of American Soap and Glycerine Producers of New York City. His home address is 101 Elm Avenue, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

Pearl Bordeaux is assessor of Mt. Desert, where he also operates a garage.

Walter Brown is engaged in the distribution of Western Electric Hearing Aids. He lives in Arlington, Va. His daughter Geraldine is now Mrs. Verne Philbrook of Brighton, Mass. His other daughter Beverly is at Blackstone Junior College in Virginia.

Francis Callahan is with the Veterans' Administration in Washington, working on the National Service Life Insurance program. His son Francis is a pre-medic at Georgetown University, and his daughter Nancy was married to William Wood, Tulane '41.

The Warren Eddys report that their family is all together. Warren, Jr., and his wife are with them while he is interning at the Maine General Hospital. Harry is finishing his last year at Bowdoin, and their daughter is working in Portland.

Wallace Mason went to Florida in 1942 and has been a realtor in Fort Lauderdale since then.

Arthur Merrill is senior training officer with the Veterans' Administration in Togus, in charge of the supervision of all Maine veterans training-on-the-job in industrial and business establishments. He is also secretary of the Maine Department of the Reserve Officers Association of the United States, in which he holds the rank of lieutenant colonel.

Clarence Minott is owner and manager of a flower shop in Bath.

Alfred Newcombe is chairman of the history department at Knox College, Fla., and chairman of the library committee for the college.

Arthur Pratt is with the Hyde Windlass Company of Bath. He reports the birth of a grandson.

Dr. Carl Stevens is practicing medicine in Belfast. His son, John, Princeton '40, is with the Calco Chemical Corporation of New York, His daughter, who married Dick Sullivan '40, lives in Brookline, Mass.

Col. Tarbox was retired from active Army duty last June after suffering a heart attack. He has been living quietly in Florida since then. His address is 186 22nd Avenue North, St. Petersburg.

# 1915 Secretary, Harold E. Verrill 83 Exchange Street, Portland

Members of the class extend their deep sympathy to Bob Coffin over the loss of his wife, Ruth, who died in Brunswick on April 5 following an illness of over two years. 1915 shares the loss of one who was so much a part of the college community and so gracious a hostess to Bob's classmates.

George Cristy is at the U.S.M.S. Training Station at Sheepshead Bay, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Austin MacCormick has been awarded the Presidential Medal of Merit in recognition of his services to the War Department as consultant to the Undersecretary of War on correctional problems.

The Class Secretary was recently elected President of the Bowdoin Club of Portland.

# 1916 Secretary, DWIGHT SAYWARD 415 Congress Street, Portland

Doc Barrett has been elected president of the Bowdoin Club of New York, Don Hight has been elected president of the Bowdoin Club of Detroit, and Bill Ireland has just completed a term as president of the Bowdoin Club of Worcester.

Ned Barry is a member of the Holyoke, Mass., Rotary Club, and recently spoke before the club on the Subject of Football and its Referees.

Francis Bate is judge of the Kennebec County (Maine) Probate Court.

A basement hot water storage tank, exploding with a roar that shook the neighborhood for several blocks, destroyed the home of Plank Boardman on the evening of March 16. Plank and his wife entered the rear of the house just at the moment of the explosion and miraculously escaped injury.

Brigadier General Louis E. Boutwell commands the 67th Fighter Wing of the National Guard with headquarters in Boston, A recent Boston Herald picture of Lou decorating World War II fliers shows that he has lost none of his youthful figger.

Col. Red Elliott is still at Headquarters, San Jose Project, APO 897, cf. Postmaster, New Orleans.

Sam Fraser is back in the Philippines for about a year and a half; address: Columbian Rope Co., Davao, Mindanao, P. I.

Bill and Mary Ireland announce the birth of another grand-child, Penelope, to Bill, Jr. and Dabney, at Brunswick on April

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Harry Knight earlier this year.

Paul Niven's son, Ken, who will graduate at the College next month, has been named as a Commencement speaker at the exercises to be held on June 7.

Your faithful and hard-working secretary reports that he attended the Kentucky Derby and that it was a long walk back.

Abe Shwartz is still in Manila; address; Echague-Ayala, Manila, P. I.

Willard Woodman's daughter Harriet was married on February 1 to Lieut. Atwood Collins Ely, Yale '40. Lieut. Ely served four years in the Pacific and is now attending the Harvard School of Business Administration.

# 1917 Secretary, Noel C. Little 8 College Street, Brunswick

Rev. Nathaniel McConaughy is pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Iron Mountain, Mich.

Frank Phillips is with the American Embassy in Cairo, Egypt, where he is acting communications officer for the near and middle East and the East Coast of Africa.

Carl Ross has been elected secretarytreasurer of the Maine Investment Dealers Association.

Ike Webber has been promoted to chief of surgery of the Maine General Hospital staff.

Dr. Winfield Wight is a physician and surgeon in Thomaston, Conn.

#### 1918 Secretary, Harlan L. Harrington 74 Weston Avenue Braintree, Mass.

Robert Albion is starting his fifth year of commuting to Washington, D. C., as assistant director of Naval History. He also does some special work for the Army and Marine Corps in the capitol. Besides this, he makes occasional trips to speak at Princeton alumni gatherings, while carrying a full teaching schedule at Princeton. His address is 69 Harrison Street, Princeton, N. L.

Hugh Blanchard has just completed his 20th year with Rand McNally and Company, where he is associated with that company's education division. He recently attended a conference of school superintendents at Atlantic City, N. J.

Col. Edward Hildreth is Chief of Staff of the 70th Fighter Wing in Neubiberg, five miles from Munich, Germany. His family is with him.

Col. Philip Johnson, at the Third Army Headquarters in Heidelburg, Germany, with his family, was called to Portland by the death of his father early this year. Phil returned to Germany after a 30-day leave.

Since April, 1946, Robert MacMullin has been private consultant in the field of chemical engineering, and now has established a consulting business called the R. B. MacMullin Associates in Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Tobey Mooers, with the Foreign Service at Port-au-Prince, Haiti, reports that his two sons are attending college in California under the G.l. Bill. Tobey recalled that John Thomas recited Toussaint's "L'Ouverture" in a Bowdoin prize speaking contest and remarked that Toussaint is a great (and living) hero in Haiti. "We have had a very busy year in this little Republic," writes Tobey, and adds, "The smaller the country the more problems there seem to be."

Dr. George Nevens of Damariscotta, vice president of the Maine Dental Society, attended a joint meeting of that Society and the Portland Medical Club at the Hotel Graymore in Portland in April.

Upon his return to his former position as attendance officer for Portland schools, Karl Palmer bought a house and now resides at 30 Bancroft Street, Portland. His son is now with the C.A.A. installing radar



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and other safety devices at airfields. Karl is to be added to the list of grandfathers.

Capt. Albert Prosser since last October has been commander of the New London, Conn., Group Atlantic Reserve Fleet. This group consists of laid-up submarines and their tenders.

Walton Read retired from the Navy on January 1 with the rank of captain. Tubby entered Bowdoin in 1914 but left after a short time when he received his appointment to the Naval Academy.

Robert Rounds is practicing law at 60 State Street, Boston, Mass., under the name of Rounds, Cook and King.

Bill Simonton was recently pictured in a Portland newspaper demonstrating his home-made telescope to his pupils at Portland High School.

Edward Smith is co-author with A. H. Fox, R. T. Sawyer and H. R. Austin of *Applied Atomic Power*, published in December by Prentice-Hall. He is with the Geology Laboratory of Union College, Schenectady. N. Y.

Boyce Thomas is general agent for Maine with the Portland office of the Aetna Life Insurance Company.

John White Thomas of Waterville recently directed the concert production of Felix Mendelsshon's Elijah and Oratorio in Portland City Hall, sponsored by the Portland Women's Chorus.

Bill Van Wart's oldest son plans college training in the restaurant business. His second son will be ready for college next year.

After confinement to a hospital for a week, Lester Wallace has recovered from an attack of food poisoning and has returned to his duties as purchasing agent of the City of Portland. He has been elected director and a member of the executive committee of the New England Governmental Buyer's Association.

Karl Woodman of Nashua, N. H., reports a grandson, Karl Woodman Henry, 15 months old. His daughter Judith plans to be married this spring.

# 1919 Secretary, Donald S. Higgins 70 Royal Road, Bangor

Col. Ray Lang is now civilian Dr. Lang (he recevied his D.D. from Suffolk University in 1938), vicar of Saint Christopher's Mission in Cheyenne, Wy. Busy pioneering, Ray reports that the whole Lang family is enjoying western climate and beauty.

Rev. Milton McGorrill, formerly of Grand Rapids, Mich., is recovering from a long illness in Deer Isle.

Frank Morrison's new address is Davis Street, Trucksville, Pa.

#### 1920 Secretary, Stanley M. Gordon 208 West Fifth Avenue Roselle, N. J.

Capt. Myron Avery has been awarded the Legion of Merit by the Navy Department. Still in active service, he is on duty in Washington, D. C., as Chief Admiralty Officer.

Albert Bartlett is with the Knox Company in Los Angeles, Calif. His address there is 1651 North Argyle Street.

Maj. Gen Willard Wyman of Damariscotta has been awarded the Distinguished Service Medal by the Army for meritorious and distinguished service. Since October he has been stationed at Fort Monroe, Va., as Assistant Chief-of-Staff of the Army Ground Forces.

Emerson Zeitler was elected chairman of the Brunswick Chapter of the American Red Cross at a spring meeting of the Chapter's directors.

# 1921 Secretary, Norman W. Haines 27 State Street, Boston, Mass.

Major Herbert Ingraham is still in Tokyo as director of the American School, set up by the Army for the education of dependents of American personnel. He expects to have about 1,000 students and a system that will run from kindergarten to grade 12. Mrs. Ingraham and her daughter hope to join him in Toyko before summer. Herbie, Jr., is enrolled in the engineeering course at the University of Maine

course at the University of Maine.

Dr. Harrison Lyseth, superintendent of the Portland schools, has been re-elected chairman of the Portland Chapter of the American Red Cross.

Dr. John G. Young has been named 63rd president of the Dallas County (Texas) Medical Society.

# 1922 Secretary, Albert R. Thayer 40 Longfellow Avenue, Brunswick

Lee Butler reports that since February, 1946, he has been New York City manager of the Display Corporation of Milwaukee, Wis. His address is 310 East 44th Street, New York City. Before taking his present position, he was sales promotion manager for Esquire, Inc.

The marriage of Mrs. Barbara Sands Bailey of Portland to Shepard Emery was solemnized in Portland in April. Mrs. Emery is a graduated of the University of New Hampshire and the New York School of Social Workers of Columbia University. Shepard is an auditor with the E. H. Griswold Company:

Francis Freeman's son Eben is on the U. S. Maritime Academy cruise to Rio de Janeiro. His daughter Audrey was recently pictured in a Maine newspaper in an 1893 gown worn at a Smith College show, where she is a student. His daughter Nancy played the part of Lady MacBeth in a play at Waynflete School in March.

Frank Hart is assistant purchasing agent at the Du Pont Company in Wilmington, Del.

Virgil McGorrill of Portland has been elected a director of the Better Business Bureau.

August Miller is a lieutenant commander and not a lieutenant, as reported in the last issue of the Alumnus. He is teaching at Annapolis, having previously earned his rank on active duty in the Pacific.

Standish Perry is with the Veterans' Administration in Palo Alto, Calif.

Rev. Raymond Putman has moved from Danvers, Mass., to Depot Road, Boxford, Mass.

Dr. Evans Sealand has moved from Richmond Hills, N. Y., to 191 Greenway North, Forest Hills, N. Y.

Evarts Wagg's daughter Margaret is a

junior at Hood College, where she has been continuously on the Dean's List. Evartslives in Silver Spring, Md.

# 1923 Secretary, RICHARD SMALL 59 Garland Street, Portland

David Berman's new address is 129 Lisbon Street, Lewiston.

Associate Professor Harvey Bishop of Harvard Business School was recently appointed Assistant Dean and Director of the Advanced Management Program, a 13 weeks' course given twice a year to business executives. He would welcome Bowdoin men in the course.

Byron Brown has accepted an appointment as captain in the Medical Corps of the regular Navy. He is now Assistant District Medical Officer of the First Naval District.

Theodore Cousins joined the staff of Champlain College last fall as Associate Professor of History and Government.

Frank MacDonald is serving as head of the math department at North Quincy High School and is also teaching in the Veterans' School at Thayer Academy.

Stephen Palmer was married in September, 1945, and has a step-son, Park, age 10, and a son born on October 20, 1946, named Stephen, Jr. The Palmers live in Swampscott, Mass.

Earle Perkins is a medical motion picture director in New Brunswick, N. J. His address is Hamilton Road, R.F.D. 3.

After 38 months with the Navy in some of the world's far places, Scott Stackhouse is now settled in Binghamton, N. Y., as a training officer with the Veterans' Administration. He has recently been appointed labor-market analyst for the Employment Bureau of the State Department of Labor.

#### 1924 Secretary, Clarence D. Rouillard 24 Roxborough Drive Toronto 5, Ontario, Canada

Francis Bishop expects his oldest son, Francis, Jr., to enter Bowdoin in the fall. Dick Lee was elected to the State Senate of Massachusetts, and is chairman of the Joint Committee on Public Service.

Harvey Lovell reports a son, John, age 10, now in the sixth grade, and a daughter, Eleanor Jane, 8. Harvey is editor of the Kentucky Warbler, a state journal of ornithology. He lives at 3011 Meade Avenue, Louisville, Ky.

Having sold his insurance agency at the start of the war, Walter Moore spent some years with Philgas Corporation, and is now connected with the Brunswick Hardware Company in Brunswick.

Lawrence Page has moved from Kennebunk where he was principal of the high school, to Sanford, as principal of Sanford High School.

Preston Putnam is a civil engineer in Manchester, Mass.

# 1925 Secretary, WILLIAM H. GULLIVER, JR. 1 Federal Street, Boston, Mass.

Harold Eastman and Harry Eastman have bought the Western Maine Forest Nursery Company at Fryeburg.

Rev. Philip Gregory is pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Brooklyn, Mich.



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Lt. Comdr. Ernest Joy's new address is U. S. Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, Va.

George Miller's latest address is 5 Bryant Street, Portland.

Dawson Owsley sends his mailing address in care of the *Columbus Dispatch*, Columbus, Ohio.

Robert Peary extends a general invitation to visit the Wabasso Angora Farm on Eagle Island this summer.

Fred Perkins is actuary with the home office of the Aetna Life Insurance Company in Hartford, Conn.

Charley Wotton ended his 29th season as a basketball official this past season. He is looking forward to the completion of 30 years' as hoop official, but doesn't expect to quit then. Now that the basketball season is over, Charley is devoting time to his specialty shop in Rockland, handling linoleum and tile work.

# 1926 Secretary, Albert Abrahamson 76 Federal Street, Brunswick

Kenneth Atwood has moved from Hartsdale, Pa., to 1535 Wagar Avenue, Lakewood, Ohio.

Stewart Bigelow's new address is Bergen Junior College, Teaneck, N. J.

Nathan Cobb is a Japanese war criminal prosecutor in the Philippines. He joined the SCAP's legal section in Manila in November, 1945.

Edmund Fanning came out of the Navy a lieutenant commander, and is back at his law office. He lives at 210 Clinton Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y. A son, Donald John, was born on March 29.

Gordon Genthner was recently promoted to comptroller and director of Harvey Radio Laboratories, Inc., of Cambridge, Mass. He lives at 170 Neholden Road, Waban.

Carl Hersey, Professor of Fine Arts at the University of Rochester, has been awarded one of the larger scholarships from Guggenheim Foundation for a year's work in research in this country and in France. Rochester has granted him leave of absence, and he will begin his new work in the fall.

Edmund MacCloskey recently became dean of the faculty of Priscilla Beach Summer Theater School in Plymouth, Mass. He is still teaching French and heads the speech and drama department at Belmont, Mass., Senior High School. He lives at 3 Columbus Street, Newton Highlands.

# 1927 Secretary, GEORGE C. CUTTER 645 Woodland Avenue Birmingham, Mich.

Albert Dekker (Ecke) of the films is writing a column for the *Hollywood Press-Times* between acting assignments.

Rev. LaForest Hodgkins was a forum leader at the 14th annual Religious Forum at Bowdoin in February. He received his A.B. from Boston University School of Religion and his B.D. at the Boston University School of Theology in 1937. He served as pastor of the Lynnfield (Mass.) Community Church from 1937 to 1939, then became minister of the North Christian Church of Fall River before entering the Army as a Chaplain. He served with

the 35th Infantry Division in the European Theatre from 1944 to 1946, and is presently pastor of the Central Congregational Church in Bath.

Roger Johnson is vice president and director of the New England Industrial Development Corporation.

Rudolph Lewsen became a civilian again on April 1, but is remaining in Washington, D. C., as deputy director of the Wartime Division of the AFLC in the State Department.

Edward Murphy was married on May 1 to the former Ruth Esther Pelton of West Barnstable, Mass. They are living in Hyannis, Mass.

Rev. David Montgomery is in charge of St. Luke's and All Saints Churches in Fort Worth, Texas. His address is 3636 Canyon Ridge Avenue.

Brainard Paul writes that he is teaching math and science at Rockland High School.

# 1928 Secretary, William D. Alexander Middlesex School Concord, Mass.

Richard Chapman has been recommended to succeed John D. Clifford, Jr., '10 as U. S. District Attorney for Maine. He has been County Attorney since 1942.

Evariste Desjardins has been appointed manager of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company district office in Augusta. He first joined the company in 1926, and has recently been with the home office in New York City.

Edward Durant is teaching Latin and English at Lincoln Junior High School in Meriden, Conn. His home is in Farmington, Conn.

Nathan Greene, vice president of the Canal National Bank of Portland, has been named vice chairman for the 1947 Red Cross Fund Drive in Portland.

Edward Leadbeater says he is still raising apples, but manages to eke out time to serve as treasurer of the New Hampshire Horticultural Society, treasurer of the Merrimack Valley Region Association, and chairman of the Town Planning Board of Contoocook, N. H.

#### 1929 Secretary, LeBrec Micoleau c/o General Motors Corporation 1775 Broadway New York City 19, N. Y.

Prentiss Cleaves has recovered from the serious injuries he suffered in the crash of an experimental Lockheed plane which he was testing. He is staff assistant to Lockheed's general sales manager.

George Knox's address is 210 West 7th Street, Los Angeles 14, Calif.

Bill Mills, formerly of Cape Elizabeth, is with the Tax Division of DuPont Powder Company in Jacksonville, Fla. His address is 1514 Barnett National Bank Building, Jacksonville.

The February issue of Survey Midmonthly contained a special section by Reg Robinson summarizing the findings of a statewide study of juvenile delinquency and child neglect in Connecticut, which was conducted under the auspices of the Connecticut Public Welfare Council by Community Surveys, Inc. Reg is on the staff of the latter organization and was director of the Connecticut study.

Lewis Rollinson is director of Pratt and Farmer Company of New York City.

# 1930 Secretary, H. PHILIP CHAPMAN JR. 508 Cold Spring Avenue West Springfield, Mass.

Comdr. Ernest Collins is in the regular Navy and serves as supply officer of the aircraft carrier *USS Leyte*.

Ira Crocker is currently traveling in South America on an inspection tour for the National City Bank of New York City, He is on the foreign inspection staff of the Comptrollers Department.

Prince Sears Crowell represented Bowdoin at the inauguration of President Ernest Herman Hahne of Miami University in Oxford, Ohio, on April 19.

After serving for nine years as headmaster of Derby Academy, Hingham, Mass., Harrison Davis has announced his resignation, effective in August.

Dave Desjardins' address is 76 Sackett Street, Providence, R. I.

Manning Hawthorne is in North Woodstock, Conn., where he is editor of the AO News of the American Optical Company. He also serves as editorial consultant of three other company plant publications.

Bill Heath has been appointed instructor in the history and political science department at Champlain College, Plattsburg, N. Y.

William Johnson's address is 904 Ladies Mile Road, Richmond, Va.

Asa Knowles, president of the Associated Colleges of Upper New York State, who established three GI colleges (Champlain at Plattsburg, Mohawk at Utica, and Sampson at Lake Seneca) within 12 weeks' time, was the subject of an article in a February issue of the Saturday Evening Post.

The annual John Warren Achorn bird lecture at the College was given in March this year by Olin Pettengill, professor of zoology at Carleton College, Northfield, Minn., who spoke on "Wilderness Mischief."

Pete Phelps moved into his new home on Mach Hill Road, Amherst, N. H., in December. His home was originally a tavern on the Post Road, and dates back to 1730. Pete is manager of the Textron plant in Manchester, N. H.

John Pickard has moved to 24 Meadow-brook Village, Plainfield, N. J.

Capt. Henry Pollock has moved from Westbrook, Mass., to College Highway, Farmington, Conn.

George Randall lives in Cheshire, Mass. Dr. John Riley was recently a featured speaker on a CBS network program entitled "You and Alcohol".

Ralph Smith, principal of Brookline High School for the past two years, has been appointed superintendent of schools for the Stonington district.

Merle Wilkins of Fairport, N. Y., is with the research department of the Consolidated Machine Tool Corporation where he has been for the past two years. Wilkie has three daughters, Donna 12, Sunny 10, and Joanne 2. He says he sees Ray Olson about once a year. Ray is doing a combination of selling and research with the Gliddes Company of Chicago.

1931 Secretary, Rev. Albert E. Jenkins 515 Maulsby Drive Whittier, Calif.

Dwight Andrews has moved to 7 Brown Street, Cambridge, Mass.

Morris Brown has moved from Arlington, Mass., to South Street, Marion, Mass.

George Carleton is serving as registrar of Boston University School of Law.

Howard Davies is with H. M. Payson, investment bankers, of Portland.

Arthur Dillenbeck is in the advertising business in Los Angeles, Calif. His address there is 1665 No. Dillon Street.

Basil Dwyer lives at 16A East Notre Dame Street, Glens Falls, N. Y.

Alfred Fenton has moved to 33 Lloyd Street, Winchester, Mass. A second child, Caroline, was born in December. Al is now with Textron, Inc., with offices in Lowell, Mass.

Rev. Jim Flint's present headquarters are in Berlin, Germany, where he is the representative of Church World Service, Inc., in the British zone. He is attached to the British Army. This is his second European assignment since the war. Early in 1946 he was one of a group of representatives of leading private relief agencies sent to Germany by the War and State Departments to make a survey of welfare needs in the American zone.

Owen Gilman reports the arrival of a son on April 2.

John Gould is a member of the staff of the University of New Hampshire's 10th annual Writers' Conference to be held in August.

During the summer Mearl James will be in Topsham.

The class secretary and Mrs. Jenkins expect to arrive East from California on June 15th for a visit at Winthrop, Mass.

Fred Kleibacker, formerly of Phoenixville, Pa., is now in South Laguna, Calif., where he works as writer and theatre director.

John Lochhead is completing graduate work at Columbia in preparation to becoming librarian of the Mariners Museum in Norfolk, Va.

Lloyd Morrell is an insurance broker and real estate agent in Portland.

Richard Obear has moved to 1 Primus Avenue, Boston, Mass.

Secretary, George T. Sewall c/o Young & Rubicam, Inc. 285 Madison Avenue
New York City, N. Y.

Our 15th Reunion is the big news of the moment. Phil Dana expects 60 at the Bath Country Club, Friday, June 6.

Wenzell Brown has just written a new book entitled *Carribean*.

Ford Cleaves hopes to be in Brunswick for the 15th anniversary in June. His address is 4029 Redden Road, Drexel Hill, Pa.

Dr. Dick Durham is moving from North Carolina and will be located at Hartford Hospital, Hartford, Conn., after June 1.

Robert and Jean Grant, following eight months of intensive study of Japanese, six weeks study on their own and two weeks of mad planning, buying, and packing, are in Japan, having sailed in March from California. Their address is 1 of 13 Asukai Cho, Tanaka, Sa-Kyo-Ku, Kyoto, Honshu, Japan, and they are anxious to hear from their friends.

Daniel Johnson resigned from the principalship of Edward B. Nevin School, South Weymouth, Mass., on January 1, and moved to Milford, Conn., where he accepted a position with F.-H. Woodruff & Sons, Inc. He says he may now be termed as a "seedsman".

Everett Lays has moved from Brockton, Mass., to 1 Vesper Street, Worcester, Mass. Selden McKown, out of the Navy a lieutenant commander, lives at 111 Glenwood Street, Malden, Mass.

Dick Miner's address is 1014 South Street, Philadelphia, Pa. He is associated with the Benjamin F. Emery Company of Philadelphia.

Harris Plaisted is president of the Portland Toastmasters Club and chairman of the Y.M.C.A. Membership Round-Up.

Barry Timson has been appointed to the Needham, Mass., Town Finance Committee to serve until 1949.

#### 1933 Secretary, John P. Merrill Box 175, Towanda, Pa.

Dr. Charles Barbour is assistant director of the anesthesia department at Hartford Hospital, Hartford, Conn. He lives at 104 Whitman Avenue, West Hartford.

Warren Barker has moved from New York City to Jelliff Mill Road, New Canaan, Conn.

Bill Bryan's address is 1008 Main Street, Agawam, Mass.

After receiving his discharge from the Army last winter, Newton Chase returned to the Thacher School, Ventura County, Calif., and is now assistant to the headmaster.

Dr. Paul Floyd has opened an office for the practice of ophthalmology in Farmington.

Richard French, school teacher in Bloomfield, Conn., for the past nine years, is now associated with the Manchester, N. H., general agency of the New England Life Insurance Company. He received his M.A. from the University of New Hampshire in 1934, and is a member of the Lions Club and Masonic bodies. He is living in Whitefield, N. H.

Paul Jack has moved from Richmond to Belvidere Avenue, Farmington, Mass.

Davis Low is living at 2411 Tunlaw Road, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Dr. Holbrook Lowell is living in Hartford, Conn., where he has his practice. He reports he is still hard at making a living and bringing up a family of four children.

Ellsworth Rundlett is a camp director at Sebago Lake.

Robert Sperry has moved from Danvers, Mass., to 92 Appleton Street, Arlington, Mass.

Edward Spingarn is assistant professor of economics at Trinity College, Hartford, Conn.

Bill Travis writes in praise of "the fine group of boys in the Glee Club" at Bowdoin. Bill says that after a visit from nine of them he has nothing but commendation for them.

John Trott is a production manager in

Norman Von Rosenvinge is out of the Coast Guard and resumed his practice of law in January. This time he is in association with John E. Hartnett, Jr., under the firm name of Von Rosenvinge & Hartnett, 84 State Street, Boston, Mass. Since he entered the service, his family increased to three boys and another offspring is expected in September.

Blanchard Vining is with the Carrol Dunham Smith Company as representative for Almeda Company of California. He is located in Burlingame, Calif.

# 1934 Secretary, REV. GORDON E. GILLETT Cathedral House Garden City, L. I., N. Y.

John Brookes has moved from Malden, Mass., to 6 Hurd Street, Cazenovia, N. Y. Major Ralph Calkin has been confined to the Valley Forge General Hospital in Phoenixville, Pa., since December 2, 1946, for several operations.

Russell Dakin lives at 712 B Sunset Avenue, Evansville, Ind., where he is sales manager for Snow and Wheaton, Inc., Ford dealers. Rus says that he couldn't handle a stampede of orders from Bowdoin men at the moment but he would welcome them a bit later.

Edward Delong is treasurer of Maine Belting Company, Philadelphia, Pa. He lives at 1724 Spruce Street, Philadelphia.

Capt. Franklin Fiske's address is 4445 South 6th Street, Louisville, Ky.

Bertram Robbins is with the Y.M.C.A., 55 Hansen Place, Brooklyn, N. Y.

A daughter, Judith Young, was born to the John Sinclairs at Richardson House, Boston, last October.

#### 1935 Secretary, PAUL E. SULLIVAN 352 Walnut Avenue Long Beach, California

Charles Behr lives in Tamworth, N. H., where he is farming, teaching skiing and running a small inn for ski tourists. He writes that he is still single, but not happy about it.

Dr. Chet Brown served two years in the Navy and was released in June last year as a lieutenant. He is practicing general surgery in Worcester, Mass. He has three daughters, ages 6, 5, and 3.

Homer Cilley lives in Marblehead, Mass., and is in the insurance business. His second son, Homer Ridgeway, Jr., was born on November 7, 1946. His first son, Charles Somers, was born on November 7, 1941. Homer calls them his five-year plan.

Leon Dickson is a physician at the Veterans' Administration Facility in Tuskegee,

Arthur Fox is a surety bond underwriter in Indianapolis. He lives at 218 South Butler Avenue in that city.

John Graves has moved from California to Concord, N. H., where he is a public accountant.

Richard Hartshorne's new address is 19 Lafayette Street, Wakefield, Mass.

Charles Hatch writes that he is practicing law in Lawrence, Mass.

Miss Ursula L. Monks of Weston, Mass., was recently married to Lionel Horsman.

Mrs. Horsman was graduated from Smith College in 1941 and served overseas with the OSS. They are living temporarily in Syracuse, N. Y.

Albert Kent has moved to 13 Madison Street, Auburn.

Neil LaBelle has moved from Melrose, Mass., to Bakersfield, Vt.

S/Sgt. Walter Luce is at Camp Stoneham, Calif. Previously he was stationed at Fort Dix, N. J., in the public relations office.

Ross Palmer lives in Darien, Conn., where he is owner of the General Appliance Company.

Deane Thomas has moved to 835 Stone Road, Rochester, N. Y., where he is back at his old job as chemist in the Eastman Kodak Research Lab. His son Stephen is two years old.

Henry Toner has moved from Belmont, Mass., to 20 Elm Street, Brookline, Mass.

F. Burton Whitman was recently elected treasurer of the Pine Tree Society for Crippled Children.

# 1936 Secretary, Hubert S. Shaw St. Albans School Washington 16, D. C.

Abraham and Lillian Abramovitz are introducing Ralph Leon, born on February 19 in Madison, Wis.

Dick Bechtel is with the American Tel and Tel Company in New York City. He lives at 32 So. Slope Drive, Milburn, N. J.

Benson Beneker is with the Information Department of the American Tel and Tel Company in New York City. He lives at 11 Carlton Avenue, Hohokus, N. J.

Bill Carnes lives in Woodbury Forest, Va. William Drake, manager of the sales of the Special Chemicals Division of the Penusylvania Salt Manufacturing Company, has been appointed Assistant Vice President. He will assist in planning for and executing policies of Penusalt's expanding sales forces and in organizing sales activities.

Laurence and Madia (Brooking) Hill have three children, one girl and two boys. He works at the Bethlehem Steel Company in Quincy, Mass.

Dick Jordan lives at 74 Orvis Road, Arlington, Mass., and is affiliated with a Boston insurance company.

Paul Laidley has been transferred from the Minneapolis office of McCann Erickson, Inc., to the New York City office.

John LeSourd is salesman and production manager of Dartmouth Shoes, Inc., Hanover, N. H.

John McGill is general sales manager of Duplicon Company, Inc., of Hopkinton, Mass.

Frederic Mann has returned from a Christmas visit to Iceland and a business trip to Norway and Denmark.

James Melville is in the plant engineering business for Ingersoll-Rand in Phillipsburg, N. J. He lives in Stockton, N. J.

Thurman Philoon is studying history at

Norman Quint is assistant treasurer of the Globe Furniture Company, Inc., of Lawrence, Mass., and lives at 23 Bellevue Street in that city. He writes: "I am still single and still contented. After my release from the service I underwent an operation for the removal of my gall bladder and several stones contained therein. The boys often said there were rocks in my brains, but their sense of direction was a bit awry."

Richard Read has completed 10 years' service with the Kendall Company, textile manufacturers, of Walpole, Mass.

Dr. John Rice is located at Four Winds, Sterling Junction, Mass.

Bill Sawyer has been elected assistant treasurer of the Workingmen's Cooperative Bank of Boston, Mass. He has been associted with the bank for eight years.

Randall Snow is father of a second son born on Easter Sunday, April 6, and named Richard Hubert.

Win Thomas is manager of the group department of Aetna Life Insurance Company in central southern Pennsylvania, with offices in Reading, Pa.

#### 1937 Secretary, WILLIAM S. BURTON 1425 Guardian Building Cleveland, Ohio

John Barker is administrator of Valley View Hospital, Ada, Okla., and says that he does a good bit of traveling for the American College of Surgeons and the American Hospital Association.

Charlie Brewster now resides at 335 Center Street, Bangor, where he moved from Dexter when he opened a law office in the Eastern Trust Building with Jim Mitchell '22. Charlie's movies of undergraduate days are to be a feature of 1937's Tenth Retunion.

Malcolm Cass was discharged from the Army Air Forces in August, and is now conducting an optometric practice at 142 High Street, Portland.

Fred Gwynn is leaving for England on a summer fellowship after reunion in June. This year he has been teaching advanced writing and a graduate course in Victorian poetry at Harvard.

Crowell Hall is associated with the Aetna Life Insurance Company in New York City. His address is 333 East 43rd Street.

Charles Harkins has moved from Buffalo to 183 Rawlinson Road, Rochester, N. Y.

Charles Henderson is announcing the birth of a daughter, Anne, on December 11, 1946. He completed his work at Harvard in February.

Paul Ivory, along with his position as instructor in music education and instrumental music at the University of Minnesota, is also music critic for the *Minneapolis Daily Times*.

Ernest Lister has been named acting assistant chief of the Aviation Division of the Department of State. He lives in Alexandria, Va.

James Marsh has moved from New Haven, Conn., to Goin Lane, Alpine, N. J.

David B. Rideout, Jr., was born on October 14, 1946.

Miss Madeleine Proctor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward O. Proctor of Newton Centre, Mass., was recently married to Rev. Donald R. Woodward. They are living in Lynn, where he is rector of the Church of the Incarnation. Mrs. Woodward is a graduate of Radcliffe College and served in the WAC. Donald was formerly curate at the Chapel of the Intercession in New York City.

#### 1938 Secretary, Andrew H. Cox 51 High Street, Bangor

Francis Bilodeau is director of Wieshaden Central Point for Fine Arts in Wieshaden, Germany.

George Davidson reports the birth of a son, Richard George, on March 22. George was elected headmaster of Kennett High School in Conway, N. H., beginning the fall term of 1947.

Lt. Comdr. Claude Frazier is a navy pilot serving overseas.

Selwyn Graham is a lieutenant commander in the regular Navy. His address is 10517 Lorain Avenue, Silver Spring, Md.

John Halford moved from Andover, Mass., to 713 Heights Road, Ridgewood, N. J., in February, to take a new job as assistant superintendent of Worsted Spinning at the Forstmann Woolen Company.

Louis Hudon is teaching French at Yale, and hints that he might even become a scholar some day.

Edward O'Neill is with Armco International Corporation in Middletown, Ohio, preparing to represent American Rolling Mill Company in Brazil.

Donald Patt received his Ph.D. at Brown University in October, 1946, and his son Stephen was born the following November. He was appointed assistant professor of biology at Middlebury College for the year starting July 1, 1947. Presently he is instructor in biology at Middlebury.

John Salter is working for Exeter Manufacturing Company in Exeter, N. H., where he resides at 25 Chestnut Street.

Stuart Small has been advanced from instructor to assistant professor of classics and ancient history at Marietta College, Marietta, Ohio.

William Young of Concord, N. H., was discharged from the Army Dental Corps as a major in May, 1946, and now has a dental practice in Concord. He married the former Jessie White of Englewood, N. J., on September 9, 1946.

#### 1939 Secretary, John E. Rich, Jr. International News Service Tokyo, Japan

Vernon Carten's new address is 324 N. Main Street, Woonsocket, R. I.

Leonard Cohen was recently elected chairman of the *Press Herald-Express* Unit of the Portland Newspaper Guild.

The engagement of Miss Kathleen Ann Monaghan of Gardiner to Nels Corey has been announced. Miss Monaghan is a social worker with the Boston Metropolitan Chapter of the American Red Cross. Nels has been appointed coach and instructor in science and mathematics at Maine Central Institute. Pittsfield, beginning with the fall term. He is presently coaching and teaching at Governor Dummer Academy. The wedding is set for August.

Hank Dolan has left for Japan as a special investigator for the War Crimes Section of the U. S. Military Government in Tokyo.

Bob Fleischner has been named sales promotion assistant in the agency department of the New England Mutual Life Insurance Company. He recently moved into his new home at 29 Talbot Street. West Newton. Mass.

Robert Foley is located in Philadelphia after his separation from the service. He is manager of the Produc-Trol Philadelphia Company, 523 Real Estate Trust Building, Philadelphia.

Dick Foster is with the LaTouraine Coffee Company of Boston. He lives in

Topsfield, Mass.

Dorrance Goodwin of Sanford has been named a Goodall Scholarship winner, which entitles him to continue his education in the textile field while still drawing his regular salary. He is section supervisor of the Goodall-Sanford Mill B. Laboratory, and will enroll at Lowell Textile to study textile engineering.

Robert Hyde, formerly with the government, is now instructor at the University of Maryland and lives at 7402 Columbia Avenue, College Park, Md. He married the former Elizabeth Anne Griffitts of Knoxville, Tenn., and they have a two-year-old

Upon his return from the Navy, Dr. Porter Jewett opened his office in Worcester, Mass., for practice as eye physician and

surgeon.

Capt. John Konecki of South Portland has been assigned to the medical detachment of the 703rd Anti-Aircraft Artillery Gun Battalion of the Maine National Guard as medical officer and detachment commander.

Fred McKenney has a son, Steven Charles, born on March 3.

Dr. Walter Rowson has moved from Putnam, Conn., to North Grosvenordale, Conn. Edward Stevens has moved from Short Beach, Conn., to College Street, Lewiston. Roger Stover reports his marriage on July 13, 1946, to the former Jean Parker of North Attleboro, Mass.

Dick Stroud is employed as aquatic biologist in TVA, Fish and Game Division, Norris, Tenn.

Ken Sullivan and his wife are enjoying life in Berlin, Germany. Ken is waiting to hear when and where he will take his oral exam for the foreign service, having already passed his written exam.

Randall Tinker is attending Massachusetts College of Pharmacy.

The engagement of Nancy Dobson, Wellesley '43, of Philadelphia, and James Titcomb has been announced.

Paul Wheeler has a son four years old. Paul is employed as junior designer with the architectural firm of Alonzo J. Harriman, Inc., of Auburn.

Duncan Whitehill has moved from Newtonville, Mass., to Natick, Mass.

Since May, 1946, George Yeaton has been a salesman for Dun & Bradstreet, Inc., in Providence, R. I. He bought a home last August, and Mrs. Yeaton and their 14-month old daughter Carolyn Jane have joined him to resume normal living following nearly four years of Army life.

1940 Secretary, NEAL W. ALLEN, JR. 37 Warren Avenue Cape Elizabeth

Dr. and Mrs. Dick Abbott are announcing the birth of a son, Donald Charles, on March 6 in West Newton, Mass. Dick is still at the Boston Children's Hospital and hopes to be practicing pediatrics shortly.

Sidney Alpert is one of the three owners of Morino Company, Inc., candy and tobacco jobbers, of Old Town.

Frank Andrews, formerly of Worcester, Mass., is now with Howard-Verrell Company in Bakersville, Calif., where he is a salesman for Johns-Manville Home Insulation.

Harry Baldwin, married and with one two-year-old Bowdoin prospect, is employed at the Merchants National Bank of Boston, Mass. He lives at 55 Dartmouth Street, Dedham.

David Brown writes that he has just acquired another son, Geoffrey Eaton.

Morris Davie has moved from Boston, Mass., to 27 East 79th Street, New York City.

Dick Eveleth is located in Auburn. His home address is 23 Prospect Street.

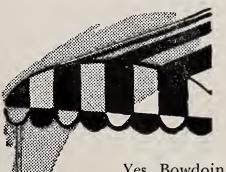
Bill Fairclough, formerly of Buffalo, N. Y., is in the insurance business in Hartford, Conn. He lives at 157 Elizabeth Street.

Joseph Griffith is working for the E. I. Du Pont de Nemours Company as technical representative on Photo Products in New England. He lives in Belchertown, Mass.

A daughter, Prudence Frame, was born on February 16 to Lloyd and Shirley Hatch of Dexter.

Cal Hill is working in Boston, Mass., for the Old Colony Insurance Company, handling marine and inland marine claims.

Francis King writes that he is part-time instructor in social science at Boston University General College, and is studying for his Ph.D. in clinical psychology at Harvard.



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Bob Kurtz has moved from Hartsdale. N. Y., to 9 Ralph Avenue, White Plains, N. Y.

Edmund Lamont is with Monsanto Chemical Company of Boston, Mass!, with the Textile Chemical Department. A son, Edmund, Jr., was born last August. The Lamonts live in Pittsfield, Mass.

George Little writes that he is feeling better after passing his Ph.D. orals, and has nothing left to do as a student except finish his dissertation before June, 1948, on "The Codification of Public International Law."

Elbert Luther is living in Riverside, R. I., and employed as a statistician for the Narragansett Electrical Company of Providence

Bill Mitchell and wife are living in Middlebury, Vt., where Bill is doing graduate work in French. He has accepted a position at the Chicago Latin School starting next fall where he will head the French Department and coach track.

Harold Oshry was married in January and writes that he is now a permanent New Yorker. He is with Bonded Auto Sales, 1696 Broadway, New York City.

Dr. Edward Platz of Dumont, N. J., is home again after spending nine months on Okinawa.

George Raybin has a fellowship in surgery at Queens General Hospital, Jamaica, L. I. He lives at 770 St. Marks Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Philip Requa writes that "our pot of gold at the end of six months' search was this apartment on an island in the middle of the East River. I'm working for Requa, Burkhardt & School in the Empire State Building, New York City. Was married in January, 1945, and have no children yet. I am studying for my Master's in Business Administration at N.Y.U. Graduate School of Business Administration."

Jim Richdale has resigned his position as advertising salesman at radio station WMTW and reported to Boston, Mass., for new duties as associate to the executive vice-president of the Yankee Network.

Dr. Linwood Rowe is in the general practice of medicine with his father in Rumford.

Dick Sanborn, out of the Navy, is practicing law in Augusta.

John Stewart can be reached at 1230 Bladensburg Road, Washington, D. C.

Dr. Ross Wilson starts as special graduate student in surgery and assistant resident in surgery at Yale University and New Haven Hospital on July 1. He has just completed his duties as resident surgeon at Somerset Hospital, Somerville, N. J.

Phil Young is attending the University of Rochester Medical School, Rochester, N. Y.

# 1941 Secretary, Henry A. Shorey, 3rd 2 Chestnut Street, Boston, Mass.

Robert Abendroth will receive his Master's in Education at the University of Vermont in June.

Robert Allen lives at 4 Baranca Way, South Laguna, Calif.

Jean Auperin finished his work at Harvard Business School in January.

Out of the Army, Bill Barton is studying architecture at Harvard. He lives at 67 Mt. Vernon Street, Cambridge, Mass.

Dr. Harrison Berry is instructor in the radiology department at the School of Dentistry of the University of Pennsylvania. He is living at 244 Henley Road, Philadelphia.

Lt. Robert Chandler is still in the Army Medical Corps, but hopes to be out soon and settle down. He is currently stationed at Fitzsimmons General Hospital, Denver, Colo.

Donald Conant has moved to 33 Somerset Road, West Newton, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. John Craig are announcing the birth of a daughter, Janet Lynn, on January 9. They live at 1725 Palaski Street, South Bend, Ind.

James Cupit is studying at General Theological Seminary in New York City, and is anxious to see any Bowdoin men passing through Manha(tan.

The engagement of Miss Barbara H. Fox of Dobbs Ferry, N. Y., to the Rev. James Doubleday has been announced. Miss Fox is a graduate of Barnard College. Jim is assistant at St. George's Episcopal Church in New York City. The wedding is planned for June.

Haven Fifield's new address is 47 Essex Avenue, Montclair, N. J. A daughter Nancy was born last August.

Herbert Fischer was married in October, 1946, to the former Peggy Covington of Columbus, Ohio, and Van Nuys, Calif. They are living at 3420 Warden Drive, Philadelphia, Pa., where Herb is practicing dentistry.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Frese are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son, Edwin, Jr., on January 23.

Bruce Haley has moved from Lynn, Mass., to 29 W. Town Street, Norwich, Conn.

Bill Hall has moved from Mystic, Conn., to Albany, N. Y.

Ward Hanscom is a senior in the Yale Law School and plans to graduate in October.

Dick Harding is scheduled to finish at Harvard Business School this month. He writes that Ben Pierce '43 and Art Keylor '42 are in his class.

Dr. Bob Hinckley was to be discharged from the Army Medical Corps on May 10, after serving as post surgeon at Ogden Arsenal, Utah, for a year and a half. He plans to return East and be a resident at Worcester City Hospital in the fall.

Dr. Paul Holliday has moved his dental offices to 230 Park Avenue, the New York Central Building, New York City.

Capt. Paul Houston hopes to be discharged from the Medical Corps this month. He is stationed at the Station Hospital, Camp Lee, Va.

Ray and Olive Huling are parents of a daughter, Sandra Lee, born on January 18 at Newtonville, Mass.

Eben Lewis expects to graduate from Syracuse University College of Law in January.

Roy McNiven has moved from East Boston, Mass., to 58 Holton Street, West Medford, Mass. He is the new treasurer of the Boston Bowdoin Club.

Dick Means is assistant purchasing agent at Kendall Mills, Walpole, Mass. He lives at 35 Bowen Street, Newton Center. Converse Murdock is in his third year at Columbia University Law School. He lives at 2636 93rd Street, Jackson Heights, L. I., N. Y.

Bill Owens is attending Boston University Law School.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Page of Springfield, Mass., are parents of a daughter, Penelope, born on March 2.

Robert G. Porter has moved from Cambridge, Mass., to 12 Plateau Road, Eastern Terrace, Essex, Md.

Dr. Philip Pratt is a pathologist on the staff of Trudeau Sanitarium and Foundation, Trudeau, N. Y. He has a son, William Clarke, age seven months.

Dr. and Mrs. Elmer Sewall are announcing the birth of a son, Stephen Arthur, on December 6, 1946, whom they hope will go to Bowdoin, too.

Robert Shropshire is with the R.C.A.F. in England.

Capt. Dick Stanley is with the Army Air Force stationed at Boca Raton, Fla.

Lt. Max Weinshel is located at the Station Hospital, Camp Kilmer, N. J.

# 1942 Secretary, John L. Baxter, Jr. Brunswick.

Norman Austin is working for H. C. Wainwright & Company, 60 State Street, Boston, Mass.

Pete Babcock writes that he is salesman for Armour & Company around greater Boston. Pete says if anyone sees a pup-tent in any one of the village greens around Boston, drop in and meet Mrs. Babcock and two children—Nancy and Peter.

Clayton Bitler has started a second store in Vinalhaven.

Lt Frederick Blodgett has been transferred from Fort Sam Houston, Texas, to the Station Hospital at Keesler Field, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Seavey Bowdoin are parents of a son, Everett Seavey, Jr., born on January 15.

Frederick Butterfield is in the insurance business in Fitchburg, Mass.

Dick Bye and the former Delia Grubb of Tulsa, Okla., were married on February 15 at the Little Church Around the Corner in New York City. Dick is connected with the Ronald Press in New York, and is studying at Columbia University. Mrs. Bye is a graduate of the University of Oklahoma and was on the staff of the Tulsa Tribune before her marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cunningham of 2841 Tilden Street N.W., Washington, D. C., are announcing the birth of a daughter, Juliet Eyre, on March 24.

Frederick George Fisher III was born on February 10 at the Newton-Wellesley Hospital, Wellesley, Mass.

Bill Georgitis of Millbridge is commuting to Orono where he is studying for a master's degree at the University of Maine.

While Fred Hall was on leave from the London office of the Military Attache, he visited Monaco, Monte Carlo and the Riviera.

Dick Hanson tries to give the lighterage business in Rockland a little time, but until June 7 his chief occupation is 1942's Fifth Reunion.

Dr. Bob Johnson is practicing dentistry in Keene, N. H.



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George Kaknes has moved from Lowell, Mass., to 222 Riverneck Road, Chelmsford, Mass.

Phil Litman has moved from Portland to 300 Tappan Street, Brookline, Mass.

Jim Lunt is working in Newark, N. J., with the Prudential Insurance Company of America.

Capt. Coburn Marston is making a career of the Marine Corps, and is with the recruiting office, Federal Office Building, 90 Church Street, New York City.

Bill Nelson of Vanderbilt Medical School did a noteworthy piece of work in streptomycin last year, the basis of which will lead to the treatment of several diseases for which there is no specific cure at present. His article was accepted and printed in the January number of *Proceedings of the Society of Experimental Medicine and Biology*.

Vincent Skachinske is in the service overseas.

Harold Slocomb has moved to Orangeburg, N. Y., and is attending Columbia University.

Lewis Vafiades is teaching in the high school at Stonington, and coaching debating and basketball as well.

Oliver Wyman is a salesman in Yarmouth.

1943 Secretary, John F. Jaques 273 State Street, Portland

Charles Bacon is an instructor in English at Colby College.

Reginald Barrows was selected winner of the Purinton Scholarship at Bowdoin.

Jeff Bosworth is now credit manager and assistant treasurer of K. W. Baker Linen Company in New York City. His home address is 32 Pierepont Street, Brooklyn Heights, N. Y.

David Brandenburg plans to get his M. A. in history this spring. His second son, John Gifford, was born in April.

George Brickates has been put on a reserve status in the Navy, and is disappointed with that turn of events since he is avid for more active service.

Dr. Carleton Brown has moved to 278 Bunker Hill Street, Charlestown, Mass., from Manchester, N. H.

Fred Bubier's home address is 66 Basset Street, Lynn, Mass.

Andrew Carrington has moved from Bexley, Ohio, to Thompson Road, Webster, Mass.

Bob Cinq-Mars is doing graduate work in music and is leader of the Yale Collegians orchestra.

Phil Cole was recently married to the former Nancy Smith. He lives in Allenwood, N. J., and is in the boat building business.

Joe Cronin's address is 30-A East Center Street, Rutland, Vt.

Al Eastman is with G. R. Coleman & Company, importers and exporters, of New York City.

John Hoopes is still working for his doctor's degree in chemical engineering at Columbia and instructing also.

George Hutchings reports his marriage to the former Elinor Magruder Palmieri of Washington, D. C. A daughter, Harriet Christina, was born on January 12.

Ralph Kidd is with the Wayne Davis office on Beacon Street, Boston, Mass.

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George Lord has moved from Augusta tô 29 Sylvan Road, South Portland.

Bill Martin is junior salesman for National Cash Register Company in Auburn. John Mitchell is doing graduate work in English at Harvard.

Sandy Moran is working with Moran Leather Company, 179 South Street, Boston, Mass. A son, Frederic, was born in January. Win Piper is with H. C. Baxter & Brother of Brunswick.

John Plimpton is associated with Kidder Peabody & Company. investment bankers, of Boston, Mass.

Ed Richardson is taking law courses at Northeastern Law School in Boston, Mass.

Lester Simon has moved from Cleveland, Ohio, to 3513 Rittenhouse Street N.W., Washington, D. C.

Don Stearns plans to be married around the end of July.

Harlan Taylor has purchased a new Cape Cod home at 23 Whitney Road, Manchester, Conn.

Another son, Raleigh Merrill, was born to the Eliot Tozers on September 12, 1946.

Knowlton Trust has been appointed instructor in chemistry at the Orono campus of the University of Maine. He was formerly a junior chemist at Federal Telephone and Radio Corporation in Newark,

1944 Secretary, J. EDWARD ELLIS 7422 Boyer Street Mt. Airy, Philadelphia, Pa.

Ed Babcock has moved from Bangor to the Staff House, Jersey City Medical Center, Jersey City, N. J.

Bob Colton hopes to acquire an M.A. in Classics at Columbia this June. He has been awarded another graduate residence scholarship at Columbia for the following

academic year. Walt Daniels is with the American Optical Company in Southbridge, Mass.

John Harrington is working for the Irving Trust Company, Wall Street, New York City, as investigator in the Foreign Credit Department. He says his job promises to be exceedingly interesting.

Jim Higgins, who plans to be married on June 7, is with Ciba Pharmaceutical Products, Inc., in Summit, N. J., where he is head of the research stockroom.

Franklin Joy is working for the D'Arcy Company in Dover, N. H.

Miss Gertrude M. Joudrey of Bridgewater, N. S., was married to Bob Lawlis on February 23 in Boston, Mass. Bob is studying Iaw at Boston University. Mrs. Lawlis was an art student in Boston.

Dr. Bill McLellan is at the Beverly Hospital, Beverly, Mass.

Bert Mason is teaching Latin and social studies at Oakwood School, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

David Rounseville is in his second year at Tufts Medical School.

Dick Saville is working in the Research Department of Smith, Kline & French Laboratories in Philadelphia, Pa.

Arthur Shorey is employed with the Home Indemnity Company, 49 Maiden Lane, New York City.

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Lacey Smith is at Princeton Graduate School studying history.

1945 Secretary, Thomas R. Huleatt, Jr. 273 Middle Street Braintree, Mass.

Tom Bartlett is with General Refactories in Philadelphia, Pa.

Benjamin Burr is a graduate student at the Wharton School of Finance in Philadelphia, Pa. His address is 2832 Frankford Avenue, Philadelphia.

Sheldon Carbee was recently married to the former Beverly B. Bacall of Melrose, Mass., at the Melrose Highlands Congregational Church.

Bob Coffin has been awarded the Air Medal and Gold Stars for achievement in aerial flights in the Pacific during the war. The Gold Stars represent the second, fourth, fifth, and sixth Air Medals, awarded for 30 flights over areas where enemy opposition usually occurred.

Frederick Dickson is a fourth year student at the University of Rochester Medical School.

Vernon Dudley was married to the former Marjorie A. Watson on February 22 at Westboro, Mass. They are living in Guilford, Conn., where he has a dairy farm.

Lt. Bruce Elliott writes from Hanau, Germany, that he is with the only Theater Chemical Depot over there, but would like to be back at Bowdoin.

Frederick Gregory is nearing the end of the completion of his third year at McGill Medical School, Montreal, Canada.

Mail for Dick Hornberger will reach him at Star Route, Waldoboro.

George Kern's engagement to Miss Bertha Bonney of Portland was announced in March, and the wedding was set for May 17. They plan to spend the summer at Highland Lake where they have a cottage. In the fall they will return to Portland.

Lloyd Knight's address is 229 S. 22nd Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Donald MacLean is married and having trouble finding an apartment in Boston.

Nelson Oliphant took a position with Johns-Manville Corporation in Manville, N. J., last October. He lives at 89 Maple Street, Maplewood, N. J.

David Ross has moved from Washington, D. C., to 20 Orchard Street, Biddeford.

Davis Wurts has resumed studies at the Webb Institute of Naval Architecture at Glen Cove, L. I., N. Y.

1946 Secretary, MALCOLM CHAMBERLAIN
Barracks Dormitory
M.I.T., Cambridge, Mass.

The class secretary is studying organic chemistry at M.I.T.

Earle Davis is in his second year at the University of Vermont College of Medicine. He was married on June 22 last year to the former Mary Newcomb of Newtonville, Mass.

Francis Grant is finishing his second year at Cornell Law School. He writes that Don Allen '38 is a very good friend of his in Ithaca.

David Hastings was married to Mrs. Doris McGee Graustein in the Appleton Chapel

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of Harvard University on January 18. David is studying at Harvard Law School, and they are living in Cambridge, Mass.

George Hildebrand is at M.I.T. Dana Little, stationed with the Army in

the Orient, writes that he will be unable to make the first reunion, but hopes to leave for the States shortly afterward.

Also at M.I.T. studying electrical en-

gineering is Bob Michaud.

Bill Moody is at Harvard Business School. Norton and Mary Ann Nevels are parents of a daughter, Lauren Stephanie, born on April 10.

Charles Robbins is with the W. C. Langley Company, an investment banking firm, 115 Broadway, New York City, as a registered representative. He married Miss Elaine Siebert of Montclair, N. J., in 1943, and has a son, Charles III, now over three years old.

Martin Smith is nearing the end of his third year at Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons. He lives at 320 W. 86th Street, New York City.

1947 Secretary, Kenneth M. Schubert Sigma Nu House, Brunswick

Bill Augerson is out of the Navy and at 2 Bloomer Street, Ellenville, N. Y.

John Claffey is completing his second semester at the University of Virginia Law School in Charlottesville, Va.

Bob Clarke is attending Cornell Medical College, New York City.

Charles Cohen is in business with his father in Portland. He welcomes all Bowdoin men to drop in at his address at 89 Vesper Street.

Corydon Dunham completed his officers' training course at Fort Sill, Okla., in December, and is looking forward to the time when he will be discharged from the Army and can return to college.

Hans Hemkes was married to Miss Dorothy Aldred, daughter of Jake Aldred '24, on February 1. They are living in Brunswick while Hans is in college.

Samuel Marsh, out of the Marine Corps, is with the U.S. State Department in Washington, D. C. His permanent address is 3515 Lowell Street, Washington, D. C.

Dick Roundy married Miss Ruth Olmstead of Winchester, Mass., on October 12, 1946.

Stan Weinstein's summer plans include the possibility of going to Germany, France or Russia with the International Youth Hostel Association this summer or studying at the University of Zurich. He is still teaching in Athens, Greece.

Ensign Charles Whitmore writes that he has been commanding officer of the USS LCI 639 operating for the past eight months in the Marianas and Caroline Islands. He is due for separation from the Navy in

#### MEDICAL SCHOOL

1899 Dr. Daniel Wentworth has returned to his summer home in Wells after spending the winter in St. Petersburg, Fla.

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Dr. Frank E. Leslie, who still claims residence in Andover, hopes to be present at Commencement this year.

1903 Dr. Stillman Little of Phoenix, Ariz., retired last year from practice.

1915 Dr. Alton Blaisdell is now chief of the medical service on the staff of the Maine General Hospital in Portland.

1919 Dr. Eugene Drake, chief of medicine at the Maine General Hospital, Portland signed a 35th Anniversary Certificate of Hadassah at a meeting of that chapter in Portland this spring. The document will be microfilmed and enclosed in a cornerstone of a new tuberculosis hospital to be built in Palestine.

#### **HONORARY**

William S. Newell has been named head of the Pennsylvania Crushing Company, a machinery manufacturing company that will operate in Bath.

1942 Rev. Wallace Anderson was a leader in the Religious Forum held at Bowdoin in February.

1944 Rev. Henry S. Coffin, D.D., is on a lecture tour in India.

#### **FACULTY**

Professor Herbert Ross Brown spoke before a meeting of the Pittsfield Men's Club on April 21. After the meeting he was the guest of local Bowdoin men at the home of Howard Niblock '35 principal of Maine Central Institute. Professor Brown will teach a course in the American Novel and Literature of the 18th Century at the summer session of the Graduate School of the University of Minnesota. On May 2 he was speaker at the banquet of the Annual Spring Conference of Secondary School Principals at the Augusta House.

Professor Robert P. T. Coffin will join the staff of the University of New Hampshire's annual Writer's Conference at Durham in August.

Professor Athern P. Daggett presided as president of the Maine Congregational Christian Conference in Augusta at its annual meeting earlier this month.

Professor Cecil T. Holmes and family are in California enjoying a sabattical leave.

Professor Orren C. Hormell presided at a Public Health Institute for laymen in the State Street Congregational Church in Portland recently.

The New England Quarterly magazine recently carried articles by Professors Philip C. Beam and Edward C. Kirkland.

Professor Noel C. Little has been appointed a visiting lecturer in applied physics for the summer term at Harvard University.

Coach Jack Magee attended an Olympic Champions dinner in Boston in April.

Professor Wilmot B. Mitchell was lauded before the Brunswick Rotary Club by Professor Herbert Ross Brown this spring. Professor Brown said that no where in the State of Maine is Professor Mitchell more respected, honored and loved than in his own community. The Rotary Club, in giving thanks to Professor Mitchell for his work in Brunswick not only as a faculty member but in town affairs as well, named the day in his honor.

Dr. Norman L. Munn spoke on the problems of adolescence at a Brunswick High School PTA meeting this spring.

Franklin P. Adams is the author of "Why I Speak Latin", an article appearing in the April 6 issue of *This Week* magazine, "To anti-Latinists and skeptics," Mr. Adams recommends two books, one of them Paul Nixon's translations of Martial's *Epigrams*.

George "Dinny" Shay served as chairman of the house-to-house committee for the 1947 Brunswick Red Cross fund campaign.

Professor Thomas C. Van Cleve urged acceptance of universal military training in a radio address at Portland. Such training, he said, provides the only realistic solution of the problems of the United States international policies.

#### FORMER FACULTY

Dr. Charles Gray has been named head of the Department of English at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute.

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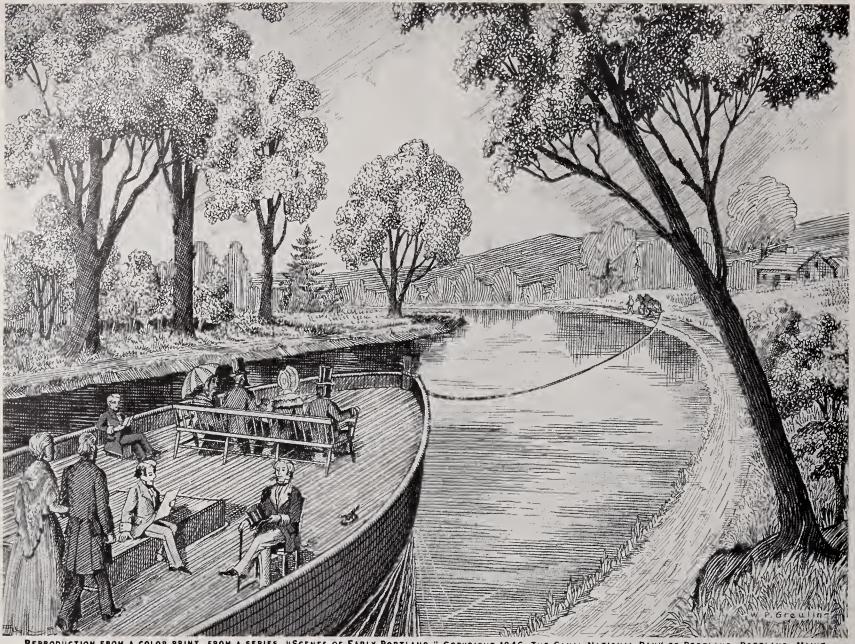


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# Sunday Outing on the Canal - 1832

The Cumberland and Oxford Canal, the water highway linking Harrison Village on Long Lake, with Portland, was financed in part by a lottery approved by the Legislature. Drawing for prizes was conducted by three persons appointed by the Governor and prizes, which were considerable for those days, were to be paid within sixty days. There was one hopeful provision in the lottery grant which said that "if all prizes are not demanded in one year next after the drawing of any class, they shall be considered as generously given for the purpose for which the lottery is granted."

Money raised by the lottery was not sufficient in spite of the prizes offered, so, later the Canal Bank was founded in Portland to finance the

Eventually, the canal was completed and within a year there were more than a hundred boats traveling its course. These canal boats were painted and decorated with gay and vivid colors. Their names showed great imagina-

tion — there was the Peacock, the Reindeer, the Water Witch, and other fanciful names as well as names in honor of some personage of the time.

The first boat to make the passage to Harrison was the "George Washing-She was fitted to carry passengers as well as the freight which was delivered and picked up at landings along the way, and had a bar for the "convenience of the passengers." She was decorated in much the same manner as the "luxury" river boats of the day. There were four cabins. Settees and chairs were on the broad deck, and she was undoubtedly designed for "pleasure cruises" along the Canal.

Many a family took their Sunday outing on these canal boats, bringing the children and a lunch for a leisurely day on the scenic waterway. traveled but four miles an hour at best and the shores were always interesting to the townspeople with their glimpses of "upcountry" life.

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LLOYD HARVEY HATCH, Headmaster Wassookeag School
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# BOWDOIN COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

The officers of the Alumni Council are ex officio the officers of the Association. . . . The Council members at large, the Treasurer, the Chairman of the Directors of the Alumni Fund, the Faculty member, and the Alumni Secretary serve as the Executive Committee of the Association. . . . . . . . .

#### DIRECTORS OF THE ALUMNI FUND

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DURING most of July, the Alumni Secretary was on the move to and from the National Conference of the American Alumni Council at San Francisco. The first AAC conference to be held on the Pacific Coast was distinctly successful for the Council, for its hundreds of members and for the American and Canadian colleges and universities which those members serve. The Bowdoin member returned convinced that the Seven Million (doubtless now nearer to Eight Million) college alumni of this continent are heeding the appeals of their respective almae matres and are steadily taking more active parts in the national effort to preserve and strengthen American education. Nor was he at all downcast when he compared the cooperation of Bowdoin Alumni with that received at other colleges.

An even greater stimulus came from the welcome which the Secretary and his family received at the Bowdoin meetings held in Denver; Los Angeles; San Francisco; Portland, Oregon; and Buffalo. Relatively small but active groups of Bowdoin men, and women, living busy lives in communities thousands of miles from the campus displayed an eagerness for news of Bowdoin and extended a sincerity of cordiality to the visitors from Brunswick which was indeed heartwarming. To the wonders and pleasures of a super-colossal trip must be added a large measure of encouragement to carry on, with convincing assurance of continuing and generous alumni assistance.

PRESENTED in this issue is a tabulation of the 1946-47 Alumni Fund. Again there is recorded an outpouring of alumni interest and support which has permitted an annual gift to Bowdoin exceeding those of recent record-breaking years. When more than 3000 Bowdoin men, giving voluntarily as they are able, present to their college what amounts to the income on two millions of endowment which it sadly needs but does not have, one can readily understand why President Sills describes the Alumni Fund as "Bowdoin's greatest single asset." Faced with mounting costs of operation as well as declining income on invested funds, conducting a million dollar operation which increased tuition fees could not balance, the College has been able to offer, undiluted and without curtailment, Bowdoin's traditionally fine training to a heavily expanded student body, very largely because thousands of former students tender their habit-giving assistance through the Alumni Fund. In a turbulent postwar period, when many colleges are compelled to borrow or to impair their capital funds, Bowdoin once again balances the books.

To the hosts of contributors, to Chairman Thomas, his Directors and Agents, the congratulations, the sincere appreciation and the warm thanks of all who hold Bowdoin dear.

A S the ALUMNUS goes to press, news of real interest to all Bowdoin men appears in the press. Harvey D. Gibson '02, Chairman of the Boards Committee which was authorized to set up the campaign to raise capital funds for the College, announces that Maj. Gen. (Ret.) Wallace C. Philoon '05 has accepted the post of active chairman. Captain of football at Bowdoin and also at West Point, where he was graduated and commissioned in 1909; for 40 years an officer in the U. S. Army, advancing to division command in the last war; since his retirement in 1945 an administrative assistant to Governor Hildreth; member of the Board of Overseers; father of a Bowdoin son; recipient of an honorary M. S. at the Sesquicentennial; recent Agent of the Alumni Fund for his class; "Cope" Philoon is well known and liked by his fellow alumni and by the hosts of his world-wide acquaintance as a man of energy, ability and courageous fidelity to a thorough performance of the job at hand. The State reluctantly parts with his services; the College enthusiastically welcomes them.

Many weeks must elapse before arrangements can be completed for campaign headquarters, an executive staff and an army of Bowdoin salesmen. But a big step forward has been taken with the selection of a working chairman who will unquestionably bring to the undertaking the essential cooperative leadership which Bowdoin's allout effort must have.

Sir, Bowdoin men are present and accounted for; they await orders.



# The 142nd Commencement

Richard A. Wiley '49 Tells What An Undergraduate Saw And Heard

It is of the future that you all must think," declared President Sills as he urged members of the graduating class to do "everything you possibly can in the light of justice and freedom to prevent another war." Thus set forth in the Baccalaureate Address, this idea of planning now for future years pervaded many of the speeches, reports, and announcements of Bowdoin's 142nd Commencement during the first week in June.

A near-record crowd of alumni, parents, and friends of the College witnessed the traditional ceremonies from which the shadow of war had not even yet been removed. Evidence of interrupted educations was the awarding of bachelor degrees to members of classes ranging from 1939 to 1948.

At their Thursday meetings the Trustees and Overseers reached several important decisions. In an effort to meet the financial problem posed by declining endowment income and steadily rising operation costs, tuition will be increased next February from \$400 to \$500 per two-semester year. Ample scholarship funds are available, according to the President, to assist those who find the increase a hardship. The long-heralded campaign to raise from \$3,000,000 to \$6,000,000 will be undertaken as soon as necessary organization work can be completed. These capital funds will be sought to provide additional endowment, increase salaries and to erect long needed campus buildings. The campaign may extend over several years.

The overseers elected to their membership Charles A. Cary '10, Vice-President of E. I. duPont de Nemours Company of Wilmington, Del. Professor Melvin T. Copeland '06 of Cambridge, Mass., and Earle S. Thompson '14 of New York City, President of the American Water

Works and Electric Company, both former Overseers, were chosen Trustees.

#### Reunions

All activities were not meetings of a serious nature, however. Thursday afternoon saw the commandeering of dormitories by enthusiastic alumni outfitted in distinctive class garb, and soon reunions were underway at all the campus headquarters, with a larger Thursday attendance than most could remember.

1897, the fifty-year class, mustered 21 returning members of their living 29, nine wives and three children at their Moulton Union headquarters. At their Friday banquet, Professor and Mrs. Mitchell were the guests of honor and Donald MacMillan, for three of his undergraduate years a member of '97, was toastmaster. James E. Rhodes II, Class Secretary and Hartford attorney, received an honorary degree.

Thirty-three members and sixteen wives attended 1907's Fortieth. Headquarters were at the Harriet Beecher Stowe House and the class dinner was held at Sunset Farm. Reunion feature was the Alumni Fund Gift of the class amounting to more than \$4000.

Quartered in South Moore Hall were forty members of 1912 returning for their 35th. Fifteen wives were housed at Lookout Point House where all attended the class dinner on Friday. Effective decorations, comfortable furnishings, pictures and scrapbooks made the Moore Hall basement room a favored gathering place during three days of "the best reunion yet."

Thirty-four of 1917 checked in at North Moore for the Thirtieth Reunion. Capt. Campbell Keene USN, defender of Wake Island and for four years a Jap prisoner, was prominent among the notable returning military of 1917. The class dinner was held at Carl Kuebler's summer home on Dingley's Island.

1922 staged a full three-day 25th program at Pickard Field House and South Hyde with a class outing and dinner at Brentwood, the sightly Thomas estate in Yarmouth. Nearly 80 members and wives attended. At the Commencement Dinner Roliston G. Woodbury presented a recordbreaking Class Gift amounting to more than \$9000.

Forty-five members, twelve wives and ten children gathered for 1927's twentieth at North Appleton and the Gurnet House. Plans were started for their 25th with Kenneth A. Cushman and Alden H. Sawyer co-chairmen.

South Appleton and the Bath Country Club were headquarters for 37 members of 1932 at their Fifteenth Reunion.

Highlighted by various athletic events, an old-fashioned clambake at Rock Hill and moving pictures of undergraduate days, 1937's Tenth Reunion brought back 74 members, the largest reunion group College has recorded. Plans are already underway to post an even larger number at the Fifteenth.

Forty members of the five-year class, virtually all of them returning for the first time since graduation, made South Winthrop 1942's head-quarters. Friday's jamboree and class dinner were held at Hope Farm.

#### Meetings

At the Friday morning annual meeting of the Directors of the Alumni Fund, Chairman Thomas welcomed Leland G. Means '12 of Portland, Paul H. Eames '21 of Upper Montclair, N. J., and Leon V. Walker, Jr. '32 of Portland, newly appointed Directors, reported progress on the

<sup>1. 1907; 2.</sup> The Fifty-Year Class; 3. 1912; 4. 1917; 5. Com. Little, Gen. Campbell, Col. Bartlett and Capt. Keene of 1917; 6. At the 35th Headquarters; 7. 1932; 8. 1927; 9. The Twenty-five-Year Class at Pickard Field; 10. The College Hymn; 11. Reception Committee of the Tenth Headquarters; 12. 1937; 13. U. S. Judge John D. Clifford '10 and Bill Nulty '10; 14. 1879 heads the Alumni procession; 15. 1942; 16. New Alumni; 17. Trustees Mel Copeland '06 and Earle Thompson '14; 18. Oldest Alumni present, Huston and Bourne of 1879; 19. Faculty and Boards members escort honorary degree recipients to the Gym.



current Alumni Fund and told of the Directors' efforts, made jointly with the Alumni Council, to implement the appointment of an Assistant Director of Admissions. By formal action the Directors outlined the mechanics of awarding Alumni Fund Scholarships, and went on record urging that the annual Alumni Fund be not permitted to suffer by reason of the proposed effort to raise capital sums for the College. Officers for 1947-48 are Chairman, Dana M. Swan '29 of Providence, Vice-Chairman, Kendrick Burns '14 of Westbrook; Secretary, Seward J. Marsh '12.

At the Alumni Council annual meeting, President Rounds greeted 21 members, Alumni Fund Chairmanelect Swan and newly-elected Council Members at Large Charles E. Files '08 of Cornish, Stanley F. Dole '13 of Detroit and Creighton E. Gatchell '32 of Portland. By vote, the Council asked the College to resume the issuance of lapel buttons at Commencement and requested that Alumni Day be considered a college function to be arranged by the college in cooperation with the Council Committee, asking specifically that sale of luncheon tickets for Alumni Day be handled along with the sale of football tickets with definite and assured reservations for advance purchasers. The Council applauded the action of the Fund Directors and Chairman Thomas on Scholarships and the addition of an assistant to the college admissions staff. Elected for 1947-48 are: President, Sanford B. Cousins '20 of New York; Vice-President, Ashmead White '12 of Bangor; Secretary, Seward J. Marsh '12; Treasurer, Glenn R. McIntire '25.

The above officers became ex officio the officers of the Alumni Association which held its annual meeting immediately following luncheon in the Union. At the same time the Society of Bowdoin Women met at the Harriet Beecher Stowe House and elected the following officers: President, Mrs. Kenneth G. Stone; Vice-President, Mrs. Chester G. Abbott; Secretary, Mrs. Luther Dana; Treasurer, Mrs. Stephen E. Merrill. Mrs.

Harvey D. Gibson and Mrs. Ashmead White were named chairmen of the luncheon and house committees respectively.

At the annual meeting of Phi Beta Kappa, Alpha of Maine, seventeen new members were initiated, including four February graduates, seven June graduates, and six Juniors. Election of officers resulted as follows: *President*, Hoyt A. Moore '95; *Vice-President*, Athern P. Daggett '25; *Secretary-Treasurer*, Stanley P. Chase '05.

Later on Friday afternoon reunion meetings were held at the fraternity houses. Charles R. Nicholls, Mus. M., presented the traditional organ recital in the Chapel. At Moulton Union, Dean Nathaniel C. Kendrick and Mr. and Mrs. Philip S. Wilder assisted President and Mrs. Sills at their annual reception.

#### Showers and Shakespeare

Despite adverse weather reports and the perennial pre-performance difficulties with lights and costumes, Shakespeare's time-honored As You Like It was offered to a large audience. The afternoon rain had stopped early enough to convince Pat Quinby that a performance under the trees should be attempted. No sooner had onlookers wiped off their seats and the show begun, however, than old Jup Pluvius had his revenge. A sudden downpour forced cast and audience alike to scurry into Memorial Hall where the play was continued.

#### Cap and Gown

Saturday dawned bright and clear, presenting the campus in all the glory of its early summer beauty. After a meeting of the Bowdoin Fathers' Association in the Library, addressed by Dean Kendrick, the focus of activities was transferred to the front of the Chapel where seniors adjusted caps and gowns and faculty members hurried to and fro in colorful hoods. Members of Chandler's Band, that inevitable Commencement fixture, tuned their instruments. Proud parents beamed. The procession formed and filed toward the Church on the Hill. Faculty followed the honorary degree candidates, the Governing Boards, and the band, and were in turn trailed by graduates, alumni, and Bowdoin Fathers.

The program in the First Parish Church opened with Commencement parts which all re-echoed the note of looking toward the future. George M. Hooten, Jr., '46, who spoke on The Normally Disillusioned Life, was later announced as winner of the Goodwin Commencement Prize. Paul K. Niven, Jr., '46 presented a convincing case for continued academic freedom. James Eells, Jr., spoke on Thomas Wolfe, American Visionary, and Douglas Carmichael on Social Unrest and Mortality.

One hundred twenty-seven received bachelor degrees according to the ancient Latin formula spoken by President Sills. With 22 receiving degrees with honor, the graduating group was one of the most distinguished, academically, in Bowdoin's history.

#### Honoris Causa

Curiosity concerning the recipients of honorary degrees was satisfied when nine degrees were presented with the following citations to: Frederick William Anthoensen of Portland, "one of the country's great printers...master of an art that helps men read and love good books", Master of Arts; Arthur Harold Ham '08 of New York City, "valiant, sensible and resourceful foe of loan 'sharks' in whatever guise", Master of Arts; Cadwallader Lincoln Washburn of Brunswick and Livermore Falls, "one of the most distinguished of American etchers whose dry points are internationally known and mired", Doctor of Humane Letters; James Edward Rhodes 2nd '97 of Hartford, Conn., "honored for his character and attainments and as a representative of the loyal alumni of the Connecticut Valley and as secretary of the fifty-year class", Master of Arts; John Ford of Hollywood, Calif., "one of the country's great di-

<sup>1.</sup> John Ford H'47 and William M. Ingraham '95; 2. Dr. Hodding Carter '27; 3. The Overseers; 4. The Trustees; 5. The procession forms; 6. Old Guard entering the Gymnasium; 7. Hoyt A. Moore '95, Vice-President of the Trustees, President Sills and Philip G. Clifford '03, Vice-President of the Overseers; 8. Head table; 9. John Ford is briefed; 10. Mrs. Ashmead White, Mrs. Luther Dana, Mrs. Kenneth G. Stone, Mrs. Sills, Mrs. Chester G. Abbott and Mrs. Stephen E. Merrill, Society of Bowdoin Women officers; 11. Retiring Chairman Widgery Thomas '22, Vice-Chairman Kendrick Burns '14 and Chairman Dana M. Swan '29 of the Alumni Fund; 12. As You Like It; 13. Retiring President Ezra P. Rounds '20, President Sanford B. Cousins '20 and Vice-President Ashmead White '12 of the Alumni Council; 14. Marshals French '37, Quinby '23 and Sawyer '27; 15. Sim Pike '13 and Roscoe Hupper '07; Bill MacIntyre '45 receives the Andy Haldane Cup; 17. A Group of 1897; 18. Widge Thomas '22 receives the Alumni Achievement Award from Council President Pike Rounds '20; 19. Dr. A. J. Huston '79 and Dr. Horatio S. Card '88.

rectors of motion pictures...artist who can bring out in clean, strong shows the dramatic and human elements", Master of Arts; William Hodding Carter '27 of Greenville, Miss., "journalist and novelist, fearless editor...Pulitzer Prize winner for journalism in 1946...who fights for racial tolerance and understanding", Doctor of Letters; Robert Hale '10 of Portland, "representative in Congress...he carries on the tradition of public service and strives always to represent his constituents at their best", Doctor of Laws; Gano Dunn of New York City, "known not only for his scientific discoveries and his engineering skill but for his wide interest in the humanities, his culture and his charm", Doctor of Laws; and Arthur Andrew Hauck, President of the University of Maine, "a good neighbor and an inspiring leader of the youth of Maine", Doctor of Laws.

#### State of the College

Following the procession from the church, the crowds moved slowly across campus to Sargent Gymnasium. Alumni gathered for the annual Commencement Dinner in Hyde Athletic Building, while the Society of Bowdoin Women sponsored a luncheon for the ladies in the Gym itself. The menu of lobster and chicken salads and potato chips, fast becoming as much a part of Commencement as Chandler's Band which serenaded the assembled guests from the upstairs track, was served after the singing of the College Hymn, led by Precentor John E. Williams, Jr., '42.

President Sills gave his customary report on the State of the College. He appraised the work of the Interfraternity Cooperative, which has been functioning for a year, and expressed the hope that it might continue in the future. He also summarized the decisions which had been made by the Governing Boards.

As Chief Executive of the State of Maine, Governor Horace A. Hildreth '25 declared that subsidy to education

## Where There's A Will There's A Way



## To Help Bowdoin College

The College has received notice of the following legacies:

From William C. Adams '97 \$2,000 for the Adams Memorial Book Fund.

From Mabel S. Daveis, certain furnishings from her home for a library-living room at the College.

was inevitable and that subsidy from private enterprise was preferable to that from government. The Governor then voiced what is fast becoming a perennial plea for graduates to remain in the State of Maine where opportunity and advantages a wait them.

#### Awards and Presentations

Speaking for the honorary graduates, President Hauck of the University of Maine expressed his thanks for Bowdoin's cooperation in the establishment of the University's Brunswick campus. The Andrew Allison Haldane Cup was awarded to William E. MacIntyre '45. This cup, presented by Capt. Haldane's fellow officers, goes to a graduate who most exemplifies Haldane's character. MacIntyre was a member of the varsity football team and of Phi Beta Kappa.

Following the singing of the memory-provoking *Phi Chi*, the coveted Alumni Achievement Award was presented to a completely surprised

Widgery Thomas '22 who, as Chairman of the Alumni Fund, had just completed his announcement that 3,093 contributors had already given \$64,000 towards the Fund objective of \$70,000 and made a plea for more participants during the remaining weeks of the Fund year.

As a 25th reunion gift, Roliston G. Woodbury on behalf of the Class of 1922, presented to President Sills a check for \$8,367 to be administered by him as the Class of 1922 President Sills Fund. Another \$1,000 was promised within two days.

Professor Edward C. Kirkland gave a witty speech on behalf of the Faculty and was followed by W. Hodding Carter '27, who spoke for the alumni. He expressed the deep honor he felt at having been awarded an honorary degree by Bowdoin, and spoke of the importance of a liberal education to an intelligent meeting of the world's immediate problems.

After the singing of *Bowdoin Beata* President Sills attained a long-cherished ambition by adjourning the meeting at three o'clock.



<sup>1.</sup> Jim Rhodes and Jim Horne of '97; 2. Casey and the Governor in a serious moment; 3. Tom White '03, Miss Belle Smith and Harold Berry '01; 4. Professor Pick Turner '19 gets the lowdown from Mitch; 5. Arnet Mitchell '12 at his first reunion; 6. Whipple, Kingsley and Mincher of 1907, Copeland '06 and Frost '04; 7. Ladies of 1907; 8. Count Loring '15 is not interested in what Adriel Bird '16 and Ed Files '08 say but Bill Crowley '08 listens; 9. 1907 relaxes; 10. Mrs. Sewall, Charles Sewall '97, Mrs. A. R. Thayer and Marjorie; 11. The 35-year class gathers to start for Lookout Point; 12. Secretaries of the Boards, Jake Aldred '24 of the Overseers and Bill Farrar '14 of the Trustees; 13. Harris Reynolds '12 with Mrs. George Kern, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. Ashmead White and Mrs. Allan Woodcock.



# The 1946-47 Alumni Fund

Chairman Widgery Thomas '22 Reports Over \$71,000 From 3323 Contributors

GAIN the Directors present the gratifying results of another in the line of successful Bowdoin Alumni Funds. Although we fell far short of our ambitious 70% participation objective, splendid response to the zealous labors of 53 Agents placed on the record the names of 3285 actual and 38 in memoriam givers. In a year when most fund raising efforts report substantial declines, both in numbers of contributors and in dollars realized, the Bowdoin Alumni Fund exceeded its \$70,000 goal and registered \*3323 contributors, but thirty fewer than were listed last year.

With becoming modesty, I report that the Class of 1906 Alumni Fund Cup competition was won by the Class of 1922, a well-earned result of Rollie Woodbury's Herculean efforts during the past two years. Jack Dana of 1898 and Paul Niven of 1916

run true to form with their classes in the place and show positions. Sam Ladd once again leads the parade in number of contributors with a new high of 124 and lands 1929 in fourth place. Curt Matthews of 1910, Harold Berry of 1901 and John Leydon of 1907 are followed by Nate Dane of 1937, John Shute of 1936 and Skip Rodick of 1902 among the first ten. 1397, 1898, 1901, and 1922 registered 100% participation and fifteen other classes reached our high aim of a Gentleman's Grade of 70%. Four figures measured the dollar totals of 22 classes, including Dr. Pettingill's group of loyal medical graduates.

Detailed accounts must be left for the Whispering Pines but I cannot fail to recognize here the conclusion of Mr. George Carmichael's long service as Fund Agent for 1897, Judge Chapman's steadily mounting results in the Old Guard and the appropriate \$4000 gift of 1907 at its 40th Reunion.

All of my predecessors will agree that few Bowdoin jobs involve more work than does the job as Chairman of the Alumni Fund and I'm confident that they will also agree that few Bowdoin jobs bring more satisfying rewards. To all who have labored with me, my associate directors, the Class Agents, and the Alumni Office staff, my thanks and their full share in the glory of a good Fund Year.

As I hand the torch to Dana Swan '29, I remember that we shall all be engulfed in a major capital fund effort next year and bespeak for the 1947-48 Alumni Fund your unremitting support. No special undertaking is good for Bowdoin if it endangers the virile life of the Alumni Fund, whose annual gift to the College has become, in President Sills' words, "Bowdoin's greatest single asset."

# On The Campus

### Placement

Of the Placement Bureau has been one of the busy spots of a most active campus. Because of the accelerated program and the several graduation dates the registration for vocational counsel and placement has been unusually heavy. From early in February until June, 39 national firms were represented on the campus for the purpose of senior interviews. Contacts were also developed and interviews were arranged with many smaller firms. Conferences were arranged on a carefully organized schedule only after applicants were thoroughly screened as to their qualifications and briefed regarding the company and the opportunities available. Those interviewed averaged at least two job offers and most of the seniors are now placed. Placements have not only been numerous but they have offered real opportunities to those who qualified.

These excerpts from interviewing employers are of interest: "Very much pleased with the number and caliber of the men that we have secured from Bowdoin among the June graduates."..."We are grateful to the placement Bureau for the splendid cooperation and think that the seniors interviewed at Bowdoin represent one of the finest groups seen on any campus by our representative this spring."..."The best trip I have had to Bowdoin in 20 years of interviewing."..."The Bowdoin Placement Bureau is tops among the many colleges we have visited here in the East."

The Bureau is in receipt of many expressions of gratitude from Bowdoin men who have been guided and placed. "Thanks for timely service when I needed guidance in a choice of field and job." "Perhaps I shall be able, in some small way, to repay the debt I owe to the College." "Employment secured through the Bureau spelled the difference between a degree and dropping out." "The dual

function of alumni placement and student guidance and employment is highly effective." These and others permit the Director to assure alumni who are assisting in placement work that their labors are paying gratifying dividends.

Our program continues to make the College an increasingly important factor in the lives of its alumni and is a means of developing further the already strong college-alumni relationship and cooperation. The objective of the program continues to be to help each Bowdoin man to find the niche in life for which he is best suited. The Bureau offers vocational guidance and endeavors to screen applicants before they seek the valued counsel of the more than 300 alumni who are serving on the 35 placement committees throughout the country. All alumni can assist materially by writing the Bureau about job opportunities. This data can then be relaved to the area chairman. Those seeking vocational aid are urged to register

#### THE 1946-1947 ALUMNI FUND

Average gift of the 3285 actual contributors \$21.84

<sup>\*</sup>Includes gifts to Class Funds, Endowment, etc., and 38 contributions made in memoriam.

Of the 5615 solicited alumni in the competing groups, 3142 (55.9%) actually contributed; of the entire 5997 solicited, 3245 (54.1%) actually contributed; 40 other gifts were received.

<sup>†</sup>In addition, twenty members are building a 25th Reunion gift through insurance.

<sup>‡</sup>Voluntary, non-competitive participation. Brackets indicate in memoriam contributions.

first with the Placement Bureau in order that their complete history resumé may be forwarded to the Alumni area chairman prior to interviews. All communications should be addressed to the Director, Placement Bureau, 302 Massachusetts Hall, Bowdoin College, Brunswick, Maine.

## **Athletics**

DURING the summer trimester the baseball team has had a ten game schedule, the tennis team has had one match and has plans for two more, and there has been individual competition in golf, track, and swimming. There are very few college teams competing during the summer now, so that it is difficult to find enough competition of the right kind.

The summer baseball team is one of the best we have had at Bowdoin for a long time, and there are a number of good baseball players who will return to college in the fall who were not in summer school. All of which would seem to indicate that the team next spring should be a very good one.

Football practice, for the candidates attending summer school, will begin on August 12. About fifty men are expected to report. Early in September some thirty more men, representing the football players not in college for the summer, will join the squad. From present indications the team will be better than last year's team, but it will probably be one more year before we are up where we want to be again. College opens for the fall on September 29 and the candidates for the freshman football team will report soon after that date. This year we shall have three teams again, varsity, junior varsity and freshman, with a schedule for each team.

All athletic teams for the year 1947-48 should be better than those of last year, with the possible exception of the swimming team. It would indeed be difficult to improve on last year's swimming team, but we have hope that the one next winter will be about as good.

Replacing Ervin Huether, who has resigned, Edmund L. (Beezer) Coombs '42 has been appointed assistant coach of football, baseball and basketball. Coombs, a three letter



Football coaches Frank Sabasteanski '41, Adam Walsh, "Beezer" Coombs '42 and "Dinny" Shay

man at Bowdoin, will also instruct in physical education classes. Bowdoin College now has one of the best coaching staffs in New England, and when we begin to get some where near our share of the athletically inclined boys, we shall win our full quota of games.

## Alumni Day

THE annual Alumni Day events will take place on Saturday, November 1, the day of the Bates game. Alumni Council President Sanford B. Cousins '20 has appointed to the Alumni Day Committee Ezra P. Rounds '20, Richard S. Chapman '28, Ashmead White '12, Seward J. Marsh '12 and Glenn R. McIntire' 25.

Following various meetings during the forenoon, the Alumni Luncheon will be held in the Gymnasium promptly at twelve noon. The brief speaking program will include the award of the Alumni Fund Cup to the Class of 1922, ample time being allowed to reach Whittier Field at 1:30.

In response to the Council's request, the day's program is being carried out as a college function and sale of luncheon tickets will be handled along with the sale of football tickets. Members of alumni fam-

ilies and their guests will be welcome at the luncheon but it should be remembered that places will be set only for those who have purchased luncheon tickets in advance. There will be NO SALE OF LUNCHEON TICKETS on the day of the game.

The Alumni Council is endeavoring to avoid the confusion of previous years and to insure ready admission and service for those who assist by purchasing in advance. Alumni are urged to make early use of the coupons bound into this issue of the Alumnus.

### Class of 1951

A summer trimester registration of 720 exceeded all expectations. It included 30 members of the Class of 1951, 27 students transferring to upper class standings and 113 special students, virtually all of whom are students of other colleges not holding summer sessions.

Maine and Massachusetts each sent twelve of the new freshmen; New York and Ohio each two; New Jersey and Pennsylvania each one. Philip S. Bird is the son of Stanley L. Bird '30; Roy A. Foulke, Jr., the son of Roy A. Foulke '19 and Thomas F. Staples, the son of Horace F. Staples

'23. Among the transfer students are James B. Draper, Jr., son of James B. Draper '10 and Edward F. Merrill, son of the late Warren C. Merrill '19. Three Bowdoin sons are found in the group of special students: Deane G. Churchill (John D. Churchill '16), Hugh W. Hastings II (Hugh W. Hastings '11) and John H. Topham (John J. Topham '18).

No figures are as yet available concerning the fall registration but indications point to the largest college enrollment in Bowdoin's history. The Class of 1951 may possibly challenge the numbers record of the Class of 1950.

## Admissions

THE Executive Committee of the ■ Governing Boards accepted the recommendations of the Faculty and appointed as the new Assistant Director of Admissions, Hubert S. Shaw '36, who has been for some years teaching and coaching at St. Albans School in Washington, D. C. A State of Maine Scholar from Presque Isle. "Bill" Shaw made an enviable undergraduate record at Bowdoin where he was an active leader in college and fraternity affairs. Member of the Student Council, president of the Sigma Nu chapter, quarterback on the football team, four-year letter man and captain of baseball, Shaw has been secretary of his class since graduation. He plans to bring his family to Brunswick and enter upon his duties in September.

The Alumni Council and the Directors of the Alumni Fund have long believed that a field man should be added to the admissions staff, that more efficient work might be done with schools and alumni groups. The news of this appointment will be welcomed by all Bowdoin men.

## Zeta Psi Centennial

THE Zeta Psi Fraternity, which has been established at Bowdoin for 80 years, observed the hundredth anniversary of its founding at a centennial convention of the national chapter in New York City on June 27 and 28.

Serving as toastmaster at the centennial banquet, attended by nearly 400 persons, was Professor Herbert Ross Brown of the Bowdoin faculty, who became a member of Zeta Psi

as an undergraduate at Lafayette College, where he is now a member of the Alumni Council.

Professor Brown started teaching in the summer school of the University of Minnesota on June 15 and would not have been able to attend the convention had not the fraternity's trustees arranged for him to fly from Minneapolis to New York and return, — evidence of the high regard in which he is held by his fraternity as well as by Bowdoin.

At the centennial banquet, Professor Brown presided in his inimitable

way and with his nimble wit. He introduced a United States Senator, two or three former state governors, and undergraduates from all parts of the country and Canada with equally thorough knowledge of their background, and with kindliness, respect and wit which endeared him to the entire audience.

Representing the Bowdoin Chapter of the Zeta Psi Fraternity at the centennial convention were Scott C. W. Simpson '03, Paul K. Niven '16 who is a trustee of the national fraternity, Roy A. Foulke '19 who has



America's oldest boarding school, Governor Dummer Academy, was founded in 1763 in South Byfield, Massachusetts, thirty miles north of Boston.

The picture above shows a new dormitory, Ingham House, completed just in time for the opening of school in September, 1946. This building contains single rooms for 39 boys, suites for two unmarried masters, and a two-story dwelling house for a married master.

Governor Dummer is now a school of 210 boys and twenty-five masters. Students come from all parts of the United States to be prepared for college. The size of the school and the number of instructors make possible small classes, individual attention, and a friendly, homelike atmosphere. Emphasis is placed on hard work and high standards in studies, in athletics, and in daily living.

During the twelve-year period preceding the war (September, 1931, to September, 1942, inclusive), Governor Dummer sent 46 boys to Bowdoin and 46 boys to Harvard, a slightly larger number than was sent during that period to any other single college.



President Sills accepting from Com. J. W. Higgins USN the bronze plaque awarded to Bowdoin College by Adm. Richard Deyo USN for war services in the Pre-Radar School. Com. Noel C. Little '17 and Lt. Com. Clifton Smith USNR participated in the ceremony. The plaque will be mounted in the Science Building.

served for several years as national treasurer, Wallace M. Powers '04 who has been editor of the fraternity's national magazine, Reginald E. Foss '12, Nathan I. Greene '27 who was elected a trustee at the convention, Robert W. Maxwell '43, and Paul K. Niven, Jr. '46.

dramatic club. Alumni in Boston and Portland may have an opportunity to see it in early December. It is being written by William Lacey and Peter Poor of the Executive Committee, and settings have been designed by Robert Bliss, who will be President in the fall term.

### **Dramatics**

FOR the first year since Pearl Harbor the Masque and Gown has not offered any play to enliven the summer session. Many of its most active members are not attending the sessions, and the Executive Committee was considerably depleted at the June Commencement, when ex-President Douglas Carmichael led his class with a neat 95% for his very active undergraduate career.

A streamlined committee for the summer months, headed by Harry Palmer, who will be graduated in September, is getting production underway for a student-written musical burlesque which will be presented in the fall. Following the Ivy Revues of 1923, 1924, 1925, and 1926 and Take It Away of 1938 and 1939, it will be the sixth musical by the

## Music

Under the department have suspended for the summer with the exception of rehearsals and organization of the Glee Club, which faces a full season beginning with a concert with the Portland Rossini Club on November 6. There will be two performances of the Messiah with the clubs of Colby and Colby Junior Colleges, and Thompson's Testament of Freedom will be twice presented with the Portland Symphony Orchestra. Notices of concerts will appear later.

Mr. Nicholls gave an organ recital on July 16 in the Chapel and Professor Tillotson appears in a joint concert with Elizabeth Williams, soprano, in Memorial Hall on August 18. The chamber music series will begin in October.

#### 1947 Football Schedules

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#### VARSITY

Septeme	)CI	
27	Tufts	Away
October		•
4	Mass. State Univ.	Home
11	Amherst	Away
18	Williams	Away
25	Colby	Home
Novemb	oer ´	
1	Bates (Alumni Day)	Home
8	Maine	Away

#### JUNIOR VARSITY

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Septemb	er	
27	Andover	Away
October		•
10	Bridgton	Home
17	Maine Annex	Home
24	Coburn	Home
31	Maritime Academy	Home
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#### FRESHMAN

Home
Home
Home

Attention of alumni is directed to the insert in this issue. Football tickets and tickets for the Alumni Day luncheon should be ordered promptly on the coupons provided.

At the National Conference of the American Alumni Council in San Francisco, the Bowdoin ALUMNUS received a special Award of Merit for editorial content, with particular emphasis upon a series of magazine covers. The Lehigh University alumni magazine was judged the Magazine of the Year.

#### BOWDOIN GLASSWARE

9½ ounce Tumblers with the College Seal in White

#### Per dozen \$3.10

To prepay shipping charges add forty cents

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# Alumni Associations and Clubs

#### BUFFALO

The first meeting of the Western New York Bowdoin Club in several years was held at the Buffalo Athletic Club on Monday, July 28. After a morning tour of Niagara Falls, Bob MacMullin '18 and Mrs. Mac-Marsh family Mullin took the to Buffalo where Les Stetson '14, Vaughn Clay '30 and Charles Harkins '37 joined the group for luncheon and a discussion of Bowdoin doings. The visitors enjoyed a ride around Buffalo with Les Stetson and a visit to his Kenmore home in the afternoon. More frequent meetings and more Western New York boys in Bowdoin's student body are on the Club's agenda.

Alumni in the area should notify the secretary, Robert B. MacMullin, 8249 Troy Avenue, Niagara Falls, N. Y.

#### DENVER

President Conant and Secretary Harper of the Western Alumni Association personally conducted the Alumni Secretary and his family about Denver's beauties and wonders prior to the luncheon meeting of the Club at the Blue Parrott Inn on Saturday, July 5. Joe Roberts '95 (all the way from Pueblo), Joe Boyce '08, Oscar Swanson '30 and Mrs. Swanson joined the group at noon and a delightfully informal party ensued. The Swansons took care of the hours before traintime with a ride to Red Rock, Golden and environs. Five of the eight Colorado alumni attended a Bowdoin meeting on a Fourth of July weekend! The visitors and the college are duly appreciative.

Chester A. Harper '04 is anxious to hear from Bowdoin men locating in Colorado. His address is P. O. Box No. 72, Denver.

#### LOS ANGELES

The Bowdoin Club of Southern California met for dinner at the Pig 'N Whistle in Los Angeles on Monday, July 7, to greet the Alumni Secretary, who spoke of campus conditions and asked for the continued help of alumni in finding likely freshmen from wider areas. In the absence of President Hambleton, Vice-President Shumway presided

and told of action taken at the Boards meetings he had attended in June. Those present were Wheeler '01, Spinney '13, Koughan '15, Hight '16, Little '16, Shumway '17, McLellan '23, Koempel '34, Sullivan '35, Weir '36 and Koughan '43.

Secretary Lendal McLellan '23 believes that Southern California's growing and shifting population must include Bowdoin alumni whose addresses he does not know and asks that they write him at 387 East Green Street, Pasadena 1, Calif.

#### **MINNEAPOLIS**

On Wednesday, June 18, the Bowdoin Club of Minnesota met for a pleasant summer outing at the home of Dr. Hendrie W. Grant M'20 at Marine, Minn. Secretary Leighton Nash '38 had issued illuminated directions with the invitations to which the following responded with their presence and their wives: McCusick '11, Cross '15, Grant M'20, Atherton '35, Ivory '37, Webb '38 and Nash '38. The business of the meeting was largely a reiteration of the members' desire that boys from the area be admitted to Bowdoin. The Club regretted the inability of Professor Herbert R. Brown to leave his University of Minnesota duties for the meeting. Recently arrived Bowdoin men are urged to contact the secretary at the Northwestern Bell Telephone Company, Minneapolis 2, Minn.

#### NEW YORK

The athletic meeting of the New York Bowdoin Club was attended by 180 members, every class being represented from 1907 to 1950 inclusive. 1936 with 16 and 1937 with 14 led the parade of classes. Athletic Director Mal Morrell and Football Coach Adam Walsh gave challenging and interesting talks on what alumni can do to help Bowdoin in athletics and Jack Magee, who made a triumphant late entry, carried on effectively in his inimitable fashion. All agreed that the Club should hold more such inexpensive and informal meetings with speakers from the campus. Carleton S. Conner '36, Secretary of the Club, asks that all Bowdoin men in the vicinity write him at 120 Broadway, New York 5, N. Y.

#### OREGON

Illness, business obligations and distances interfered with expected attendance at the Oregon Bowdoin Club's meeting on July 16. But the Alumni Secretary and his family found a warm welcome. Dan McDade '09, operating from Portland's University Club, presented a tour which covered practically all of that remarkable city and included a pleasant call on Mrs. McDade, a former Lewiston girl, in their charmhome in the west side hills. At dinner Dr. George Buck '09, Frank Gannett '07 and Phil Blodgett '30 joined the party for an evening of Bowdoin conversation. Those present believe that Bowdoin men are certain to come to the Northwest in larger numbers and they expect a more active club will develop. They hope to send an occasional freshman to Brunswick.

Convener Dan McDade says that distances are no handicap when residents of the northwest plan a get-together and wants Bowdoin men to let him know when they come to Oregon or Washington. He can always be found at the offices of the *Oregon Journal* in Portland.

#### SAN FRANCISCO

The Mark Hopkins Hotel was the scene and Mr. and Mrs. F. Hamilton Oakes '29 were the instigators for the first meeting of the Bowdoin Club of Northern California held in several years. Alumni Secretary Seward Marsh '12, Mrs. Marsh and Miss Molly were the guests of honor during an exceedingly pleasant dinner and evening of informal talk, quite naturally, about Bowdoin for the most part. A particularly pleasant incident was the unexpected appearance of Dr. Charles S. F. Lincoln '91, who was visiting Bowdoin friends throughout the West. Others present were Dr. Arthur Gibson '11, Roger Strout '23, Dr. Mayo H. Soley '29, Richard Hooke '43 and Thomas Cooper '44. Ham Oakes is the new Convener for the Club. He is confident that many Bowdoin men, not known to him, are in the area and asks that they communicate with him at 360 Fourteenth Street, Oakland 4, that a vigorous Bowdoin unit may be organized.

The College has recently come by the following letter written by an undergraduate 112 years ago. Without comment on the requirements in fundamentals for admissions in those days, the letter is reproduced exactly as written.

Brunswick Oct. 1st 1835

Dear Father

I arrived at Brunswick safe wednesday night I came away and left my boots and I wish some of you would send them on by the stage or some other way. If by the stage direct them to the tavern here Mr. Richards I believe keeps it Pike used to keep it. If you have got any towels to spare I wish you would send me one or two but if you dont have a good chance to send them I can do without them this term as Chase my chum has one and I borrowed one of Enoch. I have seen nothing of Mr. Sow I supposed you would send my boots by him.

When we started we had a strong head wind, it was very rough out, we moved rather slow the fore part of the day we got to Owlshead about half past two then put on steam and got in to Portland half past nine some thought we shouldnt get in till eleven and others till the next day, but we got in in pretty good season and Mr Pond and myself found some good lodgings at Moreheads Portland a room and two beds by ourselves. somewhat seasick in the afternoon we had a prime dinner but it wouldn't stay with us I gave mine to the fish and Enoch left his on the cabin floor and stairs for the steward, as for supper the dinner was so light we had no appetite for it but we were not alone the greater part were in the same condition

We passed the Independence about four o'clock off saguin 30 or 40 miles from Portland too much sea for her

I stopped in Portland till three o'clock ransacked it from North to South went on board the steem boat Portland fine boat.

And after we had seen all the wonders of Portland we took the stage for Brunswick got in just dark went to aunt Sally's and got supper and then Pond and I got the key to Fisks room and went to bed, first thing at 6 in the morning the chapel bell waked us up. we went over to the presidents house to be examined he showed us into his study among ten or a dozen others, what's your name? who is your father? where do you live? how old are you? The he says to the tutor Dr. Adams take Mr. Ayer Davis and Chapman to another room and see what they know about Sallust he showed us into a little bed room and heard us read it about half trough, an hour and a half He took me up once where I never read but it passed off very well (you may go out for a few minutes) he makes his report Then Proff Newman tries what we could do with Virgil a short time (you may go out) Then Proff Cleaveland calls us to see if we could tell what shape the earth is how many continent it has where cape horn is etc what we coul say about aritmatick etc (you may go out) Then Proff Packard calls us to see what we had learned about Greek passed off midling well have you a greek testament? I have not, he goes and gets one, you may turn to such a place. I turned to it but it looked dark I saw two or three words I knew to start with I read so far told him I didnt know the meaning of the next word so he started it and I went a head five or six verses no trouble you may stop there he says how do you parse that word I told him (you may go out) They gave me two sums only in the second section of the Algebra Didnt take us up in Cicero at all.

Then the president sends for us and says we have admitted you all and gives each of us a copy of the laws of college on the first leaf of which is what is called our admittatur which reads thus. Brunsvici, Sept a die 24th A.D. 1835 Admittatur in Collegium Bowdoinense Franklin Davis. signed Gulielmus Allen PRAESES We have had a very pleasant time so far only they rooled in the door a few pumpkins one night, dont mind that you know, throwed them out to the cows next morning. Send the key and pin to my flute in the left hand dray in the red desk I believe when you send the next, send my boots at any rate write what the results of Fathers journey to the west are and all the news and how you do

Great haste

Franklin Davis.

#### Books

Yankee Coast: Written and illustrated by Robert P. T. Coffin, abetted by Peggy Coffin; MacMillan's 1947; pp. 333; \$4.00.

Why review a book? The best reason, it seems to me, is to help others decide whether or not to read it. Spleen or adulation are equally out of place, and so is a summary of the book. A summary may enable some reader of the review to patter along about an unread book, but it spoils the book for somebody else's first reading.

Who should review it? A friend of the author (and indeed an enemy if the author has any) may not be dispassionate. An expert who knows about the subject-matter of the book may be hampered by his specialized knowledge. He may be tempted to tell what he himself knows instead of discussing what the author says,—particularly if the book is poetic and the reviewer is prosy.

One thing is sure: if the reviewer of a book by Robert Coffin is one who knows Robert, by that same token the reviewer is Rob's friend. And I know him. I am glad I do. I have known him since I used to see him and his little brother or sister in the sub-primary class in the Congregational Sunday School many years ago; and I certainly know something of the subject-matter of his book, for I, too, grew up in Brunswick near Pennellville and the Gurnet and Harpswell neck and the islands in Casco Bay.

But I humbly concede that I am not the expert on the subject that Robert Cossin is. For instance, I never ran across any of the Mountain Jims whom he describes in his fifth chapter; and the same is bound to be the case with most readers of the book. I doubt if there is anybody else who knows his terrain and his people as Robert Cossin does,—unless it may be his brothers John and Ben and Frank to whom he dedicates the book; and they are loquacious in speech but silent of pen.

So this cannot be a scholarly review; it must be very personal. I cannot separate the critical faculty from the sights and sounds, the tastes and the feelings, and the seashore smells which the book evokes. These sensory images are to me, as to Rob Coffin, warm and happy, though strangers to the Yankee coast may see only gray skies and angry waves and smell only decaying fish.

Let me say right off that I like the book. Definitely, I am going to read it again,—well, most of it. I don't appreciate Paul Bunyan stories, such as the story of Capt. Bibber's biggest fish. Indeed, I don't care for hunting and fishing yarns, and I shudder at the number of lobsters Rob and Steve Etnier ate one night. But that is my own fault. I don't have to read those parts of the book again if I don't want to. There is plenty else I will find it a joy to read again.

But is my personal delight in the subject the only reason for my joy in the book? No, I honestly think that I would read and enjoy it if the scene were Florida, Iowa or Oregon, and the people voted for FDR and the New Deal and remained in the Union after 1936. And why? Well, because it is like a State of Maine chowder, steamy and succulent. Tasting the chowder one finds the knowhow of the cooking which glorifies simple ingredients. His ingredients are memories of a Yankee coast boyhood carried forward through later years to his return to the neighborhood where he grew up. Simple enough. So are fish, onions, potatoes, salt pork and milk. But a poet knows what to do with them; and Rob Coffin is a distinguished poet with a core of clean, sharp, Brunswick sand and white gem-studded Harpswell quartz.

Not being a poet, I could not review his poems, much as I enjoy hearing them read, but I have some ideas about prose and I know that his prose carries you on.

He tells about lobstering and island living, and salt water fishing; and about the salty, sensible folk who still live in those parts. We see the scenes as he tells them, and if we are sentimental we wipe our eyes.

In reading a book one person is, of course, struck by one thing and one by another. I suppose a reader from these parts is most intrigued with the allusions to people and places that Rob Coffin knows. I can assure the reader who does not have the good fortune to have been born or to have lived hereabouts, that these allusions are true to fact. Even the names are rarely conventionalized. John and Ben and Frank live at Gurnet, and combine lobstering and carpentering with solid philosophy,—John went to school with me, and I know them all.

And Alice Coffin Pennell does live in the beautiful mansion in Pennellville; and Rob Coffin's father did fight in the Civil War and returned to fish and farm and bring up a brave, young family just as Rob says he did; and as to Steve Etnier, — there is a friendship of kindred souls between him and Robert Coffin which means worlds to both.

But that is not all there is to the book. He never lets us forget that getting a livelihood from sea and shore is the basis of the vibrant personality of the men and women he remembers, and of many of their descendants today. That is his peculiar discovery, and he is entitled to the credit for it. It is the message of this book, as it is of some of his earlier books,—a message which he iterates in such varied forms and in such different aspects that the readers' interest does not flag.

There has been some unhappiness in his home town because in one short chapter he picks the "flaws in the amber" and expresses his grief that pine trees have been cut in Brunswick to make Longfellow Avenue and the naval airport, that Mere Brook and many of the old houses have disappeared, and that hot dog stands have appeared in their places as progress marches on. Well, I look at it this way: as a poet he has a right to a poet's view of things. A historian once wrote an essay on Brunswick which mentioned historical facts that Brunswick people like to forget; and like others who reminisce in public, I have myself sometimes let my tongue run away with me, but I am

sure that all of us will in the long run be pardoned.

People in Brunswick may not agree with him. They may wish that he could mentally tune out the static and hear only the music; see the trees that are left and not the trees that are gone; but he, as a poet and an artist, sees it that way, and it may be a good thing for his fellow-townsmen to know that he does. People in Brunswick not being poets should be able to tune out of his book that one static chapter.

Did you know that Dr. Coffin can draw? Those who have seen his own copies of some of his previous books, or are on his Christmas card mailing list, know that he can, and this book shows it. Each chapter is keynoted by a line drawing by "RPTC", and other drawings by the author are scattered through the text.

Another pleasing item is that in two chapters his daughter Peggy describes lighthouse neighbors and the yearly island picnic to which her father makes tantalizing allusions throughout the first part of the book.

Rob and Peggy make as good a pair as Nordhoff and Hall, and Gilbert and Sullivan.

To savor the book I suggest that the reader take first the opening chapter which describes an airplane trip over the region. Only by following up the Maine coast by air can one fully appreciate the thousands of islands and the lace fringe of hundreds of inlets and bays. These contours cannot be adequately visualized by road, boat or map.

And then read about the lobstering man. There is expert knowledge for you.

But hold for later reading the last chapter which is philosophy not poetry; and hold, also, that part of the chapter "Kittery to Calais" which tells about that part of the Maine coast which does not adjoin Casco Bay. To conform to his title he had to write it,—but Casco Bay and Kennebec Bay are his own ground. These omitted portions can wait. Turn at once to the next to the last chapter describing the diamond coast, and then you will want to read the rest of it. And you won't do much skipping.

CLEMENT F. ROBINSON

A Free And Responsible Press, a report on mass communications by the Commission on Freedom of the Press, the staff of which was headed by ROBERT D. LEIGH, University of Chicago Press, 1947; pp. 139; \$2.00.

Bob Leigh seems as catholic in his interests as he is ubiquitous in the scene of his activities. Four years ago he was appointed director of the staff acting with the Commission on Freedom of the Press set up under a joint grant by Time, Inc. and the *Encyclopedia Britannica*.

While the report of that commission was recently issued in the name of Chairman Robert M. Hutchins and the eleven other members, it was largely the product of Bob Leigh's staff. As such it underscores the secure reputation which that Bowdoin alumnus has for thorough, conscientious and highly intelligent research.

A Free and Responsible Press is distinguished by its concise summary of the prob-

lems of a free press (and Commission includes newspapers, radio, motion pictures, magazines and books when it speaks of "press"), its specifications of the requirements of a genuinely free press, its consideration of the press's present performance, and its highly interesting comment on what the report calls "The Communications Revolution." These sections of the report can be read with equal benefit by radio men, movie producers and publishers. With dotted "i" and crossed "t", they serve to remind those of us who are in the industry of our responsibilities and quite properly arrive at the conclusion that the real danger to a free press lies within the industry itself.

We find the report's recommendations on "What can be done" of less even merit. They range from the sound suggestion that "constitutional guarantees of the freedom of the press be recognized as including the radio and motion pictures" to the implied suggestion, which seems so impractical as to be almost egregious, that present operators should encourage competitive entrepreneurs.

Requirements of a free press are enumerated as follows:

- 1. A truthful, comprehensive, and intelligent account of the day's events in a context which gives them meaning.
- 2. A forum for the exchange of comment and cricicism.
- 3. The projection of a representative picture of the constituent groups in the society.
- 4. The presentation and clarification of the goals and values of the society.
- 5. Full access to the day's intelligence.

The Commission does not suggest governmental action to enforce compliance with these requirements and in that respect has endeared itself to the media it criticizes. It feels the compliance must come voluntarily from within the industry, and yet we have the feeling that full credit is not given the industry, notably the newspapers, for progress already made toward realization of those ideals.

Would the Commission welcome the return of the era of highly personalized journalism of the late 19th century? Does it seriously challenge the claim that today's newspapers better meet the requirements of its Bill of Specifications than did the products of Bennett and Pulitzer and Greeley and Hearst?

Paris today boasts some 20 newspapers, total circulation of which is millions less than in 1939, yet among them one, certainly, offers an outlet for every social, economic and political theory and nearly every shade of opinion on each of those theories. That extreme is achieved at the cost of a general excellence which newspaper readers in America accept as commonplace. It is the papers which failed to maintain an overall excellence-and those which persisted in editorial bias or worse fill the journalistic graveyards. Merciless competition among newspapers has, by and large, enabled only the fittest to survive and brought about the local monopolies which the report cites as dangerous.

This reviewer has personally experienced the creation of three such local monopolies, sometimes with weeping, sometimes with cheers, yet in no instance has the surviving paper failed to become a better paper and come closer to meeting the requirements for maintenance of a free press than did it or its competitor previously.

Familiarity with two of the "press" industries – newspapers and radio – prompts the observation that in each field most units recognize the responsibilities of their medium. They desire progress. They achieve progress through self-regulation yet there is always the delicate task of effecting a balance between the exigencies of profitable operation and genuine devotion to the ideals of the industry. We recall one publisher telling his department heads, following the elimination of a competitor, "We can no longer do many of the things which went unquestioned when we had a competitor. Our responsibility now is to the *whole* community."

We honestly believe that the greater responsibility which comes with monopoly is usually sensed by the surviving units, and its operator becomes freer to throw his weight to the side of furtherance of ideals which he readily recognizes.

Which brings us to one last complaint anent the Commission's observation that too often "the owners of the press like the owners of other big businesses, are bank directors, bank borrowers and heavy taxpayers in the upper brackets." The italics are ours, the words are those of the report. They seem to answer the report's own complaint. No business is exempt from this criticism for, ex natura, a bank's board includes representatives of varied and successful businesses.

By pointing out the need on the part of the press for perpetual alertness against itself and by graphically presenting the ideals of a free press, the report renders a real service which only the bigoted among the thousands associated with the press will not appreciate. And at least the first carbon of the citation for meritorious performance should go to Bob Leigh.

J. MAXIM RYDER

EDWARD B. HAM, Textual Criticism and Jehan le Venelais University of Michigan Publications, Language and Literature, Volume XXII, Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press, 1946, 109 pp. \$2.00.

Three editions within forty-five years of an Old French narrative poem might seem to give undue prominence to this not particularly important example of the genre, especially when the last two editions come from the study of the same editor. However, in his most recent dealings with the highly apocryphal account of the vengeance taken by the followers of Alexander the Great upon his putative murderers, Professor Edward Ham has been motivated not so much by the desire of making this account triply accessible to an eager world of scholars as by that of considering the problems inherent in the editing of Old French texts, especially the problems of what he calls the "twilight zones of emendation." However drab and arid such a task may appear to the general public, it is by no means so to the true enthusiast in the field, and Mr. Ham's name on the title-page ensures a treatment which will

illuminate his matter with a sort of vintage wit as well as his expected erudition.

In 1931 Mr. Ham edited the *Venjance Alixandre* of Jehan le Nevelon, basing his work on one of the seven manuscripts in which the poem has been preserved. Now, in 1946, he gives us another edition, based on a different manuscript, in which the author appears as Jehan le Venelais. Mature deliberation has led Mr. Ham to conclude that there is at least a 50-50 chance that the second form of the name is the correct one.

The peculiar habits of French scribes guarantee that any two manuscripts of a single work may vary greatly in details of expression, although agreeing in general lines. This is quite true of the two versions of the Venjance which Mr. Ham has edited, and his notes to the present edition point out all cases where he has altered his basic manuscript or retained its reading against that of the others, and offer an elaborate justification of the text as given. Of course he makes no claims that his text represents exactly what the author wrote and he would be the first to admit that another editor might reach other findings. In general, however, his text and his commentary combine to exemplify brilliantly the principles of text-editing as he understands them. These principles are important and deserve consideration.

Mr. Ham starts from the undeniable assumption that "for the avowed medievalist ... the actual experience of editing causes him to absorb and enjoy the endless problems posed by any medieval text, however unliterary (e.g., the Venjance Alixander): Granted this personal pleasure in his work, the editor must resolve according to his personal preferences - not, however, without a good number of checks - what sort of edition he wishes to give: a close copy of a single manuscript, a composite text striving to present the very words of the author, or some compromise between the two extremes. This decision can not be the same for every text but must be made on the basis of "principles applicable to each text singly and separately." In this way "the full measure of success and discovery in textual criticism depends on recognition of the particular methods to which a given text directs its editor." In the case of the Venjance, as we have seen, Mr. Ham leans toward the discreet modification of a basic manuscript, and, since the scales are so equally balanced with respect to two manuscripts, it is fortunate that he has been able to give two editions in both of which the "demarcation areas where the subjective must have play . . . constitute the central textual problem." But, no matter what choice underlies any edition, there are two "axiomatic practices" which must be followed: first, the edition must provide the fullest possible control of the readings of the manuscripts - a task of delicate demarcation to be determined for every text separately; second, he must seek the fullest possible light on what the original readings of his text may have been - again a task of delicate demarcation when it comes to incorporating any such readings in his published text.

Important for medieval studies as the preceding considerations are, a sentence

which occurs on the second page of the book states an idea of much farther-reaching consequence: "I am convinced that the editors of today should not only be modest enough to limit their research to few texts, but that they should also have the patience and humility to re-examine their personal scholarship again and again, with a view to possible enrichment of synthesis in the textual field." The state of American scholarship today would be far more reputable were that conviction more universally held, and the practice of that conviction might succeed in giving us more scholars of Mr. Ham's stature.

BATEMAN EDWARDS

#### THE AUTHORS

PEGGY COFFIN, a graduate of Jackson College and more recently a student at the Yale School of Drama, is the daughter of Bowdoin's ROBERT P. T. COFFIN. To indentify Peggy's collaborator further would be superfluous.

ROBERT D. LEIGH '14, author of Federal Health Administration, Group Leadership, People Speaking to Peoples, has had a useful and busy career of public service. After fourteen years as President of Bennington College, Dr. Leigh has served as special adviser to the National Resources Planning Board, director of the Foreign Intelligence Broadcast Service, chairman of the United Nations Monitoring Commission, and last

year was visiting Professor of Political Science at the University of Chicago.

One of Bowdoin's most active research scholars in Romance philology and literature, EDWARD BILLINGS HAM '22, is the author of La Vanjance Alixandre (critical edition), Five Versions of the Venjance Alixandre, Girart de Rousillon (critical edition), and Renart le Bestorne. Since 1941 Dr. Ham has been a member of the faculty of the University of Michigan where he is now Associate Professor of French.

#### THE REVIEWERS

CLEMENT F. ROBINSON '03, President of the Board of Overseers and former Attorney General of Maine, returned this year to Brunswick to take up permanent residence in his home town.

J. MAXIM RYDER '21, after being associated with the business management of the old Boston Transcript, the Springfield Republican, and other New England newspapers, was general manager of the Waterbury (Conn.) Democrat until that paper was sold early this year. Since that time he has been manager of radio station WBRY in Waterbury.

BATEMAN EDWARDS '19, who has taught at Princeton and Lehigh, has been Chairman of the Department of Romance Languages at Washington University since 1935. Dr. Edwards is now working on a critical edition of the *Roman d'Alexandre*.

#### NOTES

Angry Men - Laughing Men by WENZELL BROWN '32, published by Greenberg, New York, is described by Henrietta Hardman in the New York Times Book Review as "a delightful travel book" about the Caribbean Islands. The reviewer continues:

"Wenzell Brown has clearly set forth the basic conflicts that make these areas both attractive commercially and a potential source of conflict. As in *Dynamite on Our Doorstep*, his record of the Puerto Rican paradox, Brown lays the blame for much of the unrest at the door of the American State Department."

BARBARA FROST, publicity representative in the New York office of J. P. Lippincott Co. and a valuable consultant in planning Bowdoin's Sesquicentennial program, has just had her first novel published by Coward-McCann Inc. It is an entertaining mystery, entitled *The Unwelcome Corpse*.

The Spring issue of the New England Quarterly contains two contributions by members of the Bowdoin faculty: The Hoosac Tunnel Route: the Great Bore by Frank Munsey Professor of History Edward C. Kirkland, and Winslow Homer's Father by Philip Conway Beam, Associate Professor of Art. Alumnus readers do not need to be reminded that the Quarterly is edited by Professor Herbert Ross Brown, with headquarters in Hubbard Hall.

## Looking

#### 1812

On November 14, 1812, Levi Stowell of the class of 1815 wrote from Brunswick to his friend Samuel Farnsworth, Jr. The letter has recently come into the possession of the editor of this column. The writer of the letter was later to practice law in Oxford county, eventually becoming register of probate and county treasurer. Subsequently he practiced law in Knox county, Indiana. There for many years he was postmaster, magistrate and county school examiner. He died there in the fiftieth year after his graduation.

Farnsworth was a recent Dartmouth graduate, later became a physician and practiced for many years in Bridgton, but at the time of the letter he was a teacher of singing. He evidently had asked his friend Stowell to advise him on the possibility of opening a singing school at Brunswick. Stowell discouraged him. He writes:

"I will give you the true state of Brunswick quite as near as I am



able. The people here are generally poor, and those few who are prosperous of property are by no means public spirited. Besides they are considerably Democratic. There are here any denomination of Christians, almost, that I ever heard of and consequently there can be but few who would unite in any one object of importance. Nay, I think I may say with some degree of assurance that there does not flourish timber in this soil suitable to constitute a good singing school. As to the most essential part in my mind, that is, the ladies - nature seems to have denied them the power of becoming good singers, or else they have greatly abused their powers. One would suppose by their looks, when they

#### Backward

sing, that they had lock-jaw or else that they had dreadfully homely teeth which they were ashamed of showing to the public view. And if by chance one has such magnanimity as to open her mouth sufficiently to emit an audible sound, she is a heroine indeed, but she does not charm with her mellifluous note, rather does she grate on one's ears 'harsh thunder' or the piercing shrieks of Nature dying in convulsions. Enough, you have already too much; perhaps from my expressions you may think I am no lover of music or of female singers, but I'll assure you this is not the case, for I am a dear lover of both and especially the latter. Friend, from enquiry here, I am sorry to inform you that there is no fair prospect of encouragement to you of tuning the voices of saints to the celebration of piety, or those of mortals to the praise of virtue.

"This I can tell you, Sir, unequivocally that any good girl has my affections, but no one has my heart entirely. That I would keep, if possible, until I could take possession of a far better one instead of it."

The truth of his statement regarding "females" seems evidenced by the fact that in due course he made a happy marriage and had eight children.

As to the College, he writes:

"Our numbers have considerably increased of late. The whole number is 42. Some more than were ever in college before."

Stowell was gloomy over the state of the country. He doubted if a singing school would succeed any better in his home town of Paris than in Brunswick because "the general spirit of Democracy prevailing \*\*\* seems to be no very shining prospect of a school; but he hoped that his friend would "go on and prosper. Our wretched country needs many worthies to restore it to its primitive purity and excellence."

#### 1877

The summer school under the management of Professors Carmichael, Robinson and Lee was a success. There was an enrolment of thirty, about half of whom were women. Graduates of Harvard, Yale, Dartmouth, St. Lawrence, Vassar and Bowdoin, and one Japanese student, attended. Courses were given in chemistry, mineralogy and zoology, and excursions were made, particularly one in President Chamberlain's yacht to islands in Casco Bay.

#### 1897

The Commencement speech of Chief Justice Peters (a Yale graduate) has been often quoted. He said:

"I love Bowdoin College because I love my State of Maine, and the state loves Bowdoin College because she is the most venerable of her colleges. I think Bowdoin stands at the head of colleges. \*\*\*\* It takes a hundred years to make a college. \*\*\*\* It takes work to get the degree of A.B. here. \*\*\*\* I don't believe a fool can be pushed through Bowdoin College. It has been said that more students go through the larger colleges, but in the smaller, more college goes through the students. I believe that the degree of A.B. at Bowdoin represents an education second to none. I would be willing to go anywhere armed with that degree and expect success."

Instructor Mitchell became Professor Mitchell and Dr. H. C. Emery became Professor of Economics.

Fairfield '99, later to become a vice-admiral, was one of eleven out of sixty-six candidates to pass successfully examinations for the Naval Academy at Annapolis.

President Hyde was absent for the fall term, traveling in Europe.

The bookcase used by Longfellow during his Bowdoin professorship was set up in the Library.

#### 1922

Don MacMillan landed at Wicasset September 12 after a summer in the Arctic. "The schooner Bowdoin proved ideal for the work she was built to do."

The campaign for the endowment fund concluded successfully. The objective of \$450,000 was exceeded by nearly \$62,000. The General Education Board added \$150,000. The largest gift was \$100,000 by Frank A. Munsey, the publisher. The smallest gifts were pennies given by Brunswick school children. There were fifteen gifts of \$5,000 or over; fifty-eight gifts of \$100 to \$500, and nearly 2,500 subscribers in all.

Posthumous degrees were given to Frank Durham Hazeltine and Judson Gordon Martell of the class of 1917, killed in action. These were the first posthumous degrees since the Civil War.

The entering Freshman class exceeded all records, — 167. Forty per cent of the class were from outside Maine. Plans for limiting the size of entering classes were for the first time seriously discussed.

Professors Bell and Catlin had leave of absence for the fall.

Dr. Morgan B. Cushing became Instructor in Economics.

The college received \$500,000 under the will of E. H. Blake '77. This was the largest single gift ever received by the college.

#### 1927

Vol. 1 No. 1 of the ALUMNUS appeared with Austin McCormick '15 as editor and J. Rayner Whipple '28 as managing editor.

The Faculty gave a dinner on the

retirement of Professor Hutchins after forty-two years of service. Professor Mitchell was toastmaster, and Professor E. H. Hall '75, of Harvard, Austin McCormick, President Sills and Professor Hutchins spoke. The poet, Robert Frost, was a guest at the dinner.

Construction of the swimming pool was under way.

An Institute of Art was held in May with eleven lecturers.

Dr. Henry L. Johnson became College Physician. Malcolm E. Morrell '24 became Acting Director of Athletics and Graduate Manager. Donovan D. Lancaster '27 was appointed coach of freshman football and "Ginger" Frazer of Colby, assistant on the varsity squad.

#### 1932

Mary Ellen Chase was the Delta Upsilon lecturer. Her subject: The Peculiar Genius of Thomas Hardy. Dr. Ernest L. Gruening of Portland (now governor of Alaska) delivered the Cole lecture on The American Heritage.

Bowdoin ended an otherwise unsuccessful athletic year by winning the state track meet,  $57\frac{1}{2}$  points to Maine's 37. Bates scored 30 and Colby 10. Bowdoin was second with 19 points to Boston College's 21 points in the New England meet.

In his address to the students at the opening of college, President Sills said: "There are probably today more people who regard war as inevitable than there were ten years ago."

On August 31 the total eclipse of the sun was successfully observed from the Science Building by Bowdoin scientists.

The effect of the depression did not show in the alumni attendance at Commencement. 633 registered as against the record of 725 in 1925.

The alumni fund for the year totalled over \$10,000 for income, \$575 for principal.

The book value of the college endowment was \$6,440,000, but the book value exceeded the market value by nearly \$3,000,000. For the year, income was \$544,475; expenses \$544,-004.

Mrs. Hyde, widow of President Hyde, died on June 9th.

William C. Root became Instructor in Chemistry succeeding Assistant

Professor Bollinger, who died August 25, 1932. A. P. Daggett '25, Elbridge Sibley (Amherst) and D. B. MacMillan '98 also joined the faculty. Instructors Stallknecht and Helmreich were promoted to assistant professors of philosophy and history.

Professor Hormell was in Europe and Professor Stanwood in Boston on a year's leave of absence.

The President's Gateway in memory of President Hyde was presented to the college at Commencement by the Class of 1907. C.F.R

## Necrology

1884 Albert Ferguson Sweetser died on March 29, 1944 at Minneapolis, Minn., according to belated information received at the Alumni Office. He was born on March 10, 1861, at Searsport, and prepared for college at Hallowell Classical Institute. After college he taught school at Patten, Bowdoinham and Searsport, studying law at the same time. He was admitted to the bar in 1888 and in the same year was elected county attorney for Waldo County. He went West in 1890 and in 1909 became associated with the Soo Line, where he remained until 1931, making his home in Minneapolis, Minn. In 1916 he was married to the former Margaret Louise Devery. Surviving him are his wife and a daughter, Margaret. He was a member of Phi Chi, sophomore society.

1886 JOHN HERBERT DAVIS, former newspaperman, died on May 12 at a Bangor hospital. He was born in Bangor on August 12, 1863, the son of John and Hannah McClure Davis of Brooks. He prepared for college at Bangor High School. At college he was active as pitcher on the varsity baseball team and served as class poet. After his graduation he entered the newspaper field in Bangor, combining that activity with a real estate business in 1903. He retired from the journalistic field 25 years ago, but continued to make his home in Bangor. He is survived by a nephew, Benson Davis, of Charlotte, N. C., and a niece, Mrs. Stoddard Johnson, Jr., of Boston, Mass. He was a member of Alpha Delta Phi fraternity.

1888 ROBERT SCOTT THOMES died on March 30 at the home of his daughter in White Plains, N. Y. Born on August 15, 1866, in Cumberland, he was the son of Oren Scott and Abbie Drummond Thomes. He prepared for college at Greely Institute and Coburn Classical Institute. He attended Bowdoin for two years, and was a member of Zeta Psi fraternity. He married the former Viola Bean Drummond at Waterville on August 1, 1888fl After leaving Bowdoin in 1886, he entered business in Portland with the Merrill & Thomes Company. Later he became a partner in wholesale and dry goods with Parker & Thomes. After retiring from that business he carried on as an insurance broker for a number of years. In 1942 he retired from business and moved to White Plains, N. Y., where he made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Harry H. Fedler. Surviving him are his wife; a son, John B., of Gorham; two daughters, Mrs. Fedler and Mrs. Stanley W. Fogg of Portland; a brother, Dr. John B. Thomes of Pittsfield, Mass.; and three grandchildren. He was a Rotarian, a Mason, and a member of State Street Church of Portland.

1889 EMERSON LELAND ADAMS, a resident of Cranston, R. I., school superintendent and former deputy commissioner in the Rhode Island Department of Education, died at his summer home in Griswold, Conn., on May 30. He was born in Wilton on February 6, 1866, the son of Jonas Green and Serena Hall Adams, and prepared for Bowdoin at Wilton Academy. After graduation he served a short term as principal of McIndoes Academy, McIndoes, Vt., then became principal of Hopkinton, Mass., High School in January, 1890. During the next year he was instructor in Latin and English at Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass. In 1891 he was special agent for the Provident Life and Trust Company at Lewiston, but returned to the education field the following year as principal of Fryeburg Academy for two years. He was then appointed superintendent of schools in Saylesville, R. I., in 1905, remaining there until 1912 when he accepted a similar position in Central Falls, R. I. While serving in the latter city he was appointed Assistant Commissioner of Public Schools for Rhode Island. He was made Deputy Commissioner in 1917, and held that post until July, 1929, when he became rehabilitation supervisor. He retired in July, 1940. He is survived by his wife, the former Effie Dascombe of Wilton, whom he married on December 2, 1892; two daughters, Mrs. Ethel M. Franklin and Mrs. Ruth Fifield; and a son, Gordon. He was a member of the Headmasters' Club of West ern Massachusetts, and of Delta Kappa Epsilon. He received an A.M. from Bowdoin in 1892.

1901 Dr. Paul Stanley Hill, prominent Maine surgeon and co-owner of Trull Hospital, Biddeford, died at his summer home at Biddeford Pool on July 26. He was born in Biddeford on May 3, 1881, the son of Hampton Eugene and Myra Nutter Hill. Preparing at Thornton Academy, he was active at Bowdoin as a member of his class and varsity football teams, leader of his class squad, a member of his class and freshman track teams, vice-president of the Baseball Association, and marshal at Ivy Day. He went on to George Washington University to study medicine, receiving his degree there in 1905. He returned to Biddeford to practice, and gained state-wide recognition as a surgeon. In 1916 he was named a member of the State Board of Health. He was married to the former Catherine Moses of Saco and Portland on June 15, 1904. During the first World War he served as captain in the Army Medical Corps and chief surgeon of Princess Royal Auxiliary Hospital in Brighton, England. Upon returning to this country he took over the management of Trull Hospital and served as consulting surgeon of Webber Hospital, where he had been a member of the staff before his enlistment in the Army. He was a member and former officer of the York County Medical Society, the Maine Medical Association, the Biddeford post of the American Legion and Rotary Club. Surviving him are his wife, the former Alice M. Lloyd of Mt. Vernon, N. Y., and a son, Dr. Paul, Jr., '27, of Biddeford. His fraternity was Delta Upsilon.

1903 Dr. George Bourne Farnsworth died at his home in South Bristol on May 22. He was born on December 16, 1880, in Roxbury, Mass., the son of George Bourne and Marian True Farnsworth. He prepared for college at Roxbury Latin School. At Bowdoin he was active in the Glee Club, Debating Club, Deutscher Verein, Chapel Choir, and was secretary of the College Jury. He received his M.D. from Harvard in 1907, and then began work at the Massachusetts General. He became resident obstetrician at Lakeside Hospital, Cleveland, Ohio, in 1910, and instructor in obstetrics at the medical college of Western Reserve University the following year. He continued his practice and teaching in Cleveland until 1930, when he retired. Since his retirement he has spent his summers in Maine and his winters in Florida. During the first World War he served as captain of a battery of Field Artillery in France, and has since been active in organizing units of the State Guard in which he held the rank of major. He was a fellow of the American College of Surgeons, president of the Bingham Associates' Fund for the Advancement of Rural Medicine, a trustee of Hebron Academy, and president of the trustees of Bethel Academy. He is survived by his wife, the former Ruth Sutphen of Cleveland, and two daughters, Mrs. Neal W. Dale of Scarsdale, N. Y., and Mrs. Volmar W. Fried of Cleveland, Ohio. His fraternity was Theta Delta Chi. He was also a member of Phi Beta Kappa.

1905 NEAL DOW RANDALL, retired manufacturer, died on July 18, 1947, at his home on Wolf's Neck Road, Freeport. He was born on December 20, 1881, in Freeport, the son of Capt. Rufus Soule and Annie Townsend Randall. Until his retirement about a year ago, he was proprietor for 20 years of the Northeastern Company, manufacturers of wood preservatives, of Boston, Mass. During these years he made his home in Westwood and Melrose Highlands, Mass., moving only recently to Freeport. In the fall of 1931 he married the former Miss Lillian Winthrop Fogg of Freeport. He was fitted for college at Freeport High School and attended Bowdoin from 1901 to 1903. He was associated with the First National Bank in Boston before entering the manufacturing business. Surviving him besides his wife are a sister. Miss Helen Randall, and a brother, John B. Randall, both of Freeport. His fraternity was Zeta Psi.

1910 RALPH SAVAGE CROWELL died in Spartansburg, S. C., on July 2. He was born on September 2, 1887, in Bangor, the son of Fred and Annie Savage Crowell He prepared for college at Bangor High School. As an undergraduate at college he was a member of the Glee Club, Mandolin Chub, Chapel Choir, the College Band, and was vice president of the Penobscot Club. After graduation he entered business as cashier of the Eastern Steamship Company in Bangor, and was married in June, 1911 to the former Helen L. Miller of Bangor. Later he became associated with the Kenduskeag Trust Company of Bangor, leaving that position to become treasurer of Rice and Miller Company, wholesale hardware dealers of Bangor. He became president of the latter company and remained with it for 25 years. About 12 years ago he moved to South Carolina where he was engaged in farming at Landrum. Surviving are his mother; his wife, Mrs. Mary Crowell; a daughter, Mrs. Victor M. Montgomery of Spartansburg; a son, Dr. William M. Crowell of Philadelphia, Pa.; a sister, Mrs. Walter K. Hanson of Bangor; a brother, F. Donald Crowell of Bangor; and three grandchildren. His fraternity was Delta Kappa Epsilon.

1912 JUSTICE EARLE LEANDER RUSSELL, highly esteemed jurist of the Maine Superior Court since December 1944, died in Portland on August 5. He was born in Portland on February 16, 1890, the son of Calvin E. and Annie Moody Russell. Preparing at Portland High School and North Yarmouth Academy, he came to Bowdoin in the Class of 1912 and graduated from Boston University Law School cum laude in 1915. That summer he was admitted to the bar and began practice in Portland where he was a member of the Portland Common Council. His law practice was interrupted by service in the first World War with the 36th Infantry. He married the former Ellen Burke Alexander in 1934. Before his appointment by former-Governor Summer Sewall H'44 to the Maine bench in 1944, he had been an outstanding member of the Maine Industrial Accident Commission for 15 years, had served on the Portland School Board for 19 years, and on the Cape Elizabeth School Board for two years. The conscientious attention to the details of his responsibilities on those boards he carried to his work on the bench. Justice to children involved was always a matter of real concern to him in his legal decisions. Last April he was hospitalized for several weeks, but assumed his duties in June, presiding over an unusually heavy court term. At the time of his death he was again in a hospital for rest and medical treatment. He was a member of the Maine and Cumberland Bar Associations, Harold T. Andrews Post of the American Legion, the Sons of the American Revolution, the Bowdoin Club of Portland, the Fraternity Club, and was president of the Torch Club. His fraternity was Kappa Sigma. Surviving him besides his wife are three children: James Alexander, 11; Katherine Alexander, 6; and Phoebe Ann, 4. Governor Horace Hildreth '25, in paying tribute to Judge Russell after his death, said: "All the people of Maine will join the State officials in grieving at the loss



HON. EARLE L. RUSSELL '12

of one of its most able and devoted citizens. The State of Maine has lost a really great jurist whom it can ill afford to lose." Federal Judge John D. Clifford, Jr., '10 said: "He enjoyed the complete confidence, affection and respect of the bench and bar of this State. His legion of friends who appreciate his great qualities of heart and mind will be deeply grieved at his passing."

1912 Rev. George Edwin Woodman, retired Congregational pastor, died in Eustis, Fla., on May 18. He was born on November 22, 1873, in Chelsea, Mass., the son of George Edwin and Catherine Whitney Woodman. After attending the public schools of Chelsea, he went to Lay College in Revere, Mass., for two years, and the A. M. Chesborough Seminary in N. Chili, N. Y., for a year. He became minister of a church in Monmouth in 1898, remaining there until 1902. He served as minister in Wilmington, Vt., from 1903-1906, then returned to Monmouth for three years. In 1909 he became pastor of a church in Freeport, and entered Bowdoin while he held that pastorate. Following college, his pastorates included Shirley, Mass., West Boylston, Mass., Milton, Mass., and Duxbury, Mass., where he served the Pilgrim Congregational Church. In 1942 he retired, after 46 years in the Congregational ministry. Since then, he and Mrs. Woodman have been wintering at Mount Dora, Fla. Surviving him, besides his wife, Dr. Alice H. Woodman, are a son, Edwin P., and two daughters, Mrs. Aubrey A. Stanley and Mrs. Claude Fisher.

1918 ROBERT CREIGHTON, head of the copy desk of the Worcester Telegram, died at Worcester City Hospital, Worcester,

Mass., on June 18 following a heart attack. He was born in Thomaston on June 7, 1894, the son of Charles A. and Lois Hyler Creighton. After preparing for college at Phillips Andover Academy he entered Bowdoin, where he became a member of Psi Upsilon fraternity. He left college at the end of his sophomore year and entered the U.S. Navy, where he served until 1919. Later he continued his education at the School of Journalism of Columbia University and at the Boston Museum of Fine Arts. He started his newspaper career with the Thomaston Knox Messenger, serving as editor of that newspaper Later he worked for the Springfield Republican, New Bedford Standard, Albany Evening News, Boston Traveler, P.cvidence Bulletin and for Associated Press bureaus in New York State. At the time of his death he had been with the Worcester newspaper for 14 years, having previously served as copy editor of the Boston Herald. Besides serving as editor he wrote frequent stories on art and the sea. Surviving him are his mother of 49 Chatham Street, Worcester; a brother, James A. '13 of Hamburg, N. Y.; and a sister, Miss Letitia M. Creighton of Thomaston.

1924 COMDR. PAUL LANGE PHILLIPS, USN. for the past six years attached to the Navy Medical Corps, died at his home in Norfolk, Va., on May 11. He was born on December 16, 1904, in Brooklyn, N. Y., the son of William Lincoln and Anna Lange Phillips. He prepared for college at Roselle Park High School, Roselle Park, N. J., and attended Columbia University a year before transferring to Bowdoin. At Bowdoin he was a member of the Glee Club, assistant in chemistry, a member of the Biology Club and Chapel Choir, and on the class football team. After college, he was instructor in biology at New York University for a year and then entered Cornell Medical College, where in 1927 he was appointed assistant instructor of anatomy. and in 1929 received his medical degree. He served his internship at United Hospital, Port Chester, N. Y., and Bellevue Hospital, New York City. Later he was resident at both these hospitals, specializing in psychiatry and neurosurgery. He did post graduate work in pathology and neurology in Germany. Returning to this country, he was appointed assistant psychiatrist at the Hartford Retreat, Hartford, Conn., in 1934. He served there for three years before being called to active duty with the Naval Reserve in 1941. He subsequently served in the Atlantic and Pacific theatres aboard the carriers Kesson Bay and Wake Island. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Margaret Turner Phillips; two sons, Karl Lange and Peter Turner; one brother and four sisters. His fraternity was Sigma Nu.

the Augusta General Hospital on October 31, 1946, following an operation for a brain tumor. He was born on August 1, 1903, in Blaine, the son of Walter J. and Lydia Syphus Hersom. Following preparation at Aroostook Central Institute at Mars Hill, he entered college, where he was a member of the Biology Club and

the Rifle Club. He had been working with the State in connection with the Farm Hands Loan Department for several years preceding his death. He is survived by his wife; two sons, Walter and Michael; and three daughters, Amelia, Beth, and Lydia. all of Winthrop. He was a member of the Blue Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Mars Hill. His fraternity was Beta Theta Pi.

#### MEDICAL SCHOOL

1899 DR. EZRA BYINGTON SKOLFIELD, practicing physician at Charleston and East Corinth for the past 33 years, died at his home in East Corinth on June 12. He was born in Brunswick on September 17, 1873, the son of Robert and Lydia Custer Skolfield, and received his college preparation at Brunswick High School. He served his internship at the Maine General Hospital, then completed a post-graduate course at Harvard in 1901. He served as assistant surgeon at the Togus National Home for three years and also worked a year at the Bangor State Hospital. He started general practice in Lewiston and Lisbon Falls then moved to East Corinth where he entered the life of a typical country doctor. Surviving him are his wife, Mrs. Mable L. Skolfield; two sons, Alfred of East Corinth and Ezra, Jr., of Lisbon Falls; a sister, Mrs. Alice

Little of Walpole, Mass.; and three grand-children.

1904 Dr. RALPH Goss, for 42 years a practicing physician in Litchfield, died at his home there on July 16. He was born on June 17, 1879, in Lewiston, the son of Charles Francis and Abbie Madison Goss. After preparing at Nichols Latin School he went to Bates College, graduating from there in 1901, and then entered the Maine Medical School, where he received his M.D. in 1904. He served his internship at the Portland Eye and Ear Infirmary and at the Togus Veterans' Hospital. On August 22, 1905, he was married to the former Emma Dixon, and they settled at Litchfield, where he practiced until the time of his death. He served also as superintendent of schools in that town until a school union was formed, then he continued as a member of the school board for several years. He was a life member of Kora Temple of Lewiston; past master of Morning Star Lodge of Masons; director of the Monmouth-Greene Telephone Company of Winthrop; a member of the Lewiscon-Auburn Flying Club; a 35-year member of Litchfield Grange; past patron of Mystic Chapter, Eastern Star, and a member of three Masonic organizations in Gardiner. Surviving are his widow and a brother, Arthur, of Briarcliff Manor, N. Y. been for over forty years as an eye, ear, nose and throat specialist.

Members of the class will be glad to hear that the class secretary's wife has recovered from her serious spring illness.

In June Dr. A. Vincent Smith ended a service of 21 years as medical examiner of Southern Plymouth, Mass., County. A practicing physician for 53 years, Dr. Smith was named associate medical examiner for the county in 1895 and made chief examiner in 1926.

### 1891 Secretary, Charles S. F. Lincoln 35 College Street, Brunswick

Tom Croswell and his wife have a pleasant home on Valley Road, Glendale, Calif. Tom is the only member of the class living west of the Allegheny Mountains, except Ed Thompson, who is living with a sister at 1625 N. E. 15th Avenue, Portland, Ore.

1893 Col. Weston Chamberlain, M.D., retired Army officer, has a home at 120 Edgewood Drive, Palo Alto, Calif., a garden spot on the peninsula between San Francisco and Santa Cruz.

### 1895 Secretary, William M. Ingraham 79 High Street, Portland

Hoyt Moore was elected Vice-President of the Board of Trustees of the College at a meeting of that body during Commencement.

#### 1897 Secretary, James E. Rhodes, II 700 Main Street Hartford, Conn.

The class secretary has retired from the Travelers Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn., after nearly 41 years of service. He will continue to reside in West Hartford, where he will be glad to see all Bowdoin men.

Fred Dole finds time from his teaching duties to gather letters from each member of 1897 and will shortly print and distribute the collection. The class formally voted appreciation of his class labors to keep up class spirit and his historical publications.

Thanks to Morse, Carmichael and Cook our 50th was a gala occasion. Of the 29 living members there were 21 present: Carmichael, Cook, Davis, Dole, Gilman, Hatch, Horne, Kneeland, Lamb, MacCallum, Mc-Millan, Merriman, Morse, Pratt, Rhodes, Sewall, Small, Smith, Stetson, Vining, White. Headquarters were established in the Moulton Union where the Class Banquet was also held. Professor and Mrs. Mitchell were the guests of honor and Don MacMillan, who was a '97 man for three years, was the toastmaster. Following Professor Mitchell's entertaining reminiscences, brief responses were made by Hatch, a Rochester, N. Y., businessman, Kneeland, a North Dakota judge, and Davis, a Massachusetts clergyman. All paid tribute to Bowdoin acknowledging the debt they owed the College, and told how their college training had contributed to their lives. Nine wives and three children graced the event which was marked by arm bands reading "97's 50th".

### News of



#### the Classes

FOREWORD

Like the Alumni Secretary, I, too, have been to the West Coast this summer. We both came home impressed but unconvinced that the aforesaid section of the U.S.A. is the only section worth living in. While he was attending a round-up of American college alumni secretaries and speaking to five groups of Bowdoin alumni to give the latest on Bowdoin today, I was seeing the world, and, in passing, as many alumni as I could in a given time. It takes both time and patience to hunt up friends when they are not on one's beaten track, but I enjoyed it. We both returned more than ever convinced that Bowdoin alumni are grand people, and their interest in and enthusiasm for the College is undimmed by time or distance, even when they have not been back for years.

1873 Dr. Charles Lincoln had a delightful call on Rev. Hervey W. Chapman, Bowdoin's oldest alumnus, at his home in Oakland, Calif. Mr. Chapman is 97 but doesn't look it, and still goes about under his own steam. One of his sons, a missionary in China, was at home and planning an early return to China.

1879 Henry Huston was presented the Distinguished Alumni Award for meritorious services during the past 65 years to Purdue University at Purdue's Gala Week in May. Ceremonies were held to commemorate the 13th quinquennial of the class of 1882 and Prof. Huston's graduation

from the University in that year. He was the recipient of the first advanced degree awarded by Purdue. Following Gala Week he was drafted to conduct a seminar on Agricultural Chemistry, 44 years after he resigned as professor of that subject. He attended Commencement at Bowdoin, and is passing a vacation this summer at his summer home in Pemaquid.

1883 JOHN DINSMORE is a retired teacher living at the American Colony, P. O. B. 1087, Jerusalem, Palestine.

brother Elliot '87, an artist, live together at 4716 Panorama Drive, San Diego, Calif. Joe is well and has written an American hymn, words and music, which he hopes will replace the Star Spangled Banner. Elliot had a cerebral hemorrhage in June and is still an invalid. A special exhibit of his paintings will be held at the Art Institute in San Diego, Calif., this month.

Leander Varney is living with his sister in Woodbine, Ga. Mail will reach him addressed to P. O. Box 60, Woodbine, Ga.

1889 Thanks to WILLIAM M. EMERY, the Class ivy marker at the corner of Memorial Hall has been restored to its original campus position.

1890 Secretary, Wilmot B. Mitchell 6 College Street, Brunswick

Dr. Edgar F. Conant continues active practice in Denver, Colo., where he has

1898 Secretary, Thomas L. Pierce Route 2, Box 496 E. Tucson, Ariz.

Chief Justice Guy Sturgis of Portland has been re-nominated for a seven-year term. His current term of office expires on August 8.

1899 Secretary, Lucien P. Libby 22 Bramhall Street, Portland

Carl Vose Woodbury received the degree of Doctor of Science from Norwich University, Norwich, Vt., while acting as president of that institution.

James Hamlin, for nearly seven years superintendent of schools in Caribou and Limestone, and 47 years in school work, retired in June. He has been active in Boy Scout work, war emergency work, and has been a Rotarian for 20 years.

Rev. Frederick Crosby Lee, retired from the ministry, has left his church in Rochester, N. Y., to live in Damariscotta.

1901 Secretary, Walter L. Sanborn Box 390, Lansdale, Pa.

Dr. Norman J. Gehring still keeps office hours in the Bank of America Building in San Diego, Calif.

In somewhat belated recognition of the hospitality of the family of the late Herbert L. Swett, originator of the summer theatre and founder of beautiful Lakewood, where 1901 held its dinner in both 1941 and 1946, the class, on July 25, presented to Mrs. Fanchon Swett and her two daughters, now operating Lakewood with signal success, a beautiful brass ship's clock specially mounted in a splendid white pine case in keeping with the finish in the reception room at the Lakewood restaurant. The case carries a simple plate on which is engraved: "Bowdoin College - Class of 1901 - Reunion, 1946". President and Mrs. Sills and Harold Lee Berry, president of the class, and Mrs. Berry made a special pilgrimage to Lakewood to make the presentation. Berry subsequently sent a mimeographed account to the surviving members of the class.

The new address of Clemens Andrew (Dutchy) Yost is 1213 Kinneys Lane, Portsmouth, Ohio.

1903 Secretary, CLEMENT F. ROBINSON 260 Maine Street, Brunswick

The illustrated booklet celebrating the 25th anniversary of the Auburn-Lewiston Y. M. C. A. was dedicated to Farrington Abbott for his "leadership and continuing interest."

Phil Clifford was elected Vice-President of the Board of Overseers at the annual Commencement meeting.

The class secretary was toastmaster at the Brunswick High School Alumni Banquet in June.

1904 Secretary, Eugene P. D. Hathaway 3360 Mt. Pleasant Street, N. W. Washington, D. C.

Chet Harper continues his studies and writings for oil and mining concerns. He reports that he is now almost indigenous to Denver.

Franklin Packard's grandson, George V. Packard, Jr., is an undergraduate at Bowdoin. He is the sixth in the Packard family to attend Bowdoin.

Merton McRae is a wholesale paper salesman in Cumberland, Md.

1905 Secretary, STANLEY WILLIAMS 2270 Waverley Street Palo Alto, Calif.

John Brett is now living in Carmel, Calif. Herb Hill has resigned his professorship at the University of Maine to become State Director of Agricultural Education. Address him at the State House, Augusta.

Ernest Kent practices law across the street from the Boston State House where he is frequently seen on budget matters.

Ray Pettengill's address is 1314 North Greenbrier Street, Arlington, Va.

Retired from business, Ray Warren lives in Portland winters and at South Waterford summers.

Death is making heavy inroads on 1905's membership. George Stone, Bill Webb, Judge Marr, Louis Weld have all left us within the year and now we learn of Neal Randall's passing at his Freeport home.

Class Secretary Williams is among the lotus eaters. . .not related to the opium habit . . .in Palo Alto, Calif. Aside from looking after his wife, the garden and the dogs, he is otherwise unemployed.

1906 Secretary, RALPH G. WEBBER 19 Stone Street, Augusta

Prof. Melvin Copeland was elected a Trustee of the College at Commencement.

John Winchell will be safety engineer at the Army Jet Bomber Base at Limestone, where he expects his work to be most interesting.

Although 1947 was not a reunion year, a group of foreminded members set up head-quarters in a South Appleton room, held open house and laid plans for the 45th. Nine of 1906 checked in and all agreed the practice should continue.

1907 Secretary, Felix A. Burton 64 Collins Road, Waban 68, Mass.

Edward A. Duddy of the University of Chicago is president of the Chicago Bowdoin Club.

Frank Gannett is producer and distributor of carbon tetrachloride and foam fire killers in Portland, Ore. His company is the Fyrfyter Products Company.

Demi Johnson has resumed his medical practice in Brunswick and will be on leave from his college duties for another year.

Thirty-three members and sixteen wives attended our Fortieth in June. Headquarters were at the Harriet Beecher Stowe House with overflow accommodations in Hyde Hall. While the class dinner was being held at Sunset Farm, the ladies gathered at New Meadows Lobster Pound. Feature of the Fortieth was 1907's Alumni Fund gift of more than \$4100 from nearly 80 percent of our living members.

The mid-summer picnic will be with Glenn and Grace Lawrence at Belfast, probably on August 23rd although the date is not definite at this writing.

1908 Secretary, Charles E. Files

The class secretary was chosen a memberat-large of the Alumni Council in the annual Alumni Association election.

Arthur Ham was awarded an honorary Master of Arts degree at College Commencement exercises in June.

Chester Leighton is chief engineer with Marine Industries Ltd., of Montreal, Canada. Address him at P. O. Box 321, Station H, Montreal.

Dr. George Pullen has moved from Camden to Rockport.

Carl Robinson's daughter, Ann, was married to Simeon Aronson '37 on June 14 at Falmouth Foreside.

Rufus Stetson's son, Rufus, Jr., was graduated from College in June, as of 1942.

1909 Secretary, Ernest H. Pottle 34 Appleton Place Glen Ridge, N. J.

The Class News Editor had a pleasant lunch recently with Hervey Benner, manufacturing chemist of the Barcus Laboratory in San Diego, Calif.



GEORGE BUCK '09

Dr. George Buck of Portland, Ore., is rounding out 35 years of general practice and expects to retire in three years. He hopes George, Jr., may "take over." His office is at 430 S. E. Hawthorne Building.

Edwin Johnson retired from the Bridgeport, Conn., public schools last December, where, at the time of his retirement, he was serving as director of visual education.

Dan McDade, known as "Journal Junior" for his years of work with boys and girls for the *Oregon Journal*, boasts a state-wide acquaintance with Oregonians of all ages. State Commander of the American Legion, Dan is prominently mentioned as a possible candidate for governor of that state. His daughter, Anne, has graduated from the University and is laboratory technician in Portland's largest hospital.

1910 Secretary, E. Curtis Matthews Piscataqua Savings Bank Portsmouth, N. H.

Charles Cary was named an Overseer of the College at the Commencement meeting of the Boards.

Henry Hawes, who is taking it easy under doctor's orders, reports gradual improvement.

#### 1911 Secretary, Ernest G. Fifield 30 East 42nd Street New York City, N. Y.

John and Mrs. Cartland spent the winter at St. Petersburg, Fla.

John Devine has been on a business trip to the Pacafic Coast for several weeks.

Art Gibson's medical practice in San Francisco is getting beyond him and he would enjoy greeting a Bowdoin man to assist him.

Andrew Swan is town manager at Richmond.

### 1912 Secretary, WILLIAM A. MACCORMICK 70 The Fenway, Boston, Mass.

Meredith Auten somehow makes time from his many Cass City, Mich., business enterprises for an occasional trip to the campus where his two sons are acquiring track letters regularly. His two daughters have completed college and graduate study and are employed in New York City.

Seward Marsh completed a trans-continental swing in July, attending the American Alumni Council conference at San Francisco and meeting with several Bowdoin groups en route.

Lee Means has been appointed a director of the Alumni Fund for a three-year term. Johnny Mifflin is still battling an ailing elbow but he attended reunion and is at business daily.

Arnett Mitchell flew both ways from Columbus, Ohio, to attend his first reunion since graduation.

George Tibbetts is up and about again after an enforced rest.

Forty members and fifteen wives were present at 1912's 35th in June. Frank Smith, with some help from his local committee, rates our warm praise for a most successful affair. Headquarters in South Moore Hall were ideal and Dave Dickson's care of us was up to his customary standard. The homey informal gatherings there and the easy atmosphere of hospitality were widely commented upon. Lookout Point where several of our ladies were quartered was a grand spot for the Friday outing and class dinner and a vantage point to view the customary Commencement electric storm and deluge. Beginning Thursday, when more were present than any could remember seeing before, 1912 enjoyed three days of the best reunion ever. The consensus was that we follow Frank's pattern for future gatherings.

## 1913 Secretary, LUTHER G. WHITTIER R. F. D. 2, Farmington

Hal Archer is South American manager of Sharp & Dohme Pharmaceuticals, with residence at Larrea 729, Buenos Aires, Argentina, S. A.

John Carr is teaching in Guilford, Conn. Ced Crowell's 35th reunion committee met at Commencement and outlined plans for next June. Doc Smith is chairman and promises early notices to the class.

Stan Dole, who has just completed a term as Director of the Alumni Fund, was elected member at large of the Alumni Council.

The marriage of William McMahon's daughter, Dorothy, to Robert Crosser, son of Congressman Crosser of Cleveland, Ohio, took place on June 21 at St. John's Episcopal Church in Washington, D. C.

Sumner Pike, member of the Atomic Energy Control Commission, and an alumnus of Hebron Academy, was speaker at the Academy's annual dinner at the Commencement in June. He spoke on the government's Oak Ridge, Tenn., atomic plant.

William Spinney is assistant trust officer of Title Insurance and Trust Company. His address is 433 So. Spring Street, Los Angeles, Calif.

Col. Philip Wood can be addressed at West Gouldsboro. He is looking forward to retirement from military service.

#### 1914 Secretary, Alfred E. Gray 324 Canton Avenue Milton, Mass.

Kendrick Burns, purchasing agent and manager of the S. D. Warren Company woodlands department, has been elected president of the New England Purchasing Agents Association. He is also Vice-Chairman of the Alumni Fund Directors.

Since 1943 Warren Coombs has been head of the mathematics department and athletics director at New Hampton School. His son, Robert '40, is teaching math and history at the same school. Another son, Richard, is preparing for Bowdoin.

F. Wood McCargo, formerly of Augusta, is living at 24 Sener Street, Charlestown, Mass.

Evan Nason has been instructor of mathematics at Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass., since 1942. His daughter, Nancy, was married to Edward L. Willard, Jr., an instructor at Hebron Academy. They have a son, Edward Nason, two years old.

Ed Snow, principal of Lower Merion Junior High School, Ardmore, Pa., reports that his daughter, Geraldine, is married to Stuart Mason of Philadelphia and that there is a granddaughter, Carol Ann, five years old.

Les Stetson is District Manager at Buffalo for Peter A. Frasse Company, distributors of steel products. His daughter, Barbara, graduated from the University of Buffalo and is now in charge of rehabilitation work with young victims of infantile paralysis. Virginia will be a junior at Denison University this fall.

Earle Thompson was elected a Trustee of Bowdoin at Commencement.

#### 1915 Secretary, Harold E. Verrill 83 Exchange Street, Portland

George Bacon's son, John Lyndon, is entering Bowdoin in September.

Bob Coffin's 32nd book, Yankee Coast, appeared on the bookstands late last month. Published by MacMillan Company, the book

includes 25 essays and is illustrated by black and white sketches by the author.

Arthur Hildreth has been appointed full professor of physics at the University of Massachusetts.

James Lappin is assistant disbursing officer with the U. S. Treasury Department. His home is at 242 Homer Street, Newton Center, Mass.

Austin MacCormick has recently been elected to the governing board of the International Committee for Mental Hygiene, and chairman of the Executive Committee of the Commission on Motion Pictures in Adult Education.

Max MacKinnon is manager of the Barlum Hotel in Detroit, Mich.

Harold Pinkham is postmaster at Milton, N. H. His tastes are strongly literary, as indicated by the fact that he is working on some verse and an autobiography.

### 1916 Secretary, DWIGHT SAYWARD 415 Congress Street, Portland

Wellington Bamford is general storekeeper for the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad with headquarters in Milo.

Patricia, daughter of Winthrop Bancroft, and Joan, daughter of our faithful and hard-working secretary, are classmates at Wellesley.

Plank Boardman was the principal speaker at the annual meeting of the Maine Investment Dealers Association.

Laurence Cartland has moved to 113 Cononchet Avenue, Providence, R. I.

John Churchill's son, Deane, following more than five years of interruption due to the war, has resumed his studies at Bowdoin; he and his wife and son are living in Brunswick.

With the wind-up of the selective service system, Gene Cronin has completed his work on the Lewiston Draft Board and is now a member of the School Board of that city.

Jim Dunn's son, Jim, Jr., was married June 22 to Miss Barbara DeWolfe at Milton, Mass.

Timmie Haseltine is a third time grand-father.

Following a minor operation, Ed Hawes has been recuperating and vacationing in Maine.

Hugh Hescock's son, Merrell, was graduated from the Laconia, N. H., High School in June and will enter Worcester Polytechnic Institute in the fall.

Donald Hight left the Detroit office of McCann-Erickson, Inc., on June 1 for Los Angeles to become president of the Tractor-Distributors, Inc., which will handle the distribution of Ford tractors and farm implements for Dearborn Motors Corporation in southern California, Nevada and Arizona. He is retiring from McCann-Erickson after 25 years' service. In 1924 he came from New York City to Detroit as manager of the agency's office and since then has supervised all accounts served in the Detroit area by the agency. He is a member of the Detroit Board of Commerce, Detroit Athletic Club, Golf Club, and the University Club of New York City.

Bill Ireland, president of Worcester Trust Company, has been elected president of the Massachusetts Bankers Association. Dr. Laurence Irving of the Department of Zoology at Swarthmore College, is a member of a five-man group carrying out a biological research program at Point Barrow, Alaska, known as the Point Barrow Arctic Science Station. In order to study biological conditions there, the party left for Point Barrow on August 1 to study Arctic life first-hand. Dr. Irving is director of the Edward Martion Biological Laboratory at Swarthmore.

In a recent 25 Years Ago Column, the *Kennebec Journal* featured a picture of Dave Kelley's orchestra of yesteryear.

A recent issue of *Newsweek* describes a report, the first of its kind, made by Dr. Alfred Kinsey following an eight year study of sex behavior.

Bob Little has opened an office for investment broking in San Diego, Calif. His son is coming to Bowdoin this fall.

Urban Merrill, formerly of Lawrence, Mass., now lives in Etna, Maine.

Paul K. Niven, Jr. gave an address at June Commencement and will enter the London School of Economics in October to take a two-year course in international relations.

Lew Noble is assistant staff judge advocate in Alaska where he expects to remain until about February, 1949. Lew writes that his family is with him and that life in Alaska is not too bad. Address: APO 942, c/o Postmaster, Seattle, Wash.

Lee Pettingill, Jr., is author of a poem, Katahdin Story, in the Bowdoin Quill for May.

Abe Shwartz is on the way home from the Philippines and is expected in Portland around the first of September. Later in the month Sixteeners in and near Portland will throw a welcome-home party. Notice of time and place later.

Harry Trust delivered the baccalaureate sermon at the University of Maine commencement exercises in June.

Langdon White is medical officer in charge of the U. S. Public Health Service office in the Consulate General and U. S. Immigration Station in Montreal, where he served before he went to Alaska in 1940.

Ivan Yenetchi's law offices are at 122 Volusia Avenue, Daytona Beach, Fla.

### 1917 Secretary, NOEL C. LITTLE 8 College Street, Brunswick

Clifton Bowdoin is serving as master of What Cheer Lodge, No. 21, F. & A. M., in Providence, R. I.

Sidney Dalrymple, still serving in the Navy Medical Corps as a captain of the First Naval District, is medical representative to the Commandant. His home is at 233 Walnut Street, Brookline, Mass.

Capt. Campbell Keene, Navy veteran of the fall of Wake Island and four years in a Japanese prison camp, attended Comencement exercises this June.

Harry Piedra is anxious for any classmates coming to Miami to look him up. His address there is 244 N. E. 28th Street.

Thirty-four attended our 30th and all report "just a good time." Carl Kuebler was our host at his Dingley's Island home. Sherm Shumway invited the gang to fly to Los Angeles next January and several of the class plan to accept.

#### 1918 Secretary, Harlan L. Harrington 74 Weston Avenue Braintree, Mass.

Joseph Clark is living in South Duxbury, Mass.

Arch Dean reports that his eldest son, David, well enter Bowdoin in the fall of 1948.

Stuart DeMott is on the editorial copy desk of the *Detroit Times*. He has a son 10 years old, who Stuart hopes will enter Bowdoin some fall.

Henry Haskell's daughter, Muriel, was married this summer to John Stirling Meyer at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Wellesley Hills, Mass.

Col. Edward Hildreth is back from overseas, and lives at 122 Rigi Avenue, Syracuse, N. Y.

Bob MacMullin, chemical engineer, is a consultant to the chemical industries. Living at 8249 Troy Avenue in Niagara Falls, N. Y., Bob is in the heart of America's, chemical activity, but his advice is sought all over the world. A business trip to Norway is on the calendar for this fall.

Robert Stetson is music supervisor at Falmouth High School and Greeley Institute, as well as organist at the First Parish Church in Brunswick.

Paul Young's son, Paul, J., went to the finals in the high school tournament for the State of Louisiana.

## 1919 Secretary, Donald S. Higgins 70 Royal Road, Bangor

On June 15th, St. Christopher's Mission in Cheyenne, Wy., became St. Christopher's Church, and Bishop Zeigler installed Ray Lang as its first rector. Ray, who has been vicar of the Mission, reports a twelve-month growth which many had believed impossible. He is still pretty much in "the military", adjusting Army school attendance to his growing parish duties.

Hugh Mitchell, vice-president of McCann-Erickson, Inc., with the London office of that agency, was a visitor of his parents, Professor and Mrs. Mitchell, in Brunswick this summer. He has returned to London.

Dr. James Vance of Natick, Mass., has been elected president of Boston University School of Medicine Alumni Association. He is an instructor at Boston University School of Medicine, presently on leave of absence.

#### 1920 Secretary, Stanley M. Gordon 208 West Fifth Avenue Roselle, N. J.

Harvey Doe, who has been associate professor of surgery at Jefferson Medical College for the past three years, is after his American Board Exams. He is clinical assistant in surgery at Jefferson, assistant chief at Philadelphia Surgical Hospital, and examiner for National Boards in surgery.

Allan Hall has a daughter, Betty, who is a freshman at Simmons. His son, Billy finished at the Maine Maritime Academy in June.

Emerson Higgins is with the Veterans' Administration in Houlton.

Lt. Col. Frederic Kileski received the Commendation Ribbon for exceptionally meritorious service during the war.

Harold LeMay is a chaplain in the Navy, and is stationed on the U. S. S. Vulcan.

Dr. Perley Mundie's daughter Eleanor was married to Donald E. O'Neil in Calais on February 28.

Sam Smith hopes to have his son Curtis at Bowdoin in 1948.

Emerson Zeitler was elected president of the Brunswick High School Parent-Teachers Association at its final meeting this season in May.

### 1921 Secretary, Norman W. Haines 27 State Street, Boston, Mass.

Frederick Anderson has returned to 30 West Hubbard Avenue, Columbus, Ohio.

Paul Eames and family visited the Alumni Office in July. He was recently appointed a Director of the Alumni Fund.

Woodford Hone hopes to have a son in Bowdoin in September 1948.

Alexander Standish's new business address is 630 Fifth Avenue, Room 3450, New York City.

Jason Thompson says that he served as legislative agent for the Westport Improvement Association on the Westport-Wiscasset Bridge District Bill at the 93rd session of the Maine Legislature.

## 1922 Secretary, Albert R. Thayer 40 Longfellow Avenue, Brunswick

Frederic Allen's son, Fred John, was born on April 13, and named for his grandfather of the Class of 1890.

Arthur Bartlett's daughter, Constance, was married on April 12 to George W. Loomis at Essex, Conn.

Robert Goff is back in Portland as instructor at Portland Junior College.

Ceba Harmon is with the U. S. Management & Engineering Company, 401 Broadway, New York City 13.

Ted Nixon is secretary of the Teachers Association at Auburndale, Mass.

Rev. Ray Putnam took on a two-fold assignment last fall, as pastor of the First Congregational Church in Boxford, Mass., and as minister to students for Congregational Christian Churches in the Boston area.

Dr. Francis Sleeper was recently re-elected vice-president of the New England Psychiatric Society.

Walter Stearns is with the A. Steigner Company, a retail store in Springfield, Mass.

Widge Thomas covered himself and 1922 with plenty of glory at Commencement. In addition to the acclaim for a record job as Alumni Fund Chairman, Widge received the Alumni Achievement Award with the following citation: "To Widgery Thomas of the Class of 1922, now celebrating its 25th Reunion, one of a long Bowdoin line and himself the father of a Bowdoin son; peerless Chairman of the Alumni Fund who has gone far beyond the call of duty in his service to the College; who has given generously of himself and has cooperated efficiently with the Administration, the Governing Boards and Alumni Council to bring about important action desired by all Bowdoin men; dogged, determined and devoted Bowdoin servant; we, the Alumni of Bowdoin, acknowledge his valued work and accomplishment with this Alumni Achievement Award."

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#### THE ALUMNI OFFICE

202 MASSACHUSETTS HALL BRUNSWICK, MAINE Carroll Towle has been made a full professor of English at the University of New Hampshire.

Norman Webb has been in poor health and unable to work since 1940. He would enjoy hearing from his friends at 2300 Park Avenue, Richmond, Va.

We owe a lot to Rollie Woodbury for his outstanding job on us in the Alumni Fund. He wangled 100 percent participation from 1922 and handed Casey our 25th anniversary gift of over \$9,000.

Our 25th was a memorable affair with 64 members and 20 wives in attendance. Housed in Hyde Hall, we made Pickard Field House our headquarters, held a stag dinner at the Eagle on Thursday and took the gals along to the Class Banquet at Brentwood, the Thomas estate in Yarmouth. Everyone voted it "1922's most successful reunion". To George Partridge and his committee, our applause and thanks.

#### 1923 Secretary, RICHARD SMALL 59 Garland Street, Portland

Geoffrey Mason left the teaching profession to enter personnel work with Newman-Croslet Corporation at Pawtucket, R. I. He hopes to renew many old Bowdoin acquaintances in that area. His daughter, Elizabeth Graham, was married to Raymond D. Brown, Jr., on June 21 in Philadelphia.

We thought we had Scott Stackhouse settled in Binghamton, N. Y., but an unexplained message now seems to indicate that he is suddenly in New Haven, Conn.

Roger Strout is out of the service and is teaching sciences at Marin Junior College in Kentfield, Calif.

George Varney is frequently mentioned as the Republican nominee for Governor of Maine.

## 1924 Secretary, CLARENCE D. ROUILLARD 24 Roxborough Drive Toronto 5, Ontario, Canada

Harold Dunphy reports that he goes back to Island Falls three or four times annually and always sees Ted Pettengill upon those occasions.

Cecil Gowen is a technician at St. Mary's Hospital Laboratory, Orange, N. J.

Jack Johnson is again up and about after a hospital siege.

Robert Kirkpatrick is vice-president and general sales manager of Ditto, Inc., of Chicago, Ill. His address is 655 Elm Street, Winnetka, Ill.

Mal Morrell's son, John, graduated from Exeter in June and will be a member of the Class of 1951 this fall.

Raymond Saunders is headmaster of Pen Ryn All Saints' Episcopal School in Torresdale, Pa. Formerly he was a language teacher at Meadowbrook School, where he had been since 1930.

### 1925 Secretary, William H. Gulliver, Jr. 1 Federal Street, Boston, Mass.

Clayton Adams is in public relations work with a New York City firm. His address is 417 West Price Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Albert and Elizabeth Goodhuc of Marblehead, Mass., have a second child and first daughter, Temple Durham, born on July

Rumor has it that Governor Horace Hildreth will seek the seat which U. S. Senator Wallace White '99 will vacate next year.

Radcliffe Pike is an American Red Cross field director in Korea.

Andrew Swapp's new address is Box 535, Titusville, Fla.

Donald Walton is manager of the New England Tel. & Tel. Company in Fall River, Mass.

### 1926 Secretary, Albert Abrahamson 76 Federal Street, Brunswick

Kenneth Atwood has recently become chemist in charge of industrial formulation with the Glidden Company in Cleveland, Ohio.

Stewart Bigelow, formerly of Teaneck, N. J., is now as 25 Ocean Road, South Portland.

Charles Griffin has moved from North Weymouth, Mass., to 80 Pond Street, Jamaica Plain, Mass.

Clarence Hertz is a construction engineer in Stamford, Conn.

Ralph Keirstead will be holding two jobs when schools re-open this fall. During the school year he will be teaching half-time at Bulkeley High School, Hartford, Conn., and the remainder of his time he will be consultant in science for grades 7 and 8 for the city of Hartford.

Jim Robinson is assistant editor with the North Carolina Department of Agriculture, and publicity director of the State Fair. He is author of a book coming out the first of next year entitled *History of Agriculture in North Carolina*.

The news that Cyril Simmons was discharged from the Navy in April was erroneously placed in the class notes of 1905 in the May issue of the ALUMNUS.

## 1927 Secretary, GEORGE C. CUTTER 645 Woodland Avenue Birmingham, Mich.

Donald Brown has been appointed field manager for Standard Research Consultants, Inc., of New York City. He has been with that company since 1944.

Hodding Carter received an honorary degree from Harvard as well as from Bowdoin at June commencement exercises. Harvard awarded him an honorary Master of Arts.

Briah Connor's daughter Patricia graduated from Northfield in June, and will enter Radcliffe this fall.

Dr. Norman Crane, having survived the Army in Burma, India, and thereabouts, has returned to private practice in Beverly Hills, Calif., with an office at 121 N. San Vincente Boulevard. He is also teaching diagnosis in the Medical School at U.C.L.A.

Harold Hamlin's address is 550 Preble Street, Portland. He writes that he is a "purchasing agent."

George Jackson is with the Central Intelligence Group of the U. S. Government. He lives at 305 Cameron Street, Alexandria, Va.

Dr. Maurice Mack was discharged from the Army in the fall of 1945 after three and a half years in the service. He married the former Ann Lipson of Bristol, Conn., on April 20. They live at 165 Main Street, Bristol.

Emery Merrill is with Patent Button Company of Waterbury, Conn.

Ed Tolman has passed his final exam for his Pli. D. degree at Columbia. He has been doing his graduate work while employed as a member of the technical staff of Bell Telephone Laboratories. In 1941 he was granted a U. S. patent for an invention relating to photo-metric methods and apparatus for measuring light transmitted by a medium to be tested. The war interrupted his work, making it impossible for him to secure working materials, but now he has completed his device.

Forty-five members with a dozen wives and as many children came back to Brunswick for a most enjoyable 20th. Plans were started for our 25th with Ken Cushman as chairman and Sonny Sawyer heading the committee for our 25th reunion gift to Bowdoin. Everyone present contributed to a class letter sent to Quincy Sheh, who is laboring so valiantly for his university in China.

## 1928 Secretary, WILLIAM D. ALEXANDER Middlesex School Concord, Mass.

Frederick Cowan has recently moved East and is now on the staff of Brookhaven National Laboratory, operated by Associated Universities Inc., a group of northeastern universities holding a contract with the Atomic Energy Commission for research and development of the peacetime aspects of nuclear physics. He and Mrs. Cowan are living at Bay Harbor in the town of Bellport, L. I.

Bob Cressey has moved to 649 West Central Street, Franklin, Mass., from West Hartford, Conn.

Nathan I. Greene, Vice-President of the Canal National Bank in Portland, was elected Trustee of the Zeta Psi Fraternity of North America at the centennial convention held at the Waldorf Astoria in New York City on June 27 and 28.

Laurence Morgan has moved from Cambridge, Mass., to 6 Blanchard Road, Braintree, Mass.

Dick Thayer has a second daughter, Joan, born at Salem Hospital on April 4.

#### 1929 Secretary, LeBrec Micoleau c/o General Motors Corporation 1775 Broadway New York City 19, N. Y.

Howard Bodwell is at the Navy Ordnance Test Station, Inyokern, Calif.

Tom Braman has moved to 350 East Bean Street, Washington, Pa.

Kenneth Crowther has been appointed assistant manager of the New York office of the American Insurance Company.

Henry Dowst is with Carr-Consolidated Biscuit Company in the Boston division. His home is at 60 Harvard Street, Natick,

Carlton Guild has left Newport, R. I., and gives his new address as c/o Valley Players, Holyoke, Mass.

George Knox is with Harker & Company, investment brokers, of 210 W. 7th Street, Los Angeles, Calif.



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Gordon Larcom has moved from Dedham, Mass., to 374 Dover Road, Westwood, Mass. John Lincoln's new address is 7 Hillcrest Road, Canton, Mass.

Ham Oakes is associated with the Hospital Service of California at Oakland. Address him at 360 Fourteenth Street. He hopes his son may land at Bowdoin via Andover.

Lee Paul has a law office at 458 S. Spring Street, Los Angeles, Calif.

George Rand is living in Niagara Falls, N. Y., at 968 Vanderbilt Avenue.

Raymond Schlapp has resigned as assistant district attorney for Essex County, Mass., and has been elected a representative to the Massachusetts Legislature for 1947-48.

Bill Snow, along with Mrs. Snow and their five children, visited his parents in Gorham this summer. Bill is attending the Army War College for several months.

Dr. Mayo Soley is professor of internal medicine and assistant dean at the University of California Medical School.

Theron Spring has a new home in Catonsville. Md.

Dana Swan was elected Chairman of the Alumni Fund Directors for 1947-48.

Donald Tripp is working as a C. P. A. in Massachusetts.

A change of address from Augusta to 15 Bonad Road, Winchester, Mass., has been reported by Prescott Vose.

Charles White is claims manager with the Chicago office of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company.

Dr. James White is assistant professor of German at Yale University.

## 1930 Secretary, H. PHILIP CHAPMAN, JR. 508 Cold Spring Avenue West Springfield, Mass.

Stanley Bird was recently appointed assistant attorney general for the State of Maine. His son, Philip, entered Bowdoin in June.

Phil Blodgett was elected president of Oregon Library Association for 1947-1948. Phil and Mrs. Blodgett run a bookmobile service for outer areas of Clatsop County, Oregon. Mrs. Blodgett, driver of the van, delivers more than 50,000 books a year.

Vaughn Clay lives at 365 Stilwell Avenue Kenmore, N. Y. His job is production for Dunlop Tire and Rubber Company of Buffalo.

Donald Congdon has a daughter, Harriet Randall, born on April 16.

Irving Humphrey is president of the P. T. Humphrey Company, Inc., of Tiverton, R. I. He hopes that his oldest son will enter Bowdoin next fall and says that two more boys are coming along in the 50's.

Ben Jenkins has moved to 12 Woodford Road, Barrington, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mallett are parents of twins, born in December.

Carl Moses was recently appointed manager of the Radio-Receiver Sales, Electronics and Merchandise Division of International General Electric Company in Schenectady, N. Y.

Dr. James Parker is still practicing surgery in Portland. His youngest daughter, Elizabeth Lee, is now 10 months old.

Dr. John Riley is co-author of an article in the September 1946 Quarterly Journal of

Studies on Alcohol entitled "The Medical Profession and the Problem of Alcoholism." He has done a good deal of research on alcoholism and has made surveys of great practical value under the New Jersey Commission on Alcoholism.

Ingolf Schander is a ship owner in Gothenburg, Sweden.

Dan Sutherland was released from the Navy a lieutenant commander after 58 months in the Pacific. He will return to W. A. Ramsey, Ltd., in Honolulu, T. H. in September.

Oscar Swanson is the Denver representative of the Liberty Mutual Insurance Company of Boston. Swanny hails from Belmont, Mass. Mrs. Swanson claims Chicago as her home. While admitting that the Maine coast, Bowdoin and some lobsters will always appeal, they both recommend Denver highly — a mile high.

Frederick Ward is a major in the regular Army, stationed at Fort Banks, Winthrop, Mass.

Leon Ziesel came back East last fall and is with the New York City office of Dun & Bradstreet, Inc. His home address is 43 Talmadge Avenue, Chatham, N. J.

#### 1931 Secretary, Rev. Albert E. Jenkins 515 Maulsby Drive Whittier, Calif.

Walter Bowman has been appointed associate professor in English at Flora Stone Mather College of Western Reserve University in Cleveland, Ohio. He was formerly assistant professor of English at Marietta College.

Robert Card is teaching science at Isaac E. Young High School in New Rochelle, N. Y.

Since leaving the Navy in July, 1946, Wesley Cushman has been associate professor of health and physical education at Ohio State University.

Duke Dane is in the advertising department of *Sea* magazine. His home is at 226 Olivera Lane, Sierra Madre, Calif.

John Farr's address is Box 136, Washington Depot, Conn.

Al Fenton has joined the staff of the *Brunswick Record* as assistant editor, replacing Bob Edwards '43. He has been editor of company publications for William Filene's Sons Company of Boston and of Textron, Inc.

Owen Gilman writes that he is manager of Stearns Furniture Company of Farmington.

The class secretary was recently elected counselor of the Phi Beta Kappa Association of Southern California.

Dr. Bill McCarthy is practicing in Oakland, Calif., where he lives at 631 Hillgirt

Carl Parmenter is principal of McFarlin Elementary School in Chelmsford, Mass.

Donald Prince is assistant to the works manager of Dennison Manufacturing Company, Framingham, Mass.

Frank Sigel is busy as the proverbial paperhanger learning to farm in Sabattus.

Effective on May 1, John Snider was appointed manager of the Boston service district, lamp department, of General Electric Company.

1932 Secretary, George T. Sewall c/o Young & Rubicam, Inc. 285 Madison Avenue New York City, N. Y.

Anthony Brackett has resigned as principal of Brunswick High School.

Bill Dunbar will join the staff of Trinity-Pawling School in Pawling, N. Y., this fall.

Dick Durham's new address is 152 Sidney Avenue, West Hartford, Conn.

Edwin Estle lives in Littleton, N. H.

Brooke Fleck is the proud father of Joan, born on March 8.

Creighton Gatchell was elected a member at large of the Alumni Council this spring. At present Gatch is helping the College establish a radio studio on campus.

Rev. Earle Greenlaw is at the U. S. Naval Hospital in Newport, R. I.

Freeland Harlow is associated with Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company, 500 5th Avenue, New York City.

Robert Heller has moved from New York City to Otter Ponds, Westport, Conn.

A third son, Peter John, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins on May 17.

Gordon Kirkpatrick is owner of a variety store in Pittsfield, Mass.

A new address for Warren Lewis puts him at Glen Avenue, Lewellyn Park, West Orange, N. J.

Al Lunt is vice-president of Connecticut Ansonia Electrical Corporation. His home is in Woodbridge, Conn.

T/Sgt. Norwood MacDonald has been in the Army Air Forces Reconnaissance Squadron photo service since April, 1942; his service fields include North Africa and Okinawa. At present he is at Clark Field,

Jit Ricker is coach of the Tufts College baseball team that beat Bowdoin 3-2 on May 17.

Arthur Sperry is working for Sperry Gyroscope Company as engineer on Naval fire control equipment.

A son, David Wyman, was born to the Loring Trulls in March.

Leon Walker has been apointed a director of the Alumni Fund for three years.

Our 15th was "1932's best reunion so far" with 37 members attending. Phil Dana says plans are underway for our 20th.

### 1933 Secretary, John P. Merrill Box 175, Towanda, Pa.

Robert Ahern is manager of opinion and market research with the *Boston Globe*. His address is 54 Orchard Avenue, West Newton, Mass.

John Kelsey can be reached at his home at 67 West Street, Portland.

Roger Lowell is principal of Lubec High School.

David Morris is employed by American Casualty Company as resident engineer. His home is West Newton, Mass.

Bill and Ann Mullen are parents of a daughter, Jane, born last Spring. Bill is associated with radio station WPOR in Portland

Dr. John Schultz has opened an office in Boston for practice of psychiatry. He has

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two boys, 4½ and ½. His home is at 485 Heath Street, Chestnut Hill 67, Mass.

John Trott is living in Salmon Falls on

the Saco River, and is employed in the production department of the Saco-Lowell Shops. He has three daughters and one son.

Herbert Todd Wadsworth, Jr., was born on November 30, 1946.

## 1934 Secretary, REV. GORDON E. GILLETT Cathedral House Garden City, L. I., N. Y.

Jim Bassett is reporting and doing feature articles on the Los Angeles *News*. He had all sorts of experiences in the South Pacific, and was on Admiral Halsey's staff for some time. He and his charming wife have a pleasant home at 500 Sinclair Avenue, Glendale, Calif.

Samuel Brahms is living at 1208 Chestnut Street, Newton Upper Falls, Mass., with his wife and three sons: David Michael, Paul Jonathan, and Thomas Walter, who will enter Bowdoin in the falls of 1955, 1958, and 1963.

Raymond Brown of radio station WEAM, Arlington, Va., has moved to Layton Farm, Fairfax, Va.

Dr. Harold Chandler has opened an office for the practice of medicine at 375 Commonwealth Avenue, Boston, Mass.

Russell Dakin is sales manager at Snow & Wheaton, Inc., Ford dealers, in Evansville, Ind. His home address is 712 B Sunset Avenue, Evansville.

Ward and Margaret Fearnside have announced the birth of a son, Philip Martin. The Fearnsides live at 2551 Dwight Way, Berkeley 4, Calif.

Lawrence Flint's home is on Eliot Street, South Natick, Mass.

Jim Freeman is now assistant professor of English at Boston University.

James Guptill is supervising auditor of the South Atlantic District of the Sherwin-Williams Company in Philadelphia. His address in Philadelphia is 248 Henley Road.

Hudson Hastings has moved from Nevada, Iowa, to 20 Alexander Avenue, White Plains, N. Y.

John Hickox is back in the advertising business in Cleveland, Ohio, with the Belden & Hickox Company. Although he couldn't make Commencement this year, he plans to take in his 15th reunion in 1948.

Gardner Pope received his M.A. from the University of Maine in June.

Raymond Prince is operating a wholesale business in plumbing and heating supplies at 93-105 Parker Street, Bangor.

Arthur Stone has been working for Sylvania Electric Products in Boston for the past year an a half since getting out of the service.

Edward Uehlein reports the birth of William Frederick 2nd, born in Boston on March 14.

Robert Wait is an instructor at Massachusetts State College at Fort Devens.

Carleton Wilder, formerly of Morcney, Ariz., is a Red Cross executive in Reno. Nev.

Blakeslee Wright was married on February 1 to the former Janet E. Brown of Flushing, L. I., N. Y. They are living at 988 Memorial Drive, Cambridge, Mass.

#### 1935 Secretary, PAUL E. SULLIVAN 352 Walnut Avenue Long Beach, Calif.

Robert Breed has moved from Swampscott, Mass., to 411 East Mason Street, Milwaukee, Wis.

Dr. Leon Dickson, full grade medical officer at the Veterans' Hospital of Tuskegee, Ala., is preparing for the American Board of Internal Medicine.

Dr. G. Roger Edwards has been appointed a special fellow at Corinth, Greece, under the auspices of the American School for Classical Studies at Athens.

Dr. Oram Lawry's second daughter, Ida Margaret, was born on May 7, 1946. Oram is still practicing in Rockland.

Henry Lippincott, formerly of Baltimore, Md. is living at 7 Rose Lane, Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia, Pa.

John MacDonald of Sharon, Mass., is editing and publishing the *Yankee Pilot*, a New England magazine of private aviation. He is also bringing up two children.

Frank Todd is an instructor in physics at the University of Maine.

F. Burton Whitman was re-elected treasurer of the Pine Tree Society for Crippled Children, Inc., at the annual meeting in July.

Walter Woodger has rejoined J. P. Morgan & Company, Inc., 23 Wall Street, New York City, after spending three years in Europe as a captain in the Judge Advocate General's Department of the Army.

#### 1936 Secretary, Hubert S. Shaw Admissions Office Massachusetts Hall Brunswick

Francis Benjamin has moved from Portland to Emory University, Atlanta, Ga.

Francis Harold Brown, Jr., arrived on February 22 at Faulkner Hospital, Jamaica Plain, Mass.

Paul Favour is still park ranger at Arcadia National Park in Bar Harbor. He has been doing interesting research work on deer, with special attention to their eating habits.

Harold Fearon and wife are living at 1036 Mariposa Avenue, Berkeley, Calif., where Harold has been doing post-graduate work in physics. This coming year he will teach physics in San Benito County High School and Junior College in Hollister, Calif.

Robert Hagy is on the editorial staff of *Time* magazine at the Chicago office.

The Haverhill, Mass., Sunday Record of April 27 carried a biographical sketch about Lawrence Hall, formerly of Haverhill, who has become a leading educator at the age of 32. Dr. Hall is instructor in the English, History and Government Department at the U. S. Naval Academy.

Paul Laidley has joined Paris and Peart, New York City advertising agency, as an account executive after serving in a similar capacity with McCann-Erickson, Inc., in that agency's Minneapolis office. His business address is 370 Lexington Avenue, New York City.

Owen Melaugh was recently made supervisor of the Financial Statements Depart-

ment of Continental Can Company, Inc. His home address is 9 Stone Avenue, White Plains, N. Y.

Philip Pearson has moved from Norwich, N. Y., to 40 Imperial Avenue, Westport, Conn.

Charles Redding, released a lieutenant commander from the Navy, married the former Idella Lofton, a member of the WAC, on May 7, 1945. They live at 1909 Kernwood Street, North Sacramento, Calif.

Rev. Harry Scholefield, who served as chaplain in Mannheim, Germany, has been discharged from the service and lives at 107 Mt. Pleasant Avenue, East Gloucester, Mass.

The class secretary takes up residence in Brunswick as soon as a domicile can be found. Mail will reach him at the Admissions Office, Massachusetts Hall.

Dr. and Mrs. Roderick Tondreau are announcing the birth of a daughter, Patricia Ann, on July 29 at St. Mary's Hospital, Rochester, Minn.

#### 1937 Secretary, William S. Burton 1425 Guardian Building Cleveland, Ohio

Simeon Aronson was married to Ann Robinson, daughter of Dr. Carl M. Robinson '08 and Mrs. Robinson of Portland, on June 14 at Falmouth Foreside.

New address for Dick Baker is 17 Summer Street, Cohasset, Mass.

Ed Benjamin has recently been appointed Assistant Professor of English at Wesleyan University.

With our record-breaking attendance of 74, 1937's Tenth Reunion was "one for the book". Charlie Brewster's movies of our college days, the old-fashioned clambake at Rock Hill, our victory over 1942 in softball, the golf tournament with 24 competing, were highlights of a grand good time which, Bill Owen says, will only spur us to a still more magnificent 15th in 1952.

Warren Butters reports the birth of a daughter on April 30, making it a boy and a girl for his family now. He is still with the New England Tel & Tel working out of Burlington, Vt., as special representative.

Dr. Francis Cooper, formerly of Brockton, Mass., is at Cooper's Lane, Easthampton, L. I., N. Y.

Bob Cotton's address is 1320 West Smith Avenue, Orlando, Fla.

Lou Creiger, wife and baby, Nancy Lou, are living in Recife, Brazil, where Lou is working for the Sydney Ross Company.

Charles Curtis lives at 189 Hale Street, Beverly, Mass.

Bill Diller reports a daughter, Sally Ann, born on April 20. His address is 3 Outlook Drive, Noroton, Conn.

Charlie Harkins moves about on his F. B. I. job. Recently in Detroit, he now lives in Rochester, N. Y. and works out of the Buffalo office. His present address is 183 Rawlinson Road, Rochester 5, N. Y.

Dan Healy's address is 71 Bay Drive, Bay Ridge, Annapolis, Md.

A change of address for Charles Henderson is 30 Norwich Road, Needham, Mass.

Louis Hudon is to be Assistant Professor of French at Wesleyan this fall.



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Dr. Sargent Jealous has retired from the presidency of the Maine Osteopathic Association.

Bill Lackey's address is 34 Chattam Street, Cambridge, Mass.

Dick McCann has moved to 12 Howland Street, Cambridge, Mass.

Jack and Mary Marshall have a third child, Janet Fiske, born on April 9.

Gary Merrill's new address is 71 East 77th Street, New York City.

Lucy Newton Sharp was born to the Richard Sharps on May 28.

Douglas Springer is living on a farm at Sandy Point, where he expects to go into the dairy business.

Charles Stuart has a new daughter. He has moved from Moundsville, W. Va., to 311 N. 2nd Street, Apollo, Pa.

Dr. Philip Thomas moved from Houlton to Monson.

Dr. Henry Trask is a surgical resident at Doctor's Hospital, New York City.

Stanley Williams, still teaching languages to veterans at Temple University High School, hopes to return to Harvard Graduate School this fall.

Dick Woods is a member of the Ohio Legislature.

1938 Secretary, Andrew H. Cox 50 Federal Street Boston, Mass.

Carl Barron reports that he has opened his new furniture store, the Putnam Furniture Company. His home is at 40 Randolph Street, Belmont, Mass.

David Brown's new address is 2815 Rumson Drive, Harrisburg, Pa.

Hovey Burgess has moved to 560 West Main Street, Rockaway, N. J., but is still working for General Foods Central Labs in Hoboken, N. J.

James Card writes that he has two girls, 5 and 2; he is working as an insurance investigator.

Jerre Carlson is a research chemist with Union Oil Company, and has moved into a new home at 4124 Via Larga Vista, Palos Vendia, Calif.

Robert Clarke is associated with the law firm of Oviatt, Gilman, O'Brien and Forman in Rochester, N. Y. He has moved to 40 Oneta Road, Rochester, N. Y.

Benjamin Cushing is planning to return to Germany shortly.

Carl de Suze has returned after five weeks this spring in France, and reports that France is bouncing back to normal. This is a good time for tourists, he says, and the food is still wonderful and very reasonable to visitors.

John Ellery has a second daughter, Marcia Brooks, born on May 6 in Portland.

John Emery has moved from Dorchester, Mass., to 22 Forest Park, Portland.

Robert Bernard Fox, Jr., was born on June 3.

Bill Fredericks is living in Hollis, N. Y., and is with the American Tel & Tel Company in New York City. A son, Garret Baxter, was born last December.

Bill Frost will be Assistant Professor of English at Wesleyan University this fall.

Robert Gove is working for Carter's Ink Company in Boston. Dr. John Greene of Virginia Beach, Va., hopes to be out of the Navy soon, but isn't certain where he will locate.

John and Laura Halford have announced the birth of Laura Jean on June 15. "Now we have one for Wellesley," they write.

Dr. James Hepburn has opened an office for the practice of general medicine and surgery at 110 Blue Hills Parkway, Milton, Mass.

Scott Marshall, formerly with Sears, Roebuck & Company in Worcester, Mass., is now credit manager at that company's new store in Portland. His home address is 22 Kenilworth Street, Portland.

Edward Najam will join the faculty of Duke University in September as instructor in the Department of Romance Languages. While at Duke he will continue his graduate work. Formerly he was on the faculty of Tabor Academy, Marion, Mass.

John Redman is engaged to Miss Lillian Allison of Langhorne Manor, Pa.

Dr. John Shoukimas is practicing industrial medicine at Calco Chemical Division of the American Cyanamid Company in Bound Brook, N. J. His address is 418 Lincoln Park East, Cranford, N. J.

Stuart Small has been appointed Instructor in Classics at Yale.

Dave Soule has been appointed State Insurance Commissioner, and lives on Winthrop Road, Augusta.

Alan Steeves is librarian at the American Numismatic Museum in New York City.

Harlan Thombs has been employed for the past year by the Veterans' Administration in New York City as administrative supervisor. His address is 484 Warren Street, Brooklyn 17, N. Y.

Wells Wetherell has moved from Kansas City, Mo., to 1014 Church Street, Albion, Neb.

Roy Wiggin will teach at Brown University this fall.

Irving Zamcheck is a shoe salesman in Lynn, Mass. He lives at 17 Kensington Park, Lynn.

1939 Secretary, JOHN H. RICH, JR. Hq. XXIV Corps PRO APO 235 c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

Bill Allen is a sales manager with the General Engineering and Machine Corporation. His address is 3 Westview Terrace, Westwood, Mass.

Marshall Bridge is working for American Overseas Airlines in Frankfort, Germany. He writes that he occasionally comes into contact with Bowdoin men there. Bill Fish '38 is one of the AOA captains flying into Frankfort. Marshall also saw Charlie Denney '37, who is an Army captain "with a traveling uniform style show."

Malcolm Creighton is at the New England Conservatory of Music on Huntington Avenue, Boston, Mass.

Bob Davis has moved from Cambridge. Mass., to 726 Pleasant Street, East Weymouth 89, Mass.

Hobie Ellis is with the physics department at Columbia University.

Dick Foster is living in New Haven, Conn., where he is covering Southern Connecticut for La Touraine Coffee Company

Charles Gibbs, transferred to Aurora. Ohio, from Worcester, Mass., recently bumped into Bob Kasten in Dayton, and had lunch with Bill Broe.

Weldon Haire writes that he and Mrs. Haire are proud parents of a baby daughter, Laurie Jane, born in Lowell, Mass., on December 14.

Dan Hanley is to remain at Bowdoin as Acting College Physician for the coming year.

Henry Howland's new address is 767 Gas & Electric Building, Denver, Colo.

Jim Hunter is completing his first year as a Ford dealer in Deposit, N. Y., near Binghamton.

Pete Irwin is studying the tea business in India, where he has been since January He spent several months in South India, and in June went north, where he was to stay for two months before going back to New York. He is learning the trade from the growing end and has enjoyed it. For the past year he has been connected with his father in the importing firm of Irwin. Harrisons, and Whitney. Pete and his wife have a son, Tony, age 1½ and another child scheduled for this month.

Philip Lambe has moved to 29 Morris Avenue, Manasquan, N. J.

The marriage of Miss Martha Elizabeth Urquhart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Edwin Urquhart of Birmingham, Ala., to Herbert Lord was solemnized at the Church of the Heavenly Rest in New York City on June 14.

John MacCarey recently bought a house at 64 Warwick Road, West Newton, Mass. He is working for the John Hancock Life Insurance Company in the production and control division of the group department. He reports seeing a lot of Jim Zelles '42, Dick Baker '37, Ed Owen '38 and Frank Abbott '39.

Fred McKenney, out of the Navy after four years, has joined the New England Mutual Life Insurance Company of Boston with the large Boston-Hays general agency. He is a member of the Boston Life Underwriters Association.

Oakley Melendy is still with the Army Medical Corps in Germany.

Bob Mullen has been separated from the Navy and is assistant purchasing agent for Harvard University.

The class secretary, who has been a press and radio correspondent in Tokyo for the past year, has been transferred to Seoul, capital of Korea, where he is serving as bureau manager for International News Service. He is continuing his weekly broadcasts on the American Broadcasting Company's network program "News Around the World."

Maynard Sandler is assistant to the controller of Fenwal, Inc., in Ashland, Mass. He lives at 452 Main Street, Haverhill.

Edward Stevens is a lab technician in the Veterans' Hospital at Northport, L. I., N. Y His address is 152 Fourth Avenue, Bay Shore, L. I.

A talk on aviation was given by Col. Philip Tukey of the Maine Aeronautics Commission at a meeting of the Fort Kent Chamber of Commerce recently.

Ernest Weeks has been working as a topographic engineer for the past year and a half. His address is RFD Cornish, Maine.

Harry Williams was awarded his degree from college in June.

1940 Secretary, NEAL W. ALLEN, JR.
49 West Albemarle Avenue
Lansdowne, Pa.

Ernest Andrews has been appointed a member of the English Department at Grinnell College.

James Blunt is a research fellow in orthopedic surgery at Columbia-Presbyterian Medical Center, New York City.

Peter Donovan has moved from Pitts-field, Mass., to R.F.D. Pageant Street, Bennington, Vt.

James Hales' address is 107 Quincy Shore Drive, No. Quincy, Mass. He was married in 1944, demobilized as a lieutenant in 1945, and became the father of a daughter. Susan, on July 11, 1946. He is selling Aetna Life Insurance in the Boston area.

Paul Hermann, who has been studying for a master's degree in public management at the University of Maine, has been named town manager of Bethel, Vt. He assumed his new duties in June.

News of the arrival of Clyde Holmes 3rd, on October 13, 1946, has reached the Alumni Office.

Harry Houston is working at the Greenville branch of the Guilford Trust Company.

Guy and Jeanne Hunt have a son, Guy, 3rd, born last February 28. They live at 51 Dwight Street, Brookline, Mass.

Arthur Loomis started his resident work in pathology at the Pennsylvania Hospital in Philadelphia in July. His address is 100 N. Swarthmore Avenue, Ridley Park, Pa. Jay Pratt is working for E. I. DuPont De Nemours, Inc., in Deepwater, N. J., as production supervisor of dyestuffs and organic chemicals.

Eugene Redmond is with the California Packing Corporation in Yakima, Wash. He recently had a promotion and is now engaged in a combination of wholesale and retail selling work.

Lawrence Spingarn writes that he has found an apartment, which is news enough. His address is  $8754\frac{1}{2}$  Sunset Blvd., Los Angeles, Calif.

Brooks Webster is with the credit division of the Exide Battery Company of 6150 grd Street, San Francisco, Calif. He is married and has a two-year old son.

1941 Secretary, Henry A. Shorey, 3rd 2 Chestnut Street, Boston, Mass.

Jean Auperin is teaching economics at Ohio State University.

John Bamford is manufacturing ceramics in Manhattan Beach, Calif. His address is 325 6th Street.

Hank Bonzagni has been transferred from Waterville to Boston. His address is 70 Freemont Avenue, Chelsea, Mass.

Lt. Col. Preston Brown is at Barksdale Field, La.

Stanley Brown of Los Angeles, Calif., is an exporter for One World Trading Company.

Dick Chittim leaves for England this fall to accept his Rhodes Scholarship at Oxford University.

Ed Cooper writes from Camden, N. J.,

that his daughter, Evelyn Belinda, was born on April 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fox have announced the marriage of their daughter, Barbara Helen, to Rev. James Doubleday, at St. George's Church, New York City, on June 17.

Dave Dickson will be an assistant in the English Department at Harvard this fall.

David Douglas has a third child, June Elizabeth, born on May 14. His address is 11 Blake Road, Weymouth, Mass.

Richmond Edling is a machinery salesman with Pneumatic Scale Packaging Machinery Corporation, Ltd. He lives on First Parish Road, Scituate Center, Mass.

Arthur Hanson may be reached c/o J. W. Craig, First National Bank of Boston, 67 Milk Street, Boston. He will soon have a Rio de Janeiro address.

Dick Harding is engaged to Barbara Anne Delano of Belmont, Mass. Dick was graduated from Harvard Business School in June.

Dr. John Hubbard is at the Brooklyn Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y. The Hubbards are announcing the birth of a daughter, Marsha Ann, on June 28.

Bradford Jealous has moved to 16 Fuller Brook Road, Wellesley, Mass.

Maurice Littlefield will be principal of Buxton High School this fall. Formerly he taught at South Paris.

Bill Mallory has moved to 27 Clinton Avenue, Woodmont, Conn.

Donald Morse is temporarily stationed at Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio. He received his regular Army commission on June 3.



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Bill Owen has finished at Boston University Law School and is living at 109 Oak Street, Bath.

Robert G. Porter's address is Apt. 3, Oak Grove Apartments, Oak Grove, Pulaski Hiway, Baltimore, Md.

Ernest Pottle's new address is 111 Central Avenue, West Caldwell, N. J.

New address for Richard Quint is 107 Trevose Lane, Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Dr. Chandler Stetson is now a fellow in pediatrics at the Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore, Md.

Dr. Gordon Winchell is serving a year's residence in pathology at the Carney Hospital, Boston.

Rev. Walter Young is at Cranbrook School, Bloomfield Hills, Mich.

#### 1942 Secretary, JOHN L. BAXTER, JR. Brunswick

Basil Babcock has moved to Baker Bridge Road, Lincoln, Mass.

Paul Bickford is assistant purchasing agent for Hayes-Bickford's. His address is 2 Atherstone Street, Dorchester, Mass.

Steve Carlson, since the first of the year, has been employed in the chemistry department at Cinecolor Corporation at Burbank, Calif.

Robert Davidson has a son, Thomas Chester, born last January 9 in New York City. Bob is at the Long Island Agricultural and Technological Institute in Farmingdale, N. Y.

Dick Gardner received his master's degree from the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy in June and plans to return for work toward his doctor's degree this fall. He is summering on Cape Cod.

Capt. Frederick Hall is still with the Office of the Military Attache in London. Recently he toured Germany by air and road with Ambassador Douglas.

Robert Hewes has moved from Fort Worth, Texas, to 48 North Avenue, Beacon, N. Y.

Robert Johnson is practicing dentistry in Keene, N. H.

Edward Kerbs has resigned as captain with the United Airlines on the New York to Chicago run and is now captain with California Eastern Airways on the same route. He carries freight from New York City to San Francisco and Los Angeles. His home address is 21 Lewis Drive, Maplewood, N. J.

George Laubenstein has moved from Milton, Mass., to 210 Waterman Street, Providence, R. I.

Capt. Dick Merrill has moved from Norwood, Mass., to 41 Lincoln Street, Meriden,

Francis Murdy is teaching social studies and history at Montclair Academy, Montclair, N. J.

Donald Peterkin, who has been in California for the past year with National Distillers Corporation, is working in New York City with the same concern.

John Shepard is a boat manufacturer in Painesville, Ohio.

Rufus Stetson was awarded his degree from college at Commencement.

John Stowe is studying for his M.A. at Boston University. He lives at 25 Beckford Street, Salem, Mass.

James Waite has moved from Binghamton, N. Y., to South San Francisco, Calif.

Robert Watt's address is 13 Surrey Road, New Hyde Park, N. Y.

John Williams has sent his new address as 338 No. Main Street, Natick, Mass.

Bob Woodworth has moved to West Street, Lenox, Mass.

Forty members of the class were in Brunswick for our 5th reunion. Plans were discussed for the 10th but no committee appointed.

#### 1943 Secretary, JOHN F. JAQUES 273 State Street, Portland

Frank Alger has transferred to the Portland office of Alger Brothers Company.

Bill Beckler's new address is 28 Sherman Street, Everett, Mass.

Roger Bragdon has moved from White Plains, N. Y., to 28 Berkeley Street, Reading, Mass.

David Brandenburg's new address is 5 West 95th Street, New York City.

Rev. Al Burns has moved from Lawrence, Mass., to 490 Summit Street, Bridgeport 6,

Win Carr is out of the Navy and living at 5 Fenimore Road, Worcester, Mass. He is working in a bank there.

Dr. Charles Colburn has moved from Cambridge, Mass., to 66 Church Street, Wellesley, Mass.

John Dickinson received his M.A. from the University of Maine in June.

Jim Dolan is advertising sales representative for McGraw-Hill International Corporation, covering Michigan, Ohio and Indiana, including Buffalo, Pittsburgh and Louisville, Ky. His office is in Detroit at 2980 Penobscot Building.

Harold Dondis is with Burns, Blake and Rich, 10 Post Office Square, Boston, Mass.

Bob Edwards has terminated his service with the Brunswick Record to explore the journalistic opportunities of the great Northwest. Until he lights somewhere, mail will be forwarded from 8 Devon Terrace, Newton Center, Mass.

Dick Goode's address is 59 Brook Street, Brookline, Mass. He reports seeing Bob Burnham and Norman Cook at Luthene Kimball's wedding. Dick is still in the Coast

John Hickey reports a change of address from Naperville, Ill., to 58 Old Mystic Street, Arlington, Mass.

Richard Hooke is taking a merchandising training course at the Emporium, a large department store in San Francisco, Calif.

Curtis Jones is vice consul and third secretary of legation at Beirut, Lebanon, where he is serving as assistant commercial attaché. He was married in 1943 to the former Elizabeth Swann of Adams, Mass., and they have a son, Curtis Thompson, born in Beirut on October 30, 1946.

Howard Jones plans to be married to Miss Harriet Gallup of Rochester, N. Y., late this summer. Both of them have been doing graduate work in chemistry at the University of Iowa.

The wedding of Miss Jane Robertson and Luthene Kimball took place on May 17 at the Church of Our Saviour, Brookline, Mass. They are making their home in Brookline.

Walter Lacey's address has changed from Weston, Mass., to Honey Lane, Brookhaven, L. I., N. Y,. where he is working for Brookhaven National Laboratory.

John Murphy's new address is 104 Parsons Street, Brighton, Mass.

Dr. Leonard Millican is practicing dentistry in Waltham, Mass. His address is 740 Main Street.

Dr. Robert W. Paine, U. S. Health Service, is with the National Institute of Health, Bethesda, Maryland, doing research in Gerontology, the unit of which is at the Baltimore City Hospitals, Baltimore, Md.

The class is sorry to hear of the death of Roland Paquette's mother on January 30. Roland is physical lab director with Esmond Mills, Inc., where he works on combinations of photography and electronics.

Marshall Picken reports another son, Kent Huntington.

The wedding of Orrin Pillsbury and Wanda Garmon Pye was solemnized at South Braintree, Mass., on May 6. They are living at 13 A Oregon Court, Hingham,

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Pratt are announcing the birth of Benjamin, Jr., on

Bob Shipman, who was graduated from college in June, is entering the School of Journalism at Columbia University this fall.

Edward Simonds is with the McBee Company of Portland.

Don Stearns was married on July 26 to Shirley Evarts Miller of Scarsdale, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lawson announce the marriage of their daughter, Kathleen, to Arthur Sullivan on June 14 at the Church of St. Anselm, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Eliot Tozer, formerly of Corpus Christi, Texas, is now a student at Columbia.

Harry Twomey has moved to 1810 Commonwealth Avenue, Brighton, Mass.

Sewall Webster is a junior engineer with the Central Maine Power Company. He lives on Riverside Drive, Augusta.

John and Nancy Wentworth are parents of twin sons, Mark Allen and Stephen Trefethen, born on February 11. John is training for the casualty insurance business at Travelers Insurance Company in Hartford, Conn.

Frederic Wilson has moved from Bronxville, N. Y., to 5 Whitehall Road, Tuckahoe,

The following classmates received their degrees at June Commencement exercises: Andrew Anderson, Reginald Barrows, Bob Burnham, Bob Shipman, and Sylvester Whiton.

#### 1944 Secretary, J. Edward Ellis 7422 Boyer Street Mt. Airy, Philadelphia, Pa.

Robert Brown was awarded his Ph.D. at Princeton University in June. He received his Master's degree from Princeton in 1945 and was given a DuPont fellowship. He plans to go into industrial work.

Sandy Burpee has been doing graduate work in engineering at Harvard this year.

Bud Callman, who is with the Armstrong Cork Company at their glass and closure division, says he enjoys the work immensely. His address is Armstrong Manor, R. F. D. 3, Lancaster, Pa.



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Bob Colton has been awarded a graduate residence scholarship for the study of Greek and Latin at Columbia University. This summer he has been teaching at Wassookeag Camp School in Dexter.

Tom Cooper is associated with Getz Brothers and Company, exporters, of San Francisco. His son, Thomas B., was born on December 6.

Bill Craigie reports that he is working with the American Pulp and Paper Mill Superintendents' Association at 220 East 42nd Street, New York City.

Stew Crosley has taken up quarters in the Mid-West. He and Freda and are living at 195 West Eleventh Avenue, Columbus, Ohio.

John Devine is studying voice with Dr. Max Cushing '09 in New York City. John's address there is the Hotel Mansfield, 12 West 44th Street.

Walt Donahue reports the birth of Walt 3rd last January 11. Walt is in the cotton business and makes his home at 29 Harrison Street, Taunton, Mass.



NORM DUGGAN'S "SCOOTER"

Mrs. Eastman, Kim's mother, recently contributed two of Kim's war bonds to the 1941 Class Fund. She has been on the regular mailing list since Kim's death, and has maintained an active interest in class news.

Class secretary Eb Ellis, new secretary-treasurer of the Philadelphia Alumni Association, has been promoted to the sales engineering department of Nice Ball Bearing Company.

Since graduating from New York University Medical School a year ago, Bob Glinick has been interning at Meadowbrook Hospital in Hempstead, N. Y. The Glinicks live in East Setauket, L. I., but Bob expects to be called to active Army duty in the near future.

Balfour Golden is currently in Patchogue, L. I., N. Y., with the Brookhaven Atomic



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cession for the large group of workers there. Herb Griffith is in New York studying law at Columbia.

David Howell is at Rhode Island Hospital in Providence.

Jim Higgins was married on June 7 to Nancy Knowles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert P. Knowles of Worcester, Mass. Jim and Nancy are living at 10 Sherman Avenue, Summit, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Johnstone have announced the birth of a son, Robert W.

Alfred Lee is a salesman for the Boston distributors of Columbia Records.

George Morrison is preaching in Congregational churches in Waldo County this summer. He will return to Princeton Seminary this fall.

Dick Morse has found the Beta House again, — this time at the University of Syracuse. He is studying journalism preparatory to entering graduate school. His address there is Beta Theta Pi House, 711 Comstock Avenue, Syracuse, N. Y.

George Muller got his M.S. in math at Yale in June. He is in England this summer visiting his parents, but expects to return to this country in the fall.

John Nissen has moved from Portland to go Elm Street, Worcester, Mass.

Hyman Osher has changed his name to Harold. He was graduated from Boston University School of Medicine in May. He is interning at Boston City Hospital.

Dick Rhodes received his M.S. degree in physics at Yale in June.

Eddie and Charlotte Richards have announced the arrival of a daughter, Linda Lee, on February 17. Eddie is in Augusta with the Insurance Company of North America.

Carroll Ross is still at the Dental School of the University of Pennsylvania. He will be married to Marion McCurdy of Lubec on August 26.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of David Rounseville and Irene Marcella Reitnauer on July 6 in New York City.

John Rubino is in his second year at Parks College of Aeronautical Technology at St. Louis University, with a year and a half to go. Despite a busy schedule, he says he likes it very much.

George Sagar, completing his internship at Peter Bent Brigham Hospital in Boston, was married in June to the former Kathleen O'Beirne of New York City.

Bob and Ellen Schnabel are living at 919 Eckart Street, Fort Wayne, Ind., where Bob is teaching one of the elementary grades in the Lutheran School.

Since last October Phil Slayton has been working with Monsanto Chemical Company in its Merrimac Division in Everett, Mass. His address in Everett is 32 Webster Street.

Robert Sperry is working in a shipyard at East Boothbay. His work is on all types of wood-constructed boats.

Crawford Thayer, head of the Department of English at the Junior College of Commerce in New Haven, Conn., recently passed his general oral exam for the Ph.D. degree at Yale, where he is teaching a freshman course in Shakespeare.

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Hubert Townsend writes that he is returning to the States from Manila, P. I. and will start at Boston University Law School in September.

Knowlton Trust received his Ph.D. in chemistry at commencement exercises at Yale in June.

Bob Waterman is raising apples at Douglas Hill, near Yarmouth.

Ross Williams has been studying physics in graduate school at Columbia.

The following members of the class received their degrees at Commencement exercises in June: Julian Ansell, Gregg Brewer, George Brown, Coit Butler, Douglas Carmichael, Allan Keniston, Bob Livingston, Alec Penny, Donald Ryan, John Ryan, Ralph Strachen, Stan Whiting, Gilbert Wilkinson, and Leigh Clark.

1945 Secretary, THOMAS R. HULEATT, JR. 273 Middle Street Braintree, Mass.

Raymond Boucher was married on July 12 to the former Phyllis Virginia Rutan of Plainfield, N. J. Mrs. Boucher is a member of the faculty at Indiana University. where Ray received his master's degree in chemistry in June.

Rev. and Mrs. J. William Graham have announced the marriage of their daughter, Jean Elizabeth, to Edwin S. Briggs on June 21 at Newburyport, Mass.

Dick Britton received his M.D. from Yale at commencement exercises there.

Dean Cushing has been appointed fulltime secretary of the Brunswick Chamber of Commerce. In February he was married to the former Annette Fossett of Cumberland, Md.

Larry Demarest was married on July 14 to the former Elinor Coolidge Weed at Coral Gables, Fla.

Lloyd Knight was one of eight finalists in the annual Atwater Kent Radio Contest in Hollywood, Calif., in May. A total of 700 singers originally entered the contest.

Frederick Koallick is working with the foreign division of the First National Bank of Boston in Boston.

Donald MacLean is a representative for Equitable Life Assurance Society with an office in Boston. He is living on Sudbury Road, Concord.

Philip Philbin received his M. D. degree at Yale in June.

Wallace Philoon is a graduate student at M. I. T.

Ronald Sawyer is studying at Tufts College and lives at 27 Church Street, Winchester, Mass.

Frederick Spear is engaged to Phyllis H. Warburton of Cambridge, Mass.

Lewis True is enrolled at Boston University Law School.

Bob Vance has joined the staff of the Brunswick Record as reporter and photographer to replace Herb Babcock, who has entered the insurance business in Chicago.

Philip Wilder was married on June 21 to the former Barbara Flnker of Waban, Mass., at the Union Church, Waban. Ushers at the wedding included John Grant and Wallace Philoon. The Wilders are living at 9 Longfellow Avenue, Brunswick.

The following members of the class received their degrees in June: Andersen,

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1946 Secretary, MALCOLM CHAMBERLAIN
Barracks Dormitory
M. I. T., Cambridge, Mass.

Leonard Brass is living at the Ambassador Hotel, 37 Casco Street, Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Little have announced the marriage of their daughter, Shirley, to Laureston Dobbrow on June 6, at the Presbyterian Church in Westfield, N. J.

Philip Gilley is a sophomore at Northwestern Dental School, Chicago, Ill.

Eric Hirshler's address is 2811 Hall of Graduate Studies, Yale University, New Haven, Conn.

Ens. Proctor Jones in on sea duty flying Corsairs, but at the time he wrote he expected orders for ferry duty. Recently he returned from Trinidad maneuvers in the Caribbean.

Lt. Tom Jones gives his address as EUC OM Historical Division, APO 757, c/o Postmaster, New York.

fan MacInnes and Elizabeth Janney Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanton G. Smith of Brunswick, were married in the College Chapel on August 16. The bride is a graduate of Smith College.

Alan Michelson, now a student at Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia, is engaged to Miss Marcia Ruth Cohen of Swampscott, Mass. Miss Cohen is studying at Syracuse University.

Bill Moody is home for the summer in Cape Elizabeth, but plans to continue his studies at Harvard Business School in the fall.

Kendall Niven plans to study at the London School of Economics and Political Science starting in October.

Anson Olds was graduated from the U. S. Naval Academy in June and is stationed at Norfolk, Va., on an aircraft carrier. His engagement has been announced to Miss Dorothy Sherman of Rockland. The wedding will take place the next time Anson is able to get a few days leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Gott of Arlington, Mass., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie Lois, to Clayton Reed.

Ambrose Saindon has been doing graduate work in French at Middlebury this summer. He has been appointed instructor in French at the University of Vermont this fall, where Malcolm Daggett '29 is head of the Department.

Tom Sawyer is a junior at Western Reserve Medical School, Cleveland, Ohio.

erve Medical School, Cleveland, Ohio.

Lawrence Small's address is Millbridge.

Robert True was married on June 14 to the former Marilyn Elizabeth Bruce, at the First Methodist Church in Melrose, Mass.

Stan Weinstein is author of an article entitled "Cultural Exchanges Between Greece and the United States" in the June issue of the Near East Colleges Quarterly.

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BATH - BRUNSWICK and BOOTHBAY REGION Carlton Wing, now a junior in engineering at the University of Maine, is engaged to Vivian Lebel of Brunswick.

The following members of the class were graduated from college in June: Adams, Berry, Bird, Bourgeois, Brockington, Catler, Clark, Cole, Crain, Davis, Densmore, Fisher, Geisler, Griffin, Happ, Harvey, Hawkes, Hill, Howarth, Kingsbury, Littlehale, Lukens, Meakin, Niven, Pendexter, Robinson, Schuhman, Thurston, Towle.

1947 Secretary, Kenneth M. Schubert Sigma Nu House, Brunswick

Irving Backman writes that he is attending Northeastern University evenings in preparation for law school this fall.

The engagement of Byron Keene and Frances Anne Snow of Rockland has been announced.

Robert Miller will join the faculty of the Berkshire School, Sheffield, Mass., this fall. Ben and Anne Nevitt are living at 719 Kennedy Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Richenberg have announced the birth of a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Partridge of Brunswick have announced the engagement of their daughter, Rachel, to Colby Ward. Colby is employed by P. W. Brooks, Inc., New York City.

Joe Woods was winner of the Franklin D. Roosevelt Cup for the undergraduate contributing most toward making Bowdoin a better college.

The following class members received their degrees in June: Archibald, Bryaut, Caldwell, Clark, Eaton, Gorton, Lifshitz, Lyons, McGlauflin, Morrell, Nicholas, Robinson, Sherbo, Smith, Sprague, Sudbay, Toscani, Ward, Zedren, B. Beaumets, R. Beaumets, Scruggs.

#### MEDICAL SCHOOL

1895 Dr. Wallace Webber and his son, Dr. Wedgewood Webber, were recently featured in the *Portland Press Herald* Father-and-Son Series. Dr. Webber has practiced medicine at Lewiston for 52 years and specializes in surgery at the Central Maine Hospital there.

#### HONORARY

1942 Dr. Wallace W. Anderson received the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity at Amherst on the occasion the 25th reunion of his Amherst class in June.

1944 Sumner Sewall plans to return from Germany late this summer or early this fall.

#### FACULTY

Professor Herbert Ross Brown, while teaching English at the University of Minnesota this summer, flew to New York City in July to be chief speaker at the centennial celebration of the founding of Zeta Psi fraternity.

Dr. Walter M. Clark, instructor in psychology, has resigned to accept an appointment as Associate Professor of Psychology

and Education at Middlebury College. He has been a member of the Bowdoin faculty for two years.

A. Cheever Cressy, formerly a member of the department of English and history at M. I. T., was appointed Instructor in Government and started his duties at the start of the second summer term.

Mrs. Clara D. Hayes, College Secretary, has been granted a summer leave of absence while recovering from a serious illness.

The College has granted a year's extension of Dr. Henry Johnson's leave of absence. He has reopened his medical practice in Brunswick; Dr. Daniel F. Hanley '39 will continue as Acting College Physician.

Charles R. Nicholls, instructor in music, has resigned to become head of the music department at Bradford Junior College.

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President Kenneth C. M. Sills received his tenth honorary Doctor of Laws degree at the Commencement exercises of Tufts College in June. Accompanying the award, the following citation was read: "Senior on the roll of New England college presidents, your wisdom and experience inspire your students, your faculty, and educators everywhere as they watch the sure growth that you are nurturing in Maine's oldest and most famous college." President Sills also spoke at Tufts Commencement exercises.

Louis Weiner of Malden, Mass., formerly teacher at the Bentley School of Accounting and Finance and associated with the Bureau of Labor Statistics, has been appointed Assistant Professor of Economics. He will begin teaching at the start of the fall term.

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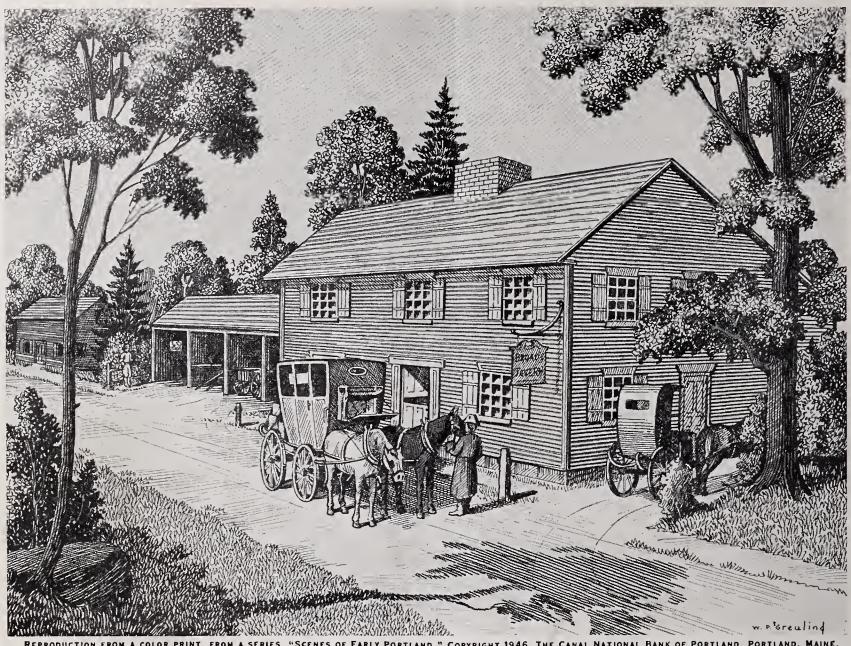


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## Early Transportation

Facilities for travel between Falmouth (Portland) and Boston were almost totally lacking in the eighteenth century. Even after a regular passenger coach service was established between Portsmouth and Boston, there were only two methods of reaching Portsmouth from Portland.

One was to embark on one of the coastal sloops which touched alongshore at most of the little settlements on the way; the other was a three-day journey on horseback along the winding coastline (there were no passable trails except along the shore).

Either way was fraught with discomfort and sometimes even danger. By sea, arriving at the destination was dependent upon wind and fair sailing weather — storms were a constant menace, living conditions aboard the little sloops were crude by even the standards of the day. By land there was the discomfort of many fords, in some instances waiting for tides to fall before tidal rivers could be forded; the sometimes deeply muddy roads, and always the danger of attack by Indians.

Mr. Joseph Barnard of Portland started the first passenger-carrying stage coach between Portland and Portsmouth in 1787. It was a two-horse affair, probably very uncomfortable to ride in.

Barnard left Portland every Saturday morning, arriving in Portsmouth on the following Tuesday, where he met the Boston stage. His advertisement read:

"Those Ladies and Gentlemen who choose this expeditious cheap and commodius way of stage travelling will please leave their names with Mr. Motley, any time previous to the stage's leaving his house. Price for one person's passage the whole distance, twenty shillings, baggage two pence for every pound above fourteen. Portland, Jan. 26, 1787."

Returning from Portsmouth Barnard left on Tuesday and came as far as Kennebunk, where he remained overnight; the second day he reached Broad's Tavern in Westbrook where he again spent the night; and the morning of the third day he arrived back in Portland with flying colors.

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