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In the past 75 years it has become a major endeavor.

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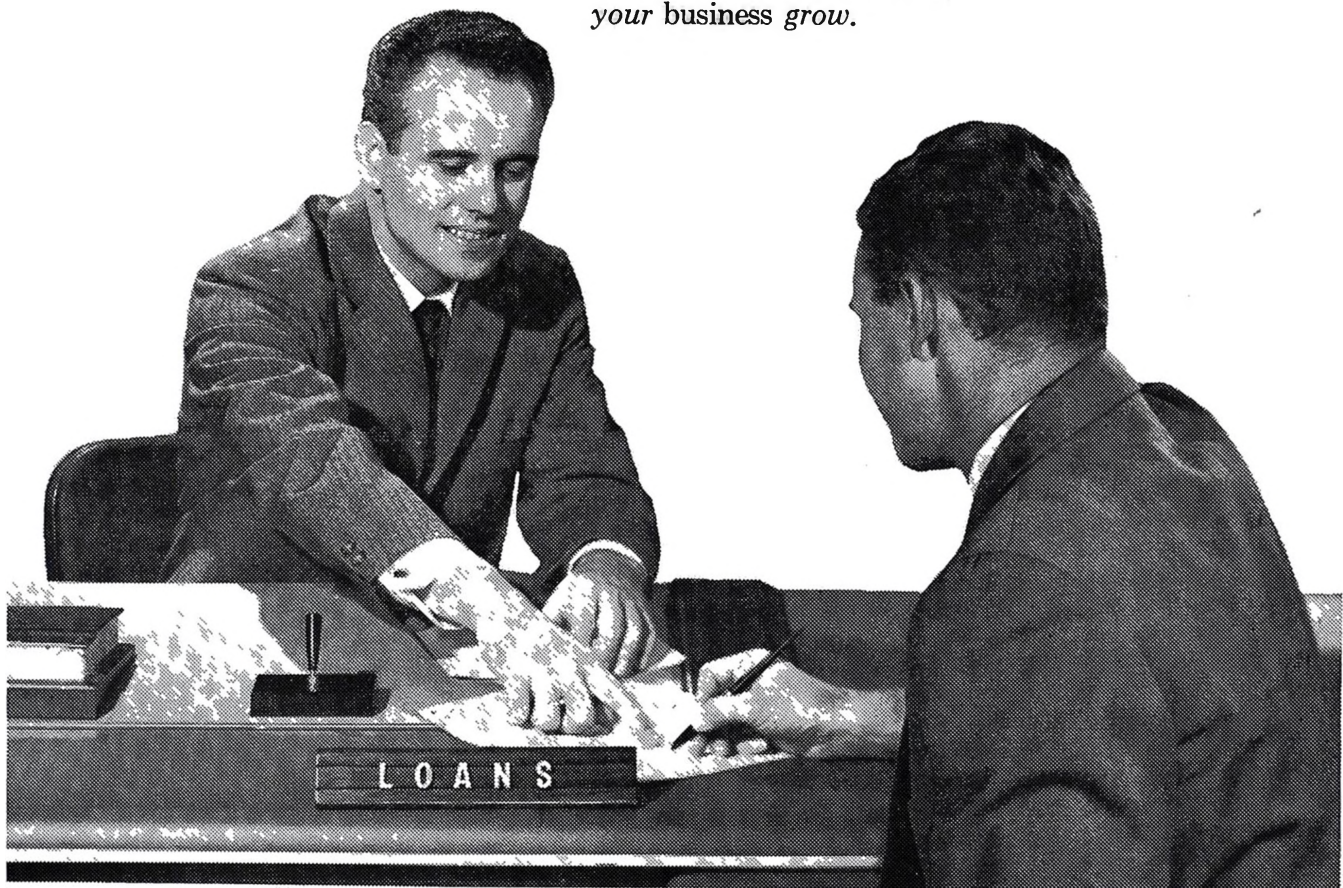


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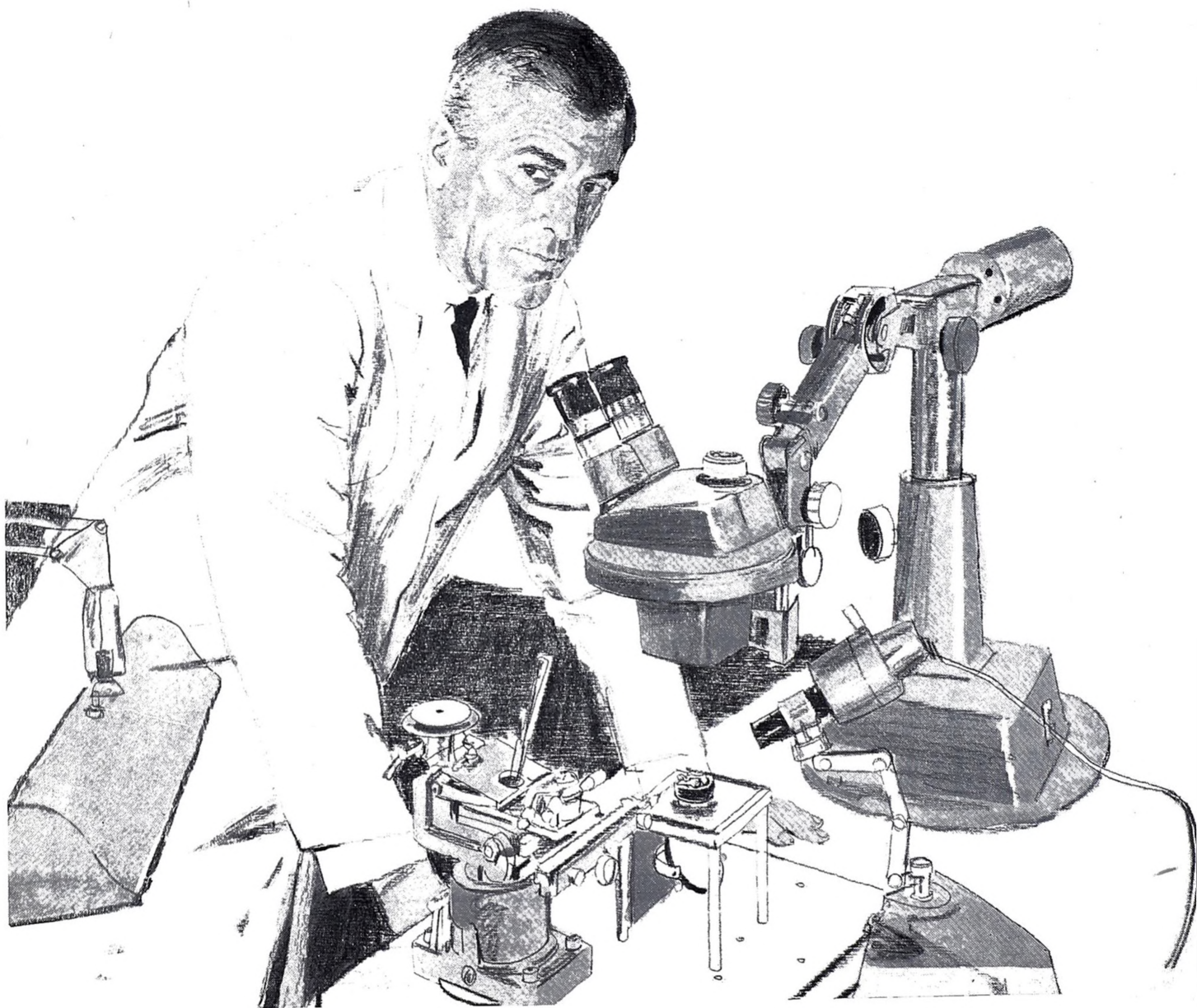
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THE COVER: *Standing on the mall in front of the Memorial Gymnasium, a new symbol of Maine shows his fierce countenance to any who would dare invade the campus. Chatting under his shadow are students Bill Ahrens '65 and Elaine Kelley '64. More on the Class of 1962 gift may be found on Page 14. Photography by Daniel M. Maher.*

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FINANCIAL SUPPORT of the University, the support of its research and teaching, its maintenance and growth, cannot silently be ignored. Yet, as is true of other publicly "assisted" land-grant institutions, there is much ignorance about our finances.

Recently a report was received concerning 85 of the public colleges and universities. Ours was among them. All receive backing from their students, their respective state governments and from private sources and the federal government. The ignorance surrounds the proportion of assistance from each source, and the facts surprise those of us who study these proportions.

State governments only "assist"; they do not, generally, support the majority of costs—at least in Maine. Our students pay the third highest tuition of the nation's state universities. Their payments amount to a total between two and three millions of dollars each year. We are thus more than halfway in the same position as wholly private colleges.

Private giving to our University has been excellent. Maine's alumni who take part in financial assistance are numerous. For instance, of the 85 institutions reported by the American Alumni Council in ANNUAL GIVING AND ALUMNI SUPPORT / 1960-61, the average participation is only 15.1 per cent of the total of all alumni, but Maine's percentage was 31 per cent—in spite of what we may believe about yankee thrift and living on low expenses rather than high income in Maine. Some among those who give did not even conclude their education at Maine, but received their degrees elsewhere. So, our participation is good. We all want Maine, apparently, to have more good things.

The difference, therefore, is surprising, that in the size of average gift to the annual fund compared to others, ours is smaller. According to the report mentioned above, in all the 85 schools, the gift averaged \$23.42. Ours for the same period was \$5.66. The following year—1961-62—our average rose to \$8.45, yet it still did not approach the figure for most institutions, even in neighboring New England states. Our posture is that we come out on the long end with loyal people but somewhat on the short end for money. Need we be so different?

Alumni giving, especially annual giving, is often looked upon as "seed" money. It increases the assistance from other sources by its silent fertility. It is there—not in millions, but a part of the total picture that indicates our alumni care enough to send their dollars. This expression of faith may impress corporations and governments and prompt them to help us do more for our young people.

Generous alumni, and some who have extra capability, do affect the average gift by their large contributions, as in a capital campaign. Yet they cannot do all.

Whose dollar actually will put this year's fund over the top?

Will it be yours?

RE

By Michael B. McMahon

RESEARCH AT THE University of Maine has grown from a \$5,000 a year effort three-quarters of a century ago to a multi-faceted range of scientific inquiry that is beginning to be measured in the millions.

It started out to solve agricultural problems and to a great extent that is still the principal research activity. But it is branching out, exploring in an organized way the world around us.

There are 130 research projects being conducted in 13 departments of the College of Agriculture. This body of work, listed under the Agricultural Experiment Station, involves a staff of 104 persons. Subtracting time spent on teaching, this figures out to the equivalent of 74 full time researchers.

A great deal of work is being done in testing vaccines to control disease in chickens.

Experiments are being conducted on a mechanical harvester for the blueberry industry.

Aroostook County farmers are depending on the Agricultural Experiment Station to tell them if it would pay them to grow sugar beets.

New methods of storing potatoes are being tested in a building at Presque Isle, tests involving temperature, humidity and ventilation controls.

The departments of home economics and biochemistry are putting radioisotopes into fatty acids and proteins and feeding them to rats. By following the course of the radioisotopes the scientists hope to see how cholesterol is deposited and how hardening of the arteries occurs in humans.

In the department of physics, Assistant Prof. Edward F. Carr has an Air Force grant to study nuclear resonance and Prof. George C. Krueger, whose major interest is in optics, has concluded a grant from the National Science Foundation.

Prof. Krueger, Prof. Harry Thomas and Dr. Clarence Bennett, head of the department, are working as a team on a magnetic loop study with funds from the Signal Corps. They are investigating micro pulsations in the earth's magnetic field by means of a 70-mile loop of wire laid on the ground in the northern part of Baxter State Park.

In the same department, Assistant Prof. Douglas Wylie is study-

ing certain aspects of solid state physics; Assistant Prof. Gerald S. Harmon is working on plasma physics; and Prof. Jonathan Biscoe is studying molecular structure through X-ray analysis.

In the chemistry department, Dr. Gerry Braunstein is doing Atomic Energy Commission-sponsored research on the thermodynamics of salt solutions.

Dr. George Pettit is working in the field of chemotherapy. He is especially interested in the treatment of cancers by chemical compounds and his work is sponsored by the National Institute of Health, the National Science Foundation and the American Cancer Society.

In the department of electrical engineering, Dr. Ralph Armington has a grant from the National Science Foundation to study an artificial heart.

TAPPI, the pulp and paper industry's technical association, is sponsoring research in the chemical engineering department on characteristics of pulp stock flow; a study being conducted by Dr. Richard Durst. A study of paper coatings is being conducted by Dr. Robert Chase.

Also in chemical engineering, an investigation of pulp mill wastes, sponsored by the National Council for Stream Improvement, is being conducted by Dr. Stefan A. Zieminski.

This list is not intended to be complete. They are examples of the kinds of research being done at the University. There are other projects; in fact, virtually every faculty member has some area of research in which he is interested.

Industrial sponsors include nearly every major paper company in the state, farm organizations, poultry and potato groups, the sardine industry, chemical companies and the government.

The federal government plays a large part in research at the University. The Agriculture Experiment Station had a budget of more than \$1 million in 1960-61. Including grants, the federal government, mainly the U. S. Department of Agriculture, contributed over 40 per cent. The state's share was 34.6 per cent.

Until recent years there was no research money from the state or federal governments other than for use by the Agricultural Experiment Station. Now, federal grants come through engineer-

SEARCH:

From a modest start three-quarters of a century ago, it has become a major endeavor at the University

ing, arts and science, agriculture, chemistry or any combination of disciplines.

The stakes are high. The National Science Foundation, National Institute of Health and the National Aeronautics and Space Administration will spend \$1 billion this year on research. Not more than \$250,000 will be spent at the University of Maine—a minuscule one-fortieth of one per cent.

It is evident that the University of Maine cannot match the "think tank" contributions to science being made by such prestige institutions as Stanford, Harvard and M.I.T. But the University is now actively seeking to enlarge its role.

President Lloyd H. Elliott says, "The federal government is going to spend through the agencies, NSF, NIH and NASA, that call on a university's total scientific and technical manpower. NASA, for example, is interested in rockets of course, but it is also interested in nutrition and other studies that would influence a man's ability to survive in space.

"Therefore, when they come to a university, they want to have biology, mathematics, bacteriology and as many disciplines as possible involved in solving the problem.

"The point is that a university that is interested in this must organize itself so as to present its strongest teamwork and manpower."

"There is no sure way to mark out a path and guarantee success," Dr. Elliott said, "but there are proven methods."

One way is to increase the amount of graduate study. As Dr. Franklin P. Eggert, dean of graduate study, put it, "It is safe to say that the higher the graduate enrollment, the greater is the research activity."

The University now has four Ph.D. programs: in chemistry, history and government, animal nutrition and psychology. Others will be added as time, money and talent are available.

Growth of the graduate program in the sciences has been gradual, rising from 36 degrees in 1947 to 63 in 1962. It lags far behind master of education graduate work, which spurted from 25 to 147 in the same period.

There are 175 graduate students at the University, 111 of whom are involved in scientific research.

Dean Eggert said, "What should be done is what we are attempting to do: stimulate greater research in graduate study with an improvement in quality of instruction, which is always possible anywhere."

"Adequate equipment and better staff. These two prime needs go together," he said.

"There is very definitely progress under way at the University of Maine. The prime responsibility of the University will still be undergraduate instruction, but we expect staff members to develop as sources of knowledge and the way they can do this is through their own continuing research.

"A shortcoming is that while the desire is unquestionably here, the funds are not. But to the credit of many of the staff members they're doing research although they may not have everything they need."

"We have capable people," Eggert said, "but they have not developed a research reputation. Build the reputation and the benefit of grants will accrue."

Dr. Clarence Bennett, head of the department of physics, said, "We have developed primarily an undergraduate curriculum and have a national reputation for turning out good students. Our aim was to have a stronger undergraduate program and we were successful.

"Now the emphasis is changing," he said, "and we are striving to rebuild the department—attempting to change from a purely undergraduate teaching department to one we hope which will be capable of granting a Ph.D. in the foreseeable future."

Dr. Thomas Curry, dean of the College of Technology, said, "We are making progress. Three Ph.D.'s have now joined the mechanical engineering department, for example, where there were none before. As a result we are getting a greater number of graduate students going into graduate engineering."

Dr. John W. Beamesderfer, head of the department of chemistry, said, "We have been growing in the past 10 or 12 years at a

Total research and academic efforts go hand in hand

pretty good rate and we think we will continue. As the enrollment increases we will have to add staff members. Each one will have his own area of interest and this will increase research in depth and breadth."

"One of the real problems we face," he said, "is to obtain sufficient funds for the high-priced equipment we need to do really adequate research." As an example he cited a nuclear magnetic resonance spectrometer which arrived in November. Its \$27,000 cost was paid principally by the National Science Foundation.

There are signs that research at the University of Maine will pick up as a result of the general uplift in scientific inquiry at a national level.

According to Dr. Elliott, the momentum of federal spending has been toward the prestige institutions because that is where the best talent is located. Now there is a tendency away from that policy because it bleeds brains from less well known centers. The smaller institution suffers by losing its best talent and the country suffers by having no expert instruction for students.

One example of this trend occurred, also in November, when the National Aeronautics and Space Administration awarded a \$61,250 three-year contract for space-related studies at the University of Maine. Tied to no specific person or study, the fund will be administrated by a committee of faculty members, headed by Dr. Curry, and could be used for almost any combination of sciences.

Where does industry, particularly Maine industry, fit into all this? They too are turning to the centers of learning for guidance.

Dr. George F. Dow, head of the Agricultural Experiment Station, said, "A lot of the easy answers in research have been picked off. It pays now to do more basic research to provide answers to the why and how of agricultural production."

Dr. Bennett said, "It appears the economic development of Route 128 around Boston developed from research done at M.I.T. We could dream of more research for creation of a new industry in Maine. Science plays a greater role in the world today and it is our duty to fill that role."

Dr. Winthrop C. Libby, dean of the College of Agriculture, said, "Our basic resource is people. I am convinced that if the state

has any hope of moving forward it must be done not only on the basis of our natural resources but on our manpower."

"There is no equivalent concentration of intellectual reserve in the state as there is here at the University of Maine. These people believe they have something to contribute," he said.

They have already done much to boost the state's economy through research and extension.

They were instrumental in the growth of the poultry industry which was born in the '30s and really began moving after World War II. The number of broilers produced in Maine rocketed from 500,000 in 1950 to 58,480,000 in 1961. Broilers are now the state's leading agricultural product, exceeding even potatoes and thousands of people depend on them as a source of income.

Research, extension and Maine businessmen teamed up in Washington County to increase the blueberry industry from 10,000,000 pounds in 1935-45 to 30,000,000 pounds in 1962.

Research is still going on in the poultry, blueberry and potato industries, and in another newcomer—the apple industry.

Dr. Dow said, "There will be new discoveries, new processes. As agriculture becomes more intensive there will be more demands on us. In this way, research will continue to provide important information for future improvements in production and marketing."

The Pulp and Paper Foundation is another example of industry-sponsored research. It will spend \$110,000 this year at the university on scholarships and research.

Some industries operate through the University's Department of Industrial Cooperation, which makes itself available to industry, governmental units and other institutions as a kind of clearing house.

Dr. Curry, who is head of the DIC, said, "Maine needs a great many more researchers. Some industries in the state are becoming research minded because they must explore if they wish to keep up with the competition."

Said Dr. Elliott, "The total research effort goes hand in hand with the total academic effort. When you get the faculty doing research that attracts graduate students then you will get more research."



Blair Ingalls '63 and Dr. Richard Durst conduct experiment on removing air from pulp stock in studying factors of plup flow in paper mill pipelines. This is one of the many research projects in progress at Maine.

Pioneer in finance

*Robie L. Mitchell '07
is the man who literally paved the way
for the financing of America's giant
and growing toll road system*

By Joseph T. Rigo '55



THE VIEW of New York Harbor is spectacular from the 39th floor of 30 Broad Street in Manhattan, and from his corner office Robie L. Mitchell '07 can look down on the great ocean liners and aircraft carriers passing New York City's financial district.

The building rises between the New York Stock Exchange and the offices of the Wall Street Journal. Mr. Mitchell, inventor of the modern turnpike road system, is senior partner of the Mitchell, Pershing, Shetterly & Mitchell legal firm. The second Mitchell is his eldest son, Robert. The firm is one of the nation's leaders in the highly-specialized field of municipal bond issues.

Mr. Mitchell reached New York by way of Maine, Boston and Montana. Born on a farm in West Newfield, he received his bachelor's degree at the University in 1907 and graduated from its law school in 1910. He spent "two discouraging years" trying to earn a living with a Boston law practice and then heeded a brother's advice to head west. In Montana, he was introduced to municipal finance and started the long haul to the top.

As a bond attorney, Mr. Mitchell works between the community borrowing money and the investors who buy the community's bonds. The financing of major public projects is done increasingly through bond issues. When this method is used, there is only one lawyer involved, the bond attorney, and his opinion is supreme. He must decide whether terms of the issue will protect the buyer and seller. He often will write the state or local law authorizing the issue, and since millions of dollars may be involved he must have a reputation respected by all concerned.

Mr. Mitchell and his firm have been involved in projects ranging from the Mystic River Bridge in Massachusetts to the Golden Gate Bridge in San Francisco, from the Maine Turnpike to Florida sewer construction. His firm handled more than one billion dollars worth of bond issues in one year. The careful work by Mr. Mitchell and other firms has helped give municipal bonds a reputation of being among the safest investments possible.

Pennsylvania called him in in 1931 to help plan the financing for its purchase of several privately-owned bridges across the Susquehanna River. This project drifted through the depression years, but he was remembered in 1935 when someone discovered half a dozen partially completed railroad tunnels through the state's western mountains. Plans were started to complete the tunnels, some of them as many as thirty years old. Mr. Mitchell's opinion was that the plans then under consideration would require a separate bond issue for each tunnel, but they all could be lumped into one project if roads were built connecting the tunnels. He suggested the project be financed by tolls and the completed road be called a turnpike, the name used for old New England toll roads. The result was the Pennsylvania Turnpike, the acknowledged pioneer of the toll roads that now span the eastern United States. Work on this project melted thirty pounds from his already light frame, but it brought him further work in the financing of turnpikes in Maine, Massachusetts, Ohio, Kentucky and Virginia. He just recently completed work on a 180 million dollar bond issue for the Boston extension of the Massachusetts Turnpike. The papers on this were signed within fifteen minutes of the fifty-second anniversary of his admission to the bar in Boston.

Mr. Mitchell was one of five children, four boys and a girl, on the family farm in West Newfield. His early interest in law probably came from his father who was active in local politics and served two terms in the state legislature. At Maine, Mr. Mitchell took up tennis in his spare time, and his wiry build helped him capture several championships and six L. C. Southard Medals. The medals were named for their donor, an active alumnus and member of Mr. Mitchell's fraternity, Phi Gamma Delta. Whether it was tennis, law, the fraternity or all three, Southard '75 noticed Mr. Mitchell and invited him to join his law practice in Boston.

Mr. Mitchell just could not seem to get going in Boston, and he was receptive when his oldest brother, an engineer working on

government water projects in Montana, suggested he give the west a try. Mr. Mitchell agreed to go if his brother paid his carfare, and soon he had a successful law practice established in Glendive in eastern Montana.

This section of the state was chafing at the time with the idea that it wasn't getting its share of jobs in the state administration. A concentrated campaign was started to correct this inequity, and Mr. Mitchell turned out to be a beneficiary, getting the post of assistant attorney general in 1917.

During Mr. Mitchell's first day on the job, the state superintendent of institutions asked the attorney general for a legal opinion on a question involving school laws. The man from Maine got the assignment because he was the only college graduate on the staff. The attorney general liked the result enough that he gave Mr. Mitchell another school matter that came in a week later. This involved a school bond issue, and it started him on his career. In the next two years he did the legal work on about 500 bond issues, mostly for schools.

He left his state job to work for a Minneapolis bond buying firm, starting as their representative in Montana and later moving to Minneapolis as their general counsel. Here his work came to the attention of Charles Masslich in New York.

In this post-war period there were very few specialists in municipal finance, but it was a time of great growth in the use of bond issues to finance public projects. Masslich, working alone in New York, had won a national reputation as a leader in the field. Referring to him now, Mr. Mitchell says, "Once in a while you run into a genius."

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New Black Bear Award winners hold the symbolic emblems of their service to the University shortly after the presentations by Alvin S. McNeilly '44, GAA President. From left are Mrs. Lucy F. Sheive '27, Arthur E. Silver '02, Mr. McNeilly, and Edmund J. Dempsey '17.



HOMECOMING: 3 BLACK BEARS AWARDED

THREE UNIVERSITY ALUMNI received Black Bear Awards, a fourth was honored for his Athletic Board work, the Alumni Association established a named professorship and the cornerstone for the new Arthur A. Hauck Auditorium was laid.

There, in short, was the essence of Homecoming 1962.

The Black Bear Award winners:

Mrs. Lucy F. Sheive '27, of Portland, who was cited as a "tireless worker who exemplifies the finest qualities in volunteer alumni effort. Always an active alumna, she has served as an officer of the Boston and Portland alumnae groups. She also served as an area chairman for the Arthur A. Hauck Building Fund. A member of the Alumni Council for several terms, in 1959 she was elected second vice president of the General Alumni Association, being the first alumna to hold this office."

Edmund J. Dempsey '17, of Sparta, New Jersey, "an outstanding alumnus, a key leader, and worker for the Alumni Association. He has been a stalwart supporter in everything sponsored by the General Alumni Association, and in all activities of his local association. He has been an officer of, and most recently vice president of, the Greater New York Alumni Association. A real worker, a civic minded spirited leader, he is a cheerful and generous personification of a loyal and helpful alumnus."

Arthur E. Silver '02, of Upper Montclair, New Jersey, and Bustins Island, Maine.

He was cited as a "long-time member and regular participant in the affairs of the Greater New York Alumni Association. He has always been a faithful helper, fund raiser and contributor." His career as a pioneer in electrical engineering was cited: "He pioneered in the work to learn measurement and description of lightning," and for his efforts in rural electrification, "he received in 1951 the Lamme Medal."

These awards were announced at the annual luncheon in the Memorial Gymnasium, at which nearly 500 alumni attended. GAA President Alvin S. McNeilly '44 made the presentations.

A second feature of the luncheon program was the honoring of **Clifford Patch '11** of Bangor for his service to the University as chairman of the University's Athletic Board for 35 years. Also on hand were surviving members of the 1912 football team, who were honored on the 50th anniversary of the outstanding record compiled by the team. Maine won seven of eight games that season, including the Maine State Series title.

In addition, President McNeilly presented to University President Lloyd H. Elliott a gift of \$5,000 which will be used to support a named faculty chair which will be awarded for the 1963-64 college year.

"It is the wish of the General Alumni Association that the professorship supported in this manner be identified with the Association but that the field of study and the

holder of the chair be determined by the Board of Trustees. I want to stress that it is the plan of the Association to be of additional service to the University of Maine as it undertakes new projects and goals such as this professorship," Mr. McNeilly said.

In accepting the gift, President Elliott declared: "Marking, as it does, a new dimension of support for your alma mater, your action demonstrates a vital concern for a strong faculty and a greater university. By this pledge you, the alumni, add still another chapter to your long and distinguished record of interest and support. For the students, the faculty, the friends and the trustees, I thank you."

The dollars necessary to make a gift of this kind at this time, Mr. McNeilly indicated, have come from the Annual Alumni Fund, a program that is new to the University. It was started in 1961 and is now in its second year. The current goal of the fund for the 1962-63 year is \$75,000, and the named professorship "represents a significant portion of the first results in about one month of the active campaign," Mr. McNeilly noted.

The new named professorship is the fourth to be established at the University.

Prior to the luncheon, many alumni gathered at the construction site of the Arthur A. Hauck Auditorium for the cornerstone laying ceremony. Participating were Mr. McNeilly on behalf of the GAA, President Elliott and Governor John H. Reed '42.

ATHLETICS

HAL WOODBURY: BASKETBALL'S FRIEND

*Many have forgotten or never realized that
Maine was without a varsity basketball
team for seven seasons from 1929 to 1935.
Hal Woodbury, first as a player and later
as a coach, helped return the sport to
its present popularity at the University.*

OUTSTANDING AS HAL WOODBURY was on the court, perhaps his greatest contribution to the University's athletic history was the part he played in the revival of basketball as a varsity sport.

Crimped by inadequate facilities and famished by a lack of funds, basketball had been dropped at the close of the 1928-29 season. An interesting sidelight is that the decision was not made before a captain for the following year had been elected. Thus the name of Fred A. (Slim) Sylvester '30 has gone into the annals as captain of a varsity squad that never played a game.

With the calling in of the varsity uniforms and retirement of the squad, basketball entered a state of dormancy that was to last at the University for seven winters.

Stirrings of a reawakening were noted in 1934-35, but nothing tangible developed until the following season.

Those pre-revival stirrings extended beyond the state university campus. The other colleges in Maine had also begun talking of a state basketball league. A group of Bates players had petitioned their athletic committee for permission to form an unofficial team there. Their request was denied. Attempts to arrange an intercollegiate basketball game to be played at the time of the high school tournament failed when the various colleges could not agree on the terms of such a competition.

But the talk persisted. One of the contributing factors was a growing dissatisfaction with outdoor hockey and its attendant spectator discomfort as the major winter sport.

First progress toward bringing varsity basketball back to Maine occurred during the 1935-36 season when the Maine Athletic Board approved an intercollegiate game between an all-star intramural team and Northeastern University.

By approving that game and qualifying it with the statement that the board was giving "very careful consideration to varsity basketball," hopes were raised that the following year would see its return.

These hopes were not long in being realized. Just a little over a month after sanctioning the game with Northeastern, the Athletic Board announced that Maine would have a varsity team the following year. Thus before the much anticipated Northeastern game, the Maine team that would face the visitors had been given virtual varsity status.

It must be noted parenthetically here that while Maine had not had varsity teams during these years it had maintained freshman teams, coached since 1926 by William C. (Bill) Kenyon. With the decision to muster

before-hand as Maine's "White Hope."

The day of the eagerly awaited game finally arrived and some 2,500 fans, starved for collegiate basketball, poured into the new Memorial Gymnasium. The facilities offered by the new gymnasium, a gift to the University by its loyal alumni, had been a deciding factor in the Athletic Board's decision to reinstitute varsity basketball.

Although Northeastern defeated the inexperienced Maine team, the Black Bears made what was hailed as a highly respectable showing. The score was 36-32.

The following fall saw an intensified drive on the part of Coach Kenyon to polish his new team. Among the returning players was Woodbury, who was due to graduate at the end of the fall semester. Again, Woodbury was elected captain of the team.

Basketball fans thronged to the Memorial Gymnasium for the initial season's home games. The team wound up the eight-game season with three victories, much to the satisfaction of the coach and the student body. Basketball was back on the road at Maine.

But Woodbury's graduation did not end his service to Maine basketball. He joined the University's staff as an instructor in physical education. During the 1938-39 season, the youthful coach was plunged into the varsity mentor's seat when a sudden illness hospitalized Bill Kenyon, incapacitating him for the remainder of the season. Woodbury was given the title of acting varsity coach and picked up the reins at a time when the team was tied for second place in the New England league, a forerunner of today's Yankee Conference.

Although Rhode Island handily won the New England league title, the Black Bears swept to a State Series victory under Coach Woodbury's tutelage.

Thus it was that both as a player and as a stand-in coach in a moment of crisis Hal Woodbury, who today is head of the men's division in the physical education department, helped in large measure to put Maine back on the basketball map.

MAINE'S SPORTS GREATS (Third in a Series)

a varsity team came the announcement that Mr. Kenyon would serve as its coach, in addition to his duties with the freshman team.

In his search for talent for the squad that would face Northeastern, Coach Kenyon almost immediately looked toward a blond senior named Harold M. Woodbury. Three years earlier, Woodbury, a Portlander and former Deering High School star, had been a standout on Coach Kenyon's freshman team. The coach had on many occasions called him, "One of the best players I have ever handled."

During the year on the freshman team, Woodbury had been captain, had been high scorer and had earned the reputation for coming through in the pinch. In the intervening years, he had been a standout in intramural play, earning a spot on the mythical All-Maine team each season.

Therefore it was not surprising that Woodbury would become a member of this "pilot" team and serve as its acting captain. Nor was it surprising that he would be billed

Maine joins Land Grant

This nation's 70 land-grant colleges and universities—including the University of Maine—are this year observing the 100th anniversary of the signing of the Congressional Act which made possible the system of public universities.

Few Maine people realize, however, that the man who is generally credited with originating the idea of these now widely known institutions served as a clerk in a dry goods store in Portland early in his career. Later this same man, Justin S. Morrill, became a U. S. Senator from Vermont and served with distinction in the Senate for nearly 50 years.

The purpose of the Morrill Act, which the Vermont senator introduced in Congress, in its own words was to provide for "the endowment, support, and maintenance of at least one college (in each state) where the leading object shall be without excluding other scientific and classical studies, and including military tactics, to teach such branches of learning as are related to agriculture and the mechanic arts... in order to promote the liberal and practical education of the industrial classes in the several pursuits and professions in life."

It was not all clear sailing for the adoption of the Act. In fact, it took five and a half years from the time the bill was introduced in Congress to get it into law.

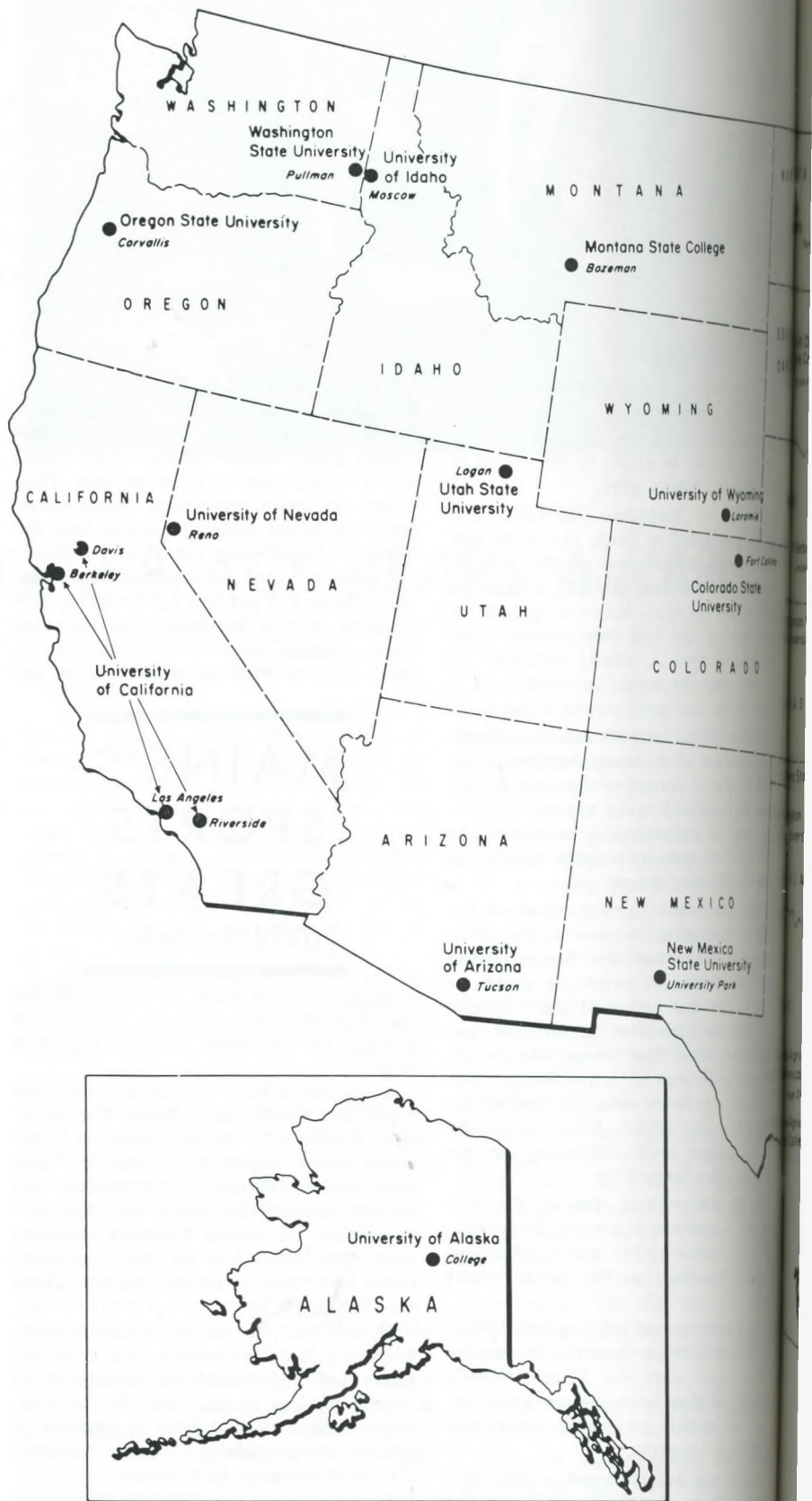
Morrill's second attempt to get the bill passed, which came when the nation was split by the Civil War, was successful, and President Abraham Lincoln signed the measure into law on July 2, 1862.

One of the provisions of the law was that certain lands in the West should be sold and the income devoted to the establishment of the colleges and universities (thus the name land-grant institutions).

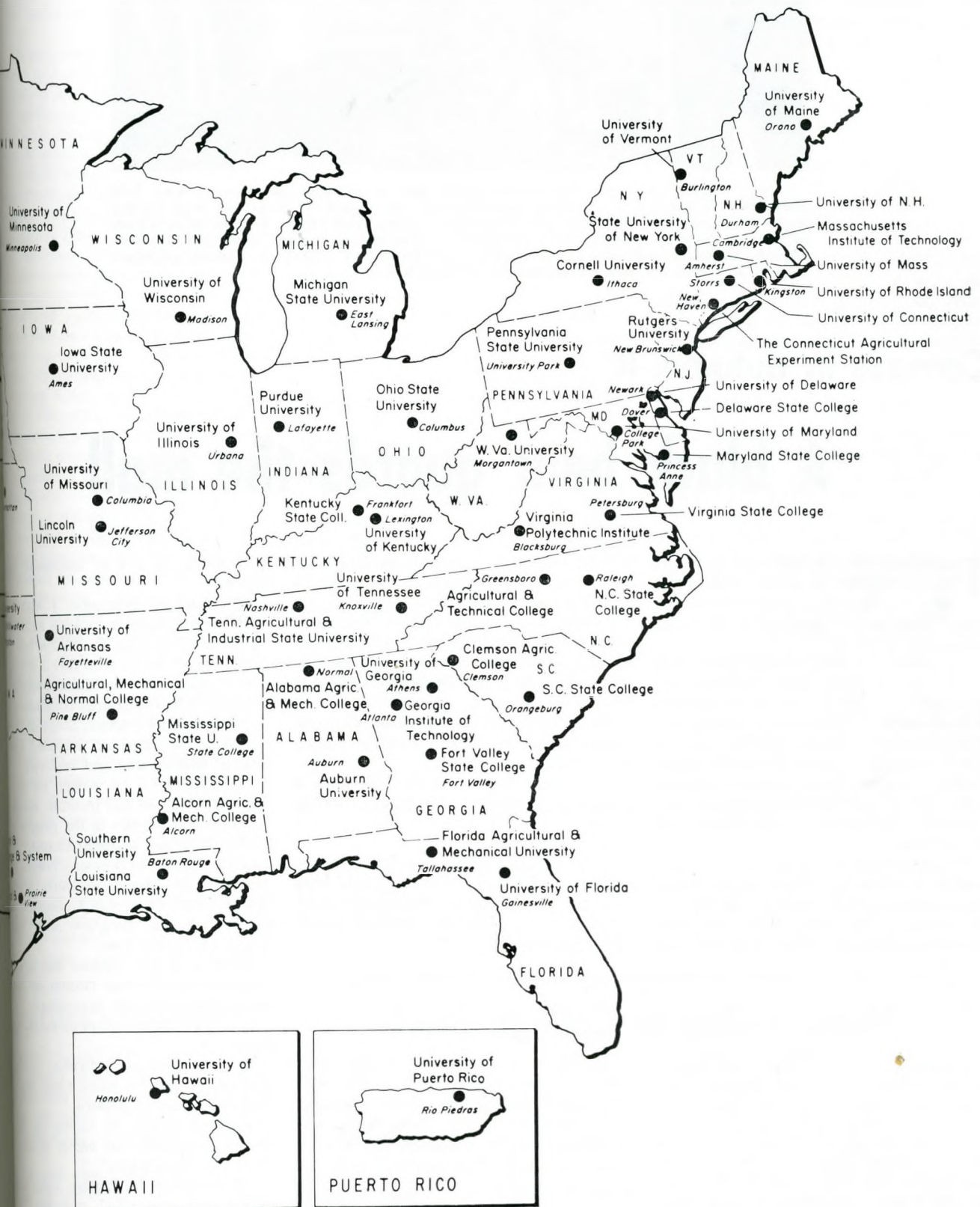
During the past 100 years the land-grant colleges and universities have become major institutions in this nation's program of higher education. They now enroll approximately 20 per cent of the country's college population; they grant 40 per cent of the doctoral degrees awarded in all subjects; and they train about half of the regular and reserve officers of the armed forces.

"My sympathies are all for the working-man," Morrill once wrote, "being one myself and with all my kith and kin of that sort... The escutcheon of my family was a blacksmith's hammer, and for many years my father worked 12 to 15 hours a day."

In 1825, Morrill became a clerk in the general store in Strafford and was paid \$45 the first year and \$75 the second. After this two years' service, Morrill came to Portland where he clerked in a dry goods store. In 1830 he returned to Strafford and later began his long career in Congress.



Centennial celebration





The cornerstone for Aroostook Hall, newest student dormitory, was laid November 7. Samuel W. Collins, president of the Board of Trustees, and trustee Owen H. Smith, left and right of cornerstone space, handled the honors as residents of Maine's largest county. Other members of the official party, from left, trustees Charles E. Crossland and Lewis O. Barrows, President Lloyd H. Elliott, architect Alonzo J. Harriman and contractor Paul McLellan.

Campus in autumn: II

A black bear guards the mall

THERE WAS NOTHING lukewarm about the reception given the arrival of the Class of 1962 gift to the University. Reaction ranged from hearty approval to outspoken indignation.

The gift is the controversial black bear statue that has finally been completed and installed on the mall in front of the Memorial Gymnasium. Controversy is nothing new to this symbol of Maine. The bear was, as it were, born in a storm of conflict within the donating class. It was chosen last spring from a list of gifts that included more conventional items as funds for the library, and scholarships.

The controversy was heightened by resentment over delays in delivery of the statue. First promised to be ready by the first of the summer, the target date was later changed to opening of school, then to Home-

coming. These dates came and went and still no statue. Voices of impatience among its supporters grew louder and louder.

Finally, with the approach of November, word was received that the bear's delivery was imminent. Then, at long last, he was installed on the pedestal that had been made ready months before.

Reporting its arrival, *The Maine Campus*, student newspaper, took a sampling of opinion. Some of its findings:

"I honestly think that the bear adds a great deal of beauty and character to the campus."

"It's a farce!"

"Five thousand dollars is a lot of money for a bear. I'm sure the money could have been used for a more constructive purpose."

"There is no doubt that the bear is well worth the money."

"I think it's a very impressive figure. I like it."

"It's kind of gruesome. I wish it could have been a happier looking animal."

Controversy aside, the bear is here to stay, and there are many who feel it will, in time, play a major role in Maine tradition.

Meanwhile, the campus continued to bustle in its traditional manner. Some of the events attracting its attention included some significant conferences and institutes.

"The education of women for the changing world," a two-day institute, brought such distinguished women to the campus as Mrs. Esther Peterson, assistant secretary of labor and director of the women's bureau; and Dr. Margaret H. Merry, executive assistant to the president of Boston University. Also included on the program were numerous panels and discussions.

Purpose of the institute was to stimulate students, faculty and citizens of Maine to think more intensely regarding:

1. The changing pattern of women's lives.
2. The greatest individual development and satisfaction for women and men as they live with this new pattern.
3. The needs of society in the next decade, especially for highly educated, professional "manpower."
4. Some of the factors which block the fullest use of women's potential.
5. The best undergraduate education for women in light of the above.

In another event, the Student Religious

Maine going to College Bowl

A team from the University will appear on the nationally televised College Bowl competition over the CBS Television Network on Sunday, December 23.

Coaching the team is Walter S. Schoenberger, assistant professor of history and government. He said possible opponents will be teams representing Oregon State University, the University of New Mexico, Ohio University or the University of Virginia.

The Maine team will go to New York City as guests of the network at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel. Sunday will be spent in final rehearsals for the show, which will be aired late in the afternoon. The winning college in each show receives a \$1,500 scholarship and its team returns to defend its initial victory a week later, while the loser is awarded a \$500 scholarship and is dropped from the competition.

Association presented a four-day program of seminars and assemblies entitled, "Dialogue on campus." The program centered around finding answers for the question, "Why are you in college?" Highlight of the event were two lectures, one by Monsignor Edward Murty, priest and educator, who spoke on, "What's crucial on campus?" and one by Dr. Peter Berger, author and sociologist, who spoke on, "What are you doing here?"

Still another event was a two-day series of lectures and discussions making up the Arms Control and National Security Conference, sponsored by the Maine Christian Association, in cooperation with the Student Christian Movement in New England and the University's history and government department. Featured speaker was Dr. Robert A. Gessert, research associate in the International Studies Division of the Institute for Defense Analyses in Washington, D. C., who delivered three lectures on various aspects of arms control.

Cultural and entertainment events also highlighted the late autumn schedule. Among these were appearances by the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra, under direction of Peter Harman Adler, the first of four in the University's 1962-63 Concert Series. Earlier, the Highwaymen, a popular recording group of ex-Wesleyan University students, appeared under sponsorship of the Memorial Union Activities Board.

More than 1,500 parents visited the campus in mid-October for the annual Freshman Parents Day program. The event is designed to give parents an opportunity to visit their children, learn more about state university affairs and visit with deans and advisors. **James A. Harmon '40**, director of admissions, presided at a general meeting in the Memorial Gymnasium.

And the campus skyline continues to change as progress is made on its newest additions. The electrical engineering building on the north end of campus, the new women's physical education building across from Chadbourne Hall, the new federal office building on the south end of campus and the Arthur A. Hauck Auditorium are more than well begun.

Stealthily and with little warning, a fierce northeaster dumped a foot of snow on the campus in mid-November to usher in what the *Old Farmer's Almanack* promises us will be a more rugged than usual winter.

Legislators to gather

The second pre-legislative conference was held on campus December 6-8 to provide Maine legislators an opportunity to discuss important legislative problems in advance of the opening of the regular session in January.

Three general topic areas were discussed at this year's conference. These were education, state economic development, and finance and taxation.

The first pre-legislative conference was held on campus in 1960.

alumni names in the news

Congratulations to . . .

. . . **Dr. H. Russell Beatty '27**, president of Wentworth Institute, Boston, who has been elected as a member of the Open-Church Foundation, Gloucester. Earlier in the year he had been awarded an honorary doctor of engineering degree by Northeastern University and another by Stevens Institute of Technology.

. . . **Roscoe C. Masterman '32**, who was featured in a full-page personality sketch in *TAPPI* the magazine of the Technical Association of the Pulp and Paper Industry.

. . . **Wesley C. Plumer '21**, who has retired after 41 years with General Electric. During his four-plus decades with the firm, he gained widespread distinction in railroad electrification, jet engine work and field service engineering.

. . . **John A. O'Brien '43**, of Reading, Massachusetts, who was featured in a newspaper article in the *Wakefield Daily Item* recently for his work in applying television to space age needs with the Itek Corporation.

. . . **C. P. Larrabee '19**, who has been honored on his retirement as chief research engineer of the Research Center, United States Steel Corporation after 33 years' service with the firm. Earlier in the year he had been awarded the Frank Newman Speller award for his contributions in the field of corrosion engineering.

Steps up the ladder for . . .

. . . **Bernard Mire '62**, who has accepted a position as industrial relations analyst with Space Technology Laboratories, Inc., in Los Angeles.

. . . **Lawrence B. Kelley '41**, who has been promoted to vice president with the

International Paper Company in New York City.

. . . **Dr. Howard L. Bowen '24**, who has been named director of student teaching at Gorham State Teachers College. A former associate deputy commissioner of education with the Maine Department of Education, he has had 38 years of service in the educational field.

. . . **Harry B. Conner '37**, who has been promoted to the post of manager of manufacturing of the Oxford Paper Company at Rumford.

. . . **John F. Wilson '33**, who has been elected a vice president of Metals & Controls, Incorporated, a division of Texas Instruments Incorporated, located at Attleboro, Massachusetts.

. . . **Kenneth W. Seaman '50**, of Wilmette, Illinois, who has been elected a vice president of Science Research Associates, Incorporated, the nation's largest commercial publisher of standardized educational and psychological tests.

Headlines about . . .

. . . **Dr. Gerald M. Ward '43**, a dairy scientist with the Colorado State University animal science department, who has been awarded a \$73,000 research grant by the Atomic Energy Commission to study the behavior of Cesium 137, a product of nuclear fission, at various stages of the food chain, including milk and meat produced by dairy cows.

. . . **Edward P. Hacker '20**, who has become the first Maine man to serve on the National Oil Fuel Institute's board of directors. He is president of Ballard Oil and Equipment Co., of Portland.

. . . **Justice Edward P. Murray '03**, who returned to the practice of law at the end

'M' AWARD NOMINATIONS SOUGHT

Needed: Nominations for the first recipients of a new alumni award.

The new recognition for alumni service is the recently announced Alumni Activity Award, a bronze metal block "M" faced in blue and mounted on wood.

The award will be given each year to several persons chosen by nominations from the Alumni Association in general. A committee of the Alumni Council will be required to act upon nominations made by other alumni and to determine both the number of awards to be given and to select the recipients.

Object of these awards is to maintain and develop strong and active good will for the University through work in local organizations, class activities and the Alumni Association.

"We feel that this additional award or form of recognition is timely," said GAA President Alvin S. McNeilly '44. "As our membership and activities increase it is important that we pay notice to those who provide and promote the University via the Association with loyal and devoted service."

Recipients of the Alumni Service Award, Black Bear Award or Council members will be ineligible to receive the new award.

Deadline for nominations is February 1. They should be sent to the Alumni Office, 44 Library, University of Maine, Orono, Maine, and should contain as much pertinent information about the candidate as possible. Names received after February 1 will be considered in 1964.

alumni names

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of his second seven-year term as active-retired justice of the Maine Supreme Court. He had served on the bench since 1935, first as a superior court judge, later as a member of the state's highest tribunal.

... **Norman Arsenault '63**, whose article appeared in the October issue of *Northeastern Logger*. He wrote a history of the Telos Canal in northern Maine.

... **Arthur W. Carlson '51**, who is co-author of the new book, *Selected Semiconductor Circuits Handbook*. He is presently associated with Transistor Applications, Inc., Somerville, Mass.

... **Melvin T. McClure '57**, who has been named to the staff of the University of Wisconsin's School of Commerce.

... **Ensign Frank F. Morrison '61**, who has assumed duties as public information officer at the Coast Guard Academy in New London, Connecticut.

... **The Rev. Richard K. Bailey '54**, who has assumed the pastorate of the First Congregational Church in Stoughton, Massachusetts.

... **P. H. Trickey '28**, **C. R. Bond '29** and **L. M. Berry '35**, who were participants in various programs at the fall general meeting of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers in Chicago.

REPRESENTING MAINE

Dr. Henry A. Peterson '17 represented the University at the inauguration of Kenneth Sanborn Pitzer as president of Rice University in Houston, Texas.

Miss M. Eleanor Jackson '20 represented the University at the inauguration of Charles E. Shain as president of Connecticut College in New London, Connecticut.

Dr. Raymond H. Fogler '15 represented the University at the inauguration of John Henry Fischer as president of Teachers College, Columbia University.

Dean Harry P. Burden '11 represented the University at the inauguration of Harry Purnell Storke as president of Worcester Polytechnic Institute.

Mrs. Therese (Dumais) '46 Gamber represented the University at the inauguration of Robert A. L. Mortvedt as president of Pacific Lutheran University at Tacoma, Washington.

Warren H. Pressley '49 represented the University at the inauguration of Adrian Rondileau as president of the State College at Bridgewater, Massachusetts.

Miss Betsy C. Pullen '55 represented the University at the inauguration of Robert A. Cook as president of the King's College at Briarcliff Manor, New York.

George Thompson, Jr. '44 represented the University at the inauguration of Elvis J. Stahr, Jr., as president of Indiana University.



Alumni and their families—over a hundred strong—attended a tailgate picnic before the Maine-Connecticut game at Storrs, Connecticut, in October.

local associations

Auburn-Lewiston Alumnae

Mary (Maguire '53) Riley, President

The ladies met on October 17 at the home of *Margaret Bunker* in Auburn. A business session was held, and two speakers, *Miss Geneva Kirk* and *Mrs. Avis Schwartz* from the League of Women Voters spoke on State Revenue and on Urban Renewal.

On November 28, the group also held its Mother-Daughter dinner at the West Auburn Church. Plans for a rummage sale were discussed.

College of Law Alumni

Edward S. Godfrey, Dean

On October 30, a unique Maine meeting of College of Law Alumni was held at the Law Building, High Street, Portland, and at the Lafayette Hotel. This convocation and dinner brought together folks of the classes from 1900 to 1920 to inspect the new facilities and to receive news of progress. *President Elliott* addressed the dinner and *Robie L. Mitchell '07* and *'10L* presented the earliest copy of the *Maine Law Review* to the library.

Portland Alumni

Floyd N. Abbott '25, President

A business meeting was held at the UMP

campus in Payson Smith Hall on October 18, a good number attending. Regular meetings on the third Thursday each month are succeeding very well under the spirited leadership now in the group. An excellent year of programs is already planned. A meeting was held, too, on November 15, in the regular series.

Portland Alumnae

Janet (Bishop '55) Butler, President

University women met November 1 at West Hall on the UMP campus for regular business session and program. *Hilda Ives* was the guest speaker.

December 6 was the annual Past Presidents' Night, and a smorgasbord dinner was enjoyed at Westcustogo Inn, Yarmouth. *Dr. Hilda Fife* spoke on "Maine Humor."

Chicago, Illinois, Alumni

George Garland '45, President

Deans Thomas H. Curry of the College of Technology and *Franklin P. Eggert* of the Graduate School visited with Chicago Alumni at a banquet on November 2. Attending a convention in the Windy City they found a lobster dinner most welcome and agreeable with Maine people. Forty-five folks were present at the River Forest Golf Club in Elmhurst. *Thomas J. Desmond '33* and

KNOX COUNTY DIRECTORY OUT

Emerson Lambe '07 of 37 Knox Street, Thomaston, has compiled an up-to-date listing of University alumni in Knox County. Each alumnus, his class and current address are listed by towns. Copies of the directory may be obtained from Mr. Lambe or by writing the Alumni Office, 44 Library, University of Maine, Orono, Maine.

Kathryn (Mills '47) Browne were busy workers on this one.

Northern Kennebec Alumni Mansfield M. Packard '25, President

On November 2, the Northern Kennebec Family Night was held again at the Fairfield Center Grange. There were songs, business reports called by President Packard and a brief report from campus by Russ Woolley, Executive Director, G.A.A. A film on wildlife was instruction and entertainment, too, for the youngsters, but enjoyed by all. This annual affair is creating splendid interest. Dinner was served by the Grange.

Boston Alumni John K. Dineen '51, President

The Annual Smoker was Boston's feature on November 7, having an athletic theme and a talk from campus about college admissions, also, James A. Harmon '40 and Russ Woolley '41 attended from Orono. The group met at 5:30 p.m. in Purcell's Restaurant, School Street. Film of the Maine-Connecticut football game was viewed by those attending.

Worcester County (Central Mass.) Alumni Preston W. Hall '54, President

Central Massachusetts alumni had a dinner meeting at the Fox Lounge Restaurant at 7:00 p.m., November 16, in Westboro. Dean Thomas H. Curry, College of Technology, gave a talk on accreditation of engineering programs. Russ Woolley '41 reported on alumni and campus affairs. A business meeting and a question and answer period were also included in a full evening.

So. Kennebec Alumni Norman A. Gosline '57, President

A special meeting of the group was held on November 19, at 7:00 p.m. at the new Gardiner Area High School Auditorium, to which parents of high school and of college-age children were invited. Purpose of the meeting was to hear James A. Harmon '40, Director of Admissions explain current procedure of the admissions office. T. Russell Woolley, Executive Director GAA, also attended.

The Augusta group regularly holds a spirited luncheon meeting, first Friday each month.

Auburn-Lewiston Alumni Henry N. Tukey, Jr. '50, President

Men of Auburn-Lewiston held a meeting on Tuesday, November 20, at the Lost Valley Ski Club, Perkins' Ridge, Auburn. It was a regular meeting being held, but a special occasion to have Professor Henry Hawley, Acting Director of the School of Business and Economics address the meeting. Russ Woolley also attended from Orono.

Syracuse-Utica, N. Y., Alumni Henry Gabe '42, President

The Syracuse alumni, on November 29, invited the Utica group to be with them for "President's Night," meaning a visit from Orono by Dr. Lloyd H. Elliott, President of the University. The meeting was at the Sheraton Inn and Dr. Elliott reported on the status of the University and about its current growth. The folks were particularly pleased to have a visit by Mrs. Elliott, too, for this meeting.

Rochester, N. Y., Alumni David Petherbridge '56, President

December 1 brought together the Western New York folks of Rochester and vicinity to visit with the President of the University. They gathered at the Treadway Inn at Rochester, corner of East Avenue and Alexander Street. Bryce Bayer '51 helped with plans and reservations for a Prime Ribs and Roast Turkey banquet. It was a special privilege so far from Orono, to have Maine's first family for an evening.

Finger Lakes, N. Y. Alumni Norman Rollins '44, President

The alumni of the region met at the town of Painted Post, N. Y., the Lodge on the Green, on November 30. The occasion was a visit by Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd H. Elliott from the University, to bring first-hand discussion of University affairs. President Elliott was on a tour of New York State alumni areas.

Greater New York Area Alumni Gordon Staff '44, President

Coach Hal Westerman made two interesting evenings for the area alumni by holding a football film evening on December 7 at Garden City Casino, Garden City, Long Island, New York, and December 8 in New Jersey at Friar Tuck Restaurant, Cedar Grove.

News of the State Series Championship and of the football season generally was shared by those active members attending. Russ Woolley '41 was also on hand from Orono.

Southern Penobscot Alumnae Jean (Polleys '50) Fenlason, President

Wednesday, October 14, the sixty members of Southern Penobscot Alumnae staged a membership coffee occasion at the Memorial Union on the Orono campus. A pro-

gram feature was singing by soloist student Jo Ann Peakes '63 of Bangor.

The annual rummage sale was held November 2, at 42 Columbia Street, Bangor. Constance (Drew '50) Darrah was the sale chairman.

New Officers North Shore, Massachusetts, Alumni

Harold P. Hamilton '29, President
Nancy (Moorhead '57) Coffin, Secretary
Cynthia (Hawks '57) Meehan, Treasurer

COMING MEETINGS

St. Petersburg, Florida, Alumni
Dec. 8, 1962—Jan. 12, 1963—
Mar. 9, 1963, Mar. 30, 1963

Regularly Scheduled Meetings Monthly—

Western Pennsylvania Alumni
First Monday of each month
Oliver Restaurant
Smithfield St., Pittsburgh
Noon

Eastern Pennsylvania Alumni
Last Thursday of each month
Electrical Club Dining Room
6th Floor, Architects' Building
17th and Sansom Streets
Philadelphia, Penna.
Noon

South Kennebec Alumni
First Friday
Augusta House
Noon

Auburn-Lewiston Alumni
Third Tuesday
Stephens House
Union and Court Streets, Auburn
6:00 p.m.

Weekly—
Boston Alumni
Friday
Alcove Room, Purcell's Restaurant
10 City Hall Ave.

BELATED RECOGNITION

In the list of donors to the Annual Alumni Fund that appeared in the August-September issue of *The Alumnus*, these names should have appeared as follows:

Fred C. Roberts '35, a member of the Century Club.

Henry R. Butler '20, a member of the Maine Stay Club, whose name should also have appeared in the Class of 1920 list.

Robert E. Pendleton '33, whose name should have appeared in the list with his fellow classmates.

Robert L. Fuller '38, a member of the Maine Stay Club.

Alumni president speaks out

To Maine's Alumni —

We can readily understand our own problems and those of our family, as these matters are apparent and close. They are, therefore, attended to as promptly as possible and with pride. On the other hand, it is easy for us to detach ourselves from the needs of others, especially if their causes and aspirations are not related to our own.

With this in mind we can be considered fortunate as alumni of the University of Maine . . . thus having a common bond with others . . . other alumni and other students attending our university now, and in the future who must help to perpetuate, enrich, and assure the progress, the standards, and principles of Maine.

Today the needs of the university are great . . . even as alumni this is difficult for us to realize. It is something like looking at an iceberg . . . the apparent needs are only a small part of the actual or total.

For your interest and information the following are a few of the present and long range needs of the university:

- Expansion of men's physical education facilities.
- Graduate fellowships.
- Wider support for expanding libraries.
- Funds for unrestricted purposes of the University.

All of these needs are of great importance and all needs that can be fulfilled by the help and gifts of alumni via our annual fund. In 1961-1962 when we shifted from a dues program to one of annual giving, it was done after much study and deliberation. It was done because those concerned felt that this type of a sustaining, unified, and workable program would better accomplish the goals of the University. It was most rewarding to launch this new program, our annual alumni fund, and to have it exceed the objectives set in its first year.

We are confident that this is just the beginning of renewed evidence and conviction that Maine alumni cannot be beat. Our goal this year is a minimum of \$75,000.

We have pledged to begin support of the following to President Elliott and the Board of Trustees:

- Named faculty chairs
- Fellowship Assistance
- Library acquisitions
- A cultural events series
- Scholarship aid
- Gifts for unrestricted purposes

As the last item, "Gifts for unrestricted purposes" may not be clearly understood it should be described in a bit more detail. In years to come the needs of the University are going to be many, constantly changing and some times not the most colorful nor

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interesting nor challenging for us to support. These needs, however, can best be determined by President Elliott and by the Board of Trustees. It is in these people that we must, and rightfully so, place our confidence, and be governed or directed to best serve and support the University. At commencement last June the General Alumni Association provided the University with its first unrestricted gift -- a small gift in comparison with some, being only \$1,529.00, but it was a beginning.

President Elliott wrote in acknowledgment of this gift, and I quote from his letter . .

"On behalf of the Trustees, I should like to express to you and through you to the General Alumni Association the great appreciation of all of us for the unrestricted gift of the Association of \$1,529 to the University. This is the kind of support that is most important to the ongoing strength of the institution and your action has set a wonderful example for others to follow. It is a bit ironic, of course, that the most important help is that which is most difficult to attract, namely, unrestricted. From your example, we may hope that individuals and organizations will follow suit in the future."

In closing we ask you for your continued work and gifts and recognize in so asking, we are requesting a sacrifice on your part -- not the sacrifice of a tremendous sum of money, but one of time and interest and understanding.

Only he who has worked on the water, such as a fisherman, knows the strength and religion of the sea; only he who has struggled with a farm knows the real life of a farmer; only he who has sought to save his country or home has a real appreciation of his land, and only he who has served, worked and given for a cause such as ours . . a better Maine . . can truly understand the values of our heritage and recognize the need of transmitting and expanding these values into the future.



ALVIN S. McNEILLY '44
President
General Alumni Association
University of Maine

notes from the classes

NECROLOGY

1898

JOHN WASHINGTON DEARBORN. John W. Dearborn, 90, of Ansonia, Conn., died Sept. 17, 1962, at the Griffin Hospital in that city after a few days illness. A native of Bradford Center, he graduated from Higgins Classical Institute at Charleston. In the early twenties Mr. Dearborn established his own business, Screw Machine Products, in Ansonia, retiring in 1952 when his son assumed control of the company. Mr. Dearborn had invented and patented the Dearborn automatic chucking and indexing fixture. He had remained active in the shop after retirement. Active in civic affairs, he served as a trustee, or a director, of many organizations. He retired as a Major in the Connecticut Home Guard in World War I. He was a 50 year member of Olive Branch Lodge AF & AM, New Haven, the Commandery, and Pyramid Temple Shrine. Survivors include his wife, a daughter, a son, John B. Dearborn '41 of Ansonia, and several grandchildren.

1903

JAMES FRANK MILLAY. J. Frank Millay, 80, of Brunswick, died Oct. 8, 1962, at his home on the Mere Point Rd., Brunswick. A native of Bowdoinham he graduated from Bowdoinham High School, Shaws Business College (Portland), and attended the University. In partnership with his late brother he operated a dairy farm at Bowdoinham, building a state and world record for Guernsey stock. He retired in 1958. For seven years he was supervisor of the Soil Conservation District of Androscoggin-Sagadahoc, and later became an honorary member. Mr. Millay was a charter member of the University of Maine Extension Service, the Masons, Order of the Eastern Star, and National Grange. In June Mr. and Mrs. Millay observed 57 years of marriage. Survivors include his wife, two daughters, a sister, five grandchildren, and 13 great-grandchildren, as well as two nephews, George H. Millay '44, of Bowdoinham, and Harold S. Millay '41, of Richmond.

1906

CALEB HARTWELL JOHNSON. Caleb H. Johnson, 78, of Nahant, Mass., died Nov. 6, 1962, at Lynn, Mass. A native of Nahant, Mr. Johnson graduated from Nahant High School, and from the University in mechanical engineering. In 1909 he received his master's degree in engineering from Maine. He was a sales engineer for the Atlantic Equipment Co. of Boston. Mr. Johnson served for two years in World War I, and for four years in World War II as a mechanical engineer, civilian service. Survivors include a sister, two brothers, and several nieces and nephews. Mr. Johnson was a member of Phi Kappa Sigma Fraternity.

WARREN SYLVESTER SAWYER. Warren S. Sawyer, 79, of Chula Vista, Calif., died Sept. 30, 1962, in that city. A native of Lisbon Falls, he graduated from Fort Fairfield High School and attended the University for one year. He was a farmer in the Fairmount area of Fort Fairfield for nearly 40 years until he moved to California 17 years ago. Survivors include his wife, two sons, two daughters, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

The death of **WILLIAM LEWIS ANDERSON, JR.**, was reported in the October-November Alumnus as William Lewis Alexander, Jr.

1908

JAMES JOSEPH MORRISON. James J. Morrison, 77, of Santa Barbara, Calif., died Sept. 22, 1962, following an emergency operation. A native of Pembroke, Mr. Morrison graduated from Pembroke High School, and from the University in electrical engineering. He was with the U. S. Navy Bureau of Steam Engineering for nine years as material inspector. When he retired in 1950, after 31 years with the American Steel and Wire Co., he continued as a consulting engineer. Mr. Morrison was considered one of the country's top electrical cable engineers. He was a member of several professional organizations, and was a life member of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers. Survivors include his wife, a daughter, two sons, one of whom is James L. Morrison '43, of Cleveland, Ohio, and four grandchildren.

CHARLES ARTHUR JOHNSON. Charles A. Johnson, 77, of Berlin, N. H., died Sept. 26, 1962, at a Wolfboro, N. H. nursing home. A native of

Berlin, he graduated from Berlin High School. Upon graduation from the University in civil engineering, Mr. Johnson joined the Brown Co. of Berlin, going immediately to LaToque, P. Q., where he engineered the building of the Brown Corp., starting from a wilderness location. He stayed there for 30 years to become the chief engineer of the Kraft pulp mill. Returning to Berlin in 1939, he became a member of the Brown Co.'s central engineering department. He was appointed chief engineer in 1940, holding the position until 1945. He retired in 1948 but was retained as a consultant to both Brown Co., and its Canadian subsidiary, Brown Corp. Survivors include his wife, a daughter, Mrs. Clarence (Phyllis '35) Wadsworth, Wellesley, Mass., and four grandchildren.

1911

JEAN BAPTISTE PELLETIER. Jean (Jean) B. Pelletier, 74, of Van Buren, died August 8, 1953. A native of Van Buren, Mr. Pelletier attended the University of Maine School of Law for one year. He had been a practicing lawyer in Van Buren.

1912

OSCAR EATON BLACKINGTON, 2ND. Oscar E. Blackington, 2nd., 73, of Woodside, Redwood City, Calif., died July 17, 1962. A native of Rockland, he graduated from Rockland High School, and attended the University before going on to graduate in agriculture from Oregon State College, Corvallis, Ore. Mr. Blackington homesteaded a ranch in Oregon, and in 1919 became manager of the Folger Estate, at Redwood City. In 1957, he became a real estate broker. He was a member of the Elks, and was a P D D G M IOOF of California. Survivors include his wife, a daughter, a son, a brother, six grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren.

1913

LAWRENCE HALLIWELL GREGSON. Lawrence H. Gregson, 74, of Brunswick, died Nov. 12, 1962, at a Portland hospital. A native of Fall River, Mass., he graduated from Worcester Academy, attended Brown University for one year before entering the University of Maine in Forestry. He was associated with Finch Pryne Co., of New York in its Canadian division, and with the Brown Co. for two years. Following World War I Mr. Gregson was with the Great Northern Paper Co., until 1937 when he became associated with the Pejepscot Paper Co., of Pejepscot. At the time of his death he was superintendent of the groundwood mill of that company. He served with the U. S. Army Artillery Corps as a Lieutenant in World War I. Mr. Gregson was a member of Nollesmic Lodge of Masons at Millinocket, Houlton Chapter Royal Arch Masons, St. Aldamer Commandery, Knights Templar, of Houlton, 32nd Degree Scottish Rite body, of Bangor, Anah Temple Shrine, and was a former member of the American Legion. Survivors include his wife Luzetta (Stearns '13) Gregson and a niece. Mr. Gregson was a member of Delta Tau Delta Fraternity.

1915

ERNEST FREEMAN HANSON. Ernest F. Hanson, 70, of Los Angeles, Calif., died Sept. 18, 1962. A native of Gorham, Mr. Hanson graduated from Yarmouth Academy, Yarmouth, before receiving a B.A. in economics from the University. Although he entered with the class of 1914, because of an accident, Mr. Hanson did not graduate until 1915. He was general manager of Cass and Johansing, insurance brokers, of Los Angeles. He was a former member of the Los Angeles Civil Service Commission. He served in World War I and was discharged a Major. He was a member of the American Legion and of Lodge No. 38, F & AM, of Gorham. Survivors include his wife. Mr. Hanson was a member of Phi Gamma Delta Fraternity, serving as president his senior year.

GERALD CUSHMAN WELCH. Gerald C. Welch, 74, of Gardiner, for 35 years a resident of Augusta, died at his home on November 3, 1962. A native of Leeds, he attended schools in Oakland and graduated from Coburn Classical Institute, Waterville. After receiving a degree in civil engineering from the University he entered the employ of the Central Maine Power Co., and the New England Public Service Co. In 1932 Mr. Welch was employed by the state as resident engineer of institutional buildings in Augusta, Hallowell, and Bangor, and from 1941 until his retirement in 1958 he was with the State Highway Department as resident engineer for road building. Survivors include his

wife, a daughter, a brother and 3 grandchildren. Mr. Welch was a direct descendant of Plymouth Colony pioneers. Mr. Welch was a member of Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity. In 1960 he was honored as a golden circle member of that fraternity.

1916

HARRY SYLVESTER TOOLE. Harry S. Toole, 68, of Swarthmore, Pa., died suddenly Sept. 23, 1962, at Temple University Hospital, Philadelphia. A native of Bangor, he graduated from Bangor High School, attended the University and graduated from The Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He was an executive of the DuPont Co. until his retirement two years ago, after 35 years with that company. Survivors include his wife, a son, three sisters, two brothers, one of whom is Christopher Toole '10, of Washington, D. C., and two grandchildren. Mr. Toole was a member of Theta Chi Fraternity.

MADELINE DOLAN O'LEARY. Miss Madeline D. O'Leary, 71, formerly of Hampden and Bangor, died Oct. 28, 1962, at Washington, D. C., after a long illness. A native of Bangor, she attended Bangor schools and was a graduate of St. Joseph's Academy, Portland. She attended the University for two years. She had resided in Washington for 35 years where she was a secretary in the communications department of the U. S. Navy. Survivors include two brothers, one of whom is Edwin D. O'Leary '17, of Hampden.

1917

PHILIP THOMPSON VERRILL. Philip T. Verrill, 70, of Rockland, formerly of Cumberland Mills, died Oct. 5, 1962, at a Rockland hospital. A native of Westbrook, Mr. Verrill graduated from Westbrook High School, and attended the University for one year. He was retired from the S. D. Warren Co., at Westbrook after 47 years employment. A veteran of World War I, Mr. Verrill was a member of the American Legion, the Masons, and a charter member and past president and past secretary of the Lion's Club of Westbrook. Survivors include his wife, one son, two daughters, a brother Albert Verrill, Sr. '11, of Westbrook, a sister, several grandchildren, and nieces and nephews among whom are Albert Verrill, Jr. '36, Westbrook, Thomas D. Verrill '39, Farmingdale, N. Y., and Mrs. William (Anna '41) Chandler, of Cumberland Center. Mr. Verrill was a member of Sigma Chi Fraternity.

1918

MATTHEW JOSEPH RYAN. Matthew J. Ryan, 79, of Berlin, N. H., died March 31, 1962, in that city. A native of Salem, Mass., Mr. Ryan had lived in Berlin for 60 years. Mr. Ryan was a practicing attorney for many years and served as mayor of Berlin for one term 1938-39. At the time of his death he was U. S. commissioner of immigration. He served for 20 years with Selective Service Board 4, and in March, 1962, he was cited for his work by President Kennedy. Mr. Ryan served in many official capacities, among them municipal court judge, state senator, Coos County solicitor, clerk of the Coos County Superior Court, U. S. commissioner of naturalization, and state senator. Survivors include two sisters.

1919

DR. JULIAN E. TRECARTIN. Dr. Julian E. Trecartin, 64, of Lubec, died at the Veterans Hospital, Togus, April 19, 1962. A native of Lubec, Dr. Trecartin attended the University for one year before graduating from Harvard Dental College. Dr. Trecartin was a practicing dentist in Lubec. He was a past master of Washington Lodge of Masons, and past commander of Stuart-Green Post American Legion. Survivors include his wife, one daughter, three sons, and one sister.

1921

STANTON ELMWOOD SMALL. Stanton E. Small, 63, died unexpectedly on Nov. 10, 1962, at his Montclair, N. J. home. A native of Kingfield he attended local schools and graduated from Farmington High School. He attended the University for two years and graduated from Boston University Law School. He was associated with the Fidelity and Casualty Co., of New York City, in the law department. He was counsel for many years for the New York Board of Fire Underwriters. He was a member of the Maine and New York Bar Associations. Survivors include two daughters, a sister, two brothers, Clive C. '18 of Derry, N. H., and Norman C. '16, of Trenton, N. J. Mr. Small was a member of Phi Kappa Sigma Fraternity.

1923

HAROLD RUSSELL MCLELLAN. Harold R. McLellan, 62, of Syracuse, N. Y., died Sept. 21, 1962, in that city. A native of Old Town, he graduated from Hebron Academy, and attended the Uni-

versity. After leaving the University Mr. McLellan worked for Stone and Webster in Florida and Georgia. In recent years he had been a civilian cost accountant with the Air Force, and held positions in Newfoundland and Japan as well as in this country. At the time of his death he was stationed at Hancock Field, Syracuse, N. Y. Mr. McLellan was a Scottish Rite and Alec Temple AAOONS. Survivors include a sister and a brother, George W. McLellan '37, of Ithaca, N. Y. Mr. McLellan was a member of Sigma Nu Fraternity.

JACOB MCLELLAN HORNE, JR. Jacob M. Horne, Jr., 63, of Bronxville, N. Y., died Oct. 21, 1962, in a Montreal hospital after a brief illness. A native of Portland, he graduated from Deering High School. Following his graduation in electrical engineering from the University he was employed by the New York Telephone Co., remaining with the firm until his death. Mr. Horne was a veteran of World War I, and a member of the American Legion. He held membership in Telephone Pioneers of America and Ancient Landmark Lodge AF & AM, Portland. Survivors include his mother, his wife, a son, a daughter, and two grandchildren. Mr. Horne was a member of Phi Gamma Delta Fraternity.

1925

WALTER ARNOLD LITTLEFIELD. Walter A. Littlefield, 59, of Marblehead, Mass., died Nov. 1, 1962, in that city. A native of Orono, he graduated from Orono High School, Shaw's Business College (now Husson) of Bangor, and from the University in Economics. Mr. Littlefield became associated with the Brown Co., Berlin, N. H., in 1929 and at the time of his retirement on Jan. 1, 1961 he was assistant to the director of research and development. He was well known in the pulp and paper industry and was chairman of the technical committee of the Tissue Assn. for 20 years. He was manager of the New Products and Market Analysis Division 1937-1954. Survivors include his wife, a son, and a brother.

1926

MADELEINE RHODA SMALL. Mrs. Madeleine R. Small, 59, of Portland, formerly of Thomaston, Conn., died Nov. 11, 1962, at a Portland hospital after a brief illness. A native of New Limerick, Mrs. Small graduated from Houlton High School, and from the University. After living in New York City for a few years she moved to Thomaston, Conn., in 1936. She came to live in Portland a few months ago. She was a member of Electa Chapter O E S of Thomaston, Conn. Survivors include a son, Charles H. Small '51, of Bar Harbor, a sister, Mrs. Enos (M. Berence) '22 Drumm, of Thomaston, Conn., and four grandchildren. Mrs. Small was a member of Pi Beta Phi Sorority.

1928

CARROLL ROSWELL DECASTER. Carroll R. DeCoster, 57, of Laurel, Del., died unexpectedly Oct. 29, 1962, in that city. A native of Norway and a graduate of Norway High School he graduated from the University in Dairying. After farming for a few years, Mr. DeCoster became associated with the General Mills Co., and was employed as a salesman for 27 years, until his death. He was a resident of Abington, Mass., for 15 years before moving to Delaware two years ago. Mr. DeCoster was a member of Phi Gamma Delta Fraternity. Survivors include his mother, his wife Dora (Colomy) '30 DeCoster, seven daughters, one of whom is Mrs. Harold (Mary '57) Decoste, Whitman, Mass., a brother, Howard DeCoster '30, of Laconia, N. H., a sister, and eight grandchildren.

1929

SIBYL WILLIAMS GRINDLE. Mrs. Sibyl Williams Grindle, 61, of Dover-Foxcroft, died unexpectedly December 14, 1961 at a Bangor hospital. A native of Monarda, she also graduated from Colby College and was a special student at the University. She was a member of the Foxcroft Academy faculty, the Maine Teachers Assn., Dover-Foxcroft Teachers Club, and the National Mathematics Teachers Association. She had taught at Bangor High School for 14 years, three years at Higgins Classical Institute at Charleston, and the past 13 years at Foxcroft Academy. Survivors include her husband Rufus '34A and four sisters, including Mrs. Amber W. Curtis '28. Mrs. Grindle was a member of Chi Omega Sorority.

1931

DR. HOWARD NORMAN COOKSON. Dr. Howard N. Cookson, 55, of Arroyo Grande, Calif., died Nov. 11, 1962 at his home in that city. A native of Dyer Brook, he graduated from Island Falls High School, and attended the University for two years. In 1939 he received his medical degree from College of Medical Evangelists, Loma Linda, Cal-

fornia. Dr. Cookson was a physician in thoracic surgery. Survivors include his wife, a son, two daughters, and a brother.

1933

GILBERT TURNER ROBERTSHAW. Gilbert T. Robertshaw, 50, of Slatesville, R. I., died unexpectedly of a heart attack August 17, 1962, at a Woonsocket hospital. A native of Lenni, Pa., he moved to Rhode Island and graduated from Woonsocket High School. At the University he graduated in chemical engineering. He also attended the Rhode Island School of Design for two years. At the time of his death Mr. Robertshaw was a salesman of Timme Corp., a textile firm with home offices in Wilmington, N. C. In World War II, he served as a lieutenant in the Navy. At the University he was a Sophomore Owl, a Senior Skull, and president of the senior class. Survivors include his wife and mother, two sons, a daughter, two brothers, five sisters, and one grandchild. Mr. Robertshaw was a member of Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity.

1935

WILLIAM PARKINSON BUTLER. William P. Butler, 49, of Shrewsbury, Mass., died at his home Sept. 2, 1962. A native of New Bedford, Mass., he graduated from Anson Academy (Me.). He attended the University for two years. Mr. Butler was the New England representative for the Salem China Co., of Salem, Ohio. For several years he lived at Belfast and belonged to the Phoenix Lodge of Masons in that city. Survivors include his wife Pauline (Harmon) '36 Butler, mother, two sons, one of whom is William H. Butler '57, five granddaughters, one brother, and one sister. Mr. Butler was a member of Sigma Chi Fraternity.

1949

GORDON DOBSON BEATTIE. Gordon D. Beattie, 64, died Sept. 23, 1962, in Madeira Beach, Fla. A native of Old Town, he graduated from Old Town High School and from Dartmouth College. Mr. Beattie was associated with the wool business in Boston, and later entered the bond investment business. He saw duty with the U. S. Army in both World War I and II. He then entered the University and graduated in music education. He was a cellist with the Bangor Symphony Orchestra for many years. Survivors include two daughters and three grandchildren.

1950

CAPT. ALBERT LEON FOURNIER. Capt. A. Leon Fournier, 34, of Watertown, Mass., died unexpectedly Oct. 24, 1962, in that city. A native of Livermore Falls, he graduated from Watertown (Mass.) High School, and from the University in mechanical engineering. At the time of his death he was an engineer for Stone and Webster Corp. of Boston, Mass. Mr. Fournier was a Captain in the United States Army Reserves. Survivors include his parents, his wife, and one daughter.

RODERICK KIRTLAND BAILEY. Roderick K. Bailey, 34, died Aug. 30, 1962, at a New Britain, Conn., hospital as a result of a fall on Aug. 27. A native of Clinton, he graduated from Clinton High School, attended the University and went on to graduate from Thomas Junior College, Waterville. He had been employed by the American Hardware Co., in New Britain for the past 10 years. Mr. Bailey was a member of Sebastocook Lodge AF & AM, of Clinton. Survivors include a brother, three half-sisters, an uncle and two aunts.

1958

ROBERT WARREN PARKER. Robert W. Parker, 27, of Port Washington, N. Y., died Sept. 23, 1962, when the Flying Tiger super-constellation, of which he was co-pilot, ditched in the North Atlantic 500 miles off the Irish coast. A native of Port Washington, he attended Port Washington High School and was graduated from Trinity Pawling Preparatory School, at Pawling, N. Y. He attended the University for two years. Prior to joining the Flying Tiger Line in the spring of 1962, he served in the Air National Guard as an instructor at the Air Force Base at Bainbridge, Ga., and as a pilot for Mohawk Airlines. Survivors include his parents, and a sister Mrs. Victor (Melissa '54) White, of Arlington, Mass. Mr. Parker was a member of Sigma Chi Fraternity.

1960

MALCOLM CHESLEY, JR. Malcolm Chesley, Jr., 29, of Westbrook died September 10, 1962, at his home. A native of Westbrook, he graduated from Westbrook High School and attended the University of Maine.

1964

JOHN FILS. John Fils, 20, of Ossining, N. Y., a junior at the University, collapsed on a hunting trip, and died in a Bangor Hospital Nov. 7, 1962,

of a cerebral hemorrhage. A native of Ossining, he graduated from Horace Greeley High School, Chappaqua, N. Y., where he was in many student activities. Survivors include his parents and a sister. Mr. Fils was a member of Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity. Memorial Services were held at the Louis Oakes Room of the University of Maine Library on Nov. 9.

SENIOR ALUMNI

On Oct. 13 the Senior Alumni Assn. voted to provide a fifth Scholarship Award in addition to the four reported in July. The money, \$150.00, has been turned over to the treasurer of the University to cover this award.

1895 A news note from Charles D. Thomas, of Manasquan, N. J., reports that he and his brother keep house together in that city. He reports that he spent the summer in Maine with a niece in Brownville, while his brother stayed with a daughter in Newport.

1900 Judge Ernest E. Hobson, 84, on Sept. 29, also observed the 62nd anniversary of his admittance to the Massachusetts Bar Association. Judge Hobson is believed to be the oldest justice active in the state. In good health, Judge Hobson dailey presides in the local court at Palmer, Mass.

It has been reported that George Larrabee, the oldest living alumnus in the Twin Cities (Lewiston-Auburn) is in poor health.

1903 Mr. Harvey D. Whitney 698 Minot Ave., Auburn

Had a dooryard call from Henry Haines and wife of Skowhegan. They were on their way home from a trip around the White Mts. and intend to spend the winter in Florida.

Guy Fitz of Auburn gave me a dooryard call. He passed his drivers test okay. I am also fortunate in passing my test, so we oldsters have another lease on life.

Honored at a recognition dinner by some 100 attorneys and judges from all sections of Maine was Edward P. Murray, whose second term as an active-retired justice expired in September. Murray observed his 86th birthday in April as the oldest justice ever to serve with the supreme court, and the only active-retired justice to be appointed for two terms.

1905 Joseph W. Crowe 708 N 20th St. Boise, Idaho

Robert P. Wilson has sold his drug store and retired. His hobby is being on the ocean—has a third mates license and owns a 42-ft. boat and takes parties for deep sea fishing. His home is in Scarborough.

Percy R. Moody, after an active life in electrical engineering, retired in 1949 to his summer home in Cornish. He and Mrs. Moody are enjoying good health.

Prentiss E. French is just a hard working man spending his time between his summer home at Eaton Center, N. H., and his winter home at Zephyrhills, Fla. It's a tough life.

Freeman M. Sampson, having run the Old College Store that we all remember so well, has sold it and retired to a busy life in a fine antique store in Orono, "so he would rather wear out than rust out."

C. Homer Prouty says he is "still carrying on my insurance brokerage business as usual." He lives in Milton, Mass.

George K. Huntington says "I trust you will get some real newsy items from some of the other members" but he only said "my exercise is walking and working in the garden." Quite different from the way he used to play basketball. George lives in Montvale, N. J.

Leslie I. Johnstone, after many years of government service and with a group of consulting engineers, retired in 1952, but went back to work for the engineers as librarian and technical consultant, so he is not going to rust out. His home is in Park Ridge, Ill.

Mary W. Griffin enjoys meeting old friends and is a regular for alumni meetings. Her home is in Bangor.

George Henry Worster observed his 90th birthday on Sept. 4. Mr. Worster, who retired from the bench in July 1942, is a retired associate justice of the supreme judicial court of the State of Maine. He has practiced law in Bangor, instructed at the University's law school, and was associate professor of law 1912 to 1916. He dispensed law from both superior court and state supreme court. He was admitted to the bar in Bangor in 1895, received his LLB in '03, LLM in '06, and in 1941 was awarded an honorary Doctor of Laws from the University.

The above are the ones who have written me—drop me a line if you'd like more complete addresses.

1906 Mr. Henry W. Bearce
William James Motel
2018 9th St. No.
St. Petersburg, Fla.

After practicing optometry for 50 years in the same office in Plymouth, Mass., Dr. Frank L. Bailey has retired. At 81 he was one of the three oldest practicing optometrists in the state. He also found time to write and has had two books of poetry published, and other writings have been printed in nature magazines and newspapers. His hobbies are hunting and fishing.

Sympathy goes to Guerric deColigny, New Orleans, La., in the death of his wife Alice Lord deColigny, last June.

Carolyn Hodgdon Edwards, Glen Echo, Md., has again been appointed Surety from Maine on the National Council, Daughters of Barons of Runnemed. She has served on this council since 1943, either as an officer or surety. She is sec'y D.C. Social Comm., Daughters of Barons of Runnemed. She is Burgess from Maine in First Families of Virginia, Chairman Lineage Book Comm. of National Society Daughters of Founders and Patriots of America, and has held many offices in that Society, including National President 1937-40.

1907 Karl MacDonald
27 Nelson Avenue
Wellsville, New York

Did you note in the September *Alumnus* where 1907 stood third in the percentage of class members contributing to the Annual Alumni Fund! Perhaps one of the reasons for the fine percentage is that one does not receive the *Maine Alumnus* unless they contribute. Let's keep it up! You know it is also a tax deductible item from your income tax.

Frank Twombly, San Clemente, Calif., who fell last May, is now able to get around the house with the aid of a walker.

James Fagan, Laguna Beach, Calif., has become quite frail but enjoys very good health. His eyes bother him. He still enjoys smoking his pipe just as much as when he attended the 50th Reunion.

H. A. Knowlton, Lakewood, Ohio, says he and wife are in good health. He flew to Boston this summer but did not get to Maine.

Charlie Davis, Bridgton could not get to the 55th Reunion on account of sickness in the family but later he and wife were able to take the Gaspe Peninsula, Canada, trip and were away a week. Busy all summer with outside work.

Arnold Totman, Chicago, while visiting his daughter in Virginia, telephoned Colonel G. W. Wildes who advised him that his father, Gordon, had left a short time before for Pasadena, Calif., and gave him his address. Later, Arnold was in Pasadena and he had a couple of delightful visits with "Stub." It was 12 years since he had seen "Stub" and said Father Time had made but slight changes in his appearance.

Elmer Cummings, So. Paris has been having a bad time with eczema on his leg but it was getting better. If the Cuba situation clears up, he intends to spend the winter at Trails End Park, Dania, Fla.

Charlie Martin, New York City writes; "You are right, Karl, in supposing I am working. If the Good Lord is willing and weather permits, will try to be at the 60th or 65th Reunion."

Your secretary had his 55th wedding anniversary last September. He hopes to be in as good health when his 60th gets around.

1908 Mr. James A. Gannett
166 Main St., Orono

George '09 and Sarah (Brown) Sweetser spent several weeks this summer with Sarah's sister, Miss Lulu Brown at their home in Old Town. They made the trip from Portland, Oregon, by auto. The storm which ravaged the Pacific Coast, with Oregon bearing the brunt of the terrific winds, was rough on George and Sarah. It blew the chimney off the house, took the skylight across the street, blew in the porch windows and felled several trees. There was no electric power for several days and their only source of heat was their two fireplaces.

In the freshman class this fall are Beth L. Fellows, granddaughter of Ray and Madge Fellows and Sidney R. Gates, grandson of Warren and Sarah Trask.

Edland D. Savage is now living at 5 Floyd St., Winthrop 52, Mass.

This summer we had the pleasure of calling on Earle and Mary Vickery, Burton and Grace Flanders, George Fogg and the Cobbs, Will and Bell. We were sorry to miss Phil and Rebecca Emery who spent two weeks in Belfast and Washington County.

Leslie and Christine Sargent made their usual visit back to Brewer this summer. As this is benign written Leslie has been home about a week following surgical treatment at the hospital.

Next June, '63, we celebrate our 55th anniversary, believe it or not. Following our usual custom a class dinner is planned for Sunday, June 9, probably in the Bucksport area, the scene of many of our reunions. You will hear more of this later. But begin now to plan to attend. Our ranks are thinning—we must stick together. We are even looking ahead to our 60th in 1968.

1909 Mr. Fred D. Knight
9 Westmoreland Drive
West Hartford, 17, Conn.

It is good to know that Mrs. J. Randolph Bradstreet (Helen Steward) is making satisfactory recovery after serious surgery. I'm sure she would appreciate letters from old friends. Address 655 Brooks St., Laguna Beach, Calif.

In case anyone is concerned about the route taken by the Jess Masons on their trip to Alaska, as reported in the Oct.-Nov. issue of the *Alumnus*, let me explain that they made no new geographic discovery. They did not go via the "Quade Passage" but by the well known "Inside Passage." I'm resolved to write more legibly hereafter.

Naught niners were scarce at the October Homecoming. Disappointing, but I did have much pleasure in greeting many old friends about the Campus. Please drop me a line regarding your winter plans with addresses. At the moment Cuba should not be considered.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis F. Pike and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rich attended the Boston Alumni Picnic Sunday, Sept. 16, at the home of M. Eleanor Jackson. '20, Stoneham, Mass.

1910 Mr. George P. Goodrich
14 Lawn Ave., Portland

Your secretary was unable to get back to Homecoming, but thoroughly enjoyed the Bates-Maine game over the radio. Some thrilling game!

President Ernie was back to the game and advises he talked with Binks Gardner, Charlie Smith, and Charlie Stickney. He also had the pleasure of having lunch at the Bangor House with "Boardie," who had driven up from Waterville for the Homecoming. "Boardie," as you will recall, was president of U. of M. for a few years following graduation. Last June I had a very nice chat with him at commencement.

Word comes to us that Charlie Stickney and wife are heading for Nassau in November. They are both fine and have fully recovered from entertaining the children and grandchildren last summer. Their first grandchild, Sandra Warren, entered the University this fall, class of 1966. I understand they are very proud of this—who wouldn't be?

The following article appeared in the Portland Evening Express, Oct. 3, 1962. "Waterville (A.P.) Amos A. Winters has a 50 year Masonic Medal—pinned on his coat by his father, Henry T. Winters, who is 100 years old, and himself a 50 year Mason, at a Monday meeting of Waterville Lodge." Congratulations, Amos—few of us can boast of such a record.

1911 Mr. Clifford Patch
104 Grove Street, Bangor

The New York Journal American has published a long and interesting account of Marty McHale's career as a pitcher for the U. of M. and the Red Sox, Yankees, and Cleveland. Also described were his days in vaudeville, where he was known as the "Irish Thrush." The write-up contained many interesting anecdotes of the baseball world.

After a sojourn in the hospital "Nemo" Smith has returned to his normal habitat in Hyannis, Mass.

Dr. Ralph M. Holmes, who retired as chairman of the Physics Department at the University of Vermont, is now a lecturer in Physics at St. Michael's College, Winooski, Vt.

Mrs. Horace N. Lee, of Laguna Beach, Calif., has been traveling on a cross country tour to visit the eastern states, where her late husband had resided. She spent a morning at the Orono Campus and enjoyed visiting Oak and Fernald Halls. A married son and daughter also reside in California. Mr. Lee died Oct. 1, 1961, as reported in the Nov.-Dec. 1961 *Alumnus*.

1912 Mr. William E. Schrupp
84 College Ave., Orono

James L. Boyle, of Waterville, who not long ago was elected to his 44th term as department adjutant, is the oldest adjutant in line of service in the entire American Legion organization. He is also a member of the Sisters Hospital Advisory Board in Waterville.

Luther Russell, of Kents Hill, and Arthur Deering of Orono, at the recent 44th Annual Meeting of the Kennebec County Extension Association, were cited for their long service to the Association, Luther for 45 years and Arthur for 50 years. Arthur was the featured speaker at the meeting. He served as the first county agent in Kennebec County.

We are still getting favorable comments on our 50th Reunion. George B. Gale, by way of an item

in the Worcester, Mass. Gazette, reports that he had a wonderful time visiting with old friends while here.

BY CLASSES

1913 Mr. Clifton E. Chandler
12 Pinewood Drive, Cumberland Center

In a surprise ceremony at the annual Alumni luncheon at Amherst College this year, President Calvin H. Plimpton read a citation and presented a gift to Edward Foster Newport. Mr. Newport has been directly associated with the "Lord Jeff" sports scene longer than any other man. This soft spoken athletic trainer has taken care of Amherst College players for sixty of his seventy-nine years "Eddie" started in the days when athletic trainers depended on vigorous rub-downs and a variety of liniments to soothe the aching bones and muscles of the bruised athletes. His two year short pharmacy course at the University of Maine enabled him to concoct his own liniments and rubbing oils which were often far better than those prepared by commercial formulas. According to the Journal Record, Amherst, Mass., "Eddie" has signed up for another year. Congratulations, "Eddie" for this outstanding service record.

Our good friend and Classmate "Flicky" Richards says "If any of us who are in the process of unraveling and a bit disturbed as to whether or not they will make the 50th Reunion will welcome a few excerpts from the column—"Ask Ole Doc"—Slow down—live longer—let go and trust to the unknown—bend and survive; It's a wasted day when you haven't laughed—with coronaries increasing 2,000% since 1930, our best antidote is to walk for exercise—try going away with someone but be sure you ask your wife first; when you lose your ball, don't argue, take the stroke and distance assessment; if the baywindow gets there before the chest, exercises are in order, bend, stretch, roll, anything to put "the pot back on the stove"—have fun without too much stressing, spend less, enjoy it more." Thanks "Flicky" for the \$37.50—that put's you in the \$100.00 matured value class.

I have just mailed you a class letter—please give it the attention it deserves. The success of our 50th Reunion is dependent on each one of us doing his share—have you done yours?

1915 Mrs. Harold P. Adams
(Margaret Holyoke)
42 Boston Rock Rd., Melrose 17, Mass.

Another honor has come to the class of 1915. In June the honorary degree of Doctor of Commercial Science was conferred on Raymond Fogler by Nasson College, Springvale, Me. Quotes from the citation by President Roger C. Gay, President. "A distinctive son of Maine with widespread interests"—"Yankee traits and habits of honesty, hard work, perseverance and plain speech"—"It matters not whether youth comes from the deepest woods or the busiest street—ability and hard work, guided by fair play and respect for the rights of others, are the only limits of achievement." We are happy to congratulate Raymond on receiving this honor to add to his already long list.

An overdue item of interest is the following: Neal Donahue, of Auburn, was reelected president of the Androscoggin Historical Society.

1916 Mrs. Evelyn W. Harmon
(Evelyn Winship)
R #1 Livermore Falls

I was fortunate enough to have the opportunity to go to Homecoming, and I had a most delightful time. I saw and had a few words with "Lew" (Lewis O.) Barrows and his wife, Myron Peabody and his wife, Prof. Maynard Jordan and his wife, Frances Dugan (Mrs. John H.) Carleton, "Tom" (Thomas G.) Mangan. At the Alumni Luncheon, 1916 was represented on the platform with the champion 1912 football team by "Lew" (Lewis H.) Kriger and his wife and Frances Dugan Carleton with her husband, John H. Carleton '13.

I was very sorry to receive a letter from Mollie Burleigh Goodwin, telling me of the death of her husband, Benjamin A. Goodwin, July 16. I am sure we all wish to extend to her our very sincere sympathy.

Lewis O. Barrows, president of the Newport Trust Company, submitted his resignation from that office effective August 31.

John T. Leacock ended a 45-year paper industry career with his Sept. 1 retirement as chemist of the Turners Falls Division of the Strathmore Paper Co.

1917 Mrs. William F. West
(Helen L. Danforth)
191A Broadway, Bangor

Your substitute secretary, Grace Coffin, will try to do as well as may be for this issue, with a rather slim budget of news.

The Wests went on their long-planned trip, though it was in doubt for a time. Helen broke her

wrist about two weeks before they intended to leave, and had some dubious thoughts about traveling in a cast. But the doctors were cooperative, made some "adjustments" and started her off, complete with cast and letter to a doctor in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Harland Dolloff (Ruth March Fairchild) have also been on a trip by motor to the west coast. We understand they have returned very recently.

Flora (Howard) Mayo is serving as president of the Cosmopolitan Club of Dover-Foxcroft. This is one of the member clubs of the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

The International Association of Game, Fish and Conservation Commissioners, meeting this fall in Wyoming, elected Roland H. Cobb to the executive committee. Roland is Maine Fish and Game Commissioner, and is the only person from the northeastern states now serving on the official board of the international association.

Our sympathy goes to the relatives of Philip Thompson Verrill. He died in October.

1918 Mr. Francis Head
208 Essex St., Bangor

Wes Evans still has an office in Boardman Hall, and he hosted Carl Brugge, Mark Crockett, Don Perry, George Sullivan and your Sec. We decided to make a special effort for our 45th next June, with identification, possibly an overseas hat recognizing that we were a war class.

The photo of Sons and Daughters showed for 1918 Beverly L. Huntley, granddaughter of the late Lester Leighton; Walter M. Payson, Walter M., deceased; and John A. Wentworth, grandson of Ralph C.

Russell C. Chapman runs a "one-horse" insurance business in Boston, and in summer is host for cottages and motel units 3 miles west of Bridgton. Son in Portland with 1½ children, daughter in Detroit. Florida in his own boat gave him too much sun, so he had to give it up.

Wes was in Philadelphia in October at the annual meeting of the Engineers Council for Professional Development.

Howard E. Keyes of Wilton was cited for 37 years service at the meeting of Independent Insurance Agents in September in Portland.

Harry Ellsworth of Farmington represented Franklin County at a meeting of the Maine Soil Conservation District Supervisors Assoc.

1919 Mrs. James H. Freeland
(Polly Mansur)
120 Grove St., Bangor

After 21 years in the town and city manager profession, Rockland City manager, Charles Haynes, has resigned. He and Mrs. Haynes plan to retire to their home in Ellsworth.

S. W. Collins has been reappointed by Gov. Reed, as a member of the board of trustees of the University.

In corporation papers for Northland Apples, Inc., at Turner, lists Rufus Prince as corporation clerk.

1920 M. Eleanor Jackson, C.L.U.
140 Federal Street
Boston 10, Massachusetts

Duffy Chadbourne writes, "Have just returned from the annual convention of the British North America Philatelic Society convention at the Alpine Inn, Ste. Marguerite, Quebec. This year concludes my two-year office as President of this eleven hundred member society. Spent two days last April at University of Florida, Gainesville, lecturing on "Financial Administration of Corporate Pension Plans."

Elva (Gilman) Boynton writes, "In March, Ray and I went to Pakistan for the bridge dedication. Upon arrival we discovered the Government had decided to have the ceremony in May. We continued on through India, Thailand, Hong-Kong, Japan and Hawaiian Islands. We arrived in New York in time for Ray to check his mail and return to Pakistan—without me. May is very hot over there. The Lisbon job is underway which means he will be going over about once a month. I hope to go again when vacation time comes along. Right now we are thrilled to be going to New England for the foliage."

Dot Holbrook sent a card from Athens. "It's been a perfect journey and we hate to see the end approaching. It's fun to be in Athens and our 5 day boat trip was most interesting. Visited Crete, Rhodes, Mykonos, etc., and had a most congenial group. Asia was really something and we won't soon forget our sojourn. On to Rome on Tuesday and then home."

A good picture and long write-up about Linwood Chase in the Mirror, Hingham, Mass. He retired last June from B. U. School of Education. Linwood is planning on devoting his time to writing. First assignment will be a short book for elementary school children in England entitled "The New England Settler" this will be part of a series published by the Oxford University Press. His second assignment is a report describing the way commercial television contributes to the development of social studies for the elementary school child by increasing his information and sensitivity to the world around him.

The Lewiston Sun gives Alonzo Harriman good unpaid advertising, June 18, "The Auburn architectural firm of Alonzo J. Harriman Asso., Inc., has been named by the Army Corps of Engineers to survey potential fall-out shelters in Maine's first

and Second Congressional Districts." It goes on to say Alonzo's firm has done some preliminary work under Civil Defense program. July 26, "Nationally known architect, Alonzo J. Harriman will be one of the group of distinguished persons present Friday at the laying of a cornerstone for the new electrical engineering building," on campus north end.

The Courier-Gazette had been having a Recipe Contest. The July 21 report gives a long write-up about Flossie (Chandler) Clark's recipe and the story in back of the recipe—condensed: The recipe comes from Munich, "Fried Elderberry Blossoms." Pick blossoms with a short stem. Dip them in a thin batter and lower by stem into a kettle of deep fat (just under smoking point), fry until light golden brown, drain on paper, dust with confectioners sugar. Spices or flavoring may be added to batter. Flossie reports via column, "the result is delicious, a novelty that has the appearance of lace."

Kennebec Journal, August 29, carries picture of Frank Besse, president of Associated Industries of Maine, presenting Hazzard Award to the winner for this past year. This is a top safety award given annually by Associated Industries of Maine to member firms in the 500,000 to million Manhours Worked category for Most Improved Record in previous year.

1921 Mrs. Stormont Josselyn
(Emile Kritter)
229 Kenoza Ave., Haverhill, Mass.

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Lucy Kilby, retiring this year after three decades of teaching in the high school at Eastport, was honored at an informal reception attended by former students, parents, teachers, principals, superintendents, professional and business men, and many friends. She was presented with gifts, including a leather bound book containing 200 letters from former students unable to be present. Lucy is what other teachers and superintendents refer to as a "dedicated teacher."

Alton Littlefield, V. P. and manager of division operations, Central Maine Power Co., was recently named Vice President in a general capacity. A VP since 1949, Alton, who came to Central in 1921, held positions of advertising manager, director of public relations, and general sales manager.

Lindsay March, Prin. Andover, Mass., H. S. from 1956-1962, was appointed in June '62 first guidance teacher for Eliot High. A graduate of our class, also Harvard, B. U. and the U. of Washington, Lindsay has 28 hours credit toward his doctorate. He has taught summers at Farmington State, Bridgewater (Mass.) State Teachers, and the Mass. Dept. of Education. What an impressive contribution to Education.

Rena Campbell Bowles presided recently on campus at a panel discussion at the Institute on the Education of Women for the Changing World. Subject: "The Role of the Educated Woman as an Individual."

Percy Blackwell, Oaktown, Va., "following my four years' Army tour in W.W. II, I have been in government employment, except for four years with a large equipment manufacturer. Six of those years were overseas in connection with foreign aid in the highway area. At present, as Chief of the Nuclear Energy Branch, U. S. Bureau of Public Roads, am promoting the use of this new energy in our highway program."

Temple Bradley, Gloucester, Mass. Executive V. P. of a \$22,000,000 country bank, Cape Ann Savings Bank, is a trustee of the Addison Gilbert Hospital, the Trinity Congregational Church, and the Y.M.C.A. and president of the Bass Rocks Club. Temp has two children, six grandchildren.

Richard Mulvaney, Portland, is still traveling on the road! "Forty years and still going strong!" Thinks he may retire in about 20 years.

Lucille E. Smith, Portland, recently returned from a delightful two month tour of Europe, is now busy with club work, and looking forward to another trip next summer.

Don Coady, Biddeford, who doesn't get out much these days, extends a cordial invitation to his classmates to stop in for a chat. Our class president, George Ginsberg, recently called on Don to bring him up to date.

EDITORS NOTE:

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Josselyn in the death of her husband, Stormont, on Sept. 30, 1962. Mr. Josselyn was a graduate of Dartmouth College.

1923

Mrs. Norman E. Torrey
(Toni Gould)
9 Poplar St., Bangor

Edward C. Fossett, Unity Mill test supervisor, was written up recently by one of Maine's leading newspapers, because of his outstanding success in improving the dairy herds in Waldo County during the past ten years. He works under the jurisdiction of the U. of M. Extension Service. He and Mrs. Fossett have three married daughters and a son, as well as a number of grandchildren.

Former Supt. of Schools, Harold A. Wiggins, of Union had said that he planned to retire after 13 years there and 30 years in the teaching field, but this fall he accepted a position as Ass't. Supt. of schools for Ellsworth, Franklin, Lamoine and Surry. He will be in charge while the present Supt. is on a year's sabbatical leave.

Hubert Nevers, who is Postmaster at Patten, played a prominent part in the dedication ceremonies of Patten's new Post Office, recently.

Evelyn McGlauffin, who resides in Copiague, N. Y., spent the summer with her sister in Calais.

Dr. Kenneth F. Woodbury, of Gray, who retired as Ass't state commissioner of education in N. J., after serving in the state's educational system for more than 35 years, is now a part-time instructor of teachers in Field Extension Division of the U. of M. He has recently been appointed as an educational consultant to the board of education of the new North Middlesex Regional High School District of Pepperell and Townsend, Mass. In his new position he will assist and advise the board for an indefinite period regarding the selection of a Supt. of Schools and in matters of school administration and community relations.

1924

Mrs. Clarence C. Little
(Beatrice Johnson)
R.F.D. 1, Ellsworth

Thomas J. Carlin has written an article published in the Paper Trade Journal of September 3, 1962, entitled: "Kraft Pulp Mill: Continuous Digester Plus Chlorine Dioxide Bleaching."

Herbert S. Brasseur served as a panelist with other distinguished personnel in a recent program entitled: "United Front for Progress" at the seminary at Bradford Junior College. The Greater Haverhill (Mass.) Chamber of Commerce, the Gazette and the College were the sponsors.

Charles A. Whitten of Augusta has been appointed State Bridge Engineer.

Clarence M. Spearin of Old Town has been elected President of The Maine Vocational Association. He is an instructor in the Old Town H. S.

Dr. Howard L. Bowen of Hallowell has been elected Secretary of the Maine Heart Association.

James MacLeod who died on August 24th will be posthumously honored at the American Public Works Association in New Orleans, La., at its annual convention. He was slated to receive the Association's Samuel A. Greeley Service Award for 1962.

Judson M. Grant and his wife have sold their Fairmount Terrace Hotel in Bangor.

Conrad E. Kennison was recently voted into the Vice-Presidency of the Kennebec Valley Board of Realtors.

Orion R. Stanley of Kezar Falls who is a cattle raiser and funeral director was written up in the July 4th '62 issue of the Portland Press Herald. He has carried on his family's interests and civic works and has a most absorbing and busy life which includes showing his purebred Hereford cattle at fairs throughout New England.

John Small of Portland is President of the Maine Association of State Employees.

Congratulations to Theodore E. Hatch who has just received a Bronfman prize for public health achievement. His citation read, "For the application of engineering principles to the physiology of man." The award carries with it \$5,000.00 cash, an engraved scroll and a mounted crystal cube.

Philip H. Taylor has retired from the U. S. Army but is still working in Washington, D. C. as a civilian.

Louise (Messer) Mayo went to Europe this summer with the U. of M. travel course. She lives in Bath, Maine.

Ellen (Myers) Stevens of Hamburg, N. Y. has been elected a member of the Regional Executive Board and a member of the National Council of Camp Fire Girls with which organization she has been doing volunteer work in leadership since 1939. Incidentally, congratulations to you and Dearborn ('25) on your thirty-fifth wedding anniversary on August 25, Ellen.

Conrad E. Kennison, realtor in Augusta, has just been appointed representative of the well-known Grossman homes and will develop their sales.

Arthur O. Willey has been made president of the Lubrizol Corp. of Wickliffe, Ohio. He is the first non-family member to be made president of the 34 year old unique firm. He lives with his wife Dorothy in Gates Mills, Ohio. They have a married daughter.

George E. Lord, our busy class treasurer, spoke on the expansion of the International Farm Youth Exchange Program at the Belfast Rotary Club.

Lena Shorey is president of the Knox County Retired Teachers' Assoc.

Danitz Arangelovich of Carlos Caplina 14, Belgrade, Yugoslavia, has sent the University a beautiful framed hand worked tapestry.

Jagat Ram Sethi, who as an Indian student on campus, taught Maine women the fine art of field hockey, was encountered in his native country during Dr. Bricker's drama tour. Mr. Sethi asked the Maine group to sing the Stein Song after the show. He is a chemist.

1925

Mrs. William E. Schrupf
(Mildred "Brownie" Brown)
84 College Ave., Orono

Among the many teachers in our Class is Madeleine Field, at Vanceboro High School, and John LaPlante who is teaching biology and French at Gardiner High School.

Owner-Manager of the Penobscot Hotel in Bangor, Reginald Cratty, has sold the 133-year old property, and it is now Husson Hall, a men's dormitory, for nearby Husson College.

"Bob" Haswell has been reelected president of the board of trustees of the Eastern Maine General Hospital.

Frank Hussey has been assigned by Sec. of Agriculture, Orville W. Freeman, responsibility for de-

veloping marketing orders and agreements. He becomes assistant to John B. Duncan, Jr., asst. sec. for agricultural marketing and stabilization. Frank has been in Washington with the Department of Agriculture since April 1961.

Merton J. Gribbins, of Manchester, journeyed to Nice, France, in June, when a fellow Lion became president of Lion's International. A past Lion's International director, Gribbin served as campaign manager throughout the past three conventions, and again headed the drive and District 41-L promotion.

Harold ("Hap") Gerrish is Kennebec County's GOP chairman. "Hap" is a consulting utilities engineer in Augusta.

The Rev. Stanley Hyde, of Portland, state conference minister of Christian Education, presided at a leadership training committee meeting of the Congregational-Christian Conference at Winthrop in October.

Mrs. M. E. (Marcia) Bailey, of Orono, who received her M.A. in 1925, has an exhibit of 17 paintings in water colors and oil on the Bangor Public Library. This is the 14th yearly exhibit for Mrs. Bailey at the library, but her works have been entered in many shows, both in Maine and outside of Maine.

1926

Mrs. Trygve Heistad
(Shirley Roberts)
503 Riverside Drive, Augusta

Spofford Giddings has been named Vice President and Manager of Central Maine Power to succeed Alton Littlefield who has been named Vice President in general capacity. Spofford has been with the Central Maine Power since 1928 and has served as District Superintendent in Gardiner and as Assistant Division Manager of the Company's Northern Division in Waterville.

Charlotte Osgood Fifield is owner and manager of Homestead Inn in Ludlow, Mass. The Inn is situated a mile or so North of exit 7 on the Turnpike. Just the place to stop for delicious food in an attractive and relaxing atmosphere.

Paul Atwood has been named as a member of the Board of Education in East Haddam, Conn.

Austin Wilkins—once again has assumed a position of responsibility concerning our Forests. This time he has accepted an invitation to serve on the forest fire control committee of the North American Forestry Commission. He is one of six United States members. Canada and Mexico each supply four representatives.

Leone Dakin Nutting—continues to be busy as one of the Trustees of Higgins Classical Institute in Charleston.

"Dick" Uong, Senior Vice President of Fitchburg Paper Company—Tryg recently had occasion to visit Dick at the new plant. Dick has five daughters, three of them are currently in college, one has graduated and is working in Boston, the fifth daughter is still in school at home.

Trygve Heistads—feeling a bit blue just now as our youngest daughter Anna Marie with her husband and young son are enroute to California where they plan to make their home. David has accepted a job with NASA and they will be located near Palo Alto. Meanwhile we rejoice with our older daughter Selma in the birth of a son (her fourth child).

Now how about all the rest of you members of the Class of '26 sending us some news of yourselves, your children and grandchildren?

1927

Mr. Charles M. Washburn
Bangor Daily News, Bangor

The carrier pigeons bringing notes from members of the Class of 1927 have failed to put in appearance to date. Undoubtedly scared off by threats of war.

A notable exception: Royce Davis gets word through that he and Mrs. Davis are living at Hammond, La. He is a retired Navy Captain. The family roster includes three children, a son at Officer Candidate School (Navy), one a senior at college and a daughter at home.

Edward Johnson, State Horticulturist at the Department of Agriculture, Augusta, reports the second daughter attending Maine. She is Deborah, Class of '66. Daughter Sara Lou graduated last June.

Christine (MacLaughlin) Roberts is a member of the faculty of Bangor High School where she is teaching mathematics. She graduated from there in 1922.

Vernon McFadden, who guides the destiny of the big Underwood Company packing plant at Jonesport has added another civic duty to the many community jobs that come his way. He is president of the Eastern Maine Tuberculosis and Health Association.

Two class members have attained high honors in Masonic bodies in the state. Earle Webster is having an active term as Potentate of Anah Temple, Order of the Mystic Shrine. Leon Sanborn of Gorham

is a Past Master of the Grand Lodge of Maine.

Henry C. Waldo, manager of the Wood Department of the Franconia Paper Corp., Lincoln, N. H., was honored by the New England Council for his contribution to good forest management.

Hope the carrier pigeons are more active next month.

1928 Mrs. William B. Ledger
(Emma E. Thompson)
75 Woodmont St., Portland

Hazel Lindsey Brainard has been appointed an associate of Frances B. Cambria and Associates, realtors, of Middletown, Conn. Hazel is also a member of A A U W, secretary of the University Club, past president of Connecticut Valley Hospital Auxiliary, and publicity chairman of the Middlesex Memorial Hospital Auxiliary.

Delia Houghton was elected treasurer of the Cemetery Assn. in Roque Bluffs. Delia lives there (I was born there), and teaches in a beautiful new high school in Machias.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome (Romeo) Knowles, of Northeast Harbor, attended the Massachusetts Assn. of Real Estate Board's fall convention. Romeo is New England vice pres.

Mrs. Chester A. Robinson (Irene Emerson) had a prominent part in the Founder's Day Service of the First Congregational Church as Brewer began it's Sesqui-Centennial Celebration.

Mose Nanigan was appointed presiding judge at Gorham Raceway this season, and many others as usual, I assume.

Kenneth C. Lovejoy, State 4-H Club Leader is active in a campaign to raise funds for Pine Tree State 4-H Club Foundation.

David W. Fuller, Bangor, is secretary of the Maine Oil and Heating Equipment Dealers Assn.

Mrs. Richard Dolloff (Erdine Besse) attended the National Convention of Chi Omega at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., she is personnel advisor for Xi Beta Chapter at Maine.

1929 Mrs. Matthew E. Highlands
(Ramona Poley)
111 Forest Avenue, Orono

On visiting the museum at the Bird Sanctuary in Ellsworth last summer I was surprised to discover that our guide was Catherine Osgood Skofield. Since her husband died a few years ago she has been teaching school and living with her mother in

Ellsworth. This past summer she worked at the museum on weekends.

Worth Noyes is now president of the Orrington PTA.

J. Elliott Hale of Norridgewock was elected this year vice president of the Maine Assn. of Engineers.

Burleigh Hutchins has been appointed vice president in charge of manufacturing and engineering for Bird & Son, Inc., Walpole, Mass. He has been with Bird since July, 1961. His new duties will include supervision of manufacturing and engineering in all plants, ten of them, from Louisiana to Maine.

George Cunningham is back at the U. of Maine. He has been appointed assistant professor of mathematics. Since graduating from Maine he has done graduate work at Harvard and Boston University as well as at Maine where he got his masters degree in 1958. He has taught in a number of Maine schools. He has also worked in industry as plant manager and then vice president and works manager of the Empire Coil Co. in New Rochelle, N. Y., and was a business consultant for two years. The past two years he has served as director of mathematics education for the N. H. State Dept. of Education.

Robert Palmer, Jr., is following in his father's footsteps in choosing a profession. He is town manager of Limestone. His dad is still serving as city manager in Barre, Vt.

Andrew Welch has received new honors. In August at the Maine Vocational Assn. meetings he received a 25-year teaching award and gold watch presented by Sears-Roebuck Foundation in recognition of his service to Maine youths and agricultural education.

Reginald Merrill's son, Reginald, Jr., was named president at a Methodist Youth Fellowship Conference held in Augusta a few months ago.

Curtis Hutchins of Bangor who is president of the St. Croix Paper Co. was a member of a paper mill management panel at the Paper Technology Institute program held at the U. of Maine last summer.

1930 Mrs. Ernest J. Pero
(Jeanette Roney)
11 West End Ave., Westboro, Mass.

Holiday Greetings:

For the first time since graduation, I was able to get back for Homecoming—the continuation of our old Maine Night. Those with whom I talked or saw in the crowd included: Ed Stern and Molly, Polly Dunn, Bea Carter Cushman, Horace Pratt, Bill Daley and Myrilla, Ruth Taylor Madsen, Cliff McIntire, Lee Wescott, Hortense Bradbury Monaghan, Charlie Schlosberg, and Noddy Mansur. Sorry if I missed you.

Ruth Taylor Madsen's son is among the alumni sons and daughters at Maine. Also in this group is Mary Wadsworth, daughter of Paul; Susan Conant, Ruth Heald's daughter; David Inman, son of Harold; Sargent Means, son of Horace; and Cyrus Morris, son of Harry.

The son of our one-time class president, Harry Moyer, is president of the Beta House, which has been redecorated and looks wonderful.

One of the events of the weekend was the laying of the cornerstone for the Hauck Auditorium. This is a much needed addition to our campus and a tribute to a great man accomplished through the efforts of a loyal alumni.

Lewis Roberts, County Agent in Piscataquis County and living in Dover-Foxcroft, is chairman of the Kiwanis Club's committee on Agriculture & Conservation.

Carl Gross, president of the Eastern Telephone Company, was responsible for providing Matinicus Island with a new telephone service. Previously all calls to the island were sent thru the Coast Guard by its submarine cable.

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Horace Estey has been appointed chairman of the Public Relations Committee of the American Public Powers Association, an association of municipally-owned public utilities throughout the nation. Horace is superintendent of the Department of Public Works and manager of Municipal Lighting Plant at Wellesley, Massachusetts.

Lewis Hutchinson, science teacher at Livermore Falls High School, was one of more than ninety teachers attending the Summer Institute for Science at Colby College last summer. He received his Master of Education degree from Maine in 1952.

John Moran explained the role and responsibilities of the newspaper managing editor to the teachers' workshop at Summer School. Jack is managing editor of the *Bangor Daily News*.

Paul Wadsworth of Hiram was reelected president of the Hereford Organization.

Ruth Heald Conant, who teaches in Skowhegan and has two daughters at Maine also finds time to be curator of History House which is open during the summer on Norridgewock Avenue, Skowhegan.

At the spring meeting of the Association of Engineers held in Millinocket, Horace Pratt of Orono was elected secretary-treasurer.

Harold Inman is District Governor of the Rotary Club.

Katherine Veazie, city accountant of Rockland, was presented a cake and certificate by employees of Rockland City Hall upon completion of twenty-five years of service. Kay started her career in the fall of 1930 in the employ of the *Portland Press Herald* and taught arithmetic in the sixth grade from 1933-1937 when she began her work for the city.

Dr. Mary Crowley Mulvey is administrator for the Division of Aging in Rhode Island and was a featured speaker on the medicare program at a public rally in New Bedford last June.

Albert Gates, Jr., of Washington, D. C., acting chief of the Engineering Section Environmental Services Branch, Division of Research Services, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Md., presented a paper on survival shelters at the annual meeting in Miami of the American Society of Heating Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers, the sixth largest engineering society in this country.

Willard P. Baker, Supt. of Construction of the Brown Co., Berlin, N. H., since 1955, has been appointed Project Engineer, Central Engineering Dept.

The redevelopment of downtown Bangor is a project of the Chamber of Commerce of which Russell Lathrop is the new president. Russ, manager of the W. T. Grant store in Bangor, was also elected president of the local Y.M.C.A. at the annual meeting.

John M. Palmer has a new address via Gaspari, Gozzi 1, Milano, Italy. He is with General Tel. Sylvania for three years in Milan. His son John is attending the American School in Switzerland.

Horace Pratt was reelected secretary of the Maine Association of Engineers. He was also elevated to deputy grand high priest of Maine Royal Arch Masons.

Recently completing 25 years with Otis Division, International Paper Co., is John Batchelder, Laboratory Supt.

The Eastern Maine Alumnae Club of Pi Beta Phi held a cookout at the home of Prof. and Mrs. Edward Brush in Orono. Seven colleges were represented and our class by Bea Carter Cushman, our ass't. sec. and her daughter, Virginia '62.

George Crummins was elected president of the N. E. Interscholastic Swimming Assn. He has headed the Maine Assn. of Swimming Coaches and has coached that sport at Brunswick High for 26 years.

Norwood Mansur of Augusta was reappointed district chairman for the National Federation of Independent Business.

Robert Bancroft has been appointed paper mill superintendent of the So. Brewer mill of the Eastern Fine Paper and Pulp Division, Standard Packaging Corp.

Associate Prof. Henry Plummer was head of the forest utilization trip for 18 students in June to observe logging and pulpwood observations in northern Maine, Que., and N. B.

Katherine Veazie was elected treasurer of the Shakespeare Society in Rockland at the annual meeting.

1931 Mrs. Sam Sezak
(Ethel Thomas)
4 Gilbert St., Orono

Teachers' Convention at Portland gave me the opportunity to have a short visit with Mac '32 and Mary (Galaher) Buchan in their delightful home in South Portland. My luncheon partner on Friday at Yarmouth High School turned out to be Hazel (Parkhurst) Sawyer who has returned to teaching at Pennell Institute in her home town of Gray, Hazel and her husband Elbert were also attendants at the Homecoming game this fall.

Vinc Cuozzo has been named head of the Industrial Arts Department at Bangor High School this fall. He has taught Mechanical Drawing there since 1940. His daughter Diane is a student at the University.

William Jenkins, husband of Marjorie (Moore) Jenkins, is a candidate for the Brewer City Council. Marjorie is teacher and chairman of the English Department at Brewer High School. Their son, William, was a 1962 graduate of the University, and is now serving as a 2nd Lieut. with the Adjutant General Corps.

Roger Brown has recently been promoted to chief engineer, boiler division, of the Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Co. Roger joined the company in 1937 as an inspector in the Hartford branch office. He became assistant chief engineer, boiler division, in 1947.

Mildred (Merrifield) Walter has been named vice chairman of the Lincoln County Reed for Governor Committee. She will assist in campaign activities for that county and will be in charge of arrangements of social events for the governor's wife. Mildred is a former teacher in the town of Waldoboro and is very active in civic affairs.

Col. George Hargraves, USAR, assistant director of research in the Springfield public schools, has been named commandant of the 1049th ARSU Reserve School in Springfield by the U. S. Army.

Darius Joy, Jr., county supervisor of the Farmers Home Administration for Knox and Lincoln Counties, announced recently that loans are now available to enable eligible farmers to carry out better forestry management practices.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis "Micky" McGuire were honored at a surprise Silver Wedding Anniversary party by neighbors and friends this summer. "Micky" is director of plant and facilities at the University. In June of this year, "Micky" was the recipient of the Silver Beaver Award for Boy Scouting, the highest recognition which can be bestowed on an individual for outstanding service to the community and youth of his area.

Included among officials of the University at the ceremony placing the cornerstone for the new electrical engineering building was Parker Cushman, director of engineering services at the University.

Nortie Lamb was elected treasurer of the Maine Multiple Listing Service, Inc., at its annual meeting at the Eastland Motor Hotel.

Seen at Homecoming were the happy faces of Myrilla Guilfoil Daley, Mal Devine and Bill Hamblet.

1932 Miss Angela Miniutti
55 Ashmont St., Portland

John T. Barry, vice president of P. J. Byrnes Co., Inc., of Bangor has been appointed civilian aide for Maine to the Secretary of the Army. As one of 65 civilian aides in the country, his activities will include explaining the Army's missions and objectives to communities and interpreting civilian views and reactions for the Army. The appointment to this honorary position is for two years.

Harold E. Bryant of Presque Isle, who is executive vice president of the Maine Potato Council and consultant to the Maine Potato Commission, has been appointed to the National Agricultural Advisory Commission. The 25 members of this commission serve as consultants directly to Secretary of Agriculture Orville Freeman. He is the only person on the commission to represent the overall interests of the fruit and vegetable industries.

James W. Fuller, industrial hygiene engineer, Dept. of Health and Welfare, was one of the key engineers who met in Augusta recently to discuss plans for a proposed radiological facility to be added to the Health and Welfare Building in Augusta.

Smith C. McIntire of Perham received a FFA 25-year farming recognition award at a state FFA meeting at the U. of M. this summer. He was also a recipient of an Honorary State Farmer Degree. Smith, an outstanding farmer, has served as manager of the Aroostook Farm Labor Assoc., is a member of Gov. Reed's special potato council, and has recently been appointed to serve on the National Potato Council.

Stacy R. Miller of Orono has accepted the general chairmanship of the "Orono Twins" the local campaign to meet the annual needs of the Y. M. C. A. and the Community House. He is administrative assistant in the Extension Service at the U. of M.

Hugh H. Morton, Westbrook, Production Manager, S. D. Warren Co., was elected 5th vice president of the Paper Industry Management Assoc. at the recent annual convention in Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. Horace Croxford (Isabelle Robinson) has recently accepted a position as librarian as well as a teacher of English at Cony High School, Augusta.

Announcement has been made of the engagement

of Mrs. Margaret (Barnes) Ebbett of Houlton to Clayton J. Sullivan of Elmhurst, Ill. Margaret is a graduate of Wheaton College and is assistant to the Dean of Students at Ricker College, Houlton. Clayton is Report Consolidation Manager in the Home Office Accounting Dept. of Montgomery Ward and Co. They plan to be married in the fall and to reside in Elmhurst.

1933 Mrs. Robert Pendleton
(Betty Barrows)
Island Falls

Class officers Tom Desmond and Art Forrestall are getting ready to start the ball rolling on reunion plans. Art will be Reunion Chairman. All volunteers can get in touch with Tom or Art.

John Doyle, who has served as an airport engineer in the Portland office of the Federal Aviation Agency since 1958 has joined the Edward C. Jordan Company, Portland civil and sanitary engineering firm.

John Wilson has been elected vice president of Metals & Controls, Inc., a corporate division of Texas Instruments Incorporated.

Leroy Shaw, Central Maine Power Company representative in Unity since 1938, has been promoted to the position of manager in Dexter.

Cadet Alan McClure, son of James and Mary '29 McClure, is one of the ten Maine young men in the cadet wing at the Air Force Academy.

Kennebec Journal had an interesting article about Rose Cole Lewis. Rose has enjoyed success as a designer-craftsman. She has a workshop in her Washington, D. C., home where she designs personalized waste baskets, desk sets and many other items.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra (Helen Osgood) Ripple 3rd, of West Hartford, Conn., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Jennifer Ripple, to Frederick E. Ashworth, Jr., son of Rear Admiral and Mrs. Frederick Ashworth of Bethesda, Md. A summer wedding is planned.

Eleanor (West) Yerxa attended a Girl Scout Professional Staff meeting recently at Northampton, Mass.

Bob attended the "M" club meeting Friday night of Homecoming weekend so we were on campus for all the events. Thirty-three'ers whom we saw were: Dean Winthrop '32 and Betty Libby, Joe and Leone Penley, Ed and Mary Lou Giddings and Dick Snare.

1934 Mrs. Donald Corbett
(Frankie Dean)

245 Union Blvd., St. Louis 8, Missouri
Clarence K. Wadsworth has been appointed Manager of Research and Development for the William Underwood Co. Waddy will be responsible for developing new products within the company. He received both his B.S. and M.S. at U. of M. and his Ph.D. at Michigan State U.

Rachel (Adams) Barker has a daughter Allison, a senior at Netherwood School in New Brunswick who attended a 17 day 12th annual All States Encampment of the Girl Scouts at Twin Lake, Tocanaj, Mich. She was one of 120 chosen from all over the U. S.

Claire S. Sanders attended the National Convention of the Delta Zeta Sorority in Hot Springs, Ark.

Paul R. Langlois is now principal of Amherst Regional High School in Amherst, Mass.

Roscoe Cuozzo of Orono was on the Special features committee for the Maine Broiler Festival last summer, while Blair Cobb of Belfast was general chairman.

Robert C. Russ, assistant to the president of Union Mutual Life Ins. Co. has been named chairman of the fund-raising comm. of the Maine Higher Education Assistance Foundation.

E. Merle Hildreth is scout executive of the Boston Council and was the guest speaker at the Katahdin Area Council, Boys Scouts of America for their 13th annual beef barbecue at the Scout Reservation.

The New York Mercantile Exchange appointed Tom Findlen of Fort Fairfield as one of 10 new members to its Maine Potato Advisory Comm.

1935 Mrs. Charles G. Paine
(Louise Rosie)
212 West Broadway, Bangor

M. Milton MacBride, president and manager of Easton Potato Enterprises, has been appointed a member of the Maine Potato Commission. Milt lives in Presque Isle and is a member of the Agricultural Advisory Comm. of the University of Maine, a director of the Perry Insurance Co. of Presque Isle, a past chairman of the Maine Potato Marketing Comm., and is a trustee of Ricker Classical Institute of Houlton.

Frances (Knight) Norris of Lyndonville, Vt., is teaching grades 3, 4 and 5 at North Danville, Vt., this year. She taught last year in the Darien, Conn., schools.

John S. Getchell, Lieut.-Col. U. S. Army Reserves, and associate professor of food science at the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station at the University, has been discharged from the Waterville (Conn.) Hospital where he was treated for injuries sustained in an automobile accident. When the accident occurred, John was en route home from two weeks active duty at Bethesda, Md.

Gridley W. Tarbell, city mayor of Belfast, has been reappointed Waldo County disclosure commissioner by Gov. John Reed. Grid recently took part in the ceremonies initiating the construction of a new shoe factory at Belfast.

Rev. Lawrence S. Staples has been appointed to the Wesley (Mass.) Methodist Church. After graduating from Maine, Lawrence attended Bangor Theological Seminary & Boston University School of Theology. He has served as chaplain with the 13th Air Force in the Philippines, at the Northampton Veterans Hospital, and with the First Cavalry Div. of the Army in Korea. He has held various pastorates in Maine and Massachusetts and served for five years at the Everett First Methodist Church before coming to Wesley. The Staples have a daughter Donna Ruth, 13, who attends the Pickering School.

Paul W. Bean of Auburn, agent for the Union Water Power Co., has been elected to the executive committee of the Maine Association of Engineers.

Frank W. Myers was assistant director of the University Summer Session this year. Frank and his wife Eloise (Hutchinson 38) live in Old Town.

Marion E. Martin, Maine Commissioner of Labor and Industry, was one of the speakers at the 1962 Seminar on Electrical Safety held at the University in September.

1936 Mrs. Albert Temple Smith
(Dorothy Jones)
Harbor St., Belfast

Gerald Beverage of Augusta is in the spotlight with four honors. In May he was awarded the Silver Beaver Award by the Pine Tree Council, B. S. of A., in June he was appointed to the Lithgow Library Board of Trustees, in September he was named Chairman of the small business solicitation for the Kennebec Valley Community Chest Drive, and recently he was elected Sec.-Treas. of the Kennebec Board of Realtors. In his "spare" time he is Manager of the Real Estate Claims Department for Central Maine Power Co. and also serves as Councilman from Ward Two.

One of the speakers at the Congregational-Christian Conference of Maine was Rev. Robert Mayhew. Robert is New England director for an overseas relief program known as Heifer Project.

The Stockton Springs School Committee recently appointed Capt. Vincent L. Hathorn, USN retired, as Principal and Grade seven and eight teacher at the Stockton Springs Elementary School. His most recent assignment was commanding officer of the Naval Air Station at South Weymouth, Mass.

The Class extends its deepest sympathy to Polly (Harmon) Butler, whose husband, William P. Butler '35, died suddenly on September 2nd. Polly graduated from the Waterville School of Practical

Nursing in February '62 and is an RPN at a Shrewsbury, Mass. hospital. She has two sons, William H. of Burlington, Vt. and David of North Oxford, Mass., and five granddaughters.

Vernon and Dorothy (Nutt) Packard dropped in for supper and our annual gab fest when they were in August for their annual vacation hike up Mt. Katahdin. Vernon is Director of Public Utilities for the City of Niagara Falls, N. Y., Dot is teaching sixth grade, daughter Jane is a dental assistant, and son Robert is a Junior at Middlebury College and spent the summer in Alaska.

1937 Mrs. Larry Thibodeau
(Audrey Bishop)
Conant Rd., Presque Isle

Richard Braley, former headmaster of Erskine Academy, is now filling the same position at Wilton Academy, where he is also a member of the Board of Trustees. Last August he was graduated with a master's degree in Secondary School Administration. The Braleys have a daughter, Pamela, a Sophomore at the University majoring in medical technology.

Wendell S. Brewster was awarded a grant to the Fifth Annual Summer Institute for Science at Colby College where he attended from June 25th to August 4th, he is a biology instructor at Gould Academy.

Richard Berry is Republican State Representative from Cape Elizabeth where he and Kay (Bunker) make their home. Dick now has his own business as a consulting engineer and Kay is part-time secretary to the principal at the Cape's Jr. High. The three boys are at school at Cornell, U. of M., and Hebron.

Raymond E. Morton, formerly principal of the Lebanon Jr. High School, is now superintendent of supervisory Union 460. He received his master's degree at Bates.

Dr. Sumner Sapiro is now practicing dentistry limited to periodontia in Brockton, Mass. Previously he had a general dentistry practice in Rockland.

Again, all this news comes from the alumni office. I'd love to get some news via a nice long letter from some loyal classmate.

1938 Mr. Robert L. Fuller
31 Andrews Ave., Falmouth Foreside

At an impromptu classmeeting which commenced right after the Maine-N H Homecoming game

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G. L. Chalmers '46, Mgr.

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last Sat night, which was adjourned to Schoppe's suite at the Queen City Motel and continued to the "Executive" Room (due to Sherry and Schoppe) at the Pilot's Grill. I was intrusted with some Class Gift Funds. I was most reluctant to accept same, as you can imagine, but after undue pressures were brought to bear, I accepted the responsibility.

The meeting was conducted in the absence of Pres. Gowell, but with his daughter there to protect his interests, by Treas. Sherry, and the Mayor of East Auburn, "Ayea" Schoppe, with legal counsel from Wellesley, Mass.—a certain Richard Wilder.

Fortunately for us, the meeting had not been legally adjourned when we chanced to meet Bob Parker and family on the front steps of the Pilot's Grill. He insisted on making our evening complete by paying up all his dues. (This apparently affected Prop. Peter Zoidis who did likewise.) Having already set a precedent by accepting monies from Sherry and Hardison, I couldn't very well refuse these additional sums.

In all \$70.00 was collected for (yes, and forwarded to) Dunc and Midge Cotting for our class gift fund. I'll bet Parker thinks twice before he takes his family out to a late Sat. night dinner again.

Other silent members of our class in attendance besides my quiet self, were John Haggitt and family, and one Malcolm Devine and family, who is, I'm sure, going to petition the Alumni Office to be transferred from the class of '31 to our most glorious and active class. Also, there were three Fullers, one Hardison, one Haggitt and one Gowell offspring in the quiet corner.

Bob Hussey was a recent speaker of the Manchester N. H. Life Underwriter Assoc. meeting.

"Buttons, buttons, whose got the button—apparently Tom Owens has one of the finest button collections in these parts—wonder if anyone sews them for him—if you need any, call Gorham, Me. COLLECT!"

Charley Lowe was recently elected Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Camden Hospital.

Doug Thompson, Principal of Crosby High, was in Boston recently, at a secondary school conference.

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Mrs. Alice (Harvey) Hunt has been appointed as a reporter for the Berkshire Eagle (Pittsfield, Mass.) paper in the Sheffield district.

Dr. and Mrs. Gerry, Richard that is, were surprised guests of honor at an anniversary party Sept. 13 in Orono—25 long, hard years.

Hope we get a crowd of new and old faces at the Bowdoin game. And hope this brevity and lack of witty remarks satisfies the Alumni office—about one more year and they'll eliminate this altogether.

1939 Mrs. Jacob Serota
(Dorothy Silver)
40 Garland St., Bangor

A brief reminder concerning our class gift fund—let's make our class contribution a worthy one.

Back for the annual Homecoming festivities reported by Spike Leonard and Dave Trafford—Tom and Barb Barker, Helen Philbrook, Franklin Rich, George and Jean Grange plus three sons, and Paul and Lucy Cobb Browne. The Alden Lancasters attended the dance.

Daughters of '39ers attending the U. of M.—Clement Smith, Wendell Smith, Ted Ladd, Spike Leonard; sons attending—Paul Browne, Sheldon Ward. Did we miss some?

Col. Edward W. Szaniawski, of Scarsdale, N. Y., has been awarded his second oak leaf cluster to the Legion of Merit, one of the United States Air Force's highest peacetime decorations. Ed received this honor in recognition of his exceptionally meritorious service while assigned as commander of the 405th Fighter Wing, Philippine Islands. He and his wife Virginia have two daughters.

Mrs. Venora (Stinchfield) Dow, who has taught French for several years in Needham, Mass., High School, has been honored by the award of a John Hay Fellowship. She was one of 88 public high school teachers selected to receive a year's leave of absence for study in the Humanities. Her husband, Robert, is with the Christian Science Monitor. They have two children—Richard 14 and Sandra 12.

Robert W. Doe has been promoted to the position of Assistant General Pulping Superintendent at the West Virginia Pulp and Paper Mills in Luke, Md. Robert, his wife Caryl, and their three children James 17, Nancy 14, and Steven 8, reside in Westport, Md.

Donald Strout, who has been manager of the Forest Engineering department of the International Paper Co., at Livermore Falls, has been appointed assistant to the Woodland's manager, with offices located in New York City.

Richard C. Hopkins was granted his Local Preacher's License from the Arlington (Virginia) Methodist Church. He is an electronic engineer with the Bureau of Public Roads in Washington, D. C.

Ralph W. Farris, Jr., was featured in the news as one of the delegates of the Gardiner Lion's Club to the Lion's International convention in Nice, France. He delivered the nominating speech for a fellow Lion from Gardiner, who became Lions International president.

Gwilyn R. Roberts, professor of History at Farmington State Teachers College, was chosen to give the commencement address at several Maine secondary schools.

The marriage of Clement H. Smith to Miss Louise Otis, of Wales, took place October 19 at Monmouth. Mrs. Smith received her A.B. degree from Bates College, and her M.A. from Columbia University. She is a teacher in Winthrop High School. Clem's first wife, Mary Ellen Buck '40, died two years ago.

Allison Ladd is the third daughter of Ted and Peggy Ladd to join the Youth Volunteer Group at Knox Hospital, Rockland. A pin and cap ceremony was held at the hospital. Ted is president of the Board of Trustees of the hospital.

1940 Mrs. Edward K. Brann
(Anne Perry)
Box 78, Hampden Highlands

Donald A. Scanlon "has successfully completed a period of intensive training and instruction in the principles of life insurance underwriting" at Northwestern National Life Insurance Co.'s Home Office Agents Training School, at Glenwood, Minn.

Judge William Treat, of Hampton, N. H., Republican National Committeeman, presented to Mrs. Doloris Bridges, widow of Sen. H. Styles Bridges '18, memorial resolutions drafted by the Republican National Committee, at the annual May luncheon sponsored by the New Hampshire Women's Republican Federated Clubs at Wentworth-by-the-Sea, Portsmouth, N. H.

Lucille (Hall) Gledhill, of St. George High School, Tenants Harbor, was among three teachers initiated into Nu Chapter, Delta Kappa Gamma, at Farnsworth Museum Library, Rockland, last April.

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Telegram carried a full-page feature article about the unique work William Sherwood Cook, "engineer turned lobsterman," and his wife Gwendolyn, who studied art at Syracuse University, are doing in their home at Martinsville. Sherwood and Gwen collaborate in making bird models of wood, so lifelike that they have been described as "museum quality."

1941 Mrs. Wilson M. Alford
(Frances Sawyer)
35 Ridgewood Road, Windsor, Conn.

Leroy Brown, assistant County Agricultural Extension Agent in Waldo County has been named area poultry agent.

Gordon Chase, manager of the Sears, Roebuck and Co. in Bangor, will again serve the United Fund in Bangor as chairman of the National Firms Division.

Carl M. Hamlin of Milo is a member of the 1962 Star Club of the New York Life Insurance Co. Membership is based on annual sales records.

Robert Larsson is a full professor of mathematics at Clarkson College of Technology. He resides in Potsdam, N. Y. with his wife and three children.

Charles L. Baker is now a major at the U. S. Army Garrison at Ft. Niagara. He is married and has three children.

Joseph Dinsmore, Jr., is a civilian statistician for the U. S. Navy in China Lake, Calif.

Sadie (Ranco) Mitchell is Penobscot Indian Supervisor for the State of Maine. She and Ed '40, have three sons—Harvey 23 who is with the Army in Japan, Christopher 17, and Kim 9. They reside on Indian Island, Old Town.

Esther Drummond Hawley (Mrs. Warren) Chairman of the State Personnel Board was chairman of a panel on the manpower problem in the mental health professions at the University in November. Recruiting for social work professions and recruiting and retaining qualified people for Maine social agencies was discussed.

1942 Mrs. Donald G. Griffie
(Mary Louise White)
423 Aroostook Ave., Millinocket

Bill Talbot, Machias, is a member of the executive committee of the Maine Bar Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Spencer of Old Town have announced the birth of their third son, Jonathan Hunt Spencer. Their other boys are, Charles, 15, and Leigh, 11.

Carleton '43 and Maddy (Banton) Brackett have recently bought a house in Orono. The Orono boys will certainly appreciate their two beautiful daughters!

Helen Alexander Adams lives in Buckfield. She is presently Assistant Director of Nursing Service at Central Maine General Hospital. Helen has a daughter, Jayne, 10 months old.

Our sincere sympathy goes to Dr. Herbert Findlen of East Grand Forks, N. D. His wife, Ethel (Nevers) Findlen died in September after an illness of several years. Herb has a daughter, Sheila, 14.

Phyllis King Berg lives in Washington, D. C.

Ralph Woodbury, Wrightsville Beach, N. C., broke a 22 year old state record when last May he caught a gigantic 621 pound blue marlin. His catch measured 13 feet long, only $\frac{3}{4}$ of an inch shorter than the world's record fish. Can anyone top this? Ralph has three adorable children, Ronald, 4, James and Jane, $2\frac{1}{2}$. He is manager of the Griscom-Russell Marine Test Laboratory.

Evelyn Nicholson is Associate Dean of Students at State University College, Geneseo, N. Y. Her name appears in the 1962 edition of "Who's Who in American Education."

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Charles Remick and children, David and Jennifer, were at Rem-Acres in Ellsworth this summer.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Deering and daughters, Roberta and Carol, and son, Paul, of Monterey, Calif., were visitors in Orono this summer. Bob is a landscape architect and does design work for parks and beaches in Central California.

My address is good spelling and penmanship practice, so how about filling my mailbox with Christmas notes? A happy and peaceful Christmas and New Year to all.

1943 Mrs. Donald Taverner
(Olive Rowell)
4341 Schenley Farms Terrace
Pittsburgh 13, Pa.

The engagement of Helen Myers of Orono and Franklin, Mass., to James A. Schiappucci of Milford, Mass. has been announced. Helen is a teacher in the Parmenter School of Franklin.

Walter Sullivan has joined The Badger Co. to assume direction of the Proposal, Estimating and Cost Control Departments of the company's Engineering Division. Sully was with Esso Research and Engineering for 16 years.

Basil Clements, poultryman, is teaching mathematics at Hermon this fall.

Commander Eben Leavitt, Jr., has been on maneuvers in the Mediterranean aboard the USS Enterprise, commanding Fighter Squadron 33 on the nuclear aircraft carrier.

Richard M. Pierce is works Manager for the Forster Mfg. Co. with an office in Wilton. He supervises all programs in production and engineering for their several wood, paper and plastic products.

Ruth Wilson Gooding received her Master of Arts in Education at Western Reserve University in Cleveland, Ohio.

Buford Grant has been elected vice president of the Waterville Rotarians.

Prof. George Bearce, Jr., of Bowdoin College faculty, spoke on his experiences last year in India at a fall meeting of AAUW in Brunswick.

1944 Mrs. E. Palmer Ingalls, Jr.
(Joyce Iveny)
271 Main Street, Calais

Mrs. William (Virginia Smith) Weston has moved from So. Windham to Rumford Ctr.

John C. Schoppe has moved to Ellsworth AFB in So. Dakota—fifth child born in May. Saw "Boxcar" Jones in Hawaii.

Frances Henderson's son (Endwell, N. Y.) entered Holy Cross this year.

Mrs. Joseph Orsenigo (Mary Billings) has moved into a new house in Belle Glade, Fla.

David Millay, son of Helen and George Millay, has entered Brunswick High School as a junior after a year in Germany as Brunswick High's first exchange student.

Dr. George Gunn carded a low gross of 149 at Penobscot Country Club, in their first member-guest tournament.

Danforth West served as Chairman in the Public Service Div. of the United Fund, Bangor. Kenneth MacLeod served as manufacturers and Distributors chairman for the Fund.

Carroll Richardson is directing the Maine Potato Growers, Inc., Presque Isle.

Arthur A. Davis has been appointed head of the Open-Space program of the Urban Renewal Administration of the U. S. Housing Agency.

Robert Smith, Westwood, Mass., is personnel director of Ludlow Corp. in Needham Heights, Mass.

Mary Esther Treat Clark lives in Tucson, Ariz.—visited in Maine this summer.

Edward Sims lives in St. Louis, Mo., with wife Jean, married in 1951 and 3 children, manages Penny Stores.

Fourth child born to Mr. and Mrs. F. Herbert Bailey in Augusta—Robert Reid.

Fred "Boxcar" Jones, U. S. Army Eng. group. APO 331, San Francisco, Calif., has been transferred to Okinawa—Civilian Deputy Engineer.

Mrs. William Hepburn's daughter, Bonnie, received a scholarship to Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute where she will study engineering. George Obeir, Cheverly, Md., has established a consulting firm called Consoil Services specializing in soil engineering.

Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Claverie's (Mary Fogler) daughter Ann started Freshman year at Maine this fall.

The Walter Schwartzs (Rhoda Tolford) were planning to move to Washington, D. C., in October.

Edward Hackett is a Major in Pusan Area Command, Korea. Frances and 4 children residing in San Antonio, Texas.

1945 Richard H. Danforth
Box 96, Winthrop, Me.

Headlining the news this month is the announcement of the appointment of Bill Lamprell as field services consultant for the National Rehabilitation Association effective June 1, 1962. Bill has been general counselor with the Maryland Division of Vocational Rehabilitation for the past eight years. Bill and Connie will continue to make their home in Baltimore, Md. Congratulations, Bill, and good luck in your new job.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Beede of 67 Dillingham St., Bangor, announce the birth of a daughter Elaine Mary Beede recently at the Eastern Maine General Hospital.

Albert H. Smaha, of Bangor, was recently elected a Vice President of the Maine State Grocers Association at the organization's 26th annual convention at Poland Springs.

Dr. J. Robert Smyth, Jr., research professor in the department of poultry science in the College of Agriculture at the University of Mass., has been elected an advisory member to the National Committee on Random Sample Poultry Testing as a representative of the land grant colleges.

Donald Rogers, principal of the Highland School in Wallingford, Conn., was a recent speaker at the

opening meeting of the PTA. The subject of his speech was, "Let's Go To School."

Lawrence W. Lyford of Thompson-Lyford Hardware, Brewer, has been elected clerk of the New England Hardware Dealers Association at a recent meeting held in North Conway, N. H. He will fill an unexpired term.

Editor's Note: Richard Danforth was worship leader at the annual laymen's Sunday at Winthrop Congregational Church, recently.

1946 Mrs. Charles D. Stebbins
(Betty Perkins)
29 Oxford St., Winchester, Mass.

It has come to our attention via Terry Dumais Gamber, Everett, Wash., that Rev. Malcolm H. Miner is responsible for a most interesting newsletter entitled *So You Want To Live In Alaska* published in Anchorage. Rev. Miner is identified in the newsletter as the rector of All Saints' Episcopal Church of Anchorage. The Miners have twin teenaged daughters, Linda Ann and Donna Lynn. The Miner family has recently returned to Pacific Grove, Calif.

Eloise Law has been appointed director of home economics education in the New Hampshire department of education. After leaving Univ. of Me., Eloise received her M.A. degree in Home Economics Education at Ohio State University. She comes to New Hampshire from the State University of New York where she has been an assistant professor.

Shirley Armstrong Beal (Mrs. Harold) is living in Lexington, Mass. The children in the Beal family are Bruce and Marcia. Shirley received her R.N. from Mass. Gen'l Hospital after leaving Maine.

Polly Spear Bradleys (Mrs. Sherwin P.) and family live in Westboro, Mass. The Bradleys children are Jeff, Randy, John and David.

A card from Jeanne Ross Nelson just missed my last column. Jeanne and husband Dewey have been in Europe this fall. The Nelson children, Peter, 14, Jeffrey, 12, and Debra, 9, remained at home in Darien, Conn.

Donald S. Clark, Jr., wife Mary Esther Treat (U of Me. '44) and children Anne Atwood and Donald S. III, are living in Tucson, Ariz. Donald is a graduate of Univ. of Ariz. College of Business and Public Admins. He is presently V. P. and Dir. of Business Development—Tucson Fed Savings and Loan Assoc., Tucson.

To those of you who have sent news to me may

I say thank you. and write again. Those of you who have remained silent please, please, let me hear from you.

1947 Mrs. Henry Jordan
(Mary Sawyer)
R.F.D. 1, East Eddington

Thornton W. Moore is serving as principal of the Anglo-American School in Moscow, a school operated by the British and American Embassies. He graduated from Farmington State Teachers College and the Univ. of Maine and received his master's degree from Middlebury College, Vt. For the past 14 years he has taught in various private schools around the world, his last post being an Episcopal school in Hawaii.

An American Farmer degree, the highest award given on the national level by the Future Farmers of America, was awarded to Robert E. Johnston of Mapleton for his work as a vocational agricultural teacher.

The Patawa Club of Bangor held a Fashion Show at the Brewer High School in September. Mrs. Robert (Barbara Mills) Browne, who is head of the speech department at Bangor High School, served as commentator.

Betts Book Store (Mrs. Dorothea Betts) has moved into new quarters on Main St., Bangor. New surroundings, but same friendly service.

Latest news from Rod and Anna (Berry) Nelson from the Bahrain Island is Laura Lee's birth announcement, Sept. 16. Rod is on the Staff of the Commander Middle East Forces and has been at this post since last February. The three older children, Skiff, Leslie Ann and Kathryn, attend the Anglo-American school there; and they all enjoy their experience abroad, but they are looking forward to returning home in '63.

1948 Mrs. Richard S. Foster
(Jean Campbell)
15 Donamor Lane
East Longmeadow, Mass.

Active in Community Affairs:

Ralph A. Gould, Jr., Auburn, named to the Board of Managers in the Auburn-Lewiston YMCA. Bruce Billings, Limestone, Chairman of North Star District of Boy Scouts.

John Ballou, Bangor, vice-president of Eastern Maine Guidance Center, Inc.

Robert Browne, Bangor, Board of Directors of Eastern Maine Guidance Center.

John Grant, Bangor, vice-president and member of Board of Governors of Penobscot Valley Country Club.

Nicholas Broutas, member of Salvation Army Advisory Board.

Barkley Goodrich, Orono, clerk of Board of Trustees of Church of Universal Fellowship.

Mrs. William Hefner (Joan Spillane), house to house chairman of Cancer Crusade, Scituate, Mass. Albert Bean, educational vice-president of Bangor Toastmasters.

Bertha Rideout, practicing attorney, town clerk and trial justice at Freeport, named president of Brunswick unit of Business and Professional Women's Club.

New Addresses:

Pauly (Parent) and Larry Jenness, 908 Golfview Place, Mt. Prospect, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. James Morrow (Shirley Sibley '47), 14 Daniels Rd., Bristol, Conn.

Dr. and Mrs. Richard Cutts (Billie Starrett '47), 7 Shaw Circle, Northfield, Vt.

Capt. Paul Clifford, 223 Military Intelligence Detachment, Fort Lewis, Washington.

New Baby:

Orinda Payson, Oct. 2, for John and Punky (Perkins) Fogler—makes 7 in all!!

Advanced Degrees:

George Brown, Lenoir, N. C., M.Ed. from Maine; Post Masters Certificate in '62.

J. Arnold Colbath, Elmira, N. Y., Ph.D. in Fine Arts from Western Reserve University; head of Drama Dept., Elmira College.

Douglas H. Culpon, Master's Degree in Engineering Management from Drexel Institute of Technology; employed by Martin Co., of Baltimore, Md.

1949 Mrs. Oscar R. Hahnel, Jr.
(Julie Shores)
12 Jepson Ave., Lewiston

Two of our classmates are now working in Turkey; Clyde Adams and his family are back for a second two year assignment with the ICA and Thomas '48 and Virginia (Noel) Wight are at Izmir, where Tom is teaching in the high school under the Fulbright exchange teaching program.

In the Foreign Service as Counsel in the Congo is Robert Bouchard. Bob finds life interesting

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Owen Smith, Dover-Foxcroft, is the new Equitable Life Assurance consultant and salesman for the Piscataquis County area.

Cecil Lancaster began in October as the city manager of Haverhill, Mass., coming there from Wilmington, Mass.

Lt. Cdr. Burton R. Weymouth is Chief Communications Officer aboard the Aircraft Carrier Antietam, which has been participating in the space program as a recovery ship.

Paul Sullivan is a CPA living in Needham, Mass. A licensed pilot, he is serving as treasurer of the East Coast Aviation Corp. at Hanscom Field in Lexington.

Paul Ford is a member of the faculty at Belows Free Academy at St. Albans, Vt. Paul is married and the father of three daughters.

Clayton Briggs is an assistant professor of English at Juniata College, Huntingdon, Pa. He will serve as director of dramatics and teach courses in speech.

Paul Chantal recently completed work on his master's degree in social work at Boston College and is the assistant juvenile probation officer for Cumberland County. He and his wife live in So. Portland.

Please Write!

1950

Mrs. George R. Brockway
(Ellie Hansen)
R.F.D. 3, Auburn

Hello again. We are limited in the amount of space for news, but we would still like to hear from YOU.

George Broutas has opened a new travel bureau in Bangor. Everett Keach, Jr., received his Doctor's degree in education from Harvard. In Groton, Conn., Clayton Meehan is director of adult education. Arnold Brewer has been appointed postmaster in Boothbay Harbor. Dr. Richard Saunders has been named a professor of agricultural economics at the U. of M. Major and Lois (Coffin) Ensberg are now located in St. Albert, Alberta, Canada. Carl Hill is teaching in New London, Conn.

Freda Gray-Masse sang with the Toronto Symphony in Nov. She will also perform this coming season with the Rhode Island Philharmonic and the Wichita Symphony Orchestra. Freda teaches voice at Colby College and at Oak Grove School. Robert F. Brown has been named a senior physicist with the Geotechnical Corp. of Garland, Texas. With the Sea and Shore Fisheries as marketing specialists are Colby Davis and Lloyd Varney. Richard LaCasce is the State's new superintendent of public buildings. Bev (Jordan) Spear is teaching at Wiscasset High School where her husband is principal.

Gene McNabb is the club pro at Kebo Valley, Bar Harbor. Doug Libby, Jr., a dean at Wentworth Institute, has been granted a fellowship for study in college administration at the U. of Mich. Herbert Hurme has been appointed chief development engineer for family machines with the Singer Manufacturing Co. Clarence E. Butler recently received his M.A. in mathematics from Bowdoin. Howard Small is teaching at Springfield, Vt. Dr. Donald Barnes is teaching at Goddard College, Plainfield, Vt. Lowell Osgood is athletic director and head coach of basketball and soccer at Fort Kent Teachers College.

James Robinson is president of the Maine Assoc. of County Agricultural Agents and Marland Tripp is the vice president. Ralph Atwood is the sub-master at Williams High School, Oakland.

Doug and Ginny (Stickney) Cooper and family are now living in Wiscasset. Paul Zdanowicz is the principal of a school in Bridgewater, Conn. Bill Ottman is vice president of Macomber, Farr and Whitten in Augusta and active in the Community Chest. Dick Spencer, Allison Briggs and Roland MacLeod are all active in the UF drive in Bangor.

George Gonyar is with WABI in Bangor. Roland Longtin teaches at Mechanic Falls and participated in a French Institute at Hamilton College in N.Y. this past summer. Another teacher from our class is George Littlefield at Unity-Freedom High School. Can you help us find the following lost members of our class? Robert D. Abbott, Philip F. Snow, Robert E. Snow, Robert C. Thorndike, John H. Conroy, Raymond J. Dyer, Robert D. Hannigan, Guy L. Goodwin, Muriel Swicker Haggerty, Fred H. Hale.

1951

Mrs. H. Wendell Hodgkins
(Claire L. Levasseur)
201 Elmira Street, S. W.
Washington 24, D. C.

Two new faculty members at the University of New Hampshire are:

Dr. William Annis, assistant professor of agricultural education; and David Knudsen, instructor in electrical engineering.

Dennis Ryder has been elected a trust officer of the Merrill Trust Company of Bangor.

Priscilla Clark has been appointed to fourth vice president of Husson College. She is on the faculty at Husson and is also the treasurer.

Harland Turner has been appointed director of development for the State of Maine Branch of the New England Home For Little Wanderers. How about a new name for the Home, Harland?

F. Edward Robinson of Phillips has been promoted to the position of District Boy Scout Executive of Old Colony Council in East Walpole, Mass. He will be working with 4,000 to 5,000 boys and 1,000 adults.

Fred Soucy has been elected assistant principal of Traip Academy in Kittery. Fred received his M.S. in secondary education from Boston University in 1960.

Chester Norris of Bangor is the new director of the Maine Automobile Dealers Assoc., Inc. Chester is also director of Consolidated Motors, Inc.

Rev. William Kennison is the rector of the Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd, Canajoharie, N. Y., and vicar of Holy Cross, Fort Plain, N. Y., and Trinity Church, Sharon Springs, N. Y.

Raymond L. King has opened a law office in West Branch, Mich. He is county prosecutor in Ogemaw County.

Herb Merrill of Falmouth has just started his own insurance business. Herb, crippled with polio nine years ago, is also an active "ham" radio operator.

Harold C. Harmon of H. L. Forhan Co., Portland, was elected secretary-treasurer of the Maine Canners' and Freezers' Association.

Paul Rourke is studying at the University of Louisiana for an M.A. in social welfare. Paul has his M.Ed. from Boston University.

Herb Nightingale is vice president of the Fort Fairfield Chamber of Commerce.

Burt Brown is the newly elected president of the Presque Isle Rotary Club.

Earl Lamoreau of Richmond was installed as commander of Emerson-Lane Post, Amer. Legion.

Joe Zabriskie is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff of Essex County in Mass. Joe has done extensive work with youth organizations in the state.

Mary (Linn) and Kinley Roby, who are faculty members at Orono High School, toured England and Scotland this past summer.

Marriages:

Miss Eleanor Sedares of Worcester, Mass. to James L. Leotsakes. Miss Sedares is a graduate of Becker Jr. College and is employed by the Probate Court of Worcester County, Mass. James has his M.A. from the University of Pennsylvania and is personnel officer of City Hospital in Worcester.

I am still anxious to receive news bits from you "all!"

1952

Mrs. Sumner K. Wiley, Jr.
(Ida Moreshead)
2705 Herron Lane, Glenshaw, Pa.

Let's start off with happy news: The Elwood Beach's (Virginia Norton) have a son born June 28th. He will join a couple of sisters at home in Lee, Mass.

Mark Williams arrived at the Begley (Jeannie Frye) household July 16th. He'll keep Mary, 8, Chuckie, 5, and Paul, 3, on their toes for a while.

The Peter Mount's of Monteagle, Tenn., have a new daughter as of April. Peter is manager of forestry for Tennessee Consolidated Coal Co.

New Appointments and Assignments

Howard M. Foley has been elected county attorney of Penobscot (Bangor, Maine).

Dr. Herbert E. Wave has been appointed assistant professor of entomology in the college of agriculture at the Univ. of Mass.

John M. Wathen, Jr. was named manager of the new Bradley-Sun division plant in Shelbyville, Tenn. John is married and has three youngsters who will relocate with him from Mass.

Alan R. Preble of Lynnfield, Mass., has been appointed vice-president and secretary of the newly founded Mass. General Insurance Co.

Dr. Albert M. Smith has been appointed northeast province counselor for Alpha Gamma Rho. This past summer he was named chairman of the department of animal and dairy sciences at the Univ. of Vermont.

Capt. LeRoy Dymont, Jr., and wife Nancy (Mary Washington '54) and two daughters will be heading for a new assignment at Fort Meade, Md. after a tour in Saudi Arabia.

'52ers in print include Richard Connolly who

was published in the May issue of Bell Laboratory Record. Dr. Otis Sproul, associate professor in civil engineering at the Univ., has won an award for his presentation of a paper submitted before the division of waste and water chemistry of the American Chemical Society.

Note from Ted Bryant tells of his family living in Dexter and operating his own florist shop. "Say it with flowers" and give his business a lift.

A Freeport High School teacher, James Lumsden, 2nd, has an unusual summer job of arranging clambakes for 25 to 500 people. His wife, Abigail, is his right hand helper on this venture. A good thought for our next reunion!

Speaking of reunion, let's catch up on a few people that were there. Jack Merry and wife, Marilyn, came from Buffalo, N. Y., where Jack works for Bethlehem Steel as a construction engineer. They have a daughter. Pat (Brown) Gray and husband were there from West Hurley, N. Y. Pat's husband is project engineer for I.B.M. and they have two boys and a girl. Bill Heyne and wife came from Clifton, N. J., where he is a system analyst and a proud father of two sons.

Charlie Fenno and wife have two boys and a girl and live in Gardner, Mass., where Charlie is in the furniture business.

Edgar I. Lord, now residing in Italy, was selected as a member of a team representing the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, to attend a regional conference on Development Planning in Tunis, Africa, Nov. 9 through 20.

Merry Christmas to all and please break my mailman's arm with news from all of you.

1953

Mrs. Philip E. Johnson
(Eni Riutta)
South Penobscot

Gene Drolet was recently elected a loan officer at the National Shawmut Bank of Boston. He received his MBS from Northeastern in June, is married and has three children.

Charles Fassett will direct the glee club of the Mary Burnham School, Northampton, Mass., this year.

N. Claude Bourget was elected vice-president of The Municipal Court Judges Association recently. He serves Augusta as Municipal Court Justice where he has started a driver improvement school to which he suggests that traffic law violators go.

Eldwin Wixson, Jr. has been named to teach in the mathematics department at Waterville High School. He is currently working toward a doctor's degree.

David Tibbets, president and treasurer of Mullins Real Estate, Inc., Bangor, has purchased the Mullins Insurance Company.

Richard Trenholm, vice-president of the Stinson Canning Co., Prospect Harbor, has been named president of the Maine Sardine Packer's Association.

Dr. Douglas C. Cooper has been named to a vacant Ward 5 City Council seat by Augusta aldermen. A dentist, he and his wife have two sons, age 5 and 7.

Harold B. Hutchinson has been appointed Director of Public Works and Sewer District Engineer of Brunswick. He is married to the former Barbara Fogg of Buckfield and lives in Topsham. They have three children.

Robert E. Light has been appointed to the College of Agriculture staff at UM as assistant professor of agricultural engineering.

James E. Wilson, Jr. has been named Director of the Research and Development Department, Naval Propellant Plant, Indian Head, Maryland.

Joseph Alex has been appointed director of athletics and physical education at Frontier Regional High School, South Deerfield, Mass.

Albert L. Card was elected vice-president of the Kennebec-Somerset Baseball Umpires Association recently.

Alex Manzo, math teacher and basketball coach at Athol High School (Mass.) attended a National Science Foundation institute this summer.

Recent weddings have joined: Diane Draper and Carleton L. Widemeyer of Clearwater, Fla. Diane is presently a medical technologist at Morton Plant Hospital, Clearwater. Her husband, a U. of Maryland graduate and Stetson Law School, is an attorney in the District Court of Appeals, Lakeland, Fla. Dean Hodgkins and Clarisse L. Chamberlain of Presque Isle, a graduate of Florida Southern College. They will live in Caribou where the groom is engaged in agriculture. Raymond Cox and Nancy Christenson, a graduate of Wayne University, Detroit, Mich. She was employed by the Styling Division of General Motors Corp. Ray is employed in the Contracts Administration Department of the Boeing Airplane Co., Seattle.

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Baby boys for: Mr. & Mrs. Charles M. Mower (Carol Prentiss), Bangor, David Steven, Sept. 24 and Mr. and Mrs. Michael T. Breen (Sally Brackley) Daniel Lewis, July 7. (Mike, '55 passed the bar this year and is practicing law in Fall River, Mass. The Breens live in Somerset and also have an 8 yr. old son, Michael.)

1954 Mrs. Charles E. Lavoix
(Jane "Miki" McInnis)
R.F.D. 1, Ellsworth

New Arrivals:

Leon H. Jr. arrived July 13. Proud parents are Lee and Mary (MacKinnon) Nelson, Poland.

Peter H. on October 7 to Russ and Anne Lovaas, Swampscott, Mass.

Lavinia K. on August 10 to Bob and Melba Wallace, Portland.

Advanced degrees:

A Doctor of Veterinary Medicine degree was awarded Emerson Colby in June at Michigan State. Emerson, Esther (Babb) and daughter Candace will be in Hanover, N. H. where he will be in charge of animal care and research at Dartmouth Medical School.

Charles Goodwin earned his B.S. degree in mechanical engineering from R.P.I. in June. He is a design engineer with Pratt and Whitney, Hartford, Conn.

Whereabouts:

Patty (Fair) and Carl Morin are in New York City with three children where Carl is in his last year of law school. They sold their house in N.J. to become apartment dwellers.

Brian Summ is with the State of New Hampshire's Forestry Dept.

John De Wilde is a production foreman for Sylvania in Hillsboro, N. H. He and Nancy (Cameron '55) have two girls, 2 and 4.

Dick Simmons is teaching French and German at Westbrook Jr. College.

New Positions:

Ralph Eye was appointed to the U.S. Foreign Service to be assigned to the embassy staff in Amman, Jordan.

Bill Meyer is a credit analyst with Smith-Corona Merchant Inc. in Syracuse, N. Y.

Conrad Grant is teaching grades seven and eight in Caswell.

1955 Miss Hilda Sterling
1003 North Ocean Avenue
Seaside Park, N. J.

Joe '58 and Dot (Johnston) Pelc welcomed Elizabeth Ann on July 24. Paul '59 and Nan (Earley) Desmond and children, Michael, 5, and Kathi, 3, are living in the Portland area, where he has bought an insurance agency. Betty Connors and Dave Hughey, Boston, Mass., are planning an April wedding. Stan Milton is an advertising salesman for WCSH-TV. Horace Libby, who has been admitted to the Massachusetts Bar Association, is doing graduate work at N.Y.U. Law School. "Chip" Moody is a sales engineer for the Rice Barton Corporation.

Joan (Mason) Lane is president of the Augusta Branch of the AAUW. Jim Holden has a position with the Hercules Powder Company. The October 14 arrival of Susan Louise is being announced by Al '54 and Sue (Humphrey) Paine. David Dexter has joined the congressional staff of Rep. Clifford G. McIntire. Andrew and Polly (Hilton) Andrews and daughters, Andra, 4, Athena, 2, and Alicia Anna, 1, live in Rochester, N. H. Tom Reynolds, who teaches at Farmington High School, married Colleen Cruise, Waterville, on June 23.

A July 15 wedding united Bryna Cohen, Newton, Mass., and Jay Potsdam, president of an electronics firm. Dr. Stuart Cohen is treasurer of the Lewiston Junior Chamber of Commerce. Gordon Batson has been awarded a Ph.D. degree in civil engineering at Carnegie Institute of Technology. Stanley Lavery is city administrator of Stanton, Calif. The U. of M. has awarded a master's degree in electrical engineering to Fred Anderson. Dana Baggett became city manager of Mt. Holly, N. J. this fall.

"Biff" Baker is teaching social studies at Lawrence High School, Falmouth, Mass. Last summer, Jean Spearin, clothing specialist for the U. of M. Extension Service, made a tour of eastern textile centers as part of a two-week Textile Contact Course sponsored by the University of Maryland and the National Institute of Drycleaning. Capt. John Kelley completed the nine-month chemical officer career course at The Chemical Corps School, Fort McClellan, Ala., on May 26. Dr. Philip Edgecomb has joined the faculty at Housatonic Valley Regional High School, Falls Village, Conn., where he teaches vocational agriculture. In Sep-

tember, Major Myron Pierce attended the 26th associate course at The Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. Tom '56 and Betty (Tucker) Seavey, a member of the language department at Yarmouth Academy, have three children.

Mike Breen, a 1961 graduate of Suffolk University Law School, became a member of the Massachusetts Bar Association on May 23. David Douglass presented a paper at the International Conference of Physicists at Queens College, London, England, in September. Bernard Deschamps received his master's degree in mechanical engineering at the U. of M. on June 10. Dana Stevenson has been appointed joint superintendent of School Administrative District 7 and 8 which includes the Islands of Vinalhaven and North Haven. Richard Dodge harvests seaweed in Casco Bay and distributes it to lobster dealers for packing purposes. "Sam" Birch is an eighth grade teacher at the Hodgkins School, Augusta.

1956 Miss Judith A. MacPherson
Willow Crest School
Anchorage, Alaska

A newsy letter from Prexy Barney Oldfield tells us that he is Sales Representative for the Residex Corp., formulators of pesticides, insecticides, and distributors of herbicides for Dow Chemical, Dupont, Geigy and others. He covers the New England and New York area. Barney mentions the following and says all are well: Jack Small, Jim Duffy, Pete Werner, Barb Ilvonen Liqquist, Jane Wiseman Johnson, and Don Pendleton. Thanks for the news, Barney.

A note from Carolyn (Bull) Dahlgren tells us of the arrival of Laura Ann last May, to keep Christopher, 3, and Matthew, 1½, company. Drop a note to the Dahlgren Family at Prince's Point Road, Yarmouth.

The Nelson Newcombes of Hampden have a new daughter, Judy Anne, born in May. Nelson was promoted to Captain last July, and is with the Army Recruiting Maine Station in Bangor. Congratulations, Newcombes!

News has reached us that Lee E. Murch has joined the research and development division of the E. I. DuPont Company's polychemicals department at the experiment station near Wilmington, Del. He received his Doctor's Degree in Physical Chemistry from the University of California, recently.

Dr. Earl E. Gardiner is assistant professor of poultry science at the College of Agriculture at the University of Rhode Island. In addition to teaching courses in the poultry science field, he is conducting research connected with the experiment station.

Rev. Ronald Beinema is now Pastor of the Falmouth Congregational Church in Falmouth. Besides his duties as Pastor, Ronald is chairman of the committee for Christian Social Action of the Congregational Church of Maine, president of the directors of the Mental Health Seminar, Inc., and an instructor of the Northern New England School of Religious Education at Winnepesaukee, N. H. He and wife Janice have 2 daughters—Marilee Jane, and Faith Ann.

1957 Mrs. Gary Beaulieu
(Jane Caton)
R. F. D. #1, Fremont, N. H.

Happy Holidays to Everyone!

Bob Marshall has accepted the position of Plant Personnel Manager for Cushman Baking Co. in Portland.

Arthur Poirier is studying at the University of Maine, Portland, for his M.A. degree. He is principal of the Jr. High in Oxford.

Robert Morrison is science teacher at the Rumford High School.

Dave Beisel has resigned as County 4-H Club agent to enroll in the grad school at B. U. in the field of Biology.

Frank Hayward has been appointed Jr. High science teacher in Peterborough.

Robert Hodgdon has been appointed as Plant Quarantine Inspector with the Plant Quarantine Division of the Agric. Research Service. His home is 33 Swan St., Calais.

Elhu Plum will direct a heliport project in a new 100 acre development in Augusta.

Sheldon Lauritsen is now supervisory principal of the Limestone Elementary Schools.

Frank Weston has received his M.S. degree from the Columbia Univ. School of Library Service. He has been appointed as the acquisitions librarian to the Law Library at the new Law School Building at Lincoln Center, N. Y. C.

Philip Fowler has been elected Guidance Director at Wilton Academy.

Norman Gosline, director of the Kennebec Board

of Realtors has been named vice chairman of the Kennebec Valley Community Chest Drive.

Gary Barker is a social studies teacher and varsity coach at Berwick.

Sterling Huston has been appointed as director of the Rochester, N. Y. Youth for Christ Organization.

Dr. Wes English, now Capt. English, has been stationed at the 10th Tactical Hosp. R. A. F. Station, Alconbury, England.

Judy (Foster) Howard's musical training was put to good use preparing the script and musical arrangements for a talent show in Rowe, Mass. Judy and Ed, a research scientist at Yankee Atomic Elec. Co., have two children.

Beverly Scott and John Lee were married in Sept. and are living in Concord, Mass.

Nancy (Coffin) and Dick Libby are living at Eagle Lake Rd., Bar Harbor, where Dick is employed by the First Nat'l Bank.

1st Lt. Lin Haskins writes that he and his family are now stationed at Ft. McClellan, Ala. Lin is assigned as the Assistant operations officer of the 100th Chemical Group until January when he will be going to the Advanced Chemical Officer Career Course. Thanks for the letter and news, Lin.

Sylvia Brown (Mrs. Peter) wrote a long newsy letter to catch up a bit on the past five years. Pete worked as a health insurance underwriter for Union Mutual Life Ins. Co. in Portland until '61 when he went with Phoenix Mutual Life to set up and operate a health insurance department. They left quite a group of '57er friends in Portland and moved right into another in Hartford, and because of extensive traveling. Pete had talked via phone to many classmates. Pete has written several articles for his company and national insurance magazines. With that and their two children, Debbie, 8, and Bobby, 4½, Pete and Sylvia still find time to be active as Ways and Means Chairmen and treasurer of the PTA. Pete is also Publicity Chairman of the Phoenix Mutual Club and second Vice President of the N. E. Health Ins. Underwriters Association. Their address is 42 Burke St. E. Hartford 8, Conn. What a nice letter and thanks so much, Sylvia.

1958 Mrs. Joseph V. Nisco
(Kathie Vickery)

6 Pleasant St., Chelmsford, Mass.

The past few weeks have been busy ones for the Niscos. Note the new address—our own house!

Liz (Collins) Davidson and her husband Leslie are living in Orinda, Calif.

James Dunlap writes that he married a Pennsylvania girl in Feb., 1961, and now has one son with another on the way. The Dunlaps live in Uniontown, Pa.

"Bo" Martin's wife Connie (Atherton '59) writes from their "new" old farm house in Sebago Lake that Bo has given up teaching to join forces with the Aetna Life Insurance Co. in Portland as an assistant supervisor. A daughter, Andree Lynn, was born last March 20.

From Lois (Danzig) and Bob McKown of Wayland, Mass., comes news of a wonderful daughter, Kimberly, 1½, and top notch work by Bob as an agent for the New York Life Insurance Co. Last year he was among the top 10% in the country.

Pat (Benner '59) and Frank Keenan live near the McKowns in Beverly. Frank works for IBM in Salem.

Molly Inman is planning her marriage to Ens. Robert Nagle, USN, of Belleville, Ill. Bob is a graduate of the University of Utah.

John Carey of South Portland married B. U. grad Bonnie Marshall in early September. He is employed by IBM of Worcester, Mass.

Jack Meltzer, now a member of Tufts Medical School's graduating class, will be married in June to Gail Miller, member of the class of '63 at Beth Israel Hospital School of Nursing in Boston.

Robert Kolouch has been awarded a Tufts University Graduate Fellowship for 1962. Bob, who received his M.S. from Tufts in 1961 will work for his advanced degree in Physics.

Robert Hartop, now of Pasadena, Calif., is chief engineer of the missile launching project of the Jet Propulsion Laboratories in Pasadena.

All for this month. May you all, far and near, have a most happy and blessed holiday season.

1959 Mrs. Clark H. Hower
(Suzy Dunn)
1 Garrett Place, Bronxville, N. Y.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Inadvertently many of the weddings reported in the 1959 class column in June-July issue refer to weddings in the summer of 1961, not 1962.

Starting with engagements we find Carol Webster and Douglas Lobley planning a summer wedding. Douglas is working in Waltham, Mass., and Carol, who is a graduate of Arostook State Teachers



Mark L. La Vine (at right) talks over details of a \$250,000 sale with William Schroeder and Leo Nathan Bindman, key men whom he insured for the Schroeder Distributing Company of Los Angeles.

\$18,000-a-year executive switches to selling life insurance

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Robie L. Mitchell

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His brain was the sharpest of any man I have ever known."

Now that the work load was getting out of hand, Masslich wanted help. He contacted Mr. Mitchell, and agreement was reached at a meeting in Chicago. It came just a few days before the birth of Mr. Mitchell's first son and on his parents' golden wedding anniversary. He wired congratulations coupled with notice of his new job. He says they sent back word that they were happy he was leaving the land of wild Indians to return east.

Masslich died in 1933, four years after the firm's name was changed to Masslich and Mitchell. This name was kept until after World War II when it became Mitchell and Pershing. Mr. Mitchell's son, Robert, started working in the office shortly after his graduation from Yale Law School. Another son, William, is a civil engineer in Toledo. Robert Mitchell, his wife and their three children live near his father in Garden City, Long Island, New York. At 75, the

elder Mitchell still commutes to his office on the Long Island Railroad, often using the travel time to work on his index card file of state court decisions in his field since 1921.

It was a 1946 court decision in Florida on the prosaic question of sewer finance that still gives Mr. Mitchell his greatest source of satisfaction. Various methods had been used previously to pay for the construction of sewers, but he felt sewage disposal should be treated as the other half of the water bill, with home owners being charged for the cost in proportion to their water cost. He argued the case personally before the Florida supreme court and won a verdict that has resulted in his methods being used for these projects all across the nation ever since.

Mr. Mitchell shows no sign of retiring. He gave up tennis long ago, but still likes golf when he can get time for it. As a partial concession to age, he goes to Florida in the winter, but this often means nothing more than changing the site of business conferences.

He makes it plain he likes his work. "I consider myself fortunate," he said recently.

College, is teaching school. Margaret Torrey and George Giostra will be married in December. George is employed by Equitable Life Assurance Co. in Boston and Margaret, a graduate of Husson Business College, is working in Cambridge, Mass.

New additions are announced by the following families: to William and Judith (Webster) Underkofler a son, Daniel, born Oct. 6 in Madison, Wis.; to Joe and Aloia (Griffin) Morrison a son, Mark, born August 15 in Bangor; to Boris and Connie (Levanne) Andrest a daughter, Dana, born in New York City; and to Clark and myself a daughter, Deborah, born July 21.

New honors have come to Jan Adlmann who has been chosen Director of Galleries for the National Arts Club in New York City. Jan is presently a Berenson Fellow doing graduate work in the history of fine art at the Institute of Fine Arts in New York.

Carol Burry is currently teaching with the Army Dependents Schools in France. Her address is Verdun Am. High School, APO 122, N. Y., N. Y.

Recent marriages include those of Thomas and Mary (Coffin) Sturtevant who were married on August 25. They reside in Winthrop and Thomas is teaching school in Augusta; Pete and Shirley (Fowle '61) Sawin who were also married the 25th and are teaching school in Errol, N. H.; Charles and Lois (Meserve) Stansel, married September 8 in North Andover, Mass., are residing in Bellingham, Washington. Lois is a graduate of Colby College and Katherine Gibbs School; Philip and Ina Jane (Nelson) Gerow, who were married August 18 in Greenville, are living in Milo. Ina Jane is teaching at Brownville Junction High School; Edward and Elizabeth (Pope) Haggerty, married in August at Falmouth Foreside, are now living in Connecticut where both are teaching school; Franklin and Betty-Jane (Kollett) who were married August 25, are residing in Caribou. Franklin is employed by New England Tel. and Tel. Co.; David and Eleanor (Lewis) Wadsworth, who were married July 1, are now living in Skowhegan where David is employed by the Eastern States Farmers Exchange, Inc. Eleanor is a graduate of Farmington State Teachers College; Storer and Arline (Harris) De Merchant, married August 4 in Brewer, are residing in Easton.

June 16 was the date of Ronald and Joan (Wales) Carroll's wedding. They are now residing in Brunswick where Joan is teaching at Brunswick High School.

Nelson and May (Lucas) Ranco, married June 30 are now living in Orono. May is owner of La May's Beauty Salon in Orono and Nelson is employed by Fox and Ginn, Inc., in Bangor.

1960 Mrs. Mark Shibles, Jr.
(Betty Colley)

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As another academic year is well underway, I

have received news of the following members of the Class of 1960 employed in the teaching profession. Midge Grispi is teaching Physical Education at Belmont, Massachusetts Junior High School. Arthur Young is instructing in English and assisting in music at South Berwick High School. Phil Curtis will be coaching the Thornton Academy baseball team next Spring. Joan Brown is teaching Physical Education at Crosby High School, Belfast. Sylvia Tibbetts is instructing in Physical Education and Health at the Jordan School, Lewiston. Jim Cutler has been assigned as Head Baseball and Assistant Football Coach at the Maritime Academy, Castine.

Bob Wood has been appointed Assistant Claims Manager, Hartford District Office, Phoenix of Hartford Insurance Company. Bob is living in Winsor, Connecticut. Bill and Diane (Wiseman) Linscott and son, Walt, have moved to Sanford where Bill has accepted a position with the firm of Willard and Hanscom.

Married in October were Mary Duffy and Lt. Leonard Saunders.

Have received notice of the following marriages: Sidney Cousins to Carol Nuttelman of Florence, Massachusetts. Morris Wienberg to Norma Jean Pasekoff of Pittsburg, Pennsylvania. John McInnes and Barbara Vincent of Winchester, Mass. Nancy Morse to Donald Dysart of Bangor. Barry Dearborn, Granby, Connecticut, employed as an engineer at Hamilton Standard, is engaged to Beverly Dickson of Cromwell, Connecticut. Also engaged are Richard Gasset and Anne Gerry of Brewer.

It's a daughter, Barbara, born Nov. 2, 1962, to William P. and Winifred (Mosher) Cockburn, of Brunswick.

Teaching in Lexington, Mass., this year and living in Cambridge, Mass., are Honora Samway, Joan Philbrook, Priscilla Anderson, and Janet Grover. Midge Grispi, also in Massachusetts, is teaching in Belmont. Sally Wakefield will be teaching in Wiscasset.

1961 Mrs. James L. York
(Judith Fowler)
104 Main Street, Orono

Mary Irving is working in Washington as a records' analyst for the Administrative Support Group of the Department of Army, Nelson and Pat (Doak) Allan and son Johnny have moved to Marcey, New York.

Dick and Marion (Perkins '62) Goodenough, married July 1, are living in Titusville, N. J., where he is with the N. J. Dept. of Conservation and Economic Development.

Small additions have arrived to the following: to Fred and Sondra (Erswell) Carlson, a son, David Frederic; to Dick and Mary (Staples) Tessmer, a son, Matthew Arthur; to Peter and Judy (Bates) Haynes, a son, Jeffrey Andrew; to Class Prexie

"It's been very interesting in this business, and I've met some of the most wonderful people in the United States."

But when asked if he would do it all over again, he answered, "I don't know."

"I've always been interested in politics," he said; "and I had a chance to get active in Montana. I'd fallen in love with the state; it's wonderful country. I could have run for attorney general, but I was broke and decided to go along with this work."

He still keeps in touch with the University and was happy to see the law school re-established in Portland. As a student he helped start the Maine Law Review and recently gave the University bound volumes of the issues for its first three years, including the first copy off the press of Volume one, Number one.

He speaks warmly of the school he attended and of its faculty. A copy of the alumni directory is in his office bookcase, and prominently displayed on the wall is the honorary doctorate given him by the University in 1947. Piled high beneath it are portfolios of cases he planned to review, and when we saw him he was at work on an eight million dollar bond issue.

Will and Carlene Spencer, a son, Joel Evan; to Pete '63 and Ellie (Fay) Dingman, a son, David Lawrence; and to Mike and Jo (Shaw '63) Dolley, a son, Steven Drummond.

Two newly graduated air line stewardesses, who plan to see the world via United Air Lines, are Jo Good and Ann Whitney. Danny '58 and Nancy (Woods) Rearich are due in Texas the last of October where Danny will take his turn in the Air Force.

Recent marriages include: Shirley Fowlie to Peter Sawin who reside in Errol, N. H.; Sheila Chovinard to Avelino Dias who live in Springfield, Mass.; Helen Wallace to William Munsey who make their home in Boston, Mass.; and Joy Hayden to David Boothby who live in Danvers, Mass.

Editor's Note: Judy and James York '63 were married this summer. Judy is teaching in Orono and Jim is a senior at U. of M.

1962 Miss Mildred Simpson
Old Bath Road, Brunswick

Sixty-twers beginning teaching careers this fall were: Patricia Haggerty, Stafford Springs, Conn.; Sara Lou Johnson, Robert Thompson, Monmouth Academy; Mary Woodard Weston, Dale Sinclair, Waterville; Scott Tardiff, James Hannaford, Gardiner; Marlene Stewart, Georgetown, Mass.; Ronald Marks, Sherman; Donald Murphy, Len McPhee, MCI, Pittsfield; Janice McIntosh, Portland, Conn.; Arthur Mosher, Brockton, Mass.; Jane Laing, Marcia Hanson, Judith Culley, Virginia Arjona Muzeroll, Glastonbury, Conn.; William Liversay, Worcester Academy, Mass.; Diane Ingalls, Wenham, Mass.; James Feeney, Richmond; Dale Hanson, Dover, N. H.; James Booker, Auburn.

Married: Elizabeth Burbank to Lt. Russell L. Smith; Valerie Beck to Lt. Robert S. Sterritt '60; Virginia Cushman to James Rudbeck '63; Elizabeth Estes to David Martin of Skowhegan; Wayne Ireland to Sherrie Peterson '64; Bruce Jones to Sarah Comstock of Newington, Conn.; Margaret Jackson to Roger Twitchell '63; Linda MacDonald to Gerald Hunnewell, Jr.; Barry Mills to Susan Gray '64; Mary Ellen Tripp to Joseph Woodhead '61.

Also in the working world are Virginia Dyer, assistant editor, *Brunswick Record*; Earl Smith, news assistant, Colby College; Mildred Simpson, womens editor, *Kennebec Journal*; Linwood Billings, communications consultant, Southern N. E. Tel. Co.; Robert Everett on Green Mt. (Vt.) Council, Boy Scouts of America; and Robert Osborne, park ranger at Gettysburg (Pa.) National Military Park.

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Apparel

Until after the Revolution, social distinctions in Portland followed the pattern established in England. "The Quality" were ministers, judges, governors, and those persons of wealth who had large landholdings. Their houses were larger and finer, and they had slaves or indentured servants to perform household tasks and work in the fields. Their clothes were mostly imported from England, as were household furnishings. Willis says that the cocked hat, the bush wig and the red cloak were envied marks of distinction in early Portland.

Men's coats were made with long cuffs reaching to the elbows, and low collars. They were long and full-skirted, fastened with brass or silver buttons. Elaborately embroidered vests had long pocket flaps, also embroidered. Linen shirts had either linen or fine lace ruffles at throat and wrists. Buckskin breeches, or scarlet breeches, had brass or silver knee buckles. Low, square-toed shoes and silken or ribbed hose completed the costume. Face masks were carried in winter for protection against wind and cold, by women and the younger dandies.

The trappings of social rank were always donned by "The Quality" for social occasions, with elaborately curled and powdered wigs to top off the display. At business, more serviceable clothes and plain queue wigs were worn.

The wigs were as expensive as the clothes and had to be replaced about as often. Portland's own Parson Smith wrote: "August, 1765, had a new wig and clothes." Again, in 1769: "... another rich wig, and hat." Mr. Deane's famous diary tells us that in 1766 a wig cost sixteen pounds, seventeen shillings and sixpence.

Men's and even children's heads were shaved to accommodate the heavy wigs. For comfort's sake, at night, and when at home, the wigs were removed and turbans of silk or wool substituted, to protect shaven heads from drafts—which explains why contemporary portraits always show men with either a wig, turban or hat covering the head.

An interesting note is that in 1771 three silversmiths, Paul Little, John Butler and Joseph Ingraham, were busy in Portland making knee and shoe buckles and brass buttons.

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