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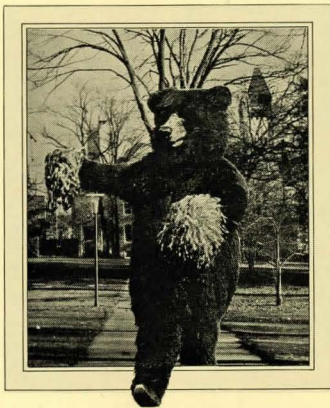
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ON THE COVER: Our mascot is stepping out to cheer about Ursinus. We want you to, too. See our story on the admissions process on page 4 to find out more about it. Inside the bear suit — Lois Steward, '77.

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President's Memo

TO: ALUMNI AND FRIENDS
FROM: MR. RICHTER

"How's it feel to be president?" a former student asks as I welcome him to my office. I am hard put to answer, because, since November 1, I have found that one is preoccupied more with *doing* the job than with *feeling* about the job. Yet after a moment's reflection, I am able to respond: "It feels frustrating because one can't make everything happen the way it should happen; but it feels immensely satisfying to be at the nexus of an institutional process that gives so much reward to so many people, young and not so young."

The president's office — I mean literally room 232 of Corson Hall — sometimes seems like the set of *Dinah* or the *Tonight Show* (well, maybe the *David Susskind Show*), with an occasional scene out of Shakespeare. And I often feel like a talk show host, there to listen and encourage others to say what is on their mind and to tell what interesting things they have been doing. To use another metaphor, the president's office is the most exciting classroom on the campus and the president the most privileged student.

Whatever the metaphor, the daily scene in room 232 regularly reflects that thematic intertwining of frustration and satisfaction that I belatedly identified in my own feelings for the benefit of a visitor.

Item (Frustrating): The phone rings. An alumnus, looking through his new alumni directory, has discovered that he has been listed with the wrong class. He wants to know what the president intends to do about it.

Item (Satisfying): The phone rings. An alumnus-physician is calling to report that he is setting up an appointment with the dean of his medical school for our pre-med adviser and me to talk about the present-day strengths of our undergraduate preparation for medical study.

Item (Satisfying): The head of an academic department, with deep conviction and enthusiasm, defends his view that every faculty member should publish a scholarly piece as prerequisite for promotion. I wonder out loud whether our primary commitment to excellent teaching in the classroom might justify a middle course on scholarly publication. He is delightfully intransigent, and hastens out — to work, one assumes, on another piece for the journals.

Item (Frustrating): An unhappy student comes in to ask why he can't park his car closer to his dorm. The rule seems arbitrary and without sense to him. I ask whether he knows how our parking system compares with that at the urban university he is planning to attend after graduating from Ursinus. He does not. Ah, innocence!

Item (Satisfying): A wide-eyed sophomore arrives with a stack of charts under his arm. He has done an in-depth study of the College's need for counselling and wants to present his analysis, which has been schematized on his charts. He

spreads them on the floor and literally walks me through his presentation. He takes a cautious approach to the cost and the scope of his ideas. When I compliment his practical conservatism, he is pleased at being complimented but dubious about the label.

Item (Satisfying): A senior comes in to ask for a letter of recommendation to graduate school. He was in my English Composition class as a freshman and has made a fine academic record in the sciences. He tells me of his life-long love affair with the sea — a New Jersey lad — and I remind him of a 500-word composition he wrote on that theme as a freshman. He wants to become a marine biologist. It is easy to agree to write a recommendation.

Item (Frustrating): A letter from a parent expresses concern about his ability to meet the new tuition and room and board rates for 1977-78. I try to explain in a reply that more than 70% of Ursinus's operating income is derived from tuition and fees, the rest from earnings on our \$9 million endowment and gifts and miscellaneous income. The cost of inflation and improvement, until we dramatically increase the endowment, must be met largely from tuition and fees — a tightly logical answer, to be sure, and certain not to ease his mind very much.

Item (Satisfying): A group of faculty members assembles to talk about the correlation of subject matter in the introductory courses in English Composition, History, World Literature, Philosophy, and Languages. All are disposed to innovate, but some are apprehensive about the tight structure within which all the courses would have to be taught. The discussion moves from thesis to antithesis to a sudden synthesis: a design becomes imaginable to all, and further discussion is planned in a hopeful mood. The participants reach out to a possible new ground from a position within their own disciplines, demonstrating an academic vitality that bodes well for the future.

Item (Satisfying): Dr. James P. Craft, Jr., newly appointed Executive Assistant to the President, arrives for a meeting on planning — "to plan to plan," as Jim puts it. We review major concerns that belong on the agenda — curricular development, enrollment patterns, faculty development, students' attitudes toward their social experience as residents. Later, as the phone rings and I prepare for yet another change of direction in the course of the day, it is clear we have taken the first basic steps toward the more comprehensive planning process that I am hoping to start.

Life in room 232 thus combines close-up problems and long-term concerns, according to a schedule that I am only partly the master of. But whether the matters are close-up or long-term, the satisfactions at last count are comfortably outnumbering the frustrations.

In Search of Future Alumni

by Mary Lou Gruber, Admissions Counselor & Andy Vaughan, Alumni Secretary

There are those who believe that the function of an Admissions Office is a sedentary, paper shuffling routine. Quite to the contrary, in these times of skyrocketing tuition costs and increased competition between public and private colleges for well-prepared students, the Admissions Officer must be a professional manager, an innovator sensitive to changing conditions. Ursinus College is fortunate to have Dean Geoffrey Dolman at the helm of its Admissions Office. In his many years of experience he has seen college applications rise and fall according to the national demand for higher education. Dean Dolman and his experienced admissions staff have developed an organized system for attracting a qualified freshman class to Ursinus each year. This year, almost 5000 prospective students will be in touch with the Admissions Office, and of this group, 1100 to 1200 of them will apply. From this pool of applicants will come the Class of 1981.

What attracts these students to Ursinus? Although one-half of the entering freshmen list science as their intended major, there is also high regard for our competence in other areas such as Health and Physical Education, Foreign Languages, Social Sciences and Humanities. In recent years, there has been a growth spurt in the Economics and Business Administration Department. It is now second only to Biology in num-

bers (for more on this see story on page 7). Students looking towards careers in law and medicine no longer confine themselves to the traditional majors of Biology and Political Science. The broad liberal arts education offered by Ursinus attracts students who look toward careers and graduate work in many varied fields.

The search for outstanding students is a year-round process for the four-person admissions team and their staff. Their initial contact with prospective students can be made in many ways. Each year, Ursinus College participates in National College Fairs, High School College Nights and high school visitations. Approximately 15,000 students receive packets of information from Ursinus through CEEB College Search. Students also learn about Ursinus through our athletic coaches, faculty, alumni and friends of the College. Many students contact Ursinus solely on the basis of its good reputation passed along by word of mouth.

The Admissions process goes through two distinct phases. The recruiting phase begins in mid-September and continues full swing until the first week in December. During this period the Admissions team spends much of this time on the road, visiting four or five high schools a day. A typical school visitation lasts approximately one hour. Most of this time is spent with high school juniors and seniors, explaining Ursinus offerings and fielding student questions. The last 15-20



Bea Donahue, left, and Mary Jane Koffel, right, and Marion Lopez (not shown) of the Admissions Office staff must keep tabs on the huge pool of correspondents.



Ken Schaefer, Assistant Dean of Admissions; Lloyd Jones, Associate Dean of Admissions and Geoffrey Dolman, Dean of Admissions, go over new applications. The admissions staff reviews all applications before presenting them to the Committee on Admissions.



Admissions Counselor Mary Lou Gruber discusses application procedures with student Kathy Stipa and Jacqueline Mauger, guidance counselor at Spring-Ford High School. Kathy is the daughter of Alvin C. Stipa, '56.

minutes of the visit are spent with the high school guidance counselor, keeping him up-to-date on improvements and changes at Ursinus. Establishing good lines of communication between the admissions team and guidance counselors is an absolute necessity in getting students who are qualified for Ursinus.

In addition to these individual high school visits, the Admissions Staff attends 8 National College Fairs each year in Philadelphia, Baltimore, Long Island, Boston, Washington, Springfield, Hartford, and Pittsburgh. These College Fairs are hosted by the National Association of College Admissions Counselors (NACAC) with 300 to 350 colleges attending each fair. As many as 500 high school students will stop by the Ursinus booth to pick up brochures or to talk with a member of our Admissions Staff. Ursinus certainly benefits from participating with other colleges in this marketing effort. However, when a student's sole contact with the College is made through the College Fair, the probability of his actual matriculation is slight without extensive follow-up by the Admissions staff.

On a smaller scale, many high schools and junior colleges host their own continuing education nights, inviting the colleges of their choice to attend. A typical college night will involve 25-50 colleges and several hundred students. These college nights are more effective in recruiting as the Ursinus representatives have more time to speak with inquiring students and to elaborate on their specific interests.

Another useful tool is Student Search, a service of Educational Testing Service (ETS) in Princeton, N.J. When a high school junior or senior signs up to take SAT tests, he indicates what he is looking for in a college (size, location, etc.) and what his academic interests are. He also grants permission to ETS to place his name in Student Search, ETS's giant computer facility for student placement. Ursinus can then purchase the names of students who meet its academic standards and who have indicated an interest in a college of Ursinus's description and course offerings. To these students, the Admissions Staff

sends a letter of introduction, a color brochure, a fact sheet and an application for admission. In September 1976 the college mailed information to 15,000 names provided by Student Search.

The second phase of the Admissions process involves screening and accepting those students who apply to Ursinus. SAT scores and high school transcripts begin pouring into the Admissions Office from Junior year on. Every applicant must be interviewed and given a tour of the campus. Acceptances begin going out in September or as soon as credentials are complete, and continue on a rolling basis.

In analysing the students who actually attend Ursinus, we find that most of them had some previous personal contact with the College. Current Ursinus students returning home for vacation do much to promote interest in our programs. This year, there has been an increase in the number of students sent to Ursinus by enthusiastic alumni and undergraduates.

In hopes of encouraging greater alumni involvement in recruiting, an Alumni Resource Committee has been set up by the Alumni Association Executive Committee. Chaired by S. Ross Doughty, '68, Instructor in History, the Committee includes David Allebach, '68, a Pottstown attorney, E. Kathryn Schaeffer, '66, Assistant Principal of Perkiomen Valley High School, Karen Jogan Loux, '70, Assistant Professor of Romance Languages at Albright College and Ken Schaeffer, '70, assistant dean of admissions. This committee will be formulating plans for the involvement of more alumni in the recruiting process.

The plans being considered include area club meetings to attract potential students and give them a chance to discuss Ursinus College with alumni and undergraduates. Alumni source volunteers will be asked to contact high school students in their area, and some alumni will have an opportunity to attend college nights and National Fairs with the Admissions staff.

If you are interested in getting involved in student recruitment, please call or write to the Office of Admissions.



Visiting each high school individually is the most effective way of contacting potential students. The Admissions staff visits approximately 350 high schools each year.

UP FROM THE SOUTH HE AROSE or the Carterites have gone to Washington

by Harry C. Symons, Associate Professor of Economics

For the many alumni I have known over the years, I now offer a supplemental lesson in Applied Economics featuring a current analysis of the coming years with Jimmy Carter. Naturally, those of you who never graced my classroom are welcome to read this brief article.

National attention is focused on how President Carter will shape the course of future economic events. Many nationally recognized economists are projecting an activist monetary and fiscal policy, consistent with past Democratic party tendencies, while others are being more cautious in their prognostications. It would appear that the economy is now wallowing in a mid-winter snowstorm. Should the storm become a blizzard of economic inactivity, one might expect rather active governmental policy in both fiscal and monetary areas. These policy tools — tax rebates, tax cuts, government expenditure increases, easier monetary conditions (leading to and encouraging lower interest rates and ultimate investment stimulus) — could well be the temper of the immediate future. These policy tools have been utilized by both Republican and Democratic administrations, with the exception that the Democratic administrations tend to follow a M.S. and P.H.D. program (More of the Same and Piled Higher and Deeper).

Before going too far, let us see what Carter has inherited: a nation of family units that have experienced the 20 cent candy bar (suffer the little children); 40-45 cents per gallon for home heating oil (68° housing); 60 cents per gallon for gasoline (walking is good for your health); electricity at 5-6 cents per kilowatt hour (welcome the return of whale oil); the delivery of the newborn child at \$1000-\$1500 (no wonder the birth rate is down); median housing costs at \$43,000 (tents are coming back); new intermediate car costs at \$4,400 (sure it has wheels, engine, body, and a better ride, but it still uses only non-leaded, higher priced gasoline); food costs at 16.8% of your income (don't include all those non-food items in your weekly grocery bill), and unemployment at 8% of the work force and a decline of your money's purchasing power of 42% over the last ten years. In addition, we currently have a 6% annual increase in our consumer price index which, if not contained, will result in an additional 50% decline in your purchasing power over the next twelve years, if it continues unchecked. Such a scenario of economic data leads one to believe that Thomas Carlyle, the English philosopher, correctly labeled Economics as "the dismal science".

If economic history can be used to predict future trends, the following brief charts may assist you in determining what to expect in the coming Carter administration.



SOME PRESIDENTIAL COMPARISONS

Party/Years	Average Unemployment Rates	% Change in CPI	Federal Surplus or Deficit (\$)	Federal Debt Increase
D 1948-52	4.38%	11%	+9.4 B	+3 Billion
D 1960-64	5.78%	4%	(11.1)	+24
D 1964-68	3.93%	10%	(20.3)	+2
R 1952-56	4.25%	2%	(2.6)	+21
R 1956-60	5.53%	5%	(6.1)	+22
R 1968-72	4.98%	14%	(42.9)	+91
R 1972-76	6.33%	21%	(89.4)	+153

*Federal Reserve Bulletins, Statistical Abstracts of the U.S.

KEY INDICATORS TO FOLLOW DURING PRESIDENTIAL TERMS

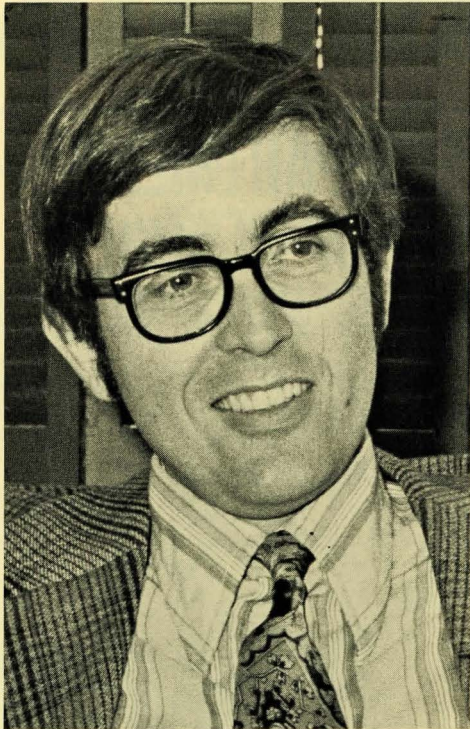
% of Corporate Profit to National Income	% of Int. to N.I.	Federal Funds	Conventional House Mortgage Rates Contract Rate & Fees & Charges
1950 15.3%	1%	1967 4.22	1971 8.47%
1960 12.1%	.5%	1968 5.66	1972 8.33%
1964 12.4%	2.9%	1969 8.21	1973 8.89%
1955 13.1%	1.2%	1970 7.17	1974 10.01%
1970 8.2%	4.6%	1971 4.66	1975 10.29%
1972	4.9%	1972 4.44	1976 Est. 10.27%
1976 8.6(2)		1973 8.74	
		1974 10.51	
		1975 5.86	
		1976 4.50 Est.	

*Research Dept. of Merrill Lynch

Focus On

ECONOMICS AND BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

BY JOHN PILGRIM, Ph.D., DEPARTMENT CHAIRMAN



The Economics Department has undergone some significant changes in recent years. Most visible, perhaps, is the rapid increase in its size. In terms of the number of majors, it is now the second largest department, with more than 15% of the student body (167 students) majoring in Economics. This growth is partly the result of increased interest in career opportunities and partly of an enhanced reputation for a rigorous and interesting curriculum. Growth in size is pleasant; but more important is that we have also had a slight increase in the quality of our majors, as indicated by their SAT scores.

Other changes in the department may be less obvious but are equally important. In keeping with the increased student attention to career preparation, we are strengthening the applied aspects of our curriculum, including the addition of a course in operations research. Our intention is to teach students the basic tools of analysis and the underlying theory that permits them to understand and predict the behavior of business and economic policy decision makers. We have not retreated from our commitment to a liberal arts background; nor have we succumbed to offering students narrowly defined vocational preparation. Rather, we are trying to provide a better blend of theory and application. The result has been that our graduates are better prepared to begin business careers or continue their studies after graduation.

Finally, let me note one more change in the department — we have resumed the name of Economics and Business Administration which has been absent for about ten years. In a sense, this change is more apparent than real, since it is not accompanied by a substantive change in the courses or thrust of the department. However, we believe it does more accurately describe our program for what it is — offering courses in both disciplines — as well as helping to market our program to prospective students and employers alike.

A cursory examination of the chart indicates that corporate profits, changes in the consumer price index, and unemployment rates have been at more acceptable levels under Democratic administrations while the bankers have been having a field day during Republican terms.

In view of the preceding material, it would appear that Carter's first concern in the early months of his administration will be to stimulate the pause or "lull" in the U.S. economy. Perhaps he will utilize all the conventional topics mentioned earlier, but it is still premature to be so specific. One certainty is that the U.S. economy must grow at a substantial 7-10% per year if Carter hopes to reduce unemployment to 6%, balance the budget, and bring the inflation rate down to a more tolerable 4% rate during his first four years in office. Another major priority will be to attack the structurally unemployed, which is a very serious problem in certain age groups. Employer incentive job programs and a dynamic program for the construction industry will no doubt be part of the revitalizing program.

One area that has received little or no public media attention is the rapid escalation of salaries and benefits in government service. During the past decade, all levels of civil service have received higher wages without an apparent increase in productivity. This statement is borne out by the increases seen in public education costs, welfare expenditures, and auxiliary government functions. Government is not the only culprit; private sector service industries must accept their own share of the blame.

It is only just and proper to indicate a few significant data changes that have taken place in our economy in the last year. While most readers find such data extremely boring, keep in mind that we are only attempting to take the nation's pulse and blood pressure to enable a reasonable diagnosis of

its economic health in order to prescribe proper medicinal remedies.

Nov. 20, 1976	Auto output	up 15.7%
		from one year ago
Nov. 20, 1976	Electric Power K.W. hours	up 10.1%
Nov. 20, 1976	Crude oil daily average	up 6.7%
	thousands of barrels	
Nov. 13, 1976	Retail Sales	up 8.9%
Nov. 13, 1976	Food Stuffs—9 Spot commodities	down 6.4%
Nov. 20, 1976	Wheat price per bushel	down 23.9%
Nov. 17, 1976	AA Corporate Bond yield—S&P	down 8.4
October 1976	Consumer price index	up 5.47%
October 1976	Manufacturing operating rate	up 0.66%

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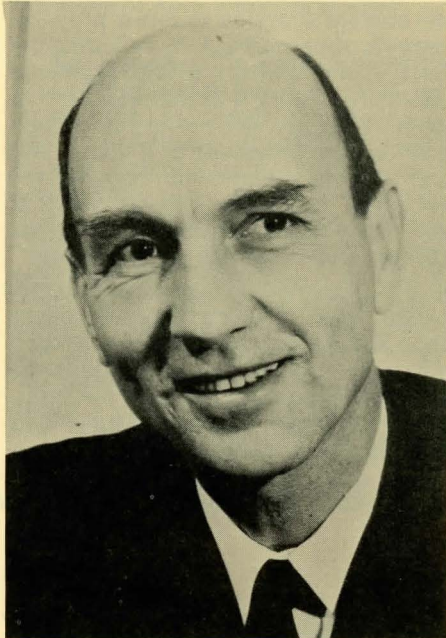
Recent news releases have indicated that the economy that Carter has inherited may be in worse shape than was originally predicted and will require a vigorous public sector infusion of stimulants. Many forget, however, that President Carter has many options available to him to stimulate and encourage the private sector. Should he succeed in making the Federal sector more efficient and credible in the eyes of the public, the business community will realize that the President has greater faith in the private sector than he has been given credit for. Hopefully, the private sector will respond in a determined effort to minimize the country's current economic ills.

Predicting the economic future is difficult even with the most sophisticated econometric models and computers, because the actions and outlooks of 200 million Americans cannot be programmed. Perhaps we should analyze Carter's future policies as succinctly as Archie Bunker did one evening when he said, "Sure we're going to sell more wheat to the Russians so they can make more bread to buy more peanut butter." Enough said.



CAMPUS

EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO PRESIDENT NAMED



DR. JAMES P. CRAFT

Dr. James P. Craft, Jr., a member of the Ursinus College faculty since 1968, was appointed to the position of executive assistant to the president, by President Richard P. Richter.

In his new post he will be chairman of campus long-term planning. He also will assist in the general administrative work of the president's office and be of particular assistance in faculty-administration-student relations and student life.

Since 1970 Dr. Craft was assistant dean of the college. As associate professor of political science, he teaches methods of political analysis, international relations, and statistics.

Before coming to Ursinus, he was a commissioned officer in the U.S. Navy 30 years, where he distinguished himself as commander of all U.S. destroyers in the Mediterranean and head of the contingency plans branch of the Joint Staff of the U.S. Joint Chiefs of Staff. Besides wide travel abroad, his duties included re-

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SCHOLARSHIP ESTABLISHED

The Ursinus Community was saddened to learn of the death of The Honorable A. Benjamin Scirica, Class of 1932, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Montgomery County. A scholarship has been established in memory of the late Judge Scirica, the income to be awarded to "... a deserving student interested in pursuing the profession of law and who demonstrates exceptional qualities of character and leadership in the college community."

DEPARTMENT TRIP PLANNED

The entire Political Science Department at Ursinus has been invited to tour Washington by Congressman, Richard T. Schultze of the 5th Congressional District. Other activities of the Department include a trip to Harrisburg with Representative G. Sieber Pancoast, '37. Dr. Pancoast will take his students to the State House for a closeup of the political process in action.

THEATRE TALK

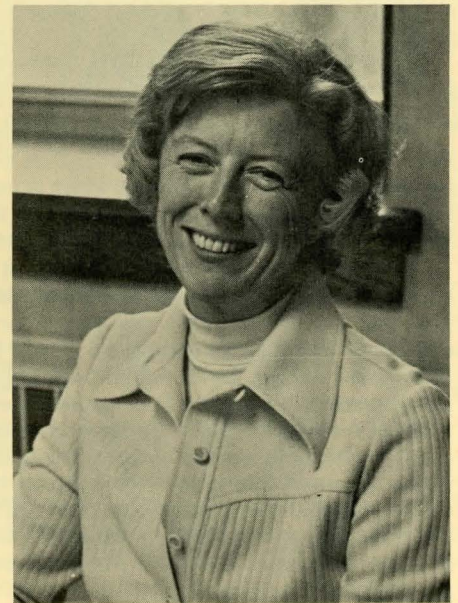
by Joyce E. Henry Ph.D.

The 1976 theatre trip to the Shakespeare Festival in Stratford, Ontario, was so successful that plans are forming for a repeat journey this June.

A bus may not be an elegant means of transportation, but it can be fun. As soon as we left the Helfferich Hall parking lot last year, a spirit of congeniality and adventure prevailed. Our group included people of all ages: high school students, undergraduates, faculty, alumni and administrators. Some came alone, some with friends or spouses, some with two, three or four family members. Our common interests were the theatre and Ursinus; these accounted for the pleasant and stimulating weekend we experienced.

We saw three shows — four, if you include Niagara Falls. We saw the shops of Stratford, we had a wine and cheese party, and we watched the swans on the Avon River. Some bought china, some sent postcards, some ate sandwiches in one of the beautiful parks and toured the Shakespeare gardens. We had a good time.

This year's tour will be similar. We will leave Helfferich Hall parking lot on the afternoon of Thursday, June 2nd, stay overnight, arrive in Stratford on Friday, June 3rd. We will see one production Friday night, a second on Saturday afternoon,



DR. JOYCE E. HENRY

and a third on Saturday evening. Sunday morning we will begin the return journey, arriving in Collegeville that evening. Cost (without meals) will be \$115.00 — which includes theatre tickets, hotel accommodations, and transportations.

Since so many of last year's group have expressed their desire to return, space is limited, although available. Please contact Dr. Joyce Henry, English Department at Ursinus, or at 489-6442 for further information, but *don't delay!*

CLIPPINGS

February, 1977

ALUMNI OFFER STUDENTS SOUND ADVICE



On December 2, ten alumni met with approximately 45 students to discuss career opportunities. Walker Tompkins, '71 (pictured above), formerly with Girard Bank and Marion Derr Strange, '72, a CPA with Maillie, McCarraher, Lennon & Co., discussed Money and Banking. Marjorie Justice Helfferich, '51, salesmanager of Eichler & Moffley Real Estate, Inc. and Mason Williams, '71, an insurance broker with Johnson & Higgins, Inc., fielded questions on Insurance and Real Estate. George Atkinson, '67, a system analyst with IBM and Carol Nixon Tompkins, '71, a programmer with Fidelity Mutual Life Insurance Co. discussed the Computer Industry. Public Relations and Publishing were covered in the career seminar by John Hope, '62, Director of Public Information for the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Resources and Robin Mil-

ler, '69, Editor for Science Press, Ephrata, Pa. Nancy Hetherington St. Laurent, '66, and Stephen Custer, '71, teamed up to discuss Personnel and Counseling. Mrs. St. Laurent is Personnel Manager of the Wyeth Laboratories' Division in Radnor, Pa., and Mr. Custer is with the Juvenile Probation Department of Montgomery County.

The Thursday evening program seemed to be a rewarding experience for the students and alumni alike.

Another Alumni Career Counseling program may be held in the spring, according to Karen Jogan Loux, '70, Chairman of the Undergraduate Relations Committee of the Alumni Association. The next seminar will highlight non-medical careers for science majors.

COMING EVENTS

- March 10 — 8:00 p.m.
College Forum: John Paul White, Basso, Bomberger
- March 11 — 6:05 p.m.
Amateur Show, Class of 1980
- March 27 —
Cub & Key/Whitian Reunion
Wisner Auditorium
- March 31 — 8:00 p.m.
College Forum: Arnold Shay, "The German Holocaust — WWII"
Wisner Auditorium
- April 2 —
Bucks County Area Club Dinner
- April 6 — 12:00 noon
Phila. Area Club Luncheon
- April 14 — 8:00 p.m.
College Forum: William Horn, Pianist. Bomberger Hall
- April 17 —
South Jersey Area Club Dinner
- April 21 — 7:30 p.m.
Combined Band Concert with Muhlenberg & Drexel.
- April 23 —
Road Rally, Class of 1980
- April 30 —
Pi Nu Epsilon National Convention — 50th Anniversary
- May 7 — PARENT'S DAY
2:30 — Spring Festival
4:00 — Spring Band Concert
- May 28 — ALUMNI DAY
- May 29 — 2:00 p.m.
Baccalaureate Service Commencement
Ron Nesson, Press Secretary to former President Gerald R. Ford, feature speaker.

CLEARANCE SALE

A limited number of yearbooks for the following classes are available: 1897-1918, 1920-1926, 1929, 1931, 1933-1937, 1939-1945, 1947-1963, 1965-1971, 1974-1976.

The 1974 and 1975 RUBY are priced at \$7.50; the 1976 RUBY is \$15.00. All other years are offered for \$5.00. Make checks payable to Ursinus College and mail to E. Harry Broadbent, Faculty Advisor, Ursinus College, Collegeville, PA. 19426.

**A REAL GEM
OF A BARGAIN!**



CRAFT—*Continued from Front Page*

search and the preparation of reports, studies and estimates of a strategic-political nature, some of which went to the President. Craft was a member of the Naval Technical Mission to Japan and military advisor to a Presidential task force.

He was awarded the Silver Star, the Bronze Star, Letter of Commendation, and the Purple Heart. He graduated with honors in 1934 from the U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., and received the master of science degree in marine engineering from Massachusetts Institute of Technology, where he was elected an associate member of Sigma Xi.

He graduated from the U.S. Naval War College and taught at the U.S. Naval Post-graduate School three years.

He earned his doctorate at the University of Pennsylvania in 1969, where he also was dean of men from 1964 to 1968 and received two fellowships for study there.

A visiting scholar at the University of Michigan in the summer of 1971, Dr. Craft received a National Science fellowship at the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University in 1973.

Active in political science organizations, he recently was elected to a two-year term on the executive council of the Northeast Political Science Association and serves on the editorial board of "Polity", the journal of that association. He is first vice president of the Pennsylvania Political Science Association, and secretary-treasurer of the Greater Philadelphia chapter of the International Studies Association.

A native of Louisville, Ga., he is married, the father of a daughter and two sons, and resides in Rosemont.

LATE NEWS FLASH . . . Blanche B. Schultz, '41, Professor of Mathematics has been named to succeed Dr. James P. Craft as Assistant Dean of the College. Miss Schultz has been a member of the Ursinus Faculty since 1946. Her appointment as Assistant Dean will be effective immediately.

INCREASE APPROVED

An annual increase of \$300 in tuition fees and \$100 in room and board costs has been approved by the Board of Directors for the 1977-78 academic year. Tuition costs will now be \$3,030 and room and board will rise to \$1,370 per year.

PENNSYLVANIA DUTCH STUDIES PROGRAM ALIVE AND WELL AT URSINUS

Dr. William T. Parsons, Professor of History, is happy to report that the Pennsylvania Dutch Studies program has had a busy year.

This summer, two visiting lecturers, Antje Sommer, of the University of Heidelberg, and Roland Park, of the Speyer School System, were on campus to teach summer school sessions.

Frauline Sommer and Herr Paul will be collaborating on a booklet dealing with the European migration to America, emphasizing details of the migration from the Palatinate, a region in Germany.

To supplement Myrin Library's growing collection of books, periodicals and artifacts associated with the Pennsylvania Dutch Culture, Helen Detwiler Robbins, '30, has donated a collection of juvenile literature related to the Pennsylvania Germans.

Dr. Parsons himself has contributed to that collection with his latest publication, *German Reformed Experience in America*. The booklet, one of a series of eight from the United Church Press, Philadelphia, describes the founding of the German Reformed Church.

URSINUS TEAM TRIES HARDER

The Ursinus College field hockey team finished second in the Inter-collegiate Hockey Championship held at Valley Forge Military Academy during Thanksgiving recess. It was the second year in a row that Adele Boyd's squad wound up second in the nation, and both times West Chester State beat the Bears for the National Championship. This year the score was 2-0.

Ursinus made it into the finals with a 10-0 thumping of the University of Oregon, a 5-0 victory over Ohio State and another 5-0 win over the University of Delaware.

Ursinus was also represented by many

fine coaches at this year's tournament. Vonnie Gros, '57, head coach at West Chester State; Nancy Porter, '70, head coach at William and Mary; Harriet Reynolds, '72, Ohio State coach; Debbie Ryan, '75, University of Virginia assistant coach; and Adele Boyd, '53, head coach of the Ursinus team all made fine showings.

Ursinus' hockey team has been invited on a playing tour of South Africa this summer. 14 players, led by Coach Adele Boyd, will make the six week trip. The girls must pay their own transportation, totaling \$1350 per girl. Various fund raising projects are already underway in anticipation of the June trip.



(left to right) SHARON SLOYER, '77; NANCY ZURN, '78 and BETSY MENG, '78

ENTERTAINMENT / COMICS / FEATURES

Protheatre Presents

proTheatre's next production will be William Shakespeare's charming comedy, *Two Gentlemen of Verona*, to be presented six performances in the Bearpit, Monday, February 28th through Saturday, March 5th. Matinees will be performed Tuesday and Thursday at 3:45; other performances will be at 7:30 p.m.

The production, directed by Dr. Joyce Henry, will have a contemporary flavor. Wildwood and Atlantic City, New Jersey will be the counterparts of Shakespeare's Verona and Milan, and the "Duke's Palace" will preview future activities of our nearby costal city. Music, dance, menagerie, and faculty contribute to the carnival spirit.

Alumni are always welcome; arrangements for reservations can be made at the Alumni Office.

MEISTERSINGERS GO ON TOUR



THE MEISTERSINGERS

Approximately 45 Meistersingers will tour Pennsylvania, New Jersey and lower New England this spring. Don't miss them if they will be appearing in your area!

- March 6 7:00 p.m.
United Methodist Church
of Huntington Valley, Pa.
- April 3 8:00 p.m.
Community UCC, Reading, Pa.
- April 17 8:00 p.m.
St. Mark's Lutheran
Main St., Pennsburg, Pa.
- April 22 8:00 p.m.
St. John's Episcopal
Sommerville, N.J.
- April 23 8:00 p.m.
Coventry 2nd Congregational,
Coventry, Conn.
- April 24 8:00 p.m.
St. Paul's Episcopal Church,
Natick, Mass.
- April 25 — To be announced
- April 26 — Greater Boston Area

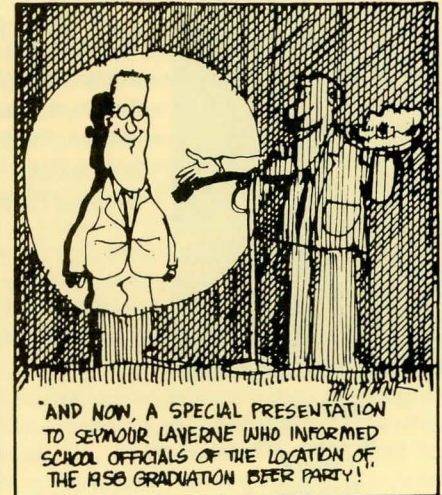
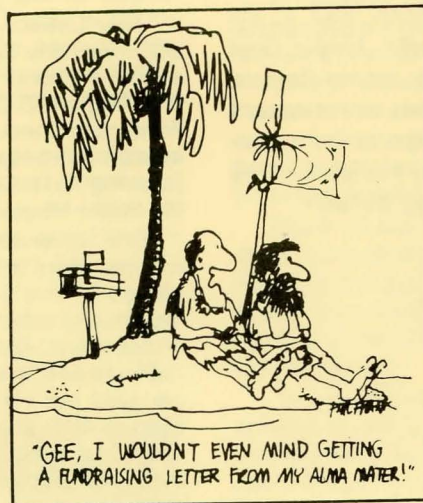


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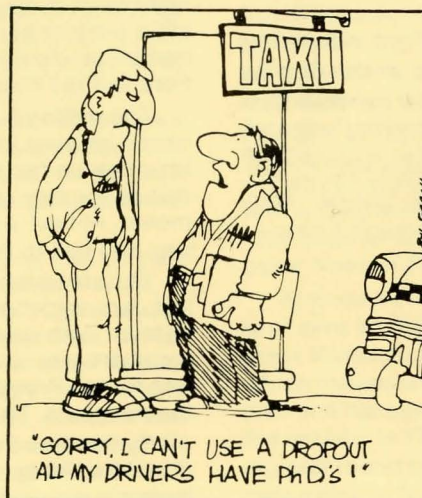
Martha Franklin, known to many as "the Cherub of Derr Hall", wants to say "hello" to all the alumni she has known in her 52 years at Ursinus.

Mrs. Franklin began working at the College while she was still in high school. Over her years at Ursinus, she has received more than 2000 Christmas cards from Ursinus grads. Some even stop by her home on Eighth Avenue, Collegetown to pay their regards. She always comes to campus on Alumni Day and Homecoming in hopes that some of her "former students" will stop by her sewing room in the basement of Curtis Hall.

Mrs. Franklin is the widow of the Rev. Daniel B. Franklin, '20.



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**JOAN DEACON
AIKENS, '50**
Federal Election
Commissioner

Excerpts from *She Gives Your Dollars Away* by Robert H. Williams are printed below. The article appeared in the August 29 issue of *Today, the Inquirer Magazine*, and is reprinted with the editor's permission.

Alumni Profiles

JOAN AIKENS, '50

Federal Election Commission

There is no such thing as methadone for a politics junkie, so it is likely to require a lot of aspirin, hot and cold showers and the companionship of good friends to get Joan Aikens through the next five years, and particularly this one, her first full year off the hustings in 16 years.

Joan Deacon Aikens is barred from any partisan political activities. She is one of six members of the on-again, off-again Federal Election Commission, which sits in Washington, D.C., exactly one block from the offices of the Watergate Special Prosecution Force. This closeness seems appropriate because the commission was set up by Congress (wearing its Reluctant Dragon costume) to try to see to it that the White House never goes on the auction block again.

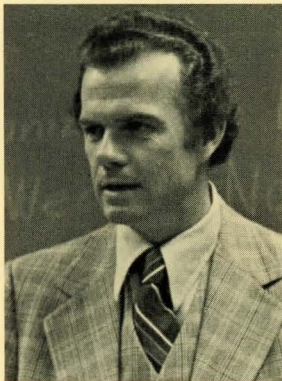
She is one of the six original members of the commission and the story of how this erstwhile Swarthmore housewife arrived in this \$40,000 job in Washington is one that can inspire and offer hope to housewives everywhere who have, in suburban America, become the ward heelers, precinct captains and, even, bosses. It's also a story of how a woman parlayed her volunteer political work into a second career, coming after she had been mainly a wife and mother for 22 years. Her experiences as a commission member, moreover, help to tell part of the beginnings, at least, of America's latest attempt to control the role of greed and avarice in political campaigns.

The commissioners were sworn in on April 14, 1975, and got to work the next day on the massive task of channeling millions of taxpayers' dollars to the campaign treasuries of what were to become more than a dozen "certified" presidential candidates ranging from Ellen McCormack to Gerald Ford to Fred Harris (who?) to Milton Shapp (who?).

The millions of dollars come from those little boxes you check on your income tax return. Joan Aikens checks the little box on her return each year, she says, adding that "it makes me very conscious of the fact that this is not 'found' money, not extra dollars, but money coming out of the Treasury, and has to be handled very carefully."

The commission members were abruptly put out of work last January when the Supreme Court decided that a commission with presidentially and congressionally appointed members was unconstitutional. The constitutional method was for the President to appoint, and the Congress confirm, the members. That's the way politics goes sometimes.

By the time the smoke had cleared after the Nov. 2 election, Mrs. Aikens and the five other commissioners (three Republicans and three Democrats, with varied expiration dates on their terms) had sent out an estimated \$75 million to



**HAROLD
GOLD, '54**
Federal
Mediator

During a recent visit to the Philadelphia area, Harold Gold addressed the Haines-Bernard Pre-Legal Society. At the editor's request, he prepared the following message for this issue of *The Ursinus College Bulletin*.



**DOROTHY THOMAS
SHELLEY, '35**
Mental Health
Official

Dorothy Shelley's resignation made headlines in the October 31, 1976, issue of the *York Sunday News*. Excerpts of that story are reprinted below with the permission of the author, Mary Stephenson, *Women's Editor*.

the various candidates, the two major parties, and the two national conventions. This is a lot of money. Who is Joan D. Aikens anyway?

She attended Lansdowne Friends School, the Friends Central School, Mary Lyon School in Swarthmore (where the family moved in 1947), the Ogontz School and then Ursinus at Collegeville, where she received a bachelor of arts degree in 1950, majoring in English.

In high school she was yearbook editor and worked on the school paper, and in college was active in the drama club, "but I was never a great star." She had no particular interest in politics, "and I wasn't involved in a great deal at college" certainly nothing heavy. She was involved in volunteer work at the Naval Hospital and Valley Forge — she calls herself the "perpetual volunteer" — and in a Red Cross occupational therapy program.

In the fall of 1950 she married Donald R. Aikens, whom she had met in College, and he is in the insurance business in Philadelphia, like her father. The marriage lasted the better part of 23 years and then broke up, she says, "because I wasn't particularly happy being married, and I felt I'd be happier as a single person."

In the meantime, in 1953, the Aikenses had a son, Donald R. Aikens who is a graduate of the University of Delaware, a fire engine driver at Delaware Park Race Track, a volunteer fireman, the owner of three horses, the whip for the Cochraneville Fox Hunting Club and so-far-unsuccessful applicant at the University of Pennsylvania School of Veterinary Medicine.

"As a matter of fact, I got to where I am today without any goals," she said. "One thing just led to another, and I feel very fortunate. I enjoy being a woman — I love to be taken to dinner, I love to be waited on, and on the other hand I love to do the waiting on. The only agonizing I have is just exactly where I fit in."

Mrs. Aikens refers to herself during the early years of her marriage as a "typical young mother," with lots of bridge, some golf and, of course, volunteer work, which is what led to her being hooked on politics.

During those years she taught Presbyterian Sunday School, was on a church committee, did hospital work and then became president of the Women's Board of Associated Auxiliaries at Riddle Memorial Hospital. (She points out that land for the hospital had been donated by Samuel Riddle, owner of Man o' War.) She restarted a dormant horse show for the hospital, helped raise \$60,000 to \$100,000 a year for Riddle, and worked her way up to president of the Junior Women's club. Then came the entree into politics: in 1960 she was asked by the Swarthmore Republican Committee to run the local headquarters for Nixon-Lodge.

From there she became a charter member of the new Swarthmore Council of Republican Women, went on to be its president, and joined the board of directors of the Pennsylvania Council of Republican Women. Eventually she was elected head of that, too.

Her campaigns became exciting and came fast. In 1962 she ran the Scranton for Governor office in Swarthmore; in 1964 the Goldwater-Miller headquarters; in 1968 she was vice-chairman of the Delaware County Committee to Re-Elect the President. In between she worked for other Republican gubernatorial candidates, and for Hugh Scott, whom she had met during the 1960 Nixon race. Scott, she said, was very active in all of the campaigns, and sort of wove in and out of her life, "always generous with his time, gracious about hosting things for us when we were in Washington. His staff was always cooperative . . ."

After the 1972 election, and as the Aikens marriage was in the process of breaking up, Joan D. Aikens turned her hand to fashion coordinating around Swarthmore — she had done some modeling in her volunteer work (she is constructed for it, certainly), and worked for a small public relations firm in Valley Forge. She never became one of those tired-looking women with briefcases you see all the time who've kicked a 20-year marriage and don't exactly know where to start over.

HAROLD L. GOLD, '54

Federal Mediator

What causes a person in preparation for his life's work to spend more than ten years in higher education and accumulate three bachelor degrees (two of them in professional fields), and what brings him to a point in his career where during the course of most weeks he is mediating labor-management disputes, teaching collective bargaining at a university and preaching in a Baptist church?

I'm not certain that I can satisfactorily answer that compound and complex question, but I will attempt to delineate the course which has led to this best of all professional worlds for me.

In the fall of 1953, while still an undergraduate at Ursinus, I exchanged the gray, stone walls of Bomberger Chapel for the red-brick ones of the Dickinson School of Law at Carlisle, Pa. A highly stimulating course in constitutional law under Sieb Pancoast had aroused my interest in a legal education. However, my first year there nearly was my last, for at the same time I completed at nearby Dickinson College the 13 semester hours remaining toward my B.A. from Ursinus.

Much of the law made an interesting and challenging study, and I shall be ever grateful for that further discipline of my mind, but a growing fascination with the human give and take of the collective bargaining process — first nurtured in a labor relations course taken at Ursinus — gained priority over practicing law.

And so in June of 1956, upon receiving the LL.B degree, I joined the staff of the Director, Labor Relations of the (then) Pennsylvania Railroad Co. in Philadelphia. The next four years were to prove as important learning years in the practical world as had been the previous seven in the academic world. Furthermore, married and with three children — it was time to settle down into a career!

But, strangely, I was restless; I felt incomplete, unfulfilled. As I look back now I realize I was dissatisfied with the role of advocate in the labor-management relationship. There were valid positions, important needs on both sides of the bargaining table. As I was to suggest later to my university students, though traditionally an adversary relationship, collective bargaining is best conducted in a win — win rather than a win — lose atmosphere. This increasing dissatisfaction, coupled with a deepening of my Christian faith, led me in the fall of 1960 back to school — this time for the B.D. degree at Andover Newton Theological School in Newton Centre, Mass.

At Andover Newton I found a new interest, preaching, and kept alive an old interest, labor relations. The latter received great stimulus under a seminar conducted by Harvey Cox which concerned itself primarily with God's involvement with man and his work in modern industrial society. Ordination to the ministry in 1963 and graduation from seminary the following year found preaching in control of my career and I served pastorates in Norwich, New York (1963-1967) and Philadelphia (1967-1970).

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However, labor-management relations wouldn't let me go. Before the end of the 'sixties I had concluded that my particular ministry should be one of reconciliation on the collective bargaining scene, and so in April of 1970 I became a Commissioner of the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service, in Cleveland, the independent agency of the U.S. Government charged by the Taft-Hartley Act with a major responsibility for maintaining peace in industrial relations throughout the nation.

At last I had found my life's work! I had become a neutral facilitating the collective bargaining process, enabling parties deadlocked in contract negotiation disputes to resolve their differences without resorting to or continuing costly work stoppages. I find this an always interesting, usually challenging, sometimes even exciting work.

There was to be rich icing for this cake of career fulfillment. In the fall of 1972 I became a part-time lecturer in the labor and management department of the college of business administration at Cleveland State University. And in recent years I have been preaching almost every Sunday in American Baptist churches of the greater Cleveland area.

I derive great satisfaction from my secondary roles of teacher and preacher, but when approached about accepting a full-time faculty position or returning to the pastoral ministry I have declined simply because I prefer to remain in the front lines, mediating disputes in one of the most dynamic of human relationships.

DOROTHY SHELLEY, '35

Mental Health Administration

Dorothy Shelley is emphatic about her intent. "I am not retiring. I'm resigning as assistant director of the York County Mental Health Center. I am going to change my lifestyle with time to prepare for the examination for licensed psychologist.

"I've earned my master's degree from the University of Pennsylvania, and I had intended to apply for a psychologist's license under the 'grandfather' clause, which would have eliminated the need for an examination. Somehow in the press of daily routines I had the year confused, and missed the deadline. It's just as well. May be a good thing. Now I'll have to find the time to study. And I would also like to have more personal time to keep up with my family."

For 17 years Mrs. Shelley has been involved in mental health work in the area. She was the first part-time executive director of the York County Mental Health Association. At the same time she was also executive director of the Lancaster County Mental Health Association. "It was a Smith-Kline and French grant to the commonwealth which permitted the hiring of a staff member to help establish the associations," she remembered.

From 1959 she worked with professional people and trained volunteers in work to bring to the general public the need for better mental health facilities, acceptance of mental illness on a par with physical illness.

"It was after President John Kennedy's speech to Congress that the Mental Health Act became law," she said. "It was the first time in history that a country's leader addressed the problem.

"The Mental Health Center was established, and I came to the center in 1966 as staff psychologist. In '68 when Darrell Nixdorf left the administrative post to become administrator for the York-Adams MH/MR program, I became acting director.

"Closer to home treatment was needed, and states looked at the problem. For every 200,000 people there was to be a complex of five services: short term inpatient care in the community; hospital outpatient care; 24 hour psychiatric emergency service; partial hospitalization (where you are not a resident of a hospital or institution, but spend X number of hours in intensive care in a day treatment center, or over a weekend; and the latest development, the evening program at the Treatment Center, 200 E. King St., which we just started in August. Treatment at the center is separate and distinct from treatment at the hospital. A person can continue to work.

"This is one of the greatest changes I've been pleased to observe. Employers have become much more understanding about emotional problems. Much of the hesitation about hiring people who have experienced such problems has disappeared. We have all become much more aware of the problems, and can readily accept that mental illness can require the same immediate care that a physical illness requires. Individual opinions have been modified greatly."

When Dr. P. Kirk Pandelidis became psychiatrist-director, Mrs. Shelley became assistant director in charge of administrative affairs.

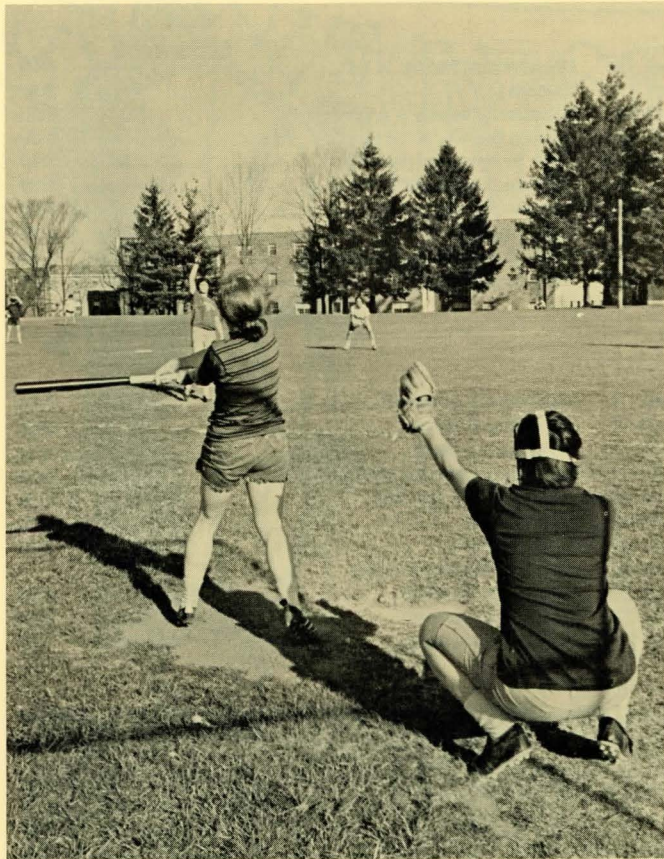
"The function didn't really change for me, just the name," she said, "I still had some time for clinical work. Then in October of '69 we contracted with the MH/MR program to provide clinical services, and the volume became more extensive. There have been substantial referrals from clergy, physicians, schools and self-referrals have been increasing steadily since 1966. I think most of the change has come about through self-referrals — usually a crisis phone call to psychiatric emergency service.

Mrs. Shelley's concerns have been many, as were her responsibilities. "But it's not really that bad," she said, referring to the job description sheet. "The director in charge of administrative affairs is responsible for budgeting, personnel management, direct planning and preparation of the annual budget, then working with it month by month; maintenance of financial records; overall responsibility for consideration and supervision of office procedures, is responsible for seeing that equipment is made available to adjunct facilities.

She has also coordinated functions of various board committees, remains acquainted with programs and their problems, in cooperation with the psychiatrist-director; makes the advisory board aware of the needs and problems of the center.

With the board of 24 community representatives she has maintained cooperative working relationships with the York-Adams MH/MR program, and must be aware of county and state situations.

With a touch of wry humor, she commented, "Someone has to distribute the paper clips." And closing the interview, she leaned over her laden desk, picked up a paper clip, and popped it into her desk drawer. Then she put away the job description sheet, and prepared for her new lifestyle with a trip to Ursinus College, alma mater for her and husband, Atty. Gene Shelley.



SPRING SPORTS SCHEDULE

TRACK & FIELD SCHEDULE

March 30	Muhlenberg	Home	3:15
April 2	Franklin & Marshall	Away	2:00
April 6	Swarthmore	Home	3:15
April 13	Widener	Away	3:30
April 19	Albright	Home	3:15
April 23	Dickinson & Hopkins	at D'son	2:00
April 25	Haverford & Del. Valley	at Del.Val.	3:00
April 29- April 30	Penn Relays		
May 6- May 7	M.A.C. Championships at Dickinson		

BASEBALL SCHEDULE

March 30	Allentown	Away	3:30
March 31	Elizabethtown	Away	3:00
April 2	Eastern	Away	2:00
April 4	Delaware Valley	Away	3:15
April 6	Swarthmore	Home	3:00
April 14	Dickinson	Home	3:00
April 16	Johns Hopkins (double-header)	Away	1:00
April 18	Muhlenberg	Away	3:00
April 21	Drexel	Away	3:30
April 23	Widener (double-header)	Home	1:00
April 25	Wilkes	Away	3:15
April 27	Swarthmore	Away	3:00
April 30	Haverford (double-header)	Home	1:00
May 3	Albright	Home	3:00
May 5	Franklin & Marshall	Home	3:00
May 7	Washington (double-header)	Away	1:30
May 10	Moravian	Home	3:00
May 12	Williamson Trade (J.V.)	Home	3:30

WOMEN'S LACROSSE SCHEDULE

April 5	Montgomery Co. Comm. (3rd Team)	Home	3:30
April 12	Glassboro (Varsity & J.V.)	Home	3:30
April 13	Temple (Varsity & J.V.)	Away	3:30
April 14	Univ. of Penn (Varsity & J.V.)	Away	7:00
April 23	Lock Haven (Varsity & J.V.)	Away	1:00
April 26	Swarthmore	Home	3:30
April 28	Trenton (Varsity & J.V.)	Home	3:00
May 3	West Chester	Away	3:30
May 5	Franklin & Marshall (3rd & 4th Teams)	Home	3:30
May 10	ESSC (Varsity & J.V.)	Away	3:30
May 12	Penn State (Varsity & J.V.)	Home	3:15



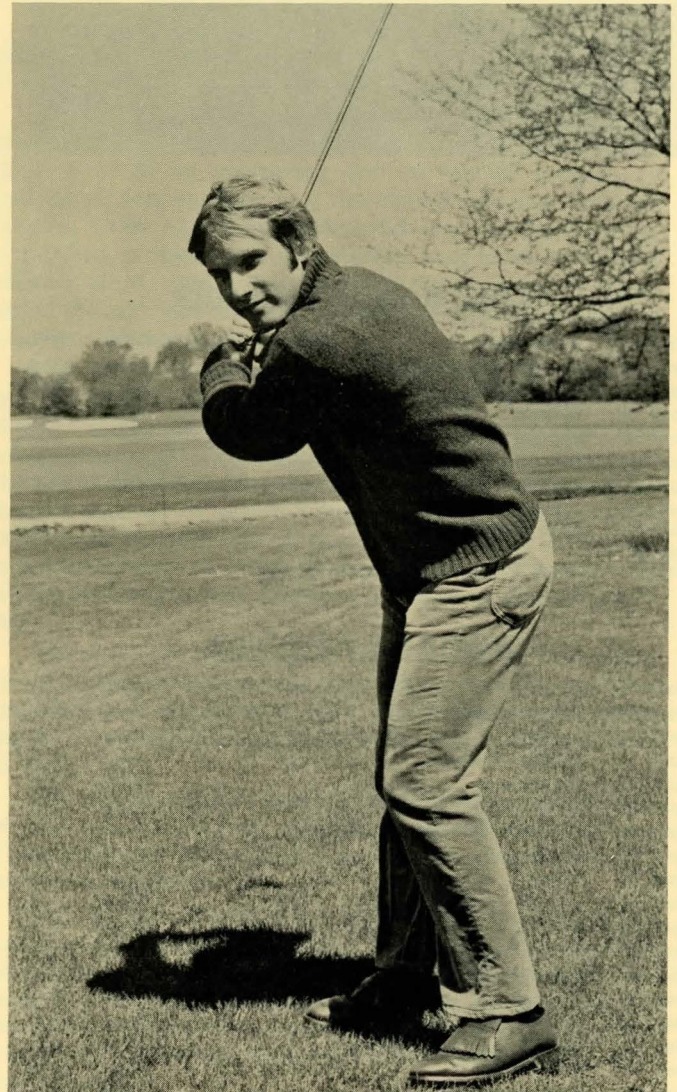


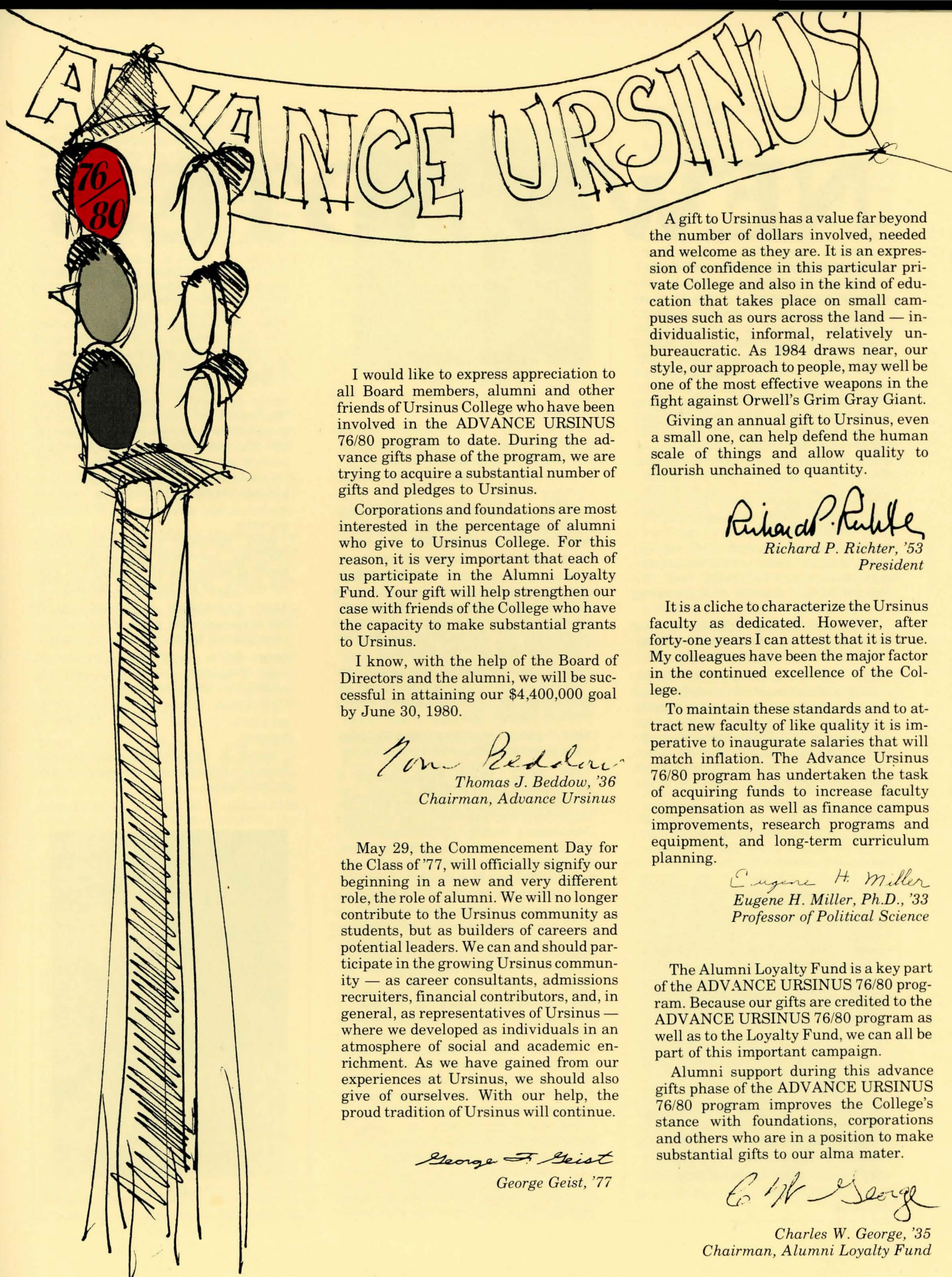
April 5	University of Penna. (J.V.)	Away	4:00
April 7	Eastern (J.V.)	Away	3:30
April 12	Glassboro (Varsity & J.V.)	Home	3:30
April 13	Temple (Varsity & J.V.)	Away	3:30
April 14	Univ. of Delaware (Varsity)	Home	3:30
April 26	Franklin & Marshall (J.V.)	Home	3:30
April 28	Trenton (Varsity & J.V.)	Home	3:00
May 3	West Chester	Away	3:30
May 10	ESSC (Varsity) (double-header)	Away	3:30
May 12	Penn State (Varsity)	Home	3:15

April 1	Dickinson & Scranton	Home	2:00
April 6	Lycoming & Wilkes	Home	2:00
April 12	Widener & LaSalle	at LaSalle	
April 14	Hopkins & Lebanon Valley	Home	2:00
April 15	Muhlenberg & Wd. Md.	Home	2:00
April 19	Swarthmore	Home	2:00
April 22	Delaware Valley	Home	2:00
April 25	M.A.C. at Delaware Valley		
April 27	Franklin & Marshall	Home	2:00
April 29	Drexel & Haverford	Home	2:00
May 3	Albright & Moravian	at Morav.	1:00

March 29	Eastern	Home	2:30
March 31	Elizabethtown	Away	2:30
April 2	Drew	Away	2:00
April 4	Washington	Away	3:00
April 5	Wilkes	Home	2:30
April 13	Drexel	Away	3:30
April 15	Haverford	Away	3:00
April 18	Swarthmore	Home	2:30
April 21	Johns Hopkins	Away	3:00
April 23	Delaware Valley	Home	2:00
April 27	Widener	Home	2:30
April 28	Villanova	Away	2:45
April 29-30	Team Tournament		
May 3	LaSalle	Away	
May 5	Albright	Away	3:00
May 6-7	Individual Tourn. at Gettysburg		
May 10	Moravian	Away	3:00

April 5	Lehigh University	Away	3:00
April 18	Widener	Home	3:30
April 20	Franklin & Marshall	Away	3:30
April 21	Cedar Crest	Away	3:30
April 26	Bryn Mawr	Home	4:00
April 28	Immaculata	Home	4:00
May 3	West Chester	Away	3:30
May 12	Kutztown	Home	3:00





A gift to Ursinus has a value far beyond the number of dollars involved, needed and welcome as they are. It is an expression of confidence in this particular private College and also in the kind of education that takes place on small campuses such as ours across the land — individualistic, informal, relatively un-bureaucratic. As 1984 draws near, our style, our approach to people, may well be one of the most effective weapons in the fight against Orwell's Grim Gray Giant.

Giving an annual gift to Ursinus, even a small one, can help defend the human scale of things and allow quality to flourish unchained to quantity.

Richard P. Richter
Richard P. Richter, '53
President

It is a cliché to characterize the Ursinus faculty as dedicated. However, after forty-one years I can attest that it is true. My colleagues have been the major factor in the continued excellence of the College.

To maintain these standards and to attract new faculty of like quality it is imperative to inaugurate salaries that will match inflation. The Advance Ursinus 76/80 program has undertaken the task of acquiring funds to increase faculty compensation as well as finance campus improvements, research programs and equipment, and long-term curriculum planning.

Eugene H. Miller
Eugene H. Miller, Ph.D., '33
Professor of Political Science

The Alumni Loyalty Fund is a key part of the ADVANCE URSINUS 76/80 program. Because our gifts are credited to the ADVANCE URSINUS 76/80 program as well as to the Loyalty Fund, we can all be part of this important campaign.

Alumni support during this advance gifts phase of the ADVANCE URSINUS 76/80 program improves the College's stance with foundations, corporations and others who are in a position to make substantial gifts to our alma mater.

Charles W. George
Charles W. George, '35
Chairman, Alumni Loyalty Fund

I would like to express appreciation to all Board members, alumni and other friends of Ursinus College who have been involved in the ADVANCE URSINUS 76/80 program to date. During the advance gifts phase of the program, we are trying to acquire a substantial number of gifts and pledges to Ursinus.

Corporations and foundations are most interested in the percentage of alumni who give to Ursinus College. For this reason, it is very important that each of us participate in the Alumni Loyalty Fund. Your gift will help strengthen our case with friends of the College who have the capacity to make substantial grants to Ursinus.

I know, with the help of the Board of Directors and the alumni, we will be successful in attaining our \$4,400,000 goal by June 30, 1980.

Thomas J. Beddow
Thomas J. Beddow, '36
Chairman, Advance Ursinus

May 29, the Commencement Day for the Class of '77, will officially signify our beginning in a new and very different role, the role of alumni. We will no longer contribute to the Ursinus community as students, but as builders of careers and potential leaders. We can and should participate in the growing Ursinus community — as career consultants, admissions recruiters, financial contributors, and, in general, as representatives of Ursinus — where we developed as individuals in an atmosphere of social and academic enrichment. As we have gained from our experiences at Ursinus, we should also give of ourselves. With our help, the proud tradition of Ursinus will continue.

George F. Geist
George Geist, '77

NEWS NOTES

1916: THE REV. WALTER R. GOBRECHT, in observance of nearly a third of a century as State Chaplain of the Disabled American Veterans organization in Ohio (15 years) and California (17 years), is publishing in the Spring of 1977 a booklet of about 40 articles under the title, *This Nation Under God*. These articles were written during the past decade for a quarterly newspaper published by the California D.A.V. The booklet will also contain a special religious worship program given in several churches and over a radio station while Mr. Gobrecht was in a pastorate, "The Story of a Life from the Cradle to the Grave in Narrative, Poetry and Music."

1923: MARY E. GROSS volunteers at a new U.N.A. Center where Unicef products and other imports are sold.

1924: CAPTAIN EDWIN FAYE, retired USNR chaplain, was awarded "Most Distinguished Alumnus" recognition from Williamson School. Chaplain Faye graduated from Williamson in 1920.

MR. & MRS. ERIC A. CORKHILL returned to Florida after a month in London celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary.

1926: THE REV. DR. MORRIS D. SLIFER, minister of visitation at First United Church of Christ, Quakertown, Pa., is a co-compiler and editor of *Prayers and Other Resources for Public Worship*. Published by Abingdon Press, the text, an anthology of public prayers and resources for worship, contains both contemporary and traditional selections.

1928: CATHERINE YEAKEL HOAGEY attained national recognition of her accomplishments in pre-school musical education when one of her action songs, "Put Your Hands," appeared in the August-September issue of the *Instructor*, a magazine circulated to more than 500,000 schools and educators in the U.S. and foreign countries. Presently writing teachers' manuals and children's workbooks for use in Musical Kindergartens, she continues to train teachers and supervise classes, twenty-five years after the establishment of her first musical kindergarten in her home at Sellersville, Pa.

1929: MRS. ROY Z. HERSHEY (MARIE MARKLEY) is enjoying two great-grandchildren, one girl and one boy.

1930: THE REV. JOSEPH N. PEDRICK, who retired in March of 1976 after nineteen years as Rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Lock Haven, Pa., was made Rector Emeritus by the congregation.

1931: MR. & MRS. THOMAS B. WEIDENSAUL (GRACE KENDIG, '31) are enjoying retirement.

JOHN W. FERTIG, retired Professor of Biostatistics, Columbia University, is a consultant in Biostatistics to the World Health Organization and to pharmaceutical companies.

1932: MRS. ARTHUR M. GOTTSCHALK (BETTY SHAUB) serves as president of United Methodist Women in the First United Methodist Church, Deming, New Mexico.

MRS. OTIS H. GRENDLER (VIVIAN DAVIES) retired from the Ridgewood, N.J., school system in June, 1976.

RICHARD S. ALLEBACH retired as of January 1, 1976.

MRS. L. V. KACHEL (RUTH BEDDOW) retired from counseling at Middletown Township High School, Middletown, N.J.

1933: BERNARD B. ZAMOSTEIN, M.D., expressed his views on the mandatory recertification examination of family physicians in the October 30, 1976, issue of *The National Observer*. Preparing for reexamination when interviewed, Dr. Zamostein said, "the ultimate advantage is to the patient."

1935: HARRY F. BRIAN, retiring as Chairman of Van Sant Dugdale Advertising, assumed the duties of Vice President of Kirkley Press of Towson, Md.

1937: CARL F. SENCENBACH is vice president of Albert M. Greenfield Insurance Inc.

1938: PAUL I. GUEST, ESQ., Chairman of the Delaware Valley Hospital Council, participated in contract signing ceremonies between the DVHC and Blue Cross of Greater Philadelphia. The signing culminated nearly 12 months of intensive negotiations involving representatives of the State of Pennsylvania, DVHC and Blue Cross.

R. SOLOMON BEAR, ESQ., was elected president of the Hamburg Savings and Trust Company, assuming his duties on January 1, 1977. He has been a member of the bank's board of directors since 1963. He also maintains a law practice in Hamburg.

1940: ROBERT J. WEIDENHAMMER has been selected by the American Academy of Microbiology to serve on a committee of registered microbiologists to recommend and plan courses of instruction for continuing education of graduate microbiologists. The committee will concentrate on updating the training of microbiologists whose work deals with environmental problems.

WALTER F. MC CURDY, JR., retired in June 1976 after 35 years of teaching and is now employed by Continental Bank.

1941: GWENDOLYN MAC MURRAY is President of the Tri-State College Library Cooperative (TCLC), a cooperative which

includes 26 academic and research libraries in the Philadelphia area, including Ursinus's Myrin Library.

1942: WALLACE S. BREY, PH.D., on leave from the University of Florida, serves as Program Director for Structural Chemistry with the National Science Foundation, Washington, D.C.

1945: MARIAM T. MARTIN was named Chairman of the Social Studies Department of the Wilson Area High School, Easton, Pa. She also teaches courses in U.S. History, political science and economics.

RUTH HYDREN COREY divides her time between homemaking, media research analysing, and serving as D.A.R. recording secretary.

MRS. WARREN V. MUSSER (BETTY UMSTAD), volunteers with Project Trend, teaching environmental education in Radnor and Upper Merion Public Schools.

1947: CATHERINE SHEPPARD LLOYD has been appointed to the Manpower Services Council by the Governor of Alaska.

1948: EDITH HESS ASHENFELTER enjoyed a sabbatical trip to Europe with WINIFRED PATTISON HOWSE, '50.

DOROTHY MARPLE is assistant to the president of the Lutheran Church in America.

WEBB N. MORRISON was appointed President of Searle do Brasil and is residing in Sao Paulo.



R. SOLOMAN BEAR, '38

1949: MARGARET (HEWITT) GEORGE was elected to the Pennsylvania State Legislature in November as representative for the 143rd Assembly District. Peg is also a member of the Board of Directors of Aid for Girls of Bucks County, the Executive Council for the Middle Bucks Area Vocational Technical School, the League of Women Voters, Common Cause, and is presently serving a second term on the Central Bucks School Board. Her husband GLENN F. GEORGE is a 1950 graduate of Ursinus.

1950: MRS. CHARLES N. COOK (MURIEL SCHOLL) traveled to Russia, including Moscow, Leningrad, Samarkand, Bokara, Irkost, and Lake Bilval on her itinerary.

JOSEPH W. SIMPSON, M.D., was appointed Director — Medical Services for Consolidated Rail Corporation.

1951: THE REV. NELSON A. WELLER, after a pastorate of 19 years at Limerick, Pa., became pastor of First United Church of Christ, Winston-Salem, N.C.

VERNON B. HUSTON received an M.A. degree from Glassboro State College (N.J.) in May, 1976.

1952: PAUL L. DOUGHTY, chairman of the Anthropology Department at the University of Florida, and Henry F. Dobyms are co-authors of *Peru — A Cultural History* published by Oxford University Press.

MARY FRENCH DOUGHTY was featured in the *Gainesville Sun's* "Monday Profile" series. The article focused on "Polly's" interest in Common Cause, a non-partisan citizens' lobby which works with issues rather than candidates, and her plans to work for passage of the Equal Rights Amendment in Florida.

1953: MRS. DONALD C. VAN RIPER (MARJORIE MERSFELDER) received an M.S. in Library Science from Our Lady of the Lake Univ., San Antonio, in May 1974. She now works as librarian at St. Martin Hall elementary school, laboratory school for Our Lady of the Lake University.

DR. J. ROBERT LOVETT joined Air Products and Chemicals Inc. in September as Vice President of Corporate Research.

1954: MARVIN ROTMAN, M.D., is Professor and Director of Radiotherapy at New York Medical College.

BENJAMIN J. MALIKEN is Vice President and General Manager of Chemical Leasing Corporation, Downingtown Pa.

1955: MILDRED MISTOVICH SCHWARTZMAN is in her second year as Coordinator of Title I for Winchester Jr. High Schools.

BERNARD S. ORSINI recently formed Telepace Inc., a commercial company monitoring cardiac pacemakers over telephone lines.

DR. SANFORD M. BROWN recently accepted the position of Professor and Chairman of the Department of Health Science, Division of Health Professions, at California State University, Fresno, CA. He recently published two articles, "Landfill Needs Friends" in the *Tennessee Solid Waste*



PEG GEORGE, '49

News and "Integrating Consumer Requests Into Community Organized Program" in the *Journal of Environmental Health*.

1956: GEORGE W. AUCOTT was appointed President of Hamill Manufacturing Company, a division of Firestone Tire & Rubber Co. The Washington, Mich., based company manufactures seat belts and other safety products.

1957: DAVID M. DICKSON was appointed General Manager of Rohm and Haas New Zealand Ltd., Auckland, New Zealand.

G. RICHARD BRINER was promoted to Vice President and General Manager of Shelly Bros., Inc., hard candy manufacturers in Franconia, Pa.

DR. & MRS. WAYNE MILLWARD (BARBARA HUNT) moved to Garden City, N.Y., where Wayne assumed the duties of Senior Vice President for all national operations of Reed, Roberts Associates, Inc.

KAY KERPER SCHELLHASE is Director of Extension Services for the Bade Institute of Biblical Archeology of the Pacific School of Religion, Berkeley, Calif.

1958: CHRISTINA ARMSTRONG BROUSE enjoys team teaching at the Clearfield Area Middle School. She is a Communication Skills teacher for the seventh grade.

CHARLES R. WESTLEY, M.D., completed a fellowship in Pediatric Allergy and Pulmonary Disease at the University of Colorado in July 1976 and returned to Phoenix as Assistant Chief of Pediatrics of the U.S.P.H.S. Phoenix Indian Medical Center.

MRS. HENRY RIGLER (JANET GEATENS) lives in Saudi Arabia where her husband Hank teaches in the Aramco American compound school. Previously they both taught at the American Community School connected with the American University in Beirut, Lebanon. In Beirut they adopted their son, Christopher Karim, who was two in September.

MRS. HEINZ GASSER (ROSE MARIE DODIG) moved to Bonn, Germany, in 1975 when her husband was transferred within Allstate International Insurance Co. They live in an elegant, old four-story home just four blocks from the Rhine River. The Gas-

sers lived near Zurich, Switzerland, before moving to Bonn.

1959: MRS. JESSE G. HAFER, JR. (RUTH MERCER) is a Deacon at 1st Church of Christ in Longmeadow, Mass., and is secretary of the League of Women Voters of Massachusetts.

MRS. J. E. THOMPSON (ROSALIE BELLAIRS) lives in Pensacola, Fla., where her husband, Cdr. J. E. Thompson, is commanding officer of Helicopter Training Squadron. They have two children, Heather and Jimmy.

CHERRIE L. SOPER, still teaching Spanish at Indiana State University (Ind.), published "Land of Don Quijote" in *Americas*, Oct. 1973, and *Las Cronicas de Pero Lopez de Ayala*, ed. C. L. Soper, Zaragoza, Spain, 1975.

1960: MRS. DONALD S. TODD (NANCY SPRINGER) is Public Services Librarian at Philadelphia Community College.

DR. JOHN R. BAUMAN was cited by California State College for the quality of his academic work as well as for his recent collaboration with Dr. Thomas H. Coode on a manuscript entitled "People, Poverty and Politics: Essays on Pennsylvanians During the Great Depression." He received a Certificate for Exceptional Academic Service during the annual fall faculty convocation. Bucknell University Press is reviewing the manuscript for possible book-length publication.

1961: WAYNE P. OWEN is product manager for Xerox Corporation Office Systems Division, Dallas, Texas.

WINIFRED NACE BURDEN has been promoted to Assistant Administrator of Dauphin County Child care.

CAROL A. KENNEDY is on a sabbatical leave from her teaching job to earn a master's degree. Carol has two children, Derk, nine, and Kristin, eight.

1962: GAYLE GORDINIER ROPER was appointed Director of the St. Davids Christian Writers' Conference for 1977. The conference will be held in June at Eastern College, St. Davids, PA.



BENJAMIN J. MALIKEN, '54

JEAN VANDERMARK LOMET returned to Yorktown Heights, N.Y., in July 1976 after a year in England. Her husband David was on a sabbatical at the University of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

RAYMOND L. SMITH, M.D., has been added to the associate medical/dental staff of Pottstown Memorial Medical Center with privileges in plastic surgery.

1963: MR. & MRS. JACK HARRISON (BERYL MATTHEWS '62) moved to Newtown, Conn., in October where Jack is Managing Director of Marketing Corporation of America, a consulting firm in Westport. Previously he was Director of Promotion Development for Calgon Consumer Products Co. in Pittsburgh and with Proctor & Gamble in Cincinnati.

CLIFFORD C. KUHN, M.D., is Director of Consultation — Liaison Psychiatry at the University of Louisville, and an assistant professor in the medical school.

JAMES R. BUCHANAN, M.D., an orthopedic resident at Milford Hall Medical Center, Lackland AFB, Tex., was promoted to the rank of lieutenant colonel.

1964: CARL P. BERLINGER is director of instructional media for the Upper Moreland School District (Pa.). Receiving certification in educational media from Temple University, he was one of the first qualified media specialists in the state.

ENOS L. RUSSELL, JR., is assistant headmaster of St. Andrews School, Boca Raton, Fla.

MRS. GEORGE W. LILLEY (JUDY KRAMPF) works at Pipestem State Park (W. Va.) Golf Pro Shop during the golf season.

BRIAN D. DITTENHAFFER has been named Vice President and Chief Economist of the Federal Home Loan Bank of New York.

MRS. JAMES R. WESTKOFF (MARCIA COBLENTZ) is a Professor at the University of Colorado, Colorado Springs.

OTTO W. RENNERT, III is executive vice president of Woodward & Schaefer Inc., public relations and publicity subsidiary of Schaefer Advertising Inc., Valley Forge. In addition to account activities, he is involved in agency operations and new business efforts.

1965: GEORGE W. LILLEY is Program Director at Southern Highlands Community Mental Health Center.

LT. COMMANDER ROBERT SHAW, Epidemiologist at the U.S. Navy Environmental and Preventive Medicine Unit No. Six, Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, was awarded The Wellcome Medal and Prize for 1976. The Award, sponsored by The Wellcome Trust, is presented annually to the author of an unpublished essay on a subject related to military medicine. Dr. Shaw's essay is entitled "Preventive Medicine in the Vietnamese Refugee Camps on Guam."

JOSEPH H. MELROSE, JR., a foreign service officer, is completing his assignment as Special Assistant to the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Operations at the Department of State, Washington, D.C.

W. SCOTT TOOMBS, Rouse Co. executive, is development director for the Gallery, the under-construction center-city Philadelphia shopping mall.

NORMAN D. MAC MULLAN, JR., was awarded the professional insurance designation of Chartered Property Casualty Underwriters (CPCU) during national conferment ceremonies in Chicago. A branch underwriting manager for the Harleysville Insurance Companies, he is also a member of the Society of Chartered Life Underwriters and the National Association of Life Underwriters. He and his wife, ANNE WILLEVER MAC MULLAN, live in North Wales, Pa.

1967: DR. DAVID C. CAMPBELL, former assistant superintendent of the Tredyffrin-Easttown School District, has been appointed director of the Bureau of Curriculum Services in the State Department of Education.

ROBERT D. BAIR is in the purchasing department of Scott Paper Co. in Mobile, Ala.

GARY P. BOENS is now product marketing manager for Campbell Soup Co.

ROBIN D. HARSHAW, D.M.D., is assistant professor of pediatric dentistry at the University of Pennsylvania School of Dental Medicine and director of dental education at Children's Hospital. He also has a private practice in Bryn Mawr.

THE REV. ALLEN HELWIG, pastor of Kimmerlings-Mt. Zion Charge of the United Church of Christ, has also assumed the duties of Chaplain at the Lebanon Valley General Hospital. His duties involve visitation of patients who have no regular church affiliation and patients from out-of-town where distance prevents visitation by their own pastors.

1968: ROBERT S. LAUGHLIN presented the award-winning paper: "Galaxy 15 Computer" to the IEEE fall computer conference.

1969: MRS. JOSEPH H. MELROSE (MARY KAUFMANN) has recently been appointed Special Assistant to Senator Charles H. Percy (R — Ill.). For the past five years she has been a staff aide handling state projects and legislation for the Senator. As Special Assistant she will head the Senator's Community Relations Department and will act as a liaison for the Senator between Illinois communities and the Federal Government.

FRED N. STECKHAHN has taken up British residency and works as a director and sale and purchase broker with Wilmar Shipbrokers Ltd., London.

LINDA RICHTMYRE HAY reports that she was hired as the director of the Springfield (Vermont) Town Library in May, 1976. She is learning to weave and is enjoying cross country skiing.

MRS. ALLAN SPROSTY, JR. (LUCILLE GAMBRILL) who was employed for the past four years as librarian of St. Vincent Hospital, Cleveland, Ohio, resigned to become a full-time homemaker in her new home in North Olmstead, Ohio.

IAN R. HARVEY was promoted to assistant treasurer of Frankford Trust Company, Philadelphia. He joined Frankford Trust in

July, 1975, as manager of the Credit Analysis Department.

H. E. "CHUCK" BROADBENT has been elected Vice-president/President-Elect of the Tri-State College Library Cooperative (TCLC).

ANDREW F. MALONE, ESQ., became assistant counsel to Fidelity Bond and Mortgage Company, Philadelphia, on February 14, 1977.

DENNIS L. O'CONNELL has joined the law firm of Lovenwirth and Jordan, Pottstown. A 1972 graduate of the University of Pennsylvania Law School, he practiced law in Philadelphia for the past four years.

1970: KAREN THOMAS GILLESPIE was promoted to manager of claims for Colonial Penn Insurance Co. in Philadelphia, reporting to the vice president of claims.

JEFFREY J. KARPINSKI teaches mathematics at Cushing Junior College, Bryn Mawr, Pa.

BARBARA LAUGHLIN THORNTON is an Associate in the Training Division of Roy Jorgensen & Associates, a Management Consulting firm in Gaithersburg, Md. She is currently assigned to projects with The North Dakota State Highway Department and The Louisiana Department of Highways.

1971: DR. & MRS. JAMES U. TODD, JR. (MONA JENNINGS, '72) reside in Lebanon, Pa., where Jim established his private dental practice following graduation from Temple School of Dentistry in June, 1975.

DAVID C. STREICH returned to the U.S. in September, 1976, from nine months in Ecuador where he was conducting Ph.D. research for a dissertation in geography. His topic is Agricultural Marketing by Small Farmers.

HARRY G. ZEGEL graduated from Thomas Jefferson University Medical College in June, 1975, and is currently a Radiologic Resident at the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania. His recent publication "Rhabdomyosarcoma of the Spermatic Cord" appeared in the September 1976 issue of the *British Journal of Clinical Oncology*. His wife is SUSAN ELIZABETH STEELE ZEGEL, '73.

PATRICIA GRIFFIN TOTARO teaches 6th, 7th, & 8th grade French, English, and Social Studies at Eastdale Academy, Brunswick, Tenn.

KAREN M. CRIST is a librarian for the Free Library of the City of Philadelphia.

ESTHER GAY STAUDENMAYER KREUDER is a teacher for the Springfield School District.

KIRK BRIAN DIEHL is a Home Office Group and Pension Representative for New York Life Insurance Co. He plans to complete his MBA at American University by January 1978. His wife, DEBORAH DAHLBERG DIEHL is working on a degree in secondary counseling at the University of Maryland in College Park.

1972: ALICE A. FENNELL has achieved the rank of captain in the U. S. Air Force. She is an aircraft maintenance officer at

Wurtsmith AFB, Mich., and serves with a unit of the Strategic Air Command.

SELBY NERA lives in Salisbury, Rhodesia, with his wife and daughter. He is an electrical engineer.

J. DOUGLAS C. GUY, III, is housing officer for the South Portland Housing Authority, Maine.

DAVID TRISHMAN received his degree in physical therapy from the University of Pennsylvania in 1974. He is employed as a R.P.T. at Allied Services for the Handicapped in Scranton, Pa.

DR. & MRS. KENNETH SPEICHER (KAREN HUMPHREYS) will live in Okinawa, Japan, for 3 years where Ken will be serving in the United States Navy as a lieutenant in the Dental Corps. Ken graduated from the University of Pennsylvania School of Dental Medicine on May 28, 1976.

1973: MARK A. TRISHMAN is assistant service manager for Binnion-Trane Service Agency Inc., King of Prussia, Pa.

BRUCE D. HESS graduated from Temple Law School in June, 1976, with a Juris Doctor degree, passed the Pennsylvania State Bar Examination, and is practicing law in Northeast Philadelphia with Howland and Hess, Atty's at Law.

MARK DISMANT GRIM graduated from Delaware Law School in June, 1976. He is in the Marine Corps and practices law as a Marine in the federal government.

CAROL SEIFRIT is a chaplain intern at Yale — New Haven hospital for 1976-77.

DENISE YOUNG ROANE is employed by the Sandusky City Schools for 1976-77.

SUSAN ELIZABETH STEELE ZEGEL had the combined degree of Master of Arts degree in History and Sociology conferred upon her at the May, 1976, Commencement exercises of Villanova University. Susan is currently the corporate Systems Coordinator for Micromation Sciences Corporation, Independence Mall, Philadelphia. Her husband is HARRY G. ZEGEL, '71.



OTTO W. RENNER, III, '64



LCDR ROBERT SHAW, '66

MRS. JEFFREY J. KARPINSKI (CHRISTINE GERBER) completed an M.S. in L.S. at Drexel University. She is Supervisor of Bibliographic Control Section, BioSciences Information Service of Biological Abstracts.

WINNIFRED CUTLER is a graduate student teaching fellow in the biology department doing research.

1974: GARY R. GRIFFITH is a third-year law student at the University of Richmond and will graduate in May, 1977. He is also a member of the Law Review.

MARIAN E. PLOYD received an M.A. in English from Temple in January, 1976.

GRAHAM C. MAC KENZIE is an MBA candidate at Drexel.

NINA CAMIEL, in an interview for the *Philadelphia Daily News*, outlined her recent steps toward a career as a professional musician. She plays 12-string guitar and piano with a bluegrass/rock group in Bloomington, Ill., also working part-time as a photographer. Nina's efforts as a free-lance photographer won her an honorable mention in *Philadelphia* magazine's annual photograph contest.

LINDA A. MARKEL received her Master's Degree in business administration from Boston College in June, 1976. She is now with the Lincoln-Mercury Division of Ford Motor Company at its regional office in Buffalo, N.Y.

BRUCE PENUEL has joined the Perkiomen Township Police Department as a parttime patrolman. He is also the township's juvenile officer.

PAMELA POOLE is a Chester County Juvenile Probation Officer. She is also working toward a Master's Degree in Counseling at West Chester State College.

1975: KATHY BOYER teaches physical education and is Athletic Director in a junior and senior high school in Numrukah, Victoria, Australia.

STEPHEN W. SMITH is enrolled at the Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary.

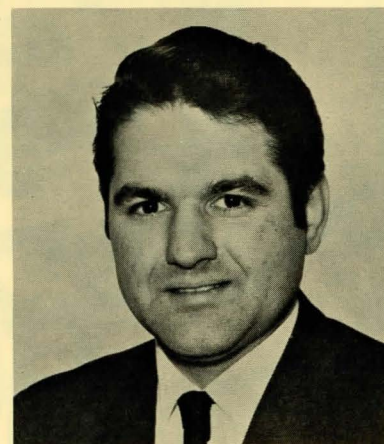
COURTNEY SOLENBERGER'S Colgate University field hockey team placed second in New York State competition.

SETH A. BAKES is an assistant consultant in management services at Touche Ross & Co., accountants and management consultants.

DAVID S. FRIEDENBERG was admitted to the September 1976 first year class of the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine.

1976: RITA PURVINS is an admissions consultant for Widener College.

GREGORY WEIGARD was awarded first prize in the local contest of the American Production and Inventory Control Society Student Awards Program. Greg's paper, entitled "Inventory Control: A Scientific Approach," was judged in competition with papers submitted by students from five area



ALLEN F. HELWIG, '67

schools. His paper was also submitted for judging at the regional level, placing second.

TRACEY LYON attends the Library Science graduate school of Drexel University.

ROBERT A. MC FARLAND is enrolled at the University of Baltimore School of Law.

ELAINE M. LEHECKA is a staff technical writer in the pharmaceutical manufacturing department of Schering Corp., Union, New Jersey.

SHIRLEY V. TRIMBLE is a Data Base Manager and Research Assistant with Chase Econometrics Associates, Bala Cynwyd. She is also doing graduate study in Business Administration/Management Analysis at Drexel University.

CHUCK REESE works in the emergency room of the Sacred Heart Hospital while taking a course in Physical Chemistry at the University of West Florida.

JOSEPH R. TUCKER helped coach the Red Bank Catholic high school to a Parochial "a" State Championship. PAUL FRANZEN, '74, is also on the coaching staff.

MARK C. SPANGLER is a claims adjuster with the Colonial Penn Group, Inc., Philadelphia.



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DEATHS

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1921: DR. THELMA (WOOD) LORZ died on December 28, 1975 . . . MRS. WILLIAM LIVENGOOD (EMMA HUYETT) died August 28, 1976.

1922: THE REV. A. RANDAL ZENDT died on November 29, 1976. He is survived by his wife, HELEN REIMER ZENDT . . . HARRY A. ALTENDERFER died December 8, 1976.

1923: J. STANLEY REIFSNEIDER, M.D., died October 4, 1976 . . . MRS. SARA DEITZ POST died on September 7, 1976.

1925: THE REV. EDWARD R. COOK died on October 4, 1976.

1932: THE HON. A. BENJAMIN SCIRICA died on November 14, 1976. Following his graduation from Ursinus, where he was president of his class, he attended the University of Pennsylvania Law School. Appointed to the bench seven years ago, he was the first Italian-American judge in Montgomery County, PA. On March 31, 1976, Judge Scirica became the president judge of the Montgomery County Court of Common Pleas.

1934: JANE LEE EVANS died on October 30, 1976.

1938: ROBERT E. STEWARD, SR., M.D., died on December 23, 1976. In addition to his wife, his survivors include H. DEAN STEWARD, JR. '44, his brother, DR. & MRS. ROBERT E. STEWARD, JR. (HELEN DIX) '68, his son and daughter-in-law, and WILLIAM R. STEWARD, '72, his son.

1939: JAMES H. DIETZ died on June 3, 1976.

1945: MRS. FRANK H. DETWILER (ELEANOR BAUER) died on September 19, 1976.

1946: ROBERT E. ROSCOE, M.D., died on September 22, 1976.

1956: MRS. HENRY W. JENDRICKS (MARY HARTLIEB) died on April 10, 1976.

1957: MR. JOHN O. NOTHELPER died on July 18, 1976. His survivors include his wife, NANCY EVANS NOTHELPER.

1964: SALLY REED OWENS died on September 4, 1976.

1971: MR. GLENN K. HABERBUSH died on August 28, 1976, in an Air Force plane crash over England.

MARRIAGES

1943: Ms. Micaela Fernandez and MR. EDWIN L. MCCAUSSLAND, JR. were married on August 13, 1976.

1948: Ms. Ann Hutchinson Davies and MR. WEBB N. MORRISON were married on December 4, 1976.

1963: MISS FLORENCE E. FISCHER and Mr. Robert D. Beckey were married on January 9, 1977.

1969: MISS GAIL A. NEWHART ('71) and MR. ROBERT C. HARLOW were married in June of 1971.

1970: Miss Leslie Dean Cuthbertson and MR. ROBERT P. OWREN were married on October 2, 1976.

1973: MISS CAROLYN V. FAGLEY and Mr. Gary Steenhoek were married on June 19, 1976 . . . MISS JOAN GLASER ('72) and MR. PETER TENEWITZ were married on May 11, 1974.

1974: MISS LINDA TRENKAMP ('73) and MR. BARRY T. SHANNON were married on July 24, 1976.

1975: MISS NANCY FRYE and Mr. Timothy W. West were married on August 14, 1976 . . . Miss Ledonne Charles and MR. EDWARD G. WHITE were married on November 11, 1976 . . . MISS ALISON F. DUNLOP ('74) and MR. JOHN C. WINTER were married on November 6, 1976 . . . MISS ELIZABETH K. TIBBITTS ('76) and MR. DALE E. BUONOCORE were married on June 26, 1976 . . . MISS LINNEA LANDIS and MR. JAMES C. ENGEL were married on April 10, 1976 . . . MISS PATRICIA MAC GAHAN ('76) and MR. DAVID M. SPITKO were married on September 25, 1976 . . . MISS JOANNE

OLSZEWSKI and Ensign Dana V. O'Hara were married on July 7, 1976 . . . MISS NANCY J. HAINES and JR. JOHN H. HINES, III were married on September 11, 1976.

1976: MISS DEBORAH HINDENACH and Mr. Mathias Bohn IV were married on August 7, 1976 . . . MISS KATHLEEN JAMESON and MR. JOHN MOULT were married on November 6, 1976 . . . Miss Kathleen Phillips and MR. JAMES SPIVEY were married on June 6, 1976.

BIRTHS

1959: DR. & MRS. SHELDON P. WAGMAN, a daughter, Alexis Leigh, born April 12, 1976.

1962: MR. & MRS. ROBERT C. FERNANDEZ (SUSAN D. PEIFFER '64), a son, Adam Lee, born August 24, 1976 . . . MR. & MRS. JOHN G. HOPE have adopted three children: Matthew, 11; Domingo, 2; and Christopher, 1.

1964: MR. & MRS. G. THOMAS CAHILL (LINDA KACHEL), a daughter, Allison, born September 19, 1976.

1965: DR. & MRS. MICHAEL J. KELLY, a daughter, Colleen Ann, born September 6, 1976 . . . MR. & MRS. WAYNE C. BARNES (LUCILLE J. STEINMAN), a son, Timothy Paul, born June 30, 1976.

1966: MR. AND MRS. JOSEPH H. MELROSE (MARY KAUFMANN '69), a son, J. Andrew, born May 22, 1976 . . . MR. & MRS. WILLIAM C. PURSCH (LENORE D. WILSON), a daughter, Heidi Amber, born June 13, 1976 . . . MR. & MRS. K. ROLAND BERGNER (SUSAN YOST), a son, Anton Walter, born April 13, 1976 . . . MR. & MRS. JAMES W. ALLEN, a daughter, Betsy Jane, born June 27, 1976.

1967: MR. & MRS. GEORGE W. DOERNER, a daughter, Candace Matthews, born September 5, 1976 . . . MR. & MRS. ROBERT D. BAIR, a son, Christopher Michael, born August 9, 1976.

1968: MR. & MRS. WILLIAM SEMKO (BETSY A. MILLER), a son, Matthew Richard, born February 21, 1976.

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