THANKS in large measure to alumni, the University of Maine now has one of the finest college libraries in the country.

This new structure is in truth both geographically and academically the center of the campus.

Subscriptions of alumni, faculty, students, and friends, exceeding $250,000, were basic in making the Library the most outstanding building at the University of Maine. Often it is the “little extra” that means the difference between something ordinary and something fine, and in the case of the University Library that extra touch has been added, elevating the Library to its place of distinction on the campus.

At present, the Library contains an estimated 225,600 volumes and pamphlets, and regularly receives about 1,250 periodicals.

It is the depository for both state and federal documents and for the maps of the Army Map Service.

Besides serving students and faculty, the Library extends its resources to other libraries, to visiting scholars, and to graduates of the University.

The present stacks will accommodate approximately 250,000 volumes, with space for expansion to 450,000 volumes. The stacks now provide 44 study carrels and eight study rooms with capacity for doubling these accommodations for individual study.

The Louis Oakes Room and the three large reading rooms are used almost constantly by large numbers of students.

The Joseph P. Bass room is now being equipped to provide a comfortable and attractive place for recreational reading of magazines, books, and newspapers.

Alumni may well take great pride in their part in making this fine new building possible.
IN 1934 the Department of Botany and Entomology was allotted the permanent use of an area of land for the purpose of establishing, developing, and maintaining a plantation of trees, shrubs, and wild flowers. This area, known as the Botanical Plantation, consists of a strip of land located between the Forest Nursery and the Stillwater River, extending south from the Power Plant to an old road north of the Lambda Chi Alpha House. The Plantation is ideally situated not only because of its proximity to the Campus proper, but also because of its varied topography and soil. Habitats suitable to a variety of plants are afforded by the dry hillsides, rock outcrops, low swampy ground, and shady nooks and crevices.

For some years previous to 1934 the area was used as a cow pasture. At that time the southern portion was practically devoid of trees and shrubs except for a fringe of Arborvitae and Alder. The northern portion was, however, heavily wooded with Arborvitae and mixed hardwoods, principally Paper and Gray Birch. Much rubbish and debris had accumulated on the hillside as well as in the adjacent wooded area. Travel through the wooded tract and along the hillside was difficult because of the lack of paths.

In the spring of 1935 much of the excess brush and other debris was removed by faculty members and students as a special project under the supervision of the Department of Civil Engineering in 1935. In the fall of 1936 a section of bog containing a number of typical bog plants was established in one of the depressions near the river. For a number of years the apiary has occupied an area at the south end of the Plantation. It has been screened from its surroundings by an enclosure of conifers.

A large scale contour map of the Plantation was completed by students as a class project under the supervision of the Forestry Department in 1936. Plantings have been arranged in informal groups as far as topography and soil would permit, and plantings have been arranged informally in an attempt to maintain as naturalistic an effect as possible. However, some twenty-five species of foreign woody plants are maintained in a formal planting near the southeastern end of the Plantation. These specimens were received from the Bureau of Plant Industry between the years 1936 and 1939 and are on trial to determine their hardiness and otherwise suitability to this region. Adjacent to and east of this planting is a small plot which is occasionally cultivated and used as a transplant area. In 1949 several seedlings of trees native to the Central and Western States were received through exchange and transplanted here, subsequently to be moved to their permanent site. In the fall of 1948, through the cooperation of the Forestry Department, the use of a number of seed-beds was allotted for the purpose of planting 140 different kinds of seeds of plants received through exchange from various parts of the United States. Some of these seedlings will be moved to the transplant area this spring.

Specimens, chiefly woody plants obtained from outlying places in the State, have been added from time to time, principally by interested members of the Botany Department or by students under their supervision. The writer, while conducting an extensive woody plant survey of Maine over a period of years, took advantage of an exceptional opportunity to bring in specimens from many sections of the State. A large per cent of the species, especially the rarer ones, was secured in this way.

Although most of the effort to date has been concentrated on woody plants, a number of ferns and herbaceous flowering plants have been introduced successfully. One "nook" near the north end of the old cedar stand is known as the "fernery" and many kinds of ferns can be seen there.

At present there are 197 species of woody plants growing in the Plantation. Twenty-five of these are the miscellaneous lot of foreign species located in the formal planting previously referred to. The remaining 172 species, scattered

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Seventy-Fifth Anniversary
of the
General Alumni Association

ALUMNI DAY
June 18

A Program You Won’t Want to Miss
Including
Ground Breaking for the Memorial Student Union
Alumni Luncheon Honoring the Class of 1900
Alumni Dinner

Class Reunions
Senior Alumni
1904 – 1905 – 1906 – 1907
1923 – 1924 – 1926
1900
1910 – 1915 – 1920
1925
1942 – 1943 – 1944 – 1945
1948

Alumni Will Be in Orono June 16-18
It will be an inexpensive, enjoyable week end for all.
Why Not Make Your Reservations Now?

For Rooms—
Dormitory Rooms will be available.
because of the large graduating class an early
reservation, if possible, will be appreciated.
Number of persons...............................................
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What Nights........................................................

Reservations at the Bangor House should be made direct.

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The “BUILDING DRIVE”

The final push for the Memorial Student Union is on. The “Building Drive” opened March 20 to raise $54,499. Already about $3000 in new subscriptions has been reported. An intense effort will be sustained right through until Alumni Day, June 17, when the campaign will officially close.

This drive has been named the “Building Drive” because upon its outcome will rest the decision of how much of the Memorial Union can be built. When the day arrives to award a contract it will be the dollars on hand and the pledges “on the line” which will determine the extent of the construction which can be undertaken.

As heretofore, area chairmen are rising to the situation in a gratifying manner. Although they have worked hard and long, chairman after chairman has said he will do his utmost to raise the quota assigned in the “Building Drive.”

Rhode Island Over

In his characterist manner, Alfred Lingley ’20, chairman of the Rhode Island and Southern Massachusetts area and president of the General Alumni Association, was the first to exceed his area Building Drive quota of $500. Rhode Island already had achieved 113% of the area quota. To date he has reported $810 towards the Building Drive goal and says “we’ll try to make it $1000.” A few more dollars and Rhode Island will be tied with Canada for first honors.

Campaign Plan

Area chairmen are enlisting the help of a few workers to “go after” their quota. Emphasis is being placed upon getting all alumni to subscribe something. Only as there is a large number of new subscriptions can the goal be reached.

Realizing that the final drive is underway many who subscribed somewhat less than their ability to give, have expressed their willingness to and are making additional pledges of ten to twenty-five dollars each. Four hundred alumni have already made supplementary subscriptions.

New Floor Plans

The Faculty-Student Committee has been at work on the new floor plans for the Union, which the change of location made necessary. Although the plans are still in the preliminary stage, it seems likely that the ultimate plans will be essentially as now drawn. It is hoped that the new plans and sketch of the building will be ready for publication in the next issue of The Alumnus.

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UNIVERSITY OF MAINE VARSITY SPORTS CALENDAR
SPRING 1950

Baseball Track Golf Tennis

3 *Bolling Field
4 *Hampden-Sydney
5 Ohio State
6 *Norfolk Naval Base
7 *Norfolk N. Air Sta.
8 *Western Maryland
15 Bowdoin (Exh.) *Colby (Exh.)
18 Colby (Exh.)
19
20 *Northeastern
21 *Rhode Island
22 *Connecticut
29

May 3 Bates (Exh.)
5 Rhode Island

Fr. *Bowdoin
6 Colby **New Hampshire
5 or 6 Colby (Exh.)

* Games away.

FRONT COVER

It is impossible to catch the beauty and impressiveness of the new reading room
of the Library in a black and white photo.
A room conducive to study as well as one of simple beauty, it has become the “show
place” of the Library.

(Ted Newhall Photo)

Three Veterans—These three are
familiar to followers of Maine ath­
etics for the past quarter of a cen­tury. They are (in the usual order) Cliff Patch ’11, chairman of the Ath­
etic Board; Chet Jenkins, track and
cross country coach, and “Wally”
Wallace, professor of Physical Edu­
cation and beloved friend and coun­
selor of two generations of Maine
men. A student’s candid camera
caught them in a pensive mood as
they watched a recent practice in the
Field House.

“M” Scholarship Fund
Shows Progress

The “M” Club Scholarship Fund an­
ounced last month has had several ad­
ditional subscriptions recently.

Under the energetic chairmanship of
George Sullivan ’18, alumni in Spring­
field, Fitchburg and Hartford have raised
a full tuition scholarship which will be
awarded in the name of these areas.

Alumni in Portland have formed the
Black Bear Club of Cumberland County
and are now actively engaged in raising
full tuition scholarships.

Subscribing to the scholarship fund
since the last report are the following
alumni whose contributions have brought
the fund to almost thirty-five hundred
dollars: J. Stuart Branscombe ’28, Wil­
mer R. Elliott ’25, Richard Goldsmith
’40, John C. Gorman ’42, Monroe Ro­
mansky ’33, Frederick D. Knight ’09,
Henry Plate ’48, Peter C. Karakekas ’34,
Robert B. Parmenter ’18, Edwin C. Mar­
tin ’16, Glenn C. Prescott ’17, John C.
Kenny ’36, Richard M. Sinclair ’42, Wil­
liam Whiting, Jr. ’49, Bryant M. Patten
23, Royal G. Higgins ’17, Hugh R. Cary
’38, Ernest E. Hobson ’30, George E.
King, Jr. ’12, E. Boise Lewis ’12, Mer­
rell E. Torrey ’15, Myron C. Peabody ’16,
George W. Sullivan ’18, Garfield M.
Arthur ’40, Randall H. Doughty ’25,
William N. Forman ’37, James P. Rice
’24, Richard W. Doughty ’51, Glendon
A. Soule ’35, Fred B. Colby, Jr. ’32,
Ernest L. Fickett ’17, John A. Pollock
’34, Charles Sherer ’26, Diong Diek Uong
’26, David Richards ’45, and Burtis L.
Pratt, Jr. ’43.
FOR the first time since 1902 a University baseball team has traveled out of New England. Coach Mike Lude took his squad south to play a seven game schedule during the Easter holidays.

Back in 1902 the Maine nine played New York (National League) and Manhattan College, losing to the former 7-2 and the latter 12-7. On the same trip, Coach Rudder's team lost to Harvard 8-2 and defeated Andover 11-7 and Wesleyan 4-3. The 1902 team was a good one according to The Prism, good enough to win the state title.

Coach Lude has been working with his men since early January in the Field House in preparation for the spring schedule which will include the customary "Southern trip" to play Southern New England colleges.

The spring vacation trip will give the teams an opportunity to get the necessary early practice for the regular schedule and for Coach Lude to better know the capabilities of his men.

Coach Mike Lude

A squad of eighteen men led by Captain George Gray '50 were scheduled to make the twelve day trip. Six pitchers were included in the roster, among whom was Vic Woodbrey, basketball star, and Ernie Martikainen, both of whom are expected to be standouts on the mound this spring. Sophomores and juniors predominate Coach Lude's squad which in the final cut left twenty-two members.

In early practice the team showed a lot of hustle and spirit. Lude expressed himself as "very impressed with good team morale."

Awards

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For outdoor track, John Wallace and Blaine Beal (Carl L. '24) were selected as co-captains with Floyd Milbank and Dick Gordon chosen to lead the 1951 indoor track team.

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Also honored at the award banquet was the rifle team which tied with M.I.T. for the New England title. The team also placed second in the first Army area Hearst rifle match in competition with more than 20 ROTC colleges in the Northeast. Fordham took first place.

Leroy Rand '50 was second high individual scorer in this competition and shot a perfect score, 50 out of 50, in the standing position, a difficult feat. His total score for all four positions was 192 out of a possible 200.

In addition to the 104 major and minor "M's" and numerals awarded, Don Brown was presented with the trophy symbolic of the campus golf title won last fall.

GOLF

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SAILING

A group of students have organized an "informal" sailing club pending official recognition as a student organization. This group hopes to become affiliated at a later date with the New England Intercollegiate Sailing Association composed of over 20 New England colleges.

Several experienced yacht racers are among the group and only the lack of a boat or boats prevents them from competition. Bowdoin, Colby, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Northeastern are among the smaller institutions in the Association.

It is hoped that sufficient support can be encouraged to place Maine in this fast growing intercollegiate sport.
Botanical Plantation
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It has been possible to match the grow-
ing conditions found in these original
habitats and ranges with those in the
Plantation to a degree insuring survival
of the plants. Indeed many of the speci-
mens, especially the Conifers, are thriv-
ing exceedingly well despite the sterile
soil in which they are growing. The fire
hazard, which is created each year by a
rank growth of vegetation in the open
areas, is reduced materially by the provi-
sion of a small stipend to facilitate mow-
ing and raking of grass and weeds.

Beyond this expenditure, there is little
provision for care of the Plantation, and
it must, therefore, survive as does any
wild area.

The number of species of woody plants
growing in the Plantation might easily
be doubled. The Department of Botany
and Entomology invites the cooperation
of students, alumni, and friends of the
University to aid in this project. Contri-
butions of trees and shrubs, particu-
larly from the southern part of the State,
are especially welcome.

MEMORIAL PAINTINGS

Two oil paintings by well known artists
have been presented to the University by
Mrs. Arthur C. Stanley, Portland, in
memory of Mrs. Kate Clark Estabrooke
and in behalf of her daughters, Mrs.
Marion E. Hunt, class of 1912, and Mrs.
Elizabeth E. Farwell, class of 1908.
The paintings have been placed in
North and South Estabrooke Hall, the
women’s dormitory which was named for
Mrs. Estabrooke, who was a former
superintendent of the first women’s dormi-
tory, the Mount Vernon House.

Entitled “Tall Combers” and “Winter
Solitude,” the paintings are the work of
artists Frederick J. Waugh and Carl
Wuermer.

Waugh probably will go down in art
history as one of “America’s most popu-
lar academic painters of seascapes.” Born
in Bordentown, N. J., Waugh studied at
the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts
and the Julian Academy in Paris. His
paintings are now found in the major
galleries of the United States and foreign
lands.

Wuermer was born in Munich, Ger-
many. He studied art there, at the Art
Institute of Chicago, and at the Art
Students’ League in New York. He has
won a number of prizes for his oil
paintings and his works are included in
several permanent exhibitions. He also
has had numerous one-man exhibitions
throughout the United States.

In addition to the paintings by Waugh
and Wuermer, Mrs. Stanley also has
presented the University with a portrait
of Mrs. Estabrooke. This portrait was
painted by Estelle Reynolds, Portland,
under the personal supervision of Alex-
der Bower, of the L.D.M. Sweat
Memorial Art Museum in Portland. Last
year Mrs. Reynolds won the James P.
Baxter prize at the Museum for excellence
in draftsmanship.

Admiring the Waugh painting are
Freda Gray, Mary Richards, and
Dorothy Briggs, all residents of
North Estabrooke.
Outstanding recognition was recently accorded to a young engineer when Curtis B. Plummer '35 was appointed to the newly created position of Chief Engineer of the Federal Communications Commission. His appointment was announced along with that of the new General Counsel and the Chief Accountant, the three of whom now become "the top-level advisors and representatives of the Commission."

Mr. Plummer's appointment is a recognition of ability rather than seniority for he was "jumped" over older men in the Commission. Only thirty-seven years old, he is one of the youngest men in Washington to hold such an important position. It is significant, in light of the discussion now current regarding television, that the F.C.C. should promote the head of its TV Engineering Division to be its chief engineer.

Broadcasting reports that his colleagues say his able direction of the Television Division counted at least as much as his engineering know-how in F.C.C.'s decision to make him Chief Engineer.

In 1940, Plummer left WGAN, Portland, to join the F.C.C. in Boston in intelligence work. Transfer to Washington in the Standard Broadcast Division just before the war brought assignment to the Voice of America after Pearl Harbor. In addition to the problems of the Voice program, he was made assistant chief of the non-standard Broadcast Section in 1944.

Then followed his appointment as acting head of the newly created TV Division of which he was made chief in 1946. Since then fully half his time has been devoted to the heavy construction industry.

Mr. Plummer has represented the United States at four international high frequency broadcasting conferences. Representing the U. S. at Atlantic City in 1947, he was vice chairman of the U. S. delegation at Geneva in 1948. A member of the Planning Committee of the Mexico City Conference in 1948 and was adviser to the American delegation in 1948.

A member of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, he is also a senior member of the Institute of Radio Engineers.

Mr. and Mrs. Plummer and son, Lee, spend their vacations at their cottage in Maine where they spend much time sailing.

**Honored**

An engineer with many "firsts" to his credit was recently honored by the American Society of Civil Engineers. Horace P. Hamlin '02 was awarded a life membership in the Society at a meeting at the Engineers Club in New York.

Mr. Hamlin, who is chief civil engineer for the Raymond Concrete Pile Company of New York, was recently presented with a lapel pin denoting forty-one years of service with the concern.

A resident of Montclair for several years, he is a native of Quincy, Mass. He is a member of Beta Theta Pi and Phi Kappa Phi. He is also a life member of the Boston Society of Civil Engineers. Mr. Hamlin is a nephew of George H. Hamlin '73, LL.D., Orono, Maine's oldest living alumnus and the first president of the General Alumni Association.

Mr. Hamlin designed the first toll bridge, the Gandy Bridge at Tampa, Fla., and the San Mateo (Calif.) bridge, which is the longest span of its type in the world. He also developed the design for the first concrete pier, the Baltimore Municipal Dock, the first concrete shipway at Sparrows Point, Md., the first concrete coke and ore bins for the Maryland Steel Corporation which is now part of Bethlehem Steel, and is responsible for numerous other designs and improvements used in the heavy construction industry.

**Arbitrator**

Dean William H. Martin '15 has been appointed chairman of an important arbitration Board by New Jersey's Governor Driscoll. This Board will hear the disputes between the Telephone Company and a labor union and then submit its findings and recommendations concerning the various demands made by both the company and the union. The findings of the Board become mandatory although an appeal may be made to the courts.

Under New Jersey law, public utility employees are not allowed to strike and, therefore, grievances have to be settled by arbitration.

Dean Martin is director of the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station and also Dean of the College of Agriculture of Rutgers University.
With the FACULTY

Professor Vincent Hartgen, head of the art department, has recently been honored by election to membership in the Audubon Society of Artists. Membership is by invitation only and is composed of the outstanding artists of the country.

Professor Cecil J. Reynolds of the English department has recently attended the meeting of the New England Gladiolus Society. He is editor of The Gladiolus Year Book.

Fundamental research in chemistry now being carried on by Dr. Robert T. Hart, associate professor of organic chemistry, is receiving nationwide recognition.

During the past two years Dr. Hart and his associates, all graduate students in the chemistry department, have been engaged in the synthesis and determination of the physical constants of pure alkyl tetralins and alkyl naphthalenes.

The results of the work of these men have been published in two papers in the Journal of the American Chemical Society. The publication of these articles has been received with widespread interest particularly because of the value of the research in attacking successfully one of science's toughest problems—the staggering complexity of petroleum.

The smiling and lovely coeds in the accompanying picture are all members of Tri-Delt and were models for the annual Fashion Show sponsored by Delta Delta Delta to raise funds in support of the scholarship which the sorority has established at the University. In the usual order they are Thelma Lord, chairman; Elaine Lockhart (Hubert W. '21); Marilyn Dennett (Winburn A. '18); Dorothy Briggs; Janet Bannister (Frank C. '24, Hope Norwood '25); Ruth Watson; Eden Fort; Dorothy Hubbard; and Ruth Curtis.

Natural petroleum consists of hundreds of organic molecules of widely diverse types so that the characterization of various petroleum fractions, such as gasoline, diesel oils, and lubricating oils, depends on the prior synthesis and characterization of those organic compounds which are most likely to be found in petroleum.

These syntheses have to be carried out by skilled organic research chemists working with small quantities of material, followed by precise fractionation in laboratory distillation columns, and finally by the accurate determination of such physical constants as the boiling point, refractive index, surface tension, viscosity, and density, all worked out under carefully controlled conditions.

Dr. Hart has been sending samples of these hydrocarbons to the Bureau of Mines Petroleum Experiment Station in Bartlesville, Oklahoma, where the infrared and ultraviolet absorption spectra of these compounds are being determined and published as national standards by the American Petroleum Institute.

A recent letter from the Sinclair Refining Company to the Bureau of Mines Experiment Station commented: "Synthesis of additional pure alkyl naphthalenes and the determination of the spectral and physical properties would be an enormous asset in our work."

At present Dr. Hart is engaged in the synthesis of a third series of these pure hydrocarbons and has been joined in this research as co-investigator by Dr. John W. Beamesderfer, assistant professor of physical chemistry, who is instituting newer and more accurate methods of measuring the desired physical constants. The project has received partial financial support from the Coe Research Fund.
NECROLOGY

1898

WALTER LINCOLN ELLIS. The death of Walter L. Ellis occurred on March 15, 1950, in Nashua, N. H., where he had made his home since 1908. He was Treasurer and Manager of the Nashua Co-Operative Iron Foundry from about 1920 until his retirement in 1945. Prior to that he was associated with the White Mountain Freezer Co. and also the Bath Iron Works in Bath, Maine. His native town was Augusta, Maine. Mr. Ellis was a veteran of the Spanish-American War; he was a member of Polar Lodge, A.F. and A.M. of Bath, the Bektash Temple of Shriners, and the New Hampshire Consistory. He was a member of the University of Maine. He was a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity. He is survived by his wife, Lydia Black Ellis, one daughter, Mrs. Ellsworth Durivage, and one granddaughter Deborah Durivage.

RODERIC DESMOND TARR. A belated report of the death of Roderic D. Tarr last June 14 has just reached the Alumni Office. Mr. Tarr had been associated with the Saco-Lowell Shops for many years. He was a past president of the Augusta Industrial Association. He was a member of Theta Chi fraternity.

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1905

CHARLES WESTON PENNELL. The death of Charles W. Pennell occurred in March 1950 in a Providence Hospital. He had been ill for some time, having retired from his work as a maintenance engineer for the Universal Winding Co. of Cranston, R. I., in February 1949. Mr. Pennell was a native of Gray, Maine. He was a member of the Providence Engineering Society, the Rhode Island Fish and Game Protective Association and was a member of the Masonic body of Roger Williams Lodge, F. and A.M. He is survived by his wife, Maizie Eliot Pennell, and two sons. Mr. Pennell was a member of Sigma Chi fraternity.

1915

JOHN ANTHONY McDONOUGH. A heart attack brought death to John A. McDonough at his home in Augusta on March 22, 1950. He had been ill for some time, having retired from his work as a maintenance engineer for the Universal Winding Co. of Cranston, R. I., in February 1949. Mr. Pennell was a native of Gray, Maine. He was a member of the Providence Engineering Society, the Rhode Island Fish and Game Protective Association and was a member of the Masonic body of Roger Williams Lodge, F. and A.M. He is survived by his wife, Maizie Eliot Pennell, and two sons. Mr. Pennell was a member of Sigma Chi fraternity.

1928

NATALIE VAUGHN WEEKS. On September 14, 1949, Natalie Vaughn Weeks (Mrs. Donald R.) died in Bucksport. Her passing was caused by a heart attack. She had resided in So. Weymouth, Mass., Whippshurg Center and Rockland, Maine, prior to living in Bucksport. She was a member of Phi Mu sorority.

BY CLASSES

1882

Word has been received from Will R. Howard recently and he continues to live in Belfast, Maine.

1889

John Reed, retired civil engineer, resides in Benton Falls, Maine.

1895

Gustavus G. Atwood has been heard from recently and lives at R.F.D., Box 74, West Wareham, Mass., as his residence address.

1927

William B. Brown, who is retired, is living in Livermore Falls.

1934

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Edith M. Bussell has the distinction of having attended every initiation banquet of Gamma Chapter of Alpha Omicron Pi—a position which she has held for 35 years. Her attendance at the initiation banquet this year was due to ill health.

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Albert P. Rounds, builder and broker at 230 Main St., Stoneham, Mass., is planning to fly to Orono in his plane to attend the reunion in June. The only other classmate that we know of to take to the air was the late "Bert" Stevens.

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Howell Suminsky has a son, Robert, who will be a freshman at the University in the fall. The Howell family lives in Northeast Harbor.

George J. Stobie, Inland Fishers and Game Commissioner of the state of Maine, attended the North American Wildlife Conference held in San Francisco March 6-8. He also visited his son in Denver, Colo.

A new address has been received for Arthur C. Libby—1674 Beacon St., Brookline, Mass.

Mary L. Cousins was recently elected third vice president of the Brewer Free Public Library Association. She was also elected auditor of the association.

Wilson M. Morse, orchardist, participated in a panel discussion during Farm and Home Week at the University; the subject of the panel was "Apple Orchard Fertilization." Mrs. Morse was also an active participant in a program being a member of a panel discussing "Prize Parents for Blue Ribbon Youth" as a part of the Rural Church Program.

Oscar L. Whalen has been named a director of the Eastport Memorial Hospital.

Harold M. Pierce was recently re-elected to serve on the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Trust and Banking Co. of Bangor.

Recent word from William E. Bowler reveals that he continues to be located at 6112 Nassau Rd., Philadelphia 31, Pa. He is a sales engineer.
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Leon M. Orcutt has recently moved from Motley, Minnesota, to Gay, Eagle, Minnesota.

30th Reunion June 16-18, 1950

Mrs. Henry C. Knowlton (Priscilla Elliott) was recently elected secretary of the Penobscot County Association for the Blind.

In January Elizabeth Chase resigned her position as Executive Secretary of the Bangor- Brewer Travelers Aid Society. Miss Chase has been employed in the capacity for the past seven years and her resignation was accepted with regret by the society. We quote a newspaper article, "Miss Chase is a social worker of the highest caliber and is renowned for her efficiency. Her monthly and annual reports to the Board of Directors were considered outstanding." Another item on Elizabeth Chase shows that she was recently elected a member of the Board of Directors of the Penobscot County Association for the Blind.

1921

Mrs. Stornont Josselyn
(Emilie Kritter)

15 Cary Ave., Yonkers 5, N. Y.

Where are all you '21ers? I haven't had any news from any of you in six weeks! This column needs to be fed.

Thanks to the Alumni Office for the following:

Howard A. Deering's permanent address is Hotel Gramercy Park, 52 Gramercy Park North, New York 10, N. Y. He is a partner in the firm of Deering, Brown & Deering.

James H. Davidson is chief engineer for the Minnesota and Ontario Paper Co., at Duluth, Minn. His residence address is 5226 Hampden Dr., Minneapolis.

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Carl A. Sargent is an insurance broker with the firm of Sargent 

108 White St., Boston 6, Mass. His residence address is 63 Van Reypen St., Jersey City, N. J., however.

Horace B. Atkinson has moved from Binghamton, N. Y., to 16 Deitz St., Oneonta, N. Y.

Toilet R. Black, who was formerly in Vinhavilain, is now living in Norwich, Vt. He is a superintendent for United Engineers and Constructors, Inc., of Philadelphia on the construction of Wilder Dam in Wilder, Vermont.

Lawrence W. Davie is a sales manager and engineer for the Century Projector Corp. of New York City. His residence address is 153 Westervelt Ave., Tenafly, N. J.

Donald H. Daniels, M.D., is a practicing physician in So. Portland. His residence address is 974 Sawyer St., So. Portland.

George H. Ferguson is a design engineer for the Alvin H. Johnson Co. (paver mill) in New York City. His home is 205 Broadway, Norwood, N. J.

Donald W. Reed, of H. C. Baxter & Brother of Hartford, presented at a meeting of the attendees of the Processing Crops Program during Farm and Home Weck on the campus April 3-6.

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Mrs. Norman Torrey
(Toni Gould)

3-6.

A letter from the class president, Howard Randlett, indicates that plans are rapidly evolving for an outstanding class reunion this year. Of course all 1923ers are looking forward to being back in Orono during the third week end in June. As a reminder, Howard is manager of the N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. in Brockton, Mass., with address at 57 Crescent St. if you want to get in touch with him.

Latest news on William M. Foss is that he is Assistant Surveyor of Lands and Forests for the New York State Conservation Dept. with an office in Albany. He appropriately resides at 30 Forest Road, Denver, N. J.

Elizabeth Ring's keen interest in Maine history has taken another tangible form in a booklet, "Aids to the Teaching of Maine History in the Public Schools." It is designed to help in the study of the history of the State through various mediums. Elizabeth Ring herself writes that she has been a most successful teacher of history in Deering High School and a student of Maine's glorious past. Among the Republican candidates in the June primaries for State Representa-tives here in Maine is Clifford Buck of Southport. Best of luck, Cliff!


Major Henry L. Doten attended a Special Command and General Staff Course for two weeks in February at Ft. Devens, Mass. The Course, sponsored by the New England Sub-area of the First Army, is designed to prepare officers for duty in general staff positions at divisional level in case of a future emergency. Henry and Cora (Russell) live at 256 College Road, in Orono.

Ray Carter, president of the State Association of District Supervisors, Soil Conservation Service, read a paper entitled "Farmers' Responsibility for Conserving Soil Resources" as a part of the Farm and Home Week Program April 3-6.

Earl P. Osgood, chairman of the Maine Milk Control Board, participated in a panel discussion on milk as part of a Farm and Home Week program at the University in early April.

Edward C. Cutting, of Rockport, has been appointed as a member of the Maine Blueberry Industry Advisory Committee.

George E. Lord, Assistant Director of the Maine Agricultural Extension Service, is now residing at his home in Portland. He was recently elected President of the National Agricultural Extension Service at the University of Oregon.

Earl P. Osgood, chairman of the Maine Milk Commission, was appointed as a member of the Executive Committee of the International Association of Milk Control Agencies, in Cleveland during February.

Clayton P. Osgood was elected Secretary-Treasurer by the Ninth Annual Maine Agricultural Trades Show, held in Lewiston in midwinter.

It's gratifying to see our class members distinguishing themselves in worthwhile endeavors so congratulations to you all.

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Two members of the class of 1925 were active participants in Farm and Home Week proceedings at the University April 3-6. Frank G. Buzzell, Chief of the Division of Animal Industry for the State of Maine, participated in a panel discussion on "Beef-Fattening and Management," and also gave a paper on "Progress in Brucellosis Control" during the Farm and Home Week Program.

1927 Miss Marion Cooper 230 St. John Street
Edith Thaxter sent me a bunch of clippings from the newspapers this month, so you can thank her for any news you have.

William Parsons, who since 1948 has been forester in charge of the logging of fire-destroyed timber at Acadia National Park, Mt. Desert, left in February for Virginia to take up his new duties with the U. S. Agriculture Forest Service at the site of the new Buggs Island Dam on the Roanoke River. After graduating from Maine, Bill was with the Goodrich Rubber Co. in Akron, Ohio. In 1933, he joined the Acadia National Park Service as senior forester. During the war he was in defense work and later was with the U. S. Forest Service in Maryland. When he returned to Maine he was in charge of Experimental Forest in Alfred until he went to Bar Harbor. Bill is married and has one daughter, Alice, who is in the eighth grade.

Neil Bishop was a speaker for the Politics and Foreign Affairs Club at the University, March 2.

Lucy Farnham, who is from the Maine campus recently and was at the University, March 17, for a luncheon given by Miss Estelle Norton, state home demonstration agent. Lucy is with the New England Extension Educational Program in Marketing, with headquarters in the Atlantic Avenue in the center of the city. She is chairman of the Maine Alumni luncheon which will be held in connection with the annual convention of the American Home Economics Association in Boston, July 11-14. She also participated in the Farm and Home week program.

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Elmer G. Horton is a branch manager of the Westminster Electric Corp. in New York, N. Y. His home is Lake Place, Scarboro, Conn. Curtis M. Hutchins, President of the Bangor and Aroostook Railroad, gave a talk on "The Transportation Situation" in connection with the Program arranged for the Farm and Home Week Program held in April at the University.

Dr. Thomas A. Martin is a practicing physician at 203 State St., Portland, and he heads the Orthopedic Department of the Maine General Hospital. His residence address is 1415 Forest Ave., Portland.

George Furbush, son of Guy L. Furbush of Stoughton, Mass., has been accepted for entrance to the University next fall as a member of the class of 1954. George attended Stoughton High and Thayer Academy.

William Chapman, shortened breeder of the Marshall Island, is a member of five participating in a panel discussion on "Beef Cattle Feeding and Management" as part of Farm and Home Week proceedings.

1930  Mrs. Pauline H. Lecb
          Polly Hall
          Home Economics Hospital, Oneonta, N. Y.

20th Reunion June 16-18, 1950

Richard S. Bradford, vice president of the Merrill Trust Co. of Bangor, was the speaker at the Commencement dinner in February at the University.

Herbert Stimson is vice president and general manager of the Buzzards Bay Gas Co. of Hyannis, Mass. His residence address is 54 Lake Ave., Falmouth, Mass.

Earl R. Fuller is president of the Maine Coast Seafood Corp., Rockport. He lives at 21 Seawell Ave., Camden.

Charles M. Getchell is head of the department of Speech and Drama at the University of Mississippi. Mail reaches him at Box 710, University, Miss.

In late January the engagement of Miss Doris Agnes Shaw to Andrew O. Smith of Hampton, N. H., was announced. Miss Shaw attended Northfield School for Girls, was graduated from the Katherine Gibbs Secretarial School, and has been employed in the Treasurer's Office at Phillips Academy in New Hampshire. She is the daughter of Mrs. Irving R. Shaw of Andover St., Ballard Vale, Mass. Mr. Smith is self-employed in poultry husbandry.

1932  Several '32ers were active participants in the Farm and Home Week program held from April 3 to April 6 on the campus. Roger Clapp participated in a round table discussion on Gardening; he is Associate Professor of Horticulture at the University as most of you know. Smith McIntire, marketing specialist for the Extension Service, gave a paper on "Potato Handling," Win Libby, Head of the Office of Agronomy at the University, presided at three sessions—one on irrigation, one on soil management, and one on notations.

Paul L. Taplin was elected President of the Vermont University of Maine Alumni Association in late February. Cornelius J. Sullivan of Bangor was appointed in January to the chairmanship of the Bangor-Brewer area Heart Drive held in February. This is the first year that the Maine Heart Association has held a drive although the New England Association covered this area last year.

An earlier issue reported that Albert Gerry was elected to the Brewer City Council in December. Latest news is that he was elected chairman of that group at its organizational meeting in January.

Dr. Merle T. Hilborn, associate plant pathologist for the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station, has been elected councilor for the Northeastern Division of the American Phytopathological Society.

Another item on Al Gerry is that he was a delegate to the state Republican Convention held in Portland March 30-31 from the Brewer Republican City Committee.

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          36 Goudy St., So. Portland
          Arnold Peacock is now manager of the Ipswich Fixture Plant, Hygrade-Sylvania, Inc.

Freddie Burk is superintendent of parks in the town of Swampscott, Mass. He and his family live at 90 Stetson Ave. in that town.

Sam Calderwood is president of Palmer's Insurance Agency in Bangor. His residence address is 700 Main St., So. Bangor.

Paul Brown is connected with the American Locomotive Co. in Schenectady. He lives at 702 Fulton St., Troy, N. Y.

Dick Higgins is assistant to plant engineer at the Bath Iron Works Corp. His residence address is R.F.D. #1, Wiscasset, Maine.

Frances Busse is a copy editor for Bunt & Co. She lives at 125 Beacon St., Boston 16.

Geneva F. Chamberlain is an instructor of French at Brookline High School, Brookline, Mass. She resides at 64 Sewall Ave., Brookline.

Polly Siegel Cole (Mrs. George M.) lives at 418 Seaver St., Dorchester, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Whinford Libby (Betty Tyron) have a new daughter, Joyce, born July 1st 1949—well almost new anyway. Congratulations! The Libbys have two other children—a son ten years old and a daughter aged seven.

Canasta has taken over Portland completely. Some of the "fiends" are Bill Thompson, Johnny Doyle, Jack Farnsworth, Dotty Carnochan, Helen Cousens, Maddy and Bob Russ, and scores of others. It's fun!

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1934  Mrs. Robert C. Russ
          (Maddy Bunker)
          17 Westview Rd., Cape Elizabeth
          "We're in the midst of moving at our house, and I finally located this month's personals in an envelope so covered with 'doodles,' telephone calls, window measurements, etc., that it was hard to recognize it as correspondence from the Alumni Office. I will have my own desk in our new home, and I expect great changes in my life with a place for everything and everything in its place. Here's the news:

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First day of spring and beautiful weather! Makes the reunion sound so inviting. Remember spring on the campus? Well, the plans are underway. What do you think? Will you be able to make it?

Not many news items this time, but good to hear that Ruth Shurtleff Goodwin and Frank are now living at 29 Nelson St., N. Grafton, Mass. Frank is assistant distributor of Building Materials

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district engineer for the New England Power Service Co., in Worcester, Mass. They were in Montpelier, Vt.

Thomas Aceto is treasurer of Aceto and Sons Co., general contractors, in Portland. His home is 77 Anderson St., Portland.

Oh yes—the residence address for Henry Anderson is 15 Linden St., Lewiston. Henry Anderson is chief officer of the Alumni Office for its column. I wish that some of you would hear my plea, and drop a card to me!

James and Alice (Campbell) Wakefield reside at 18 Fells Rd., Winchester, Mass. James has just been appointed town engineer, superintendent of streets, and tree warden for the town. He has been with the Winchester engineering department since March 1, 1941. Prior to that he was in the ETO Service as corps of engineers, including his service at the ETO headquarters on the engineers staff with the rank of Lt. Colonel. The Wakefields have two sons, James C. 9, and Richard C. 2.

Harold Woodbury, assistant professor of Physical Education at the University, gave a talk on "Recreation Facilities for Tourists" as part of the Maine Tourist Institute held in conjunction with the Farm and Home Week Program, which took place on the campus April 3-6.

Miss Nancy Woods Box 149M, Norfolk, Va. Read and observe much news below. Not long after writing this letter to you last month, I received a letter from Lester Smith enclosing German Christmas greetings and a fascinating account of the travels and adventures of the Pipers three in Frankfurt, Germany, Scandinavia, and the British Isles. The card was small but more decorative than the American variety, but there was a lovely little handpainted sketch of St. Leonard's kirche with winter moonlight. Speaking of moonlight, the Pipers were thrilled by Norway's glorious midnight sun. The Scandinavian countries reminded them of New England, and Spain was the only country left on this side of the Iron Curtain that they have not visited.

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Judson Jude and Frank G. Fellows were both members of the Housing Committee for the Young Republicans Convention held in Augusta Feb. 23-24. These three members of the class of '37 were active participants in the Farm and Home Week Program held at the University April 3-5. Beverley E. Collette, that potato grower of Sherman, was one of two men discussing "Methods of Forage Harvesting in Maine." At another time he gave a talk on "Pink French Silo for Dairy Cattle." And again at the Potato Growers Dinner he gave a talk on "Milk and Potatoes." Ruth E. Lewis of Springfield gave a talk and demonstration of "Making Christmas Cards" as part of the Children's Farm Bureau Leadership Program.

Lester H. Smith, Extension Agronomist for the University of Vermont, gave a talk on "How Maine Can Again Win the Green Pastures Contest." (Regular readers of The Alumnus will remember that Beverly Rand of the class of '37 was last year's winner in this contest, which is New England wide in scope.)

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company operations. While at Douglas, Mel will reside at 2310 30th St., Santa Monica, Calif.

As of January 1st—Dr. George Temple has practiced general surgery in Belfast. His residence address is 5 High St. in that city.

Allen Dyer is an electronics engineer with the Sandia Corp. He resides at 3070 35th Place, Sandia Base Branch, Albuquerque, N. Mexico.

From our local newspaper, I find that Mrs. H. P. Thomas is located here at Augusta. He is manager of the Development Credit Corporation of Maine, which was chartered in 1949. (The 1941 Legislature and his friends) have the new business unable to find venture capital, or old concerns seeking to expand. Behind it are the state’s leading business men, banks, and other institutions—with each chipping in a small share. It is the first corporation of its type in the nation and is receiving widespread attention. The unique feature is that it is entirely state sponsored and operated, with no participation by the Federal Government.

A review of Hans Kohn’s book “The Twentieth Century” written by Dr. David Trafford appeared in the winter issue of World Affairs, published by the American Peace Society. Dave is an assistant professor of history at the U. of M.

Clement Smith, who breeds Guernsey cows in Monmouth, participated in the Farm and Home Week program by presiding at a luncheon meeting for Guernsey breeders.

1940 Mrs. Edward Ladd
(Peggy Hauck)
108 Talbot Ave., Rockland
The clever “Karlsson Chronicles,” edited by Edward and Alvalene (Plierson) Karlsson, announced the arrival of Keith Edward on March 1, 1950, in New York City. The Karlssons have another son, Peter, aged two. Their address is 329 E. 75th St., New York 21.

Bill Chandler is co-chairman of a committee for a proposed new consolidated school in Cumberland Center.

Frank J. Buss is living at 15 Grove St., W. Concord, Mass.

Thomas G. Fielder is working for General Electric Co. in Syracuse, N. Y. His residence address is 219 Durstan Ave., Syracuse.

Dr. Paul J. Roche has moved from Bangor to German St., Calais.

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Thomas Sleeper is associated with the U. S. Shoe Machinery Corp. in Beverly, Mass. His residence address is Edge-mere, Marblehead.

Hope Moody is a Home Demonstration Agent in the Extension Service, Gillette, Wyoming. Well, it seems the Maine way of doing things is appreciated way out West. Good going, Hope. How do you like it?

Paul A. Knaut, Jr., is now living at 22 Pine St., Dover-Foxcroft. He is engaged in the photography business, especially color photography of all kinds. During the month of April there is a display of his photographs in the Louis Oakes Room at the University Library. Cirrus Color Studio is the name of his business, which is also at 22 Pine St., Dover-Foxcroft.

Homer Woodward, who is assistant agricultural economist at the Agricultural Experiment Station at the University, gave a talk on “Meeting the Bruised Apple Situation” during the Farm and Home Week Program in early April on the campus.

That’s all for this month, and bear in mind the big reunion on June 16-17-18.

More on that soon!

1943 Mrs. James Grisham
(Peg Church)

Next Reunion June 16-18, 1950

Whoever said spring was just around the corner completely forgot about these wild, woolly days of March, I guess. One of these mornings not too long ago I popped in at the Hemstead-Hemmans

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residence and paid an early a.m. call. Betty Bearce Harrison, Bud, and little Margaret (an adorable little girl with big, brown eyes) were making a short visit with Olive, Don, and Ted, while en route to New York, where Bud is stationed with the Coast Guard. Although the Harrison family are enjoying living in the South—New Orleans, Texas, and San Antonio—are looking forward to their New York stay. And why wouldn't they, for they have just bought a house (the description sounds nice, too) in (strange as it may seem) Hempstead, Long Island, N.Y.—481 Mize Court. Here's wishing them well in their new abode.

I knew you will all be interested to hear, too, what goes on in the Taverners—Olive, Don, Ted, who are three, and Frederic Walter—about six months of age. Don is enjoying his work as North­ern New England Representative for The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, and, ironic as it may seem, Olive came down with polio soon after Freddy was born. As the Taverners wrote, "that's bringing it pretty close to home!" However, Olive made a most satisfactory recovery and is glad to hear. But shortly afterwards, Teddy entered the hospital for a tonsillectomy. So, the quote the Taverners: "Every Taverner has a cold. The only person who doesn't have a cold is Teddi, and he's one year old. The Taverners are very blond with reddish-gold hair. Doug, Jr., is now three years old. Doug is with Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Corp. in Oak Ridge. The Janney residence is 106 Morris Lane, Oak Ridge, Tenn. Thanks so much for the note, Mollie.

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Miles Freeman is poultry farming for the Moul Poultry Farms, Inc., 1103 Woodland Rd., Fremont, N. H.

Ed Hayes is with the Standard Oil Co. at Gage Whiting, Ind., but his mailing address is College Highway, Granby, Conn.

The Children's Home School in Bangor recently was dedicated a tablet in memory of the six young men of that church who gave their lives in World War II. Austin Keith and John Steinmetz of the class of 1944 were among those so memorialized.

Ann Ring is now Mrs. Sam Allen and via the "grapevine" it appears that the wedding ceremony took place in South America. Their official address is Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Allen, Anexo, Hotel Costa Rica, San Jose, Costa Rica.

Esther (Holden) Hopkins wrote to say that she had recently seen Fran (Sheehy) Brown in Los Angeles. Esther's husband, Jack, received his B.A. degree on January 17th, and present work is teaching music at his masters. The Hopkins (three— with young Anne) live at 1401 Santa Clara, Richmond, Calif.

Paul Eastman, of the Division of Plant Industry—Augusta, was an active participant in the Farm and Home Week Program at the University the first week in April. He gave a talk on "Thyme Seed in Southern Markets." (This refers to tomato and that does it! Need I add that any contributions of news will be gratefully accepted.

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Next Belknap Country Club 16-18, 1950

Our first item this month is a very welcome letter from Jo (Greenwood) Franz. Very happy to report that daughter, Davee, has taken up residence in Bangor last August. Since September Jo and Davee have been with Bob at 1079 Victory Dr., S. W., Atlanta, Ga. Bob is working for the Fish and Wildlife Service. Here's hoping that there are a few ’46ers in the general vicinity as Jo is long-somehow for good old Maine accent.

Another arrival—Jeffrey Scott to Jeanne (Ross) and Dewey Nelson in Buffalo, N. Y. (59 Claremont Ave., Kenmore 17, N. Y., to be exact.) More news from the four Nelsons would be very welcome, Jeanne.

Now for change of address notices:

Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Anderson (Doris Stickney) now in Monmouth, Maine. I'm waiting for details on this latest Anderson move.

Laurence J. Cahill, Jr., is at the University of Chicago studying for a degree in Physics. His permanent address is 311 Pine St., Bangor.

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It was nice to read recently that Margaret McNeil has been named acting director of the Cadet Teaching Program at Aroostook Normal School, Presque Isle. Margaret is also Dean of Women at A.S.N.S. Before going north Margaret had been teaching at the high school in Rockland.

On February 11, Joan Potter became the bride of Frank H. Robart, Jr., in Needham, about the first of March, at the Wellesley Country Club, Joanie and Frank honeymooned in Bermuda. The Roberts were supposed to move into their newly built home at 44 Fuller Rd., Needham about the first of March. "Pottso" had been working as secretary to the Farm and Home Week Program. She was summarizer for the various papers and discussions in conjunction with the Women's Leadership Program held April 6th on the campus.

1947

Mrs. Paul Dove
(Peg Googins)

Turner, Maine

I'm almost out of this short, short column. However, it's a good sample of what happens when none of you write me anything.

They have a notice of the resignation of Mrs. Muriel McAllister Erskine as State Elementary School Supervisor. She has been with the State for 33 years.

Here is a change of address for Helen Fortunes. It is now 514 E. Walnut St., Bloomington, Ill. We have a report of a wedding which took place last June. Lorraine Malo of Lewiston and William Hodgins of Houlton were married on June 25th at St. Joseph's Church in Lewiston. Both bride and groom attended the U. of M. Bill graduated in 47. They are living in Brockport, N. Y., where Bill is employed at the S. S. Kresge store for manager training.

A summer wedding is being planned by Geraldine Lockhart and Elbert Moulton. Jr. Miss Lockhart is a senior at Winterport High School, and Mr. Moulton, a graduate of the University of Maine in 1949 (originally a '47er). He is employed in the Sports Department of the Bangor D. & N. U. Sports Daily News.

Thomas Murray, Jr., received an M.S. in Electrical Engineering at the February graduation at Maine. I know things will all be glad to hear of a new arrival in the next generation of our class. Mr. and Mrs. Merton Melton (Jo Clark) are announcing the arrival of a daughter on March 5, 1950, in Salem, Mass. Our heartfelt congratulations to the new parents.

That's all for now. Get the cards and letters in to me. There must be a lot of news left unreported.

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Mrs. Willard Moulton
(Pauline True)

Sebago Lake

1st Reunion June 16-18, 1950

Reunion is coming up in a minute! Better plan on being there—gonna be lots of kids you know—even some of them are men and women of the world now that they've all had a try at helping themselves for a couple of years—oh, that the class of '48 should come to that. But it's gotta be a beautiful June day—maybe even three beautiful June days—with things happening from Friday night until Sunday. Maybe there are always those people you're going back to see who have come back just to see you. Soooooooo—you'd better be there.

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John Fife's address is 29 Preble St., Gorham. He is working for the U. S. Post Office in that town.

Adelle Goos is doing research work at Boston University. Her permanent address is 1655 Commonwealth Ave., Brighton, Mass.

Norman Jose is associated with the Maine State Highway Department, Bridge Division. His residence and mail address is 10 Riverside St., Milo.

Lester W. Lippard is a student engineer and is now a sales engineer with Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Company, in Boston. He's living on Sunset Road, Marblehead, Mass.

Joseph B. Shuttkuck, Jr., is a trainee in the Fire Prevention Dept. of United Mutual Fire Ins., Co. in New York City. His residence address is APO 1948-33 Jamaica Ave., Hollis, L. I., N. Y.
The spring of 1775 saw the beginning of Portland's participation in the Revolution. At that time a party of militia captured one Captain Henry Mowatt and his party, who had landed on the shore of Falmouth (Portland) from the British ship Canceau. Lieutenant Hogg of the Canceau immediately sent a letter ashore demanding Mowatt's release; two cannons were fired at the town to back up his demand. But this served only to stiffen resentment against British orders of any kind—to the extent that one Calvin Lombard of the town—possibly inspired by wine from the town's cellars—fired two balls from a musket at the Canceau, both of which "landed deep in her side."

Later, Mowatt was returned unharmed to his ship and sailed for Boston. Some historians say that he was "burning for revenge on the townspeople"; others, that he simply reported the incident to his Admiral, who ordered the town destroyed in retaliation for the indignity Mowatt had suffered.

Mowatt did return on the 16th of October, 1775, with a squadron of four armed vessels and a store-vessel. The following day they anchored in front of the town. In the library of the Maine Historical Society is a drawing showing position and rig of each vessel. The flagship Canceau, of 16 guns, anchored opposite the foot of India Street; next was a schooner of 12 guns; then the ship Cat of 20 guns, opposite Union Wharf; lastly, a bomb-sloop. The store-schooner took her station below the armed vessels.

After warning the inhabitants by letter of his intentions to destroy the town and giving them two hours to leave, the plea of a committee from the town moved Mowatt to allow them until the following morning to evacuate Falmouth. Promptly at nine o'clock "the dreaded signal of attack went to the main top-gallant mast head and the bombardment began." A contemporary description of "an horrible shower of balls from 3 to 9 lbs. weight, bombs, canister, live shells, grape-shot and musket-balls" which lasted until six in the evening, tells of the panic and terror on shore. At six in the evening incendiary parties were sent ashore to complete the destruction. In all, three-quarters of the town was leveled and between two and three hundred families were left without homes.