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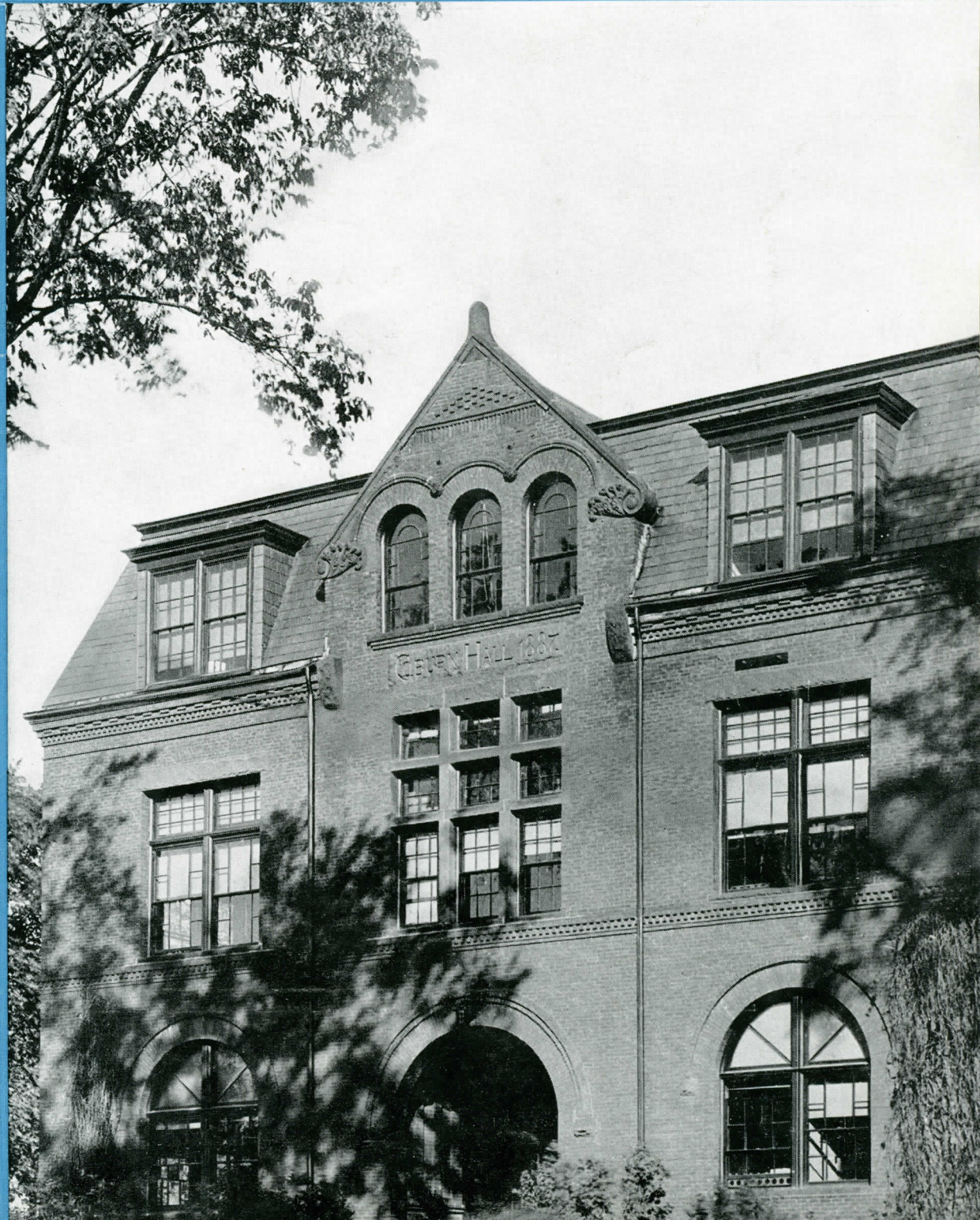
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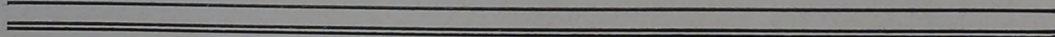

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President Hauck Inaugurated

WHEN the next University history is written, November 3 will be recorded as an important date. It marks the inauguration of Dr. Arthur A. Hauck as eighth president of Maine. It was a dignified, impressive and yet simple ceremony. Planned as a big University and State exercise, it differed from the usual ceremonies attendant upon such an occasion in that colleges and universities outside of Maine were not represented. Because of economic conditions an elaborate and therefore expensive ceremony was considered unwise.

The setting for this notable event was the new Alumni Memorial Gymnasium. Fortunately it was the first good Saturday in several weeks; the sun shone thus adding a spirit of warmth and pleasantness to a happy occasion. At 9:30 the column of students which had formed south of Alumni Memorial moved toward the building followed by the faculty members in academic costume. Thru open ranks passed the stage party with the faculty next and the students were the last to enter the hall.

On the stage in addition to Dr. Hauck were the Trustees of the University, former Presidents Boardman and Little, and the presidents of the other three Maine colleges. Music for the inauguration was furnished by a selected ten piece orchestra. The attendance was approximately 1200. Hon. Harmon G. Allen, president of the Board of Trustees, presided.

"The Policies of the Trustees" was the subject of the first address by Trustee Edward E. Chase, '13, of Portland. The title clearly indicates the content of the paper which will be published in a subsequent issue of *The Alumnus*.

Hon. Bertram E. Packard, Commissioner of Education, then spoke on the subject "The Place of the University in Public Education." First he developed the background of early secondary education and the rapid developments of the last three decades. He said in part:

"Ideally and theoretically the public school system of the State should be an integral unit from the kindergarten through the University. It should be a no more difficult step to pass from the high school to the University than from grade to grade in the elementary and secondary school. In other words the curricula of the University should be so closely correlated with the curricula of the secondary

schools that graduates of these schools upon entering the University would experience no particular sense of change. More especially than may be necessary in private colleges, the curricula of the University should be responsible to the needs of the people of the State and should quickly sense the necessity for adaptation and the broadening of its courses to meet the needs of a swiftly changing social order...

"It has long been recognized that education does not end with the completion of formal attendance in school or college. Education may be properly considered as continuing through life and in this newer field the University may assume a position of leadership and play an important part. The College of Agriculture, through its Extension Service in coöperation with local Farm Bureaus, has very generally entered this field and its influence is being felt in every community in the State. To a more limited extent the School of Education has been performing this service. Here, in my opinion, is an unlimited opportunity for a real service to be rendered by the University... Every department might well through the radio and through correspondence and extension courses make a contribution of inestimable service to the people of Maine..."

Referring to the need for trained secondary school teachers, Trustee Packard said:

"...Recognizing the University as a public institution and as a part of the public educational system of the state, it was entirely logical that it should enter this pioneer field for the purpose of providing more adequate training for teachers of the public secondary schools..."

"...In no sense is the School of Education in direct competition with the other colleges of our state which are all performing a valuable service in the training of teachers. We are simply recognizing the responsibility of the University as a part of our public school system in the important work of teacher preparation. In the matter of training teachers for this work we should exercise wise selection and should adopt such standards as would exclude from its courses all students save those who through ability, character, personality, and temperament shall prove themselves as qualified for the great work of teaching..."

Inaugural Address

Prolonged and enthusiastic applause greeted Dr. Hauck when he was presented by Senator Allen. It was indicative of the esteem which he has so quickly gained on the campus and an expression of genuine welcome.

First Dr. Hauck briefly pointed out the conditions leading to the establishment of the University and its rapid growth in recent years. Excerpts from his address follow:

"We shall not forget, then, that the University is a servant to the State. Our highest ambition is to do our work so high in instruction, in research, and in spreading knowledge by means of the extension service and thru faculty participation in the economic and cultural life of the State, that we shall merit the continued support of 'government and the best of men'... The University shares with the public schools, private academies, normal schools and the colleges of the State, the hope that by working together they may provide educational opportunities worthy of a State that is noted, above everything else, for the high quality of its human resources.

"How may the University do its part in achieving this goal? Our first concern will be to maintain high standards in all we undertake. Fortunately the University of Maine has not confused bigness with greatness. Here there is no over-developed program, no over-expanded physical plant. It has wisely limited its offerings, realizing that available resources should not be scattered in trying to duplicate the diversity of courses offered in the universities of more populous states... So in the fields of agriculture, forestry, home economics, engineering and its branches, in the school of education, and in our graduate courses, we are not satisfied merely to graduate men and women trained in the specialty of their choice. They must be so *well trained* that they can compete for places of leadership in their vocations with the graduates of any first-class institution... The College of Arts and Sciences is an indispensable part of any university organization and as such must set up for its students high standards for intellectual achievement. Its special province is to provide a general and adequate foundation for living in a changing world..."

The College of Arts and Sciences is also the service department for all the other colleges on the campus and offers the basic preparation necessary for the study of professions such as law, medicine, teaching, and dentistry, and for a wide variety of other occupations.

"In order that the University may keep its place with those institutions of recognized merit there must be constant appraisal of our efforts. There would be grave danger in assuming a complacent attitude. The curriculum is not fixed. It must be revised from time to time to fit new situations and new needs as they arise.

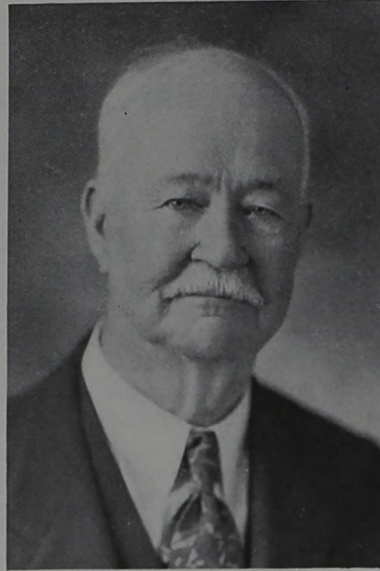
"Thus far I have dealt with quality of instruction as one of the factors that determines the character of the University. The achievement of satisfactory results in teaching depends essentially upon a good faculty and quality of the students. The University must maintain conditions which make living and teaching here attractive to men and women of fine character and scholarly distinction. It must pay salaries that are comparable with those paid for similar services in other high-grade institutions. It must provide the members of its teaching and research staff with opportunities for growth and for keeping in touch with the developments in their respective fields. In this connection, it is desirable to set up, as soon as finances permit, a definite plan for granting sabbatical leaves.

"The University seeks to attract students who are able to profit by the opportunities it offers. It limits enrollment to those whose records in secondary school indicate that they can carry a college course successfully. There is a difference of opinion in regard to this question of admission to state supported institutions...In my opinion the University serves the educational interests of the state best, not by maintaining low standards for admission but by intelligent methods of selection.

"After a student has been admitted, we shall deal with him not en masse but as an individual. We feel that it is our responsibility to adjust his college program, insofar as we possibly can, to his particular needs and interests...We are intensely interested in having the student of superior ability do intellectual work commensurate with his capacity. It is hoped that the honors courses already established will be extended and that we can devise other incentives which offer greater freedom and wider opportunity for independent study.

"...In the short time that I have been on the campus I have been impressed by the sincerity, coöperation, and friendliness of Maine students. Their welfare is the

Former Faculty Member



ALLEN E. ROGERS
Formerly professor of Civics and
Constitutional Law

The pages of University history reveal that Professor Allen E. Rogers served the University twenty-eight years but the comments of scores of the students during his period of service at Maine reveal also that he had the respect and ad-

University's first concern.

"We know that in these days of financial stress there are many young men and women of the State who are unable to attend the University because they lack sufficient funds to do so. Among them are many of outstanding character and achievement. In the years ahead I sincerely hope that we may, through the generous interest of alumni and friends, build up scholarship and loan funds which will enable us to do our part with other Maine Colleges in extending to such potentially fine students and citizens, the opportunity for higher education.

"...If college men and women in general have a responsibility for serving their community and the social order, it is a particular obligation upon those who have attended state supported institutions. Having assisted in providing educational facilities, the state is entitled to some voluntary service in return.

"The educational program of the University would not be complete if it offered only an opportunity for intellectual development and failed to stress spiritual values. We shall continue to encourage those things which contribute to aesthetic appreciation and to the building of upright character...We are eager to see devel-

miration of his former students.

Coming to Maine in 1879 as instructor in Modern Languages and Military Science, Professor Rogers continued at the University until 1908. The many positions which he filled during that period are a tribute to his ability.

Following is a statement which Professor Rogers sent to *The Alumnus*: "On leaving the University of Maine in 1908 I began the practice of law in Bangor and remained there until 1914 when I came to San Diego, California, where I opened an office and have continued my law work.

"Mindful of Bacon's wise saying that 'the law is a jealous mistress,' I have neither aspired to or held office, public or private, but have devoted my time and energy to my profession, so while my life has not been colorful, it has been active and full of human interest and I have no reason to complain of lack of success or of ill fortune.

"I take this occasion to extend my heartfelt greetings and best wishes to the 'boys,' (I cannot think of them otherwise), with whom I was in such close and friendly association during my twenty-eight years at the University, also to my associates on the teaching force, especially to my valued friend, Professor G. H. Hamlin, of Orono, he and I being the only surviving members of the early faculty of 'The Maine State College.'"

oped in our students those qualities of character which are their heritage as sons and daughters of Maine. Honesty, fortitude, initiative, self-reliance, loyalty and helpfulness—these are the traits which we claim as distinctively ours to cherish and to preserve. As members of the faculty we recognize our responsibility for maintaining in our lives those high principles which we hold up to our students."

After expressing appreciation to faculty and students for his cordial welcome at Maine and paying fine tribute to alumni achievement, he concluded by saying:

"Service to the State, coöperation with all its educational agencies, the maintenance of high standards in everything we undertake, emphasis upon those elements in our university life that make for good citizenship and abundant living; these are the goals we set before us. Toward their attainment I pledge my best efforts."

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Stephens '99 Receives Alumni Emblem

Talbot '07 Heads "M" Club

With the inauguration, "M" meeting, the luncheon, and the last home football game as highlights, the fourth annual alumni homecoming, November 2-3, was recorded as "the best yet." Whether there were more or less alumni than last year may be a matter of opinion, but that they enjoyed the program, there is no question.

The 1938 football team opened the program with an impressive victory, demonstrating to those alumni who arrived early that they will be ready to fill some of the gaping holes in the varsity team which graduation will make.

Next came an outdoor athletic rally around a huge bonfire. It was a pep meeting characterized by cheers, short speeches and band music.

Reports of the "M" meeting at which 65 were present, chiefly alumni, state that it was the most enjoyable gathering since the organization was formed in 1932. It was held in the new Trophy Room in Alumni Memorial gymnasium, with Phil Jones '19 presiding. "Don" Favor '34, who only a week before had returned from Japan as a member of a United States track team, spoke at length and very interestingly of his experiences and observations while on the trip.

Richard F. (Dick) Talbot '07, of Orono, was elected to succeed Phil Jones as president, Royal G. Higgins '17, of Springfield, Mass., was named vice-president, "Ted" Curtis '23, faculty manager of athletics, was re-elected secretary.

Many alumni were present at the Inauguration of Dr. Hauck as reported in the leading article of this number.

The Luncheon

This year the Alumni-Faculty homecoming luncheon was in honor of Dr. Hauck and might be spoken of as the Inaugural luncheon. It was held in the Memorial Gymnasium with a record attendance of 347 persons. Ermo Scott '31, of Castine, had charge of the singing with Neil Calderwood '32 at the piano. The Maine Bears kindly furnished music for the occasion.

At the head table there was a galaxy of speakers. George S. Williams '05, president of the General Alumni Association, very appropriately introduced the new president as the presiding officer by characterizing him as our friendly, industrious, and enthusiastic "Prexy." The speakers were Hon. Harmon G. Allen, president of the Board of Trustees, Dr. Franklin W.

Johnson, president of Colby, Dr. Kenneth M. Sills, president of Bowdoin, Dr. Paul Mort, director of Teachers College, and Dr. Moreland King, professor of Electrical Engineering, Lafayette College. These men brought greetings from respective groups and institutions and spoke most pleasingly concerning President Hauck and his work. Others at the head table were Hosea B. Buck '93, alumni trustee, and Harold M. Pierce '19, vice-president of the General Alumni Association.

Alumni Service Emblem Award

The concluding event on the luncheon program was the awarding of the fifth Alumni Service Emblem to Allen W. Stephens '99, of New York City, who was present to personally receive the award. After a brief introductory statement outlining some of the points which are considered in making the decision and mentioning the names of the four men to whom previous awards had been made, Mr. Williams said, "So it is with the one who is to be honored this year. His activity dates over a period of many years. The time and thought which he has devoted to alumni and University matters have been an inspiration to those who followed him. As a young alumnus he early became one of the 'always dependables' in his local group which he served as an officer. His successful work led him to



ALLEN W. STEPHENS, '99
Recipient of Fifth Alumni Service
Emblem

the bigger office of president of the General Alumni Association. It was during his term that our Alumni Association was reorganized, and much of the work incident to establishing our organization in its present form devolved upon him. More recently he has been conspicuous in the valuable suggestions made and the professional assistance given gratis in the completion of our Alumni Memorial. He is a member of the committee charged with determining the requirements of a Union Building. More than all these important services is his great faith in the future of his Alma Mater and his never ending interest in and willingness to work for it."

The four previous awards of this emblem have been made to Harry E. Sutton '09, Hosea B. Buck '93, C. Parker Crowell '98, and Edward E. Chase '13.

Trustee Allen Heads National Association

Hon. Harmon G. Allen, president of the Board of Trustees, and Dr. Arthur A. Hauck have just returned from the annual meeting of the Association of Governing Boards of State Universities and Allied Institutions which was held in Columbus, Ohio, November 15-17.

It will be of particular interest to Maine alumni to know that Senator Allen was president of this national organization which is composed of trustees or other governing board representatives of state universities and land-grant colleges of the entire United States. An interesting incident is told of the meeting in 1933 at which Mr. Allen was elected president. Some of the members of the organization had been criticizing very sharply state legislators for their short sightedness in making appropriations for state universities and in otherwise failing to properly provide for those institutions. Having stood this criticism as long as possible, Senator Allen rose to take exception in his striking and forceful way to the statements which had been made, having himself served as both legislator and trustee. His election as president of the organization immediately followed his rejoinder to the criticisms of his associates.

Senator Allen is now serving his tenth year as trustee of the University, having been president much of the time. His presidency of the national organization brought distinction not only to himself but also to the University.

R. Hamlet '25 Leaves Trust Fund to Maine

A bequest of one thousand dollars left in trust by the late Robert C. Hamlet for the University of Maine has just been received, according to a joint announcement by Dr. Arthur A. Hauck, president of the University, and Mr. Stephen H. Wheatland, of Bangor, president of the University of Maine Foundation, the corporation which holds the funds in trust. The income of this bequest is to be used to encourage the writing of original plays.

Mr. Hamlet, a native of Bowdoinham and graduate of the University, class of 1925, died in Schweizerhof Sanatorium, Davos-Platz, Switzerland, where he had been for two years because of ill health. Following graduation, he went abroad to study, first at the Alliance Francaise in France, and later at the University of Strassburg. While there he was taken ill from which he never fully recovered. He was able to make a brief trip to United States in 1928.

He was born in Hallowell, the family moving very shortly to Bowdoinham. Following his graduation from Thornton Academy he entered the University where he majored in French. His academic record was such as to win general honors and election to Phi Kappa Phi. Of him Professor H. Lloyd Flewelling, of the English department of the University, said at the time of his death, "He was the most brilliant student I have had in eleven years of teaching." He was a member of Beta Theta Pi fraternity. As an undergraduate he was prominent in student activities, being president of the French Club, president of the Contributors' Club, member of the Glee Club, and was especially interested in dramatics taking part in several plays and serving two years as president of the Maine Masque. His dominant interest in this subject was revealed by the nature of the bequest which he left to the University.

A section of the will in which provision was made for the trust fund reads: "To pay over the net income of said trust fund to that student of the University of Maine, who shall have written the best original play during that year. The committee to designate said student shall consist of the Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, the head of the English department and the President of the student organization known as the MAINE MASQUE, all of said University of Maine." The bequest to the University was one of several which this loyal alumnus made. The actual amount which has come to the Foundation is slightly less than nine hundred dollars due to a depreciation in the estate.

The University of Maine Foundation was organized last Commencement to serve the University in every way possible by handling such funds as donors might prefer to leave to a corporation whose sole interest is the University. It is also proposed to have the Foundation act as Trustee for those who desire to leave funds in trust for the ultimate benefit of the University but held in trust for another during their life. The University is not permitted under its charter to accept funds in trust for the benefit of any other than itself. The Foundation is a self-perpetuating body made up of the following members: Stephen Wheatland, Ralph Whittier '02, treasurer, Horace A. Stewart, Hosea B. Buck '93, all of Bangor; President A. A. Hauck and Dr. Robert R. Drummond '05, of Orono; Carl P. Dennett '02L and Joseph W. Gerrity '09, of Boston; Harmon G. Allen, Springvale; Dr. John C. Schroeder '34H, of Portland; and George O. Hamlin '00, of Boothbay Harbor and New York.

Ohio Alumni Establish Scholarship

When it comes to action, the first prize goes to the Ohio Alumni Association which not only voted to establish but has raised and paid the money for a fifty dollar scholarship to be awarded annually at the University. The value of this gift is enhanced by the fact that it is given without a restriction. This group is the first one to take action in the recent effort to increase the number of scholarships at the University.

The success of the Ohioans stands out more conspicuously when one realizes that it is one of the smallest local associations of the thirty-six, having less than fifty names of alumni scattered all over the state.

This organization has not only committed itself to giving the fifty dollars annually but is also planning to create a principal sum which will yield the desired income. A substantial start has already been made.

Last spring a speaker from the University suggested the need for scholarships at Maine expressing the hope that local associations might alleviate this urgent need. The Ohio Alumni were the first to respond.

Other associations which have been giving scholarships regularly are New York (two), Chicago and Pittsburgh. The Washington Alumni and Portland Alumnae each give a watch which is awarded at Commencement to the outstanding man and woman in the senior class.

The amount of scholarship funds available at the University on a per student basis is very low as compared with the other colleges of Maine.

Four Departments Show Interesting Exhibits

The departments of Botany and Zoology with the coöperation of the Geology and Bacteriology departments held an open house in Coburn Hall November 1 in order to give the faculty and students an opportunity to become familiar with various phases of biological phenomena. It is estimated that about 500 inspected the array of interesting exhibits.

In the basement there was an evolutionary tree of the Chordates by means of which one could find his place in the animal kingdom. A plant physiology demonstration showed, among other things, the need for nutritive elements in squash plants in order to obtain normal growth.

Sea anemones, hermit crabs, starfish, and other salt water animals, the goldfish and turtle were displayed in the large laboratory on the first floor. These small animals might look across the room at the fossil exhibit and see their ancestral relatives preserved in rocks millions of years old. Those who entered Dr. Murray's office (after first convincing themselves of the safeness of the venture) saw several strains of mice—some hairless, some Agouti and others variously marked. Across the hall one could observe, step by step, the preparation of a microscopic slide.

On the second floor the field of embryology was represented by models and preserved embryos portraying early and late stages of development. In an adjacent room were fossil plants from the Devonian Sandstones of the Gaspé Peninsula and the Carboniferous Shales of Pennsylvania with their telltale evidences of prehistoric plant life. Near the Paleobotany exhibit were the bacteriologists with their microscopic "bugs." Here too, the animal physiologist was amusing the audience by playing "capers" on frogs, tadpoles, and turtles.

Fantastic ideas were expressed on the wood exhibit. Some few ladies with a designing instinct saw in the tiny redwood cells an exquisite pattern for a future evening gown. Others marveled at the extreme thinness (3000 sections per inch) at which wood could be cut.

Visitors were attracted to the third floor by the puffins, gulls, and pelicans. Also of special interest here were many photographs and colored drawings of birds. Large and well organized student collections of local insects were a feature of the Entomology exhibit. For those with an eye for unusual color schemes, this display was a wonderland.

Have you paid your '34-'35 alumni dues?

Bridges '18 Elected Governor

CAMPAIGNING on one of the most liberal and constructive platforms the New Hampshire Republican party has ever known, H. Styles Bridges, class of 1918 at the University, was elected Governor of the Granite state in the most intensive and closest gubernatorial contest of many years in that state. At the age of 38 he not only attained the distinction of being successful in his first candidacy for public office by election but also became a political figure both in New Hampshire and in the East, being one of six Republican governors in the entire United States to survive the Democratic landslide. Such, in brief, is the story of the recent success achieved by our distinguished alumnus.

His career reads like a fascinating story. It would make excellent material for an author who delights to start with a boy brought up in modest conditions who has overcome one handicap after another in his rapid, almost meteoric rise, to prominence and success.

With the death of his father at the age of nine years, being the oldest child in the family, much of the responsibility for the work around the house and farm devolved upon the boy, Styles. It was doubtless this period of hard work during his grammar and high school days which taught him the value of a dollar, the need for assuming responsibility, and gave him a sympathetic understanding of the problems of rural people and those in humble homes. These lessons he did not forget. They were helpful to him in framing his platform and in his appeal to the voters. They were important factors in his election.

Having completed high school in Pembroke, the town of his birth, he determined to go on to college. It meant that he must earn his way entirely, for his mother had taken up school teaching to keep the home together. Incidentally, her hosts of friends from up and down the countryside recently gathered to pay her eloquent tribute for her many fine contributions to the life of her community, state, and nation.

In the fall of 1916, the future governor entered the University. Four years looked to be more than he could hope to finance so he chose the two-year agricultural course. During those two years he worked in the dairy and cattle barns of the college to pay his way as he went. Naturally he had little time for extra curricular activities, but there was evidence then that he was to be a leader. Teaching in Massachusetts occupied his first year out of college. This was unusual for few of the two-year graduates choose to enter the

teaching profession.

In 1920 he became County Agricultural Agent for the Extension Service of the College of Agriculture of the University being located in Hancock County. While there he was appointed to serve on the Ellsworth School Committee, as the citizens representative. This was his first taste of politics in a small way.

His ambition to get ahead caused him to resign November, 1921, to become associated with the New Hampshire Extension Service and a short time later with the New Hampshire Farm Bureau Federation as Executive Secretary. This



HON. H. STYLES BRIDGES, '18
Governor-elect of New Hampshire

was the real beginning of his political career, for in this capacity he found it necessary to appear before legislative committees to secure the passage of acts sponsored by the Farm Bureau.

His work attracted the attention of others with the result that he directed the campaign in 1924 which resulted in the election of Governor John G. Winant. Again in 1928 he directed the campaign for the election of Governor Charles W. Tobey. Subsequently he became vice chairman and director of the speaker bureau of the Republican State Committee.

Perhaps the incident which placed him for the first time conspicuously before the New Hampshire electorate was his nomination as Public Service Commissioner. His appointment was opposed for a whole year, because he was then but 33 years of age and was believed to be too liberal and opposed to the public utilities, being out-

spoken against the pyramiding of holding companies. However, on February 19, 1930, his appointment by Governor Tobey was approved. During his five years on the Commission that body has won high standing both in the state and in the country for its liberal policies and fair decisions yet always safeguarding the interest of the public.

With this background he announced his candidacy for the governorship. Perhaps only youth could have gone thru such a hard fought campaign as Governor-elect Bridges has just completed. During the four weeks prior to election day, November 6, he made 119 speeches, and a total of over 300 in the entire campaign. Unemployment insurance, minimum wage standards in industry, development of recreational and natural resources, a milk marketing plan for the state, the need for a good system of rural roads, and the positive inability of a state or nation to spend its way out of a depression, were the high lights of his campaign platform.

Many other activities have been interwoven in his active life, including editorship of the Granite State Monthly, directorship or trusteeship of several civic and business institutions, and farmers representative (of 38,000 dairy farmers) on the Board of Arbitration under the Federal Milk Marketing plan.

The Governor-elect is married and resides on a farm just outside of Concord. There is a touch of irony in his political achievement. For a long time it has been the hope of his native Washington County to have a governor of Maine. First it was in the candidacy of Hon. William R. Pattangall '84, also of Pembroke, now Chief Justice of the Maine Supreme Court. It was he who electrified Maine politics by his brilliant campaign of 1922 and 1924. More recently the hopes of the county were pinned on Hon. Alfred K. Ames, republican candidate in the last Maine election. It remained for the hopes of the county to be realized by the success of one of its sons in another state.

Thus has Mr. Bridges risen to the highest office within the gift of the people of his state. In the brief period of thirteen years since becoming a resident of New Hampshire he has become the second youngest governor the state has ever had on the largest off-year vote ever cast in the state; he has demonstrated the fact that a person of modest means can win nomination and election under a primary system and has thru it all retained the jovial, friendly, industrious, and practical qualities which the training of his Maine home town gave him.

The Mechanical Engineering Shops

By Prof. William J. Sweetser

Northeast of Crosby Laboratory stands the latest addition to the physical plant of the University, the new Mechanical Engineering Shops building. Until this fall the Mechanical Department's shops have been located in Lord Hall. Inasmuch as the interior of Lord has been settling badly, the heating and ventilating facilities were inadequate, and the Electrical Department needed more room, especially for its laboratories, the Trustees decided to remodel and assign it largely to the Electrical Department. This made a new shops building necessary.

Future plans call for another engineering building to house the Engineering Drawing Department which is still crowded in Wingate Hall, and the offices, classrooms and drawing rooms of the Mechanical Department, for which temporary provision has been made in Lord Hall.

The location of the newshops about one hundred feet from Crosby Laboratory and behind the proposed location of the future building was therefore a natural one. This would concentrate all the activities of the Mechanical Department finally in three adjacent buildings, which would suitably care for the needs of the large number of major students in the department and for those from other departments taking service courses. The Registrar's records show that for the past four years the Mechanical Engineering Department has led all University departments in the number of major students.

The new building is one story high, constructed with brick walls, concrete floors and a flat tar and gravel roof. The roof is supported by steel beams spanning the width of the building wings, thus leaving the full floor area available.

The building has the shape of the letter *E* with the three parallel sections each 30 ft. wide by 100 ft. long containing the shops; the machine shop in the southern,

the pattern shop in the northern, and the forge shop and foundry in the middle section. The adjoining sections contain the connecting corridors, tool rooms, stock rooms and offices of the instructors and make the total frontage of the building 152 ft. There are three entrance doors at the front of the building and similarly three service doors at the rear. A new road now runs behind the building and Crosby Laboratory connecting the parking space in the rear of Stevens Hall to the south and the cross road from the Mall at the north.

In the front of the Machine Shop, south of entrance, is the class platform and a new motor driven demonstration lathe. The belt driven lathes are arranged in two rows on the south side of the room and driven from a line shaft near the centre. The planers are at the rear of the room on the south side and driven from the same shaft as the lathes. The motor driven machines are located on the north side of the room with the smaller belt driven machines, and a second line shaft drives the latter. The room has ample height and sufficient floor area so that one gets a feeling of roominess. There is space available for additional equipment.

From the corridor connecting the Machine and Forge Shops are the stairs to a basement which extends only under the section between these shops. Here the lockers and wash room, and the entrances of the water, steam and gas services are located, also a compressed air line from Crosby Laboratory.

The centre section of the building is divided by a brick wall and the Forge Shop is in the front portion. The forges and anvils are located toward the rear of this room and at the front on the pattern shop side is the instructor's demonstration equipment and the class platform. On the Machine Shop side is a new power ham-

mer, motor driven, and in a room adjoining is a new electric welding machine and a muffle furnace, gas fired, used for heat treating.

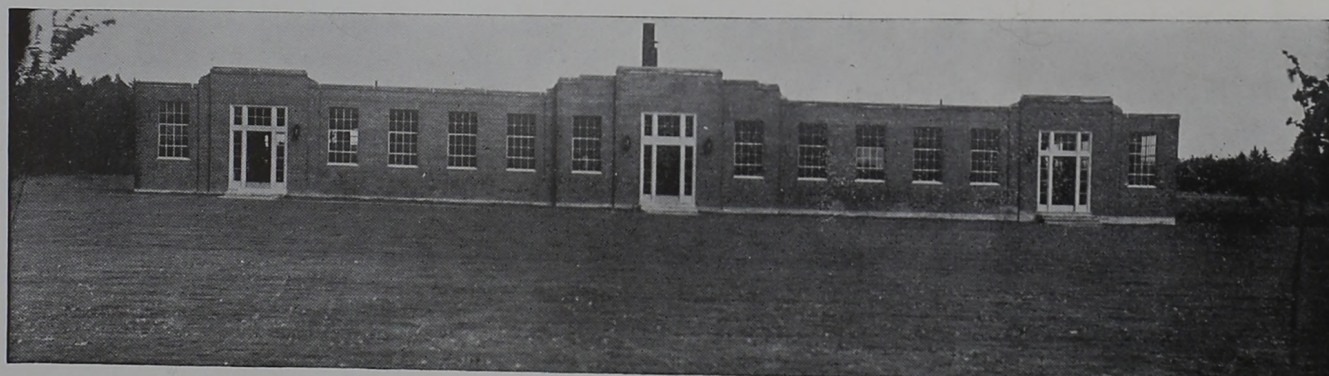
Behind the Forge shop is the Foundry in which is installed the cupola and a new moulding machine, compressed air operated. The charging platform for the cupola contains besides the motor driven blower for the cupola, the blower and exhaust fan for the forges. Underneath the platform are a storeroom for patterns and core boxes and one for foundry tools, also a coal bin accessible from the Forge Shop. The high charging floor necessitated a higher roof for this portion of the building.

From the corridor connecting the Forge and Pattern Shops is a stairway leading to another basement. As solid ledge was encountered here at a high level it was not excavated to the depth called for on the plans, and is used only for storage and the entrance of the electrical services, with main switches and fuses.

The Pattern Shop has the lathes located on the south side of the room and the benches on the north side. To the rear are the planer, jointer, saw bench and band saw which have been provided with individual motor drives.

In front of a class platform located near the entrance are the instructor's motor driven demonstration lathe and work bench. Benches, containing glue and shellac pots for assembling and shellacing patterns and core boxes, are also placed in this section of the room. The instructor's office, a tool room, and a stock room for lumber open from the front of the Pattern Shop into the section between this Shop and the Forge Shop and the office connects thru into the Forge Shop and the forge tools are kept in this connecting room.

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THE NEW MECHANICAL ENGINEERING BUILDING—(Courtesy W. Evans, '18)

On The Campus

Class Officers

While many states were choosing governors and congressmen, on November 6, the students were electing class officers, with the following results:

Senior Class—President, George Cobb, of Auburn; vice-president, Winston Hoyt, of Easton; secretary, Agnes Crowley, of Biddeford; treasurer, Kenneth Black, of Portland; executive committee, chairman, William Bessom, of Cape Porpoise.

Junior Class—President, John Sealey, of Orono; vice-president, Clyde Higgins, of Lewiston; secretary, Louise Steeves, of Lincoln; treasurer, Arthur Roberts, of Kennebunk; executive committee, chairman, Albert Doherty, of Bangor.

Sophomore Class—President, Burleigh Roderick, of Augusta; vice-president, Robert Allen, of Rockland; secretary, Marjorie MacKinnon, of Topsham; treasurer, John Singer, of Thomaston; executive committee, chairman, Richard Braley, of Augusta.

Freshman Class—President, John Go-well, of South Portland; vice-president, Robert Tobey, of Wareham, Mass.; secretary, William Thompson, of Caribou; treasurer, Nancy Hennings, of Portland; executive committee, chairman, Donald Kelley, of South Portland.

The *Alumnus* is indebted to the 1934 *Prism* for the three pictures which have appeared on the first three numbers of this volume. Each of these fine pictures were made from *Prism* cuts.

The Mechanical Shop

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The main shops are heated by units suspended from the ceiling with motor driven fans thermostatically controlled. The ample glass area floods the rooms with daylight. The building is practically fire-proof as inside partitions are either brick or hollow tile, leaving the roof as the only inflammable construction.

The whole building was planned to meet our present needs and to provide space and an arrangement for introducing advanced courses in shop production methods. The students using the building this fall are appreciating the advantages offered. The members of the staff are co-operating to increase the efficiency and scope of the work for which the new building affords an excellent opportunity.

Assemblies

"The Dilemma of the Educated Man" was the title of an address given October 19 by Prof. Irwin Edman of Columbia University, well known authority and author in the field of philosophy.

On November 12 a dual program was combined into a single Assembly. First, Admiral William V. Pratt, U.S.N. retired, of Belfast, delivered an interesting Armistice Day address. He was followed by an athletic program sponsored by the Senior Skulls, which concluded with the awarding of letters to the football men.

University Goes on the Air

Each night from Monday to Friday inclusive, beginning at 7:45 for fifteen minutes, a broadcast originating on the campus goes onto the air over station WLBZ of Bangor. The plan became effective November 12 and will continue until May 16 with the exception of vacation periods.

The purpose of this educational project is to report to the people of the State interesting developments in scientific and social progress, interpreting the topics presented in terms of the listener's problems and interests.

Faculty members discuss timely subjects the first four nights and a representative of the *Campus* reports the news of the week at the college on Friday night.

Rhodes Scholarships Nominees

Three seniors have been selected to compete with other New England candidates for the four sectional Rhodes Scholarships. These three men are Maurice Goddard, of Portland; John Willey, of Cherryfield; and Stanley Henderson, of Bath, each of whom is president of his fraternity. All three are members of the Student Senate and the Interfraternity Council. Goddard is a Senior Skull and prominent in track and in the "M" Club, and is an officer in the R.O.T.C.; Willey belongs to Kappa Gamma Phi, honorary journalistic fraternity; and Henderson holds membership in Tau Beta Pi, national engineering honor society.

Hood Scholarship Awards

The seven Charles H. Hood scholarships of \$200 each awarded to students in the College of Agriculture were granted to the following men: Wesley Norton, of Strong; Ira Packard, of Belfast; and William Farwell, of Unity, seniors who ranked in the top third of their class last year, and who are specializing in dairy industry promotion; Alan Corbett, of Orono, and John Dean, of Waterville, juniors who ranked in the upper half of their class last year and who are also specializing in dairy husbandry; and Robert McKusick, of Guilford, and Sargent Russell, of North Leeds, sophomores.

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ATHLETICS

VARSITY FOOTBALL

This season the University of Maine football team duplicated last year's record of four victories and three losses, but won their fourth consecutive state title. Although losing to Rhode Island, Dartmouth and New Hampshire, Maine outscored its opponents 98-63 points. Entering the State Series with a record similar to last year's, the team showed its real power and finesse by winning three straight games to win its tenth state title under the Brice regime. Outstanding seniors on the team were: acting captain Cobb, MacBride, Butler, Totman, Reese, and Bessom. Two juniors, Doherty and Sidelinger, and three sophomores, Hamlin, Brewster, and Dow, played the major part of the season also. Littlehale, a junior, played regular fullback in the first two games but a knee injury kept him on the sidelines for the balance of the season. Others who substituted regularly were Higgins, Frame, Collette, Roderick, Proctor, Reid, and Golobski. Seniors lost by graduation in addition to those already mentioned, are: Anderson and Marshall, quarterback; Honer, halfback; Towle, end; and Wilson, guard.

Maine 12—Bates 0

The speed and deception of Fred Brice's team proved superior to a heavier and slower Bates eleven. The Bates attack flashed briefly in the first half, but flickered and died in the second. Hamlin scored Maine's first 1934 series touchdown by catching a 25 yd. pass from Dow and running 25 yards to score. MacBride scored the second touchdown on a 3 yard line buck.

Maine 20—Colby 6

Having won their hardest game of the State Series, Maine was content with a relatively loosely played victory over the Colby Mule. In the first period, Brewster, Butler, and MacBride carried the ball on a 90 yard march which ended on the Colby 5 yard line. In the second period, however, the team worked as a unit on a fifty yard march, Brewster scoring and Proctor kicking the extra point. Maine resorted to straight football to score twice in the third period, once on another 50 yard march with Dow taking a lateral for the second touchdown; and a 70 yard advance with Brewster again scoring. Yadwinski was the big ground gainer

Indoor Track Schedules Varsity

Dec.	8	Christmas Handicap	
Jan.	26	K. of C.	(Boston)
Feb.	9	B. A. A.	(Boston)
Feb.	22	University Club	(Boston)
March	2	Bates	(Orono)
	9	B. C.	(Orono)
	16	Colby	(Waterville)

Freshman

Jan.	19	S. Portland	(Orono)
Feb.	16	Bridgton	(Orono)
Mar	2	Hebron-Coburn	(Orono)

for Colby, scoring their touchdown in the fourth period after an 85 yard drive.

Maine 13—Bowdoin 0

Not only did Maine defeat Bowdoin for the 21st time of their series but the Brown Bear also won its fourth consecutive State Title. Again superior teamwork and finesse proved the deciding factor in the scoring of Maine's two touchdowns. MacBride scored in the second period on what is considered his most brilliant performance of the season—a 57 yard run, being aided by some excellent blocking. It was one of those rare "perfect plays." Proctor kicked the extra point. In the fourth period Brewster climaxed a 23 yard march to score. Although in scoring position several times in the odd periods, Bowdoin lacked both the scoring punch and the luck to capitalize its breaks.

Freshman Football

The freshman football team with five victories, had their best season in years, scoring 72 points to their opponents' 6, Coach Jordan's J.V.'s being the only team to score on them. The "Thirty-eighters" started the season with a bang, avenging last year's defeat by Bridgton with a last-minute Frank Merriwell victory. They reached their peak against M.S.C. to finish the season undefeated and untied.

The team itself comprised an experienced line and a quartet of fast, brainy backs. In the line, Gleason, Fish, Lees, and Reidman were outstanding men. Peterson, Elliott, Swenson, and Tobey scintillated in the backfield.

Said Head Coach Brice at the football banquet: "The best freshman team I've seen at Maine in fourteen years."

VARSITY CROSS COUNTRY

Not only did the Varsity Cross Country team enjoy an undefeated, untied season, and won the New England meet, placing five men in the first fourteen of a field of twelve colleges but also captured second place in the I.C.A.A. meet in New York November 19. Throughout the season the team showed exceptional balance, running as a unit and not for individual honors. Against New Hampshire four men tied for first. In the state meet with Colby and Bates, these same men finished behind Veysey of Colby. Seniors who graduate are: the Black brothers, Marsh, Saunders, and Wishart. Others on the squad who will run next year are sophomores: Stagg, Corbett, Ohler and Hunnewell.

Maine vs. N. H. U.

In their first meet with New Hampshire at Durham, the Maine team turned in their best score of the season, 18-41. The Black brothers, Marsh, and Hunnewell finished in a tie for first, with Stagg finishing eighth to complete the Maine scoring.

Maine Wins State Title

In the state meet at Orono, October 27, Maine defeated Bates and Colby, scoring 23 points to 46 and 61 respectively. Maine placed five men in the first nine, Veysey, of Colby, winning the 4¼ mile race in 23 min. 45 sec., K. Black 2nd, Marsh and Hunnewell 3rd and 4th, E. Black 5th, and Saunders 9th.

Maine 22—Colby 39

Although Veysey, state cross country champion from Colby, set a new record (22:37½) over the four mile course, Maine placed seven of the first nine men and won their second dual meet of the season. The two Blacks and Hunnewell tied for second, Saunders, Corbett, and Wishart and Ohler completed the Maine scoring in the order named.

The New England Meet

This year the field for the New England Intercollegiate Meet included twelve colleges. Maine made the exceptionally low score of 36. Very few lower scores have been made in the history of this meet. At no point in the race were our first five men worse than fifteenth. They held their positions thru the whole race with Hun-

newell almost repeating his victory as a freshman in the N. E. meet of a year ago. At the two mile mark, Hunnewell was leading a bunched group which included Veysey, the Colby star. At the three mile mark Veysey was in the lead with Hunnewell second. At the finish, Maine placed five men in the first fourteen, Hunnewell 2nd, K. Black 5th, E. Black 6th, Marsh 9th, and Saunders 14th for a total of 36 points. Rhode Island with a score of 98 took second place.

Varsity Places Second in National Meet

Maine cross country colors flew high November 19 in the National Intercollegiate Cross Country Championship when the boys won second in a field composed of eighteen of the best teams in the country. With the exception of 1915 when Maine garnered first place, this is the best place our hill and dalers have ever won. Michigan State took first place with a score of 77, Maine's tally being 93.

Ken Black was the first Maine runner to finish, being in 7th place with a time of 33:04 for the six miles. Next came sophomore Bill Hunnewell in 12th, Ernest Black 13th, Joel Marsh in 17th, and Harry Saunders 51st. Bob Wishart and Bob Corbett were the two other Maine runners being 69th and 86th.

Winning such a high place in this national event comes as a fine climax to a highly successful season.

New York Alumni

The Maine alumni and alumnae met at the Hotel Pennsylvania on November 10, where play by play wire returns of the Bowdoin-Maine game were received. About 40 attended with Bowdoin men invited to share the fun. Cider and doughnuts were served.

L. K. Betts, Secretary

Androscoggin Alumnae Meet

Alumnae residing in Auburn, Lewiston and vicinity were guests of Mrs. Mary M. Kavanagh '14 at her home in Lewiston, Nov. 13, at which 14 were present. This is thought to be the first meeting ever held of the alumnae located in Androscoggin County. The results of this session were so happy that a decision was made to hold future meetings. It is expected an informal type of organization will be created to arrange for the meetings. December 11 has been set as the date for the next get together. It is to be held at the Elm House in Auburn, Mrs. W. E. Lawliss having extended an invitation to the group to meet with her.

Is the University in your will?

With the Local Associations

Aroostook County

Dean James Muilenburg and Alumni Secretary Charles Crossland were the principal speakers at the annual meeting of the Aroostook Alumni Association in Presque Isle, October 17. President George Carter opened the meeting, introducing William Jenkins '21, of Presque Isle, who led the singing. After the reading of the reports, Mr. Crossland talked to the 65 alumni and guests present. Fred P. Loring '16, newly appointed instructor of short courses at Orono, told about some of the new courses being offered by the College of Agriculture. Dean Muilenburg was next introduced and gave an informative and thought-provoking talk on society's problem and its connection with the student of today.

Officers elected were Verne C. Beverly '20, of Presque Isle, president; Samuel W. Collins '19, of Caribou, vice-president; Miss Leone M. Dakin '26, of Presque Isle, treasurer; and Lewis H. Kriger '16, of Fort Fairfield, secretary. The nominating committee was Frank Hussey, of Presque Isle, Richard Crocker, of Fort Kent, and Clifford McIntyre, of Perham. The class of 1932, with six present, won honors for the best representation. C. C. Harvey '90, of Fort Fairfield, was the oldest alumnus present. The association voted to send a letter to Dean Hart in appreciation of his work during the long time he has faithfully served the University.

Kingdon Harvey, Secretary

Boston Alumnae

The Fall meeting of the Boston Alumnae group was held at the College Club in Boston on October 20th, with twenty-six present. It was a very informal and friendly tea, where many new acquaintances were made and old ones renewed.

The next meeting is to be at the home of Dot (Williams) Donovan in Weymouth, on December 8th. The afternoon will be spent playing bridge or any other game desired, so we hope that all types of players will join us. Anyone knowing Dot will know what a pleasant time is in store for us at her attractive home. Please tell Christine McLaughlin, 44 Sprague Street, Malden, that you are to attend.

Elizabeth M. Bright, Chairman

White Mountain

The White Mountain Alumni Association of the University of Maine held its annual election of officers on Wednesday

evening, November 7th, at the Hotel Costello. The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Elmer Noyes '00; vice-president, Fred Murphy '28; secretary, C. H. Goldsmith '15; treasurer, Benjamin Hoos '24.

Supper was served at 6:30 and the evening was spent in discussing plans for future meetings. A committee was appointed to submit plans for a University Night in December. The association has sponsored two of these occasions in the past which have been very successful. The next meeting and supper will be held at the Hotel Costello on Wednesday evening, December 5th, at 6:15. Any U. of M. men who are in the vicinity of Berlin at this time are cordially invited to attend.

C. H. Goldsmith '15, secretary

Portland Alumnae

The Portland Alumnae met at the Y.W.C.A. clubroom, November first.

Mrs. Frank Harmon, Mrs. Carl T. Stevens, and Mrs. Olive Chase O'Brien were selected for the nominating committee to choose the officers for the coming year.

Mrs. Harold Hill (Wilma Perkins) gave an illustrated talk on "Design and Style Tendencies." She was assisted by her sister, Mrs. Henry Crandon (Molly Perkins). The talk was given in the form of a sketch, with Mrs. Hill as the designer busy in her workshop and Mrs. Crandon as a client who, with a limited income, wanted as complete an outfit as possible.

Hallowe'en refreshments were served. The hostesses were Mrs. O'Brien, Miss Lena Shorey and Miss Barbara Johnson.

Kathleen Hunt Flynn '26, secretary

Teachers Association

A record number of 130 alumni teachers including a few friends assembled for the annual dinner and meeting of the Teachers Association held in the Portland Y.W.C.A. October 25.

Linwood J. Kelley '21, of Lewiston, was elected president, David Barker '31, of Bangor, vice-president; K. Jean Keirstead '31, of Old Town, treasurer, and C. E. Crossland '17, of Orono, secretary.

The organization voted to create a Loan Fund to assist undergraduates who are training to become teachers, the objective being \$2000.

Dr. J. H. Huddilston was speaker. His address was received with hearty applause.

Support your local association.

Alumni Personals

DEATHS

'77 The death of Mrs. Nellie Weeks Spencer, of Orono, occurred November 11 after ten days illness following a shock. Mrs. Spencer was born in Orono Oct. 25, 1851, and was one of the first three women graduates of the University, being at the time of her death the oldest living woman graduate of the institution. She was a Past Worthy Matron of Good Cheer chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, having joined in June, 1902, one of the first initiates. She is survived besides her husband by two sons, Hadley and Frank Spencer, both of Orono, by a half-sister, Mrs. Mary Weeks Martin of Old Town, and by nine grandchildren, all of Orono.

'79 Henry W. Peaks, of Bangor, formerly of Charleston and for several years bookkeeper in the Bangor Highway Department office, died October 31, 1934, at the age of 76 years. For a number of years following his graduation from the University, he was associated with his father who conducted a general store in Charleston and at the same time held various town offices. Later he moved to Bangor where he was employed by the municipal public works office in the capacity of bookkeeper. He was one of the oldest members and a Past Master of Olive Branch Lodge, F. and A. M., of Charleston in which he took a keen and active interest.

'88 Just after the November *Alumnus* had gone to press, a notice came of the death of Francis S. Brick at his home in Stafford Springs, Conn. Mr. Brick has devoted his life to education. After his graduation from college he taught in Berlin, N. H., and later went to Belfast where he was superintendent of schools for several years. He held several similar positions in Massachusetts. He went to Stafford Springs about twelve years ago and resigned from the position of Superintendent of Schools there this present summer, because of failing health. He is survived by his wife, who was Stella L. Rigby of Stillwater, his daughter, Mrs. Helen R. Swedburg of Stafford Springs, and a granddaughter, Frances M. Swedburg. The funeral was held at his home on October 20 and interment was in Stafford Springs.

'07 Elmer G. Hooper, aged 52, professor of civil engineering at New York University, a former resident of West Lynn, died October 24 at a hospital in Portland. He was stricken ill at his summer home in South Paris. He was a member of Richard W. Drown Lodge, I.O.O.F., and the National Engineering Society. He leaves his son, Robert F. Hooper, and two daughters, the Misses Louise W. and Helen M. Hooper, all of Tuckahoe, N. Y.; his father, William H. Hooper, of Boston, and three brothers, James A. Hooper, Saugus, Irving F. Hooper, of Lynn, Mass., and George H. Hooper, of Royal Oak, Mich.

'09 Judge Reginald T. FitzRandolph, 50, presiding justice of the Nantucket district court since 1910, died October 27 of pneumonia at St. Luke's Hospital,

New Bedford, Mass., following an operation of mastoid. Judge FitzRandolph received his degree at Boston University Law School. He was a law partner of Judge Wilford D. Gray of the Superior Court before being appointed to the bench. He was the youngest judge in the state at the time, being appointed when he was 26. He was a member of the Pacific Club and the Union Lodge of Masons in Nantucket. Through the years he became known as one of the most popular men in New England's summer colonies. He was a raconteur of rare ability, able to delight visitors such as Irvin Cobb and others of note. He is survived by a daughter, Regina FitzRandolph, 13, and three sisters, Mrs. Gertrude H. Currens, of Boulder, Colorado, Mrs. Geraldine Myers, of Detroit, and Miss Ruth FitzRandolph. His wife, the former Dorothy Holding, died in New Bedford in 1922.

'13 Nelson K. Austin died October 17, 1934, at Mechanic Falls at the age of 53 years.

BY CLASSES

'78 C. H. Benjamin writes: "Mrs. Benjamin and myself spent the summer vacation in New Hampshire on the shores of Sunapee Lake at Newbury. I found plenty of material for sketching and have some twenty pictures to remember the scenery by. We took one run into Maine, visiting Fryeburg and Oakland. At Oakland we attended a reunion of Mrs. B's relatives which left me in a properly chastened frame of mind. We are now residing in Washington and this further chastens a Maine Republican. I always look forward to the coming of *The Alumnus* and enjoy reading it. I hope to see some of the Maine friends in the latter part of the month.

'80 G. W. Lufkin and his wife, Annie Marshall, were the celebrants of their 50th wedding anniversary at the home of Mrs. Lufkin's sisters, South Portland, September 27, 1934.

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Class Reunions, June 8, 1935.

'90 A. C. Hardison, of Santa Paula, California, has just returned from a trip to Washington, D. C., where he attended a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce of the U.S.A. of which he was made a member, representing Agriculture, last June.

'93 Col. Walter W. Crosby, of Coronado, California, addressed Coronadoans on "A Master Plan for Coronado" on October 26. Col. Crosby is a consulting engineer of long experience, not only all over the United States but in foreign countries. He is a member of the national conference on city planning and has been an active member of the Coronado planning commission since his appointment to that body by Mayor Pendleton in 1928.

'95 Leroy R. Folsom, of Norridgewock, who is attorney for the state department of health, was elected president of the Maine Conference of Social Welfare at its annual meeting in Portland, October 13, 1934.

'96 The November, 1934, issue of the magazine, "Westways," contained an article entitled, "A Californian of Some Importance—Frank Elwin Weymouth." "He is the guiding genius of the world's largest construction project—the Colorado River Aqueduct, a job far larger than Boulder Dam. He is the commander-in-chief of an army of 10,000 workers who will fight a six-year campaign of construction on a 300-mile front stretching practically all the way across the State of California. On his shoulders rests the future prosperity of thirteen cities, numbering nearly two million people." Frank E. Weymouth is general manager and chief engineer of the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California, and was one of the pioneers of the Boulder Dam project.

'98 Dr. E. D. Merrill, of New York, has been elected Honorary President of the National Plant, Flower and Fruit Guild, succeeding Dr. Henry Fairfield Osborn in this position.

Fred W. Sawtelle is a resident engineer with the Wisconsin Highway Commission, Green Bay, Wisconsin, and resides at 2134 Sommers Avenue, Madison, Wisconsin.

'00 Guy A. Hersey, of Bangor, was named by the nominating committee of the local Better Housing campaign being projected under the auspices of the Federal Housing Administration to head the executive committee of the drive.

John D. Mackay, of Quincy, Mass., who has represented the Norfolk district in the Massachusetts senate during the past five years, was re-elected for another term. The district comprises the towns of Randolph, Braintree, Milton, and the city of Quincy.

'02 Samuel P. Davis is in the real estate and insurance business in Glendale, California. His residence address is 101 W. Mountain Street.

Carl P. Dennett, of Boston, has been elected chairman of the national executive committee of the National Economy League. Mr. Dennett, in recent years, has been a Boston banker and business man. He is head of the Massachusetts branch of the League.

Clinton N. Rackliffe, of Raleigh, North Carolina, is rounding out 22 years of service with the Carolina Power & Light Company as manager of the Contract Department, after ten years' employment in the Industrial Sales Department of the General Electric Company with whom he went on his graduation from the University.

'05 Lincoln R. Colcord, the well known author and journalist, has been requested by Harry Hopkins, director of the FERA to join a corps of newspaper men who will make a country-wide investigation of relief conditions which may come under the FERA later. Mr. Colcord is no stranger to Washington as he was stationed there for two years during the World War as special correspondent of the Philadelphia Public Ledger. Last winter he was associated with Prof. Raymond Moley in the publication of the weekly, "Today."

Herman R. Mansur, of Augusta, was elected president of the Maine Photographers' Association at their annual meeting recently.

L. H. Mitchell is an engineer in the Bureau of Reclamation, Washington, D. C., and assistant director of Reclamation Economics. He resides at 832 Sligo Avenue, Silver Spring, Maryland.

Mary M. Williams, of Winterport, has gone to Florida for the winter. Her address is 126 South Lake Avenue, Lakeland, Florida.

'07 William Hall, of Castine, was elected president of the Hancock County Schoolmasters Club for the year 1934-35. He is also chairman of the Teacher Training Section of the Maine Teachers Association.

Erwin H. Hussey is president of Kemide Manufacturing Company, Inc., Port Kennedy, Penn. His residence address is 76 Hillside Road, Strafford Hills, Penn.

John W. Maxwell is manager of Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, Bristol, Conn. He resides at 665 Farmington Avenue, Hartford, Conn.

'08 Everett C. Coleman is consulting rubber technologist for Mosinee Paper Mills Company, Mosinee, Wisconsin. He lives at 1015 Ninth Street, Wausau, Wisconsin.

Raymond Fellows, of Bangor, former attorney general of Maine, and president of the Bangor Historical Society, was guest speaker November 7 at a luncheon of the Bangor-Brewer Lions Club at the Penobscot Exchange. Mr. Fellows spoke on "The Early History of Maine." He is well known throughout the state for his research work into the history of the state, and has contributed many articles to historical magazines and papers.

Clarence M. Weston is senior engineer for Pickwick Dam Project, Tennessee Valley Authority, Knoxville, Tenn.

'09 H. M. Bowman, of Salmon Fall, N. H., is president of the South Berwick Rotary Club.

'10 Class Reunion, June 8, 1935.

'11 George D. Bearce is a pulp and paper consultant at 501 Fifth Ave., New York City.

Alden C. Goodnow is sales engineer for The Elliott Electric Company, 2178-2186 West 25th Street, Cleveland, Ohio.

John P. Flanagan, of Bangor, of the agents' force of the Internal Revenue Bureau, was elected president of Federal Employees' Union No. 88 of the National Federation of Federal Employees, at a meeting held recently.

'12 W. R. Ballou, of Bangor, was named by the nominating committee of the local Better Housing campaign being projected under the auspices of the Federal Housing Administration on the Executive Committee and also chairman of the Building Committee.

Leigh I. Harvey is in lawyer partnership, Greene & Harvey, Attorneys, Wolfboro, New Hampshire.

'13 Ray D. Hews, of Presque Isle, has been elected secretary of the Aroostook County Farm Bureau for 1935.

Leon E. Seekins, who has been at Worcester since 1929 as the operating manager of The Worcester Electric Light Company and also as manager of the Central Group of retail properties, was elected vice-president and general manager of The Lowell Electric Light Corporation and assumed his new duties on October

15. He also becomes district manager of the Northeastern group of retail properties located in Lowell, Lawrence, Amesbury, and Arlington.

'14 Richard F. Crocker, principal of Fort Kent High School, was elected as a delegate to the annual convention of the National Education Association in Denver next summer by the Maine Teachers' Association.

Roland E. Stevens, principal of Lincoln Junior High School, Portland, was elected first vice-president of the Maine Teachers' Association.

'15 Merton F. Banks, of Bangor, was re-elected president of the Maine Antique Dealers' Association, now conducting its first annual exhibition at the Hotel Lafayette, Portland.

Amos E. Carle is in the machinery business, Machinery Building, E. Grand Boulevard, Detroit, Michigan.

R. B. Easson is supervising appraiser for Federal Land Bank, Berkeley, California, and is residing at 22 Domingo Avenue.

John A. McDonough, of Lewiston, Maine Federal Relief Administrator, and Miss M. Ernestine Reed, of Boothbay Harbor, were married October 11 in the rectory of the Church of Our Lady, Boothbay, followed by a reception at the Oak Grove Hotel, West Boothbay, with more than 300 guests attending, among whom were Governor and Mrs. Louis J. Brann. Mr. and Mrs. McDonough will make their home on South Chestnut Street, Augusta.

W. J. LaCrosse is a salesman for American Writing Paper Company, 9 Main Street, Holyoke, Mass., and lives at 135 Dartmouth Street.

Congressman William N. Rogers, who first began the practice of law in Rochester, will again represent the First New Hampshire District in Congress. Mr. Rogers, campaigning on a New Deal platform, defeated his Republican opponent by more than 5000 votes in a district that is normally regarded as a Republican stronghold.

'17 Frank E. Berridge, of Lynn, Mass., has been appointed chairman of the important legislative committee of the Massachusetts State Pharmaceutical Association, and will sponsor many bills in the coming session.

Mayland H. Morse is an attorney in Concord, N. H., and resides at 27 Pine Street.

Herbert E. Watkins, military instructor at the Massachusetts State College at Amherst, Mass., has just received his commission as major.

'18 Stanley F. Beverage is connected with the Titanium Pigment Co., Inc., St. Louis, Mo., and is living at 14 South 87 St., Belleville, Illinois.

'19 Lester W. Kimball is a security salesman for Leimert, Krieger Co., 650 So. Grand Avenue, Los Angeles, California. He lives at 1894 Palmas Drive, San Marino, California.

'20 Ruel Whitcomb has recently been promoted from Resident Claim Manager, Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, Springfield, Mass., to Chief Adjuster, Automobile and Public Liability Claims for Metropolitan Boston with offices in the Park Square Building, Boston, Mass.

'21 Joseph B. Chaplin, principal of Newport High School, was recently installed as the Commander of the Newport

Post, American Legion.

'22 Harlan S. Dennison is traffic supervisor in charge of trunk layout New York "Long Distance" office of Long Lines Traffic Department, American Tel. & Tel. Company, New York, N. Y.

'23 Iva B. Merchant, Secretary, Orono.

George V. Blanchard is a lawyer in Fort Fairfield. His office is in the Frontier Trust Block and his residence at 33 Elm Street.

Willis H. ("Bear") Osgood played on the championship Trenton baseball team of the Eastern Maine League during the past season.

Eunice H. Winslow is teaching Latin in Abington High School, Abington, Penna. She lives at 1649 Haworth Street, Philadelphia.

Iva B. Merchant was recently elected president of the Orono Chapter of the American Association of University Women (Ed.).

Iva B. Merchant

'24 Carl L. Beal, Development Engineer for the American Anode, Inc., Akron, Ohio, was a recent visitor at the Alumni Office.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Boynton announce the arrival of a daughter, Barbara Stanwood, October 15, 1934, at Rochester, New York.

Earl Dunham, of Orono, has been elected vice-president of the Bangor Masonic Club.

T. C. Eastman, proprietor of Western Maine Forest Nursery at Fryeburg, recently spent several days in Orono landscaping the new Orono Post Office.

Elizabeth F. Hunt was married November 30, 1933, to Myron U. Lamb, a graduate of Brown University in 1923. Mr. & Mrs. Lamb are residing at 295 Sargeant Street, Hartford, Conn.

Dolores M. Mutty is now Mrs. Joseph Pinto and lives at 24 Joralemon Street, Apt. 136, Brooklyn, New York.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Theron A. Sparrow a son, Theron Copeland, July 2, 1934. They are now residing at 24 Forest Avenue, Orono. "Spike" is an instructor in Mechanical Engineering at the University.

'25 Dr. Stephen S. Brown, director of the Maine General Hospital since 1931 and president-elect of the New England Hospital Association, is one of the younger Maine physicians to attain prominence in the administrative branch of his profession. The Portland Sunday Telegram and Sunday Press Herald, November 11, 1934, contained a brief biographical sketch of Dr. Brown's life.

Helen Greenlaw, of Masardis, and Donald Flewelling, of Bridgewater, were united in marriage in Ashland on November 8, 1934. Mrs. Flewelling taught for one year at Bridgewater Academy and another year at Sherman Mills. For the past few years she has been assisting her father in his office of business. Mr. and Mrs. Flewelling expect to make their home in Masardis for the winter.

'26 Class Reunion, June 8, 1935.

Willis M. Barrows and Virginia C. Emerson were married at the Trinity Congregational Church in East Orange, New Jersey, on October 12, 1934. Mrs. Barrows is a graduate of East Orange high school and of Pratt Institute, school of fine and applied art, Brooklyn. She is an art teacher in the junior high school of Bloomfield. Mr. Barrows has a posi-

tion with the Public Service of New Jersey located at Hackensack. He is also studying for a master's degree at New York University. Mr. and Mrs. Barrows reside at 125 Terrace Avenue, Hasbrouck Heights, N. J.

Maurice H. Burr was married November 22, 1933, to Mildred L. Fox, of Skowhegan. He has been with the Northeast Harbor Water Company as Resident Engineer since September, 1932, and is receiving mail at P. O. Box 304, Northeast Harbor.

John A. Sanborn, who is a patent attorney, is director of Patent Department, Manufacturers Aircraft Association, 30 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, N. Y.

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Pauline Aiken, who is an instructor in English at Connecticut College for Women, New London, Connecticut, resides at 115 Mohegan Avenue, New London, Connecticut.

Dorothy I. Byther is teaching at Fal-mouth High School. Her address is c/o Y.W.C.A., Portland.

Royce P. Davis, who is a lieutenant in the U. S. Navy, is now with the U.S.S. Lexington. His mailing address is c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, California.

George F. Dow, who since 1929 has been associate agricultural economist in the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station and has devoted his time to investigational work in the production and utilization of dairy products in Maine, has been appointed as part-time associate professor in agricultural economics and farm management of the College of Agriculture here at the University.

Ernest H. Grant is instructor in mathematics at Cony High School, Augusta.

Norman A. Meserve is superintendent, Montan Treating Company, Westboro, Mass. He resides at 35 Salem End Road, Framingham Center, Mass.

Alfred B. Mitchell is Wage Incentive Engineer for Krebs Pigment & Color Corporation, Curtis Bay, Baltimore, Md.

Edythe Twitchell has accepted a new position, in which she started work this fall, as head of the Kindergarten Department of the Hathaway-Brown School, Cleveland, Ohio. Her present address is Raymond Hall at the above given institution.

'28 Class Reunion, June 8, 1935.

Eleanor M. Fitzherbert, of Augusta, was married September 22, 1934, at Portsmouth, N. H., to Philip G. Pinkham, of Bangor. Mrs. Pinkham is located in the processing tax division of the Internal Revenue, Augusta.

Mrs. Ruth Palmer Harribine is a Red Cross Dietitian and Committee Worker for American Dietetic Association. She resides at 145 Main Street, Pittsfield.

R. L. Simons is an airline pilot, flying mail, passengers, and express. His address is T W A, Inc., Municipal Airport, Kansas City, Missouri.

Elmer H. Ward is district superintendent for Montgomery Ward Company, Kansas City, Mo.

Hope K. Williams, saleslady with E. H. Keith, Advertisers, of Boston, lives at 793 Lymfield Street, Lynn, Mass.

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R. H. Allen is associate agricultural economist with Agricultural Adjustment Administration, Washington, D. C.

Harold L. Arey is with the S. S. Kresge Company, 191 Westminster Street, Providence, R. I.

Mrs. Rozella Clapp Moresca is living at 648-61 Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

George A. Noddin, chemist for Eastern Laboratory, Du Pont Company, Gibbstown, New Jersey, resides at 122 So. Childs Street, Woodbury, N. J.

Charles H. Peterson, of Unity, is town representative in surrounding towns for Central Maine Power Company.

Harold T. Pierce and Dorothy E. Proud were married in October at the Lutheran Church, Steelton, Penna.

G. Albert Whittier married Marion L. Johnson in Grafton, Mass., on October 6, 1934. They are living in Millbury, Mass.

'30 Pauline Hall, Secretary, Kennebunk, Maine.

Laurence Boothby is engaged in farming with his father in Livermore Falls, R.F.D. #2; and with Mrs. Boothby (Louise Ricker '31) and small daughter, Eleanor, has but recently moved into a new home.

Elmer "Bud" Higgins continues in the employ of the Postal Telegraph Cable Company in Portland, and is living at 8 Preble Street.

Thelma Lapworth writes that she and Tom and the class baby, Miss Janet, and younger sister, Sandra, are all in fine form. Janet observed her fourth birthday November 6th last by entertaining several young friends at a very gay party.

At the annual convention of Knox County Teachers' Association, Katherine Veazie was elected to fill the office of secretary-treasurer.

'31 Mary Carter, Secretary, Orono. Hello,

The news for this month surely shows '31 scattered over the country.

A few of us are still in Maine. Erma Devereux Croxford is teaching at Pitts-ton. Bill Smith is doing FERA night school teaching in Orono. He's in charge of a course in general adult education. Kay Whitcomb is teaching home ec in the same school.

Parker Spear is at the Branch office of the Travelers Insurance Co. at 85 Johns St., N.Y.C., and is getting along well as cashier.

Ken Twombly and his wife have been east for a vacation. Ken is with the Trav-

elers somewhere out west. Where, Ken?

Frankie Barrows has just been transferred from New Britain, Conn., to a Grant store in North Adams, Mass.

Thanksgiving and its reunions are coming. Do dig up some news and send it along to me, and don't eat too much.

As ever,
Mary

'32 Helen S. Hincks, Secretary, Orono.

Margaret (Peg) Armstrong is teaching this year in the Grammar School at Vanceboro.

Tom Baldwin and wife, Marnie (Smith) are living at 275 Broadway, Norwich, Conn. Tom is teaching in Norwich Free Academy.

Robert Currie, Jr., is working as draughtsman for the American Can Company. His address is 1016 Lexington Avenue, New York City.

Lin Elliott is teaching English and is assistant debating coach in Deering High School. His residence is at 46 Columbia Rd., Portland.

The marriage of Glenna DeMerchant, of Bath, N. B., and Jerre F. Hacker, took place on October 19, in Perth, N. B. Mr. and Mrs. Hacker are living at the Hacker farm on Riverside Avenue, Fort Fairfield.

Wallace and Virginia (Berry) Humphrey have a baby daughter, Claudia, who was born in August.

Miss Mary Helena Elias, of Bangor, and Francis (Pat) McCabe were married in the St. Thomas Catholic Church at Dover-Foxcroft on November 1. Mrs. McCabe is a graduate of St. Joseph's Academy in Portland. Mr. and Mrs. McCabe will make their home in Dover-Foxcroft.

Katherine K. Mead is Home Economics teacher in Wilton Academy. Her address is Box 383, Wilton, Maine.

Hildreth (Ikey) Montgomery is a Case Worker for the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities. Address—215-05 43rd Avenue, Bay-side, Long Island, N. Y.

Priscilla Noddin is teaching in the high school at Madison, New Hampshire.

Abbie Sargent is dietitian for a sanitarium in Delaware.

Edith Talbot has charge of the FERA Nursery School in Orono.

Helen Hincks, Secretary

'33 It must be that Uncle Sam's mail sack containing 1933 personals went astray for the much looked for and interesting record of '33 doings has not arrived.

One all important event occurred just as the last *Alumnus* was on the press. This your genial class secretary so informally announced at the conclusion of her October writings in this fashion—

"After October 20th at 6 p.m.

Marnie Baldwin, 275 Broadway,
Norwich, Conn."

But this is the story—Marnie Smith, of Saco, and Thomas Baldwin '32, of New Britain, Conn., were married October 20 at the home of the bride's parents. Marion Dickson, of Pittsfield, was the maid of honor and the best man was Dr. Henry Grant '32, of Portland. For the past year Mrs. Baldwin has been teaching home economics in Saco and during the summer she acted as manager of the Angelmere on the Portland road. Mr. Baldwin is a member of the faculty of the Norwich, Conn., High School. (Ed.)

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'34 My head is in a whirl. There's so much I want to say this time—the hardest thing about this column is not saying everything at once. First of all I want to thank all of you people who have been so kind about sending me news. I got a specially big kick out of hearing from members of other classes and it did make me realize what a hold Maine has on us when I heard from Ed Field who spent only two years with us. He graduated from Rutgers in June and is now editing a newspaper in Hasbrouck Heights, N. J. I couldn't tell whether or not he was kidding me but if he was serious this paper must resemble the Daily Record (apologies to the Record). While we're down as far as New Jersey let's see who else is there. Herbie Roylance is assistant control chemist for the Eagle Ink Printing Company of Jersey City. Poor little Uncle Mercier has been transferred from Jersey City to a place in New York state so far from civilization that the nearest town to have movies twice a week is twenty miles away. That's going to be tough on Uncle because he does love his movies.

The last I heard from my roomie, Merle Shubert, she was trying hard to figure out the minimum travel rates from Asbury

Park to Boston—incidentally Jack Leddy is going to Boston University law school—what I'd give to see those two.

Coming East we might stop off at most any of the Grant stores and find someone we know. Johnny Stinchfield has been some place in Philadelphia but I hear he has been recently transferred. Roger Hefler is in Hartford, and if any of you happened to see the November "Fortune," you got the same thrill I did when I read the article on the Grant stores; for those of you who haven't read it I think it's worth quoting a few lines—"Mr. Hefler is one of three men picked last Spring from the graduating class of the University of Maine. Energetic, enthusiastic, completely wrapped up in his work, he is the sort of youngster the Company most wants." Charlie Straffin was located near Boston the last I knew—also with Grant—and Melba is assistant Child Librarian in Portland.

I can't for the life of me keep up with Cupid—I just think I have all the marriages and engagements taken care of when a new lot comes along. If this is old news to you you'll have to forgive me because I'm pretty far from civilization and news is slow reaching me. Anyway, I've just found out that Lolly O'Connell and Helen Walker were married last winter, Vivian Clements was married last spring and Sugar Milliken was married this summer. I don't know yet who the lucky fellow is. One month Johnny Gilman announces he has a permanent position with his father and the next month he has married Estelle Wiseman—that's what I call progress. Carl Babbidge married Caroline Stanley of North Sullivan November 12.

Among the engagements are Enid Humphreys to John Crosson, Richard Alden to Mary Sewall, and a little bird whispered that Freddy Jones and Laura Litz are thinking it over. Freddy is going to Yale Law School and Laura is teaching in Limestone Junior High.

To get back to earth again among mere mortals, Carl Davis is selling for Swift and Company in Manchester, N. H. Wilnot Dow is agricultural instructor at Monmouth Academy. Don Favor has returned and is teaching and coaching at Higgins Classical Institute and what is more, they held the position open for him. Believe me that's something these days. Don spoke before the M Club at Alumni Homecoming and also at the Assembly sponsored by the Senior Skulls for the awarding of football letters.

I have to begin now to prepare Christmas dinner and the reason is some of the Maine Foresters are going to honor me with their presence at dinner that day—since Sam Reese is one of them I feel that I'd better get an early start—Sam has already passed in his order for jelly and apple pie. I hope Santa is good to you.
Peanut

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