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# MAINE ALUMNUS

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# The G. I. BILL -- Public Law 346

## Educational Provisions

### Part VIII

"1. Any person who served in the active military or naval service on or after September 16, 1940, and prior to the termination of the present war, and who shall have been discharged or released therefrom under conditions other than dishonorable, and whose education or training was impeded, delayed, interrupted, or interfered with by reason of his entrance into the service, or who desires a refresher or retraining course, and who either shall have served ninety days or more, exclusive of any period he was assigned for a course of education or training under the Army specialized training program or the Navy college training program, which course was a continuation of his civilian course and was pursued to completion, or as a cadet or midshipman at one of the service academies, or shall have been discharged or released from active service by reason of an actual service-incurred injury or disability, shall be eligible for and entitled to receive education or training under this part: *Provided*, That such course shall be initiated not later than two years after either the date of his discharge or the termination of the present war, whichever is the later *Provided further*, That no such education or training shall be afforded beyond seven years after the termination of the present war. *And provided further*, That any such person who was not over 25 years of age at the time he entered the service shall be deemed to have had his education or training impeded, delayed, interrupted, or interfered with.

"2. Any such eligible person shall be entitled to education or training, or a refresher or retraining course, at an approved educational or training institution, for a period of one year (or the equivalent thereof in continuous part-time study), or for such lesser time as may be required for the course of instruction chosen by him. Upon satisfactory completion of such course of education or

training, according to the regularly prescribed standards and practices of the institutions, except a refresher or retraining course, such person shall be entitled to an additional period or periods of education or training, not to exceed the time such person was in the active service on or after September 16, 1940, and before the termination of the war, exclusive of any period he was assigned for a course of education or training under the Army specialized training program or the Navy college training program, which course was a continuation of his civilian course and was pursued to completion, or as a cadet or midshipman at one of the service academies, but in no event shall the total period of education or training exceed four years. *Provided*, That his work continues to be satisfactory throughout the period, according to the regularly prescribed standards and practices of the institution. *Provided, however*, That wherever the additional period of instruction ends during a quarter or semester and after a major part of such quarter or semester has expired, such period of instruction shall be extended to the termination of such unexpired quarter or semester.

"3. Such person shall be eligible for and entitled to such course of education or training as he may elect, and at any approved educational or training institution at which he chooses to enroll, whether or not located in the State in which he resides, which will accept or retain him as a student or trainee in any field or branch of knowledge which such institution finds him qualified to undertake or pursue. *Provided*, That, for reasons satisfactory to the Administrator, he may change a course of instruction. *And provided, further*, That any such course of education or training may be discontinued at any time, if it is found by the Administrator that, according to the regularly prescribed standards and practices of the institution, the conduct or progress of such person is unsatisfactory.

"5. The Administrator shall pay to the

educational or training institution, for each person enrolled in full time or part time course of education or training, the customary cost of tuition, and such laboratory, library, health, infirmary, and other similar fees as are customarily charged, and may pay for books, supplies, equipment, and other necessary expenses, exclusive of board, lodging, other living expenses, and travel, as are generally required for the successful pursuit and completion of the course by other students in the institution. *Provided*, That in no event shall such payments, with respect to any person, exceed \$500 for an ordinary school year. *Provided further*, That no payments shall be made to institutions, business or other establishments furnishing apprentice training on the job.

"6. While enrolled in and pursuing a course under this part, such person, upon application to the Administrator, shall be paid a subsistence allowance of \$50 per month, if without a dependent or dependents, or \$75 per month, if he has a dependent or dependents, including regular holidays and leave not exceeding thirty days in a calendar year. Such person attending a course on a part-time basis, and such person receiving compensation for productive labor performed as part of their apprentice or other training on the job at institutions, business or other establishments, shall be entitled to receive such lesser sums, if any, as subsistence or dependency allowances, as may be determined by the Administrator. *Provided*, That any such person eligible under this part, and within the limitations thereof, may pursue such full-time or part-time course or courses as he may elect, without subsistence allowance.

"7. Any such person eligible for the benefits of this part, who is also eligible for the benefit of part VII,\* may elect which benefit he desires. *Provided*, That, in the event of such election, subsistence allowance hereunder shall not exceed the amount of additional pension payable for training under said part VII."

\* Refers to Public Law 16 for rehabilitation of disabled veterans.

In addition to educational benefits the Law provides for re-employment, unemployment allowances, and loans for purchase of homes, farms, and business property.

# Post-War Planning for VETERANS' EDUCATION

## Col. Small Announces Plans To Aid Returning Service Men

WHEN GI Joe comes back to the campus with the war won and a new horizon of civilian life spreading before him, he will find careful plans ready and waiting to help him in his return to the class rooms and laboratories of the University; that in essence is the purpose of the Office for Veterans' Education, set up in 16-18 South Stevens under the direction of Dr. G. William Small, for 15 years member of the English Department and recently returned to the campus from service as Colonel of Coast Artillery.

In the pleasant, friendly atmosphere of the Bureau's offices in South Stevens the welcome mat is already out for returning veterans. A sympathetic understanding of the problems of returning service men and a detailed knowledge of the opportunities and privileges available to the veteran are the tools in trade with which Dr. Small has begun the task of re-introducing the veteran to educational opportunities.

### The Questionnaire

Alumni in foxholes on distant fighting fronts, and on battle wagons on the high seas, in training camps, and on lonely outpost duty began receiving this summer a letter and questionnaire from Dr. Small as one of the first moves of the new office established by the University in August. During the late summer 1,075 of these were mailed to all members of undergraduate classes listed in the military files of the Alumni Association. The brief questionnaire sought information about the post-war education plans of the individual in a tentative effort to outline the scope and nature of the problems to be faced.

At this time, 755 questionnaires have been returned—a remarkably high percentage—with some still coming in from distant posts. The remarkably high figure of 84% of all the questionnaires returned indicate a definite plan to return for further study at the University of Maine. The returns at the present time show that 148 alumni are planning to return to the College of Agriculture, 170 to Arts and Sciences, 350 to Technology, with 87 undecided as to major subjects. Of those to take the above major subjects 22 have indicated a desire to teach and will either major or minor in Education.

High school graduates of 1941 thru 1945 who went straight into the Army or

Navy and who will be entitled to a college education at government expense, are also now registering with Veterans' Education. They are expected ultimately to become the larger group. Questionnaires and admission blanks sent to these younger service men will give the Office of Veterans' Education valuable data when they too return from service.

Immediately with the return of questionnaires, the main problems of the Office began to take shape. Foremost among these is the problem of evaluating, for University credit, courses taken by the men and women while in service.

While it is yet too early to give any definite over-all statement of credit policies, certain principles are beginning to be established. Work done under ASTP and Navy College training programs will have credits transferred from the colleges where the courses were taken. Other courses taken at Army and Navy special schools for commissioned officers, non-commissioned officers, and Naval ratings will be credited if they fit into the veterans' program of study and do not repeat previous courses. The veteran may be assured that he will receive the maximum amount of credits possible for special training while in service.

### The GI Bill

It is now common knowledge that the Government, recognizing the nation's obligation to the young men called from the colleges and schools of the country, has provided liberally for the return of these men and is encouraging them to pick up the broken thread of their education so that there need not be, at least as far as study is concerned, a lost generation. The great majority of returning veterans, who will receive education at government expense, will enter the University under the provisions of the so-called GI Bill (Public Law 346). Others will receive training under the Rehabilitation Law (Public Law 16) which provides for veterans who have been wounded or otherwise disabled in line of duty.

Educational details of Public Law 346, the "GI Bill of Rights," are printed on the opposite page. It gives qualified veterans the opportunity to attend the school of their choice in any subject they choose, providing for free tuition, books, and instruments, and allots to the veteran \$50 per month for living expenses if single, \$75 if married. For any veteran, man or woman, enlisted or commissioned, who was under 25 years of age when he entered service or who can show that his



**COORDINATOR:** Dr. G. William Small, professor of English and former coach of tennis, returned from two years' service in World War II, is acting as coordinator of Veterans' Education in 16 South Stevens.

education was delayed or interrupted, the period of training available will be equal to the time that he spent in active service plus one year with the exception of time spent in college training programs in service or as cadet or midshipman in a service academy.

The entire length of time is not to exceed four years. Veterans who were over 25 years of age when they entered the service, if they have served a period of more than 90 days, are entitled to one year of retraining or refresher course without need to show that their education was interrupted. The provisions of the GI Bill apply equally to undergraduate study or to graduate study for the M.A. or M.S. degree, the Ph.D., or the M.D.

The Rehabilitation Law (Public Law 16) applies to those veterans who are shown to have a vocational handicap because of service-incurred disability. In these cases a program of study for a maximum time of four years can be arranged with the approval of the Veterans' Administration in order to rehabilitate the veteran in some useful business or profession.

### Coordinator

Colonel Small, charged with the responsibilities of coordinating the veterans' program on the campus, is himself a veteran of World War I and World War II. The returning service man will recognize the familiar eagle lapel button the colonel

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## Two New Members To Alumni Council

Two elections to the Alumni Council are Thomas G Mangan '16 of Livermore Falls and J. Milton Sims '32 of Old Greenwich, Conn. Mr. Mangan is Mill Manager for the International Paper Company at Chisholm, and Mr. Sims is Regional Manager for the New York District of W. T. Grant Company.

Mr. Mangan, a graduate in civil engineering, entered the employ of the International as a draftsman in July, 1916, and has been employed with that company ever since except for a period of service in the first World War. From December, 1917, to May, 1918, he served in the aviation section of the Signal Corps, advancing to the rank of sergeant, and in September, 1918, was commissioned a second lieutenant in a Machine-gun Battalion. Following the war, he returned to his employment, being assigned to the Ft. Edward plant of the company near Glens Falls, New York. He was later transferred to the company plant in Wilder, Vt, and a few years later was named general superintendent of the mills in Berlin, N. H. He also served for a time in the executive offices of the International in New York. He has been in charge of the mills at Livermore Falls for about 15 years.

Mr. Sims has been associated with the Grant Company since his graduation from the University in 1932 when he received his degree in economics. He served as store manager in Virginia, as assistant superintendent of the Philadelphia area, and in 1939 was appointed senior superintendent of New England. Following a brief period in Oakland, Calif., he was named district manager of the Pittsburgh area, and in 1943 came to New York City as an executive in charge of the New York district.

Both new appointees have been actively interested in the University and the Alumni Association. Mr. Mangan has served on numerous committees and has been particularly interested in employment of Maine graduates. He is State of Maine representative on the Alumni Placement Committee for post-war employment of returning service men. Mr. Sims is remembered as an outstanding athlete and campus leader during his undergraduate days and has been a member of alumni committees. He is at present serving as New York City area chairman on the Alumni Placement Committee.

### Arrival—

December 11 marked the advent to the campus of a new group of Army students as 76 A.S.T. men settled down at the University to programs in advanced engineering. The new arrivals supplement the continuing work with seventeen-year-old Army Specialized Training Reserves.



**TESTIMONIAL:** Recipient of a testimonial dinner last month was Edward E. Chase '13, president of the University Trustees and retiring president of the New England Council. The dinner, sponsored by several leading state business organizations, was a tribute to Mr. Chase's outstanding record of service to the State of Maine and New England through his leadership of the New England Council. Among the speakers was President Arthur A. Hauck of the University. Presiding was Carroll B. Skillin '08 of Portland.

### Musical—

The traditional program of Christmas Vespers was presented before a large and interested audience in the Alumni Memorial Gymnasium on the afternoon of Sunday, December 17. The program featured choral and instrumental music, a brass ensemble, a student soloist, and Miss Valerie Parkin of Portland as a reader of "The Prophecy of Isaiah" and "The Story of Christmas." Several of the choral numbers included participation by the congregation.

### Veterans' Education

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wears by right of two years' service in the Caribbean and in the Coast Artillery School at Fort Monroe. Before his entry into service in June, 1942, he was well known to alumni as professor of English and perhaps even better known as coach of varsity tennis.

His responsibility will be to arrange a fitting educational program for every veteran wishing to register at the University whether he is an alumnus returning to his alma mater or a student enrolling at Maine for the first time. His task will be to see that credit is given for service studies and that the veteran is placed in University courses at the proper level. His aim will be to secure for every vet-

eran the maximum benefit to which he is entitled under the various laws relating to discharged service men.

### Post-War Plans

In carrying out the purpose of the office, Dr. Small will work with all regular administrative offices, and departments of the University, acting in general as a coordinator of the various University activities for the benefit of the service man. Also, all contacts with the Veterans' Administration and other government agencies to insure maximum benefits will be made through this office. The present planning calls as far as possible for the returning service man to be taken into the regular life of the campus through normal curricula rather than to have established special courses and a special system. Dr. Small points out that it is a basic aim of his office to assist the veteran to adjust himself as easily and quickly as possible to the role of a regular civilian student rather than to maintain the veteran on a separate plane. The office hopes to avoid anything that will tend to isolate the veterans and point them out as a different, separate, or special group.

Already the Veterans' Education Office has had experience with its problems; more than a score of former GI's are already "cracking the books," worrying about finals, and cheering for the Maine teams. Their return has been without fanfare, but underneath represents a record of hard work, patient understanding, and careful planning. The same methods will be applied on a larger scale as the numbers increase.

Present aim of the office is to establish just as far as possible a complete preliminary record for every man expecting to return after service and in this way to have available at a moment's notice necessary data to facilitate the rapid and easy introduction of the service men to campus life.

With this ideal in mind, Dr. Small urges every alumnus interested in returning to the University after the war to notify his office at once of his intention. This applies equally to non-graduates and graduates, to former students and high school graduates who will register at the University for the first time. To all of these it will be an advantage to have material on file in Dr. Small's office while they are still in active service.

Plans for the ending of the war must always be considered as tentative and subject to war's inescapable uncertainties, but at least alumni and former students looking back to Maine with a longing eye, may be assured that as far as human planning can prepare for tomorrow the Office of Veterans' Education is getting ready to give them a friendly welcome, sound counsel, and practical assistance in their transition to the life of a Maine student.

# "FIELD GOAL by SHEPERD"

## Football History Reveals Outstanding Kicking Record

**N**EARLY thirty-five years ago, in the fall of 1910, football fans at Maine were beginning to mention the name of Thomas D. Sheperd '12, a transfer the year previous from Wesleyan. The new fullback was not only a rugged, hard-playing man on offense and defense, but in addition could kick a football farther and better than practically anyone against whom he played. "Field Goal by Sheperd" began to be an expected part of the write-up of Maine victories.

Tom Sheperd played football for Maine in 1910, 1911, and 1912, being ineligible to play during his first year because of his transfer from Wesleyan in 1909. During those three years he seems not to have missed a single important game. He carried the entire burden of punting, successfully kicked a high per cent of goals after touchdown, and personally accounted for at least eighteen successful field goals. He was named captain of the team in his final year, 1912; he was twice chosen All-Maine Fullback, in 1911 and 1912. All the records agree that he was quite a lot of football player.

## History is Made

The fall of 1910 definitely established fullback Sheperd's reputation as a kicker, as the seasons of 1911 and 1912 followed, his fame climbed at the speed with which his ability and experience increased which was considerable. According to newspaper sports writers—and few would deny their authority—he became one of football's really great men in the kicking department, both in punting and field goal kicking. A recent writer in a Portland paper, recalling events of three decades ago, says, "Sheperd could punt tremendous distances and boot field goals with the best of them. Had the youthful giant of the Bears been in a Harvard, Yale, or Princeton backfield at that time it is not

**CHAMPS:** The football team which won the state championship in 1911, materially assisted by the kicking of fullback Sheperd, is pictured, right. Sheperd is in the center of the back row. Other team members are left to right: front row: Leon Smiley '12, Carl Cleaves '12, Montelle Smith '12, Capt. William Parker '12, James Gulliver '15, and Robert Hampden Bryant '15; second row: Coach Thomas J. Reilley, Elson Bigelow '13, John Carleton '13, Allen Sawyer '13, David Baker '15, Mgr. Philip Hussey '12; back row: Trainer Arthur N. Smith, George Bernheisel '15, Thomas Sheperd '13, George MacNeil '14, and Coach Edgar R. Wingard.



**KICKER: Thomas Sheperd '12, probably the greatest kicker in Maine football history, took the field with the teams of 1910-1912.**

unlikely that he would have been a choice for All-American."

And a writer of Sheperd's own day called him, "The greatest punter and place kicker ever seen in Maine." No one appeared to challenge the statement with respect to stars of earlier years and it does not seem that his total record of scoring through field goals has ever been surpassed.

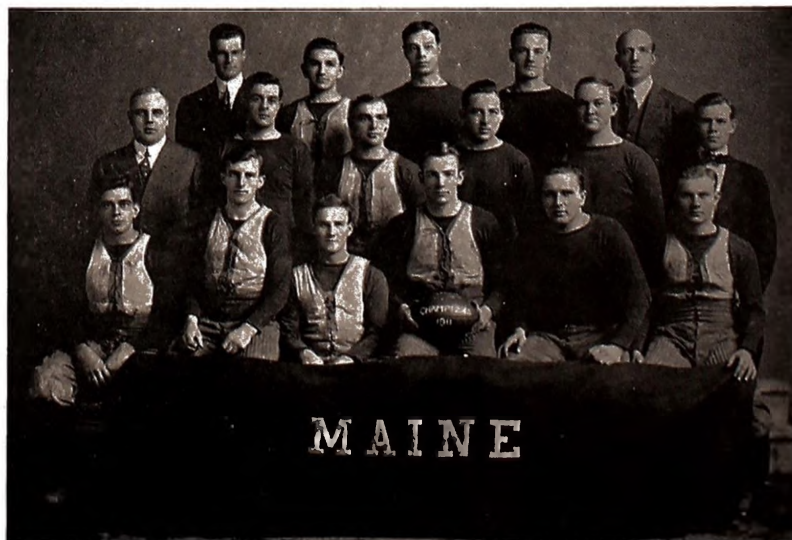
In his first season for Maine Sheperd firmly established his kicking reputation. In an early game of 1910 Maine defeated Tufts 14 to 6; the Massachusetts team was held in their own territory most of the game by Sheperd's tremendous, accurate punts which sailed 40 and 50 yards. Meanwhile, after missing two tries for field goals, he place-kicked one from the 35-yard line for a perfect 3-point landing. In that game he punted 9 times for a total of 366 yards, averaging better than 40 yards each.

On October 25 of that year in one of the high spots of his entire kicking career, Sheperd scored 4 field goals for 12 points as the team defeated Mass. Aggies 29 to 0. According to the record his place kicks travelled to scoring territory from the 30-yard, the 37-yard, the 38-yard, and one clear from the 45-yard line.

Maine lost to Bates and battled Bowdoin to a scoreless tie, so did not win the state championship, but against Colby the young fullback placed two field goals between the goal posts for the final score of Maine 6, Colby 0. During the entire season he scored 7 field goals.

In 1911 he was better. Although losing to Rhode Island, their second game (when Sheperd was credited with one punt of 60 yards), and to Bates on October 31, 5 to 0, the team won every other game and took the state championship. Sheperd started his scoring early with two field goals against New Hampshire for half of the team's score of 12; the following Saturday he accounted for all the scoring against Tufts in a 6 to 0 victory won by two field goals. Against Vermont he again kicked two goals as well as keeping the opposing backs running high, wide, and handsome after his soaring spiral

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## Review of New Book

### By Mary Ellen Chase '09

*The Bible and the Common Reader* by Mary Ellen Chase '09. The Macmillan Company, New York, 1944, 316 pages.

Many alumni who attended the University of Maine between 1920 and 1932 remember with appreciation a course then called "The English Bible" taught by Dean James S. Stevens and recently reinstated by the English Department. This course was, and is, a study of the King James version, considered as a great work of literature and as a permanent and far-reaching influence upon the works of English and American authors.

Miss Chase's newest volume is based upon her study, experience, and observation in teaching a similar course at Smith College. Though unlike her earlier books, it has been warmly received, an appreciative review by the novelist Sigrid Undset occupying the first place in the *New York Times* Sunday, December 24, Book Review section.

*The Bible and the Common Reader* is designed both to create interest in the greatest of all books and to serve as a guide to its appreciative reading. It is divided into three parts. The first discusses the nature, origin, and authorship of the Bible and traces the sequence of its English translation down to the King James version in 1611. An account of Hebrew historical, racial, and literary backgrounds is also given. The second and largest section comments upon the major books, episodes, poems, prophecies, and wisdom literature of the Old Testament. The third, dealing similarly with the New Testament, takes up St. Luke as the best representative of the Gospels, the Acts of the Apostles, the letters of Paul, and the Book of Revelations, considered as a dramatic vision.

The author's attitude toward her subject is both reverent and judicial. Her analysis of the varied distinct masterpieces which make up this great national library of the Hebrew race, her sound and understanding appreciation of the personalities, episodes, and literary art of the Bible, and the clarity and excellence of style and the personal zest which readers have come to associate with Miss Chase's other works, make this one a most desirable book to own and read.

MILTON ELLIS

Several New York alumni, under the leadership of Martin McHale '12, enjoyed an informal get-together at the New York Athletic Club several months ago. Present were seven alumni including Ralph Day, Col. Sumner Waite, Ernest Walker, and Russell Smith, all of 1911, and Robie Mitchell '17 and Mr. McHale. The report was sent in by Russell Smith '11 whose New York address is Hotel St. George, Brooklyn.

## "Field Goal by Sheperd"

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punts; the team won 17 to 0. Colby was defeated 20 to 0 by three touchdowns and one field goal. In the last game Bowdoin went down to defeat 15 to 0 with Sheperd scoring 10 of the points through three field goals and the point after touchdown.

During that entire season he successfully kicked ten goals for 30 points; in the State Series he kicked four goals as well as making every point after touchdown except one. It was the height of Tom Sheperd's career as an individual and probably the greatest exhibition of kicking ever seen in any season of Maine football. The return of the state championship to Maine that year was heralded by the fans with unrestrained enthusiasm and full credit was given to the part played by the educated toe of the big fullback. He was appropriately named captain for the 1912 season.

The season of 1912 proved that Captain Sheperd could do more than kick. As far as the records can be found he made one field goal during the season; his good right foot also brought victory over Bates in a 7 to 6 game as he kicked the point after touchdown. His punting, of course, continued a vital strategic factor. That year, praised for "his line plunging and defensive work," he was again named All-Maine fullback. He captained one of the really great teams in University history, a team that lost one game, the opener, in a thrill-packed battle against Harvard in which the Crimson won by a score of only 7 to 0 and very nearly suffered a tie. Tufts (14 to 0), Rhode Island (18 to 0), Fort McKinley, and St. Anselms all went down to defeat. In the state series Maine defeated Bates 7 to 6 and Colby 20 to 0. In the final game of the season the traditional opponent Bowdoin was downed 17 to 0 by two touchdowns with points-after and as a final triumphant gesture a field goal from placement from the 37-yard line by Sheperd to bring to a close a great football career.

## The Teams

The great team of 1912 stood out not only in its almost perfect record of victories but also by the fact that it scored a total of 126 points against 13 for its opponents. The great record was much more the result of total team effectiveness than in some other years; contemporary writers constantly pay tribute to the offensive and defensive strength of the entire team.

Led by Captain Sheperd at fullback, the 1912 team consisted of Charles Ruffner '15 and William Martin '15 at right half, John Carleton '13, left half, and Robert Hampden Bryant '15 and Harold Cobb '14 at quarter. In the line Norman Donahue '15 was at left end, Paul Murray '14 left tackle, Allan Sawyer '14

left guard, and David Baker '15, center. James Gulliver '15 and Charles Tipping '14 were at right guard with Elson Bigelow '14 at right tackle and George Bernheisel '15, right end. Coaches were Thomas J. Reilley and Edgar R. Wingard, the remembered Art Smith was trainer.

While that 1912 team was indubitably one of the outstanding groups of Maine football history, the team which in 1911 supported the stellar kicking of Tom Sheperd was well worthy of praise. And no doubt Sheperd himself remembers with particular affection that group of men who worked with him to bring back the state championship to Maine. The group is pictured with this story; the backs were Parker, Carleton Smiley, Cleaves, Bryant, and Sheperd, in the line were Cook, MacNeil, Sawyer, Baker, Gulliver, Bigelow, Bernheisel, and Smith. Coaches were Wingard and Reilley; Smith was trainer.

## The Man Himself

Kicker Sheperd was a graduate of Wellesley, Mass., high school; he won his letter his first year at Wesleyan, then in 1909 transferred to Maine where he majored in Economics. Besides his football career he is remembered as a member of track and tennis teams, starring in the shot-put, discus, and hammer. For a while he held University records in all three of these events.

Following graduation he served as a physical director and athletic coach until World War I. Then he entered the Navy in 1918 as Chief Master at Arms. After a period of training at Annapolis he served with the North Atlantic Fleet as an ensign, was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant (j.g.), and resigned after the war with that rank.

The insurance and investment business held his attention until 1931 when he returned to his earlier profession, teaching school until 1936. The following year he became interested in the work of the Group Hospital Service and today is in charge of Southern New York for the Service and the Central New York Medical Plan, Inc. He is married and has one son.

An appropriate conclusion to the retrospect of Tom Sheperd's career is to quote the write-up to him at the close of his final football season.

"With Tom Sheperd goes the strongest player and the most needed man on the entire squad, for his right foot has kicked Maine to victory after victory. For the past three years he has played on the varsity team and this year has captained the team to a great victory. Last year he kicked four field goals in the State Series and this year his line-plunging and defensive work warrant that he will be picked as All-Maine fullback as he has been every year."

# The SERVICE LIST

THE Service Flag of the University at the ending of the old year carried the total of 3,310, the addition of nineteen new alumni names. With the furious increase of battle in all war areas, the lists of Gold Stars, missing, and prisoners also climb steadily. The total of 84 Maine men are known to have given their lives in service. Twenty-three are listed as missing in action, and seventeen known to be prisoners. Complete lists of the missing and prisoners are given in this article.

Decorations for valor have been awarded to 148 alumni to date. This figure supplemented by a steady flow of news by letters and newspapers from Maine men on the fighting fronts reveals the way in which alumni are carrying their share of the burden of combat at the present time.

## Prisoners of War

The following tabulation as of December 22 is the complete list of alumni known to be prisoners of war, with their addresses. Mailing instructions follow the list. Letters from friends and classmates will be doubly welcome to this group.

Blom, Carl J., '40, Lt. AAC  
Prisoner of War #4576  
Stalag Luft III  
Germany, via New York

Bradley, James V., Jr., '29, Lt. Col.  
Marines  
A S.M.—Prisoner of War, Philippine Islands, c/o Japanese Red Cross, Tokyo, via New York, N. Y.

Cram, Chester D., '43, Lt. AAC  
Prisoner of War #6009  
Stalag Luft III  
Germany, via New York

Files, Maynard W., '40, Capt. A  
Prisoner of War #4208  
Oflag 64, Germany, via New York

Harris, William D., '45, T/Sgt. AAC  
Prisoner of War #4207  
Stalag Luft #4  
Germany, via New York

Ingalls, Kenneth E., '45, Lt. AAC  
Prisoner of War #5083  
Stalag Luft III  
Germany, via New York

Jellison, Milton S., '39, Lt. A  
Prisoner of War #1600  
Oflag 64, Germany, via New York

McDonnell, Arthur P., '39, T/Sgt. AAC  
Prisoner of War #113485  
Stalag Luft 3, Stalag 7A  
Germany, via New York

Morse, Thomas S., '34, Lt. A  
Prisoner of War #1545  
Oflag 64, Germany, via New York

Muzzey, George A., '25, Maj. A  
Prisoner of War Interned by Japan, Military Prison Camp #2  
Philippines via New York

Robichaud, Oliver V., '40, Lt. AAC  
Prisoner of War #4429  
Stalag Luft III  
Germany, via New York

Skiffington, Sidney W., '45, Cpl. A  
Germany—No Address

Szaniawski, Edward W., '39,  
Lt. Col. AAC  
Germany—No Address

## Alumni in Service

| Total Number in Service | 3,310 |
|-------------------------|-------|
| Gold Stars              | 84    |
| Missing                 | 23    |
| Prisoners               | 17    |
| Decorations             | 148   |
| Retired or Discharged   | 62    |
| Women in Service        | 76    |
| New Names Added         | 19    |

Tew, John C., '44, Lt. AAC  
Prisoner of War #3206  
Stalag Luft III  
Germany, via New York

Smith, Elmer V., '42, Lt. AAC  
Prisoner of War #3118  
Stalag Luft III  
Germany, via New York

Thibodeau, Lawrence, '38, Lt. A  
Prisoner of War #1583  
Oflag 64, Germany, via New York

Weeks, Carl, '40, Lt. A  
Prisoner of War Interned by Japan, Hoten Camp, Mukden, Manchukuo via New York

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The new names of men in service follow:

**1931**  
Garland, Carl G., Pfc. A

**1932**  
French, Norman L., A

**1936**  
Pinkham, Ralph W., Capt. A

**1937**  
Eldridge, Oliver F., N

**1939**  
Titcomb, Stanley T., Lt. Marines

**1940**  
Johnson, Fred G., Lt. A

**1941**  
Savage, Norris A., Pvt. A

**1942**  
Beaton, Donald E., Pvt. A  
Carter, Leland F., Pvt. A  
White, Roger E., Ens. N

**1943**  
Ranks, John E., Ens. N

**1944**  
Baird, Philip W.  
Pease, Harlan L., Pvt. A  
Raynor, Wilfred L., Cpl. A  
Wescott, John P.

**1945**  
Stevens, Carol, WAVES

**1946**  
Earl, Vinton J., S1/c N

**1947**  
Levine, Mark H., Pvt. A

**1948**  
Trust, Thomas W., A/S N



**SERVICE:** Volunteer William Lamprell '45, a veteran member of the American Field Service, has recently returned to his ambulance unit on the Italian front. His previous service among the front line casualties of battle took him through Africa, Syria, and Italy.

*Men of the American Field Service*, the volunteer ambulance service for battle front aid to the wounded, are among the unsung heroes of the war. Two Maine men who have served in this work are Robert Wood and William Lamprell, both class of 1945. Following ten months in North Africa, Syria, and Italy, Wood has returned to the United States and is working in Seattle, Wash. Lamprell, following a visit to this country, has returned to the service in Italy.

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*Confirmation of the appointment of Sumner Waite '11* to the rank of Brigadier General has been announced. This confirmation makes General Waite the third alumnus of Maine to wear the star of Brigadier General on active duty in World War II. His present assignment is Chief of Staff, Second Service Command, Governors Island, New York. General Waite writes that on the occasion of the presentation of his new stars in official ceremony the band in closing played *The Maine Stein Song*, probably the first time that the *Stein Song* has ever been so appropriately used on such an occasion.

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*Lt. Alberto C. Emerson '31*, fighter pilot of the Naval Air Corps, who has been reported missing in action for several months, was one of the members of the First Marine Division which last summer received a Presidential Unit Citation for outstanding service from August to December, 1942. The citation praised the "outstanding gallantry and determination" of the Division against the Japs on Tulagi, Florida, Guadalcanal, and other Solomon Islands.



# SERVICE NEWS and NOTES

**Pfc. Philip W. Stackpole** '45 of Augusta recently shared the prize of a three-day pass in Rome, Italy, when he submitted a design for the Christmas card of his air force unit and was judged a sharer of first place honors with another member of the unit. Private Stackpole is an engineering clerk recently assigned to a veteran B-25 bomber group on the Island of Corsica. He enlisted in the Army Air Forces in 1943 while at the University, studied meteorology, and completed other assignments until stationed overseas in August, 1944. The Christmas card contest was planned to provide a design for the unit's Christmas card and the Commanding Officer decided that Private Stackpole with one other member of the unit shared top honors in the form of a three-day pass to Rome.

★  
**Two graduates of the Information and Education course at the School for Personnel Services**, Lexington, Va., last month were Capt. John H. Sweatt '30 of Orono and Capt. George H. Waterman '42 of New Gloucester. As Information and Education officers, they will help carry out the War Department's education program among American troops. Capt. Sweatt has been assigned to the 261st Infantry, Capt. Waterman to the 64th Ordnance Group, Camp Gruber, Okla. The objective of their program will be "to aid the individual soldier in becoming better adjusted to army life and to equip him mentally as well as physically, to be a more efficient fighting man and citizen."

★  
**Capt. Charles B. Smith** '41 of Orono has been selected as one of two thousand men on the western front for a thirty-day rest and recuperation in the States. He was the only officer selected from his entire regiment for the Christmas furlough. Selection was based on the number of times wounded and decorations for extraordinary combat service. Capt. Smith, member of a rifle company with the famous 90th Division, has led his men from the shores of Cherbourg across France and into Germany as a part of General Patton's Third Army. Capt. Smith was commissioned following his graduation from Maine, where he took advanced R.O.T.C., and during his overseas service since last March has received the Bronze Star and the Purple Heart.

★  
**First Lt. Harold Whiteley** '43, fortress pilot with thirty missions in the European theatre and membership in the Caterpillar Club, has returned to the States after more than nine months of overseas duty. Lt. Whiteley has received the D.F.C., Purple Heart, and Air Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters since his entry in the service in April, 1942.

**Missing in action** is the tragic and uncertain classification of many Maine men from distant war fronts of World War II.

First Lt. Don Kilpatrick '42 of Presque Isle, not previously named in *The Alumnus*, has been missing following air action over Germany July 7. He was a pilot of a B-24 bomber with the Eighth Air Force and held the Air Medal and Oak Leaf Cluster. More recently listed is Lt. Richard M. Pierce '43 of Gardiner, missing in Germany since November 8. He held a commission in the infantry and was sent overseas in July.

The complete list of Maine men now listed as missing in action follows.

Briggs, Frederick O., '41, Lt. AAC  
July 28, 1944, France  
Chick, Richard L., '42, Capt. AAC  
April 28, 1943, Mediterranean  
Crabtree, Robert S., '45, Lt. AAC  
Nov. 15, 1944, Germany  
Crossland, Donald E., '45, Lt. A  
Nov. 18, 1944, Holland  
Dyer, Hamilton H., Jr., '39, Maj. AAC  
Aug. 20, 1944, Japan  
Earl, Vinton J., '46, S1/c, N  
July 28, 1944, Pacific  
Emerson, Alberto C., '31, Lt. NAC  
Feb., 1943, Pacific  
Emery, Leonard H., '39, Lt. AAC  
May 20, 1944, European Theatre  
Fleming, Paul G., '44, S/Sgt., AAC  
Jan. 30, 1944, Mediterranean Theatre  
Grant, Philip F., '39, Lt. (j.g.), NAC  
Nov., 1942, Pacific  
Haberern, Michael, '42, Lt., AAC  
Sept. 11, 1943, Asiatic Theatre  
Johnson, Thomas C., '36, Lt. (j.g.), NAC  
Nov., 1942, Pacific  
Kelley, John C., '37, Lt., NAC  
1943, Pacific  
Kilpatrick, Donald M., '42, Lt., AAC  
July 7, 1944, Germany  
Marshall, Elliott E., '30, Lt. Comdr., N  
March, 1944, Pacific  
McKenney, Omar, '40, Pvt., AAC  
Sept., 1942, Philippines  
Neal, Kermit H., '46, HA2/c, N  
May, 1944, Atlantic  
Pierce, Richard M., '43, Lt., A  
Nov. 8, 1944, Germany  
Rostron, James L., '43, Lt., AAC  
April 28, 1944, Italy  
Simons, Lee, '43, Lt., AAC  
March 2, 1944, Germany  
Teall, Arthur L., '42, Lt. (j.g.), NAC  
Nov. 5, 1943, Raboul  
Ward, William H., '39, Lt., A  
June, 1942, Philippines  
Washburn, Frank J., '39, Lt., AAC  
Jan. 20, 1944, Marshall Islands

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**Lt. Col. John C. Wilson** '34 of Erie, Pa., where he was formerly employed by the Hammermill Paper Company, recently made the news for his job of directing Yank fighters in their penetration of Germany. As a liaison officer, Col. Wilson has been responsible for many of the offensive details on his sector of the western front.

**First combat action of the war** for First Lt. Philip E. Curtis '40, of Presque Isle, was the "D" Day invasion of France, when he piloted a troop carrier plane over the invasion coast. Flying over the Cherbourg Peninsula in a wave of C-47's hauling paratroopers, Lt. Curtis had what he called "a ring-side seat at the world's greatest show." Although hit with machine-gun and rifle fire, with the loss of one engine, the plane and crew carried out their mission and returned safely to England.

★  
**Sgt. Leo Estabrook** '43, of East Corinth, made the special war column of John M. O'Connell, Jr., in the *Bangor News* last month. Correspondent O'Connell came upon Sgt. Estabrook during an attack on the western front and reports that during a lull in fighting several men in the unit were busy engaged in cleaning up, including the sergeant who was shaving while waiting for the action to pick up again. The sergeant has been in service for about a year and has been with his present outfit about three months as a squad leader in an infantry regiment.

★  
**After four years' absence, Capt. Thomas DeWolfe** '29 spent Christmas at home with his wife and two children. Two years of his absence were spent on duty in the Pacific. His return follows five months' hospitalization for treatment for injuries received in a fall from an observation post in the New Guinea campaign. Capt. DeWolfe, with the 152d Field Artillery, had with him in his unit two hundred boys from Bangor and vicinity. After the first of the year he expects to be reassigned to active duty.

★  
**Major Lorenzo A. Gagnon** '35, of Brunswick, has returned to the United States after twenty months in Alaska and Canada with the Army Engineers. Major Gagnon was in the headquarters of the Northwest Service Command and North-west Department of Engineers. He is now at a Redistribution Station in California awaiting new assignment.

★  
**Bombing of a Jap cruiser** by Lt. (j.g.) James E. Merchant '43 of Waban, Mass., during the epic Philippines battle brought his name into the news in November. Lt. Merchant, torpedo plane pilot, went in with other flyers from an escort carrier armed with 100-pound personnel bombs because there was no time to change to torpedo armament. Flying to the attack, Lt. Merchant straddled a Jap cruiser with his bombs and returned to the carrier safely. Lt. Merchant left the University in 1942 to enlist as a Naval Air Cadet and was sent into the Pacific area several months ago on an escort carrier.

# Campus Events

**Front line inventiveness** of Second Lieutenant Henry G. Leonard, Jr., '43 has brought him mention in *Stars & Stripes*, service publication. Lt. Leonard created what he calls the Leonard Foxhole Furnace, built out of two discarded shell case containers, some empty C-ration cans, mud and straw. Designed for use in a one-man foxhole, Leonard's furnace is claimed to be a real boon in winter fighting.

Lt. Leonard, himself, was recently a Purple Heart recipient through a shrapnel wound in the hand. He has been recuperating in a hospital overseas and is, according to latest reports, anxious to return to his unit of General Patton's Army. Lt. Leonard's home is in Westfield, New Jersey.

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**The finger of coincidence** touched two famous athletes of the University last month in the report of the wounding within a few days of each other of Pfc. Winslow A (Windy) Work '45 of Bangor and Pfc. Lawrence W. (Bud) Lyford '45 of Brewer. Popularly known as the "Touch-down twins," the two men teamed up as backfield stars on Maine's football team in 1942 and were responsible for a considerable share of the team's success. Both men were also outstanding basketball and baseball players and Work had the unique distinction of being chosen on All-Maine teams in each of these three sports. The report on Work listed him as "seriously wounded" on the western front December 11; Lyford was listed December 21 as slightly wounded.

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**PT Boatman Lt. Ian Malcolm** '42 had a busy night October 25. As a member of a three-boat section patrolling off Leyte they made contact with a Jap force of cruisers and destroyers. For twenty-five minutes shells rained around them while they returned light fire and torpedoes at the Japs. Through use of a smoke-screen, Lt. Malcolm's boat was able to get away and report back to the main U. S. Force. He then returned to harass the enemy further during the course of the great battle in Surigao Strait.

★  
**First Lt. Howard D. Gardner** '40, Eighth Air Force Bombardier, holder of the Air Medal, Purple Heart, and the D.F.C., recently received the "Certificate of Valor." The citation accompanying the award gave recognition to him as follows: "Having been engaged in twenty-five combat missions in the European theatre in air battles of great intensity, he gallantly and repeatedly carried the offensive against every opposition to the heart of the enemy with unflinching courage."

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**With the Medical Corps** Capt. Donald L. Anderson '35 serves in an Engineering Battalion in the European theatre. Besides three Presidential citations awarded to his engineering unit, Capt. Anderson has received award of the Bronze Star with Oak Leaf Cluster.

## Honored—

Phi Kappa Phi, the general honorary scholastic fraternity, founded at the University of Maine 47 years ago, elected ten students to membership last month in recognition of outstanding scholastic attainment. Those elected included students graduated during the summer as well as those completing their work during the present school year. Elected and pledged at the initiation on December 12 were: Thelma P. Bradford of Charleston, Edward F. Casassa of Portland, Philip Cope of Portland, Barbara Higgins of Longmeadow, Mass., Richard Lord of Old Town, Russell Lyon of Augusta, Therna Myers of West Sumner, Thelma Peacock of Auburn, Pauline M. Stuart of Old Town, and Grace Wentworth of Orono.



**PRESIDENT:** New president of the New England Basketball Coaches is Coach Bill Kenyon of the University. He was elected at the annual meeting of the Association in Boston last month. Kenyon who is acting as head coach for the duration has long been associated with basketball coaching.

★  
**First Lt. Leo B. Bunker, Jr.**, of Franklin has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for his work in the Eighth Air Force in England. He was cited "for extraordinary achievement while serving as the navigator of a B-17 Flying Fortress. Displaying great courage and skill, Lt. Bunker, fighting from his gun position, has warded off many enemy attacks and has materially aided success of his missions." Lt. Bunker is a member of the class of '44 and entered the Army Air Forces in 1943. Since his assignment to England he has taken part in many of the great daylight bombing raids over Germany.

## Graduates—

The office of the Registrar has reported the graduation at the end of the fall term, December 22, of 17 senior students. Because of the small class no formal graduation exercises were held.

The graduates completing their courses included:

Business Administration: Eugene L. Bailey; Chemistry and Chemical Engineering: Virginia R. Wing and Grace E. Wentworth; Civil Engineering: Thomas S. Boerke; Economics and Sociology: Maldwyn V. Parry, Robert E. Speed, and James E. Hastings; Education: Aileen B. Holman; History and Government: Helen W. Gray; Home Economics: Ethelyn Bradstreet and Claudia S. Nibeck; Liberal Arts and Nursing: Jean M. Turner; Physics: Gordon S. Stanley; Romance Languages: Howard C. Damon and Webber James Mason; Speech: Ruth R. Higgins; Zoology: Elinor L. Hodgkins and Ralph C. Powell.

## Tow—

Plans have been announced by the Maine Outing Club for this winter's ski season on the University ski run across the Stillwater River. Outstanding announcement by the Club is that a ski tow 300 feet long will be installed on the slope to assist winter sportsmen and women up the steep hillside for a new descent. The Club confidently promises that herring-bone, side-step, or hands-and-knees climbing of the slope will be a thing of the past.

## Members—

Forty-six freshmen and 24 upperclass women became new members of the five campus sororities at formal pledging December 13 climaxing the organized rushing program. The number pledged by each sorority was as follows: Alpha Omicron Pi: class of '48, 12; class of '47, 2; class of '46, 1. Chi Omega: class of '48, 11; class of '47, 5; class of '46, 3; class of '45, 1. Delta Delta Delta: class of '48, 4; class of '47, 4; class of '45, 1. Phi Mu: class of '48, 8; class of '47, 1; class of '46, 1; class of '45, 3. Pi Beta Phi: class of '48, 11; class of '47, 2.

## Appointed—

Dr. Gerald P. Cooper, assistant professor of zoology, has accepted an appointment as associate biologist in Fisheries Research at the University of Michigan. He took up his new duties January 1. Dr. Cooper has been in the Zoology Department for eight years. In addition to his teaching duties, he has done extensive research work with the Inland Fish and Game Commission.

### Scholarships—

Seven students in the Home Economics Department were awarded scholarships of \$100 each by the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company last month. The awards, based on character, scholarship, qualities of leadership, and financial need, were made by a committee appointed by Dean Arthur L. Deering '12 of the College of Agriculture. Students receiving the awards were Marilyn Buckley of Howland; Hazel Calvert of Orono, Althea Meade of Auburn, Gloria Redman of Bangor, Shirley Titcomb of Houlton, Joan Wentworth of Kennebunk Beach, and Elizabeth Wilbur of Dexter.

Also awarded were four scholarships donated by Radio Station WGAN of Portland to students in agriculture who are or who have been 4-H Club members. Recipients were Constance Cooper of Buckfield, a junior; and seniors Ivan Bubar of Monticello, Esther Flagg of Thomaston, and Lillian Lewis of Springfield.

Two students were honored by scholarships based on comparative class standings for last year. Patricia Berry of Presque Isle received the A O Pi Alumnae Prize given by the Bangor chapter of the sorority to the woman showing the greatest improvement in her work during the freshman year. Thelma Bradford '45 of Charleston received the Kidder Scholarship given each year to the student whose rank excels in the junior year.

The Delta Delta Delta sorority has announced creation of a new scholarship at the University open to juniors or seniors to assist them in completion of college training of value to the war effort. Funds raised by the local Tri Delta chapter are matched by the National organization of the sorority. The \$75 award is open to any qualified applicants whether or not a member of any sorority. Award of the scholarship is under the direction of a committee consisting of Louise E. Perkins '46 of Portland, student member; Mrs. Earle R. Webster '27, Bangor, alumna representative; Dean of Women Edith Wilson; and Professor Ruth Crosby.

### Carolers—

Student carol singers under the leadership of Mr. James G. Selwood of the music department entertained President and Mrs. Arthur A. Hauck with the singing of Christmas carols on December 20, continuing a traditional Christmas custom. The President's home was open for the occasion with refreshments served.

### Reception—

Members of the Maine Masque gave an informal reception last month to Mr. and Mrs. Herschel L. Bricker in honor of their recent marriage. Mrs. Bricker, the former Cecelia Kohl, comes from Cedar Rapids, Iowa. She is a graduate of Coe College, where she majored in music. Mr. and Mrs. Bricker were married in Portland on November 10.

## Advisory Board Member

Mrs. Eleanor Ward Rheinlander '42 of Boston has been appointed to the Alumnus Advisory Board. Mrs. Rheinlander is employed by the Employers Group Insurance of Boston. She is the wife of Harold Rheinlander '41, Private, U. S. Army, who is attending Harvard Medical School as an Army student.

Mrs. Rheinlander attended the University from Arlington Heights, Mass. She was a major in English and won scholastic honors with election to Phi Kappa Phi and Phi Beta Kappa. She served as president of WAA and of All-Maine Women, and as assistant business manager of the *Prism*. She was active in hockey and basketball, receiving the Maine Seal award.

The Alumnus Advisory Board is established to assist the editors of *The Alumnus* in improving the magazine and to advise in establishing policies regarding the publication. With Mrs. Rheinlander on the Board are Chairman Warren Preble '21 of Newton, Mass., M. June Kelley '12 of Norwood, Mass., John Mahoney '27 of Worcester, Mass., and Jack Frost '37 of Boston.

**Philadelphia Alumni** held the second meeting of the year December 8 with 43 present. Discussion of the future welfare of the University of Maine was the subject discussed and drew much interest on the part of those present. Plans were talked over for the annual meeting of the Association as well as for a January meeting in Wilmington, Dela. Attendance included the oldest alumnus of the local group, Mr. William A. Valentine '91 and representatives of many other classes down to 1943.

**The Maine Club of Auburn-Lewiston** reported a December meeting on the fourteenth of the month. Guest speaker was Supt. of Schools in Auburn Ralph Proctor who discussed educational problems and the question of universal military training. The 19 members present included one new member, Charles Burbank '25, recently stationed in Lewiston in charge of the Kresge store. Plans were made for a January 18 meeting.

The fifteenth annual "Paper Week" luncheon of University of Maine alumni and friends will be held at the South Room of the Commodore Hotel in New York, Wednesday, February 21, at 12:30 P.M.

This is a strictly informal get together. All Maine men are welcome and urged to attend.

Reservations may be made by writing to Walter A. Littlefield, Brown Company, 500 Fifth Avenue, New York 18, New York.

## With the Teams

The opening of the basketball season this month under Acting Coach Bill Kenyon will see a team made up mostly of freshmen take the floor for Maine as was the case with the football team in the fall.

While the final list of squad members can not be ascertained until after return of the students for the winter term, the practice started by Coach Kenyon on November 27 has brought out a group who give promise of making up a fast, scrappy, and willing team. Among the candidates were four for the center position, William Farnsworth of Millinocket, Edward Keith of Bangor, both freshmen, and Robert MacDonald of North Bergen, N. J., and Lowell Savage of Bangor, sophomores. For the forward positions the group working out included Robert Browne of Farmington, Donald Buckley of Howland, Donald Eames of Skowhegan, Donald Ellis of York Beach, Sumner Gordon of Portland, Gerald Mahaney of Easton, John Whitmore of Bucksport, and Jerome Clifford of Houlton, freshmen; and two sophomores, Thomas Murray of Hampden Highlands, and John Roberts of Bangor.

Among the guard candidates were freshmen Hartson Blackstone of Washburn, Verne Byers of Houlton, Richard Gillespie of Gardiner, Beverly Kitchen of Portland, LeRoy Henderson of Augusta, Francis Linehan of Swampscott, Mass., Justin McIntire of Brunswick, Donald Smaha of Portland, Fred York of Medway, and John Brophy of Fairfield; sophomore Donald Fuller of Easton, and senior Kenneth Reed of Millinocket.

### Basketball Schedule

January 11—Connecticut at Storrs  
January 12—Rhode Island at Kingstons  
January 13—Northeastern at Boston  
January 20—Bowdoin at Orono  
January 27—New Hampshire at Orono  
February 3—Connecticut at Orono  
February 10—Bowdoin at Brunswick  
February 17—Northeastern at Orono  
February 19—Colby at Orono  
February 22—Rhode Island at Orono  
February 24—N. Hampshire at Durham

**Bangor Alumnae**, the Eastern Association of University of Maine Women, were entertained with a talk by Mrs. Margaret Vincent Stoeckler on sculpturing and fine arts at the Bangor House November 14. Mrs. Stoeckler, who is in charge of the art courses at the University this year, illustrated her talk by actually sculpturing while she spoke, using one of the members as a model. The meeting was attended by 40 members and guests and included a brief business meeting with Mrs. Helen Danforth West '17 presiding.

1937

IRVING JOSEPH PERKINS. At Bougainville Island in the South Pacific on October 12 Lieutenant Irving J. Perkins of Brookline, Mass., met his death by enemy action. A graduate of Brookline high school, he attended the University from 1933 to 1936. He was later employed as a salesman in Somerville, Mass. He entered the service in May, 1942, receiving his commission at completion of Officers Training School, Fort Benning, in 1943. He was sent to the South Pacific shortly afterward and took part in operations on Guadalcanal, Tulagi, Ellice Islands, and Bougainville where he met his death. He was awarded the Bronze Battle Participation Star. Lieut. Perkins had been well known in his community for his activity in Boy Scout work and in community affairs.

1940

FRED MELVILLE COGSWELL, JR. Report of the death during a bomber flight over Germany of Sgt. Fred M. Cogswell, Jr., has been received from Germany through the American Red Cross. First reported missing in action on October 13, 1944, the report of his death was subsequently announced officially from a mission on September 28. He served as engineer and top turret gunner of a B-17. At the time of his death Sgt. Cogswell was 28 years old. He was a graduate of Hebron Academy and the University where he majored in engineering. His home was in Danvers, Mass. At the University he participated in track and was a member of Phi Gamma Delta fraternity. Following his graduation he was employed by Pratt and Whitney as an engine inspector until his entry into service in September, 1942. Since June, 1944, he had been overseas and had received the Air Medal for air combat service.

1941

NEAL HARVEY WALKER. Report has been received that First Lieutenant Neal H. Walker of Alna was killed in action October 27. Lt. Walker made his home with Prof. and Mrs. George Dow in Orono while attending Orono high school and the University. He was within a few days of being 25 years old when killed. He was graduated from the College of Agriculture in 1941 and while at Maine was active in intramural athletics, cross country, and debating, served as editor-in-chief of the *Prism*, and was elected to Alpha Zeta and Phi Kappa Phi, honorary fraternities. He was a member of Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity.

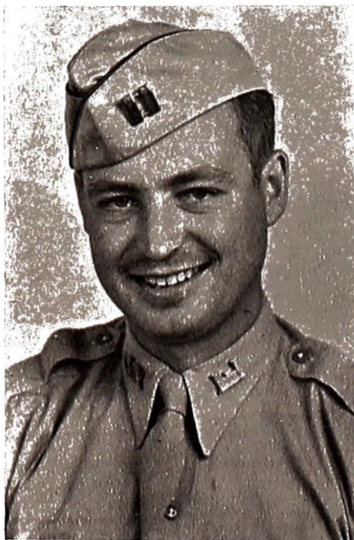
After his graduation he was employed by the U. S. Department of Agriculture until he joined the anti-aircraft service of the Army in February, 1942. After training at Camp Davis, N. C., and completing Officers' Training School, he was commissioned a second lieutenant in September of that year. He was promoted in the

# Our GOLD STARS

spring of 1943 and as a first lieutenant went overseas to Australia the following September. He saw action in the Admiralties and was in the initial landing on Leyte October 20. Word of his death on October 27 on Leyte came from a friend and classmate, Capt. George Ellis '41.

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**GOLD STARS:** At right above, Neal Walker '41, 1st Lieut. Army, whose death in the Philippines Oct. 27 is reported in this issue; below, left to right, Donald Quint '39, Capt. Engineers, India, July 24, Richard E. Detwyler '43, 1st Lieut. Infantry, June 6, Normandy invasion; at bottom, Ensign John M. Wilson '43, landing craft officer, June 6, Normandy invasion, and Robert Ruth '43, S/Sgt. Tank unit, in France, July 29. The death of each has been reported in earlier issues.



## Gold Stars

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1942

RICHARD MACLEOD. Serving with the First Army inside Germany, Pfc. Richard MacLeod, 23 years old, was killed in action November 16. He had recently been decorated with the Purple Heart for wounds received with the invasion forces in Normandy. A graduate of Islesboro high school, his home was in Dark Harbor. He later attended Eastern State Normal School at Castine and transferred to the University for a B.S. degree in 1942 in Education. He entered the service in July following his graduation.

He was trained at Camp Wheeler, Ga., and Camp Gordon, Fla., before receiving overseas assignment to England from where his unit participated in the invasion of France. Wounded on July 8, he was hospitalized in England, later rejoining his company in September. Besides the Purple Heart, he was recipient of a Regimental Presidential Citation.

EDWARD REID MILLAR. From wounds received in action in France, First Lt. Edward R. Millar, member of an armored division, died on August 8. He was a native of Williamsport, Pa., and made his home in Leonia, N. J. He was 26 years old at the time of his death. Graduated from Mount Hermon school, he entered the University majoring in engineering. He was a member of Phi Eta Kappa fraternity, took part in intramural athletics and wrestling, and was active in the M.C.A. He took advanced R.O.T.C. work and was commissioned in the Coast Artillery following his graduation. He entered active service on June 4, 1942, and later transferred to Ordnance Maintenance work with an armored division training in Arkansas, Louisiana, and California. In January of this year he went with his unit to England and was in the forefront of the attack on Brest. Near that point he was wounded on August 7 and died the following day. His brother Robert, also in service, is an alumnus of the class of 1942.

## NECROLOGY

1887

JAMES MARTIN NOWLAND. Report has been received of the death on March 15, 1943, of James M. Nowland at his home in Franklin, Mass. He served several years as principal of a school in Quincy, Mass., later becoming a member of the Massachusetts Bar. During the last years of his life he resided at Franklin where he was engaged in farming operations. Besides his class affiliation with 1887 he received a B.S. degree in 1912 from the University and the M.S. degree in 1897.

1891

LESLIE ALBERT BOADWAY. For 40 years a resident of Pasadena, Calif., Leslie A. Boadway died on October 2 in that city. Born in 1868 at Bradley, Maine,

# Alumni Personals

Mr. Boadway received a B.S. degree from the University with the Class of 1891. He was a member of Phi Gamma Delta fraternity. Until 1902 he was engaged in mercantile business in Madison; he then engaged in the real estate business in Pasadena where he became prominent in many business and financial undertakings. He was president of Boadway Department Stores, President of National Bank and Trust Company, vice president of California Hotel Co., and vice president of Security Trust and Savings Bank of Los Angeles. Mr. Boadway was a leader in church and civic activities, served as one of the first trustees of the University of Redlands, and was active in the Masons. He served for a time as President of the Southern California Alumni Association and always retained deep interest in the affairs of the University.

1895

WENDELL WYZE CHASE. Report has just reached the Alumni Office of the passing of Wendell W. Chase of Cambridge, Mass., in March, 1942. Mr. Chase, formerly of Riverside Drive, New York, moved to Cambridge in 1936 when his health began to fail. He was a graduate in Civil Engineering from the University and also received the degree of C.E. in 1901. He took some advanced work later at M.I.T. He was a member of Beta Theta Pi fraternity. After his graduation he entered his profession of civil engineering. He was a consulting engineer for several years. He was also engaged for a time in real estate financing. Before his retirement from active business in 1936 he was on the Housing Division of the Public Works Administration, Washington.

GILBERT TOLMAN. A long period of illness terminated in the death of Prof. Gilbert Tolman, 72 years of age, at his home in Winterport, November 5. A prominent educator, Prof. Tolman had retired from his profession in 1937. He was a native of Milo and a graduate of the University in Mechanical Engineering and of Columbia University where he received the M.A. degree in 1901. For several years he taught electrical engineering at Colby College; in later years he taught in private preparatory schools, being associated with Blair Academy, Blairstown, N. J., for 16 years. On his retirement in 1937 for ill health he settled in Winterport. He was a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity.

1910

CHARLES EDWIN KIMBALL. While on a hunting trip at Mooresville on November 30, Charles E. Kimball of Dover-Foxcroft was victim of a heart attack. Mr. Kimball attended the University with the Class of 1910 and was a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity. He was senior member of the Chase and Kimball Company operating several garages and filling stations throughout Piscataquis County. His death occurred as he returned to camp from a morning trip through the woods in company with several friends. He was 58 years of age at his death.

ELMER BLAINE LOWELL. At his home in Lynn, Mass., Elmer B. Lowell, 57-year-old veteran of World War I, died in November. Mr. Lowell was employed as an automobile salesman in Lynn. He

was a member of the American Legion and Knights of Pythias.

1924

ARTHUR REED URANN. Notice of the death of Arthur R. Urann of Red Bank, N. J., has been received by the Alumni Office. He was a member of Sigma Phi Sigma fraternity and a graduate in Electrical Engineering. He had worked as a valuation engineer for Northern States Power Co., Minneapolis, before making his home in New Jersey. No details of his passing are known at this time.

1935

DONALD LINCOLN PEDERSEN. A research engineer with the du Pont Co., Donald L. Pedersen, a native of Peaks Island, died suddenly on December 1 at his home in Waynesboro, Va. Graduating from Portland high school, he was salutatorian of the Class of 1931 and received an award as an outstanding student. At the University he majored in Mechanical Engineering and was elected to Tau Beta Pi and Phi Kappa Phi. He was a member of Sigma Nu fraternity. He was employed for a time on the Quoddy project at Eastport and joined the du Pont organization in 1939, working as an engineer in Colorado and Virginia.

1941

JOHN NEWTON COOPER. At Roosevelt Hospital in New York City, John N. Cooper of Jackson Heights, N. Y., died of acute heart disease on April 5, 1944. Mr. Cooper was associated before his death with the advertising agency of Warwick & Legler of New York City. No further details of his death are known at this time.

## BY CLASSES

**Senior Alumni.** Albert W. Drew '90 has retired from his profession of Naval Architecture and requests that his mail be sent to 757 Second Ave. North, St. Petersburg, Fla.

James E. Harvey '94 of Readfield again took up his duties at the first of the year as document clerk for the State Legislature at the State House in Augusta.

**1900** John D. Mackay has been re-elected to the Massachusetts State Senate without opposition from either party, receiving a total of more than 35,000 votes. Senator Mackay has served in the Massachusetts Senate since 1929 and is one of the veteran legislators of the state. He represents the First Norfolk district comprising the city of Quincy and the town of Braintree.

**1901** Chairman for the Knox County War Chest was Percy R. Keller of Camden. Mr. Keller is town manager of Camden. He directed the War Chest campaign in the towns and cities of the county.

**1904** A change of address has been recorded for Herbert Gregory. He has moved from Berlin, N. H., and is now receiving mail at 517-6th Street South, St. Petersburg, Fla. He has been associated with the Brown Company.

**1905** Ralph W. Haskell is helping the war effort as a draftsman with the New England Shipbuilding Corp.,

South Portland. His address is R.F.D. #2, South Portland.

**1906** Head of the department of Social Studies at Teachers College, Keene, N. H., is Frederick J. Simmons. He has been associated with that school for several years. A recent notice from Mr. Simmons gives a new street address at 22 Appian Way, Keene, N. H.

**1908** William A. Cobb of Belfast served as one of the zone chairmen for that city in the Sixth War Loan drive. Mr. Cobb is associated with the Central Maine Power Company there.

Daniel Chase is manager of the Employees Services Division of Triumph Explosives, Inc., Elkton, Maryland. His successful efforts in arranging an extensive program of sports, entertainments, and community activities are appreciated by company employees.

Change of address has been received for Earle L. Milliken. Still in Philadelphia his street address is 432 E. Allens Lane. He has been associated with the S.E.C.

**1909** Harold W. Hall, with the Pacific Realty Co., Los Angeles, Calif., sends his mailing address as 943 11th St., Santa Monica, Calif.

Jesse H. Mason, Treasurer and General Manager of Haartz-Mason-Grower Co., Watertown, Mass., is a member of the Eastern Massachusetts Post-War Placement Committee to assist alumni service men to find employment after discharge.

**1910** President of American Export Airlines James M. Eaton has contracted to operate a fleet of passenger and cargo planes in International service for the Air Transport Command. The line also operates a service to Ireland apart from the ATC program. Mr. Eaton's address is Beverly Hotel, 125 East 50th Street, New York.

Joseph G. deRoza is Structural Engineer with Combustion Engineering Co. of 200 Madison Ave., New York. Mr. deRoza is living at 194 Westside Avenue, Freeport, New York.

In November Edward N. Snow of Montreal, Quebec, visited the campus for the first time since 1935 when his class held their 25th reunion. Mr. Snow resides at 4357 Kensington Ave., Montreal, and is associated with the Northern Electric Company there.

Herman P. Sweetser was elected this fall as a representative to the Maine Legislature for the Cumberland-Falmouth district. Mr. Sweetser lives at Cumberland Center.

**1911** Irene Cousins, head of the History Department at Bangor High School, was a guest speaker before the Association of Universalist Women recently, presenting a talk on "Our Privilege of Voting."

The first county in Maine to exceed its quota in the Sixth War Loan drive was Piscataquis County under the chairmanship of Raymond W. Davis of Guilford. Mr. Davis is president of the Guilford Trust Company and is a member of the Board of Trustees at the University.

On the list of Republican State electors in the National Presidential Campaign was Maurice F. McCarthy of Winslow. Mr. McCarthy is associated with the Hollingsworth and Whitney Co. in Waterville.

Among the town chairmen chosen in Waldo County's Sixth War Loan drive was Seavey A. Piper of Troy.

**1912** Congressman Frank Fellows of Bangor, representing the Third Maine district, carried out a campaign tour for the National Presidential election

covering 26 communities in 10 states. Among the cities in which he spoke for the Republican nominees were Boston, Philadelphia, and New York City; Elizabeth, New Jersey; Wilmington, Delaware; and Wheeling, West Virginia.

A change of address has been received for Franklin L. Darrell. He is now at 1470 Race St., Williamsport 38, Pa.

One of the zone chairmen for Belfast's Sixth War Loan drive was Lynwood Thompson of that city.

Harold E. Winn, a salesman for Hardware Mutuals of Boston, is living at 7 Arlington St., Cambridge.

A new street address has been received for George Worden who is associated with the F.S.A. His present address is 1943 Broadway North, Seattle 2, Washington.

**1913** Clifton E. Chandler of Portland was vice chairman of the Financial Group of Greater Portland's Sixth War Loan drive. Mr. Chandler is a statistician with Bond and Goodwin, Inc., in Portland.

**1914** Harold L. Dinsmore has notified the Alumni Office of a new address from New York City to Box 214, Jackson Heights, New York.

The Governor and executive council recently confirmed the appointment of Mrs. Mary L. Kavanagh of Lewiston to the real estate commission of the state. Mrs. Kavanagh has been associated with real estate and insurance business in Lewiston for many years.

**1915** The State Merchants' Association in their annual meeting elected F. Drummond Freese of Bangor as first vice president. Mr. Freese is president of Freese's, Inc., department store in Bangor.

**1916** Under the leadership of Ivan C. Ames of East Millinocket as Campaign Chairman, the Penobscot County War Chest surpassed its fund-raising quota for the National War Fund Campaign.

The War Food Administration has given an Achievement "A" award for an outstanding record of wartime production to Maine Food Processors of Winterport. President of Maine Food Processors is James E. Totman of Baltimore, Md., also head of Summers Fertilizer Company. The Winterport plant is operating on dehydration of potatoes for Army use.

**1917** One of the zone chairmen for the Sixth War Loan drive in Belfast was Donald Clark.

A letter from William Reynolds has brought news that he is Sales Representative for Aluminum Company of America and is residing at Suite 929, Seneca Hotel, Columbus, Ohio. Mrs. Reynolds (Louise Ring '16) visited her home in Orono this year for the first time in seven years. Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds have three daughters, Mary Louise and Jane, both attending Miami University, and Grace, a junior at Ohio State University.

Among officers recently named to the New England Council in Maine is Bryant Hopkins of Waterville who was named chairman for the state. Mr. Hopkins is an engineer with the Kennebec Water Company.

A director for the New England Council in Maine is Frank O. Stephens of Auburn. Mr. Stephens is an officer of the E. W. Penley Packing Company of Auburn.

**1918** Comments from Washington during the Presidential Campaign pointed to Senator Styles Bridges of New Hampshire as a potential secretary

of state in a Republican administration. The suggestion of Senator Bridges' elevation to the State responsibility is indication of the outstanding leadership which the New Hampshire senator has been showing in his work in the Senate.

Raymond L. Emerson, formerly of Warren, is now residing at Thomaston. Mr. Emerson is a lumber manufacturer.

Word has been received that Gordon R. Williams is now located in the Regional Office of the Boy Scouts of America at 80 Federal Street, Boston 10, Mass. Mr. Williams was formerly with the B.S.A. in Stamford, Conn.

**1919** Forrest A. Barbour has changed his street address in Portland and is now living at 50 Payson Street. He is still associated with H. P. Hood & Sons.

Latest residence address for Roger M. French is 14 Roebuck Ave., Apt. #5, Saco, Maine.

At a recent meeting of the Maine Municipal Association, Charles A. Haynes of Ellsworth was named a member of the Board of Directors for the year.

At the annual meeting of the State Merchants' Association, Leroy F. Hussey of Augusta was named a member of the legislative committee. Mr. Hussey is associated with the Hussey Hardware Company.

Marion E. Stubbs, librarian of Pratt Institute, has changed her street address in New York City and is now residing at 124 East 40th Street, New York 16.

Frank E. Donovan, President and General Manager of Specialty Converters, Inc., East Braintree, Mass., has been named a member of the University's Eastern Massachusetts Post-War Placement Committee to assist in placement of alumni returning from war service.

**1920** Secretary, Barbara Dunn Hitchner, Orono, Maine.

Did you know that Piscataquis was the first county in the state to go "over the top" in the recent National War Chest drive? The quota was \$10,500. Richard Howell, Sangerville, was chairman. Well done, Dick!

The Camden Chamber of Commerce has elected officers for the ensuing year. Clayton McCobb took office as the new treasurer.

John H. Schoonmaker has moved from West Hartford, Conn., to 704 Western Ave., Albany, N. Y. Won't you tell us more about yourself, John?

**1921** Dr. Frank E. Barton of Boston has been elected a director for a three-year term of the Boston University Alumni Association representing graduates of the School of Medicine. Dr. Barton was graduated from Boston University in 1924. He is a well-known surgeon in Boston.

Mrs. Rena Campbell Bowles, chairman for Arts and Crafts on the state USO committee, recently attended the state USO meeting in Augusta.

A change of address has been received from Robert R. Owen, formerly at Pittsburgh, Pa. Mr. Owen has moved to 872 Wright Ave., Schenectady, N. Y.

Miss Katherine D. Stewart, former secretary to Bangor Chief of Police, has been named secretary for the identification bureau, detective division, safety and juvenile department of the Bangor police force with headquarters on Court Street in Bangor.

A recent meeting of the Eastern Massachusetts Post-War Placement Committee in Boston was attended by Warren Preble, General Agent of the Home Life Insurance Co. of New York. As a member of

the alumni committee Mr. Preble will help returning service men to find employment in eastern Massachusetts. His business address is 31 Milk St., Boston.

**1924** Secretary, Mrs. Clarence C. Little, Bar Harbor, Maine.

Your secretary is much encouraged this month because several of you have sent in items spontaneously. Thank you.

Hazen Ayer has reminded us that according to the Dix Plan we are due for a reunion next June. What do you all think of the idea? Please let me know your reactions, and also any ideas you have. Some of the recent classes have staged no formal reunion but have planned to save energy and money toward a twenty-five year reunion gift to the University. Would this be more to your liking?

Hazen (Hot) Ayer is Acting President of the Lumber Mutual Fire Insurance Co., as well as a partner in the firm of Standish, Ayer and McKay, Inc., at 50 Congress St., Boston, Mass.

G. K. Stackpole (Stacky) is a Lieutenant in the U.S.N.R. and is Materials Officer at the Office of Supervisor of Shipbuilding at Bath, Maine. He says he is still a bear trainer at heart but sometimes his present charges are fiercer than "Bananas." Good Luck to you, Stacky.

Julian H. Merrill, Jr., is moving to Nipogen, Ontario, Canada, where he is to be Woods Manager for the Brompton Pulp and Paper Co. Julian and his wife (a former Addison, Maine, girl) have two children, Nancy, 15, and Peter, 12.

Lt. Col. T. Clifford Eastman has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal and Oak Leaf Cluster. Congratulations, Colonel.

Mrs. Francis P. Brown, Jr. (Crehore), is now at 2 Brenway Drive, West Hartford 7, Connecticut.

Charles Watson has moved from Manchester, N. H., to 777 Westford St., Lowell, Mass.

A nice letter from Ivan Pease tells us that he is now Superintendent of Motive Power, New York, Ontario, and Western Railway, Middletown, New York. Ivan's home is 4 Lafayette Ave., Middletown. (Apologies, Ivan, for having misplaced your note.)

**1925** Secretary: Louise Q. Lord, 38 Forest Ave., Orono, Maine.

I have only a few personals this month and all have come from the Alumni Office.

William B. Lambert has changed his address in Cincinnati 8, Ohio, to 1303 Suncrest Drive. As far as I know he is still with American Cyanamid.

Norris Clements was town chairman for Wintertop for the Sixth War Loan Drive. Norris has a daughter enrolled as a freshman at the University.

Governor Sumner Sewall and his executive council recently confirmed the appointment of Robert N. Haskell of Bangor as a member of the Maine Development Commission.

**1929** Secretary: Barbara Johnson, 32 Orland St., Portland, Maine.

Andrew B. Welch, who has been teaching at Buckfield, has taken a similar position in Wilton.

Arthur B. Conner has changed his address from Great Neck, N. Y., to 7 East High Rd., Port Washington, N. Y. He is with the Bell Telephone Laboratories, New York City.

**1930** Secretary: Polly Hall Leech, Homer Folks Hospital, Oneonta, N. Y.

Recently Ruth T. Clough, State Senator-elect and literary critic, was a speaker in a series of ten public book reviews given

in the lecture hall of the Bangor Public Library. Her subject was "The Legacy—Virginia Woolf."

William H. ("Bill") Daley is chairman of the Insurance group of the Greater Portland Division for the 6th War Loan Drive.

Mrs. Ralph W. Fowler (Carrie Williams) has changed her street address in Denver, Colorado, to 364 Fairfax Street.

Ellen Mullaney of the Bangor teaching staff has been appointed to serve a one-year term on the Commission on Professional Ethics of the Maine State Teachers' Association.

The Alumni Office recently received a card from Carleton E. Nims from Greenbelt, Maryland. He is a Physical Science Aid, testing textiles and fibrous materials for government use and for private firms. He requests mail sent to Sullivan, N. H.

**1931** Secretary: Doris L. Gross, 15 Keene St., Stoneham 80, Mass.

Helen Beasley Ochs is now living at Ardsley Road (Box 523), Scarsdale, N. Y. She is head mistress at Home School of Scarsdale, Inc., 252 Soundview Ave., White Plains, N. Y.

At the 25th anniversary meeting recently of the Cumberland County Farm Bureau, Richard F. Blanchard of Cumberland was elected Dairy Leader.

Since December 4th, I have been teaching English in Stoneham High School. I am living at 15 Keene St., Stoneham, Mass., and the telephone is Stoneham 0827-R. I should be delighted to hear from any Maine-iacs in and around this vicinity, or anywhere else, for that matter, particularly if they have any information I can use in this column.

**1932** Secretary: Mary G. Bean, 2 Madison St., Bangor, Me

William W. Johnson is the District Manager for Maine for Graphic Theatres Circuit. He was formerly manager of a theater in Dolgeville, N. Y. The new address is 14 Cedar St., Belfast, Maine.

Alden Denaco is Manager of the Monroe Loan Society in Bangor and resides at 42 Grant St.

Walter J. Anliker is located in Maine after living in Rumford, R. I., for a time. His new address is 8 Hill St., South Portland.

John Adams is working for the New England Milk Producers Association doing field work with producers in Massachusetts and New York supplying milk for the Boston Market. His home is 9 Sheffield Road, and his office address is 73 Cornhill, Boston, Mass.

Thanks to the Alumni Office, I could give you the above items.

Helen Stearns Hincks sent me a welcome note with her Christmas card. She says that Major Maynard is somewhere in Belgium now and that she is a very busy person just now caring for her two boys and trying to keep the letters going to Blondie. Beryl Bryant Derry is staying with her at present. Her husband, Lt. Derry, is in France.

**1933** Secretary: Dorothy F. Carnochan, 37 Falmouth St., Portland, Maine.

After skipping last month for lack of news (it makes me feel sad, too, readers), here I am again with a few items, thanks to the Alumni Office. How about mailing a postal to me with some news? Those boys overseas like to read about you and also about themselves. Please help me out.

Mrs. Edward L. Young (Helen Nivison) is now living at 249 Dean Road, Brookline 46, Mass.

Mrs. Russell H. Knox (Dotty Goode)

is now living at 907 Osceola St., Orlando, Fla.

Johnny Wilson is now a Plant Engineer with Sylvania Electric Products, Inc., Lowell, Mass. He lives at 48 Beach St., Marblehead, Mass.

Doris Smart is living at 35 Glen St., New Britain, Conn., teaching at the Senior High School.

Lib Hilliker LaFrance is living in Corinna, Maine.

Blanche Henry is again teaching Math at Manchester High School. Her address is 58 Chestnut St., Apt. 11, Manchester, Conn.

S/Sgt. Girdler Sweet is with the 248th Engr. Combat Bn., somewhere in France. He was recently awarded the Bronze Star Medal.

Lt. John Bankus, it is said, has been awarded the Purple Heart. Won't someone send additional information on Johnny?

Sgt. Kenneth Dickerson has been transferred from 2nd Air Force to the readjustment division, 67 Broad St., New York, N. Y.

Plant Manager for Sylvania Corporation, Lowell, Mass., is John J. Wilson. He recently attended a Boston meeting of the Eastern Massachusetts Post-War Placement Committee. The group of alumni will work with the University Placement Director in assisting returning service alumni to find employment.

Ray Jackson is with the 311th Inf. Division at Camp Pickett, Va. (so my father tells me; how he discovered that "bit," I do not know).

Mrs. Roy Penn (Jane Barry) is now away out in Vallejo, Cal., living at 312 Holly St., Apt. 125.

Tommy Desmond, with the du Pont Co., is living at 2536 Sherman Blvd., Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

"Orchids" to Dr. Romansky! Read *Alumnus*, December issue.

Hoping this will really be a Happy New Year for all of us. Best wishes.

**1935** Secretary: Agnes C. McGuire, 59 Western Ave., Biddeford, Maine.

Curtis Plummer came to the rescue from Washington this month with a nice long letter. Thanks, Curtis. You've no idea what a lift a long newsy letter for the *Alumnus* gives the scribe!

Curtis has been in Washington working in the Broadcast Engineering Division of the Federal Communications Commission since August, 1941. His work is on Television Frequency Modulation Broadcasting with the title of Senior Radio Engineer. Helen Hale and Curtis were married on July 26th, 1944. Mrs. Curtis was working as librarian before they were married, and her home was Apulia Station, near Syracuse, New York. She is the daughter of a Methodist Missionary and grew up in China. She is a graduate of the Shanghai-American School, Shanghai, China. She received her AB degree in English from Syracuse University in 1936 and her BS in Library Science from Syracuse in 1937. At present Mrs. Curtis is working for the American National Red Cross as librarian at the National Headquarters in Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Plummer are living at 412 Ritz Apartments, 1631 Euclid Street, N.W., Washington 9, D. C.

Lyman Brewer, Curtis reports, went to Washington in December, 1942, from Station WGAN, Portland, Maine, to work for the Navy in the Naval Research Laboratory, and has specialized ever since on research problems on radio receiver design. He works in the Receiver Design Section of the Radio Division as a Radio

Engineer. Curtis and Lyman lived together until Lyman was married on May 7th, 1944, to Miss Alice Wilson of Spokane, Washington. They were married by Rev Harris who is Chaplain of the U S. Senate. Alice works for the War Department in the Signal Corps Procurement and Service Division in the Pentagon building. Alice and Lyman live at the Cleveland Apartments, 3039 Nacomb Street, N.W., Washington.

John Hamilton has been in Washington since early 1940, working in the Submarine Design Section of the Bureau of Ships, Navy Department, as an Associate Engineer. He was married in Washington on June 11, 1944, to Miss Verna Stienes of St. Louis, Missouri. Verna worked for the War Production Board until recently, and she is now attending George Washington University. John and Verna live at 401 North George Mason Drive, Arlington, Virginia.

Amos Carr is a captain now, and when Curtis last heard, Amos was stationed at an Airfield near Savannah, Georgia, as Field Communications Officer. Betty Davis is in Washington often, too. Betty is a dietitian, in the Army Nurse Corps, and has been at Camp Shelby, Mississippi.

The Alumni Office reports several address changes. Some of these new addresses may help you find the ever-moving '35ers.

Sylvia Alpert has changed her address from Long Branch, N. J., to 19 Alston Court, Red Bank, N. J. Herbert Cook has changed his address from Cornwall-on-Hudson, N. Y., to 190 Hillside Avenue, Mount Vernon, N. Y. Stephen Read has moved from Belfast to 2 Katahdin St., Presque Isle, Maine. John Small was promoted to manager of the Eastern States Warehouse at Houlton, being transferred from Massachusetts. Preston C. Whitaker has moved from Hartland Academy to Aroostook Central Institute, Mars Hill. Richard D. Bucknam has moved from Carlstadt, N. J., to 26 Paterson Road, Fenwood, N. J. Dick Captain is now Assistant Plant Engineer and Tool Designer for Jaeger Watch Company, New York City, and is living at 97 Orchard Drive, Clifton, N. J.

Captain John Dewitt is now at A.P.O. #205, and Mrs. Sanborn Dewitt is at 168 Cedar St., Bangor, Maine.

Captain Donald L. Anderson, Army Medical Corps, has been awarded the Bronze Star with three Oak Leaf Clusters.

And so, until January, 1945. And I do hope it will be a Happy New Year for all.

**1936** Secretary Phyl Webster,  
Box 372, Walpole, N. H.

This month's column certainly won't be any strain on me! In fact, if it weren't for the Alumni Office there would be no column. Why don't you all write?

Bernice Yeomans, S1/c WAVES, is now an instructor in anti-aircraft gunnery at the Armed Guard Center at So. Ferry, N. Y. Her mailing address is Navy Bks. (WR), Rm. 2215, Broadway & 76th St., New York 24, N. Y.

Leonore Dorr Wiley (Mrs. Kenneth R.) has moved from North Hollywood, Cal., to 1623 Peyton Ave., Burbank, Cal.

Item in the Bangor *News* November 17. "Mrs. Burton Mullen and two children, who spent the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith of Pond St., Orono, left Tuesday for Providence, R. I., where they will join Mr. Mullen to make their home." Burt recently returned after 18 months in Hawaii. Their address is 241 Pleasant St., Providence, R. I.

Royal Mehann's address is Box 100, Richland, Wash.

**1937** Secretary. Marge DeWick,  
Box 5, Topsham, Maine.

First the sad news that Burleigh Rodrick died from wounds received in Italy. I know the entire class joins me in extending sincere sympathy to Burleigh's wife and his family. And also our sympathy to the family of Bill Hooper who was killed in action last summer.

I have had a wonderful letter from Alton (Ding-Dong) Bell, and you can see from the following quotations that Ding-Dong has been busy, with a capital B. "I'm fine and dandy after a couple or three good goes. I managed to get through the Normandy job and was then sent to Italy for the S. France invasion. While in Rome one day I walked square into Maj. Hunter '37. He is with the 12th Air Force Signal Corps, doing fine and we had a swell visit. Returning to England, I found us ready for the Holland go. And this time two Maine men got together to give Jerry hell. Phil Curtis '39 was one of the pilots of the group that dropped my battalion. I think he made it O.K., for as I hit the ground he had cut his plane to the right and headed back to England. That was the best drop we or any other unit ever made, but the going was rough on the ground. Glad to get all the news of your column." Thanks for that grand letter, Ding-Dong, and the best of luck always. His address, thanks to V-mail size reduction, I couldn't entirely make out. How about another V-mail, Ding-Dong, to tell your infantry name again? This is the best I can do: Major Alton L. Bell 0341737, 508---Inf., APO #230, c/o P. M., N. Y. C.

Capt. Edward F. Brarmann is receiving treatment at Fitzsimmons General Hospital, Denver, Colo., and Helen Titcomb Brarmann is with him. Good luck, Eddie.

Edward H. Silsby, formerly with the U. S. Forest Service in Arkansas, has gone to Middlebury, Vt.

Jack Gatti called the other day. He is fine and is still located in Worcester, Mass., as Agricultural Coordinator.

I am just back from three weeks in Texas with Pfc. DeWick. We had a wonderful time.

**1938** Secretary: Betty Gleason,  
61 Bennoch St., Orono, Maine.

The sole letter this month is from Lt. John T. Clark, U.S.N.R., Naval Air Transport Sqdn. VR-8, Naval Air Station, Patuxent River, Md. John has been flying seaplanes on the run to South America for the Naval Air Transport Service. October third the Clarks had another daughter, making two in all now.

Dick Gerry sent me a card with a birth announcement on it. I quote: "In answer to your call for news for the *Alumnus*, Corinne and I have a new baby boy: Brian Thomas, born Sept. 16 at the Horne Hospital in Lafayette, Ind. His brother, Dick, Jr., who is 4½, thoroughly approves of the addition to the family." Dick's address is 350 S. Grant St., W. Lafayette, Ind.

A daughter, Donna Rae, was born on June 2, 1944, to Rev. and Mrs. Raymond E. Fiedler of Preston City, Conn.

Another birth announcement I received comes from Lt. and Mrs. John B. Ross, Stuttgart Army Air Field, Stuttgart, Ark., announcing the arrival on Dec. 5 of John Buchanan Ross, Jr.

Don Mayo was elected orchard leader for the Cumberland County Farm Bureau at a meeting held in Gorham, Nov. 2nd.

Lt. Richard S. Waldron, now stationed in England in the Intelligence Dept., has been awarded the Air Medal and three Oak Leaf Clusters and the Distinguished Flying Cross. Lt. Waldron went overseas in March, 1944, completed 35 missions by August, and then was assigned to his present post.

Blanche B. Holman is teaching Social Studies at Manchester High School, and is living at 86 Church St., Manchester, Conn.

Harold H. McKeen, formerly in Bangor, is living at 2107 Suitland Ter., S.E., Washington 20, D. C. He is a Cost Accountant for the OPA, Textile, Leather,

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Major Dick Healy has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for "above superior" work in the fighting around Myitkyina. He was one of the famous "Merrill's Marauders."

Joan Cox is a Sergeant in the WAC. Bunny Hamilton has a baby boy, but I can't seem to find out any of the details, such as name and date of birth.

**1939** Secretary: Lynne Huff, 111 Pine Grove Avenue, Lynn, Mass.

This is a small column this month as my appeal for letters from you classmates was answered by only one member, Roger Clement. Roger writes that he and his family are now located in a nice little bungalow at 32 Dexter Street in Bangor. Also, Roger wrote me the sad news about S/Sgt. Weston P. Norton who was killed in action on June 2nd in Italy. He entered the service in March, 1941, and received his basic training at Camp Wheeler, Ga. He also trained at Camp Blanding, Fla., Fort Benning, Ga., Camp Shelby, Miss., Yuma, Arizona, and Fort Dix, N. J. In December, 1943, he was sent to North Africa, and transferred to Italy in March. Weston was from East Livermore.

Thanks so much for your letter, Roger. I hope more of you will follow suit before the next month's column must be written.

News from the Alumni Office about '39ers includes a notice about Polly Davee Hitchings. Polly wrote that George has been chosen for AAF Officers Candidate School and left for San Antonio, Texas, in November. Polly expects to be in Orono for a visit but will again join George after his 16 weeks course.

Mrs. Charles Weaver (Pierce '39) is with her husband in Wolters, Okla. Charlie Weaver is class of '40. Their address is 112 W. Iowa St., Wolters, Okla.

Dottie Davis Page is now a bookkeeper at the State Street Trust Co., Congress and State Street in Boston. Dottie is living at 72 Mountain Avenue in Malden. Dave is a S2/c, NATS, in Washington, D. C.

Dearnley Croteau and his wife, the former Joyce Woodward, Class of '40, are living at 39 Sherwood Road, Medford 55, Mass. Dearnley is Head Teller at the First National Bank in Medford.

Bill and Mary Carlisle Hilton are receiving congratulations on the birth of Mary Jane, born November 20, 1944. Bill

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is employed by du Pont Co., East Chicago, Ind., and lives at 3112 Kenwood St., Hammond, Ind. A hearty welcome to Mary Jane!

Mr. and Mrs. Colin J. Campbell are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Josephine O'Brien Campbell, to Lt. Frank A. Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake C. Allen of Atlanta, Ga. Lt. Allen attended the Georgia Technical Institute and is now with the AAF in Belgium. Jo is a technician at Base Hospital, Bradley Field, Conn. Best wishes, Jo.

I also just heard about Betty Homan's engagement to S/Sgt. Sumner O. Hancock, class of '35, which was announced recently. Betty is a Home Economics teacher at Lewiston High School. Sgt. Hancock is now stationed at Camp McCoy, Wisconsin. Before entering the Army, Sgt. Hancock was a member of the faculty of Lewiston High School. Best wishes to you, too, Betty.

Although a bit late, we wish to congratulate Lt. and Mrs. Clifton W. Jackson Mrs. Jackson was Evangeline D. Anderson. They were married April 2, 1944. Mrs. Jackson is a social worker for the State Department of Health and Welfare in Bangor. Lt. Jackson received his commission a year ago and has been overseas.

That's all for this month. I repeat, letters are most welcome!

**1940** Secretary: Alice Ann Poeppelmeier, 289 Chicomansett Village, Willimansett, Mass.

This has been a lucky month for me as regards my quota of interesting letters and mostly from our busy service men, too, which should certainly serve as an inspiration to some of us who just think we're busy with babies and such! Letters came from India, France, and far parts of the U. S. So on to them without further delay.

A swell letter from Hal Bronsdon way out in Assam, India, indicates that he has had some dangerous and exciting experiences. Hal mentions casually that he has received the Purple Heart plus an Oak Leaf Cluster for the original. Hal met up with Dick Healy '38 who is a major now, one of the original Merrill's Marauders. From Hal's description of India, I gathered that he prefers the good old U. S. A.

Many thanks to Andy Lindsay for pushing aside his "New England reticence" and writing a fascinating account of his travels since our departure from the University back in '40. Andy volunteered under the S.S. Act, was assigned to the Armored Force, and trained as a radio operator. After 14 months he became an aviation cadet, graduated from flying school in January, '43, and was assigned to a B-26 tactical group. Andy went overseas in June, '43, to become part of the 8th Air Force in England, later the 9th. On his fourth mission their plane was set afire and they were forced to bail out over occupied territory. Andy says it is sufficient, pro tem, to say that he returned to England after about six months, was given the Purple Heart, and promotion to 1st Lieut. Andy was returned to this country, assigned as an instructor at a transition school in Kansas, and is now at Chanute Field, Illinois, taking a communications course. As a last bit of news, Andy said that he had met up with Professor Joe Murray at Selfridge Field in Michigan. Like all of us, Andy is looking forward to reunion when this is all over, and let's hope it'll be soon. Thanks a million for the grand letter.

Our prexy, "Doc" Gerrish, is located in a city in France. He writes that he has done a good bit of traveling around and

has found it most interesting. Doc left the States last spring and went to England remaining there for several months before coming to France. Like most of the scattered members of '40, Doc doesn't get much news of Maine so I am enclosing his address, for I am sure he'd like to hear from his old friends: Capt. H. A. Gerrish, 0386729, Ord. Sec. Hq. Loire Sec. CZ, ETO. APO 573, c/o P. M., New York City.

T/4 Edward K. Brann sent news of the arrival of David Edward Brann to Ed and his wife, the former Anne Perry. Anne and David are living in Bangor with her parents. Oh, yes, David arrived in this world the 6th of July. Ed is in the same company with Fred Cowan '41 in the Engineer Topo Battalion.

Bea Gleason Danforth wrote that she and Norm have been in Asheville, N. C., for over a year. Bea and small daughter Debbie joined Norm shortly after last Christmas. They are living at 8 Arborvale Rd., in Asheville.

Captain Phil Curtis has been awarded the Air Medal with a unit Presidential citation.

Philip Hutchinson has been promoted to the rank of Major. He is on duty as executive officer of the Marine Maintenance and Repair Branch at the Los Angeles P of E, which is an installation of the Army Transportation Corps. Major Hutchinson and his wife and small son reside at 216 D Ave "H," Redondo Beach, Calif.

Dr. Robert C. Knowlton has moved from Westbrook to 116 7th Ave. No., St. Petersburg, Florida.

A letter from Wiljo M. Lindell says that he has been in Aruba, N. W. I., with the Lago Oil and Transport Co., Ltd., on a temporary assignment. He arrived in Aruba the latter part of August and expected to be back at 545 Boulevard, Westfield, N. J. I quote, "In case you are wondering, Aruba is a small island off the coast of Venezuela, with this refinery being about the only industry. The climate here is remarkably pleasant, since the continuous trade winds keep it from being hot and humid like the mainland."

A card from Mrs. William F. Atwood—Peg Maxwell—says she is a housewife at 14 Holland Street, Newton 58, Mass.

Mary C. Curran is now at the YWCA, 42 Howe St., New Haven 11, Conn. She is chief clerk to the District Passenger Agent of the Penn. R. R. in New Haven.

Margaret C. Sawyer is now a dietitian at the Cambridge Hospital, 330 Mt. Auburn St., Cambridge, Mass.

Daniel J. Caouette wrote a card to the Alumni Office requesting that his mail now go to 407 E. Kingsley St., Ann Arbor, Michigan.

This winds up our reports for this month—any letters will always be gratefully accepted.

**1941** Secretary: Barbara Ashworth, 1242 Polk St., San Francisco 9, Calif.

"Mabuhai Americano," writes Captain George Ellis from the Philippines, and then he kindly translates: "Long life, American." George landed there on A-day with a Regiment that has made a name for itself. "Here in the Philippines the sun shines brightly between typhoons and we keep on pushing the Japs back. The campaign is a long way from won, but things are looking up." George's address is: Cn. Co., 34th Inf., APO #24, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

George sent along the address of S/Sgt. Clyde Myers, who is stationed at Camp Robinson, Oklahoma. As George says, Clyde is the company supply sergeant, one

of the boys with the harassed look! Clyde is in Co. A, 656th Engineer Topo Bn.

From 39 Park St., Orono, Alice Smith writes that Charlie is now Capt. C. B. Smith, Jr., serving with an infantry division in France. "He has been awarded the Purple Heart (and has been slightly wounded twice since), and Bronze Star Medal. Since he went overseas last April, Dianne (now 14½ months old) and I have been visiting back and forth with Charlie's family here in Orono and my people in Parsonsfield, Maine. Dianne manages to keep me busy from dawn until dark." Alice adds that Brooks Brown is in the same infantry unit as Charlie, and that Brooks' wife is in Fort Worth.

Ernestine Carver Johnson sent along her new address: 412 McIver St., Greenville, So. Carolina. Lt. Johnson is an instructor to B-25 pilots at the Greenville Army Air Base.

A card from Garden City, New York, announces the arrival of Barbara Ann and Miggie and Bob Marston on Nov. 16th.

Lt. Paul R. Dumas, attached to a Field Artillery Air Observation Unit, has been awarded the Air Medal and one Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster.

Larry Kelley has retired from active duty, and has returned to the Kelley Paper Corp., Bellows Falls, Vt.

Lt. Frank H. Kneeland, Navigator on a B-24 Liberator Bomber, has been awarded the Air Medal. His present location is Kwajalein, Marshall Islands.

Capt. Kenneth W. Hodgdon writes from "Somewhere in France": "Happily married since April 5, 1944. Mrs. Hodgdon is from Lepanto, Arkansas."

Margaret Nichols is teaching French and Spanish at Wassookeag Prep School in Dexter this year. She lives on High Street in Dexter.

Clarence Emery has a new street address in Washington 6, D. C., and is now at 1309-17th St., N.W. He is still with the National Bureau of Standards, in charge of grading quartz before shipment.

Jack London is teaching at Hodgdon High School this year.

A Happy, Happy New Year to each and every one of you. May it be the year in which we find our dreams come true.

**1942** Secretary: Cpl. Barbara Savage, MCWR, AWRS 18, MCAS, Cherry Point, N. C.

Our big wish for the New Year is that 1945 will find more of you back home and maybe, possibly, that this year will come close to polishing off our enemies. Good luck to all of you in whatever your part is for this year of the war.

1st Lt. Dan Roberts, "The Colonel," found time to drop us a picture post card of the Eiffel Tower to send his regards to the class. "The Colonel" has been serving in the Signal Corps for more than three years from California to France, and has been overseas for more than a year now. For the last eight months, he has been with Supreme Hq. (called "Ike's Boys"), and although he hasn't seen any Maine men, he is on the track of a couple of them. In case anyone can track Dan down, here is his address: 1st Lt. Daniel C. Roberts, 0-1634264, Co. C., 3118, Sig Su Bn, SHAEF, APO 757, c/o P. M., New York, N. Y. Good luck to you, Dan.

Together with a Japanese dog tag souvenir came a nice letter from Dick Coffin who is "somewhere in Burma." Dick transferred from the Coast Artillery to the Signal Corps to spend a year and a half in schools all over the eastern half of the States. He joined his present outfit just before it shipped out and has had a year and a half overseas. Their route took them through North Africa, where Dick

met Johnny Barrows in Oran, and then on to India and Burma. He has been on the Ledo Road, but the rest of the story will wait until later to be told. Dick said that Rudy Haffner was with the 2nd Division so is probably in Germany now, that Charlie Keniston is in a Signal Depot outfit in North Africa, and that Don Johnson is "running his own show" in a base Ordnance section in or near London. Thanks, Dick, and best wishes to you.

From Charles Kimball, who left school in August, '41, to join the Army, comes the following news. "Received my basic training at Camp Lee, Va.; thence to Camp Livingston, La., in November of that year. That means I am starting on four years in the same camp, in the same organization. Almost a record, I would think. I worked in Personnel until May of this year and then started to work with Reconditioning as carried on at this camp. Not only do we Recondition white and colored American soldiers but try Reconditioning German Prisoners of War. As yet we have no overseas casualties to work with, but start working with boys from Infantry Replacement Training Center as this has been made an IRTC Camp a few days ago. Have been wondering what John Edmunds' address is. If carried in any copy of the *Maine Alumnus*, I must have missed it." Charles' address is M/Sgt. Charles N. B. Kimball, Medical Detachment, 189th Unit, Camp Livingston, La. Thanks for the interesting account of yourself and good luck, Charles.

From Bill Perry comes a Christmas greeting and a note of particular interest. Bill was married in September of 1943 to an Australian girl, Ina Bachovzeff, of Russian birth whose home is in Vladivostok, Siberia. Bill has been in the Southwest Pacific for over two years and when the war is over will bring his wife back to Maine where he is planning to finish

his senior year at the University. Bill's address is W. L. Perry, RM 2/c, Submarine Repair Unit, Navy 134, c/o Fleet Post Office, San Francisco, Calif. Lots of luck and happiness to you, Bill.

We have also received the announcement of the marriage of Virginia Hastings to Lt. (j.g.) Earl Droessler, USN, on September 23rd in Melbourne, Florida. This item may have been edited before, as our "files" in the wall locker get a little fouled up, but on any account, we extend our best wishes to Virginia and Earl.

This bit of good news was mislaid, for sure, in those "files," and I apologetically give you the information that Mr. and Mrs. Paul Billings are the parents of a little girl, Mary Ellen, born on August 15th. Our congratulations!

And on November 13th, Jean Marie Adams was born, the daughter of Capt. and Mrs. David Adams. Rita and David with their baby daughter are living at 1919 20th Ave., Gulfport, Miss. Congratulations to you both!

Ella Teague, whose address is 4 Lake Ave., Farmington, sends us the word that Barbara Rowe has been commissioned a 2nd Lt. in the Army Nurse Corps and is stationed at the AAF Station Hospital, Bradley Field, Conn.

We are happy to pass along the news that Mary Needham, of Old Town, and Robert Tackaberry, Jr., are engaged. Bob is now employed by the Bausch and Lomb Optical Co. in Rochester, N. Y.

From the Alumni Office, the following notes have come to us for you. J. Herbert Roberts has been promoted from the rank of Lt. (j.g.) to Lt. (s.g.). Lt. Roberts is at the present time at Cornell N. T. S., in charge of the Naval Curricula of the V-12 Medical students, also a liaison officer to the V-12 Medical students at the University of Syracuse and the University of Buffalo. Lt. Roberts returned

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in July from an eight-weeks training period on a destroyer in the Atlantic War Theatre.

Pfc. Richard MacLeod has been awarded the Purple Heart for wounds received in France.

Capt Radford W. Luther and Miss Janet Talkenhagen of Galveston, Texas, were married July 12th. Capt. Luther is stationed at Camp Polk, La. Our best wishes for happiness.

Stanley W. Johnson dropped us a card saying that Russell Johnson '42 is now back in the United States and until further notice his mail should be sent to 118 Main St., Sanford. Mr. Johnson has been with Curtiss Wright Corp., 8th Air Force Service Command, somewhere in England.

Aaron S Hurwitz sent us a card informing us that he is now at 166 Seaver St., Roxbury 21, Mass. Mr. Hurwitz is a dress salesman for the Princess Co., Boston.

Ann Rollins is at home at 75 Beals Ave., Ellsworth, and is teaching piano in that city.

Charles R. Davis has changed his address from Fort Lee, N. J., to 143 Lakeview Ave., Leonia, N. J.

And so, this is it for this month. Good luck and thank you for the letters and news.

**1943** Secretary: Joanne S. Graves, 65 Western Ave., Augusta, Me.

A few changes of address too late for your Christmas card list, but you can jot them down for Valentines.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Klucken, 46 Oak Grove Avenue, Springfield, Mass. Joe Goldberg has left Norwich and is now at

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852 46th St., Brooklyn, N. Y. Two other men in Brooklyn are Andrew Nowak at 249 23rd St., and David Hempstead at 678 E 22nd St. David who was incorrectly reported to be in the service is still an employee of Sperry Gyroscope Co., Inc. Arthur Beverage, Assistant Project Engr. for Curtiss Wright Corp., has a new address, 1115 Delaware Avenue, Buffalo 9, New York. Elizabeth Morgan, having left Arizona, is now at 558 So. Hope Street, Los Angeles 13, California. Frances Girard, one of the teachers on the staff at Machias, may be reached at Box 66, Machias. Mary Elizabeth Grady's address is Box 860, Winter Haven, Florida.

A nice letter came from Martha Page who is at Bridgton Academy, North Bridgton. Charlotte Morrison has been promoted to an Assistant Buyer at Filenes. Her address is still 59 Beacon Street, Boston.

A card from the McLearys at 523 E. Franklin, Chapel Hill, N. C., where they had just moved into a new apartment. To quote Gladie, "We're busy as bees. We've waxed floors, washed floors, woodwork, curtains, etc."

Just in time to make the column this month was a letter from Barb Stearns, R.F.D. #2, Box 152, Bangor, Maine. Barb and Phil plan to be married as soon as he is commissioned so Barb is helping her sister run a house and three children. Phil's address at Pensacola is. A/C Philip E. Johnson, U.S.M.R. Class 10-C44-P (c), Flight Brigade Bldg. #679 USNATC, Pensacola, Fla.

Jeanne Patten Whitten has been in California with John since October but Barb says she'll be back shortly and John will be on his way, they expect.

Jennie Bridges has been promoted to Corporal (Congratulations, Jennie!) and has a new address, 1230 Eleventh Ave., San Francisco, Calif.

Congratulations are also in order for Hank and Jimmie Shepard whose son, Merrill James, was born December 8 (Thanks for all that news, Barb)

Another '43 baby is Frank Coleman Belz, born April 8 to Herman and Harriet Ordway Belz. The baby's mother says he looks too much like his father to be anything but a Virginian, unfortunately enough for Maine. We won't give up hope yet, however. Harriet's address is c/o Capt H. W. Belz, Quarters 10, Fort Hancock, N. J., where they have just moved from Fort Wadsworth on Staten Island.

Doris Dixon and Lt Charles W. Griffith USNR were married November 14 in the base chapel at Norfolk. Doris writes that they have no permanent address as yet. Lt. Griffith comes from Birmingham, Alabama, where they plan to live after the war. She's right "it sure is going to be a long trip to class reunions."

Last April 1, Lt. Robert F. Keniston married Virginia Davis of Bethel.

Miss Helen Deering became the bride of Pfc. Edward H. Piper at the home of her parents late in November. Helen has returned to her teaching at Waldoboro High School while Ed is stationed at Camp Swift, Texas.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Lt. Adelaide Cinqmars A.N.C. of Dexter to Pvt. Millard O. Boss. Lt. Cinqmars is stationed "somewhere in France." Pvt. Boss is at Ft. George Meade, Maryland.

Having served as an officer in a cavalry unit which saw service in France, Claude H. Adams was honorably discharged in November and is now at home in Houlton.

Lt. Harold Whitley, Fortress Pilot, is back in the States after having completed

thirty missions over enemy territory. He has been awarded the D.F.C., Air Medal, Three Oak Leaf Clusters, and the Purple Heart. Now he is stationed at MacDill Field, Tampa, Florida.

Seth B. Willets received his degree of Dental Surgery from Georgetown University and his commission of Lt. (j.g.) in the Navy on September 17, 1944. At present he is at the Naval Training Station, Newport, Rhode Island.

From his mother, I hear the latest news about Lt. Frank Haines, 0-1166732, Hq. Command Motor Pool E.T.O.U.S.A., APO 887, c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y. When last heard from he was en route back to Paris having been resting in a hospital in London.

"Somewhere in Merry England" Icky Crane heads his letter although he describes it thus "This seems to be a bad time of year to be living here in tents without floors in the midst of famous English rains and mudholes. Today was grand because the sun came out for a few hours, but usually we are frozen and wet—I'd sure like to see Maine and snow right now." It looks fine, Icky. His address is Lt. Talbot H. Crane, 0-1595978, 567 Q.M. Railroad Co., APO 350, c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y.

Pat West dropped me a card with Bruz's address: Lt. Clifford West, Jr., USMCR, 4th J.A.S. Co., c/o Fleet Post Office, San Francisco. Bruz met Capt. Gordon Chase out there and would like to hear from some '43ers.

I felt quite pleased when Ed Gardner took time off on furlough to write about his whereabouts for the past two years. His first year of service he spent in a searchlight outfit in Buffalo, New York. Last spring they were sent to North Carolina and the outfit was shortly broken up. Most of the boys were sent to form several chemical battalions, Ed going to Camp Rucker, Alabama, to the 94th Cml. Bn. He says "It's a fighting outfit trained to dish out plenty to the Japs and Nazis." He is doing work in fire direction, aiding in the conduct of fire there at Camp Shelby, Miss., where they expect to receive orders for combat duty soon. Lawrence Leavitt '42 is also in the 94th. Don Wheeler had written to Ed from England where he has seen Sam Dyer, Don Johnson, and other Maine men. That furlough of Ed's should have been highly successful with fiancée Sallee Lyons present on vacation.

Last but not least was a letter from Lt. Lloyd F. Quint 0530062, Div. Hq., 82nd Airborne Division, APO 469, c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y. He graduated from OCS after a terrific hot summer at Fort Benning, along with Bud Leonard, Ed Robinson, Bud Inman, most of the R.O.T.C. Class of '43. After graduation he had a ten-day furlough when he got married to Mary Knight at Portland. After being stationed at Ft. Benning with the 131st Infantry a while, he was sent to join the 104th in Yuma, Ariz. After a couple months of maneuvers with that outfit in the California Desert he ended up in Colorado Springs where he was joined by his wife who had gone home while he was in Arizona. His letter continues, "In England I joined the 82nd Airborne Division which is the roughest, toughest, highly trained outfit in the world. After a few months we were off on a mission, the biggest airborne operation that had ever been attempted." Then he describes the landing and ensuing weeks. I'd like to print it word for word. In brief it was a magnificent performance. Lloyd's wife's address is Mary K. Quint, 67 College St., Portland 5, Maine.

We were sorry to hear that Dick Pierce is reported missing in action since Nov. 8 in Germany. Dick received his commission at Fort Benning, Ga., and became a 1st Lt. at Fort McClellan, Ala. From there he went to Fort Meade, Md., and then overseas in July. He has been stationed in France, Luxembourg, Belgium, and Germany and is attached to an infantry division.

That's all for this month. Don't break that New Year's resolution to write to your class secretary.

**1944** Secretary: Esther Randall,  
123 Longwood Ave., Brookline,  
Mass.

Another year seems to have rolled around again and let's hope this one brings us nearer to the end of the war.

Our congratulations go to Lt. Charles Lufkin, Bombardier in the A.A.C., who was recently awarded the Air Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters. At present Lt. Lufkin is based at Atlantic City, N. J.

The same award, Air Medal and three Oak Leaf Clusters, also goes to Lt. Everett Stevens, Navigator of a B-24. Hats off to both of you!

Jean McKinney wants her address changed from Arlington Farms, Virginia, to 16th St., N.W., Washington, D. C. Another change of address is that of Louise Cambridge, from Hillsboro, N. H., to 26 South St., Foxboro, Mass.

On New Year's Day the marriage of Betty Farris to Charles Jewett of Revere, Mass., will take place in Bath. Betty is doing steno work in the Public Works Department at the U.S.N. Station at Brunswick.

Here's another late report. On October 14th, Louise Hoyt and Lt. Joseph Findlen were married. Joe is now stationed at Camp Roberts in California, but I'm not sure of the definite address.

Via a clipping in the *Campus*, I noticed that Peg Chase and Red Morrill are a pair of the more recent brides and grooms. Where or when? You've got me there.

I'd just like to add at this point how much I appreciate all of the letters that have been coming my way lately. Honestly, they are really super and thanks loads.

Did you hear the latest? We have three new additions to our '44 family, two boys and a girl. A son, Robert, was born on November 22nd to Ed and Luella Poczulp (née Luella James). Sippie and Jug Houghton's bundle of joy is a baby girl, born in November. The other boy arrived in South Paris at the home of Claffy and George Millay. Congratulations, one and all!

While we're on the subject, Claffy wrote that George received his commission and is taking Navy indoctrination at Hollywood Beach Hotel, in Florida.

The Presidential campaign brought forth the fact that Elbie Davis is still going strong with his politics because he graced several of the class with numerous Dewey pamphlets via the mail!

Now for a wee bit about the adopted Bostonians. Peg Coffin dropped me a line to let me know that she is in Boston, 265 Clarendon St. Peg works at Liberty Mutual in Public Liability. From her letter, I got news of Betty Piper's whereabouts. She is working at Raytheon in Watertown, Mass., doing personnel work.

Flossie Boyle is taking the training course for American Airlines and lives at 438 W. 116th St., New York 27, N. Y. (actually on Columbia University Campus).

Edie Kagan, after a special training course, has gone to Portland to do social work.

Emma Broisman is working in Portland, too, at the Naval Supply Pier.

I've seen Ginny and Mac McIntire frequently and from them I learned that Rena and Curt McLelland are living in Boston on Park Drive. Curt is at Ingersoll Rand and Rena's working at Jordan-Marsh.

The McIntires have had a couple of visitors lately, Ed Morrison and Bob Emerson. Ed has his Army Commission and by this time he has no doubt landed on the opposite side of the Atlantic.

A couple of weeks ago, Martha Irvine was in Boston; so a gang of Maine-iacs descended upon Ginny and Paul McIntire for the evening. Their address is 1171 Boylston St., Boston, Mass.

Recently I saw Mid. Sal Hopkins; as a matter of fact, it was the first day she had been out of the hospital. She looked really super and at that time she expected to be discharged from Chelsea within a week or so. Following that, Sal receives her commission in the WAVES and an assignment at Pensacola, Florida.

Marcia Rubinoff is an Ensign in the WAVES and is living in New York City with Eva Woodbrey and Beth Taylor. Both Eva and Betty are working for Price Waterhouse.

Tommy Stotler wrote from England that Hank Shepard was England-bound in the near future. That's confirmed because Cuz and Max Carter saw Shep on his way to a P.O.E., prior to a c/o Postmaster address.

At long last, word from the "Prexy," Ted Phillips. He is in Radio School at Sampson, but when he wrote he was doing a 4:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m. stand in the galley. His mail goes to E. H. Phillips, S 2/c, Room 11-45, Service School Command, U.S.N.T.C., Sampson, N. Y. With Ted at Sampson is Harold Lown and also Prof. John Roberts, who's in the Ship's Company there.

Mike Dimitre was drafted into the Army, but after five weeks he got a discharge to take a Commission in the Navy. His address is: Ensign H. E. Dimitre, USNR, Batt. 2, Co. D, Bks. 12, Camp MacDonough, Plattsburg, N. Y.

Charlie Stickney wrote from Corpus Christi that he's just finished instrument training and expected to go on to advanced as a carrier pilot for the final squadron. Bob Ludwig is still with Charlie and they should finish up training about February. Charlie's address is: Av. Cadet C. E. Stickney, Class 9-B, 44C, Av. Cad. Reg., USNATB, Corpus Christi, Texas.

Tom Powers wrote that when he was stationed at Tyndall Field, he bumped into Huffo on the way home from mess. Huffo and Red Luther were taking the Cadet Gunnery Course there at that time, by the way. Very unofficially, I've heard since then that Huffo has been married. Back to Tom again, he got his Wings and Commission in the spring and is now at a Combat Crew Training Station for wind-up courses before the "big-trip" on a B-17. The address is: Lt. Tom Powers, 0-830917, Lee Group 2, Crew #36, 325th C.C.T.S. (H.B.), Avon Park A.A.F., Avon Park, Florida.

Miss Esther Germaine and Bill Brown were married on October 7th, in Portland. Recently, Bill got his call for overseas duty and mail goes to: S/Sgt. William Brown, 11079106, Co. A, 253rd Inf., APO 17826. c/o Postmaster, N. Y. C.

Ruthie Troland is working for Western Electric in New York City and her address is 412 West End Ave., New York 24, N. Y.

That's all for this month. Don't forget those V-mails and Air-mails for the fellows overseas.

**1945** Secretary: Constance L. Carter,  
North Estabrooke, Orono.

News of "Bud" Hale comes from U. S. Naval Reserve Midshipmen's School, New York. He also writes news of Bob Nelson who got his wings November 28, and of Waldo Gammell who received his in July.

I saw Al Smaha's brother on campus and he reports that Al is somewhere in Holland.

Pvt. Elmer Folsom writes from Mechanic School, Willow Run, Ypsilanti, Michigan, the Army Air Corps.

Priscilla Shaw is studying for her master's degree at Cornell, where she is taking Food Technology. 'Cil graduated from Maine last September.

A little late, but "Pat" DeWeaver Flagg of Baltimore has a son, Joseph Paluelli, 3rd, and "Twink" Kimball Hitchcock has a daughter, Candis Jean.

We were happy to learn that Pfc. Ben Warner was married to Martha Wolcott of Framingham State Teacher's College on September 30th, 1944. Ben's address is: Pfc. Ben I. Warner, 11129449, 3191st Sig. Serv. Co., ESCTC, Fort Monmouth, N. J.

Senior House Residents this year are Florence Armstrong at Delta Tau Delta House, Geraldine MacBurnie at Balentine Hall, Jenny Manson at Sigma Chi House, Ruth Hanson at The Elms, and Barbara Higgins at Colvin Hall.

"Uncle Hank" Packard is expected home for Christmas—the lucky fellow! His address at present is: S/Sgt. Henry Packard, 31398350, C. Btry., 394 FA BU, Fort Riley, Kansas.

Pvt. Dana Bunker has recently arrived safely in England where he is in the Infantry.

"Pete" Tscalotos writes of his great desire to come back to Maine. Pete is on the West coast now. His address is: Pfc. Peter Tscalotos, 11120020, Co. K, 343 Inf., APO 450, C. San Luis Obispo, Calif.

Pvt. Richard Danforth reports from "somewhere in the Marianas." His address is: Pvt. Richard Danforth, 11097248, ASN, Hq. and Base Si Sq., 65th Sv. Gp., APO 244, c/o P. M., San Francisco, Calif.

Louise Eastman Stackpole, now married to Philip Stackpole of the U. S. Army Air Corps, is living at 248 Rombach Ave., Wilmington, Ohio. She is going to night school and also teaching.

Pvt. "Budge" Patten is now stationed at Fort McClellan in the Infantry. His address is: Pvt. Morton Patten, 31472702, Co. B, 33rd Bn., 7th Reg., Fort McClellan, Alabama.

Petty Officer 3/C Romaine Littlefield visited us last week-end and is very enthusiastic about her life as a WAVE.

#### Undergraduate Classes

John H. Clement '46 has been given a medical discharge from active service with the Army. He has returned to the University to take up his college course again.

Recipient of the Air Medal recently was T/Sgt. Ernest A. Burke '46. He also shared with his flying mates in a Presidential Unit Citation for their aerial combat service.

The engagement of Miss Josephine Giunta of Lincoln, Neb., to Pvt. Vincent F. Petrie has been announced. Pvt. Petrie is stationed at Warrensburg, Mo., with the Army Air Forces. Miss Giunta is a graduate of St. Joseph School of Nursing, Omaha, Neb.

Tragic news from the underseas service is that Vinton J. Earl, '46, Seaman First Class in the submarine service, is missing in action. He was aboard a sub which is long overdue and considered by the Navy as lost. He was reported missing July 28.

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