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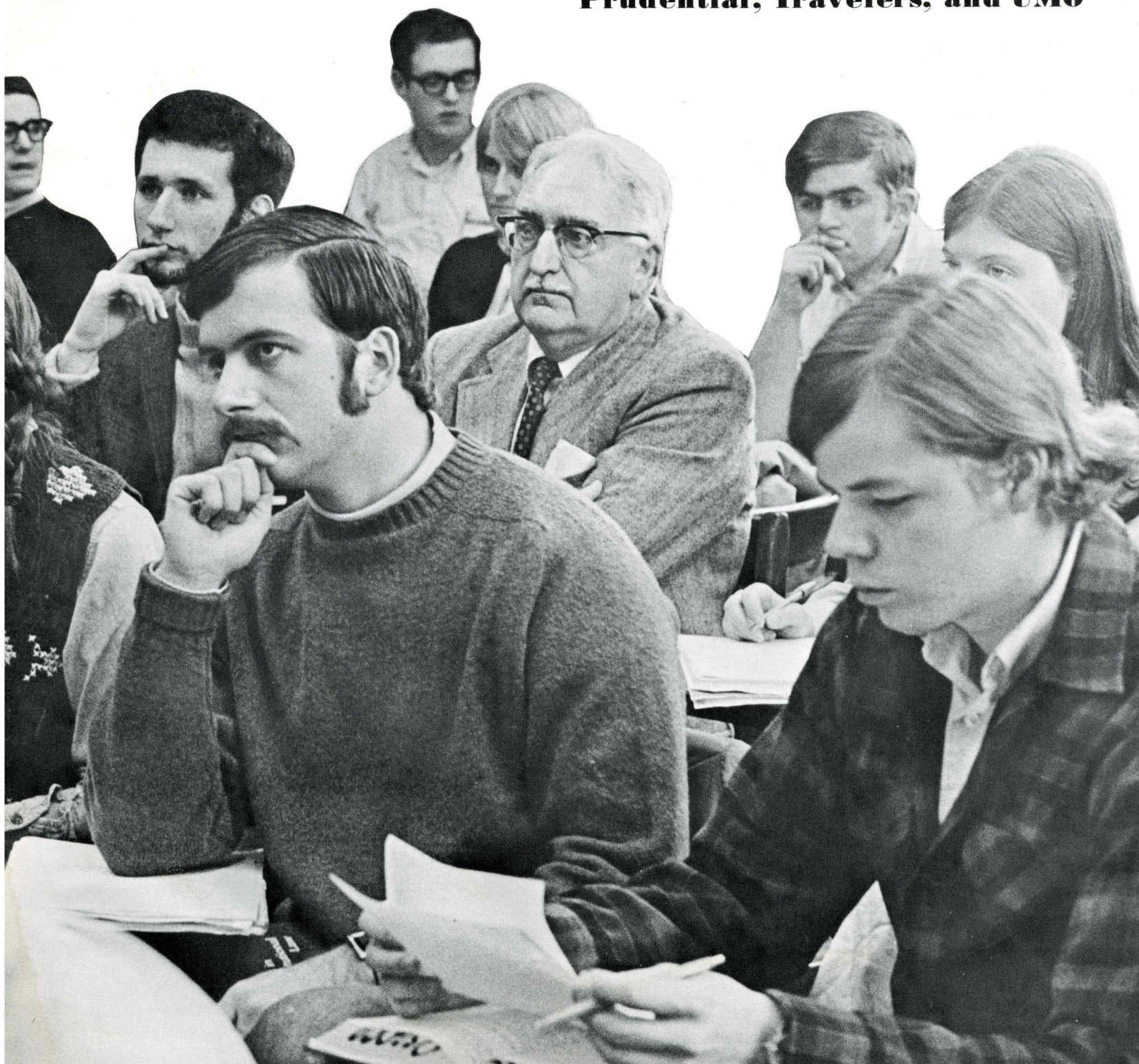
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**Dean Mark R. Shibles
Alumni Go Back to Class
What's New in Academia
Prudential, Travelers, and UMO**



a moment of truth

the truth is . . .

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National Chairman

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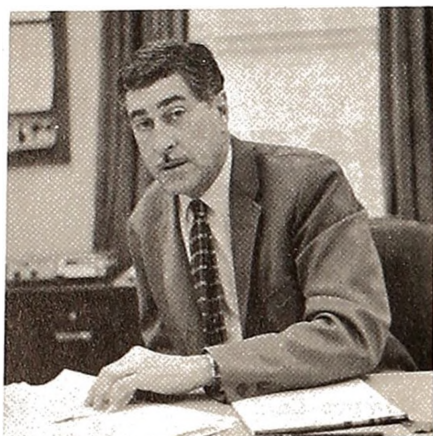
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On the cover:

First vice president of the General Alumni Association Albert M. Parker '28, center, attends a course, "Constitutional Law," taught by Professor Eugene A. Mawhinney '47, as part of a weekend in which the alumni council came back to college. A full schedule found the members attending classes, a panel discussion at lunch with President Winthrop C. Libby '32 and other administrators, a dinner with former Distinguished Faculty Award winners, and a talk session with students.

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DIRECTOR'S CORNER

Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid . . .

Economic pressures at both ends of college careers face young people in Maine today. Alumni opinion and action can be important at both of these pressure points facing this college generation.

Those at the outset of a college career may face reduced opportunity in Maine if the support from tax sources for the state's university system is diminished. Opinion voiced recently in Augusta tended to suggest that the University might well look to a period of consolidating gains made in recent years. Budgets face cuts and, more important, suggestions have been offered that enrollments should be held down for the next biennium.

This may well be the counsel of moderation and wise use of public money that lawmakers feel is the will of the people at this time. But such a course should be evaluated in terms of diminished opportunity for Maine's next college generation. It calls for a thoughtful look to the future, a careful consideration of whose son and whose daughter will face the future job market with less than the full educational preparation needed to compete successfully with young people from other states and from private colleges.

Alumni and friends of the university who ponder the right to college training of the increasing waves of high schoolers in these next two years should make decisions now as to whether they speak up for the university. Next fall will be too late. The course to which the university will be committed will be determined in these next months in Augusta.

And as for students who are ready for graduation this June, here, too, alumni and friends can offer their help. At this writing the University Career Planning and Placement Service reports that fewer seniors are placed at this time than at any time for a decade. This is no different from what other seniors face this June in other states. But it poses a challenge to all who have a stake in the university and the State of Maine.

For all alumni and friends this is especially the time to remember the reputation held by the graduates of UMO for building successful careers in the worlds of business, the professions, and public service. And they build these successful careers only because they are "best buys" in the employee market. They give great value for what they receive.

If you have any employment opportunities in your own business, or if you even know of a good lead, get in touch with Phil Brockway, who heads the Placement Service. Our seniors and graduate students will cer-

tainly be grateful to alumni for their help.

While we are talking about "quality" at UMO, alumni will be pleased to learn that the process for selecting a recipient for the alumni association Distinguished Faculty Award has undergone a complete re-study this year.

The association again offers a \$1,500 award to encourage and recognize excellence in teaching at UMO. The selection process remains in the hands of the university and it is this aspect of the project which has been re-evaluated by a study committee set up by President Libby. Under the new procedures there is an increased component of participation in the selection process by the administration, the faculty and the various colleges of the university. Nominations are made by students as part of the spring general elections and will then go through a rigorous evaluation process to select a representative faculty member to receive the association's award in June.

At its February meeting the Alumni Council accepted the plan proposed by the University and voted favorably on President Libby's suggestion that the new selection process be studied again after being given a three-year trial.

*Don Stewart '35
Executive Director*

Dean Mark R. Shibles

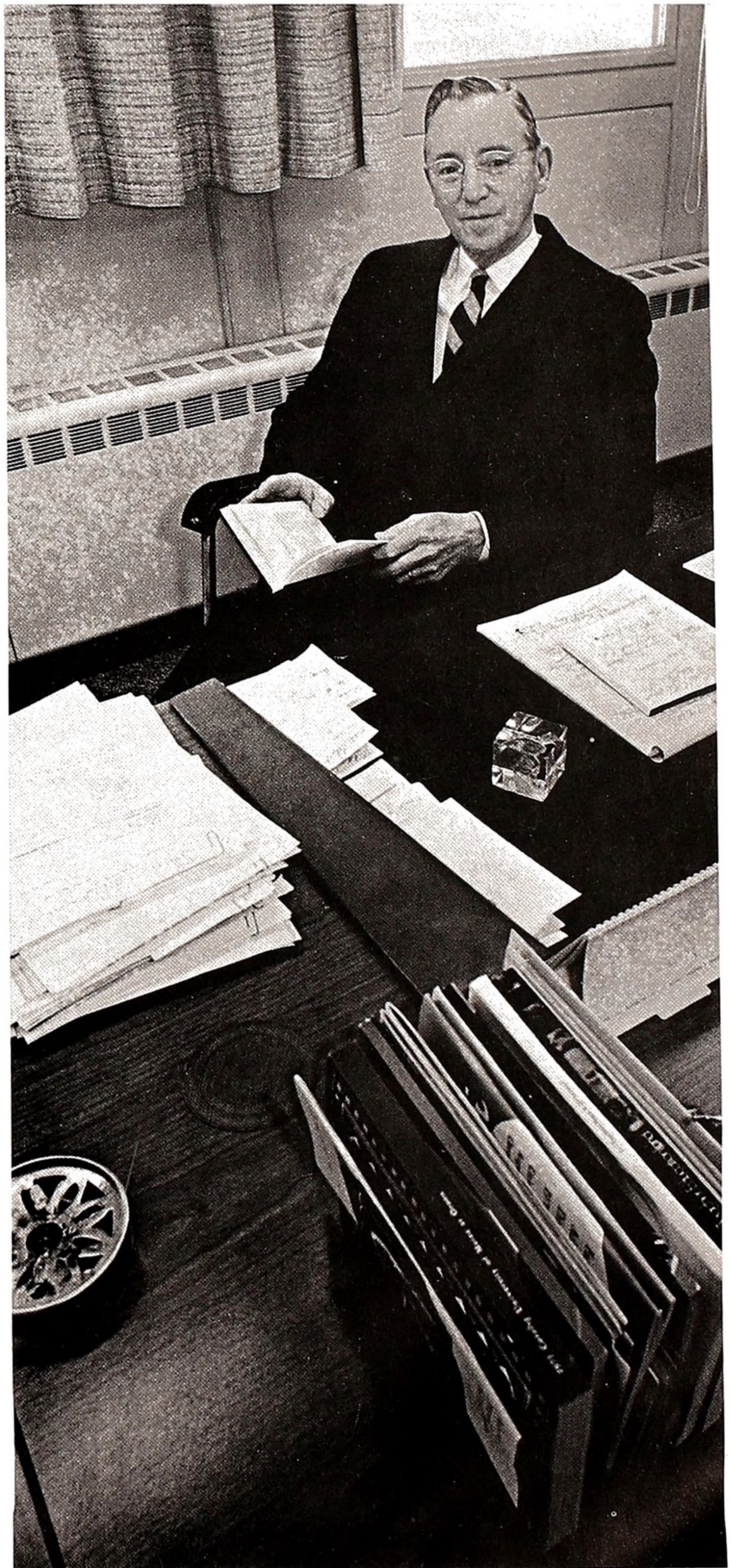
By Kenneth F. Woodbury,
President, General Alumni Association

The Saturday of Reunion Weekend, June 12, 1971, at three o'clock in the afternoon, a building on the Orono Campus in which hundreds of students have gone to class will be dedicated to a man known and loved by thousands of our alumni. When Mark R. Shibles walks out of the education building in June, his name over the door will preserve for generations to come the identity of the man whose character is indelibly stamped on the College of Education at the University of Maine at Orono. This, in a way, may be achieving a measure of immortality.

Mark, as he is known to his many friends, is about to retire from his position as Dean at UMO. In September, 1971, he will accept a new challenge as professor of education at Westfield State College in Massachusetts. In this new position he will work closely with a former student, Robert J. Saisi, head of the department of education at Westfield. During the 1950s Mr. Saisi received both his bachelor's and master's degrees in the College of Education at Orono.

When Mark Shibles began his work here in 1947, the School of Education offered a two-year program of studies with 115 juniors and seniors enrolled, fewer than a dozen graduate students, a summer session enrollment of about 550, and a faculty of five in addition to the dean. Their quarters were located in Stevens Hall, South.

The education building we have today was built in 1961. The School of Education has become a college, fully accredited, and now has an



enrollment of 1635 undergraduate students, 118 full-time graduate students, and a faculty of 48, approximately 85 per cent of whom hold earned doctorates. In addition, there are 545 undergraduate students in other colleges of the university at Orono who are taking courses in education and over 800 part-time continuing education and summer session graduate students in the same field. The summer session now has an enrollment of more than 4,000 students.

It is his summer school people who really get to know the other Dean Shibles. In addition to his being the promoter of education, in the summer time especially he becomes the promoter of Maine. When he invites leading men in the field of education to visit UMO, he sells them not only education at Maine, but also lobster feeds and fishing trips.

Fishing is the dean's real big love. His favorite is fly fishing for trout and salmon. Every year he takes the men on his summer session faculty on a trout fishing trip to Falls Gully, Quebec. It is about a nine-hour drive, up to Van Buren, across to Quebec, along the Cascapedia River, to the mountains. When they finally get there, they pile out of the cars and hear Mark Shibles say, "Go fishing now. Unpack later."

Among his frequent fishing companions are Warren G. Hill, chancellor for higher education for the State of Connecticut, and Lincoln A. Sennett, president of the University of Maine at Machias. In the words of Lincoln Sennett, "my recollection of a cook stove, wired together, full of dry hard maple, burning brightly on a hot summer evening, with Mark and Oscar in the upper bunk and Warren and me in the lower, are extremely vivid."

Warren Hill warned me to "lay to rest the false rumor that the dean has subsidized his summer session programs by the sale of night crawlers to his fishing friends. While the prices have been unquestionably outrageous, there is no need to conclude the proceeds were used to underwrite the deficiencies in the dean's budget."

Dr. Hill then became serious and said, "I wish I could detail the great good this evangelical educator has done for the State of Maine over an extended period of time. I know of no one who has made a greater contribution to education in the Pine Tree State."

Dr. Sennett added, "his vision in educational matters has been the blueprint that moved public education forward in Maine for the past quarter century, for which we are all grateful."

Another admirer of Mark Shibles, Howard

Bowen '24, former associate deputy commissioner of education for the State of Maine, described the dean's enormous contribution to education by his hard work on behalf of the so-called "Sinclair Act of 1957." He traveled the state urging communities to cross town lines for the operation of schools, a new concept in public education. For six years he served as chairman of the State School District Commission until it was, by law, absorbed by the State Department of Education in 1963.

It might be said that he was personally responsible for the formation of a number of the earlier school administrative districts and has had an influence on all seventy-six now in operation. Among the lasting results of his endeavors are the vastly expanded secondary school opportunities available to Maine youth.

Born in Knox, Maine, and a graduate of Belfast High School, Dean Shibles received his B.A. degree from Colby College in 1929. He started out as assistant principal and teacher in the Bates Junior High School, Middleboro, Massachusetts. In 1931 he became principal of Butler Elementary School in Mattapoisett, Massachusetts. After these years of practical experience he went to Boston University, where he received his master's degree in education in 1935. In 1942 he became superintendent of schools in Belmont, Massachusetts. And in 1947 he came to the university as professor of education and dean of the School of Education. Both of his alma maters have awarded him honorary degrees, Colby College the Doctor of Humane Letters in 1954 and Boston University the Doctor of Science in 1955.

He believes that the prime role of the College of Education in the next decade will be its graduate program. Under his leadership four doctoral areas have been developed and a fifth one is in the planning stage. UMO is at present the only northern New England University that offers the doctor's degree in education.

It was due to the effort of Dean Shibles that many experimental programs have been initiated cooperatively with the College of Education and various schools. In 1961 a Ford Foundation grant of a half million dollars was given to develop team teaching. This was begun in the Orono elementary school along with some eight or ten other schools in all sections of Maine.

His most recent experimental thinking concerns a more economical and practical course for students in education. In the seventies he would like to see much of the work now done in the fresh-

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One of the troubles with education is that too many people have gone to school. That makes trouble because most of them went to school a long, long time ago, but simply because they did go to school they believe they know how to run one.

If the local PTA is a headache to your grammar school administration because so many of today's parents managed to complete the eighth grade, imagine how much more irritating a gang of college alumni can be to a college administration! Today's college-educated parents graduated in a time when most of us thought that was a major accomplishment (and it really was), so, naturally, we think we are eminently qualified to run a college.

We probably are, but before we start we might be smart to get a firsthand taste of what today's college students are really like, and what actually goes on in today's classroom.

In February the governing council of the Alumni Association decided that it would hold its mid-winter meeting in Orono this year, and make it a two-day event. The idea was that the council even more than any other alumni, should be right up to date on what makes the university tick these days.

President Winthrop Libby and his associates at the University of Maine in Orono had enough confidence in both the students and the faculty to turn this bunch of hard-headed (that's what we like to call ourselves) alumni loose on campus to experience what is happening there.

I have good news. There is a lot happening in Orono, and it is GOOD.

I was fortunate enough to be one of those invited to roam the campus, go to classes, devour Bill Wells' food, and spend hours talking to—and more hours listening to—students. It was an inspiring and enormously encouraging personal experience.

If you have been depressed, frustrated, worried or discouraged by some of the things some students and some faculty have been doing at some colleges, or if you have been listening to some of the intellectually deprived celebrities in Washington, forget it.

Go to Orono and see for yourself. Go to a class. The university welcomes you. Go to any class. Get right in amongst them.

That's what some of us did in February. I tried to make it a genuine test. I took the course in the History of England 39 years ago, and, although it was the only course in which I made notes while I was sound asleep, managed to wind

ALUMNI GO BACK TO CLASS

by J. Edward DeCourcy '34

up with a decent grade. So, since the university still offers that course, it made sense to see how many students still take notes in their sleep.

Nobody does. There were 49 students in that class, and from my vantage point in a rear seat I watched vigilantly. Nobody even dozed. Nobody could. Here was no dull lecture mechanically droned with emphasis on who begat whom or what regiment squirmed on what hill in what year.

No. Millie Stewart, an alumna who went to that class with me, and I witnessed the trial of Oliver Cromwell, real, live with the accused, witnesses, attorneys for the prosecution and for the defense, a gripping, exciting confrontation. It was obvious that a score of students had done their homework. They had to know the full and intimate details of Cromwell's defiance of the king, who was there as a witness by the way, but they had to know what was going on in England and Scotland at the time, the economy, social forces, politics, religion, because they were involved in sharp cross-examination.

Maybe Dr. William J. Baker, the Oxford-trained professor who steered these students and sat as judge, has a keen perception of what television has done to today's minds. Maybe that's why he knows how to hold the attention of serious students and thus how to impart knowledge. That's what he did, in a class that was more exciting than anything I've managed to catch on television, and a class that left his students so filled with the events of Cromwell's time that afterward they walked down the corridor of that beautiful wooden (what else?) Forestry Building overflowing with observations about parallel events in the world today.

If that's the kind of teaching that's going on

at the University of Maine, and I know it is in that class because I experienced it, I'm not worried about the university's academic performance.

But what about the students? I'm convinced that there is no such thing as a typical college student. There wasn't 40 years ago, and I believe there is even less likelihood that there is now. Their attitudes, backgrounds, opinions, beliefs, aspirations, hopes, motives and morals are so varied that even a computer couldn't come up with a dozen who are identical.

After two days mingling, studying, eating, listening, talking with them, I'm as encouraged about the students as I am about their classes.

These students are serious, vigorous, alert, mature, and intellectually sharp. They want a better university and a better world, and they intend to get both by building them without tearing them down first.

Somebody described the job of today's college administration as that of a town that has voted to build a new school, to build it on the site of the present school, build it out of the materials in the present school, and to build it without interrupting classes in the present school.

It's an apt description, and from what I experienced at Orono in February among administration, faculty and students, Maine can do it.

What's New in Academia?

NEW METHODS

Many old courses are being taught in new ways at Orono. Innovative methods are being tried and found effective. Professor Douglas Gelinas has introduced an audio-tutorial approach to the study of botany. The English department has instituted evening workshops for any student with writing problems, a volunteer effort under the direction of Professor Constance Carlson assisted by senior English majors. At the University of Maine in Bangor developmental studies are offered, a back-up program providing remedial courses as needed while regular work is in progress. The University of Maine at Augusta offers "Understanding the Arts," a course in which three men in a team teach art, music, and theatre not as three different courses, but in relationship. Television introduces students simultaneously in several zoology laboratories to the activity of the day, with close-ups and microscopic views normally impossible with large groups.

NEW CURRICULUM

The College of Arts and Sciences faculty on March 15 adopted a new set of requirements, the first major academic reform in this college since 1945. The new rules will become effective beginning with the class of 1972.

In the future students will be required to take a minimum of one year's work in each of five fields: fine arts, speech and drama; foreign lan-

guage; social science; natural science and mathematics; and humanities. This reduces the requirements in social science, natural science, and foreign language from two years to one. In cases where an incoming freshman proves proficiency in a foreign language, he may be excused from required language study.

Under the new rules students will have a broader choice of electives, and enrollment pressures on a small number of required freshman-sophomore courses will be reduced.

NEW THRUST

Recognizing that racial and ethnic issues appear as a common factor in many of the most serious problems in the United States today, and responding to the need for a closer relationship between universities and the society in which they exist, the Council of Colleges at UMO formed a committee to study the feasibility of inaugurating an academic program designed to analyze minority problems in America. The report of this committee was approved at the February meeting and referred to appropriate units for review and implementation.

The committee recommended the establishment of an introductory course in minority studies, a minority studies major, and extensive field experience.

The introductory course, designed for one semester, would focus on the minority problems of contemporary USA, provide a social science



Developmental studies at University of Maine, Bangor



Audio-tutorial lab in botany at UMO

analysis of minority group derivation, and allow study in depth of selected minority groups.

The minority studies major would be an interdisciplinary program, utilizing 45 courses already offered in a wide variety of fields. In addition, 26 new courses have been proposed. Students would receive academic credit for field experience, which would be an integral part of the major. It would be research and/or action oriented. Seminars would be provided for analysis, synthesis, and evaluation of the field experience.

NEW BASE

The old division of studies into colleges and departments that favors in-depth study of a subject has been found unwieldy for the study of some of the most pressing issues before society today. Study of the environment and of minority groups, for example, are carried out better from an in-breadth perspective than from the traditional in-depth one. UMO is discovering that it is well placed to provide an interdisciplinary base: small enough to be flexible and large enough to provide the variety that is needed.

The Center for Environmental Studies was established last year at UMO as an interdisciplinary unit. It has stimulated a number of new curricular efforts which draw from the resources of several departments. It provides a new base for seeking new knowledge through cooperative research on environmental problems. This approach does not cancel out the need for departmental disciplines, but makes possible a wider and more immediate use of these areas of knowledge.

NEW OUTREACH

A university that is renewing its inner life must at the same time be sensitive to its outer community. In the state of Maine 31 percent of the population earn \$5,000 or less annual income. Only 7 percent from this group are currently enrolled as students at UMO. Attacking this inequity is a UMO initiated program called Onward, which enables us to search out, bring in, and sustain some students who never thought they had a chance to go to college.

This year 15 students were brought in under this program. With limited funds available, Onward does not yet have an extensive outreach. Nevertheless, to those 15 students, a chance has been given to prepare for a future they could not otherwise have hoped for.

NEW TIMING

A university that can be flexible in its approach can also become flexible in its time requirements. Not all students need to put in identical classroom time to end up with the same amount and quality of knowledge in a given field.

Under the College Level Examination Program (CLEP) of the College Board, students may be granted up to one year of academic credit, on the basis of performance on examinations, for learning acquired through non-traditional study, such as independent study, correspondence work, and work experience. This plan is especially attractive to adults beginning work towards a degree.

This summer high-ranking incoming freshmen will be given a chance to take CLEP examinations

Teaching electronic music composition with the aid of a Putney synthesizer at the University of Maine, Augusta.



for college credit. Improvements in high schools and the performance of students make it possible for outstanding students to omit the freshman year and earn a baccalaureate degree in three years.

NEW EMPHASIS

With the coordination of the former state colleges and the university into a state-wide system, each campus is developing its areas of strength, helping to avoid unnecessary duplication and provide greater excellence on each campus.

While the Board of Trustees voted in December, 1969, to develop further the strengths of the Orono campus in all areas, looking to the future it called particularly for new doctoral programs and research opportunities at Orono as one of the two graduate centers in the system.

At UMO master's degrees are now offered in arts, science, engineering, teaching, education, agricultural and resource economics, business administration, library service, mechanical engineering, and public administration. The doctor of philosophy degree is now available in animal nutrition, chemical engineering, chemistry, civil engineering, forest resources, history, oceanography, physics, plant science, general and experimental psychology, clinical psychology, and zoology. Doctor of education programs are available in guidance and counseling, language arts, social studies education, and science education.

In prospect are doctoral programs in geological sciences and educational administration when resources become available. E. L.

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man year made a part of the high school program in some areas. The college course could then be completed in three years.

"This bold move would be a challenge to the college, to the high school, to the profession, and to the student," says Dean Shibles. "It could result in a saving of time, money and other resources. It would enable the student to move into advanced graduate work earlier and make his extended educational contribution felt that much sooner."

A description of what Mark Shibles has done for education would not be complete without a description of what Mark Shibles, himself, is like in the eyes of some of those who know him best. To borrow the words of a young friend, "he is the warmest, most compassionate man I know." He is a man who will get to know his student so well that after six or eight years he will know that student's name, his wife's name, and probably even the names of their children. Through

the process of growth in numbers in the College of Education, he has never lost his genuine interest in and concern for each student. No matter how large a class he may be teaching, as a professor in the classroom he has kept the knack of talking to the individual student.

As a dean he never forgot what it was like to be a professor. As a professor he never forgot how it felt to be a public school teacher. As a person, he has never forgotten what it feels like to be a student.

On behalf of its many thousand alumni, **The Maine Alumnus** salutes:

MARK R. SHIBLES—MASTER TEACHER

May the road rise to meet you.
May the wind be always at your back.
May the sun shine warm upon your face,
the rain fall soft upon your fields
and until we meet again may God hold you in the palm of his hand.



America's major insurance companies are headed by Maine men: Kenneth C. Foster '34, president of the Prudential Insurance Company and Roger C. Wilkins '29, chairman and chief executive officer of the Travelers Corporation.

PRUDENTIAL, TRAVELERS, AND UMO

ROGER C. WILKINS '29

A man who becomes chairman and chief executive officer of one of the 25 largest corporations in the United States naturally becomes also an object of curiosity. Who is he? What sort of man is he? How did he get there?

Roger Carson Wilkins has been a member of The Travelers organization 40 years, accepting and fulfilling one responsibility after another with cumulative competence. The Travelers has been his only business affiliation, for he joined the Companies even before his graduation from the University of Maine. Having completed his course in three and a half years, he had no reason to be on campus until awarded his bachelor of arts degree in June.

Born in Houlton, he was one of four children of a father who was part-owner of a wholesale hardware concern. His mother, a native of New Brunswick, died when he was four. Most of his rearing was administered by a stepmother, a

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KENNETH C. FOSTER '34

One of the first things Kenneth C. Foster did on becoming president of the Prudential Insurance Co. last year was to tell an interviewing reporter: "I got my bachelor's degree at the University of Maine, where I majored in economics. In those days, as today, individual professors had a great deal of influence on their students.

"The most important influence in my early life was a professor named John H. Magee, who wrote two definitive books on insurance. He was a great man and a great teacher. By the time I left school, I wanted only to go into the insurance business."

Associates say that his dedication to the insurance field has been as persistent through the years as his Down East accent.

Foster left Orono in 1934 and arrived at Prudential just four years, three insurance jobs and a master's degree from Columbia later. His first post was assistant manager in the company's

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Roger Wilkins
1929 Prism



Kenneth Foster
1934 Prism

WILKENS

girl from Nova Scotia, whom the elder Wilkins wed when Roger was seven.

His first association with The Travelers was in the Mortgage Loan Department in the Home Office, from where, within less than a year, he was sent to McAlester, Oklahoma.

A neophyte could not have walked into an unholy mess. It was the agricultural depression of the 'twenties, the time of "The Grapes of Wrath," when farm foreclosures were multiplying by the thousands. Farmers were queuing up at the counters of their mortgagees moaning, "Take the place. It's yours. I'm through."

The Travelers had acquired no less than 3,000 farm mortgages in Oklahoma and Texas. Roger Wilkins and his associates convinced the mortgagors to hang on, financed the purchase of new equipment, organized crews of carpenters and painters to restore buildings, and otherwise strove to create efficiency out of chaos.

From Oklahoma, Mr. Wilkins removed in 1932 to Dallas, there to establish a Mortgage Loan office. There, too, he met a Miss Evelyn McFadden, who had come from Commerce, Texas, to be a secretary in The Travelers Group Department. Within a year they were married. (They have a daughter, Susan Jane, a graduate of Wellesley, who is married to Charles E. Griffith, Jr. of the Irving Trust Company of New York City. They have two children).

In the mid 'thirties he returned to the Home Office as assistant manager of the Mortgage Loan Department. Now he proceeded to establish Mortgage Loan offices throughout the Midwest—The Dakotas, Nebraska, Minnesota—to supervise the rehabilitation of troubled farms on which the Companies held mortgages.

A hiatus in Mr. Wilkins' career with The Travelers occurred during World War Two, when he joined the Navy, became an intelligence officer, and from an aircraft carrier in the Pacific helped plan aerial raids on the enemy. On his discharge he held the rank of lieutenant.

In 1953 he was appointed secretary of the Mortgage Loan Department, and a year later, vice president. Gladden W. Baker, then vice president and treasurer, recognized Mr. Wilkins' abilities and gave him free rein, relying on him increasingly in matters of property investment—urban as well as rural, including many of the Companies' biggest real estate enterprises.

At a dedication ceremony Mr. Baker, chairman of the affair, said, "Among aviators and astronauts, when things are going smoothly and ev-

everything is OK, the word is 'Roger.' Not so with us earthbound creatures of The Travelers. When things are getting rough and uncertain—that's when we yell 'Roger.'"

In 1965 Mr. Wilkins became a senior vice president and three years thereafter succeeded Mr. Baker, retired, as chairman of the Finance Committee and a member of the Board of Directors.

Mr. Wilkins' hobbies are horticulture, fishing and golfing. His opinion of his prowess as a golfer is shaded by modesty: "I'm not much good." This judgement is not shared by those who have played with or against him. His favorite partner, however, is Mrs. Wilkins.

It is as a gardener that he is best known, for he can be called an authority on rhododendrons, which he raises from seedlings and cross-breeds on his ten-acre place at Avon in the Farmington Valley. His second love among the flora are azaleas, which he also raises in abundance.

His love of fishing, of course, comes naturally. His father's store stocked the best of fishing equipment, so Roger was never an angler with bamboo pole, bent pin and kitchen string. He has fished for trout in Labrador, Northern Quebec, Montana and Idaho, and for salmon in the Gaspé.

Mr. Wilkins is not a tall man. The best movers, they say, are the shorter men, who are better able to get under a load and move it. He has the deep-creased facial lines of an outdoorsman, a farmer, say, or a seaman. His grey eyes, peering through the tops of bifocals, gleam with alert attention.

Long before he became chairman, his prominence and dependability in community life made him not unlike the bulletin post on a village green. He's been tacked with directorships in such diverse institutions as an art museum, a women's college, a psychiatric hospital, a gas company, an urban renewal project and two banks.

No job has been too big for him. That includes the one he holds now.

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Newark agency, where he worked by day while attending law school at night.

And with the exception of some four years as an Army officer during World War II, he has been with Prudential ever since. In 1946 he was named manager of field services for the company. In 1950 he was elected a vice president, and held that rank in the ordinary agencies, district agencies and group insurance departments. In 1958 he was promoted to senior vice president

in charge of group insurance operations, a post he held until 1965 when he was placed in charge of the company's western operations in Los Angeles. He returned to Newark in 1967 upon his promotion to executive vice president in charge of marketing.

And on April 14, 1970 he was elected president of Prudential, a job officially described as "alternate to the chairman of the board and chief executive officer, and chief operating officer for marketing and administration."

He is responsible for a group of sales people who wrote more than \$17 billion of life insurance last year, setting another of Prudential's many industry records, and he heads a staff of specialists who administer \$157 billion of insurance in force.

He is also a member of Prudential's board of directors, president and director of PRUCO, Inc., (the company's downstream holding company), chairman of the Prudential Property and Casualty Insurance Co., and a director of Prudential's Gibraltar Fund.

His "extracurricular" duties, as president of Prudential, are far-flung. He was appointed by President Nixon to the National General Services

Public Advisory Council and serves on the national board of directors of the Boys' Clubs of America. He is active on the National Council of the National Planning Assn., the advisory council of Columbia University's Graduate School of Business, and is a member of the Economic Club of New York. He was recently named regional co-chairman of the National Conference of Christians and Jews.

Orono might seem to be long ago and far away. But Foster isn't so sure himself. Could it be that today's polished speaker got something out of Maine Masque? Could the head of one of the largest marketing organizations have gotten a few sales insights as advertising manager of his college yearbook? Or is it possible that the young man from Augusta who represented Sigma Alpha Epsilon on the Inter-fraternity Council and served as secretary of both the IFC and the Student Senate could have obtained some of his training in leadership there?

If nothing else, it could just be that the young man who was manager of the UMO track team is now managing what he would like to think is the fastest running team of insurance men in the world.

WHAT THEY'RE READING AT UMO

Information supplied by University Bookstore

UNIVERSITY OF MAINE AUTHORS

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| 1. Maine Becomes a State | RONALD BANKS |
| 2. A History of Maine | RONALD BANKS |
| 3. Fast Carriers | CLARK REYNOLDS |
| 4. I Was a Summer Boarder | RUTH CROSBY |
| 5. Decision of Destiny | WALTER SCHOENBERGER |

ECOLOGY BOOKS

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| 1. Population Bomb | PAUL EHRLICH |
| 2. Environmental Handbook | GARRETT DE BELL |

EDUCATION BOOKS

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| 1. Crisis in the Classroom | CHARLES SILBERMAN |
| 2. Teaching as a Subversive Science | NEIL POSTMAN |

TEN BEST SELLERS

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| 1. Everything You Always Wanted to Know About Sex—But Were Afraid to Ask | DAVID REUBEN |
| 2. Dibs-In Search of Self | VIRGINIA AXLINE |
| 3. The Prophet | KAHLIL GIBRAN |
| 4. Listen to the Warm | ROD McKUEN |
| 5. Knots | R. D. LAING |
| 6. The Greening of America | CHARLES REICH |
| 7. Tolkien Series
The Hobbit
The Fellowship of the Ring
The Two Towers
The Return of the King | J. R. R. TOLKIEN |
| 8. The Godfather | MARIO PUZO |
| 9. Whole Earth Catalog | |
| 10. Muskie | THEO LIPPMAN |

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ROBERT WORRICK '43 DIES

Robert Clifton Worrick, director of student aid at UMO, died unexpectedly at his Orono home on March 1. He was 50 years old.

President Winthrop C. Libby '32 said, "Working through the University of Maine, Robert Worrick devoted a quarter of a century to the welfare of college men and women. Known by thousands of students, he was respected for his thoughtfulness, his sincerity, his conscientiousness, and his deep concern for the welfare of college students. He handled his responsibilities with loyalty and rare distinction. I considered Bob a personal friend and his sudden death is a sad shock to all of us. He will be badly missed by the entire university community, as well as by his family."

While an undergraduate at the University of Maine, Bob Worrick served as president of the Maine Christian Association and was a member of Phi Mu Delta fraternity, Alpha Zeta honor society, Scabbard and Blade, the Agriculture Club, Forestry Club and the

Maine Outing Club. He also served as secretary of the General Student Senate and Interfraternity Council, as a proctor of North Hall, and a member of the Senior Advanced ROTC.

Born in Boston, Mass., he was a graduate of Wellesley High School, Wellesley, Mass. He was on the university faculty for 25 years, first serving as administrative assistant to handle problems pertaining to student housing and student welfare. From 1943 to 1946 he served in the U. S. Army. Returning to UMO he became assistant to the dean of men. In 1951 he returned to the service of his country as an Air Force Captain. Retiring from military service in 1953, he became assistant director of student aid and was later appointed director. He also served as advisor to foreign students. He had been president of the Orono Junior Chamber of Commerce and was a past state treasurer of the Maine Jaycees.

Survivors include his wife, Roberta (Smith), his mother, two sons, one daughter, one sister, one aunt, one uncle and two grandchildren. A memorial service was held on March 5 at the Church of Universal Fellowship, Orono.

Contributions to the Robert C. Worrick Scholarship Fund are being received by the Student Aid Office, c/o Bryce W. Grindle, assistant director of student aid. The fund will be used for undergraduate students who are in need of financial assistance at UMO.

APRIL TRUSTEES MEETING

Action taken by the Board of Trustees at its April 9th meeting at the University of Maine at Farmington included:

The University of Maine at Augusta will become a separate, independent unit of the University of Maine system, effective July 1, continuing its role as a two-year community college. Provost Lloyd J. Jewett '56 will be given the new title of president.

Dr. Fred B. Knight '49 was named director of the School of Forest Re-

sources at UMO, replacing Dr. Albert D. Nutting '27 who will retire in June.

At UMO the chemical engineering building was named Lyle C. Jenness Hall, the forest resources building Albert D. Nutting Hall, and the education building Mark R. Shibles Hall.

STUDENT ACTIVITY FEE

A new statement of policy for the student activity fee has been developed by the Office of the Dean of Student Affairs and approved by the leaders of the major governmental groups on campus, effective April 1:

1. The compulsory undergraduate activity fee shall be continued at the present level (\$6.00 per semester).
2. All programs financed from this fund shall be of beneficial interest to the student body and shall be University related. No funds shall be allocated to programs or projects which are in violation of local, state or federal laws, or which are not under the direct control and management of student governmental organizations.
3. The funds may not be used, directly or indirectly, for partisan political purposes.
4. Each governmental unit receiving funds shall prepare an annual budget which will be submitted to an Executive Committee composed of the presidents of the General Student Senate, the Interclass Coordinating Council, the Central Dormitory Activities Board, and the Associated Women Students. The Executive Committee will have added to it two staff members acting in an advisory or resource capacity and attending all meetings. One staff member shall be appointed by the Business Manager and one by the Dean of Student Affairs.
5. Budgets, once prepared and approved by the Executive Committee, shall be kept current and on file in the Office of the Dean of Student Activities and Organizations.
6. Unallocated funds shall be distributed by the Executive Committee to any recognized student organization on a project basis and under a budget. Projects shall be judged on the basis of their potential for being of value to large groups of students and for enriching the social and intellectual life of the campus.
7. All financial accounts shall be audited annually under the guidance of the University's Business Office and at the expense of the student unit concerned.

The Abortion Loan Fund has been changed to a more general loan fund to conform to these principles, and the use of the fund has been broadened to include other emergencies faced by students.

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CC JOSEPH M. FOX, who is resigning as President of the University of Maine at Fort Kent August 31, will receive the first honorary degree ever awarded by UMFK. He will be awarded a Doctor of Pedagogy (Ped.D.) degree at the 93rd Commencement for UMFK on May 23.

CC The School of Human Development serves the HEAD START programs in Maine. There are 15 full-year programs encompassing 43 centers. The 43 centers have a total of 54 classrooms serving 887 children.

CC According to Miss Nellie Gushee, Extension Nutrition Specialist, a NUTRITION EDUCATION PROGRAM has been initiated through the Federal Extension Service, which in Maine is enabling about 100 aides to work directly with approximately 6,000 low-income families. A recipe booklet "Meals for Thrifty Families" has been designed for use with donated commodities and low cost food.

CC NEW ARTICLES written by UMO faculty and recently published in professional journals include. Kenneth R. Brownstein, Stanley Williams and Robert Gray, "Physics, Student Study Guide with Programmed Problems," published by John Wiley and Sons; Fay Hyland, "A Miniature Saw for the Preparation of Woody Specimens in Microtechnique," Internat. Assoc. of Wood Anat., (IAWA Bulletin), 1971, (2), pp. 3-8. Dr. Hyland is Emeritus Professor of Botany and designed this machine for histological studies on Dutch elm disease supported by USDA Regional Research Project NE-25 and The Elm Research Institute; and Richard S. Sprague, "Carl Sprinchorn in the Maine Woods" (an article about one of the state's foremost artists), Down East, April 1971.

CC Philip H. Osberg, Harold W. Borns Jr., and Stephen A. Norton of the department of geological sciences attended the northeastern sectional meeting of the Geological Society of America in Hartford, Conn., on March 18-20. Professor Borns presented a paper entitled CAN A UNIVERSITY ORGANIZE TO BETTER MAN'S TOTAL ENVIRONMENT: A CASE STUDY.

CC THE MAINE CAMPUS is now available at 15 cents per copy on newsstands throughout Penobscot, Hancock and Waldo counties. With a circulation of 12,000 copies per week, it is the second largest commercial weekly in the state as well as the largest Maine college newspaper.

CC A seminar on MANAGING HUMAN RESOURCES IN PUBLIC AGENCIES was held at UMO March 28 to April 2. It was sponsored jointly by International City Management Association, Public Personnel Association, Industrial Relations Center-The University of Chicago, and the Bureau of Public Administration of UMO.

CC THE PAUL TAYLOR DANCE COMPANY was brought to UMO for three days in March by the university's student faculty arts and activities committee and the Patrons of Fine Arts, augmented by a grant from the Maine Commission on the Arts and Humanities. The Taylor group is one of the leading exponents of modern dance in the country.

CC A seven-man ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE has been appointed by President Libby to serve in an advisory capacity for all persons involved with the operation of UMO. The committee's duties will be two-fold, to provide a source of information regarding proper methods and procedures to be followed by campus personnel, and to serve as observers who will be aware of potential environmental problem areas and who will have the responsibility of suggesting improvements in methods before critical conditions have developed. Parker G. Cushman '31, director of the physical plant, is chairman.

CC Paintings, original prints and Pre-Columbian sculpture from the IBM Collection were on display in Carnegie Hall for a month in the spring. One of the most important exhibits of the year, it featured the ART OF MEXICO.

CC As of March 4 of this year some 41 GRADUATING STUDENTS at UMO have received job offers out of approximately 1,050 in the general (non-teaching) division who have registered for job placement, according to the Office of Career Planning and Placement. The largest number of job offers were in technology where 17 graduating seniors had received bids. Six of the offers went to those graduating last January.

CC A Bowdoin College economist, Dr. A. Myrick Freeman III, whose special field is the economics of environmental quality, spoke at UMO on POLITICS, ECONOMICS, AND POLLUTION March 2 as the second lecturer in a series of public lectures on environmental quality and regional economic development.

CC The first in a monthly series of VISITING JOURNALISM ALUMNI to talk with undergraduates and lecture in journalism department courses was Ronald K. Devine '55, former Maine newsman who is now editor of a weekly investment newsletter for United Business Services of Boston.

CC THE MEMORIAL UNION/HAUCK AUDITORIUM serviced 1,028,979 patrons during the fall semester. Sales transactions show 50% of these at the Bear's Den, 15.3% at the Newscounter, 11.8% at the Bookstore, and 6.6% at the Game Room. The Registrar's Office figures indicated 12.4% for the Hauck Auditorium. The other 3.9% were accounted for at the Activities Board, the Director's Office, and in Miscellaneous services.

CC POLICE AND COLLEGE STUDENTS in Maine are communicating, thanks to a program operating this spring. UMO students and administrators are participating in six in-service training programs for Maine State Police. Dr. Arthur M. Kaplan, UMO administrator who has participated in this program, said, "It provides an opportunity for an interchange of ideas on problems existing in both law enforcement and campus circles."

CC A conference was held at UMB in late March on PARENTS' CONCERNS FOR THE HANDICAPPED. Chaired by Dr. Arthur M. Kaplan, vice president for student affairs at UMO, it featured experts in the field of aid to handicapped children.

CC Former U.S. Senator from New York CHARLES GOODELL gave an address at UMO during a five-day stay in Maine in February. Sponsored by the UMO College Republicans, the Distinguished Lecture Series of the Student Senate, and the Class of 1972, he spoke on the situation in Indochina.

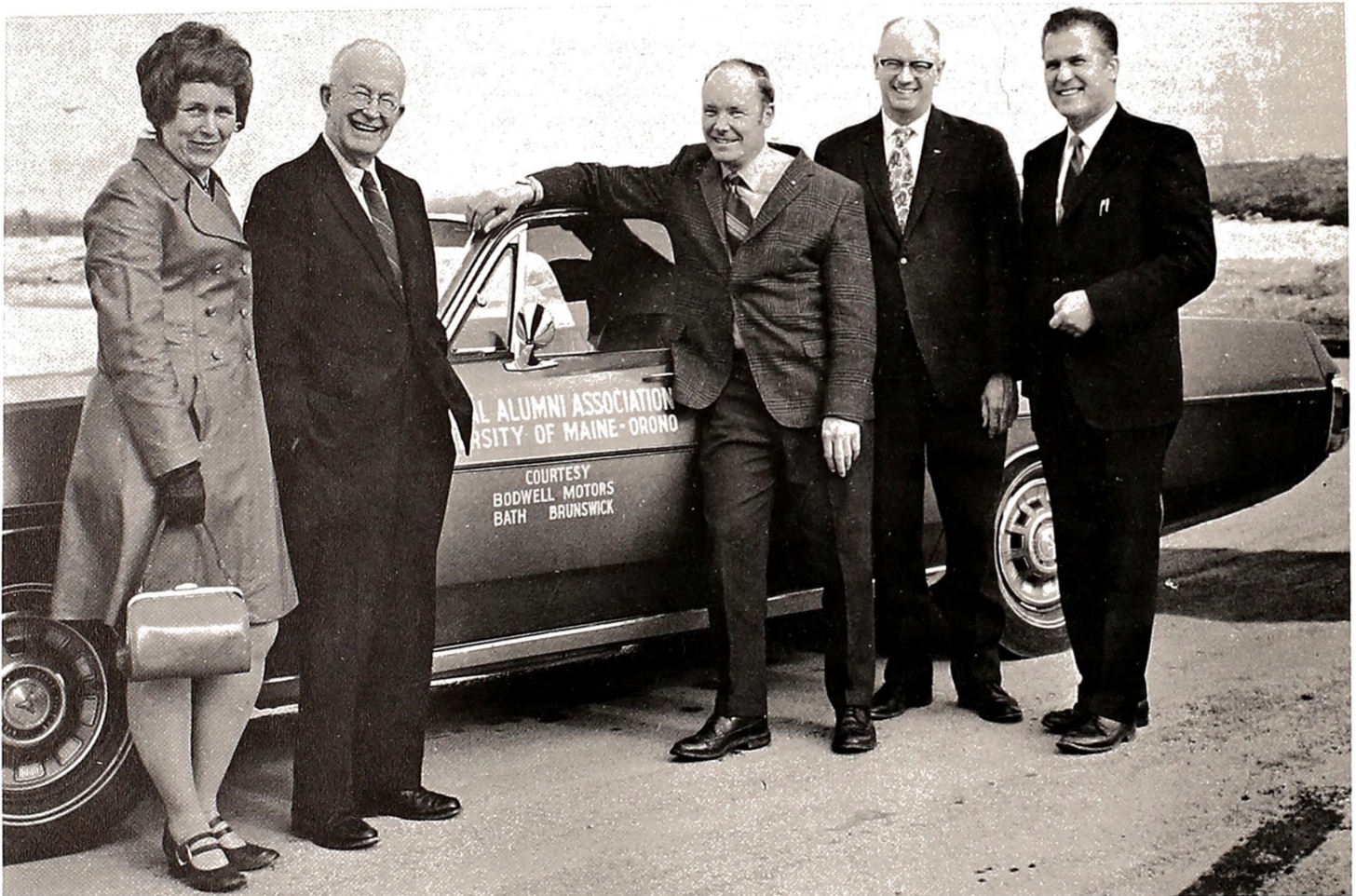
CC ROGER M. COBB, superintendent of the Aroostook Experimental Farm since 1951, retired in March. During this 20-year period he has served under three directors of the Maine Life Sciences and Agriculture Experiment Station and assisted agricultural scientists from the departments of entomology, plant pathology, plant and soil science, and agricultural economics and agricultural engineering at UMO. Aroostook Farm is the field laboratory where UMO scientists conduct their potato, grain, and sugar beet research. As superintendent, Cobb has been responsible for managing the 260 acres of cropland in support of these research efforts.

CC A FOOTWEAR CONFERENCE to discuss the developing of standards in the shoe industry while maintaining freedom of styling was held in March in Augusta, sponsored by the University of Maine Technical Services Program, the American Footwear Manufacturers Association and the New England Footwear Association. Solutions for the technological problems facing the American shoe industry today were discussed.

CC Lakes in many areas of Maine are aging (even dying) rapidly, according to many environmentalists. A workshop-conference was held in March at UMB on the reclamation of MAINE'S DYING LAKES.

CC ECOLOGICAL RESEARCH IN ANTARCTICA will be conducted in early 1972 by University of Maine at Orono zoologists and financed by a National Science Foundation grant of \$45,900. Dr. John H. Dearborn, associate professor of zoology and a veteran of previous field trips to Antarctica, will lead the party, and Dr. Kenneth W. Allen, zoology department chairman, will be his research associate.

ALUMNI NEWS



GAA CAR UNITES ALUMNI Bill Bodwell '50 and the car he provides for Alumni Association use met on the road in April at a session in Augusta of the selection committee on Block M Service Awards, of which Mr. Bodwell has been a member for the past two years. Committee members in the photo above are Mrs. Robert L. Weatherbee '54, Bangor; Howard L. Bowen '24, committee chairman, from Hallowell; Mr. Bodwell; John R. Dyer '41, Augusta; and Scott B. Weldon '52, Millinocket. All are former or current members of the Alumni Council.

The current car is a Dodge Polara sedan provided for Association use by Mr. Bodwell '50, who is the owner of auto agencies in Bath and Brunswick. It is the ninth car

he has made available to the Alumni Association.

In 1970 the Association automobile logged over 25,000 miles, carrying staff members, university speakers and student representatives to local meetings throughout New England and New York State. While longer trips are made by air, the Association is able to cover more meetings at less expense because the car stretches the travel budget and makes it possible to bring more speakers to local association meetings, according to Don Stewart, Alumni Association Director, who makes most of the trips. Teams of students can be sent out with the Association staff members only because of the availability of this lower cost transportation.

LOCAL ASSOCIATION MEETINGS JANUARY—MAY

(A list of new officers will be carried in the June/July issue.)

- January 14, WALDO COUNTY, Jacob S. Holmes '31 *President*
Speaker: President Winthrop C. Libby '32
- January 21, AUBURN-LEWISTON, Paul J. Dowe '48 *President*
Annual Football Night
Speaker: Walter H. Abbott '58, Head Football Coach
- January 25, NORTHERN CONNECTICUT, Eugene F. Sturgeon '52 *Pres.*
Luncheon Session Planning Meeting of Northern Connecticut
- January 27, WESTERN MASSACHUSETTS, Thomas L. Barker '39, *President*
Planning Session of Western Massachusetts Leaders
- January 27, SOUTHWESTERN CONNECTICUT, Raymond J. Kelley '57 *President*
Speakers: Don Stewart '35, Executive Director of GAA and two senior students, Ronald Lebel and George Chalmers
- February 6, YORK COUNTY, Parker N. Blaney, '49, *President*
Speakers: John M. Blake, Vice-President, Finance and Administration, and Lucy Spalding '72, Gregory Choquette '73 and Michael Hanson '71
- February 18, SOUTHEASTERN MASSACHUSETTS AND RHODE ISLAND
Howard C. Barber Jr. '45, *President*
Speaker: Prof. Brooks Hamilton
- February 19, ROCHESTER, NEW YORK, Raymond D. J. Feasey '52, *Pres*
Speaker: Prof. Brooks Hamilton
- February 20, NORTHERN OHIO, Edwin C. Manzer '51, *President*
Speakers: Prof. Brooks Hamilton and Don Stewart '35
- February 22, NEW YORK CITY
Luncheon of Leaders in New York City with President Libby
- February 22, STATEN ISLAND-PRINCETON, Frank W. Haines Jr. '48, *Pres*
Speaker: President Libby
- February 23, LONG ISLAND-QUEENS, George H. Lotker '45, *President*
Speaker: President Libby
- February 26, SARASOTA, FLORIDA, Nelson E. Smith '11, *President*
Speaker: Dr. Harold Chute, Director of Development
- March 3, WILMINGTON, DELAWARE, Talbot H. Crane '43, *President*
Speaker: Dr. Arthur Kaplan, Vice-President for Student Affairs
- March 11, AUBURN-LEWISTON, Paul J. Dowe '48, *President*
Speaker: President Libby
- March 16, SOUTHERN PENOBSCOT ALUMNAE
Mrs. Verrill B. Gilmore '60, *President*
Tour of Forestry Building and Greenhouses
- March 17, ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY ALUMNAE
Mrs. Lewis B. Paine II '50, *President*
Speakers: Paul Chretien '63, Assistant Director of GAA, Nancy Gunzelmann '72 and Constance Rizzo '73
- March 20, WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA, T. Russell Woolley '41, *President*
Speaker: Prof. Richard Hill
- March 23, SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, George R. Ladner '26, *President*
Speaker: Dr. Harold Chute, Director of Development
- March 29, SOUTHERN KENNEBEC VALLEY, John H. Chadwick '43, *Pres.*
Planning Session of Southern Kennebec Leaders
- April 1, NORTHEASTERN NEW YORK, ALBANY, Frederic C. Carlson '61 *President*
Speakers: Prof. Alton Clark and Ronald Beard '71
- April 2, CENTRAL NEW YORK, SYRACUSE, Gordon A. Buchanan '55 *President*
Speakers: Paul Chretien '63 and Ronald Beard '71
- April 3, FINGER LAKES, CORNING, Robert L. Olsen '50, *President*
Speakers: Paul Chretien '63 and Ronald Beard '71
- April 3, NORTH SHORE MASSACHUSETTS, GLOUCESTER, Paul E. Bradstreet '53, *President*
Speakers: Don Stewart '35 and Daniel Sullivan '71
- April 10, SOUTHERN NEW HAMPSHIRE, Stanwood R. Searles '34, *Pres.*
Speakers: Don Stewart '35 and Mark Russell '73
- April 15, Planning Session of Southern New Hampshire Leaders
- April 15, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, Kenneth W. Seaman '50, *President*
Speaker: Prof. Charles W. Major
- April 16, NORTHERN CONNECTICUT, HARTFORD
Eugene F. Sturgeon '52, *President*
Speaker: President Libby (Southern Connecticut and Western Massachusetts joined the Northern Connecticut group for this meeting)
- April 18, DENVER, COLORADO, Philip L. Craig '49, *President*
Speakers: Dana Baggett, Director, Bureau of Public Administration and Irvine Marsters, Supervisor of Gov't Career Development
- April 22, PORTLAND ALUMNAE, Mrs. Kenneth H. Rauschke '59, *President*
Speaker: Prof. Vincent A. Hartgen
- April 23, CENTRAL MASSACHUSETTS, WORCESTER
Richard H. Nevers '56, *President*
Speakers: Paul Chretien '63 and two students
- April 24, GREATER BOSTON MASSACHUSETTS, NEEDHAM
Raymond R. Couture '51, *President*
Dinner Dance
- April 27, SOUTHERN PENOBSCOT ALUMNAE
Mrs. Verrill B. Gilmore '60, *President*
Annual Meeting
- April 28, ANDROSCOGGIN VALLEY, Mrs. Lewis B. Paine II '50, Paul J. Dowe '48, *Presidents*
Freshman Reception and Joint Annual Meeting of both Men's and Women's Groups
Speaker: President Libby
- April 29, MERRYMEETING BAY, BRUNSWICK, Thomas F. Meagher '61, *President*
Speakers: President Libby, Patricia Tinkham '71 and Gregory Choquette '73
- April 29, BALTIMORE, MARYLAND, A. Russell Wing '60, *President*
Speaker: Don Stewart '35
- May 5, SOUTHERN KENNEBEC VALLEY, John H. Chadwick '43, *President*
Reception for Incoming Freshmen and Parents
- May 13, NORTHERN KENNEBEC VALLEY, Charles R. Gaunce '60, *Pres.*
Music Program and Speaker
- May 14, CAPE COD, MASSACHUSETTS, William R. Booker '66, *President*
Speaker: President Libby
- May 15, BLACK BEARS OF RHODE ISLAND, EAST GREENWICH
- May 19, ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY ALUMNAE
Mrs. Lewis B. Paine II '50, *President*
Speaker: Prof. Robert E. Lowell
- May 25, SOUTHERN KENNEBEC VALLEY, John H. Chadwick '43, *Pres.*
"Spring Fling" Dinner Meeting
- People to People: Students to Alumni held meetings with the Penobscot Valley Alumni Association (Bangor Area Men) on February 5, 9, 18, 26, March 5, April 6, 7, and 9.

WOODBURY APPOINTS COMMITTEE HEADS

President Kenneth F. Woodbury '24 has named Robert P. Schoppe '38 of Augusta, former president of the General Alumni Association, to head a committee to select the winner of the Alumni Service Emblem Award for 1971. The association's highest award, given for service to the university and its alumni, it will be awarded at the reunion banquet on June 12.

Serving on the selection committee with Mr. Schoppe are Mrs. John Ness '32, Herbert A. Leonard '39, Albert M. Parker '28 and Harry R. Mayers '30.

A nominations committee was also appointed by Mr. Woodbury at the mid-winter meeting of the alumni council in Orono. Headed by an immediate past president of the association, Carl A. Whitman '35, the committee includes Myron W. Zimmerman '50, Harold P. Hamilton '30, Mrs. C. Donald Stebbins '46 and Thomas J. Desmond '33. To be selected this year are new officers for the association and ten members of the council who have served one three-year term and one member who has completed two terms of three years each.

CHISHOLM RECEIVES PULP AND PAPER AWARD

At the annual Pulp and Paper Alumni Luncheon held in New York City on February 23 William H. Chisholm, chairman, Oxford Paper Company, division of Ethyl Corporation, was awarded the University of Maine Pulp and Paper Foundation Honor Award. His father, the late Hugh J. Chisholm, received the award in 1959. This is the first time that a son of a former recipient has received the award. The presentation was made by Roscoe C. Masterman, president of the foundation, vice president, International Paper Company.

The Honor Award, established in 1951, is given in recognition of leadership in the pulp and paper and allied industries and interest in and pro-



Roscoe C. Masterman '32 presents award to William H. Chisholm, while President Winthrop C. Libby '32 applauds.

motion of the Pulp and Paper Foundation educational program.

A native of New York City, Chisholm is a graduate of Yale University. He has been associated with Oxford Paper Company his entire business life except for three years as a naval officer during World War II. He has been vice president, director, and president of Oxford Paper Company. When Oxford merged with Ethyl Corporation in 1967, he was elected executive vice president and a director of Ethyl, and in 1970 he was named chairman of Oxford.

For nearly 15 years Chisholm has been active in the University of Maine Pulp and Paper Foundation, most of the time as a director-at-large. He has been a member and chairman of several committees and served as president of the foundation from 1967 to 1970, when he was elected chairman of the directors. The foundation is a nonprofit corporation with 125 corporate and 587 individual members. It seeks to interest young men in the pulp and paper and allied industries and to assist them financially while training at UMO.

MEMORIAL GIFTS RECEIVED

The University of Maine Board of Trustees has accepted three memorial gifts for use at the Orono campus.

Mrs. Madelaine F. Hamilton, who died last year, bequeathed \$50,000 to the University of Maine at Orono in memory of her late husband, Dr. Henry F. Hamilton '76. The income from this gift is to be awarded annually to low income, high risk students, beginning in the fall of 1971. Awards will be made by the student aid office in consultation with those administering the Onward program. Henry Hamilton had been a dentist in Boston, Mass., for many years.

A \$1,000 gift, with accumulated and future income, was accepted to establish the George Parker Gould Scholarship Fund, with accumulated and future income to be used to assist deserving male students at UMO who are working their way through school. The gift was originally made to the university in 1944 in the Gould will, with the stipulation that the fund be used to build and equip a cabin similar to the cabins then in use for boys working their way through school. Since the money accrued will not build and equip such a cabin, and cabins being no longer a prime need, a legal opinion determined that the funds may be administered for an alternate

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Commencement programs:

1872 (or first graduation) 1871

1879

1900

1911

1932

1934

1944 - August? (76th Commencement)

January or December

(77th Commencement)

1948 - August? (84th Commencement)

1950 - August? (90th Commencement)

1951 - January or February

(91st Commencement)

1951 - August (93rd Commencement)

1952 - January (94th Commencement)

Please contact Mrs. F. C. Hartgen

use. The first awards from this fund are expected to be made this fall by the student aid office. George P. Gould, a resident of Orono, was the proprietor of the Rines Company in Bangor.

The trustees accepted a gift of \$100,000, a residuary bequest from the estate of the late Dr. Thomas Buck '01. The income from this gift will be used to establish a book fund for the mathematics department. Thomas Buck had been a professor at the University of California at Berkeley.



JAMES TOTMAN PORTRAIT

An oil painting by Michael Werboff of the late James E. Totman '16, given by the Totman family, has been hung in the Totman Room of the Memorial Union. Among Mr. Totman's many gifts to the university is a \$50,000 fund, used for the Totman Scholarships in the College of Life Sciences and Agriculture.

SCHOLARSHIP ESTABLISHED

The D. Diek Uong Scholarship has been established at UMO through a gift of \$10,000 to the University of Maine Pulp and Paper Foundation by George A. Wallace of Fitchburg, Mass. The income from this fund will be used for an annual award to a student training to enter the pulp and paper or allied industry. Frederic A. Soderberg '25 said that this is the 20th

named scholarship of \$10,000 or more established with the foundation.

Uong, a native of China, was graduated from UMO in 1926. Soon after graduation he became affiliated with the Fitchburg Paper Company, which was owned largely by the Wallace family. Starting as a research chemist, he retired in 1965 as senior vice president of the company.

The fund honoring Uong is in recognition and appreciation of his 39 years of devoted and valuable service to the company. He is a charter member of the UMO Pulp and Paper Foundation, of which he was a director from 1956 to 1958.

CLARISSA FARRAR SCHOLARSHIP FUND

One of the largest personal gifts to the University in recent years is a little known endowment that is part of the Class of 1920 Fund. Since its inception in 1967, the Fund has benefited five girls and three boys from Princeton, Calais, Danforth and Pembroke.

The gift of \$104,557 was made by Clarissa P. Farrar, a member of the Class of 1920, who originally came from Princeton, Maine, to major in chemistry at the University. She also earned an M.A. degree from Columbia University in 1925.

Her career as a bibliographer, specializing in medieval history, was capped in 1946 by the publication, with Professor Austin Evans of Columbia, of "A Bibliography of English Translations from Medieval Sources."

At the time of her death, November 2, 1963, she was living in New York City and had been compiling a bibliography of Latin writers from 1300 to 1600 for the Columbia University Seminar on the Renaissance. She had been a regular contributor to the University through the Annual Alumni Fund.

The terms of the fund, as stated in Miss Farrar's will, were as follows: "to apply the income therefrom in payment of regular tuition fees from

time to time to a deserving female student at the U of M from the said town of Princeton; if there be no female student from the town of Princeton, I direct that the income be used for said purpose for a deserving male student from said town of Princeton; if there be no female or male student from the town of Princeton, I direct that said income be used first for a female student from Washington county, and secondly, for a male student from said county."



COTE JOINS GAA STAFF

Wayne J. Cote of Old Town has been named assistant for alumni activities in the General Alumni Association of the University of Maine at Orono.

Cote is presently a senior at UMO and expects to be a bachelor of arts degree candidate for graduation in June. He will be concentrating on the development of local alumni clubs throughout Maine and New England. In addition, he will work on reunion, homecoming and freshman orientation programs on the Orono campus.

Majoring in speech communication and psychology at Orono, Cote has been very active in extracurricular programs. He was treasurer of the Sophomore Owls, president of the Senior Skull Honor Society, vice president of the class of 1971, a Maine Masquer, and a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity. He was also a stu-

dent co-chairman of Homecoming Weekend 1970, and on the planning board of the GAA's Student-Alumni Council.

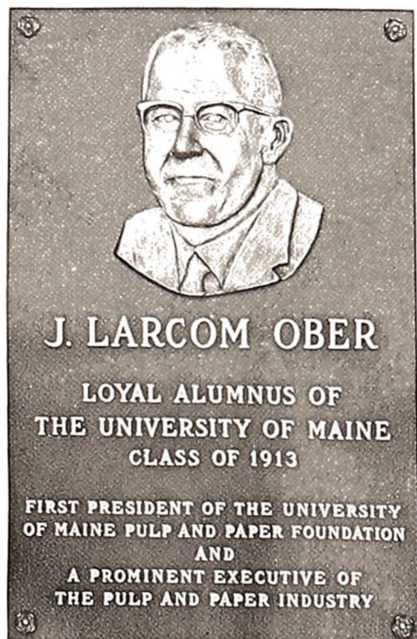
A 1967 graduate of Old Town High School, Cote is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clement E. Cote of Old Town.

LAMBDA CHI ALPHA INITIATES 1000TH MEMBER

Kenneth Woodbury '24, president of the General Alumni Association, spoke on the services of the alumni association at the institution of the 1000th brother of Lambda Chi Alpha. The Beta Zeta chapter celebrated this event with a banquet on April 24 in West Commons.

J. LARCOM OBER TABLET

A tablet honoring the late J. Larcom Ober '13 was placed in the new chemical engineering building in March by the University of Maine Pulp and Paper Foundation. Friends contributed funds for the tablet in his memory. His estate of nearly one million dollars was set up in a trust fund which ultimately will come to the University of Maine, with the income to be used for a professorship in pulp and paper technology or such other purpose for the benefit of pulp and paper training as the university may determine.



NELSON SMITH RECEIVES BLOCK-M AWARD

At the February 26th meeting of the Sarasota, Florida, local Association meeting, Nelson E. ("Nemo") Smith '11, president, was presented the Block-M award.

A LETTER FROM PRESIDENT LIBBY

At the Southeastern Massachusetts and Rhode Island meeting in February John Wilson '33, in conversation with GAA Executive Director Don Stewart '35, raised an important question about the relationship between today's UMO students and the business world. A subsequent letter from President Winthrop C. Libby '32 dealing with this question is being reprinted in part, with his permission, for the interest of our readers.

Dear John:

Don Stewart, our alumni director, on his return from meeting with the Alumni group in Rhode Island, has commented to me about your interest in there being some more direct relationship between college undergraduates and the business community.

I want you to know that we are very conscious of this need and we have over the period of the past several months been doing something rather specific and definite about it.

For example, we have been in consultation with the Maine State Chamber of Commerce and also with local Chambers in and near Orono concerning the possibility of having business people available to meet with students. I had hoped to sponsor a Visiting Lectureship where a businessman would spend an entire semester or so here on campus but I am told business people can't be away from their private responsibilities for such a period of time. In discussion with Chamber officials, however, we have found that there is an interest and we have developed plans where businessmen have been meeting with students and with representatives of our faculty to discuss business as a profession and as an opportunity.

You would also be interested, I think, in knowing that we have had a series of meetings with the greater Bangor business community where the group has been here on campus, has had an opportunity to talk with various faculty members, and where I have had an opportunity to react to any questions of any kind about the University.

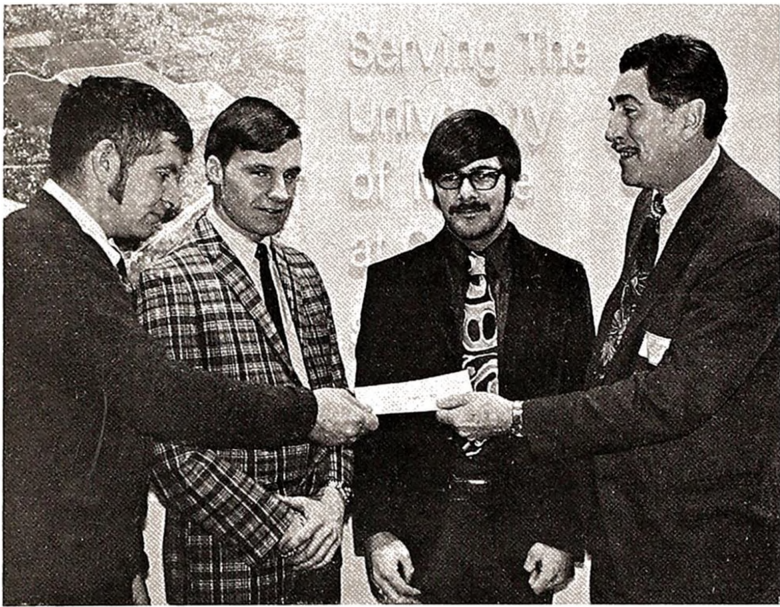
I do want you to know that we recognize the significance of close relationships between business and the University of Maine at Orono. In our own way, we are moving very definitely and very specifically to strengthen this relationship.

Most sincerely,
Winthrop C. Libby
President

CORRECTION

"Maybe a correction notice in The Maine Alumnus will inform my friends that I am still alive and very much on the ball."

This note was received by Stu Haskell '56 from C. A. Whitney '15 of Culver Military Academy, Culver, Indiana, after Stu's letter of apology for erroneously listing Mr. Whitney among the deceased in the list of lettermen in the recent Graduate "M" "Varsity Athletic Record Book."



Hockey Coach Fred Gilbert receives check from GAA Executive Director Don Stewart '35, players Peter Naiden and Paul Labrecque looking on.



Thomas "Skip" Chappelle '62

CHAPPELLE NAMED HEAD COACH

Thomas "Skip" Chappelle '62, freshman basketball coach for the past three years, has been named the new head basketball coach at UMO, effective April 1. Gilbert E. Philbrick '55, the head coach for the past three years, will become supervisor of intramurals, club sports, and recreation at UMO.

The only basketball All-American in UMO history, Chappelle, who played varsity basketball at Maine from 1959-1962, and is the second highest career scorer in UMO history, was named to the Associated Press' Little All-American team in 1961. He taught and coached basketball and baseball at Fort Fairfield High for six years.

He joined the UMO staff as an instructor in physical education and freshman basketball coach in 1968. In three years his freshman basketball teams have won 37 games and lost just three. He is also varsity golf coach.

Chappelle's appointment brings to seven the number of players on UMO's greatest basketball team of 1959-60 to become head coaches at the collegiate level: Leroy Chipman '61 at Hartwick; Larry Schiner '61 at Jersey

City State; Don Harnum '62 at the University of Delaware; Bill Livesey '62 at Brown University; Dick Sturgeon '60 at UMPG; and Len MacPhee '62 at UMF. All are head basketball coaches except Bill Livesey, who is assistant basketball coach and head baseball coach.

WINTER SPORTS ROUNDUP

by Paul Chretien '63

Basketball

Back in 1962 a young man, not too tall but very aggressive and quick, was setting basketball records at Maine. Today he encourages his players to break those records. In doing so Skip Chappelle has been a winning coach. His charges, the Bear Cubs, have in the last three years registered 37 wins and only three losses. This impressive record also includes an unprecedented 34 consecutive winning streak. This year the Cubs finished 12-2 among the promising cub prospects. For varsity activity next year are top scorer 5-9 guard John Morrison of Pawcatuck, Conn., with 204 points; 6-3 forward Rick Hillman of Lunenburg, Mass., totaling 188 points; 6-6 center Shaughn Hussey of Lincoln; 5-11 guard Tony Hamlin of Milo; 6-5 for-

ward Alan Dutremble of Biddeford and Tom Lever of Mexico.

Our varsity Black Bears finished their season with eight wins and 16 losses. In next year's seasoned team standout scorers sophomore Peter Gavett of Orono and Junior Paul Bessey of Buckfield will join the other two members of the Bear squad whose averages were in double figures.

The Bears wound up in a tie with New Hampshire for fourth place in Yankee Conference play, posting identical 3-7 records. Maine's 4-2 mark in state series play was good for a share of first place.

Bessey finished second in New England in accuracy from the free throw line, hitting 86 of 103 attempts while sophomore guard Pete Gavett was 11th in free throw accuracy. Co-captain Nick Susi, an all-Maine selection, wound up sixth in rebounding with 11.4 rebounds per game.

The Maine hoop team can boast an all-American this year. He is 6'1" sophomore Steve Lane. Lane was named to the All American Bench Team. Seeing limited action he was selected for his ability as a defensive player. His point average, only 1.8 points per game, was not as significant as his attitude and overall performance.

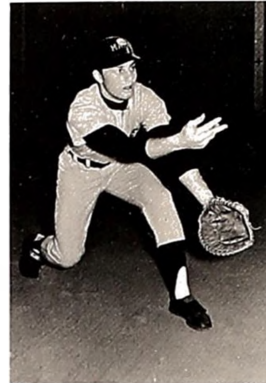
On their southern swing the baseball team won five, lost two.



John Coughlin '73



Dennis Libbey '73



Len Larabee '73



Dana Corey '74

Track

Our UMO Tracksters performed with precision, finishing the season with an impressive 4-1 record for dual meets. The Maine track team got a big boost from Maurice Ginton, a sophomore from Nassau in the Bahamas. Ginton, a consistent double winner in most of the dual meets, set a new Yankee Conference record in the long jump as he leaped 23'-11 1/4" at Storrs, Conn. He also finished second in the Yankee Conference and MIAA meets in dash events.

Jim Good of East Sebago, specializing in the 600-yard run, finished second in points for the Maine Bears while Jim Cook of Carlisle, Mass., tossing the 35-pound weight and shot put, was third.

In other events Carl Warner of Allendale, N. J. (two-mile run), freshman Graydon Stevens of Albion (1000-yard run) and Greg Kendrick of Chagwater, N. J., (high jump), distinguished themselves. Freshman track-

men finished undefeated in their three dual meets during the winter.

The Maine team registered wins over Bates, Colby, Vermont and New Hampshire and came within four points of upsetting Boston University, the New England champs during this fine winter track season.

On Maine tracks around the state you can usually run into Maine grads who distinguished themselves in earlier years on Black Bear squads. Frequently serving as officials are 1921 graduates Roger Castle of Damariscotta and Harold Pratt and H. Leighton Jackson of Brunswick. These gentlemen through their continued interest and unselfish contribution of time deserve a tip of the hat.

Skiing

The Black Bear ski team must have waxed right this year finishing their season with individual honors and team victories. Bear skiers took the Maine state title, finished second in

Alpine Races at Farmington and eighth against the best in the east at the Dartmouth Winter Carnival.

Wrestling

Maine grapplers in a building year managed a 2-6-1 record. Although inexperience hampered our matmen, Coach Ian MacKinnon is convinced that his team came a long way and eyes next season optimistically.

Riflery

Our rifle team fired its way to a 9-1 record, ending the season by capturing second place in the New England Championship. Maine riflers also finished first in the National Rifle Association conventional and won the Northern Division of the NECRL.

Hockey

Hockey is not yet a formal organized sport at Maine, but your Alumni Association gave the club a considerable boost this year by presenting player coach Fred Gilbert with a check of \$200 for the purchase of uniforms. Sporting the new blue and white jerseys, the Hockey Club pulled off its only victory against the Ricker College Club by a 6-5 margin on home ice. The club suffered losses on Ricker ice by scores of 5-1, 7-1 and 8-1. Coach Gilbert is hopeful that a four-team league consisting of UMO, Ricker, Nasson and Maine Maritime will be under way next season.

SPRING PREVIEW

by Paul Chretien '63

The Diamond Bears, on a nine-game southern swing, met Navy, George

UMO FOOTBALL SCHEDULE 1971-72

September 18	Massachusetts	1:00 p.m.
September 25	Hofstra (away)	1:30 p.m.
October 2	Rhode Island (away)	1:30 p.m.
October 9	New Hampshire	1:00 p.m.
*October 16	Connecticut	1:00 p.m. HOMECOMING
October 23	C. W. Post (away)	1:30 p.m.
October 30	American Intern	1:00 p.m.
November 6	Vermont (away)	1:00 p.m.

Tickets for Maine home games may be purchased in advance by writing to the Athletic Office, University of Maine at Orono, Maine 04473. Game tickets for CW Post can be purchased through the Athletic Office at Brookville, New York 11548; at Hofstra, Hempstead, Long Island 11550.

Washington, University of Richmond, William and Mary, Rutgers and Villanova. Reinforced with more depth in the pitching staff, Coach Jack Butterfield is optimistic for a good season, with UMO playing an expanded 21-game schedule in MIAA and Yankee Conference competition.

Tennis Coach Philip Folger is putting his netmen through preliminary drills in the field house, while Skip Chappelle awaits dry fairways to prep his golf squad for state and Yankee Conference matches.

The outdoor track team will face opponents at six meets under the direction of Coach Ed Styrna, and Sailing Coach Richard Gibson will be looking for favorable winds in regattas at MIT and Tufts.

THE MAINE WOODSMEN'S TEAM

Woodsmen's Weekend was born at Dartmouth College in 1947, with the University of Maine in competition with Dartmouth, Colby, and Middlebury Colleges. The first competition to be held at UMO was in 1953, with Dartmouth winning top honors. Ten

years later, in the field behind York Hall, Maine hosted the Woodsmen's Weekend again, placing 11th and 12th among 13 competing teams. The following year Maine began a steady climb upward. In 1964 the team won, and due to the increasing interest of many keen woodsmen, it has continued to progress to the top ranks. Last year the 23rd Annual Intercollegiate Woodsmen's Weekend was held at UMO May 2-3. With 12 teams competing, Maine placed first, Paul Smith second.

Two students from Paul Smith College brought new impetus to the team when they transferred to the University of Maine, class of 1966. Bill Hooper brought with him knowledge and spirit that have been kept alive ever since. Two years ago he donated to the team a cross-cut saw. Art Wimble brought his own equipment, and his many new techniques are still being used.

At the 12th Annual International Collegiate Woodsmen's Meet, held at the MacDonald College Winter Carnival in Montreal on January 30,

1971, 21 teams competed for top honors in 14 events. Maine placed second in the overall competition with 1153 points, and Paul Smith came out on top with 1189 points, out of a possible 1400. Maine brought home first place trophies in the speed-chopping and tree-felling events. This was the fifth consecutive meet, spanning 18 months, in which Maine has been undefeated in the woodchopping event.

The last and biggest competition of the year will be the Northeast Championships, which will be held this year at Paul Smith's, New York, May 7-9. Maine, now the defending champion, will be making a strong bid to retain the championship this year.

LETTERS

To the editor:

Thank you very much for the copy of **The Maine Alumnus**. I will see that it and its successors are on our office waiting room table. As you might expect, a great many of our clergy are graduates of the university and I am delighted to say that my daughter received her degree there a few years ago. I am proud of our State University and its vital work and welcome this very small opportunity to further its influence.

William M. Thompson, Minister
Maine Conference
United Church of Christ

To the editor:

The Block M Committee is very appreciative of the response that they have received from the various local associations around the country. We wish to thank all of you for your fine cooperation.

Howard L. Bowen '24

The Maine Alumnus welcomes contributions to the Letters to the Editor column. We are interested in your thoughts on current university events and on articles published in the magazine. You can help make this column a forum for alumni opinion.



At the saw: Russell Van Hazinga '70 and James Cayford '72

IN MEMORIAM

1920 DOROTHEA STETSON MORSE, (MRS. WALTER P.) of Gainesville, Fla., on January 1, 1970, in Gainesville. A native of Houlton, she taught history and Spanish in Houlton High School and then became affiliated with her brother, the late A. K. Stetson, owner and publisher of *The Aroostook Pioneer*. Survivors: husband, Walter P. '26, a son, and two grandchildren. She was a member of Alpha Omicron Pi sorority.

1920 OLIVE FRANCES TRACY of Bangor on January 5, 1971, in Bangor. Born in Winter Harbor, she attended the University of Maine for two years. She was a graduate of Hickox Business College of Boston. She retired in 1959 as deputy clerk of courts for Penobscot County. She was a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority.

1921 DR. WILLIAM SMITH MURRAY, 71, of Bar Harbor on January 30, 1971, in Bar Harbor. A native of St. Stephen, N. B., he received his M. A. degree at the University of Maine in 1925 and a doctor of science degree at the University of Michigan in 1928. He was one of the seven original staff members at the Jackson Laboratory in Bar Harbor. He and two colleagues, former University of Maine President Clarence C. Little and Dr. John Bittner, discovered the mammary tumor agent in mice which gave impetus to the virus theory of cancer. He later served on the research staff of the Roswell Park Memorial Laboratory, Springvale, N. Y., and was administrative director at the Institute of Cancer Research in Detroit, Mich. After World War II, in which he served as a navigator aboard an aircraft carrier, he was discharged from the U. S. Navy with the rank of lieutenant commander. He then returned to the Jackson Laboratory and became its associate director, a position he held until he retired in 1961. Survivors: wife, a daughter, Mrs. Charles Small (Eleanor '51), a son, Bingham F. Murray '53, two brothers, Dr. Joseph M. Murray '25 and Thomas A. DeWolfe '29, one sister, Mrs. George Boomer (Grace '28), eight grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

1921 HAROLD EUGENE TREWORGY, 75, of Brunswick on November 16, 1970, in Portland. A native of Ellsworth, he was a veteran of World War I. He owned the Treworgy Furniture Company and owned and operated the Brunswick Hardware Company from 1920 until he retired in 1956. He was past president of the Rotary Club. He was on the board of directors of the Brunswick Savings and Loan Association and a incorporator of the Brunswick Savings Institution. Survivors: wife, two sons, Foster L. '50 of Brunswick, Austin E. '50 of Wellesley, Mass., a daughter and eight grandchildren. He was a member of Sigma Nu fraternity.

1924 EDWARD SAMUEL FINKS, 68, of Portland on December 23, 1970, in Portland. A native of Portland, he was employed by Community Oil for many years. After retiring he operated a parking lot in the downtown area. Survivors: wife, two sons, a daughter, four brothers, one of whom is Henry B. '34 of Falmouth, two sisters, one of whom is Mrs. Harry Blum (Sarah '29) of New York, and three grandchildren.

1924 WILLARD WALKER SPEAR, 69, of Cape Elizabeth on December 24, 1970, in Cape Elizabeth. A native of South Portland, he retired from the A. R. Wright Company in 1968, where he was credit manager and had served as superintendent, general manager, and sales manager of retail oil, and as a vice president. Survivors: wife, four sons, two of whom are William F. '48 of Ridgefield, Conn., and Donald H. '49 of Cape Elizabeth, a daughter, a sister, 18 grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. He was a member of Sigma Chi fraternity.

1924 ALBION KING WALLACE, 71, of Milbridge on March 5, 1971, in Milbridge. A native of Milbridge, he attended the University of Maine for one year and Northeastern University, Boston, Mass. He entered the service of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company in 1923, where he remained for 38 years. At the time of his retirement in 1962 he was maintenance supervisor of the state of New Hampshire. He was a captain in the army in World War II. Survivors: wife, a brother, several nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews. He was a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity.

1925 ELIZABETH HENRIETTA LINEKEN FRIEND (MRS. FRANCIS H.), 68, of Skowhegan on February 10, 1971, in Augusta. Born in Thomaston, she was employed for many years as a nutritionist at the Women's Correctional Center in Skowhegan. She retired in 1969. She was a member of the Skowhegan Business and Professional Women's Club. Survivors: a daughter, Mrs. Bernard Langlais (Helen '51), a brother, Dr. Edgar E. Lineken '23, and three grandchildren. She was a member of Phi Mu sorority.

1929 JOHN MILTON HARVEY, 64, of Orlando, Fla., on February 8, 1971, in Orlando. He was a native of Peabody, Mass. A mechanical engineer, he had been employed for many years by T. M. Chapman and Sons of Old Town. Survivors: wife, daughter, and two brothers. He was a member of Sigma Nu fraternity.

1929 LOUIS ROLAND SODERBERG, 64, of Manchester, Vt., on January 3, 1971, in Fort Myers Beach, Fla. He was graduated from the University of Maine in 1930 but affiliated with the class of 1929. Born in Lawrence, Mass., he had been in the Merchant Marines during World War II. He was in the retail paint and wallpaper business in New Hyde Park, N. Y., until 1951, when he retired to a farm in South Shaftsbury, Vt. In 1958 he moved to Manchester, where he taught mathematics at Burr and Burton Seminary. Survivors: wife, a son, and a daughter. He was a member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity.

1929 OTTO RUPERT WHITE of Eatontown, N. J., on April 17, 1965, in Red Bank, N. J. He was graduated from the University of Maine in 1930 but affiliated with the class of 1929. He was employed by the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers. Survivors: two sons, mother, and a brother. He was a member of Sigma Phi Sigma fraternity.

1930 WILLIAM NORCROSS FLYNT, 62, of Weymouth, Mass., on January 13, 1971, in Weymouth. He was a native of Monson, Mass. He was director of special studies at the New England Electric System in Westboro, Mass. He was a clerk and trustee of the Weymouth Savings Bank and a trustee of the South Shore Hospital. Survivors: wife, a daughter, and two grandchildren. He was a member of Beta Theta Pi fraternity.

1930 JOHN MARTIN GAVIN, 62, of East Milinocket on January 17, 1971, in South Lincoln. A native of Madison, he had been employed as a surveyor by the town of East Milinocket. He was a member of the Maine Association of Engineers. Survivors: a son, a daughter, a sister, a grandchild and several nieces and nephews.

1931 THEODORE ROLAND SEYMOUR, 61, of Biddeford on June 23, 1970, in Portland. A native of South Brewer, he attended the University of Maine for two and one half years. He was a printer. Survivors: wife, two sons, two daughters and a sister.

1932 AUBREY HAMILTON SNOW, 66, of Jefferson on December 25, 1970, in Jefferson. A native of Atkinson, he received a M.A. degree from Columbia University in 1936. He was a director of Late Start in Augusta, a member of the Maine Teachers Association, the National Teachers Association, and the Retired Teachers Association. He served 20 years as a high school principal at Sangerville, East Corinth, Howland, and Stonington, and also taught at Brewer High School. He had later been an engineering draftsman for Maine Steel in South Windham. Survivors: wife, a daughter, and a grandchild.

1934 LEWIS BISHOP VARNEY, 58, of Laurel, Md., on December 3, 1970, in Virginia. A native of Orono, he was an estimating engineer for the Veterans Administration in Washington, D. C. Survivors: wife, a son, a daughter and three grandchildren. He was a member of Phi Gamma Delta fraternity.

1935 KENDRICK ANDERSON SPARROW, 57, of South Orleans, Mass., on February 14, 1971, in South Orleans. Born in South Orleans, he attended Harvard University Law School and was graduated from the University of Virginia Law School. He was a lieutenant commander in the U. S.

1911 HARRY WINSLOW HOWES, 84, of Wareham, Mass., on December 30, 1970, in Beacon Falls, Conn. He was born in Middleboro, Mass., where he had been a cranberry grower and vice president of the Woods Pond Cranberry Company and the Thomastown Cranberry Corporation before moving to Wareham. Survivors: wife, a son, two daughters, two brothers, seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. He was a member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity.

1915 ALBERT LEO COYNE, 79, of Cambridge, Mass., on October 27, 1970, in Danbury, Conn. A native of Sturbridge, Mass., he received a master's degree in education from Harvard University in 1937. He was a retired member of the faculty of Rindge Technical School, Cambridge, and part-time lecturer at Northeastern University, Boston. He was a member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity.

1915 RALPH BARROWS EASSON, 77, of Laguna Beach, Calif., on March 8, 1970. He was a native of Salem, Mass. He had been agricultural advisor of the department of finance for the State of California, and had retired from a professorship at the University of California, Berkeley. He was a member of Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity.

1918 ABRAHAM DAVID GEORGE COHN, 75, of Atlanta, Ga., on November 9, 1970, in Atlanta, Ga. A native of New Haven, Conn., he received the LL.B. degree from Atlanta Law School in 1923. He practiced law with his wife, also an attorney. He was Grand Chancellor of the Nu Beta Epsilon National Law Fraternity. Survivors: wife.

1918 WILLIAM DAVID GUINAN of Manchester, Conn., on October 17, 1969. He had been general superintendent of Hampton Company, Bleachers and Dyers, in Easthampton, Mass., before moving to Manchester. Survivors: one son and nine grandchildren. He was a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity.

1918 DON THERON POTTER, 75, of Brunswick on January 30, 1971, in Brunswick. Born in Brunswick, he attended the University of Maine for one year. Following his graduation from Bowdoin College he was a member of the Hebron Academy Faculty for a year. After three years as a salesman and three in the electrical business he became superintendent of grounds and buildings at Bowdoin, and in 1954 curator of Parker Cleveland Hall of Chemistry there. He retired in June, 1960. He had served as director of the Brunswick chapter of the American Red Cross, director of the Brunswick Old Folks Home Association, and vestryman at St. Paul's Episcopal Church. Survivors: daughter and three grandchildren. He was a member of Theta Chi fraternity.

Navy during World War II. He practiced Law in Orleans for many years and was town moderator there for several years. He was appointed registrar of probate and later judge of probate. He was a member of the Barnstable County Bar Association. He was a trustee of the Cape Cod Five Cents Savings Bank and a trustee of the Pilgrim Monument Association of Provincetown. Survivors: wife, three sons, a brother, Eldridge E. '50 of South Orleans, an uncle, several nieces and nephews. He was a member of Delta Chi Alpha fraternity.

1936 ELIZABETH CROWLEY BELL (MRS. GARLAND) of Falls Church, Va., on December 14, 1970, in Falls Church. She was a native of Lewiston. She was well known for her work in dog breeding and showing. Survivors: husband, a brother, four sisters. She was a member of Chi Omega sorority.

1938 LESTER CHARLES GRAHAM, 54, of Brewer on January 19, 1971, in New York, N. Y. Born in Bangor, he attended the University of Maine for two years. He was employed as a salesman for Maine Distributors, Inc. He was a World War II veteran. He was past chairman of the standing committee of the First Universalist Church of Bangor. Survivors: wife, mother, two daughters, three sons, one of whom is Donald L. '61 of Attleboro, Mass., two brothers, Ralph E. '43 of Dallas, Tex., Theodore W. '51 of Nashua, N. H., eleven grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. He was a member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity.

1938 HELEN PRINCE REILEY GRANT (MRS. RICHARD K.), 53, of South Laguna, Calif., on February 3, 1970, in Laguna Beach, Calif. She was a native of Portland. She was vice president of Gibraltar Savings, Beverly Hills, Calif. Survivors: husband and son. She was a member of Alpha Omicron Pi sorority.

1938 COLONEL ARTHUR WEBSTER HODGES, JR., of Centennial, Wyo., on April 10, 1970. Born in Newton, Mass., he also attended the American University in Washington, D. C. He began his career in the infantry immediately upon graduation from the University of Maine. He received the Silver Star, Bronze Star, and Purple Heart. In 1961 he became professor of military science at the University of Wyoming. He was a member of Scabbard and Blade. Survivors: wife, Arabelle Gray (Banton) '44. He was a member of Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity.

1950 BENJAMIN CALVIN DOBLE, 50, of Milo on February 17, 1971, in Bangor. A native of Sebec, he was a veteran of World War II. He was supervisor of food service maintenance and transportation for his school district. He was a former Milo selectman and assessor, and had been president of the Piscataquis County Farm Bureau and of the County Extension Association. Survivors: mother, wife, one stepdaughter, one brother, two sisters, one of whom is Mrs. James Bates (Lora '45) of Burlington, Vt., one stepgrandson, two aunts, several nieces, nephews and cousins.

1950 ALBERT NATHAN LOCKHART, JR., of Ellsworth on January 25, 1971, in Bangor. A native of Dorchester, Mass., he attended the University of Maine for two years. He was a veteran of the United States Navy in World War II. A 22-year employee of the Bangor Hydro-Electric Company, he served 12 years in the Bangor office and 10 years as supervisor of the Ellsworth office. Survivors: wife, three daughters, mother, a brother, and a sister.

1950 JOHN HENRY MCKEEN, JR., 43, of West Paris on March 5, 1971, in Lewiston. Born in Norway, he attended the University of Maine for one year. He was an orchardist at Wesso Orchards at West Paris. Survivors: a daughter, a stepdaughter, mother, and a sister.

1953 SEWALL MARSHALL HOBSON, 39, of Portland on June 6, 1970, in Portland. A native of Boston, Mass., he had been employed by the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company. He was a member of Phi Mu Delta fraternity.

1955 MAURICE ANDREW PROVOST, 37, of Beltsville, Md., on February 6, 1971, in Baltimore, Md. He was a native of Lewiston. Survivors: wife, two sons, one daughter, six sisters, and one brother. He was a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity.

1956 ALAN SYLVESTER BLUE, 35, of Harvard, Mass., on December 21, 1970, in Providence, R. I. A native of Capahosic, Va., he attended the University of Maine for one year. He was employed as Area Price Administrator by the Kaiser Aluminum Company of Bristol, R. I., for the past four years. Survivors: wife, two children, mother, and a brother. Contributions in his memory may be made to the Cancer Fund.

1957 FRANCES MORRELL REILLY, 58, of South Portland on November 16, 1970, in South Portland. A native of Farmington, for the past few years she taught at the Frank I. Brown School and at Red Bank in South Portland. She was a member of the Maine Teachers Association, the National Education Association, and the South Portland Teachers Association. Survivors: a sister, a stepson, two stepdaughters.

1961 FAITH CARVER DE COSTER (MRS. LESTER A.), 31, of Dixmont on February 20, 1971, in Bangor. A native of Buckfield, she taught at Carmel High School and later as a substitute in the local schools. Survivors: parents, husband, Lester A. '59, three sons, three sisters, several aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews. She was a member of Alpha Chi Omega sorority.

1966 HAROLD KENNETH RIDDLE, JR., 26, of Pensacola, Fla., on December 25, 1970, in Pensacola. Born in Portland, he was a Navy lieutenant and pilot for five years, retiring six months ago because of ill health. Survivors: father, mother, stepfather, wife, a brother, aunt, uncle, and great-uncle. He was a member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity.

1968 JAMES PATRICK MORRISON, 25, of Portland on December 16, 1970, in Kennebunk. He was a native of Machias. Survivors: wife, a sister, a brother, paternal grandmother, several aunts, uncles, and cousins.

1935G SISTER MARY EUCARIA, RSM, (EVA RUTH KEEGAN), 90, of Portland on December 7, 1970, in Portland. Born in Hamlin, she received a B.S. degree in education from St. Joseph's College and a master's degree in education from the University of Maine. She entered the Order of the Sisters of Mercy in 1909. She taught in Orono, at Bangor Catholic High School, St. Joseph's Academy, and Our Lady of Mercy College. She retired in 1969. Survivors: nieces, nephews, and cousins.

1939G ERVIN S. FARRINGTON, 67, of Conway, N. H., on January 22, 1971, in Conway. Born in Winn, he was graduated from the University of New Hampshire in 1932 and received his M.S. degree from the University of Maine in 1939. For eight years he was principal of the Wilson District School in Windsor, Conn., for 18 years administrator of the elementary schools in New Canaan, Conn., and for six years principal of the junior high and elementary schools in Conway. Survivors: wife, son, two daughters, nine grandchildren, a great grandson, one brother and four sisters. Memorial contributions may be made to the Memorial Hospital, North Conway, N. H.

1958G LUCY ANGELA PERRY, 54, of East Hampden on January 31, 1971, in Boston. A native of Hampden, she received her B.A. degree from the College of New Rochelle and a master's degree in education from the University of Maine. She taught in Hampden schools for 20 years and at the Garland Street Junior High School in Bangor for 11 years. She was a member of the American Association of University Women, the National Education Association, the Maine Teachers Association, and the Bangor Education Association. Survivors: four brothers, four sisters, and several nieces and nephews.

CHAPLAIN'S ASSISTANT

SISTER CATHERINE COTTER, SND, who had worked at the Newman Center assisting the chaplain for the past three years, died on December 7 in a Boston hospital. She was 37 years old.

A native of Boston, she received her master's degree in theology from Marquette University in Wisconsin and taught in several Catholic schools in Massachusetts before coming to Orono.

A memorial service was held at the Hauck Auditorium on Sunday morning, December 13.

CLASS NOTES

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'06 Lincoln Crowell, M. F., Yale, studied European ideas on forestry in the Black Forest in Germany. In 1907 this forest was the Ace Exhibit of good forest management. The first time, I think, that students at our university initiated and helped formulate a curriculum of study was when, under the leadership of Lincoln Crowell, Howard Churchill, Walter O. Frost (Jack Frost of Maine baseball fame), and David Rogers, M.F., Yale, petitioned the faculty of agriculture to establish a School of Forestry. Fortunately the faculty acted. So, among his classmates of 1906, Lincoln Crowell is considered the founder of the School of Forestry at the University of Maine. A recent letter from Lincoln Crowell's youngest child, A. Leavitt Crowell, states that his father died when he was 15 years old. "As I remember him, he was a very patient man, a true liberal in the best meaning of the word. I never truly saw him angry, yet he was capable of expressing great indignation; his hobby was the pursuit of various political philosophies—from Communism to Henry George's Single Tax." There were three children: Marie Crowell Sharpless was born in 1915 on the Menominee Indian Reservation, when Dad was the lumbering superintendent there; she graduated in 1939 with a B.S. in chemistry from Antioch College; and I had four children, one of whom is a mechanical engineer, one a social worker, and one a teacher; the youngest, a boy, is in high school. Elizabeth Crowell Hezlep is married to an Air Force colonel; she has lived overseas most of her married life, but managed to raise her two children from Japan, Germany, Pakistan and Texas; she graduated from Mt. Holyoke in 1940 with a A.B. in the history of art; one of Elizabeth's children is a graduate student in geography at the University of Texas, and the other is married to an Air Force dentist stationed in Germany. A. Leavitt Crowell after World War II attended Washington University, St. Louis, Mo., graduating with a B.S. in Civil Engineering. "I have specialized in heavy construction, and I am presently employed as project manager for the East River Mt. Tunnels for Interstate 77. I have three children; the eldest is a student at the University of New Hampshire, the other two are in high school."

Thus in our many class reports we find that the influence (nation-wide) of education of our alumni at the university has become a vital continuing progress, an amazing progression.

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'07 Marion (Balentine) Reed is now living in the Sherrill House, 135 S. Huntington Ave., Boston, Mass., 02130. In January, 1970, she fell and broke her leg. After getting out of the hospital in Nashua she went into a nursing home. Her daughter's family moved to Brookline, Mass., so Marion decided to move to Boston to be near them. She says she is gaining weight and strength, but it is slow work to get all her muscles to cooperate. She is on a salt free diet and says her mouth waters for some salt codfish cakes. Mildred (Mansfield) Martin, Bangor, is still around with her arthritis which has grown worse with complications as the years have gone by. Says she sleeps wonderfully well at night, but how her back aches when she bends to get up in the morning! For this reason she never lies down in the daytime.

Joe Goodrich and wife, Wisconsin Rapids, Wis., entered the hospital together last December. He had his fourth operation for the trouble he has had for four years, and managed to survive. His wife with her troubles did not survive and died January 11. Many of us know just how you feel, Joe, having passed through the same experience of losing a loved one.

Your secretary's wife three years ago had a shock. She died December 31, 1970. We extend our sympathy to the wife of **Herbert A. Knowlton** who has died. This leaves 24 classmates living?

Perce Wyman, Skowhegan, designed an engine house for a single locomotive of the B & A R R. They got a satisfactory price to build it, and then the directors decided they could get along without it. Perce in his letter expressed the idea that the alumni should not furnish scholarships for students that participate in strikes, abortion loan funds, etc., that have nothing to do with their education. The writer agrees with him.

Our remaining Law classmate, **Carroll Chandler**, Dover-Foxcroft, is still with us. He has bad knees which pain him, so he does not go out much but watches TV most of the time.

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'08 The class extends sympathy to **Leslie Sargent** in the death of his wife, Christine, which occurred in the winter. Leslie and Christine had been married for almost 60 years and would have observed their 60th wedding anniversary on October 3 of this year. For the past several years they had made their home at "Havenwood", Concord, N. H. Leslie will continue to live at "Havenwood" for the present.

We remember, with pleasure, our late minister member of 1908, **Rev. Thomas W. Fessenden**, at one time the pastor of Grace Methodist Church of Bangor. Miss Eileen Fessenden, the only remaining member of the Fessenden family of four, has made her home during the past few years at Harborside at their summer cottage on Penobscot Bay or in a home in the community of Harborside. Tom served as chaplain at our Class Day Exercises on June 8, 1908.

A talk over the phone with **Lawrence Emery '42** in early March brought disquieting news from the Emery household in Reading, Mass. Phil had recently recovered from a two-weeks' session with the flu, and Rebecca's sister Marion had been ill. Rebecca has been transferred from the hospital to a nursing home, but is still gravely ill. Elizabeth is well and on the job, for as Lawrence puts it, "She has to be."

A phone call to 208 Broadway, Bangor, brings the news that **Alice Phillips** is recovering from her recent accident. She has a housekeeper for the present.

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'09 When one has been out of college more than sixty years, class notes are apt to be dismal reading. That is the situation in this issue of "The Alumnus" for 1909 notes.

I must start with the **Knights**, because that best explains how I have any notes at all. Since January 16 my Florence has been quite ill—four weeks in hospital, then at home with nurses around the clock. She is improving, and I hope to cut back on nurses soon. **Walter Harvey** and his extensive grapevine has spread the word and we have received several lovely letters from class friends. Thanks to all of you.

Margaret Gerrity (Mrs. Joe) has spent several weeks away from our rugged winter, in Florida and cruising the Caribbean. **Vida Pike (Mrs. Lewis)** spent some time in Bermuda. **Lew** is still in the Bedford (Mass.) V.A. hospital in about the same condition.

Jess Mason is gaining slowly, but Mollie had a fall which has required nursing home care. The Masons' grandson, **David Carlisle**, has been made a V.P. of State Street Trust Co. Granddaughter **Mary Carlisle** is secretary to the assistant commissioner of transportation in Washington. **Vira Jowle (Mrs. Elton)** is slowly improving from a broken hip which occurred more than a year ago. **Elton** was nurse and cook and says he has a case of "walking" pneumonia. **Walter Emerson** has had to put up for many years with serious lameness, in spite of which he has a cheerful spirit and attends to his insurance business (**Walter L. Emerson & Son**) at home. The son runs the downtown office.

Cora Shaw Gunn is well, cheerful and active in Seattle. One daughter is in Brazil with her husband for six years with General Electric Co. Nineteen

of her family, including the wife of **Dean Evans**, have attended UMO—probably a record of some sort. "**Putt**" and **Mildred Bruce** are now in good health and actively pursuing their varied interests. **Margery Sutton (Mrs. Harry)** is spending a quiet winter at her home in West Roxbury, Mass.

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'10 When **Zelma** left the hospital after her fall, we decided to leave Maine for North Carolina where son **Charles '41** has a job with Weyerhaeuser. We are nicely located and enjoy the winter climate, but it is a bit hot in July and August when we expect to be at Boothbay Harbor with daughter **Elizabeth '37**.

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'11 I received a letter from Mrs. **Howard E. Bailey** who says **Howard** is not so well but gets around. He does not write but wants to be remembered to his old classmates and especially to his fraternity brothers in Theta Chi. They moved to West Street in Petersham about five years ago, and Mrs. Bailey retired from teaching just last year. Many of us remember "**Bob**" **Marshall** who was an outstanding basketball star during college. I talked with him, and for many years he was supervisor of all schools in Jacksonville, Fla. A few years ago he was unfortunate and had to have a leg amputated, so now he is in the Golden Age Nursing Home, 324 Wilder Blvd., Daytona Beach, Fla. He gets around in a wheelchair and enjoys football and other sports on TV. **Ernest & Catherine Walker** left their N. H. place about mid-December ahead of the rough New England winter and after a stopover in New York got to Ft. Lauderdale the last of the month where they have a nice apartment right on the Inland Waterway.

Bertha & "Nemo" Smith left their summer home in Franklin, N. C., in the late fall to spend the winter in Sarasota as in past years. Again this year he helped promote the February 26th meeting of the U. of M. alumni in Sarasota. "Nemo" certainly did a great promotion effort, and more than 70 folks from Sarasota, St. Pete, and some from the East Coast attended a very successful Maine luncheon, making a very fine group of men and women with their wives or husbands and friends. "Nemo" was awarded a well deserved "Block M" plaque for his loyalty to the university and his active participation in the alumni affairs here in Florida and at Orono. Four members of the class of 1911 were at the Luncheon with their wives, **Nelson E. "Nemo" Smith**, **Ernest Walker** from Ft. Lauderdale, **Parker Cooper** from St. Pete, and your secretary, **George D. "Bruce" Bearce**.

We were all glad to hear that **A. B. "Rick" Richardson** recovered from his serious hip operation which involved the surgical inserting of a new mechanical hip joint. Your secretary will see him in New York at the meeting of the Pulp and Paper Foundation on February 23, as I am going up to the affair as one of the early recipients of the "Award".

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'12 The Class of 1912 has at present 55 members whose addresses are on record at the office of the General Alumni Association. There are six other members whose whereabouts are unknown. Forty-nine of the 55 are men and six are women. Twenty-five members live in Maine. Massachusetts has 11, New Hampshire five, Connecticut three, and New York two. There is one member in each of the states of Arizona, California, Florida, Idaho, Illinois, Maryland, North Carolina, Oregon and one in the District of Columbia.

There have been several responses to the personal letters sent to each classmate. Keep up the good work, the more the merrier! The first reply came from **Herbert Norberg** who writes that he retired about 25 years ago from his work as Quality Lamp Engineer in Massachusetts. He bought a place of about 125 acres in Winthrop, Me., built three cottages and rented them until recently. While far from being in the best of health, he still manages

to keep fairly busy with a small vegetable garden as well as strawberries and raspberries. He belongs to the American Legion and enjoys working for the little church and library at North Monmouth. He writes, "We have never regretted coming to Maine." **Rebecca Chilcott (Mrs. H. A. Shepherd)** tells us that she is still active, although she finds it a little harder year by year "to get to where she's going but she keeps going anyway." Becky is much interested in the preservation of our Maine Coast. She actively supports efforts to keep "those dreadful oil refineries away from our door." Recently she was instrumental in obtaining a gift of \$500 for the Penobscot Marine Museums at Searsport. At present Becky is trying to find a house in Maine where she can really settle down. **Herbert Stevens** retired from dairy farming in 1956. Since retirement he has spent seven winters in Florida where he worked as a school county custodian. Because of his wife's health he now lives year around in Maine in a small house he built himself. Until recently he has been a selectman in the town of Canton, where he is still forester for the town's 280-acre forest. He also does genealogical work. He is active in the local Masonic Lodge as secretary and trustee of a newly purchased building. Since 1916 Herbert has been active in 4-H Club Work. His seven boys and three girls have all been 4-H members.

Do any of you 1912-ers know the address of any of the following: **Grace Boon (Mrs. H. C. Brown)**; **Robert J. Gordon**; **George F. Greeley**; **William H. Nason**; **James F. Nucci** or **Kleber C. Taylor**?

There'll be news of more of our classmates in the next issue.

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'13 In January I received a brief note from my old friend, **Wayland D. "Pep" Towner '14**, 306 East San Antonio St., Fredericksburg, Texas 78624, which carried the sad news that **Guy V. Dyer** had a heart attack followed by a stroke recently which has left him in pretty bad shape. A post card to Guy at 17 Forest Hills Drive, West Hartford, Conn., would be appreciated. I know every member of the class will be sorry to hear this news and will wish Guy a speedy return to good health.

Although I realize I am going out of the way to give you a brief report of this item, many friends of our former Alumni Secretary **Don V. Taverner '43** will be pleased to hear of his success in the communications field. A Christmas letter from his lovely wife, **Olive '43**, indicated that in December, 1969, Don concluded his duties with WQED-WQEX, Pittsburgh, and in January, 1970, took up the duties as president of the National Cable Television Association in Washington, D. C. In the spring of 1969 Don was chosen "Man of the Year" in communications in Pittsburgh, in April of that year a dinner was given in his honor, the governor declared April 3 as "Donald V. Taverner Day" in Pennsylvania, and in June Allegheny College awarded him a Doctor of Laws degree. Congratulations, "Bungo" (Peloponnesian short for Donald)! We all are proud of you. And how is he doing in Washington? Janice Doherty in her column "Town and Country" in the Maine Sunday Telegram of March 7, 1971, carried in a portion of her write-up a story of the performance which Don put on as speaker at the recent meeting of the Maine State Society held at the Lafayette Hotel on 16th St., Washington, D. C. Former Governor **John H. Reed '42** is president of this society "Maine Stories" as Don can tell them made the evening a great success, according to Mrs. Doherty's fine article. After dinner Don left for California where he was to speak before the American Academy of Radio and Television.

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'14 **Roy W. Peaslee**, 60 Bow Rd., Concord, N. H. 03306, recently received a Distinguished Service Award after serving for 11 years on the local School Board, during which time a major building addition and important administrative changes were implemented. PLEASE SEND NEWS FROM NOW ON TO HIM AS HE HAS AGREED TO TAKE OVER AS CLASS SECRETARY.

Wayland D. Towner, 306 East San Antonio St., Fredericksburg, Texas 78624, writes that bouts with angina and cataract operations during the past four years have not slowed him down very much. He walks a mile on pleasant days; is active in W.W. I Veterans' affairs, has award-winning stamp collections; and is an avid fan of the Dallas Cowboys football team. **Philip Thomas ("Bid")**, 350 Washington St., Rumford, says he likes to stay at home winters and finds plenty to keep him busy. He has a grandson, George, who entered UMO in September, 1970. **Arthur Abbott**, 36 Franklin Ave., Rye, N. Y. 10580, has the largest ice cream business in any amusement park in the U.S.A., thus is busy through summer months. They spend their winters in Hollywood, Fla.

Members of 1914 class! Please send news items Roy Peaslee is waiting. Everyone would be interested to hear from you.

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15 **Winthrop Brown** was unanimously elected moderator of the Presbytery of South Florida at the Sunset Presbyterian Church meeting of Presbytery in November, 1970. He will preside over this important judicatory throughout 1971. The nomination was made by his present pastor at the First Presbyterian Church, Pompano Beach, Florida, and seconded by a former pastor in Pennsylvania.

In the February fifth issue of the "St. Petersburg Times" there was a picture and article on **Preston M. Hall**, whom they termed a "man of inventions." Among his patents, those that have paid off well are: a snow-chain; a snow chain with crossbar; a seam welding machine; and a "Low Inertia Electrode Holder." Graduating as a chemical engineer, he served his country in World War I as an expert explosive chemist; in World War II he was in charge of the War Production Board's resistance welding department; in 1945 he traveled through Germany for the government to determine what the Germans were doing in welding; and during the Korean emergency he was called back to Washington to supervise distribution of welding equipment. Congratulations on outstanding service!

I have recently received from our former class secretary, **Harvey Sleeper**, a number of extra copies of the Class Roster. Please notify me if you would like one. Harvey told me that **Mrs. Sleeper's '16** and his health have greatly improved, and they expect to spend the coming summer at their cottage on the south shore of Searsport Bay, off Savage Road, Searsport, where '15ers are always welcome. Harvey said that he hopes I will have better luck on getting news items from our classmates than he did.

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16 **Dr. Walter D. Emerson** was speaker on the professional aspects of engineering at the November area meeting of the Society of Manufacturing Engineers, Springfield, Vt. He is executive secretary of the State Board for Registration of Engineers; and, since retiring in 1957 from Norwich University, he has been connected with the State Highway Planning Division. The New Hampshire State Grange Century Farm at its 97th convention presented its award to three farms: Colebrook, Whitefield, and **Lawrence Philbrook's** Shelburne Farm Inn with its record of 115 years of being owned and actively operated by the one family. Family and business interest have not deterred Lawrence Philbrook from active participation in civic affairs on town, county and state levels. Pleasantly surprised to hear from **Joseph Harvey**, still active with his law practice in Biddeford.

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17 There is not much news this time, and not all of it is good. We regret to report that while **Roy and Alma Higgins** were in California this winter their lovely home in

Longmeadow, Mass., was burned. The loss included, in addition to the house, many antiques and beautiful art objects, the value of which could not even be estimated until the Higgins returned from their trip. It is always hard to lose the commonplace items of daily living which have to be replaced, but doubly so when the objects lost are treasured possessions that can never be replaced. Please accept sincere sympathy, Roy and Alma, from all '17ers. The General Alumni Association reports that their granddaughter, **Joanne Bodwell**, a sophomore at UMO, daughter of **Russell '44 and Barbara '45 Bodwell**, has replaced Roy's Black Bear, the award received in 1966.

Plans have been made for an interim reunion of 1917 without waiting for five years to pass. Of course we shall want to take part with the other Senior Alumni in the events scheduled for Saturday, June 12. Our own 1917 doings will start with dinner in the Ford Room, Memorial Union, on Friday, June 11, at 6, and a social evening together. Sunday there can be a class breakfast if enough members are interested, and when we think of Sunday we remember the many wonderful lobster dinners at **Shep Hurd's** in Searsport. It is a little too much to expect **Shep and Marguerite '33** to do all this again, but it is suggested that we could have dinner at some restaurant in the Searsport area, with a social hour at the Hurd's home. You will be having more details by mail and a chance to register for these events. If you can possibly arrange to be in this area, you will certainly have a good time with the class. We always do.

Dich McKown suggests that some year soon when we want to meet together again we should consider going to Bar Harbor. Think about it, won't you?

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18 I was invited to speak to the Berkshire County Land Surveyors about searching titles in the Registry of Deeds. There I heard that **John Casey** had once been president of that organization; recently he was hit by a truck and is now between coma and consciousness. **Howard Kyes of Wilton** was honored by the people of the Franklin County courthouse in observance of his retirement after 25 years as county treasurer. If you read another paper it was 29 years. Also he has served Wilton as selectman, treasurer and town clerk.

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20 **Ray M. Boynton** retired December 31, 1970, after 42½ years with Steinman, Boynton, Gronquist & London. Ray designed the world's third longest bridge, connecting Mackinac Island and the Michigan mainland. He also designed the Tagus River Bridge in Lisbon, Portugal, the Mt. Hope Bridge in Rhode Island as well as our own Waldo-Hancock Bridge at Bucksport and the Deer Isle-Sedgwick Bridge. **Helen White Wentworth (Mrs. Ralph W.)** recently lost her husband and has been staying in Camden for the winter. We are sorry to hear that she has been in the Camden Hospital recently. She may be addressed c/o Hurlburt, Camden, Maine 04843. **Ruth Harvey Rendulic (Mrs. George)** has not moved really, but her address has been changed since her town and another merged. It is now 801 Chickasaw Ave., Melbourne, Florida 32935, where her husband is now in civilian employment since his retirement from the Air Force. This is a few miles from Cape Kennedy.

The **Henry Butlers** are privileged in having their granddaughter **Allyn Marsden** living with them during her freshman year at UMO. Classmates will be grieved to hear that **Dorothea (Dot) Stetson Morse** died at her home in Gainesville, Fla., after a long illness. **Marguerite Mills Beach** and **David** will be living at 316 Wesley Heights, Shelton, Conn., soon after Easter. This is a lovely retirement home situated in a delightful country spot outside of Shelton. **Iva Bean** wins the prize, I think, as the one most expressive of her complete enjoyment of our Fiftieth. Come again, Iva.

What an inspirational letter "**Liz**" **Jackson** wrote as our Class Agent—let's all back her with a gift to the FUND—also news for "me" would be welcome.

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21 50th REUNION JUNE 11, 12
Spend 6 cents on a postal. Message:
"Yes, we'll be there!" Send to above address.

At alumni meeting January 2 in St. Petersburg were the following: the **Ginsbergs**, **R. Bowles**, the **Sewalls**, the **Lindsay Marches**.

Percy Crocker "Sentry Co., Foxboro, Mass., since '26. Manager, design and development engineer. Past president—director. Currently treasurer and chairman of the board of trustee of the pension plan. Still active in many civic affairs. Children. **Marion '46, Bristol '50, Ann, U. of Vt., 11 grandchildren, one at Maine.**" **Mike Foley**: "Hope to make 50th—the big milestone! Still 'putter' around the Drive-In, Route 1, Scarborough—place really run by my three offspring who formed a corporation. Anyone recommend a good tonic to keep '21 going through June 11, 12?" **Ray Curran**: "Yes, I'll be at 50th! Retired in '62—42 years with MGM Motion Picture Co. Now serving my 4th term in legislature. Hope we reach 50 to coincide with our 50th." Your Reunion Committee says, "Yes!"

Clarence L. Partridge. Retired '70 from State Highway Commission after 45 years (last 27 in charge of bridge design). Clarence was directly associated with the design of many of Maine's major bridges. He will be at 50th! **Katherine Stewart**: "Yes, I'll join you at 50th barring hurricanes, accidents, or anything else coming up that seems more interesting! Since I broke my wrist in July and was in for over two months, I don't dare to make any rash promises for future, but I'll watch my step and try to be on deck so committee can count on me!" **Madeleine Eastman Cousins**: "At present our main diversions are shovelling, chopping ice, attending an occasional bean supper and rejoicing over new great grandchildren. (We now have 12!) We'll be on hand June 11, 12." **Jack Barron**: "With International 37 years: forester, logging super, production manager, finally general manager. Offices in Spokane. A real full and busy life. Now just an old golf 'bum'—18 holes daily. Do much reading, watching of all sports on T.V."

Esther Trainer Toole: "Son John in mathematics department at Maine. Grandsons Tim and John at Orono High. John one of two boys from state to play for McDonald's Band in Thanksgiving Macy Parade. He was also in Rose Bowl Parade. We were 'glued' to TV. See you in June." **Marion Bragg**. "Retired from teaching '62. **Herbert '26** and I left last May via S.S. France to England, Channel Is., then to St. Malo, on to Lisbon and Seville, motor trip to Malaga, Granada, Cordova, on to Madrid, then Athens, Aegean Islands, on to Rome, Naples, Pompeii, Capri. Bus tours through Italy. Plane to England for car trip to Devon, Cornwall, etc. Seven great weeks! Returned in June to States via Q.E. #2." **"Hep" Pratt**: Retired '67. Very busy. "Yes, I'll be at 50th!" **Rena Campbell Bowles**: "Leaving February 9 on flight to Africa for six weeks. On West, East, Ivory Coasts. On campus for 50th!"

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22 Several of our class members are very ill, and no word has been received by me from their immediate families. However, it should be known to all of our class membership that the life blood of our class is communication. To those of you who are still sick, a strong handshake and get well wish to the men; your secretary sends best wishes and a big kiss to all the girls.

Martha D. Chase indicated by phone today that she has been hospitalized and expects to go to work again April 1. She gathers news for your secretary on occasion. Perhaps you might wish to drop her a note. We must not forget our membership, for they are as much a part of us today as they were in 1922.

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'24 Fred M. Lindahl has come out of retirement to run for chairman of the West Springfield, Mass., School Board. After serving on the board for 30 years, 10 of which he was chairman, he retired two years ago. He is an industrial arts teacher and describes himself as an “old war horse who wants to get where the action is.” Good luck and congratulations on your fine spirit, Fred **Bernie E. Plummer, Jr.**, was a photographic addition to a picture of the Orono Town Council in the Bangor News recently. Long-range plans include splendid goals for the Town's economic and other worthy advances for the general good of the community. **A. John Conti and his wife Ruth** are enjoying the winter months in Clearwater Beach, Fla. John is in much better health and plays golf often. It's pleasant to get good news from my spy in that city.

All of you alumni who knew Prexy and his biology group at Orono and later at the Univ. of Michigan will remember **Dr. William S. Murray '21** who was student, doctorate candidate and Jackson Laboratory Assistant Director with Prexy. You will regret to hear of Dr. Murray's death last month. Bill was like a younger brother to Prexy—they were very dear friends. We feel a deep and lonely sense of loss which will never be healed.

In fact, my friends, the whole gamut of this winter in Maine has been atrocious. We have had constant record-breaking snowstorms, cold and high winds with such miserable underfoot conditions that it was impossible, for us at least, to get any outdoor exercise. We shall be exultant when spring appears even with its usual reluctance. Sometimes one longs to be back in the Pepsi generation instead of the Geritol group.

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'25 Charles Burbank, Wakefield, Mass., is chairman for the Special Gifts Division of the 1970-71 United Fund in that city. At the time of his retirement Charles was manager for the S. S. Kresge Co. in Boston. He has been active in Chamber of Commerce work, both in his own city and in Treasure Island, Fla., where he spends the winter. **Doris (Dow) Ladd** was elected a trustee of the Hubbard Free Library, Hallowell. **Louise Lord** has been on tour of Spain, Portugal and Morocco this winter, culminating in a visit in Rome, Italy, with son, **Edgar '52** who is with the U.S. Food and Agriculture Organization in that country.

Your secretary has participated in the ETV series, filmed at Orono, “A Time to Live.” Her subject—cooking **Arline Lynch**, retired from teaching, is corresponding secretary for the Penobscot Chapter of Retired Teachers Association.

With sadness we report the death of **Beth Lineken Friend**, of Skowhegan. (See obits.) Beth was a Home Economics major and a close friend of all in that group who lived at North Hall, the then “Practice House”, so called.

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'26 **Clarence E. Hart** After serving the state for 37 years as right-of-way engineer for the Maine State Highway Commission, Clarence is retiring. He is a member of the American Association of State Highway Officials, the American Right of Way Association, the American Public Works Association, and the Maine State Employees Association. Clarence, a widower, has two sons, **Eugene '50** and **Allen N.**, and five grandchildren. **Helen Mayo** I had a nice note from Helen just after Christmas. She is planning to attend our reunion in June. Helen was my freshman roommate in Balentine. I hope a great many of you are coming for reunion.

Diong D. Uong: We were delighted to hear from “Dick” who was Trygve's roommate at Maine. He and Lily have a change of address: P.O. Box 836, Leominster, Mass. 01453. Since his retirement he

has been doing some consulting work on a part-time basis. They have five children, three of them married, and three grandsons and two granddaughters. **Oren Fraser** It was nice to have a brief visit with “Ginger” and Mabel when they stopped by a while ago. They had been visiting daughter Barbara in Orono and were on their way home. While there “Ginger” contacted the alumni office and found that plans were already under way for our reunion. You will be getting some information direct from the university if you have not already. This is the last issue of the “Alumnus” you will be receiving before our reunion. So I urge you come and greet your classmates “Tryg” and I plan to be there.

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'27 “Russ” Beatty (Dr. H. Russell), president of Wentworth Institute since 1953, will be retiring this July. He will remain for a short time as president of the new Wentworth College of Technology, which was founded last year at his urging to provide advanced technical training for engineers. It accepts junior and senior students, providing advanced mathematics and physics training to students who will enter design rather than research. A graduate also of NYU, “Russ” is author of the textbook “Principals of Industrial Management.”

The last that I heard **Calvin Hutchinson** is living in Lewiston, 180 College St., and travelling to Boston weekly where he does freelance photography for the Boston Herald Traveler and works for the U.S. Coast Guard. He has done many of the Sunday Herald Magazine covers, including the one and photo for the story on Friendship Sloops by John Gould. Most of us followed **Neil Bishop's** campaign for U.S. Senator last fall and felt sympathy for him in the loss of his wife Doris at that time. **Marion Cooper** of the State of Maine Department of Education received a Block “M” award from the General Alumni Association at the fall meeting of the Southern Kennebec Valley Alumni Association for her achievements in serving the university as an alumna.

Marlin V. MacLaughlin retired last summer as a member of the New York School Department, is living at 39 Prince Edward Ave., Pelican Island, Seaside Heights, N. J. I understand the **Edward Engels** are living in New Hampshire since Ed retired. How about it? I spent last Tuesday with **Florence (Gushee) Taylor** in Boston at the New England Flower Show. She had just returned from a trip to Florida and in her travels had visited **Crystal (Hughes) Dostie, Annette (Lane) Burbank** has retired from teaching at Wakefield, Mass., and Gushee says Annette is busy making her house over.

I have retired as class reporter and **Peg Webster (Mrs. Earle R.)**, 93 Norway Rd., Bangor, Maine 04401, has kindly volunteered to take my place. PLEASE SEND YOUR NEXT NEWS TO HER. Here are some notes she sent for this issue.

Our last Class Agent letter brought forth rewarding results: checks for the Annual Alumni Fund and a response to our request for news. This from the Early Birds.

Alfred Mitchell writes that he retired four years ago as supervisor of computer programming after 38 years with DuPont Co. Since 1946 he has been running a print shop in the basement of his home and says that if anyone wants to buy a print shop he will seriously consider moving back to Maine. For the past 17 years the Mitchells have spent July at the Bay View Lodge at Saco. Statistics: three sons, five grandsons, five granddaughters and one great-granddaughter. The Mitchells issue this invitation, “Come and see us the next time you are on a honeymoon.” Being a housewife and part-time tutor keeps **Florence (Poor) MacDonald** busy. Her three children are all teachers and married to teachers and the grandchild count is eight—therefore, three teachers have temporarily transferred to the homefront.

Retiring in 1970 from the presidency of Richmond Storage Warehouse and Van Co., **Clare “Cy” Brown** tells us that he keeps out of mischief by continuing as auctioneer and appraiser for 18 warehouses in New York and New Jersey and is continuing as state tax representative for state and fed-

eral tax appraisals. Cy has been a trustee of the Methodist church for 45 years, trustee of the Staten Island Savings Bank since 1945, trustee of the Staten Island Hospital, and has retired as Sunday School Superintendent after 32 years of service. His three children are all graduates of U. of M.

Sorry to learn that **Abba Fernald** retired last year on a disability pension, and because of her health is at home at 305 Washington St., Hartford. Abba has served 24 years in Connecticut State service and before retirement was a Fair Hearing Officer in the Central Office of the Welfare Department in Hartford. She is well known as an artist and had several one man art shows in Hartford in the fall of 1970. In February **Clara Peabody Hersum** received the Alumni Activities Award. She writes, “a great thrill!” For several years the Hersums spent a great deal of time in the Boston area so that their daughter Alice could be near the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital where she successfully received a kidney transplant. Last September Alice was married to Bruce A. Stedman, a graduate of UMF.

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'28 March 10, 1971. Well, December, 1970, was the snowiest on record; January, 1971, the coldest; February just combined both, and now, here we are in March. It came in like a lamb, but soon threw off the sheep's clothing and roared like a lion. Looks like a continuation of February. The days ARE getting longer and the crows have come back.

Omar Gibbs, R. 2, Livermore Falls, has been a patient at Waterville Seton Hospital, but was discharged February 22. **Hobart Pierce, Sr.**, is Farm Coordinator for the Waterville Lions Club. He has sheep and chickens in the winter and his extensive market gardens in the summer. Mrs. Pierce says she thinks **Max Peabbles**, Cabe Elizabeth, was wintering in Arizona. Details, Max? **Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Bowie**, Durham, observed their Golden Wedding Anniversary January 22. A party in their honor was hosted by their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bowie, Concord, Mass. The affair was held at Holiday Inn, Brunswick. There were many guests. Besides the son the Bowies have a daughter, Phyllis, who lives with them. There are three grandchildren. Harold retired in 1969 from many years at American International College, Springfield, Mass. He was named Professor Emeritus and a scholarship has been established in his honor.

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'29



W. Jerome Strout

W. Jerome Strout, president and chief executive officer of the Bangor and Aroostook Railroad since 1962, was appointed chairman of the board, effective January 1, 1971. He is serving as a trustee of the Bangor Theological Seminary, and for his alma mater is chairman of the UMO Development Council and a President's Club committeeman on the Annual Alumni Fund.

Some of the following items may be rather “old news”, as some of them were received in response to two letters your secretary sent out to all 1929ers during 1970.

For the past ten and one half years our class treasurer, **Roderic C. O'Connor**, has been manager of the Maine Industrial Authority with offices in the State Capitol, Augusta. His wife, the former Helen Russ of Bangor, works in the State library. The O'Connors live at The Ledges in Hallowell.

and have two children, a son who is with Dupont and a married daughter who lives in Cohasset, Mass. **Thelma Hamm**, whose residence address we have as being Ocean View St., Wells, Maine, is serving as advisor to the French Club at Thornton Academy. Our thanks to **Dr. George F. Dow '27**, who through his Class of 1927 members questionnaire received news that **Lawrence C. ("Laury") Merrill** is retired or semi-retired at Christianstad, St. Croix, Virgin Islands, where he has lived since 1927. **Barbara Johnson** of 32 Orland St., Portland, who served as our class correspondent for the "Alumnus" for a number of years, wrote us last September that she was a teacher of English in Portland High School. Upon graduation Barbara went into newspaper work, and for fifteen years she was society editor for the "Portland Press Herald." She resigned from the paper in 1957, received her master's degree in education in 1960 from UMO, and since has continued as a teacher of English and journalism at Portland High.

George Lester "Mike" Coltart, who retired from Ingersoll Rand's Chicago office about two years ago, now makes his home in Worcester, Mass. He and Mrs. Coltart have two sons, both married. Mike owns a summer camp in Machias, Maine, and spends some of his summers there. **Erma White (Mrs. Gilbert) Howe** wrote your secretary last October from Kearney, N. J., that she was tutoring for the Kearney Board of Education but that she hoped to retire in 1971 and return to live "Down East in the good old State of Maine." **Linwood P. "Stubby" Carmalt** is a semi-retired grocer living in Woodland, Maine. After leaving the U. of M. "Stubby" married his Brewer High sweetheart, Dorothy Lambert, in 1930, and for several years was a salesman for the National Biscuit Company. In 1947 he purchased his own grocery in Woodland but in later years has been working, now on a part-time basis, for the I.G.A. Market in Calais. The Carmalts have one daughter, Ann, and four grandchildren.

This news of "Win" Niles also dates back to June, 1970. "Win" taught biology and science in the Princeton, N. J., Borough Schools for 29 years, 25 of which he also coached track. Win was disabled in 1963 by Parkinson's Disease and retired to Jaffray, N. H. His first wife, Lydia, died in 1954. A married son, who has two children, lives in Massachusetts. A married daughter, living in North Carolina, has one child. "Win" remarried in 1956. He writes "I still maintain my love for all sports and enjoy them vicariously on TV." **Theda Royal (Mrs. Robert H.) Parker** wrote in June, 1970, that she had been married for over 36 years and that her main occupation had been that of "a homemaker, not a housewife." Theda has also operated her own tea room, has been active in Maine extension work, in Maine Federation of Women's Clubs, and co-chairman of Veterans' Affairs. Theda's husband has retired from the State Highway De-

partment. **Dr. Allison K. Hill** is a general surgeon in Bangor, his office at 431 State St., and home on Sunset Avenue in "The Queen City of the East." **Merton S. Parsons** wrote last September that he retired on July 31, 1970, after 33 years as an economist for the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The Parsons family live in Fairfax, Va., and have two sons, one daughter and three grandchildren. "Mert" enjoys hunting, fishing and golf. The "Miss Reliable" of 1929, **Mary Reed** of Orono, continues her duties at the UMO Library. Following her graduation with our class, Mary had a year of graduate study at Simmons College but returned to Orono and the UMO Library in 1930.

Your class secretary's main hobby since 1952 has been Kiwanis, when he became a member of the Kiwanis Club of Brewer. "Reg" served his club as president in 1962 and has been editor of the club's weekly bulletin for 17 of the 19 years he has been a Kiwanian. In February "Reg" was awarded a tab for 18 years of perfect attendance. Now, classmates of 1929, please write us more news about you and yours for future columns.

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'30 So much to write about but so little space. I'll continue reports of our "big deal" at Homecoming as reported to me by **Frank McCann**. Included also with our gang were Admiral Frank Harper and wife, (He's professor of Math at Maine,) **Br'g. Gen. "Penny" Merriam '32**, **Raymond White '31** and wife of Oxford, Mass., "Skeet" Sutherland and wife, and Stanley "Wally" Wallace from Patten.

One of the highlights of the weekend was a reunion at the tollgate in Augusta with Jim Reed, captain of the Harvard Cross Country team, and "Bud" Lindsay who was captain of Maine when we beat Harvard. On Saturday night our guests were **Carl Ring '25** and **Margaret (Boothby) Freeman '27**.

Ed Stern was again a candidate for the state senate last November, but he lost to incumbent **Kenneth MacLeod '44**. **Jack Moran** has retired as managing editor of the "Bangor Daily News" after 15 years. He has been with the paper ever since college. Now he and Mrs. Moran can relax in their new home in Miami, Fla. **Harry Mayers** of Greenwich, Conn., is chairman of the President's Club for the Alumni Fund Drive. Thanks to our class agent **Frank McCann** we reached an all-time high in contributions for 1970.

Frank Knight, president of Eastern Fine Papers, Inc., reported that his company made good progress in 1970, in spite of difficult circumstances and the declining economy. The year of 1971 should be even better, which is good to hear. I had a good talk with **Thelma (Shea) Lapworth** recently and hope we can get together soon to talk over old times.

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Polly (Hall) Leech wrote her usual cheerful Christmas note. She now has six grandchildren, whom she enjoys.

John Stanley also wrote a nice note. He reported a wonderful time at reunion and a grand trip back to California by way of the Gaspé, St. Lawrence, and across Canada. My husband and I plan to take the trip to Banff, Lake Louise, and Jasper after I retire in June. **Harry Mayers** wrote me from Phoenix, Ariz., where he was enjoying a winter vacation far from our cold and snow.

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'31 DON'T FORGET OUR FORTIETH
JOIN THE FUN IN '71

The class officers met at the home of President **Parker Cushman** recently to make plans for our Fortieth Reunion. They are as follows:

June 11, Friday
Class Dinner—Hilltop Cafeteria

June 12, Saturday
Class Breakfast
Class Meeting
Alumni Luncheon—West Commons
Alumni Banquet—West Commons

June 13, Sunday
Class Outing
Sezak Cottage—Bayside (Belfast)
Shore Dinner—Boating—Golf

If you still have your '31 yachting caps from the Thirty-fifth Reunion, wear it. Others will be on sale for all members who do not have one. We are asking all class members to bring pictures taken during college days. There will be a display of these at the Class dinner. More details will come to you by class letters in the next two months. Watch for these!

Our class treasurer, **Louise Durgin Hammons** writes from LaHabra, Calif., that she plans to be

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here for Reunion. As a result of class letters sent to those class members living in the California area, she had replies from **Nelson Spurling**, **Harry Butler** and **Ivan Stoughton**. Ivan is an engineer living near Burbank. Nelson retired from the Department of Defense in 1965 after 31 years of service and is living in Albuquerque. Harry Butler works for Hughes Aircraft Co. in Culver City. He is at present on a year's leave of absence and has been joined by his daughter Leona from Maine.

Jennie (Davidson) Jackson has now become a Maine resident, having bought a retirement home in East Eddington. She hopes to open her Antique Shop in May on Route 9, East Eddington. She is very busy entertaining her eight grandchildren who live only a half mile away, and working in the church, grange, and extension. March is That Time of Year, and our class member, **Don Goode**, on the local TV station for the Bangor area, has been giving everyone advice and confidence on filing his income tax. Don is director of the Bangor Office of Internal Revenue. **George Hargreaves** is now professor of political science at Palmer College, Charleston, S. C., and was recently elected president of the Retired Officers Association of that City.

John Vickery was named the best speaker and the best table topic speaker at the weekly meeting of the Bangor Toastmasters Club held recently at the YMCA. **Phil Brockway** was the subject of a feature article in the "Maine Sunday Telegram" recently. The article which dealt in some length with Phil's background and his success in painting, as well as in his office as director of placement at the university, told about his methods of teaching painting in his ever popular art classes which he conducts under the continuing education division. The article was accompanied by a large picture of Phil aiding one of his students in these classes.

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'32 **John S. Adams** of Wakefield, Mass., was the January speaker for the Retired Men's Club of Wakefield. John, who is general manager of the New England Milk Producers Association, spoke on "Milk from the Farm to Consumers in New England."

A February "Maine Sunday Telegram" headline, "He Conquers Katahdin Despite Heart Attack," referred to **Winston C. Robbins** of Farmingdale. "Win" had been climbing mountains since 1923 and for many years had excelled in skiing and canoeing. A double heart attack in 1953 put him to bed for a month and greatly reduced his activity for a year. In 1958, he decided to walk off and leave the pressures that went along with heading up a big construction firm because he wanted to "get back to the mountains." He became resident engineer with the State Parks Commission where much of his work is outdoors. He began to exer-

cise regularly and when his health returned in 1964 he decided to climb Mt. Katahdin with his family. Then in 1968 and 1969 he joined a party of distinguished winter mountaineers on Mt. Katahdin, and together they proved that Maine's highest mountain could be safely climbed in winter. Of course, "Win" is under medical care and uses good common sense when he climbs mountains. Says he, "I intend to climb until I'm 75. I've got to make mountaineers of four grandchildren."

J. Weldon Russell of Lewiston has submitted his resignation as superintendent of River Valley School Administrative District, comprising the towns of Turner, Greene and Leeds. He is resigning, effective June 30, because of poor health. He came to his present post in 1967 after resigning as Lewiston school superintendent. **Kenneth S. Ludden**, assistant to the vice president-marketing for the Bangor and Aroostook Railroad, retired recently after being with the railroad for 36 years.

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'33 Hello '33! It's a wonderful world again! Spring must be just around the corner in spite of a March snowstorm outside my window! All this because I received a letter with news from **Tom Desmond**!

Tom retired from DuPont Company on January 1 after 36 years of service. He has returned "home" to New England and hopes to do some of the "other things" he has always wanted to do. His home is in Chatham on Cape Cod. He overlooks the sixth green of the Chatham Bars golf course! Tom gave us news that **Bob Ingraham's** wife Carol died January 10. Bob has lived in Kittery and worked for Polaroid. He has resigned and is doing some traveling, including the Middle East. We extend our sympathy to Bob. Tim is a past president at both the Boston and Chicago alumni groups and is already involved in meetings in the area. It's great to have him back.

An October clipping from the Hartford, Conn., "Times" informs us that **Philip A. Havey** of Wethersfield will preside over general sessions of the National Safety Council concerning highway construction in Chicago. Phil is director of construction services for Hartford Insurance Group. **Frederick C. Burk** gets headlines on his retirement, after 35 years of service with the town of Swampscott, Mass. Congratulations, Freddie! You deserve all the big black print! The article points out that Fred was a conservationist and arborist for many years before conservation became a matter of national concern. He was the founder of the Society of Municipal Arborists. Fred's wife Amy is a school nurse; his son Frederick Jr. operates a tree service in Bethel, and his daughter Janet is the wife of

Navy Lt. Cmdr. **Peter Glasier**. **Richard P. Morrison** has been named assistant cashier at the People's National Bank in Farmington. He lives at Fairbanks.

Isn't it great to have some news! Why don't you write!

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'35 **Beryl (Warner) Williams** sent a most interesting and welcome letter in November enclosing a copy of the first issue of her newsletter, "Maine in Maryland", which had been sent to alumni in the Maryland area in March. Beryl has been involved in teaching or administration for many years and is presently director of summer session, evening session and extension programs at Morgan State College in Baltimore, Md. She mentioned seeing **Spurgeon Benjamin** occasionally at meetings of the Maryland alumni. Beryl was sorry to miss our 35th reunion last June but hopes to make the 40th.

Horace Drummond, acting sheriff of Kennebec County, was on the planning committee for an October ball sponsored by the Kennebec County Deputy Sheriff's Association for the benefit of the Pine Tree Camp for Crippled Children. **Henry Fales** was appointed in October manufacturing manager of the Printing Paper Division of St. Regis Paper Co. with headquarters in New York. He had been resident manager of the company's Kraft Center at Pensacola, Fla. since 1967 and had previously held management positions in pulp and paper manufacturing with Scott Paper Co., St. Croix Paper Co., and Continental Paper Co. The Otis G. Fales Scholarship Fund was recently established by Henry in memory of his brother who died in May. The gift of \$10,000 will be administered by the University of Maine Pulp and Paper Foundation and be used for annual awards to students preparing to enter pulp and paper or allied industries.

Ivan Booker of Brewer has been conducting a course in pottery at UM Bangor under the sponsorship of the university's continuing education division. At the Masonic annual meeting and winter ceremonial of Kora Temple in Lewiston **Walter Emerson** was elected to serve as representative to the Imperial Council. A photograph and article appearing in the November issue of "Down East" magazine showed an 8 foot Black Hills spruce tree grown in Bowdoin by **Brig. Gen. C. O. Totman** (USMC—Ret.) of Waldoboro. It was selected by the Maine Christmas Tree Association as the finest Christmas tree produced in the state.

Robert Higgins writes from 10 Olde Lantern Rd., Acton, Mass. "After 21 years on active duty in the Air Force as a weather officer and several years as

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ED SMITH '50

a meteorologist with the Army in Arizona I have finally returned to New England as a meteorologist with the Air Force at Hanscom Field, Mass. I have four children, a daughter married to a DuPont Chemist in Buffalo, N. Y., a son stationed in Montana for a year after completing a Vietnam tour, a daughter, Sandra, who is a sophomore at UMO, and a son who is a high school junior. It is good to be back in New England after being away for 30-35 years, but the snow seems a lot heavier to shovel and the cold seems a little colder."

Stoney and I spent several weeks' vacation in February touring around Florida. On the way we visited the **Areys** in Stamford, Conn. **Bob** and his wife **Helen** (U of Rochester) have lived in Stamford for 20 years. **Bob** is construction supervisor for Hopeman Bros., who specialize in design and installation of marine interiors for the shipbuilding industry. He divides his time between the home office in New York City and other parts of the country—most recently in Georgia and San Diego, Calif. In Pensacola, Fla., we spent a delightful evening with **John** and **Alice** (Trundy '33) **Thatcher**, and **Guy** '33 and **Peggy** (Dodge '34) **Booker**. We were disappointed to miss our classmate **Woody Marcille** who was out of town at the time.

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'36



Robley H. Morrison

Bless you, **Robley H. Morrison**, for earning a promotion to Vice President of Coverdale & Colpitts, Inc., and providing me with a long opening paragraph! Coverdale & Colpitts, Inc. was recently acquired by Madigan-Praeger, Inc., a New York City affiliate of URS Systems Corp. of San Mateo, Calif. His transportation experience includes a 25-year railroad career, with positions ranging from departmental supervisor through vice president and general manager on several major railroad lines. At Coverdale & Colpitts he has been largely involved in transportation, engineering and economic projects. He has participated in a cost analysis of operations of through-passenger train service on the Western Pacific R.R., a determination of earnings and asset value of one section of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois R.R., and an analysis of construction and maintenance of way and structure of Brazilian railroads. He has also handled the study and design of track structure for the proposed new Hudson Terminal for Port Authority Trans-Hudson trains in the World Trade Center, and a study of the impact of added subway traffic in Grand Central Terminal subway stations. And there is even more—so congratulations, **Robley**!

A January 2nd, 1971, Xmas card from **Charlotte '37** and **Hall Rameriz**, Bakersfield, Calif. (Shall I call it my last for '70, or first for '71, Charlotte?), says they spent five weeks in Europe again this fall. A VERY nice habit to be in! They have five grandchildren, and the only child at home is son **Tom**, 15, sophomore in high school. Christmas in Camden and possibly the earthquakes in California convinced **Dot** (Nutt) **Packard** that she's moving back bag and baggage in June. Her sister, **Bunny Crockett '67** is flying out and they will have a leisurely drive back East seeing the country en route. **Gerald Beverage**, Augusta, was elected secretary-treasurer of the Kennebec Valley Board of Realtors at their fall meeting.

P. S. Hot off the wire from **President Sealey**. Reunion housing in Cumberland Hall, Friday class dinner on campus, Saturday alumni luncheon and dinner, Sunday picnic at Kob's Lobster Pound, Searsport. Tell all '36ers you meet—make a few phone calls—write a few cards—and hopefully we'll all be there.

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'37 Subject of a feature article in a recent edition of the "Maine Times" was classmate **Alton Bell**, and his family. Tide Mill Farm 1500 acres on Cobscook Bay, has been in the family for seven generations. Wish that you could all see the accompanying photos: nice shoreline, house, big barn, the dairy herd in a field near an orchard, tidal inlet—idyllic. And lots of hard work, though during U of M vacation time there are two young Bells to help. **Terry** and **Bob**, students of agricultural engineering. **Alton** is also a florist, a gun collector, and president of the state extension service. During World War II he served as a lieutenant colonel, an aide to Eisenhower. **Helen**, his wife, teaches home-making at East Machias.

Robert Dineen was a recent speaker at an Augusta meeting of the AAUW. His subject was natural resources and how to save or reclaim them. He is presently in charge of the forest management division of the Maine Forest Service. Prior to that he was with the Connecticut Park and Forest Commission and the Connecticut Fish and Game Department, and before that with the U. S. Forest Service. **Dick** (Senator **Richard**) **Berry** was the speaker at the Lincoln Day dinner given by the Androscoggin County Women's Republican Club. He now is proposing a measure to invoke a moratorium on coastal oil developments pending court settlement of Maine's oil conveyance law and completion of a statewide development scheme.

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'39 Had a nice note from **Bob Cullinan**. He has one son at UMO, one at Middlebury, one at Drexel, and one who was at Boston College. In addition to his contracting business, **Bob** is also, with eight other men, in the skiing business. They run the "Pleasant Mountain" Ski Area in Bridgton. Summer activities are also offered—you don't have to be a ski enthusiast to enjoy this beautiful spot. Be sure to look for **Bob** when you are in the area. **Bob** also sent word of **G. Merrill Thomas**. He is teaching a course offered by the Continuing Education Division, U of M. He teaches "Creative Problem Solving" at Augusta, Orono and Gorham.

Merrill Bradford is the new potentate of Anah Temple Shrine in Bangor. "Pappy" is a partner in the law firm of Eaton, Peabody, Bradford and Veague. A nice article in the Bangor paper about the Old Town Canoe Company of which **Jim Cunningham** is president. The factory still makes the wood-canvas canoes so familiar to us all, and the line is now expanded to include fiberglass, wood canoes covered with dacron and clear polymer. In addition to canoes, the company makes a variety of kayaks, dinghies, fishing boats and power boats. So all you boating fans be sure to give lots of consideration to the Old Town line.

I'll end with my usual plea for letters from you all!

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'40 There has been a drastic change in our life style since last June when I agreed to be your "personal editor". Around the first of August President Nixon appointed Art as U.S. Director of the Asian Development Bank with rank of ambassador. We had a month and a half to sell our home, put all of our possessions in storage, say our farewells, and end our Washington phase. We left the U.S. on September 18 and traveled on the presidential plane to Europe with Secretary Kennedy and treasury officials. Our first stop was Brussels, then on to the International Monetary Fund Conference in Copenhagen, then to Madrid. We left the treasury group in Spain and proceeded on our own to England, France, and Italy where Art did some treasury business before ending his government career. Our "vacation" started in Greece where we spent three weeks cruising the Aegean and traveling throughout Greece. This

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had been my lifelong dream and it was even better than I had dared anticipate!

We flew from Rome to Manila on October 25 and came directly to our new home. We live in Urdaneta, Makati, which is one of the newer suburbs. It still seems strange to live behind a high wall topped with broken glass and to have to pass armed guards to enter our village. But it is a very comfortable life. We have a beautiful house, completely furnished and equipped, a very efficient and well trained staff, an embassy car and driver, a beautiful garden and swimming pool.

Our association with A.D.B. is a very happy one for both of us. Art finds his work very interesting, and we both enjoy the international life. The bank has representatives from thirty-five different countries and is like a small U.N. We have made many close friendships with people from China, Japan, India, Pakistan, Korea, Thailand, Afghanistan, Ceylon, Viet Nam, Australia, New Zealand, and from all over Europe. The bank has a very active social life, and it is fascinating to me to learn about the culture of all the different Asian countries. At many of the parties we attend Art and I are the only Westerners.

When I found we were moving to Manila, I wrote to Bill Treat and asked him to find another editor, but he felt that maybe you would be interested in hearing about the Weatherbees. (What I really think is that no one else will take the job!) So for the next two years I'll try to keep the news coming from Manila. We have just returned from Hong Kong, Bangkok, and Taipei and next month will be in Singapore, Kuala Lumpur, Djakarta, and Bali. So I'll tell you about our recent travels next time.

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'41 What a valuable asset these Xmas cards are in bringing notes of the activities of our classmates!

Polly Cushing Clough and her husband, **Charles '40**, are now back in Falmouth for country living after nine years in Portland. Their oldest son, **Pete '65**, married to **Mary Jay Mire '68**, will have his Ph.D. soon. Daughter **Paula '67** is married and living in Connecticut. David, age 20, is in the Air Force. Ruth is a seventh grader. A real Maine family! Many thanks for your note, **Polly**.

Ormond Staples is ship master for Humble Oil of Texas. A real forester. Gone to Sea. Stape was in the Merchant Marine during W. W. II and has been in maritime service ever since. His wife **Norma** and their three daughters reside in Thomaston. From several sources we learn that "Stew" **Oakes** is president of the Worcester County National Bank, following a series of presidencies and directorships of manufacturing corporations. **Stewart**, a mechanical engineer at Maine, married **Rita Wilcox '43** of Portland. Their four children must be very proud of their father who is active in civic groups. He is also a trustee of the Holden Hospital and Bancroft School. It is always fun to hear from **Betty Mosher Whitney** and her husband, **Clifton '40**. They love their Montpelier, Vt., life. After 22 years "Clif" has resigned his position with Northern Farms and

is now on the staff of the New England Milk Producers Association, Betty still teaches home ec at Northfield High

Shirley (Mitchell) Jergensen and husband Emmett still live in Springfield, Mass., where she is busy with community and volunteer work. Son Bruce is married, Gail is a junior at Fitchburg State, having graduated in June from Bay Path Jr. Lee is a seventh grader. **Charles "Bug" and Betty (Grant) Adams** have moved from So. Weymouth to Westboro, Mass. Son Skip, a salesman for Bristol Labs, has three daughters, including twins Janet, their oldest daughter, is a technician at Worcester City Hospital. Grant attends N. U., and two younger children are still at home. **Tom Fairchild** is superintendent of schools in the Readfield area. He and his wife Alice have four children. Tobie married a nurse from CMG Hospital. Bill is a sophomore at Maine, two younger children are attending high school.

Russ Woolley urges our classmates to please send dues and gifts early to make a successful reunion. See you all there in June.

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'42 "People are tired of being poisoned." These were the opening words of an article featuring and quoting **Dallas and Jennie Edwards** who "went back to the land" in July, 1969, as organic gardeners at Clark's Cove in Walpole. Their other prime concern is developing an orchard from which apples are shipped country-wide. Their adventure in living the natural life on the coast of Maine has much appeal.

Sympathy is extended to **Margaret Doyle Smith** of Caribou, whose husband, Maynard, died November 17.

Classmates who have joined the ranks of grandparents are **Harold and Betty (Brown) '45 Blood**, **Barbara Cuetara**, and **Carly '43 and Maddy Brackett**.

Briefs **Ralph Springer** is director of Health, Education and Welfare for the Chicago Association of Commerce and Industry. Son Bob attends medical school, Jim goes to the U of Kansas, and Joanne is a high school senior. The portrait of former Governor **John H. Reed** has been officially presented to the state and has been accepted by the Maine Art Commission. **Carolyn Lovejoy** is director of student activities at Green Mountain College. **Betty Honan** teaches business education at Westbrook Junior College. Sandra, daughter of **Rob and Barbara (Smiley) '45 Healy**, had a summer wedding.

Early Bird Note: **Mary and Larry Leavitt** will once again host the 1971 executive committee meeting following the homecoming football game. A cordial invitation is extended to all '42ers.

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'43



John Lewis

John Lewis was one of four new members chosen for the Board of Directors of TAPPI, beginning in February, 1971. Director of pulp and paper development and research at the Rust Engineering Co., Birmingham, Ala., he joined TAPPI in 1948. A former chairman of the chemical engineering committee, he has been active on other committees, including training and education, pulping and paper-making chemicals testing, and API-TAPPI college relations. He has been a speaker at TAPPI annual meetings, functional conferences, and meetings of the New England local section, at which he served as chairman. He received his M.S. degree in chemical engineering from UMO, where he became an instructor in 1946. After working in the paper in-

dustry he returned to his alma mater as an assistant professor of chemical engineering (pulp & paper div.), leaving in 1960 for the Pulp & Paper Research Center in Lawrence, Mass. He joined Rust last year. Besides TAPPI, his memberships include the American Institute of Chemical Engineers, Paper Industry Management Assn., and the Institute of Food Technology.

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'44 You probably know that **Ken MacLeod** has been serving as State Senator from Brewer for some time now, and we have word that he has been re-elected as president of the Senate. There was a possibility that he would serve as interim governor as a result of a ballot recount, but that did not become necessary. We know Ken would have done a fine job and will continue watching his career with interest.

Lt. Col. Charles (Bob) Angel is chief of the division of biochemistry. His address is 12605 Bluehill Rd., Wheaton, Md. 20906. **Malcolm ("Mac") Hardy**, president of his own construction company, M.D. Hardy Inc. (MRA Bangor), has received the highest award that Armco Steel Corporation grants to their affiliated dealers. Their Award of Merit and National Design Award of Excellence are given for projects of superior design and aesthetics. It was MRA's design and construction of the new Cole's Express Facilities on Parry Road, in Bangor's Industrial Park, that brought them this national recognition. "Mac" and his wife live in Hampden.

Sherrold Smith has sent a detailed letter about his interesting family. His wife, the former **Florence Maillor ('47)**, is receiving recognition for outstanding work as a supervisor in the Family Service Unit, City of Auburn, N. Y. Sherrold is Eastern Sales Manager for the Spray Dryer Division of The DeLaval Separator Co., a Wisconsin company producing milk powder, instant foods, and related products. There are five Smith children, all in New York. Lynne, married and teaching art in the Auburn school system. Karel, majoring in sociology at S.U.C.O. in Oswego, Janice, an honor roll student in hotel management at Paul Smith College near Saranac Lake, Mark in Auburn High School, and Scott in grade school. None at Maine yet, but there are still two chances. Sherrold and Florence are active in their local U. of M. alumni meetings and fund-raising projects.

Next issue: the story of how **Dick Fuller** went to India with only a week's notice!

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'45 We were saddened to hear of the death of Dr. Paul Mitchell. Dr. Mitchell was the husband of good friend and fellow classmate **"Mimi" (O'Beirne) Mitchell**. At the time of his death Dr. Mitchell was school superintendent in Yonkers, N. Y. I know you all join me in sending along our deepest sympathy to "Mimi" and the four Mitchell children.

It was nice to have some news of **Hollis C. Tedford**. After graduating from Maine, Hollis studied business administration at the Univ. of Bridgeport. Since 1952 he has been owner and operator of the H. C. Tedford Associates, Engineers and Land Surveyors, performing a complete line of engineering services in municipal-related activities. During this time Hollis has also served as a professional engineer for the Connecticut State Department of Transportation. Last November he assumed his new position as a professional engineer for the town of Monroe. Mrs. Tedford is the former **E. Marie MacPherson** of St. Stephen, New Brunswick. The Tedford family is composed of three sons: **Hollis 3rd**, 20, a student at Boston University, **Barry**, 18, and **Stewart**, 14. The Tedfords make their home at 27 Fenway North, Milford, Conn.

You will all be interested to know that there are plans in motion for the improvement of the town of Orono. One of the more active members of the Orono Town Council is **Bob Emerson**. One of the goals is for a central village of intensive use and efficient entrance to the university. We will all watch

this project with interest. At the annual meeting and winter ceremonial held in Lewiston **Myron D. Rust**, York, was elected assistant rabban of Kora Temple, Lewiston.

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'46 **Kay (Ward) Woodworth** is coordinator of the Learning Disabilities Program in No. Andover, Mass. Kay did graduate work at Tufts Univ., and in 1968 she received a state fellowship for advanced study in special education at Boston Univ.

The World Cup Ski Races at Sugarloaf took on a new meaning for us when we learned that **Tyler Palmer**, one of the American racers, is the son of our classmate, **Sally Ann (McNealus) Palmer**, Kearsage. N. H. Tyler is ranked in the first ten in World Cup standings. And I mustn't forget brother **Terry** who is #1 in men's overall standings in the Can-Am racing series.

SEE YOU AT REUNION!

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'47 **Richard E. Kennedy**, county supervisor for the Farmers Home Administration in Augusta since 1954, was presented a certificate of appreciation and a cash award for outstanding service to rural people and communities in his area. He won this award for "demonstrated effectiveness in assisting farm families adjust to technological change, energetic implementation of FHA Agency programs and substantial contribution to people, communities and the economy in the area."

Colonel William E. Gifford, Jr., was presented the Legion of Merit recently at Morton A.F.B., California, where he now serves as Vice Commander of the U. S. Air Force's Aerospace Audiovisual Service (AAVS). Colonel Gifford received the high ranking decoration for his exceptionally outstanding service for the United States at Military Airlift Command (MAC) Hdqts., Scott AFB, Ill., from August, 1967, to February, 1970. He was assigned as a director of long-range planning and studies under MAC Deputy Chief of Staff for plans. In his current assignment the Colonel assists in directing activities of the AAVS which provide combat intelligence and documentary photography for the USAF. The AAVS operates as a subcommand of MAC. A 1937 graduate of Bangor High School, Col. Gifford enlisted in the military service in 1942. He was commissioned an officer in the U. S. Army Corps in 1943, through the Aviation Cadet Program. In 1947 he received an A.B. degree in mathematics from UMO and then completed studies in the field of meteorology at the University of Chicago.

He is a member of the American Meteorological Society, the National Geographic Society, and the Air Force Association.

The Giffords have three children, **William E. III**, **John**, and **Katherine**.

Florence (Maillor) Smith (Mrs. Sherrold) is receiving recognition for her outstanding work as a supervisor in the Family Service Unit in Auburn, N. Y. **Sherrold '44** is Eastern Sales Manager for the Spray Dryer Division of the DeLaval Separator Co., a Wisconsin producer of milk products. A rundown on their children: **Lynne**, married, teaching art in the Auburn School system; **Karel**, a sociology major at Oswego; **Janice**, honor roll student in hotel management at Paul Smith, near Saranac Lake; **Mark**, in Auburn High School; and **Scott**, in Auburn grade school. **Florence and Sherrold** are active in UMO alumni activities in New York.

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'48 Our campus mayor, **John Goff**, was up for reelection to the New Hampshire legislature last fall, but we haven't heard how it went. In his first term John was on the appropriations and constitutional revisions committees, and the cooperative committee for ap-

propriations and ways and means. He is in his eighth term as town clerk in Pembroke, where he is an independent insurance agent. **Harvey J. Lacombe** has been assistant principal of the Seymour Conn., High School since 1967 and will become principal next fall. He feels that the activism of today's youth is a healthy sign of concern for the problems of the nation and the world, and that drug education programs should be started or expanded in our schools.

The Eastern Maine Medical Center of Bangor has announced a twelve million dollar expansion plan. **John Grant**, president of the Board of Trustees, is busy explaining the need and the plans—and helping get the fund-raising campaign started. Last month we noted that **Col. Leslie Bolstridge**, now in Hawaii, had received a high national honor. Now we hear he's had another celebration with his wife, Mary—their 25th wedding anniversary. She's from Georgia, and he's from Corinna, where they have a farm and plan to retire. They have two children, Loren D., III, age 17, and Mary Ann, a pre-med student at the University of Ohio.

Joseph R. Bosse has come to Bangor to be the W. T. Grant store manager. He's been in the retail field 23 years, 11 of them with the Grant Co., mostly in the Boston area and Bristol, Conn. The Bosses have four children and have a place in East Sullivan where they vacation each summer. A letter from **Bryce Lambert** tells us that he's been at Deerfield Academy in Massachusetts since 1952 as an English teacher. He's also faculty advisor for the school newspaper, which has won top honors at the Columbia Scholastic Press Association contest for years. The past five summers he has taught at the Blair Summer School for Journalism in New Jersey for five weeks. Bryce is still a bachelor and a great traveler. For ten years he's been in Europe and/or Asia at least part of each summer. He mentioned visiting Great Britain, France, Germany, Italy, Egypt (Aswan Dam), Turkey, Israel, Jordan.

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'50 Hello again. Say did you see J. L. Seymour's '23 letter to the editor last issue? He claims the "Maine Alumnus" is an undergraduate publication because we alumni do not contribute our thoughts or write about our accomplishments. Have we any messages? My news must be brief but if you wish to write an article, send it to me or the editor.

John Bachewiig, Nogales, Arizona, and family made a 6000-mile trip to Augusta last summer. John is trying to drum up reunions to be held in late July or early August. He tells me **Ray B. Thayer Jr.**, Arlington, Va., underwent surgery last spring. Hope you are ok now, Ray, let me know and I'll pass the word. **Chapman C. Norton** (Lt. Col., U. S. A. pilot) retired to Savannah, Ga. **Howard Wagner** visited Maine on his way to Hawaii from Puerto Rico (Gentlemen, more details, please.) **Frederick J. Simmons '06** tells me **Lt. Col. Paul M. Payson** returned from Vietnam; now lives in Washington, D. C. (for two years?) Paul, his wife and two daughters live in Alexandria, Va. Welcome home, Paul.

John H. Stimpson (Irvington on the Hudson, N. Y.), M. A. Wharton School of Finance and Commerce, has risen through the ranks at New York Life Insurance Co. to become vice president, marketing. Headquarters Minneapolis. Thanks for the item, **Hilda (Livingston) Miller '51**.

John W. Denison, M.S. and Ed D., U. Mass., has been named director of the Stockbridge School and assistant dean of the College of Agriculture, U. Mass. at Amherst. Among his many laurels, Dr. John coaches team wrestling. **Robert S. Stevens** is now principal of Page School, Bedford, Mass. Before coming to Bedford, Bob had many interesting positions with Harper and Row, he was also an elementary school teacher. **Robert D. Johnson** is the State airport engineer at Augusta and a member of the City Council. Send some personal news, Bob. **Linwood F. Wright**, married, six children, is now director of aeronautics, New Sharon. Lin was a B-52 and B-47 flight instructor with the USAF, he has also flown many commercial planes.

Carrol E. Reed, Keene, N. H., has been selected as claims auditor, National Grange Mutual Insurance Co. Carrol and Lois have two daughters. **Betty J. Ladd** is director of social sciences and teaches at Glastonbury High School, Conn. In 1969



John Stimson '50



Stuart W. MacKinnon

Betty travelled to New Delhi, India, on a sabbatical leave. She also visited several villages in northern India. **Stanley Yonkauskis**, has been elected chairman of the Windsor, Conn., public building commission. Stan is married and has two sons and two daughters. **Raymond Rideout, Jr.**, of Manchester was elected State Auditor. Congratulations, Stan and Ray.

Stuart W. MacKinnon has been made manager of the Biddeford Business Office for the New England Telephone Co. Stu and Lila have four sons, Jeff 18, David 17, Mark 10, Bruce 3. There's a generation span right there.

Any club news? **Myron Zimmerman** (past president), what's going on in S. E. Mass. Club? Also, has the executive committee (**David Hale, Don Barron, Myron Zimmerman, Ellie Brockway**, and **Leonard Minsky**) met yet?

Bye, Bob

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'51 THINK 20TH REUNION: JUNE 11-12. Let's all make a special effort to come to Orono.

Best wishes to **William Leavitt Philbrick** and **Katharine Boardman LaFond** who were married December 6, newlyweds live in Skowhegan. **Col. Robert A. Rushworth**, former X-15 rocket research plane pilot, who earned his astronaut wings flying X-15 to 286,000 ft., has been named director of flight test at aeronautical systems division at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base. Since June, 1963, he has been director of the Maverick Air-To-Ground Missile Office of the Aeronautical Systems. **Major Roger L. Stevens**, a navigator, has received the U. S. Air Force Commendation Medal at Tan Son Nhut A.B., Vietnam, for meritorious service.

John D. Robinson, president of the First National Bank of Farmington, has been appointed vice president of the American Bankers Association for the State of Maine. **Donald Bourassa** has been named to the National Legal Affairs Commission of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. He is among seven Maine VFW officers to be named. **Richard D. Hutchins** has been recently elected to the presidency of the DuPont Fish and Game Club, Wilmington, Del. **John M. Draughon** is now an outside purchasing agent for Humble Oil and Refining Co., Houston, Texas.

Oliver N. Jackson, 725 Melissa Drive, Oxford, Ohio, retired Air Force Lieutenant Colonel, has joined Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, as an assistant director of Student Aid. **Raymond Couture**, Reading, Mass., is national vice chairman of the Annual University of Maine Alumni Fund Drive. **John K. Dineen** has become a partner in the law firm of Ely, Bartlett, Brown, & Proctor of Boston, Mass. **Bradford W. Mitchell** has been elected president of the Greater Keene, N. H., Chamber of Commerce.

Marion (Waterman) Meyer has been named director of undergraduate studies in the College of Business Administration at Syracuse University. Correction from last issue: **Maurice Cohen's** egg processing plant is in Dayton, Maine, not Ohio. It is located between Biddeford and Buxton; I must admit I never heard of it before and I do want to thank **Walter S. Tolman '20** for bringing it to my attention.

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'52 Alfred M. Wynne has been awarded a doctorate in chemistry from the University of Massachusetts where he has been a faculty member since 1957. The Kora Temple of

Shriners in Lewiston has elected **Roy L. Gove** as recorder. **Malcolm E. Jones** recently was elected executive vice president and trustee of the Bangor Savings Bank while **William G. Lindquist** has been elected a director of the First Manufacturers National Bank of Lewiston and Auburn. The Rev. **Robert Haynes Simonton**, formerly senior minister of Newman Church in Rumford, R. I., was scheduled to begin new duties April 1 as minister of the First Congregational Church, Norwood, Mass., founded in 1736.

The Maine Highway Department has appointed **George E. Kirk** as its right of way engineer. Kirk has been associated with the department since 1951. **Harry M. Easton III** recently was promoted to manager of business analysis in the corporate planning and business research division of the Scott Paper Co. **Edward G. McKeon**, economic development director for Bangor, turned columnist recently for the Bangor Daily News when he wrote an article about that city's economic picture during 1970. The Rev. **Richard Woodman** recently was guest minister at the First Parish Unitarian Church in Watertown, Mass. Mr. Woodman regularly serves the Unitarian Church in Andover, Mass., a post he has held for the past three years.

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'53



Ronald E. Bishop

Ronald E. Bishop has been named head of the Burlington, Vt., office of the National Life Insurance Company, which serves Vermont and northeastern New York. He has been with the company since 1960, when he began as an agent in Bangor, after two years as an Army officer and four years in television broadcasting.

Lawrence A. Wright, another class of '53 Vermonter, was recently appointed to his second two-year term as the Granite State's tax commissioner. **Thomas Laskey** of Woodstock, Conn., was one of five in his state named in February as area staff co-ordinators for U.S. Senator Lowell P. Weicker, Jr. Tom is a sales engineer for Pearce-Pearson Co. and is a Republican State Central Committeeman. **Jack Gerry** is staff engineer to Digital Systems and Display Laboratory manager in Sudbury, Mass. He has done graduate work at Northeastern University and the University of Maryland, and currently conducts adult home Bible studies and works with a Sudbury teenage group. He is a member of Gideons International and a Christian lay speaker.

Earle E. Jowdry is data processing coordinator for the Brocton, Mass., school system and teaches at Plymouth-Carver High School. His wife also teaches. Both have traveled extensively and lived in Europe for three years. They have two children. **Paul O'Connor** has been elected president of St. Joseph's Church Parish Council in Brewer. **Gene Drolet** lives in Groveland, Mass., and works for the National Shawmut Bank. Following graduation and his marriage to Katherine (Tyler) Colby Jr., he worked for the bank for a short while, then went into the service as a lieutenant and served for one and a half years in Salzburg, Austria, before returning to the Shawmut. He and his wife have three children: Susan, 14, Elizabeth, 12, and Tyler, 10.

Here in Tucson, we don't see very many "Maine-racs", so it was a pleasant surprise indeed to have a postcard from **Jane (Noyes) Rhoades** who was vacationing in Scottsdale. She and Dale drove down to see us and we had a very pleasant evening together, "remembering when", and comparing notes on families, etc. Dale is an attorney in Grand Rapids and they have four lovely children. The '53 welcome mat has been broken in by the Rhoades. Will you come too? Well, send a postcard or letter anyway, and get us caught up with YOUR news.

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'54 Gerald R. Wescott, Jr. has won recognition as a top agent for outstanding client service and sales. He is a district representative of National Life Insurance Co. of Vermont and is an associate of the company's Merrill P. Arden general agency of New York City. His home is Briarcliff Manor, N. Y. Byrna Porter became Mrs. Roger Weir last June. Having worked for nine years as school psychologist in Rochester, N. Y. (she received her MS from Penn State in '56), Byrna has recently had several Yiddish translations published. Nine short poems were in a fall issue of "Jewish Roots" and two stories have been published in the "Jewish Ledger", a newspaper serving the Albany, Syracuse and Rochester area.

Philip Nectow is a candidate for reelection for Town Meeting Moderator in Marshfield, Mass. As general manager of Toabe's Hardware Co., Phil has found time to be very active in civic organizations. He was founder of the Marshfield Businessmen's Association and was chairman of the town Recreation Commission for three years. James Bond Diriksen writes that he is employed by the Sargent Architectural Hardware Co. in New Haven, Conn. James was president of the New Haven Astronomical Society for two years and was named a Deacon of the First Church of Christ for a three-year term. He and his wife, who reside at 195 August St., Hamden, Conn., are planning a trip to the Maritime Provinces of Canada for the total solar eclipse on July 10, 1972. "Bing" (A. J.) Bingham writes that he and "Jody" (Joanne Owen '56) are happy to be in New England again. The Bingham moved from Naperville, Ill. to Wildwood Lane, Durham, Conn. Jody teaches Grade 7 Science in the Strong School in Durham and Bing is a district applications engineer for General Electric Co. They would welcome a call or a visit from other Mainiacs!

My thanks for the newsy notes received for this column. YOU must have some news to contribute, for the Class of '54 CARES! Just send along a penny postcard, I'll pay the postage due, and you can see your name in print! (Please watch for the next issue—MY news could be "Bankruptcy")

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'55 It was great to chat with Merle and Tickle (Turner '56) Noyes and Hank Meenecke between bites of roast beef and chocolate chiffon pie when New Jersey alumni gathered at the Faculty Club, Princeton University, on February 22. Had it been 15 years? We caught up with Merle '54 and Nancy (Collins) Adams before they set out for Somerville in a winter downpour. Read about these '55ers in the Class Report. Reg Bowden combined his talents and your deadly prose into a delightful little booklet, didn't he? We'll certainly keep him in mind for the next class endeavor!

By the way, if you didn't get your name "in print" but would like a report, Joe Rigo is accepting requests at 182 Sullivan St., New York 10012. Clayton Sinclair picked up his copy at the Princeton affair. Having forsaken "Fun City" and corporate law, he is an attorney with Goodis, Greenfield and Mann, Philadelphia. Clay and his wife reside at 401 Saratoga Dr., Cherry Hill, N.J. 08034. (He left N. Y. C. and became a real commuter!) We congratulate Jonathan Pulsifer on his recent promotion. Jon, who is with the International Chemical Division of FMC Corp., N. Y. C., has been named area sales manager—agricultural chemicals—for Europe, Africa and the Middle East. Last month he represented FMC on a U.S. Agricultural Trade Mission sponsored by the U.S. Department of Commerce to Zambia, Kenya and Ethiopia. He was in East Africa for three weeks.

Dottie (St. Onge) Alford writes, "Enjoying the Alumni magazines which both turned up on my desk tonight. You might like the news that I have added the management of a small ski area—Highland Ski Area, Huntersville, Pa.—to my duties. We have leased the area and are trying it for a season. I love doing it!" A September newsclip gives us some info on Major Donald Hall. An operations officer, he is on duty at Tan Son Nhut air base, Viet Nam, and previously served at Offutt AFB, Omaha, Neb. Dr. Harvey Leavitt, president and director of the Leavitt Contact Lens Laboratory, Needham, Mass., has been cited for his accomplishments in the recent edition of Who's Who by Marquis. A graduate of The Massachusetts College of Optometry, he has been a lecturer at said college and has contributed articles in the field of vision.

Frank Fenno has been appointed manager of product planning in the Consumer Products Div., Corning Glass Works, Corning, N. Y. Eugene Moreau has been promoted to manager of quality and process control of the Statler Tissue Corp., Augusta, and Dick Crommett has taken a position with the Brown Co., Gorham, N. H. After eight years as town manager of Salem, N. H., Frederick Staples has returned to his native state. On December 1 he became town manager of Groton, Conn. He also held positions as administrative assistant to the Board of Selectman, Lexington, Mass., and was town manager of Kennebunk and Mount Desert (1955-1958).

Last November, the Littleton Lyceum, Littleton, Mass., presented the popular Cape-Tastics, a vocal group, in a varied musical program. Pat (Gill) Chamard is one of the Cape-Tastics and has played lead roles in Community Theatre productions of Finian's Rainbow, Oklahoma, and The Student Prince. For two years she was "Miss Pat" of Romper Room School, a nationally syndicated television kindergarten school produced from Baltimore, Md., and televised in the Portland area. Walter Grant, Col-laborator in Agronomy (USDA) at UMO, is working with several soil scientists in a potato irrigation study. Their hope is to produce a larger, more superior yield of crops. Dick Eushts (85 Burnham St., Old Town 04468) won't mind if you flood his mailbox with checks made payable to the Class of 1955. He is trying desperately to keep the class off welfare.

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'56 Charles T. Snell, a charter member of the International Society for Hybrid Microelectronics and the IEEE, chaired a technical session on "Differential Amplifiers" and is head of the Application Engineering Department for Sylvania. Lloyd J. Jewett, Manchester's new School Board Chairman, was recently elected to the Bank of Maine, N.A., Board of Directors. Sue Thomas is now serving as first vice president for the Kennebec Valley Board of Realtors. James Victor, M.B.A. from William & Mary College, is assistant supervisor for American Oil Co., Virginia. He and wife Barbara and Suzanne, 5, live in Newport News, Va.

Coach Henry Beck is justly proud of his swim teams at Wethersfield High School, where he also teaches biology. Beck has his M.S. from the University of Connecticut. Ronald C. Coffin, Rockport, a doctor of jurisprudence from N.E. School of Law, is now president of the Allied Medical Corporation, a nursing home business. (Ron, don't forget a good

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Realtor in Maine!) Jay S. Hindley and the Mrs., P.O. Box 112, Cumberland R. 1 02864, showing lots of baby pictures of Jill, 6 mos., at Reunion. David and Pam Trask have joined the SSAN club and what stories they can tell about Steve, 13, Sue, 12, and Diana, 8, including a Christmas that almost wasn't!

REUNION: June 11, 12, & 13. Ole' Barn got the wires tingling and by cracky, Dashing Don Pendleton is chairing up a storm! Come on, you out of staters, lobsters on the menu and fun and games! Let's make a date and do-do-do.

MRS. LEO M. LAZO
(Jane Ledyard)

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'58 Sidney G. Hawkes has been named as Government Affairs Representative by the Mead Corporation, Dayton, Ohio. He will represent Mead at both the federal and state level and will serve as liaison between Mead and the various agencies and departments of government. Sid, who joined Mead in 1960, received his master's in business administration from the University of Dayton in 1968.

If you are ever at the shopping plaza in Gray, be sure to stop at North Star Foods. Rex Gellerson, president, will be glad to wait on you. Rex started in the grocery business with Sampson's Supermarkets and until this past June was with Hannaford Bros. James V. Carroll has been named vice president of Smart & Flagg Insurance, Inc., of Andover, Mass., an affiliate of Fred C. Church, Inc. Jim was formerly with State Mutual Life Insurance and the Fireman's Fund American Insurance Companies. He is active with civic and business groups in the Andover-Greater Lawrence area and has served as chairman of the business and industrial division of the Andover Cancer Crusade.

Appointed as Organized Town Division Forest Ranger, Forest Fire Control, Maine Forest Dept., was A. Temple Bowen. "Temp" has been campsite coordinator for the department. Capturing his SEVENTH Maine professional golf championship and shattering all records in the process was Ron Le-Clair. Ron, who is a teacher at Edward Little High and teaching pro at Fairlawn GC, East Poland, is president of the Maine Professional Golfers Organization. Ron had a se'ected 12 competitive rounds with a per round average of 69.5 strokes that figured 11 under par for the courses played. In 50 rounds this year his overall average was 71.59.

The Oxford Paper Co. announced the promotion of David E. Peakes to group leader-papermaking. Dave will continue to work at the company's research center in Rumford. He joined Oxford in 1965 as an associate scientist and has been assistant group leader since last June. Frank Gooch has been named regional sales manager for Celebrity, Inc., manufacturer of travel accessories. Frank, who will headquarter in Los Angeles, will be responsible for managing the Celebrity and Prestige Fragrance Sales Force in Washington, Oregon, California, Montana, Idaho, Nevada, Arizona, Alaska, and Hawaii. Frank, Eleanor and their five children will make their home at 2401 Via Rivera, Palos Verdes Estates, Calif.

Born this past August was a daughter to the William Sawyers of Wellesley, Mass. Judy (De-Merchant) and Herb Cohen are now living on Club House Lane, Wayland, Mass., with their three daughters. Herb is vice president and general manager for Consumer Value Stores (CVS), a subsidiary of Melville Shoe.

MRS. ROBERT T. MUNSON
(Nancy Roberts)
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'59 Had a nice visit with **Pat (Benner) Keenan** recently **Pat and Frank '58** have just become the proud parents of their second son, **Geoffrey Scott**, born January 11. **David Khoury**, M.D. writes that he is completing his second year of clinical cardiology at University Hospital, Boston. He graduated from Tufts Medical School, spent two years in the Navy, two years of medical residency at the Boston VA Hospital, and a year at Children's Hospital, Boston. In July, 1971, he plans to enter private practice in Arlington, Mass., specializing in internal medicine and cardiovascular diseases. **David** and his wife, **Natalie Ann**, and daughters, **Lisa**, 4, and **Marie**, 3, live at 19 Surry Rd., Arlington, Mass 02174.

C. Peter Wyllie has been appointed president and general manager for Meyer-Sidel Corp., Newton, Mass., a new joint venture company which will serve U.S. and Canadian manufacturers and users of plastic bottles with complete packaging systems. **Pete** is a member of the Packaging Institute, Master Brewers Assoc. of America, and the Sales and Marketing Executives of Worcester, Mass. **Ralph Hodgkins, Jr.**, of Auburn was recently appointed outer guard of Kora Temple. This signifies that he is slated to become potentate in 10 years. **Robert Pickett** has been named defensive coach at the University of Massachusetts.

John Lindsay, assistant professor and researcher in the forestry department at the University of Vermont, has completed requirements for the Ph.D. degree in outdoor recreation at Utah State University. **John Laverty** was awarded the bachelor of international management degree at Thunderbird Graduate School of International Management, Phoenix, Arizona. **Duane Smith**, former USDA marketing specialist, has been appointed to the post of state specialist in marketing for the potato industry for the cooperative extension service at the University of Maine at Orono. **Melvin Adams** has been named principal of the Lincoln School, Attleboro, Mass.

MRS. MARK SHIBLES
(Elizabeth Colley)
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'60 Not much news this time around. I hope to hear from some of you before summer. **Gordon Stuart**, a watershed scientist has started work on the White Mountains National Forest in Laconia, N. H. **Robert E. Dow** is president and general manager of The Donnell Co., a media planning, marketing strategy, promotion and public relations firm which has opened in Lewiston.

Jim Saunders, Jr., involved in Maine newspaper work, is with the staff of Portland Press Herald-Express and Telegram. **Bruce F. McDuffie** has been appointed to the United States District Court at Bangor as the first and only social worker in the United States to help people in debt.

Married **David Lewis Roberts**, formerly of Dover-Foxcroft, to **Mary Lou Gigluto** of New York Mills, N. Y. **Dave** is employed at Preferred Mutual Insurance Company of New Berlin, N. Y.

MR. PETER T. GAMMONS, JR.
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'61 **Geary L. Ranger** has been named assistant controller for Dead River Co. Prior to this he was manager of internal auditing for Great Northern in Millinocket. **Bruce A. Libby** is assistant superintendent of real estate investment services for Mass. Mutual Life Insurance Co. He and his wife and two children are living in Wilbraham, Mass. **Harvey C. Donald** of West Buxton has been promoted to vice president-marketing for The Arnold Co. of Sebago.

Gary A. Severson of Houlton was selected as one of three outstanding men of the year by the Maine Jaycees. He is senior partner in the law firm of Putnam, Severson and Hand and is chairman of the Houlton Town Council. **Dan McDonald** is the new town manager for Rumford. **Luke and Nancy (Rich) Marbury** had a son, **Robert Rich**, on February 23. They are still living in Baltimore.

Marcia (Sayward) Blake is teaching third grade

at the Boothbay Harbor Grammar School. The **Blakes** have one daughter, **Susan**, almost 3. **Jack Linnell** writes that he is a partner in the law firm of Linnell, Choate and Webber of Auburn. **Jack** and his wife **Jane** have two sons. **Jack** is on the Auburn Town Council. **Arnold N. Baker**, wife **Carole**, and daughters **Debra** and **Jennifer** are living at 7901 Henry Ave., Philadelphia, Pa. 19128. He is chief industrial engineer for Philtex Mfg. Co. **Francis J. Clish** and **Judith Ann Rice** were married last November. They are living in Bangor. **Robert and Ann (Coffin) Hicock** are living in Caldwell, N. J. They have two children, **Kimberly Ann** and **David Coffin**.

Edmond D. Brower is radiological maintenance officer for the State Civil Defense Dept. **Ernest Bradbury** is media specialist for the Cheshire (Conn.) Elementary School libraries. **Richard and Diana (Quinnan) Judkins** and daughter **Tara** are living in Merrimack, N. H. He works for Sanders Association in Nashua, and she is teaching math at Merrimack High School. **Earl R. Jette** is assistant to the executive director of the Dartmouth Outing Club. The **Jettes** have five children. **Arthur Parlin** has been elected director of guidance at N. Middlesex Regional High School, Townsend, Mass.

MRS. ALLAN G. STEWART
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'62 My only contribution this month is to extend our congratulations to Class President **Earl Smith** of Waterville, who earlier this year was chosen as one of the Maine Jaycees Three Outstanding Young Men of the Year. **Earl** is a freshman legislator in the 105th session, president of the Waterville city council, and associate dean of men at Colby.

Now I will let **Lolita (Roy) Bishop** tell you all the news she wrote to me. It's really great to receive a letter like this once in a while. "An evening in January was one of the most delightful in ages. We spent it with **Pete Keene '64**. The last day we saw him was graduation, June 10, 1962,

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and we had a lot of catching up to do. You can be sure many classmates were brought to mind. Pete is a salesman for Westvaco, based in New York city, 430 East 77th St., and he is traveling in the eastern section of the USA. He has not changed a bit, still unmarried and enjoying the life in New York. **Frank '61** and I keep busy. He is still with Westvaco in Tyrone, Pa. He remains active in Jaycees, is on the board of directors of the Tyrone Area Library, board of directors of YMCA, and chairman of the Allegheny Chapter of TAPPI. I am still in Jaycee Wives, completed my term as president of the Tyrone Woman's Club, and now serve as treasurer. **Joe is 7**, and in first grade, **Ed is 5**, and in kindergarten, and **April 8, 1970**, we added **Jennifer Ellen**. She is just a joy to all of us, and were we ever thrilled with a girl! **Bill Angevine** spent an evening with us last April. He is married, has one boy, with a second child arriving in February. They live in Appleton, Wisc. 1618 N. Edgewood Ave. We see **Bill and Carol Black** at least twice a year, who are at North Windham with three active boys. **Judy Blom** is married to Dr. Peter Coccia, and they live at 150 Highland Ave., Staten Island, N. Y. **Liz (England)** and **Bill Fisher** are at Mountainview Blvd., South Burlington, Vt., with their children, **Brad** and **Wendy**.

"Dr. **Dan and Carol (Oslen) Hall** live at 5114 Carlsbad Blvd., Carlsbad, Calif., with their two daughters **Richard** and **Ginny (Cushman) Lawrence** are at the University of New Mexico where he is a dean. They even made it to Tyrone a couple of years ago. **Val (Raymond)** and "**Chub**" **'63 Michaud** are in Fullerton, Calif., at 324 Cienago Dr., moving this past year from Portland, Ore. They have two girls and a boy. **Chub** works for Rohm and Haas, and **Val** has been doing some teaching. They live in an area that seems to be full of Maine people, and especially **Phi Etas**, **Jan (Hoyt)** and **Peter Osrunn** are in Lincoln, Neb., at 3641 Michael St., and have a boy and a girl. **Peter** is studying for a master's in education and hopes to go on for a Ph.D. **Maj. J. Rad** and **Rosi (Marchbanks) Robinson, Jr.**, are at Fort Benning, Ga., and buying a house in Maryland. **Rad** leaves in April for his third tour of duty in Vietnam. **Rosi** teaches full time and loves it. They have one son, **Brian Frank** and **Mary (Hilton) Shorey** are in West Concord, Mass., at 116 Central St., where they are remodeling an old house with the help of a son and daughters." **Lo** said she and **Frank** have found that the "friendships we made at the University endure. With both **Pete** and **Bill**, it was like we had seen each other eight days ago instead of eight years."

LT. PRISCILLA SAWYER CORLISS
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'63 Received a wonderful letter from a fellow marine, **Captain "Bob" Craig**. **Bob**, wife **Virginia**, and sons **Michael Robert**, 6, and **Richard McClelland**, 4, are residing at 5319

N. W. Ash Ave., Lawton, Okla. 73501. **Bob** is among 29 marines assigned to the staff and faculty at the Army Artillery School, Fort Sill. **Bob's** career has taken him around the states plus two tours in Vietnam. The **Craigs** welcome anyone from Maine who might "brave the Indian threat" and journey westward!

Also got a nice note from **Sondra (Holmes) Hill** and hubby "**Stan**", who live at 1532 Emperor Way, Sunnyvale, Calif. 94087. **Stan** is working for Kaiser Aerospace in Palo Alto as section head of the mechanical engineering department. **Sondra** works part time at a local hospital. The **Hills** have two children. **Barbara (McLeod) Holtry** writes that husband **Tony** is serving a second tour in Vietnam as an Army senior advisor after completion of a course in Vietnamese culture and language. **Barb** and daughter **Beth** patiently await his return.

Jacqueline (Lemme) Cunningham and husband **Sim '62** now reside in Lincroft, N. J., after **Sim's** appointment with International Paper in New York. They have two children, **Danielle**, 7, and **Todd**, 4. **Thomas Deans** has been appointed associate executive director of the Appalachian Mountain Club. **Tom's** new headquarters will be Pinkham Notch, N. H. **James Goff** is now serving as radio and TV officer for the University of Rhode Island. **Phillip M. Kilmister**, who received a law degree from Maine, is now associated with a private law firm after serving as an assistant attorney general.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture has appointed **James P. Rudbeck** as assistant agricultural attache on the staff of the U. S. Embassy, Buenos Aires, Argentina. **Alan B. Flaschner** is an assistant professor of marketing at the University of Georgia. He is working toward a Ph.D. at the University of North Carolina. **Dale D. Higgins**, who received his master's from Maine, has been named to the Maine Advisory Council of the Federal Elementary and Secondary Education Act. He currently serves as superintendent of School Union 92 at Ellsworth.

Captain John B. Nichols, Jr., was awarded the U. S. Air Force Commendation Medal at Aviano A.B., Italy. He serves as a space systems officer.



James P. Rudbeck '63



John B. Nichols '63

John is married to the former **Carol Hall '62** of Monson. **Captain Oliver R. Becker** was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, The Army Commendation Medal and The Air Medal (12-20th Awards) for service while in Vietnam. **Oliver** now serves as the assistant chief, Aviation Branch, Third U. S. Army. **Oliver** and wife **Judy** reside in Jonesboro, Ga. **Captain Ronald G. Hall** was graduated from the Air University academic instructor course at Maxwell AFB, Ala. **Ron** serves as squadron computer systems analyst at Tyndall AFB, Fla. He is married to the former **Ellen Connelly** of Sumter, S. C. **Captain William T. Hanson** was graduated from the Air University's squadron officer's school at Maxwell AFB, Ala. **Bill** is married to the former **Deanna J. Noseworth**.

Marriage. **Captain Charles R. Murphy** to **Claudia J. Bartholomew**, December 12, 1970, in Newton Centre, Mass. The couple are residing at Ft. Knox, Ky., where **Charles** is attending the advanced armor officers' career course.

MRS. CRAIG MILNE

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'64 Congratulations to **Marshall Stern** of Bangor for passing the Maine bar examinations and now being eligible to practice law in Maine, also to **Roland Cole** who has been named Assistant York County Attorney. **Roland** graduated from Maine Law School in Portland in 1968 and since then has practiced in Machias and Wells. Now in the process of building a law office in Wells, **Roland** is a member of the Maine Bar Association and the American Trial Lawyers Association.

Thomas Mickewich, a member of the Lake Superior State College (Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.) mathematics faculty since 1967, has been promoted to assistant professor. **Tom** and his wife have a daughter **Melissa**. **John Sutherland** has been appointed to the history department of Manchester (Conn.) Community College as instructor in western civilization and has also been appointed the first director of MCC's Institute of Local History. **John** is a candidate for a Ph.D. in American History at Temple University. He also has co-authored an article, published in the "Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography." **John** and his wife **Linda** live in Rockville, Conn. **Gayle (Henderson) Ober** is now head of the English Department, Pierce College for women, Concord, N. H. **Gayle** is busy completing work on her thesis for her M.A. in English from UMO and taking care of her two children, **Clint**, age two, and **Sarah**, born in May, 1970.

David Kimball writes of the birth of a daughter, **Susan Graham**, in August to him and his wife **Ann**. He also had an article published in the May-June, 1970, issue of the "American Industrial Hy-

giene Assoc Journal". **Norman and Martha '66 Reed Dodge** now have two daughters, Christine, age three, and Laurie, born in August. They are living in Tower Range Station, Gardiner, Montana. **J. Brian MacMillan** was married to Suzel Dean Prime in November. Brian is a chemical engineer at the Foster Grant Co., Leominster, Mass., and Suzel is a medical technologist at Burbank Hospital, Fitchburg. The MacMillans are living on White Street, Lunenburg, Mass.

Barbara Sherburne writes from Bloomfield, N. J., where Paul is now dean of students at Bloomfield College. Barbara has her own necktie business which she started two years ago in Washington, D. C. The ties are hand designed and hand made of Scandinavian fabrics and retailed in several stores in the greater Washington area. Barbara, like me, expresses concern over the small number of people who regularly contribute news and money. Where are the rest of you and what are you doing? It becomes increasingly difficult to write an interesting column when news is sparse. Please send me a post card and let me know your news.

MRS. WILLIAM R. COLE (Stephanie Barry)

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'65 It's time, for those of us in the northern areas of the country, to start digging out from all the winter storms. While you do the spring housecleaning, if you discover some notes from classmates hidden in the corner of the desk, please send them along to me. I had some news from **Susan (Healy) Dumais** and her husband **Phil**. They are busily raising a family, working, and attending night school. They have a son, Chip, and a new daughter, Michelle. Phil is a project engineer for Hamilton Standard Co. in Enfield and is getting his master's in business administration. She is earning her master's in English. **John C. Johnson** has recently given up the fast pace of night administration at Washington's (D. C.) Rogers Memorial Hospital to become an administrative resident at Eastern Maine Medical Center, in order to complete graduate work at George Washington University.

Michael Sciaraffa, his wife Elizabeth Jean, and seven-month-old daughter Sara are residing in Naperville, Ill., where he recently joined the staff of Amoco Chemicals Corporation's Standard Oil Research Center. He is a research chemist. **Gerald and Marjorie (McGraw) Warner** are in Muskegon, Mich., where Jerry is an assistant prosecuting attorney for Muskegon County.

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News of our teaching classmates continues to come in. **Jon Darling** has joined the University of Hartford (West Hartford, Conn.) faculty as a sociology instructor. **Beverly Watson** is still teaching sixth grade in Colorado Springs, Col., but is apparently considering retirement in order to get her master's degree. **Alan Banister** enjoys teaching at a private school in New York. **Elizabeth (Peltier) Gallien** and her husband Richard are both teaching in Windsor, Vt., and recently purchased a home in nearby Cornish, N. H.

MARRIAGES

A nice note from **Jane Andrews** indicated that she and Walter Ashley were married in December. Walter, a graduate of Lyndon State College (Lyndonville, Vt.), is now with the U. S. Army at Ft. Dix, N. J. Jane is still teaching at Memorial Junior High School in South Portland and is also a part-time immigration inspector at the Portland International Ferry Terminal. They plan to remain in the Portland area after Walter finishes his service commitment. **Jane Labbe** and **Capt. Peter Ezzy** were recently married by Peter's uncle in Van Buren. They will reside in Grandview, Mo., where Peter is in the USAF at Richards-Gebour AFB.

BIRTHS

Sally (Day) Brown and her husband Roger had their first child, a son, Jonathan Charles, born on November 4. They are living in West Hartford, Conn., where Roger is the guidance director at Conrad High School. **Ron and Annette (Smart) Boardman** are the proud parents of a new son, Stephen Lawrence, their third child.

MRS. JAMES GOFFI (Dawn Susi)

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'66 We have some new babies in the news for this issue. **John '67 and Sue (Myer) Fahlgren** had their first offspring in December with the arrival of Sven Eric. The Fahlgrens are living in Germany, where John is stationed with the Army. **Dave and Jane (Hobbs '68) Inman** had their first in October, a baby girl, Sarah. And another first, **Thomas Ladd**, whose proud parents are **Nancy (Erikson) Ladd** and her husband. The Ladds are living in Portland. **Norman '64 and Martha (Reed) Dodge** had their second daughter in August and are living in Gardiner, Mont.

Philip Jacobs has been ordained a deacon in the Episcopal Church in Newtonville, Mass. He is a student at Berkeley Divinity School in New Haven and is married to the former Phebe Elizabeth Allen. **Sgt. George Blessing** has been named airman of the month by the Connecticut Air National Guard. In civilian life George is an accountant in the nuclear products division of Combustion Engineering in Windsor, Conn. **Horace Gower** has been promoted to assistant cashier by Canal National Bank in Portland, where he has been employed as a programmer and computer operations co-ordinator since June, 1969. **Bill Flewelling** has been appointed a graphic arts technical sales representative for Eastman Kodak Co. Bill is assigned to the company's southeastern region which includes parts of Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi and Florida. **Dave Harnum** is a guidance counselor in Sitka, Alaska. **Peter and Barbara (Bristol) Paiton** are at Illinois State University serving as dormitory house parents. Barb is a full-time art student, and Pete is teaching history. **Brian and Janis (Goodwin '67) Ames** are living in Larchmont, N. Y., with their year-old daughter, Jennifer. **Cally (Fuller) Fuchs** is now director of Campfire Girls in Columbia, Mo. **Nancy (Heansler) Knowlton** lives in Deer Isle with husband Darryl and their three children. **Margaret Devoe** is senior programmer for the Montgomery County Public Schools in Maryland and is living in Silver Spring, Md. **Mike '65 and Nancy (Fox) Desisto** live in Waterville, where Mike is on the Colby College faculty. **Lawrence Eaton** has been named head of the department of accounting at Husson College in Bangor. **Eugene Milliken** is teaching English, speech and drama at Bedford High



Michael A. Sciaraffa '65 Allan T. Michaud '67

School in Massachusetts. He and his wife Janet have three children and live in Littleton, Mass. **Chester Merrifield** is elementary principal for schools in Damariscotta and Newcastle. **George Wood**, who received his Law Degree from the U. of M. in 1966, has been selected as one of the 1970 Outstanding Young Men of America. He is a partner in the law firm of Smith, Elliott and Wood and lives in Saco with his wife and two children.

Finally, some weddings in the news. **Sandy Deetjen** to William Curran (Dartmouth College) in February. Sandy teaches at Skillen School in South Portland, and her husband teaches at South Portland High School. The Currans will make their home in Cape Elizabeth. **Joseph Kilcoyne** to Mary Jane Prescott in October. Joe is employed by the Maine Department of Mental Health and Corrections, and his wife is employed by the Bank of Maine. **Dennis Shibles** to Diane Cuozzo (Husson College) in December. **Richard Day** to Margaret Utterback in October, now living in Waterville. Richard is chief programmer for the department of centralized computer controls in the State House in Augusta, while his wife is in a training program at Thayer Hospital in Waterville. **Stephen Godsoe** to Heidi Rathbun (Dusquesne Univ.) in February, living in Boston. Steve is a high school teacher in Walpole, Mass. **Yurdakul Ceyhan** to **Carolyn Palmer '68** in Ankara, Turkey, in December. Yurdakul is studying for his doctorate in electrical engineering, and Carolyn is employed at the United States Embassy in Ankara.

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'67 After all the snow, it's about time to swing into spring! Here's our news. **2/Lt. Allan T. Michaud** has been awarded U. S. Air Force silver pilot wings upon graduation at Laughlin AFB, Texas. He is being assigned to McGuire AFB., New Jersey, for flying duty with a unit of the Military Airlift Command. **David P. Benn** was promoted to Army Specialist Four while serving with the 562nd artillery at Ft. Wainwright, Alaska. **1/Lt. David R. Meyer** is a member of the Aerospace Defense Command (ADC) in Keflavik, Iceland, that has earned the U. S. Air Force Outstanding Unit Award for proficiency in patrolling the North Atlantic.

Sue Chadbourne, 12 Spring St., Apt. #10, Stamford, Conn. 06901, is working for General Electric Credit Corporation and is now an administrative assistant in the Company Car Unit. Also working at the same company with Sue is **Vicki Carpenter '70**. **Gary Corcoran**, a teaching assistant at the University of Illinois, is working in residence on the Ed D. degree in music education. His wife, **Julie (Warren)**, is teaching in Mahomet, Ill. **Margery H. Furman**, 227 E. 69th St., Apt. 2-C, New York, N. Y. 10021, is working at Gilbert Lane and placing military officers. It is an interesting job, and anyone getting out of the service who would be interested in getting a job in the New York or New Jersey area should get in touch with Marg.

Alfredo Ibarquen, West Farmington, has been appointed air salesman at radio station WKTJ to succeed James Sweet who has resigned. **Barbara Jean Jordan** has been appointed to serve on the Publications Committee of Bradford Junior College. **Robert A. Laskoff** of Lewiston was admitted to the practice of law on November 4, 1970, before the Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts. Robert will be associated with the firm of Berman, Berman and Simmons. **Paul K. Leeman** and wife Joyce B. (Hughes) have two lovely daughters. Paul is employed as a deputy sheriff with the Los Angeles

County Sheriff's Department **Bonnie (Huether) Roberts** and husband **Mel** are now in Bridgeport where **Mel** is working for the United Illuminating Company. They have a daughter, **Carie Ann**.

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Richmon E. Auger to **Anne Marie Simon**. He is working on his B.S. degree at Utah State University. **David L. LeGrow** to **Geraldine G. Raciti**. David is a program analyst with General Electric Company. The couple will make their home in Plaistow, N. H. **Julia Nutting** to **Thomas Green** '68 at Casine. The couple will be in Texas where Thomas will attend flight school. **J. Kenton Wright** to **Eileen Carol McMann**. He is affiliated with Fruehauf Trailer Corp. The couple will reside in Greenville, R. I.

BIRTHS

To **Don and Sue (Johnson) Gaudet**, Donald Charles Gaudet, Jr., weighing 9 lbs 12 oz. Congratulations!

MRS. WILLIAM HARDING

(Priscilla Thomas)

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'69 Now that you've recovered from the holidays, and are well along into spring, I've got plenty of news to bombard you with.

MARRIAGES

Mary Jane Seeley to **Lauris Ames** '70, 2500 SE River Rd., Apt. 10, Milwaukie, Ore., where Mary Jane teaches language arts at the Rex Putnam High School. **Lauris** works at the Bonneville Power Admin. in Portland, Ore. **Bette Louise Beal** to **Frank Ashley, III** (Univ. of Florida). **Priscilla Clark** to **Andrew Terwilliger**, 633 Prospect Ave., Hartford, Conn. **Sharon Pratt** to **Gary W. Collins**. She is a speech therapist with the Portland School Department and he is employed by George G. Shaw Co. They reside at Shepley St., Portland. **Carl Croce** to **Janet Packard** '70. He is a civil engineer for the N. Y. State Department of Transportation in Albany. They reside in Latham, N. Y. **William Fisher** to **Rachel Davis** (Gorham). They reside in Windham where both are teachers. **Dianne Gray** to **Philip Jackson**. They live in Belfast. She is a medical technologist and he is working at Sampson's. **Michael Hatch** to **Linda Millett**. Michael is a coach and phys. ed. instructor at Central High in East Corinth. Linda teaches third grade at Capri School in Brewer. They live at 904 N. Main St., Brewer. **Albert Hodsdon** to **Jill Barry** (U.M. Presque Isle). Al is employed at Scott Paper Co., Winslow. They reside at Show Pond. **Oakland Paul Hughes** to **Kathleen Cote** '70. Paul is attending Cornell University. They reside in Ithaca, N. Y. **John Roberts** to **Donna Jewell**. He is at Price, Waterhouse and Co., and they live at Riverside Drive, Tampa, Fla. **Patricia Kusnierczyk** to **James Kier** '70. Pat received her master's degree from Syracuse University in speech pathology and audiology. She is employed at the Portsmouth, N. H., Rehabilitation Center. They live at 760 State St., Portsmouth, N. H. **Catherine King** to **Lawrence Burch** (Lowell Tech. Inst.). They reside at Glens Falls, N. Y. **William Lemke** to **Karen Marks** '70. William is an instructor and doctoral fellow at the U. of M. They reside on Park St., Orono. **Jean Littlefield** to **Jay Smith** '67. They are in Bermuda where Jay is stationed in the U.S. Navy. **Laurelle ("Laurie") Greiner** to **Lt. William Lowe "Corky"** has been stationed at Fort Benning, Georgia and now is in Frankfurt until December,

1971. Address: Sup. Dist. Hessen—NAF, APO, N. Y. **Janice Luce** to **Ronald Wheeler** (Thomas Business College). They reside in Granby, Mass. **Susan Clark** to **Stephen Merrill**. They reside in Orono, where he is attending graduate school. **Jean Merrill** to **John George Peters**. He is a graduate assistant studying for his master's in economics. **Carol Gates** to **Michael Rice** '70. They reside at 3 Johns Ave., Holbrook, Mass. **Steven Sargent** to **Penelope Humphrey** '70. He is doing graduate work at UMO. They live at 144 Broadway, Bangor. **Ens. Charles Saunders** to **Janice Packhem** (Mount St. Mary College). He is stationed at the London Submarine Base, Groton, Conn. **Frederick Scott** to **Nancy Pinkney** (New England School of Art). They reside in Westbrook. **Linda Simonds** to **Bruce Webb** (Northeastern University). They live in Tempe, Ariz. **Holly Smith** to **Lowell Bean** '70. They live in Wellesley, Mass. **Nancy Snow** to **Stephen Brown** '70. Their home is in Pensacola, Fla. **Charles Spencer** to **Cheryl Lawson** '70. **Reginald Toby** to **Belinda Boyce** '70. He is in the Navy, stationed at Long Beach, Calif. **David Tonini** to **Rosemary Shannon** '70. He is now studying chemical engineering at UMO. They reside at 1337 Hammond St., Bangor. **Margaret Morse** to **Wayne Rivers**. She is teaching at St. Mary's School in Bangor while her husband is a student at UMO. **Steven Strang** to **Toni Lee Aiello** (Trinity College, Wash. D. C. and Brown Univ. Grad. School). Steve is attending Brown Univ. Grad. School and is an instructor at Nicholas College of Business Administration, Dudley, Mass. They reside at Sir Francis Apts., Sturbridge, Mass. **Dorothy Campbell** to **Steven Hobbs** (Dartmouth). They live in Ann Arbor, Mich. **Linda Rand** to **Roger Clark** '67. They live at Clifton Park Apts., R.D. #3, Mechanicville, N. Y. **Sally Chandler** to **Peter Murphy M.A.** (Boston College). They reside in Wakefield, Mass. **Lesley Hanlon** to **Charles Devoe**. He is in the USAF, stationed at Whiteman AFB, Missouri, and is working for his master's at Central Missouri State. They live at Knob Noster, Mo. **Joanne Erickson** to **Gary Howard** '68. They live in Cranberry, N. J. **George Sweetnam** to **Carole Hudson**. **Barbara Cable** to **John Duncan** '65. Barbara is teaching English and journalism at Oxon Hill, Md., where they live at 902 Palmer Rd., #9. **Larry Pullen** to **Nancy Harvey**. Larry is a marine and Nancy are living at 20 Whipple Rd., Kittery. **Andrea Hayes** to **William Lott**. Bill is with the State of California Division of Highways. Andy is a proofreader for Gibson, Dunn and Crutcher, a Los Angeles law firm. Address: 2020 Vanderbilt Lane, Apt. 10, Redondo Beach, Calif. Last but by no means least, **Raymond O'Keefe** to **Nancy McKeone** '70. There are those of us who never thought there would be a Mrs. O'Keefe. Congratulations, Nancy. Ray is stationed at Fort Bragg, Fayetteville, N. C.

BIRTHS

Matthew Robert to **Robert and Regina (Donnell) Convery**, Coburn Ave., Dixfield. Bob is assistant manager of the Dixfield Branch of the Maine National Bank. **Victoria Thurston** to **Paul and Kathy Richards**, Box 537, Shelter Island Hts., N. Y. Paul is a Systems Test Flight Engineer with the Grumman Aerospace Corporation, Calverton, Long Island, N. Y.

Teachers: **James and Theresa (Cloutier) Willard** have moved to Turner Center. Jim is teaching eighth grade American History and Terry is teaching high school French. **Sharon Bragdon**, West Main St., Dover-Foxcroft, is teaching third grade. **Herbert Fountain**, 1 Rathburn Ave., Granville, N. Y., is teaching fourth grade at the Granville Elementary School. He says it's a great ski area if anyone is interested. **Barbara Leyden** and **Dee Dahlgren** share an apartment at 39 Rome Ave., Bedford Hills, N. Y. Dee is teaching first grade in Brewster and Barbara is teaching third grade in Yorktown Heights, N. Y. If you're in the area (Southern New York), they'd love your company. **Carl '68** and **Nancy Sargent Rasmussen** are at 31 Paul Revere Rd., Groton, Conn. Nancy is teaching high school in Waterford, Conn. **Janis Wheeler** is teaching high school English in Granby, Mass. **Raymond Lang** is teaching high school social studies in Weymouth, Mass. **Priscilla Leake** is teaching social studies in Whitingham, Vt. **Donald Bean** is at the Charles A. Snow School in Fryeburg teaching sixth grade science and mathematics. **Catherine Buotte** is teaching first grade in Barnstead, N. H. **Gail Whortman** is a Spanish teacher at Bourne High, Bourne, Mass. **David Livermois** is teaching phys. ed. in North Adams, Mass.

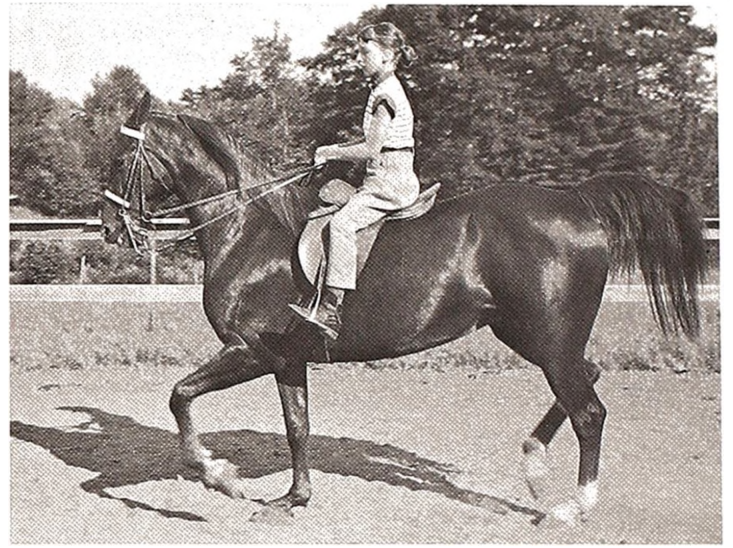


Ann Morrison '69

Servicemen: **Ann Morrison** has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the USAF. **Airman 1st Class John Staples** is an air operations specialist at Loring AFB. He is in a unit of the Air Force Communications Service which provides global communications and air traffic control for the USAF. John is married to **Kathleen Dowling**. **Lt. Michael Buchanan** has been awarded the Bronze Star for "meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against a hostile force." Lt. Buchanan is serving in Vietnam with the First Cavalry, American Division in Chu Lai. **Airman James Taber** graduated from the U. S. Air Force medical services specialist course at Sheppard AFB and is now assigned to MacDill AFB, Fla. **Airman Richard LaRoche** has graduated from the radio equipment repair course at Keesler AFB. He and his wife **Karen** are at Bergstrom AFB, Tex. He is serving with the 602nd Combat Control Group, part of the Tactical Air Command which provides combat units for air support of U.S. ground forces. **Airman Thomas Belle** has graduated from the course for weather observers at Chanute AFB, Ill. **2nd Lt. Michael Melvin** is at Mather AFB, Calif.

Roy and Gail (Peters) Swenson are living at 24 Pleasant St., Uxbridge, Mass. Roy is an industrial engineer at Prince Mfg. Co. in Worcester. Gail taught biology in Douglas, Mass., last year and is now doing graduate work at Clark University. Gail writes that **Pamela Waterman** was married in Germany last February. **Jim and Brenda (Mitchell) Schaff** are in North Carolina. **Coleen Cameron** and **Sylvia Lesperance**, 7506 Dorcas St., Philadelphia, Pa., are working in the laboratory at the hospital of the Medical College of Pennsylvania and plan to take evening courses in medical technology. **John Candage** is working for the Federal Bureau of Public Roads. So far he has worked in Eugene, Ore., Harrisburg, Pa., Sikeston, Mo., and Washington, D. C. If my schedule is still correct, in March he should be in Providence, R. I. for four months. **Martha Orrico** is still at Indiana University, but her new address is 423 S. College #3, Bloomington, Ind. **2/Lt. Robert Thayer** is at Fort Lewis, Washington. He has been stationed at Fort Lee, Va. Bob is married to **Linda Patten**. **Stanley Stevens** and his wife are living in Portland. **David Irish** is working for New England Gas and Electric Association in Cambridge, Mass. He spent four months on active duty at Ft. Jackson, S. C., this fall. His wife **Nancy (Willey)** had been working at the Needham Animal Hospital prior to his active duty. **Richard Randall**, now married, is stationed in Vietnam. **David Daniel**, 21 Moreland Rd., Weymouth, Mass., was discharged from the Army as a conscientious objector because of his religious beliefs. **Judith Bowie** has been appointed a counselor psychometrist and instructor in the department of psychological services at Suffolk University. She did her graduate work at Boston University. **Sandra Lowry** is studying for her master's degree in elementary education at UMO. **George Parke** has been appointed traffic manager for Cole's Express. He has worked for the company as traffic and sales coordinator. He, his wife **Ann**, and son **Brett** live at 300 Essex St., Bangor. **Mark Bilodeau** received his M.A. from UMO and is now teaching at Radford College, Radford, Va. **Simone Levesque** has been named associate director of admissions for Husson College, Bangor. **John Doran** has been named head of the business management department at Beal College, Bangor. **Joel '67** and **Susan (Merkon) Alpert**, 380 The Parkway, Ithaca, N. Y., toured through Europe and Israel this summer. **Elliot Farnsworth** has been appointed Exploring Executive in the North Bay Council, Boy Scouts of America. **William Bonnie** is teaching health education in the Saco school system. He was the director of the summer drug rescue unit at Old Orchard Beach.

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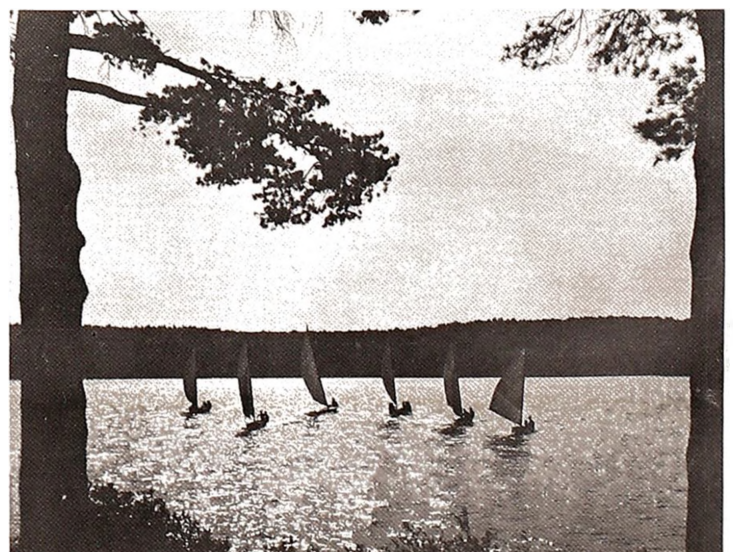
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Friday, June 11

- 11:30 - 1:30 Memorial Union, Bear's Den open for lunch
- 10:30 - 3:30 Golf at Penobscot Valley Country Club
- Campus Tours
- Tennis Courts available
- Open House, Alumni Center
- Film "Quiet Frontier," two showings
- 5:30 - 6:30 Social Hour in Class Headquarters
- 6:30 - 9:30 Class Dinners
- 9:45 "The Maine Way" - entertainment in gym for all

Saturday, June 12

- 7:30 - 9:00 Class Breakfasts—Hilltop
- 9:00 Class Meetings, Memorial Union
- 12:00 Luncheon honoring Class of 1921 and retiring faculty, West Commons
- 2:00 Tours. Student guides, antique cars
- Refreshments in hospitality tent, Alumni Center
- 3:00 - 3:30 Dedication of Education Building
- 5:30 - 6:30 Class social hours in dormitory lounges
- 6:30 Alumni Banquet, Dean Mark R. Shibles, speaker
- Presentation of Alumni Service Emblem Award

Sunday, June 13

- 7:30 - 10 Cafeteria breakfast, Hilltop
- 7:30 - 11 Check-out
- Class Outings

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