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UMO Today - What About Tomorrow?
Homecoming - 1971
Parents Weekend



Homecoming guest of honor Stanley "Wally" Wallace waves to the crowd during half-time activities. He is escorted by All-Maine Woman Catherine Tripp '72 and Senior Skull Charles Carter '72.

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DIRECTOR'S CORNER

Alumni Dollars at Work as Maine Leads in New England

Alumni of the University of Maine at Orono lead the way among New England state universities in giving to their annual alumni fund campaigns. A report on "Voluntary Support of Education for 1969-70," a study by the American Alumni Council, shows 6,813 alumni of the Orono campus contributed \$158,346 through the 1969-70 annual alumni appeal conducted by the General Alumni Association. Last year the fund appeal received increased support, with \$165,315 contributed. National chairman for both campaigns was Ralph L. Hodgkins, Jr. '50, Vice President and Executive Officer of the Auburn Savings Bank.

Alumni fund appeals by other New England state universities reported the following amounts: Connecticut, \$89,316; Massachusetts, \$82,214; Rhode Island, \$72,968; and Vermont, \$121,833. No report for the University of New Hampshire at Durham is included in the national survey by the American Alumni Council, but the

total raised there in the annual alumni appeal has been reported in the October issue of the New Hampshire **UNH Magazine** as standing at \$135,507 for 1969-70. In New Hampshire, too, their annual alumni appeal has seen increased support, rising from the \$135,507 in 1969-70 to \$156,831 last year.

The funds from alumni are raised in an annual appeal to all living graduates with known addresses. National chairman for the current appeal is Gordon I. Erikson '43. He has set no goal for the Fund drive this year, but has called for alumni who have customarily been contributing to "Give Now, as Never Before". He is also urging younger class alumni and graduates who have not begun a personal program of support for UMO to come to the aid of the university with a beginning gift in any amount, on the ground that small gifts would in total represent a substantial growth of support.

Giving to the alumni fund provides a service program by the General Alumni Association that starts with the publication of THE MAINE ALUMNUS. The magazine is one of the principal vehicles for bridging the information gap between the school and the alumnus. It carries not only the Class Notes that get immediate reading by all who receive it, but it carries a running comment on the life of the university—past, present and in terms of trends—and articles by administrative leaders like President Libby—articles by faculty and students and features on the accomplishments of Maine men and women. The magazine goes out five times a year to all givers to the alumni fund and once a year to all of the nearly 40,000 graduates. Copies are sent to 19,842 state alumni, 19,168 living out of Maine.

To introduce it to recent graduates, it is sent by the association to all graduates for the first two years after leaving Orono.

Another major focus of association activity is the speakers program that sends faculty, students and others

from Orono to local association meetings throughout the country. The association pays all expenses to keep this information project active with forty local groups.

When alumni visit Orono they enjoy the use of the Alumni Center which houses the association offices. University and community groups make active use of these facilities. Records on 40,000 alumni are kept here and double that number of addressograph plates are maintained by a clerical staff trained to keep them up to date. Records are kept by class and geographically by zip code. This is a big task, since the association is charged by the university with keeping official records on all alumni and alumni class activities. The mailing records are paralleled by comprehensive files which document individual alumni biographical data which must constantly be updated.

Keeping track of alumni throughout the world focuses attention on those graduates who best serve UMO and the Association. To recognize outstanding service, the Association's Council of 26 alumni members sets in motion each year a program to call attention to the graduates who have built nationally-known careers and to those who have most actively supported the university. These Alumni Career, Black Bear, Block "M" and Pine Tree Emblem awards are important in maintaining a high standard of alumni interest.

The Association staff works with class officers and class agents who participate in planning Homecoming, Reunion and other events that bring alumni into contact with the current program at Orono. A project to build contacts between students and alumni, the student's People to People Program, has been highly successful in making both Homecoming and Reunions effective as a common meeting place for alumni and undergraduates.

Alumni funds have been put to work on campus in the form of grants to the university band, to provide ad-

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UMO today... what about tomorrow?

Three views:

AN OVERVIEW by the president

SALARY PROBLEM by a faculty member

CURRENT CONCERNS by a student

MAJOR PROBLEMS CONFRONTING US AND WHAT WE ARE DOING ABOUT THEM

The Number One problem is lack of money to do those things people expect us to do.

1. This branch of the University of Maine operates on an annual budget (excluding auxiliary enterprises) of approximately \$22,000,000—the State Legislature provides about 68 percent, the students about 16 percent, and all other sources (federal, endowment, and private donations) about 16 percent. Of this total budget, about 80 percent is in the salaries and wages of people who work for us. This is a large budget. While undoubtedly there is some slippage in our administration, I have reason to believe there is no less efficiency here than in any private business of our size and complexity.

2. Because of the increased costs of certain uncontrollable expenses such as federally required fringe benefits, fuel oil, and insurance, and because of inadequate state tax dollars for allocation to various governmental services, it was necessary for us to cut our operating budget for 1971-72 over the authorized 1970-71 budget by \$544,661. Remembering that about 80 per-

cent of our budget hires personnel, this cut was difficult to make without "firings." Actually, we hit the physical plant (maintenance and alterations) and our instructional program very hard with the major cuts.

3. This institution is proud of the quality and dedication of its faculty. On any comparative basis you select, this faculty is the equal of or superior to the faculty in the other New England public universities. Yet what do comparative salary figures show?

For 1970-71 (a year ago and the situation is worse now) the average salary for full professors at all New England state universities was \$3,469 greater than for full professors at Orono; for associate professors the difference was \$1,547; for assistant professors the figure was \$709; and for instructors \$812.

Using the available dollars we had, we made salary increases for 1971-72 averaging a 2.36 percent increase over 1970-71. The bulk of the money went to faculty members receiving under \$15,000 annually. Remember the cost of living

Winthrop C. Libby '32
*President, University of Maine
at Orono*

*From an address to the De-
velopment Council Novem-
ber 5, 1971*

increased during this same period by six percent.

Do you worry about faculty morale as I do? Are you surprised at the growing faculty sentiment towards unionization? Do you feel, as I do, that no educational program can be better than the faculty responsible for the teaching?

4. The demonstrable financial need of students currently enrolled at this University totals \$1,100,000 in excess of dollars available for such help. This is a carefully computed figure and based on the assumption that every student must have \$400 in hand to start the year. As a matter of record no student with a need of less than \$800 can receive consideration. This policy spreads our dollars further. Men and women are perfectly willing to work, yet funds for student-work projects have had to be cut along with other things.

The Number Two problem is the feeling of negativism towards higher education which permeates the entire society at present, not only in Maine but throughout the country. The feeling of negativism arises from a complex of reasons which are interwoven to affect adversely the support and sympathy of the public towards this and other similar institutions.

Without public respect and acceptance there can be little hope of public support either through taxes or through private giving.

Problem Number Three involves the shortage of physical facilities for present existing programs. This shortage expresses itself in such things as 300-plus students who are doubled up in dormitory rooms, the impossibility of finding study space in the library, the physical erosion occurring in the Memorial Union, the long waiting lines at the infirmary, inadequate laboratory facilities in biochemistry, geology, physical chemistry, biology, forestry, and other sciences, athletic recreational facilities which are overcrowded, inability to hold meetings of the entire faculty, double shifts at commencement, and failure to renovate old structures to meet changing needs. And the list could be extended.

We turned away over 5,000 potential freshmen this fall. If we had had all the **operational** money we requested, it would have been possible to accept only another one or two hundred more students because of space limitations. This would have been an insignificant increase when related to demand.

Hard line calculations indicate that if the enrollment of this campus were to be increased to 10,000 it could be done with the addition of the following new buildings:

1. A classroom building for mathematics, English, and business.
2. Dormitory facilities for 500 to 1,000 students.
3. An addition to the library.
4. An addition to the Memorial Union.
5. Construction of floors in the field house.

All of these quite properly should be financed from state revenues but with the understanding that the dormitories would be self-liquidating. As a guess, the total bill of tax dollars would be between \$7 and \$8 million. Please realize this ignores the needs of the Bangor campus and the Darling Marine Center at Walpole, Maine.

Additionally, certain other major facilities are important to add a dimension of quality to this operation, but these may not be reasonable for state funding support. This list could be of almost any length, but two items stand out: 1) ice skating facility—for recreational skating, for instructional purposes, and for hockey; 2) fine arts center—with performing facilities and seating capacity for crowds of from 1,000 to 3,000 people. The building would include work facilities for art, music, theater, radio, television, and journalism.

What We Are Doing about our Problems

Wringing of hands may be fine physical exercise but solves no problems. Let me report on a few of the specific things which are already done or are well under way as our effort to try and resolve our own problems:

1. The Board of Trustees approved a tuition increase of \$100 per year for in-state and \$200 per year for out-of-state students for 1971-72. This increase produced about \$960,000 additional. These extra dollars were used for the wage increases for classified (non-professional) employees under legislative instructions to bring such employees into line with state employees carrying similar or equivalent responsibilities. We put some of this extra income (\$50,000-plus) into student aid. The amount left beyond this was given as faculty increases to those in the lower salary categories.

2. A deliberate effort was initiated about a year ago to establish institutional priorities with the idea that an across-the-board cut in all programs was wrong since it implies that everything we are doing is equally important. Quite obviously, some things are more significant than others. This university can no longer try to respond to all of the amazing variety of requests for help which come from so many people. Essentially new and extra services must be self-supported.

3. Effective a year ago (November 1970) it was decided that total enrollment for 1971-72 would be held at the 1970-71 level. To achieve this we had to reduce incoming freshmen by about 200-plus since the entering class the previous year was so large. The cut was made selectively, with the major cut in the College of Education. The actual registrations gave us a fall enrollment at Orono of 19 under a year ago. Further reductions in freshmen will be necessary for 1972-73.

4. A freeze was placed on all new programs and on new staff. Vacancies which occurred because of resignations or retirements were placed in a pool, rather than left with the department. This produced a net decrease in staff of about 20.

5. The university has four sources of income: legislative appropriations, student tuition income, grants from federal, state, or private

agencies on a competitive contractual basis, and direct gifts from individuals or organizations. To improve our competitive position in the area of grants, Bruce R. Poulton, a former dean, was appointed as vice president for research and public services, not a new position but simply a combination of two positions which were vacant. His job is to coordinate and strengthen work in these areas.

I must assume that this university, being a fine one, will continue to progress positively both in size and in quality. I have to assume, furthermore, that the essential physical plant will be provided, that faculty quality will be supported, that the necessary educational tools will be at hand. Basically, I believe the institution will continue as a dynamic entity providing a quality education for young men and women, plus a variety of educational services to the Maine community.

THE PROBLEM OF FACULTY SALARIES

When shorn of elaboration and emotion, the problem of faculty salaries at the University of Maine at Orono is twofold: 1) salary levels for all academic ranks have not been sufficiently increased to maintain competitive pace with comparable institutions of higher education in the nation or even in the region; and 2) compression between the salaries of experienced full professors and new, fresh-out-of-the-marketplace assistant professors presents a serious morale and retention problem as well as one which should prick our conscience as an institution.* Although, of course, these facets of the salary problem are interrelated, being the result of the same root cause—not enough dollars being applied—they need to be attacked in separately identifiable ways.

1. Many words have been spoken about the general level of salaries at the University. One need only witness the wide variety of forums: hearings before the Legislative Appropriations Committee, intra-University budget meetings, sessions of the American Association of University Professors, negotiating conversations between department chairmen and prospective recruits to the academic ranks, coffee shop chitchat, etc.

Statistics in abundance have appeared. All tell the same story: the University of Maine at Orono is low in its salaries. The Summer 1971

Bulletin of the American Association of University Professors presents detailed ratings of 1161 institutions of higher education, both public and private, in the nation, as regards compensation by rank (salary plus countable fringe benefits). Applying a rating scale ranging from one to nine, the study shows the University of Maine at Orono in category nine for all academic ranks from full professor down through instructor. UMO is the lowest in average compensation in all ranks when placed against the other New England state universities. Only in the instructor bracket does one university, Rhode Island, fall slightly below Maine's average compensation.

Many of us, mistakenly or not, live with optimism. During the "growing" years when appropriating bodies in many states were making increasingly large amounts of money available to higher education, we believed we might be approaching a more favorable position. Percentage dribblets were applied annually to the improvement of salaries and a sense of progress was felt. In actuality the increases barely kept pace with the cost-of-living elevation, if they did that, and no real gain was made in raising the salary base.

* This article is descriptive of the University of Maine at Orono only. The writer, not being as familiar with the salary situation at other units of the University system, limits both statistics and analysis to UMO.

Dr. Eugene A. Mawhinney '47

A faculty member comments

As exemplified by the University of Connecticut, many schools witnessed a strong improvement in their salary bases during the "positive" period, with the result that the economic pinch of the present moment can be accepted with moderate grace! Not so Maine, where the contemporary purse-tightening is doubly painful.

A simple but necessary reminder: a university's recruitment of faculty is in a national marketplace of professionally trained people. It is, of course, unreasonable and harmful for anyone to compare university salaries with a state's daily wage earners. Not in the least belittling the necessity of adequate wages for all good workers, it is necessary, nevertheless, to make the proper comparisons, seeing professors' salaries in comparison with professors' salaries, knowing that competent teachers are won and lost by several factors, not the least of which is salary.

2. The second facet of the salary problem at the University of Maine at Orono is perhaps less known. It is the lack of spread in salary from the top to the bottom of the academic ladder, otherwise known as the "compression" problem.

The fact which struck me most as I became a department chairman six years ago, and for the first time saw intra-department salary figures, was the very small advantage which accrues to experience, research, and maturation. Further figures reveal this to be a university-wide problem of serious proportions.

Every salary study made in recent years in Orono shows emphatically that our lower academic ranks are more competitive than our higher ranks when seen against national or regional averages, even though all now fall in the lowest bracket. The average salary of an assistant professor at the University of Massachusetts is \$1,500 higher than at Orono, but their associate professors are averaging \$3,000 more, and their full professors \$5,500 more. At neighboring New Hampshire the average salary of assistant professors is about comparable to ours, only \$300 more; their associate professors average \$625 more than those at Orono; their full professors average \$2,000 more. The UMO assistant professor is six percent below the average for his rank among the New England state universities, while the associate professor is 10 percent and the full professor 17 percent below. Should the department which I chair lose one of its full professors within the next year, I would find myself recruiting with a minimum of \$3,000 and up to \$9,000 less in hand than would be needed to fill

the position with a person of comparable experience at the same professorial level.

Any institution will have a fairly high turnover at the assistant professor level. What we cannot afford at Orono is the loss of the most contributing and most stable element of our academic staff, tenured professors at the associate or full rank. A fear of such loss is not idle talk. High quality, well-rated professors may very well move and carry with them the experience they have gained working with the sons and daughters of Maine, plus, in some academic areas, research grants, the loss of which further hurt the University financially and in research recognition.

The two facets of the salary problem have been stated simply. They can be made more complex with more statistics and elaboration. There are more ramifications than these few words describe. This article is not meant to demean the efforts of devoted administrators and faculty who have spoken the message well at the places where it needs to be spoken. It is meant, however, to indicate that we have a problem more serious than may be generally understood. Every effort must be made to improve the general salary bases for all ranks. A particular effort must be exerted to achieve monies which can be applied at the higher academic levels independently, to recognize the educational contribution of the more experienced professors, and to furnish incentive for those headed up the ladder. The latter cannot be achieved by a simple continuation of a percentage elevation across the ranks. A limited and almost inflexible increase pattern fitted atop a locked-in salary base will no longer solve the dilemma. There must be extra attention to relieve the compression of salaries.

I believe the people of Maine are receiving unusual value for their higher education tax dollar. They have every reason to insist that future tax dollars be allocated and spent wisely. But even as an optimist I know that the present unfavorable position of faculty salaries as against the regional and national levels cannot continue to be as productive as it has been. The movability of high-quality faculty has vastly increased in the last few years in spite of a growing Ph.D. market (which I find more quantity—than quality—laden). Further, whether we like it or not, faculty unionization is just around the corner. I am convinced we have much work to do—much catching up and much advancing—in this key area of faculty compensation if we are to witness the quality teaching, research and public service at Orono to which we aspire.

Dr. Mawhinney, chairman of the department of political science, appeared before the board of trustees at their meeting of August 10 to express the concern of many department chairmen at UMO over the suggested distribution of the professional salary increments for the coming year.

CURRENT CONCERNS OF STUDENTS

Patricia Riley '73

*A student senate member
speaks*

*From a talk to the
Development Council
November 5, 1971*

One looks at colleges and universities today and senses a somber quiet, an apathy, quite unlike the political activism of past years. Gone are the black armbands of dissent, the widely-supported student strikes, and the political mobilization to end the war; but gone, too, are the intense issues of further troop buildup in Vietnam and Kent State that induced such action. The campuses across the country are indeed quiet, and UMO is no exception.

But this quiet should not be negatively interpreted. Rather, it should be seen as another change in student attitude. By its very nature, the University is subject to constant flux and must move with this flux if it is to remain an active, dynamic institution. The quiet is not a sudden change but has been developing for at least two years. At that time, in 1969, the General Student Senate organized the student body around current issues and activated them in promise that group action would yield results. Times passed, changes were unseen, questions unanswered, and promises broken. So students looked to other major organizations. But these also were met with disapproval in fear that they, too, would become governing agents unresponsive to student needs.

Clearly then, much of the quiet on campus is caused by the lack of support and total alienation from large organizations. But does this quiet signal apathy? I think not. Rather the age of tearing down that which was previously established seems to have ended, and a period of rebuilding seems to be beginning.

The quiet here is not a sign of passive contentment or of an attitude that all is right with the world. Rather, it is a suggestion that students feel helpless within large organizations and are looking within themselves for answers. It would seem to me that the major concern of the student today is himself and what he, as an individual, can do for society. His concerns, therefore, are individualized and specific.

For example, a majority of UMO students receive some kind of financial aid and therefore are continually concerned about their financial status. For this reason, many students see their education in pragmatic terms of future employment. With increasing job shortages, however, the financial burden becomes greater, and the student is committed to making himself the best for the job. This concern with self-betterment is multi-faceted.

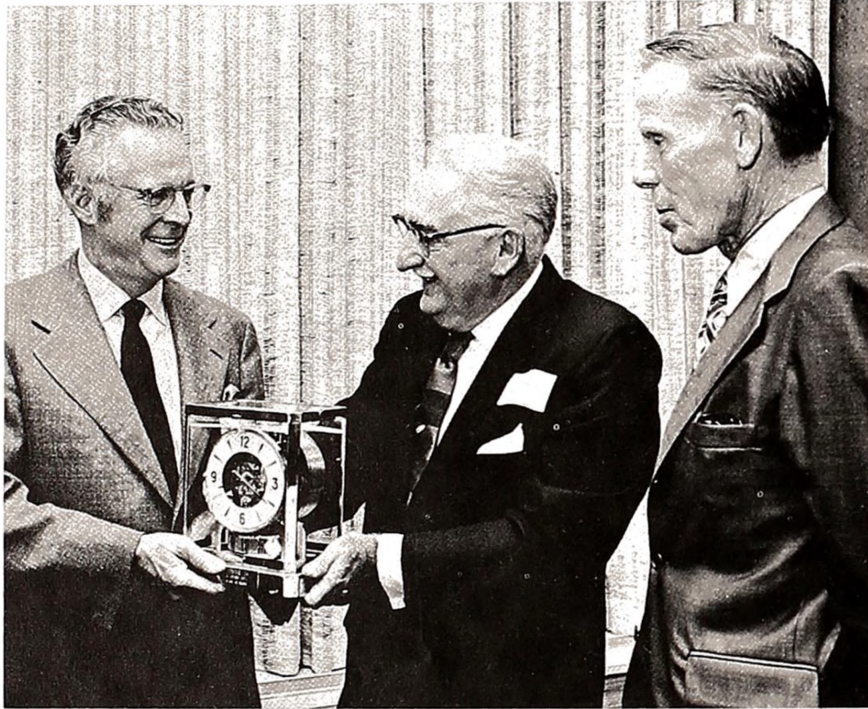
In academics, the key word is still relevance. Students are constantly working to revise course content, change requirements, and to increase communication with faculty members. Culturally, programs such as University Singers and orchestra, Maine Masque, Student Art League, Poetry Hour, and Distinguished Lecture Series all receive student support. As for social interests, the support for the swimming pool, athletic programs, social fraternities and sororities, the Coffee House, the facilities of the Student Union, and the Maine Outing Club which specializes in camping and hiking trips, all show strong student interest in purely social areas.

So we see that the campus is not an apathetic one, and, in fact, political interest has not died, but rather has been re-channeled. Where once the university student stood apart from the community and mocked its social conventions and established ways, he now has joined with that community in services such as low-income food programs, aiding organized labor, and aiding with housing and tenants' problems. One organization that continues to have student support is the Student Action Corps, which organizes such services as a tutoring program at Indian Island, volunteer units for Bangor State Hospital, and Brewer's Opportunity Center for the Handicapped, and maintains a very successful Big Brother and Sister program in the community.

Students organized a voter registration and absentee voting program which, with cooperation from the University, served about 6,000 students. Priorities have changed, but the student is still concerned with social change.

Much of what is student concern are age-old problems with studying, social life, and trying to make some sense of the world around us, but even more than this is the personal and warm commitment and hope for this university. It is seen when a student becomes upset and bewildered when he hears that some people in the state have serious negative feelings about this university and the people in it. I wish you all could have been on the student side of Parents Weekend or Homecoming, when we felt a pride in opening up our university and sharing it as if to say, "Look, there's really something good here." The student feels a sense of responsibility to himself and the University, and the quiet is not apathy, but a re-ordering of ideas and priorities that should give everyone a rather positive feeling about the future of this university.

HOMECOMING 1971



Kenneth C. Foster '34 receives the Alumni Career Award from GAA President Albert M. Parker '28, President Winthrop C. Libby '32 looking on.

Receiving Black Bear Awards are Edward H. Piper '43, Evelyn Taylor, Russell Bodwell '44, Virginia (Tufts) Chaplin '46, and Clifford G. McIntire '30.



Homecoming Weekend October 15 and 16 found alumni coming home this year to a campus that has been tightening its belt. A freeze on admissions, programs and staff; a reduction in the operational budget; and an increase of tuition costs for students were all in effect. This last measure, tuition increase, had struck a particularly sensitive chord in alumni. Knowledgeable as they are about budgets and sympathetic to necessary adjustments, their chief area of concern has been the extra burden on students. Alumni know the tuition struggle, for they were all students once. They have walked in those shoes.

The General Alumni Association acted on this concern at the Saturday luncheon when its president, Albert M. Parker '28, presented to President Winthrop C. Libby '32 a check for \$4,000 to establish an Alumni Emergency Student Aid Fund, which will be disbursed by the Student Aid Office to help financially pressed students facing the new burden of increased tuition and other costs. The fund will be given out in grants of not more than \$200 each. As further unrestricted funds become available to the GAA, it can add to this fund or meet similar emergency needs in the future.

First Vice President Ralph "Woody" Hodgkins presented five Black Bear Awards at the luncheon "for outstanding devotion and loyalty to the University and the Alumni Association": to Russell S. Bodwell '44, vice president-engineering of Levitt and Sons, Inc., of Lake Success, New York, president of the Long Island Alumni Association and national Stein Club chairman for the annual fund drive; to Mrs. Joseph B. Chaplin (Virginia Tufts '46), a community leader in Auburn, Maine, former class president, former Council member, and active member of the Androscoggin County Alumnae Association for many years; to former Congressman Clifford G. McIntire '30, formerly a leader of the Northern Aroostook Alumni Association and a former Council member, a faithful volunteer worker for the Alumni Association; to Edward H. Piper '43, an administrative officer of the College of Life Sciences and Agriculture and assistant director of the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station, who has served the Alumni Association through a variety of committees over many years and especially as treasurer for the past six years; and to Evelyn Taylor, who began her service to the University in 1931 as a transcript clerk and is now associate registrar, "for the constancy of her devotion to the University and for her unusual and outstanding grasp of the work of registration and office management."

Announcement was made by Graduate "M" Club President Donald Sturgeon of the formation of the new Black Bear Hall of Fame, a major new program of the Athletic Scholarship Fund Committee.

Guest of honor at the luncheon was Stanley M. Wallace, athletic trainer for 38 years, who had retired in 1959 as professor of physical education. As "Wally" received a plaque inscribed to him "in token of his devotion to the finest ideals of this institution and for the warmth and personal qualities he shared with 'his boys'," he received a standing ovation from the nearly 400 alumni who were present at the luncheon.

The highlight of the Friday night dinner was the presentation of the seventh annual Alumni Career Award. This alumni award was created to single out individuals who have revealed to the nation in their professional, business, and civic careers the quality of the educational excellence of the University of Maine at Orono. The alumnus chosen this year was Kenneth C. Foster '34, president of the Prudential Insurance Company of America. Ken Foster received the bachelor of arts degree in economics in the College of Arts and Sciences. After earning advanced degrees at Columbia and at Rutgers he joined the Prudential Company as an agency assistant in a field office, moving through the ranks to the office of president in 1970. He has had a wide range of participation in community, state, and governmental affairs, from being trustee of the Newark Boys Club to trustee of the Educational Broadcasting Corporation.

A program of songs by the University Singers directed by Professor Vernon H. Opheim was received with warm applause. Speaker at the dinner was Dr. Bruce R. Poulton, vice president for research and public services. At the conclusion of the program, alumni attended an informal reception at the President's House, some stopping on the way to enjoy the highly successful Sock Hop put on by the students.

The defeat of the football team by the University of Connecticut, 21-7, was offset by a win against Connecticut by the Black Bear soccer team Saturday morning, a first-ever win against the Connecticut team. At the football game the stands were crowded and alumni fans were in high spirits. The half time program featured the University of Maine Band playing selections on the theme of communication, ending in a formation showing two people shaking hands. Competition from the fifty-piece Connecticut band made their presentation even more spirited than usual.

New services provided at Homecoming this year were the opportunity to swim in the new pool and a babysitting service for alumni with young children. A repeat from last year was the presence of students in every event of the weekend: People to People—Students to Alumni at the career award banquet and president's reception; All Maine Women and Senior Skulls at the luncheon; and Sophomore Owls and Eagles at the goalpost coffee.

The after-the-game goalpost coffee was served cabaret style in the field house with its new tartan floor marked out in areas for basketball, volleyball, and badminton, and providing full facilities for golf, archery, tennis, track, and even room for baseball and football teams to work out in bad weather. The field house was light and airy, its doors open to the spectacular summery day, seventy degrees and sunshine. Alumni came and went for an hour and a half, sampling root beer and pretzels, coffee and doughnuts, relaxing and enjoying the day. In the background were records of Benny Goodman, Glenn Miller, Nat King Cole, carrying out the theme chosen by students "Oldies but Goodies: A Golden Memory Weekend." The weather, the songs, and the mingling of older and younger alumni with each other and with the students, all combined to heighten the feeling of nostalgia that was the prevailing mood of Homecoming-1971.



Judy Petnov '72 and Chester A. Baker '25 at the Homecoming Luncheon: "Getting to Know You."



UMO and U. Conn. in Homecoming gridiron clash.



A philosopher digs for ideas

Ralph Hjelm
Professor of Philosophy
and Acting Chairman
of the Department
of Philosophy.

What is a teacher in the field of the history of ideas doing in the dusty heat of the ruins of an ancient Middle Eastern city? This is frequently asked of those who find themselves involved in such adventures. I admit to being bothered by this question. Does the stratigraphic evidence of a tell, which includes Arabic, Byzantine, Roman Hellenistic and Pre-Biblical ruins, contribute to our understanding of the great ideas of these periods? Perhaps, say some. Perhaps not, say others. And yet, certainly being a member of an archeological expedition in this part of the world at this time at least, helps to dramatize the circumstances in which these great traditions and their insights were formed. Living in Jordan as a part of the Tell Heshbon dig last summer was fascinating for reasons that bear both on the present and the past.

First is the tension that prevails in Jordan: It is real, understandable and bitter. Many members of the staff on the Tell Heshbon dig were Palestinian Arabs who felt deeply about both the expulsion from their homeland and their rejection in Jordan for apparently being hostile to the policies of the government of King Hussein. They think it ironic that they should find themselves angered and alienated both by what they consider to be the Israeli intrusion which has cost them family and property and now by the official Jordanian suppression which has surely cost them their confidence and a great deal of their hope. Many Jordanians, despite the well-publicized crisis of 1969 and the suppression of the commandos in and around the ancient city of Jerash during July of 1971, await the turn of events that will make possible a return to homeland and peace.

Then there is the contrast that marks the difference between an affluent western culture and an eastern Mediterranean country such as Jordan. Indeed, there are obvious realities such as the arid land, the poverty of the village folk who inhabit the hill country on the eastern perimeter



of the Dead Sea and the Jordan Valley, as well as the frustrations that have marked their history for centuries. But there persist in these people such attributes as diligence in work, endurance in the face of all kinds of hardship, and above all a simple and undebatable reliance upon the Will of Allah who will rectify all the historical ills that have brought about this nearly intolerable state of things. The attitude of Jordanians is clearly a mixture of anxiety about the present scene and a quiet confidence that it will all "work out." It is not easy to make clear this kind of attitude to Americans who reflect on the present scene either with serenity or anxiety. In Jordan, most approach their predicament with both.

Third, and most specific is the challenge presented by archeological investigations. Several are in progress in this region, among the more important being the dig at Tell Heshbon, about 15 miles southwest of Amman, and 50 miles east of Jerusalem. The site of the city of Sihon, an ancient pre-Biblical king of the Amorites, it has since been built upon by Hellenistic, Roman and Byzantine structures. The aims of the 1968 and the 1971 expeditions have been to "peel back" the remains of these parts of the Tell. By the conclusion of this season's dig, the remains of a Byzantine church had been fully unearthed, as well as a cave from the same period used for habitation or protection, numerous Roman walls, fortifications and artifacts from the early Christian era. A breakthrough into pre-Hellenistic Iron Age strata marked the end of the season, and presents the challenges to begin the next one.

No simple comments suffice when it comes to appraising a summer's project like this. It is a demanding task, devoid of the glamor attributed to it by archeological popularizers. It is also a time-consuming task; in this case, two seasons will not have been enough to search out what is there. It is, as well, a fascinating task, undertaken, as it were, by a mandate presented by ancient literary and physical evidence, and pursued by modern archeological techniques that will make it possible for us to understand better an ancient time and place. But not least, it is an effort taking place in a bewildering part of the world that is full—as it always has been—of both despair and promise.

A summer faculty grant from the University of Maine made it possible for Professor Hjelm to be a member of the staff at the excavation of Tell Heshbon, Jordan, sponsored by the American Schools of Oriental Research. He participated in similar projects and study programs in the Middle East in 1968 and 1965.

Parents Weekend



Russell Bodwell '44, member of the executive committee, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newell, presidents, Parents and Friends Association, look over the scene as parents arrive on Parents Weekend.



Mr. and Mrs. Thurl Corson catch up on campus news at lunch with their son, Thurl Corson, Jr. '73.

Parents Weekend October 8-10 carried a carnival mood, which sprang into existence Saturday morning almost as suddenly as the balloons at the organizational fair. It gave the parents the feeling that college life was not so different from their own day after all.

Whether a cult of just plain fun has really come back to the campus, or whether this was a magic hiatus in issue-oriented campus culture, we won't know until this academic year is a little older. What we do know is that whatever UMO is really like, this one weekend of unabashed happiness was experienced by students with their parents. It was a time for parents to go through the normal scheduled events of a college weekend with their sons and daughters.

It was a time to discover, to live, to enjoy, and to share a piece of their sons' and daughters' college life.

This largest university-sponsored function brought a twenty-five percent increase in participation over last year, with more than 1,500 parents taking part. They came from fourteen states, the most distant being Minnesota, Wisconsin, and Florida. Forty-two percent were from out of state. Six percent were alumni.

It started on Friday afternoon, with those parents who arrived early invited to watch the afternoon's scheduled athletic events. The Vienna Symphony Orchestra Friday night drew a good crowd, with many parents in the audience with their sons and daughters.

Saturday morning, registration was



Dr. Robert C. Godwin, head of the music department, talks with Mr. and Mrs. Sterling W. Foss, Jr., and their daughter Kathy, a sophomore music major.



President Winthrop C. Libby '32, a popular patron at the Organizational Fair on Parents Weekend.

held in the newly resurfaced field house. After registering, parents were invited to the Memorial Gymnasium for coffee and doughnuts and to talk informally with faculty: a representative of each department of the university was on hand. Throughout the morning, walking and bus tours were conducted by the Sophomore Owls and Eagles. In the late morning President Winthrop C. Libby addressed the group. At a short business meeting four new sets of parents were elected to the executive council of the Parents and Friends Association: Mr. and Mrs.

G. D. Dunlap of Annapolis, Maryland; Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. McDonald of Hillsdale, New Jersey; Mr. and Mrs. George E. Pushard of Lewiston, Maine; and Mr. and Mrs. William Whorf of Kennebunk, Maine.

The parents then joined their sons and daughters in their dining halls for lunch, many of them continuing on to the football game against the University of New Hampshire. Saturday evening Lyric Soprano Mary Beth Peil was heard in concert by a full audience in Hauck Auditorium.

Sunday morning about 300 parents

were on hand for breakfast in West Commons. Some 150 of these stayed on to take the bus trip to Bar Harbor. The weather by this time had deteriorated, but not the good spirits of the parents. As they left for home, the most often echoed farewell was, "See you next year!"

Parents Weekend next year will be held October 6-8. If it is anything like this year's, parents will be back again and bringing new ones. For as people were saying in a modest Maine way, "Everybody had a good time."

Director's Corner

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ditional equipment for student health services, to help furnish a departmental library, to put an athletics review show on the educational television station, to provide equipment for newly-developing sports programs, to give towards uniforms for cheerleaders, and to make additions to the President's Discretionary Fund for emergency student aid.

The \$1,500 Distinguished Maine

Professor Award is funded annually from the Association budget to encourage high levels of performance in educating UMO students. This award was voted unanimously in October by the Alumni Council to be given again in 1972.

Alumni contributions are channeled through the annual financial drive to increase the class funds held in the university endowment fund or the university foundation. Alumni funds in both of these financial investment pools are increasing each year and

they bring an increasing amount of support to the Student Aid Office, which manages the distribution of scholarships and loan funds based on gifts.

In a new move at its October meeting, the Alumni Council voted the \$4,000 remaining in its University Projects account after funding the distinguished faculty award, to the establishment of an Alumni Emergency Student Aid Fund. This is designed to serve students who were financially pressed by the increase in tuition in September. The Association is presently asking officers of the alumni classes to consider making grants out of their class treasuries to swell this new fund.

Authorization for the use of alumni funds is made by a representative group of 26 alumni and five officers who meet three times a year. This governing Council meets next in Orono on February 11 and 12. Association President Al Parker '28 always welcomes suggestions to be considered at the meetings. Just send them to the Alumni Center, and I'll see that he gets them promptly. Next issue of THE MAINE ALUMNUS—January/February. See you then—and, in the meantime,

A Happy Holiday Season to all!

Don Stewart '35
Executive Director

COMPARISON OF ALUMNI FUND GIVING NEW ENGLAND STATE UNIVERSITIES

STATE	TOTAL NO. ALUMNI SOLICITED	NO. OF ALUMNI GIVERS	PER CENT GIVING	TOTAL DOLLARS GIVEN	AVERAGE GIFT
Connecticut	39,000	5,392	13.8	\$ 89,316	\$16.56
Maine	33,857	6,813	20.1	158,346	23.24
Massachusetts	23,204	5,662	24.4	82,214	14.52
*New Hampshire				135,000	
Rhode Island	17,280	4,040	23.4	72,968	18.06
Vermont	19,000	3,715	19.6	121,833	32.79
1967-68	\$20.11				
1968-69	\$21.88				
1969-70	\$23.24				
1970-71	\$25.97				

* All figures except University of New Hampshire are from Voluntary Support of Education, 1969-70, published by the American Alumni Council. University of New Hampshire figures, from UNH Magazine, October 1971.

ON CAMPUS

FINE ARTS AT UMO

Art

December in Carnegie Hall is always busy and crowded with the annual Art for Christmas Buying on display. Also on exhibit in Carnegie Hall in December are 50 photographs by world renowned photographer Berenice Abbott and 30 color woodcuts by Frank Eckmair. A year-round exhibition in Carnegie Hall of works by some 75 Maine Artists is continuous but changing, sponsored by the Patrons of the Fine Arts.

In the lobby of the Hauck Auditorium are abstract paintings by Bill Parker, an internationally famous artist from Texas; in the lobby of the Memorial Union, 33 dye transfer photographs by Worcester businessman Daniel Farber; and in the lobby of Alumni Hall, 35 intaglio prints by the distinguished New York artist Ruth Cyril.

January exhibits in Carnegie Hall will feature Pottery and Hangings by Maine craftsmen Elizabeth Bailey and Malcolm Wright; 25 aquatints and etchings by Portuguese artist Bartolomeu dos Santos; and a selection of 25 drawings and sketches by the late Waldo Peirce of Bangor. In the lobby of Alumni Hall will be exhibited 25 graphics by Philadelphia artist Jacob Landau.

Music

The Music Department is presenting a variety of winter programs, beginning with the Sounds of Christmas in the Hauck Auditorium under the direction of Professor Vernon Opheim on December 15 and 16, with presentations by the University Singers, the Madrigal Group, the Women's Chorus, the Brass Choir, and a recorder quartet.

On January 16 the Oratorio Society under the direction of Professor Lud-

low Hallman and the University Orchestra under the direction of Professor Isaac Ostrow will perform the Haydn **Mass in Time of War** and Brahms' **Nanie**.

The Concert Band, directed by Professor Gregg Magnuson, will present its winter concert on January 23.

In February the Opera Workshop will perform "The Marriage of Figaro" by Mozart, under the direction of Professor Hallman.

Theatre

Productions of the Maine Masque for 1971-72 are **Billy Budd** (presented in October), **The Rivals** (Dec. 7-11), **Joe Egg** (Mar. 14-18), **Pieces of Eight** and **The Dumb Waiter**, the state touring play, (Mar. 26-27), and **Three Japanese Noh Plays** (May 2-6).

A major emphasis in the UMO theatre program is community outreach. Last summer two performances of **The Lion in Winter** by James Goldman, directed by Russell Longtin (a graduate student in theatre), were produced at Bar Harbor for the benefit of the drama program at Mt. Desert Island High School. The performances cleared \$1,000 beyond expenses, and all the money was turned over to the high school for its drama program.

A current community project is the full-day theatre workshop for high school students and teachers on December 10. This is an annual workshop drawing from 500-600 people. This year's theme is "Musical Comedy Production for High Schools," featuring lecture demonstrations by Richard Sawyer '68 and scenes from the Stearns High School (Millinocket) production of **The Sound of Music**. Mr. Sawyer, drama teacher at Stearns High School and director of the Millinocket theatre group, is a graduate student in theatre at UMO.

In March the third annual Chamber Theatre Tour will take place, sponsored by the Patrons of the Fine Arts. The tour will consist of six to nine engagements in communities across the state, with the Maine Masque presenting **Pieces of Eight** and **The Dumb Waiter** by Harold Pinter.

HOWARD L. MENDALL '31 HONORED

Some 1400 acres of wetland in the Frankfort-Prospect area were officially named the Howard L. Mendall Game Management Area at a dedication ceremony this fall by the Maine Department of Inland Fisheries and Game.

Professor Mendall, who has been with the University of Maine since 1937, is with the Cooperative Research Unit and professor of Wildlife Resources at UMO. He was taken by surprise at the ceremony, which made known his "well-deserved international reputation" for special interest and professional excellence in the waterfowl field.

He was chosen in 1966 by the northeast section of the Wildlife Society of the Northeast Fish and Wildlife Conference to receive the John Pearce Memorial Award for outstanding contributions to wildlife research and to training biologists. The Pearce award is the highest honor bestowed by the Northeast Section of the Wildlife Society, which includes professional conservationists from Ontario to Newfoundland and south to West Virginia.

CHANCELLOR SPEAKS OUT

Dr. Donald R. McNeil, Chancellor of the University of Maine, told a press conference this fall that the financial squeeze in higher education is having a disastrous effect on students.

"Costs for students are increasing, and the system is not keeping pace," he said.

In Maine the cost per student has risen from an average of \$860 to \$1,660 per year during the past decade.

"It stands to reason that in this financial squeeze universities have to cater to students who have some means of income. We thereby do not reach many low-income people," he said.

He said that education "benefits all of society, not just the student, and should be regarded as an investment in the future of our country."



Professors Vincent Hartgen, Albert Burden, Bernard Sass



PICS Director Howard Keyo, President Emeritus Arthur Hauck '38, President Winthrop Libby '32

TWENTY-FIVE YEAR GET-TOGETHER

Twenty-two UMO faculty and staff members who have each served the University of Maine at Orono for 25 years held an informal get-together



Professors Jonathan Biscoe, Richard Hill, Constance Carlson



Professor Albert Burden, Dean Winston Pullen '41

at the Sail Loft in Rockport on October 20. Among the guests present were President Emeritus Arthur A. Hauck '38 and President Winthrop C. Libby '32 and Mrs. Libby '33.

BOOKS

Ives, Edward D. **Lawrence Doyle: The Farmer-Poet of Prince Edward Island.** Maine: University of Maine Press, 1971.

A third book by UMO's professor of folklore, Dr. Edward D. Ives, was published this fall as the 92nd publication in the Maine Studies Series.

This book is sub-titled "A Study in Local Songmaking," which in five words sums up a very readable book which is not only a study in folklore but also a picture of life for a Prince Edward Island farmer in the last quarter of the 19th century.

In the first paragraph Sandy Ives says, "It has been fun writing this book, and I hope it will be fun to read." Many of the interviews which helped to build a picture of the man and his songs are reported in the book, but the attention to detail never intrudes on the reader.

One large section is devoted to the

songs attributed to Doyle which were sung to the author, recorded on tape, and later transcribed. A final section records the songs and discusses some of the other songwriters from the same general area and time as Doyle.

A member of the UMO faculty since 1955, Professor Ives was a member of the English faculty before transferring to the anthropology department as professor of folklore. He received a doctorate in folklore from Indiana University, which in 1964 published his book "Larry Gorman: The Man Who Made the Songs." In 1965 he was awarded a Guggenheim Fellowship to continue his study of Joe Scott, which resulted in his second book.

In 1968 Professor Ives received both the Maine State Award of the Commission on the Arts and Humanities and a certificate of commendation from the American Association for State and Local History for his work with the folksongs and folklore of Maine.

ALUMNI NEWS

Alumni Council Meeting

At the October 15th meeting of the Alumni Council, GAA President Albert M. Parker '28 announced:

- * the re-appointment of James A. Harmon '40 as chairman of the Alumni Career Award nominations committee, with the committee to begin work immediately to implement new procedures which will start the work of the nominations committee 10 months in advance of the presentation date in 1972;

- * the appointment of Carl A. Whitman '35 as chairman of the Constitution and By-Laws Committee for 1971-72.

In other action the Council

- * reviewed the tax exempt status of the GAA and moved to have federal forms for re-registration reviewed by legal and tax counsel;

- * reviewed the Cost/Benefit Report submitted by the GAA to President Libby showing that a cost/benefit ratio of minus 86.0 in 1961-62 has risen during the decade to a plus 132.3 ratio when comparing the relationship of the GAA dollar return to UMO with the budget supplement provided for GAA operations by the university;
- * approved the funding of the Distinguished Maine Professor Award in the amount of \$1,500 from the University Projects account;

- * approved the allocation by the Executive Committee of \$4,000 from the University Projects account to create an Alumni Emergency Student Aid Fund;

- * voted to hold the mid-winter meeting at UMO February 11 and 12 in conjunction with an expanded Back-to-College program which will bring alumni onto campus for attendance at classes and a get-together with administrative leaders, faculty, and students;

- * voted to continue the GAA sponsorship of the annual luncheon in New

York in February for alumni in the pulp and paper industries.

WANTED: ONE-ROOM SCHOOLHOUSE

UMO wants a one-room schoolhouse. What for? To preserve as a museum, to be installed at the rear of Shibles Hall, to house a Maine-American collection of educational history.

Assistant Professor of Education Eric A. Duplisea, who originated the project, wants not only a schoolhouse, but books, artifacts, and oral and visual records which will form a resource center for anyone interested in studying, examining, or just enjoying America's educational heritage.

If you own a schoolhouse, or can give or lend suitable items to be kept in one as a museum, write to Professor Duplisea, 158 Shibles Hall, UMO.

DECOURCY WINS YANKEE QUILL AWARD

Among the three new members for 1971 named this fall by the Academy of New England Journalists and upon whom were conferred the Yankee Quill Awards, was J. Edward Decourcy '34, who only last summer was awarded the Golden Quill by the International Conference of Weekly Newspaper Editors.

The Academy of New England Journalists was established in 1960 by the New England Professional Chapter of the professional journalists society Sigma Delta Chi to recognize "a lifetime of distinction in and contribution to journalism."

The names of the 42 members are engraved on a plaque at Colby College, the alma mater of Elijah Parish Lovejoy, who was martyred in 1837 for defending the principles of freedom of the press.

Among the distinguished members of the Academy are Sevellon Brown of the Providence Journal-Bulletin, Erwin D. Canham of the Christian Science Monitor, Henry Beetle Hough of The Vineyard Gazette (the only other weekly newspaperman), Laurence L. Winship of the Boston Globe,

and James M. Langley of the Concord Monitor (the only other New Hampshire resident).

PULP AND PAPER FOUNDATION Hall of Appreciation

Announcement has been made by Frederic A. Soderberg '25 of Albany, N. Y., that the UMO Pulp and Paper Foundation has established a "Hall of Appreciation" in recognition and appreciation of the interest and generosity of the donors of 24 named scholarship funds of \$10,000 or more each, totaling nearly \$260,000. Bronze tablets naming all the funds have been erected in the hall of appreciation, which is adjacent to the offices of the Pulp and Paper Foundation in Lyle C. Jenness Hall.

Scholarship Funds Established

A scholarship fund of \$10,000 has been established in honor of Harold Holden, chairman of the executive committee of Gilman Paper Company. The fund was given by the D. S. and R. H. Gottesman Foundation of New York City in recognition of Mr. Holden's leadership in the pulp and paper industry and particularly his many services to the UMO Pulp and Paper Foundation.

This is the 24th named scholarship of \$10,000 or more to be received by the Foundation.

The Lyle C. Jenness Fund has been established by the Foundation. Some 370 alumni and friends contributed toward the cost of a portrait of Dr. Jenness, who has been executive secretary of the Pulp and Paper Foundation since 1966. The response was so generous that officers of the Foundation, wishing to use the surplus as a further tribute to Dr. Jenness, established a fund, the amount currently more than \$2,500, with additional gifts still to be received.

The income from scholarship funds is used for awards to students who are training to enter the pulp and paper and allied industries. Some 108 UMO students were awarded more than \$68,000 in scholarships, grants, and graduate fellowships by the UMO Pulp and Paper Foundation for the fall semester of 1971, the largest amount ever given by the Foundation.

Directors Elected

Directors-at-large elected at the annual meeting of the Pulp and Paper Foundation are Lawrence H. Boling, James H. Gans, Oliver G. Haywood, John H. Heuer, Lawrence B. Kelley '41 Winship B. Moody, Sr. '55, and Harry C. Moore.

Also elected were new Standing Committee Chairmen: Henry W. Fales '35, David F. Pollard, Clifford R. Recor, and John T. Maines '40.



At the October meeting of the Portland Alumnae Association GAA President Albert M. Parker '28 presents a Block "M" Award to Mrs. William J. Murphy (Marjorie Moulton '33), "an ambassador of goodwill who has made friends for the University." Admissions Director James A. Harmon '40 was the speaker.

SENIOR ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

John L. Collins '10, president of the UMO Senior Alumni Association, has announced three appointments to the executive committee: Julius S. Kritter of Groveland, Mass., secretary of the class of 1916; Verne C. Beverly of Pat-ten, president of the class of 1920; and George S. Ginsberg of Bangor, president of the class of 1921 which became senior alumni upon celebration of their 50th reunion in June.

Other officers are Weston S. Evans '18, vice president; Samuel W. Collins '19, second vice president; William E. Schrupf '12, auditor; and Charles E. Crossland '17, secretary-treasurer.

MRS. VERRILL B. GILMORE

As the *Alumnus* is going to press, word has been received of the death of Elizabeth "Betty" (Sjovall) Gilmore '60, on November 17. Mrs. Gilmore, who received both her B.S. and M.Ed. degrees from UMO, was the immediate past president of the Southern Penobscot Alumnae Association.

A full obituary will appear in the next issue of the *Alumnus*.

BLACK BEAR CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

The Black Bear Club of Rhode Island elected officers on October 1, 1971: president, Myron W. Zimmerman '50; first vice president, John F. Wilson '33; second vice president, Robert W. Nelson '45, secretary-treasurer, Verne Snow '31.

FORESTRY WIVES' COOKBOOK

The second edition of the *Forestry Wives' Favorites*, a collection of favorite recipes of members of the Forestry Wives' Club at UMO and of wives of foresters throughout the United States, is now available. Orders may be mailed to Nutting Hall, University of Maine at Orono 04473.

\$3.50 per cookbook, plus 25¢ postage. No C.O.D.'s, please.

SOPHOMORE EAGLE ALUMNAE

Jan Coates '74, president of the 1971-72 Sophomore Eagles, extends a cordial invitation to all Sophomore Eagle alumnae to an Eagles Get-Together for alumnae on December 12 at 7 P. M. in the Maine Lounge of the Memorial Union.

ROTC INFORMATION WANTED

Since its establishment in 1869, Army ROTC at the University of Maine has played an important role on the campus. However, its long history has gone relatively unnoticed. The present ROTC administration would like to reconstruct the program from its infancy to its present status. We would be thankful if anyone who has old documents or interesting information pertaining to the University's ROTC program would call 581-7237 or mail information to the Adjutant, USA ROTC Instructor Group, University of Maine, Orono, Maine 04473. Anything you can provide us will be greatly appreciated.

PULP AND PAPER LUNCHEON

The annual Pulp and Paper Luncheon sponsored by the General Alumni Association will be held in New York City at the Hilton Hotel, 401 Seventh Avenue, on February 15, 1972. The luncheon will be held at 12:30, preceded by a reception at 11:45.

TAX TIPS by T. D. Harper, Assistant Director of Development

This is the time of the year when all of us should be looking closely at our income tax position. Changes in the income tax structure introduced by the Tax Reform Act of 1969 and proposed changes currently before the Congress indicate a greater tax savings can be realized by making a charitable gift this year rather than waiting until next year.

Governments, from ancient Egypt to modern times, have recognized the value of philanthropy by extending tax benefits to those who engage in philanthropic endeavors. So it is that in our present taxation policies the Government shares, with the donor, his contributions for charitable purposes. Very briefly let me give some examples how the Government shares in your contribution:

If a person in a 14% tax bracket donates \$100 to his Alumni Association Annual Fund he realizes \$14 in tax savings making his net cost \$86.00 for the \$100 donation.

If a person in the top tax bracket of 60% donates \$1000 to his Alumni Association Annual Fund he realizes \$600 in tax savings making his net cost \$400 for the \$1,000 donation.

Now let me explain my statement that donations

this year may have greater tax benefit than those made next year. The personal exemption this year is \$650 per individual and for 1972 it increases to \$700. (Congress is currently considering making the personal exemption \$750 in 1972. Check for last minute changes.) As personal exemptions increase your top tax bracket may decrease which will decrease the government's share of your donation. For example:

We saw in the above that a \$1,000 donation made in 1971 would cost this particular donor \$400. In 1972, the top tax bracket for earned income is 50%, so a donation of \$1000 made in 1972 would cost the donor a net of \$500.

The principles I have outlined above apply not only to your annual donations, but also to Life Income Plans or other major gifts you may be considering for the University.

Write or phone the Development Office, Alumni Center, University of Maine at Orono, 581-7822, for any more information you may desire. Examples in this article are intended to be information only and not specifically applicable to any individual. Consult your lawyer or tax advisor for advice on your particular tax situation.

Local Association News

Oct. 9: Finger Lakes Alumni Association Presidents, Wayne '61 and Pat '62 Bonney. Annual fall meeting. Decision made to renew membership of the club in the Century Club of the Annual Alumni Fund. Plans made for a spring meeting in late April. Watch for details (alumni in the Finger Lakes area).

Oct. 14: Portland Alumnae Association President, Mrs. Myrul Duncan '65 Autumn dinner-meeting. Speaker, UMO's Director of Admissions, James A. Harmon '40, on "UMO's New Admission Levels." A 1971 Block "M" Award presented to Mrs. Marjorie Murphy '33 by GAA President, Albert M. Parker '28.

Oct. 20: Androscoggin Valley Alumnae Association President, Mrs. Richard F. Bastow '57. Autumn business meeting and social evening. Speaker, Miss Karen Martel '72, UMPG, on life in England where she studied during the last academic year.

Oct. 20: Southern Kennebec Alumni Association Augusta, President, John H. Chadwick '43. Annual fall smorgasbord luncheon. Speaker, State Senator Bennett Katz, on "The University's Dilemma—Public Financing of Higher Education."

Oct. 21: Cumberland County Alumni Association Portland, President, Kenneth F. Wright '43. Planning meeting for December 2nd dinner meeting.



Oct. 22: North Shore Alumni Association Danvers, Mass., President, Mrs. Marion D. Cooper '32 Autumn buffet dinner-meeting. A slide show entitled "Hey, Look Me. Over" and a rap session led by UMO students Lucy Spalding '72 and Mark Thomas '74.

Oct. 23: Long Island Alumni Association President, Russell S. Bodwell '44. Clambake and lobster feed for 250 MAINE alumni and UMO's 1971 Black Bears football team and cheerleaders, following gridiron clash with C. W. Post.

Nov. 2: Lewiston-Auburn Alumni Association President, Paul J. Dowe '48. Autumn lobster feed

Nov. 16: Northern Kennebec Alumni Association President, Herbert Aldrich '60 Autumn Buffet Dinner. Speaker, UMO's Director of Student Aid, John E. Madigan, on UMO's student aid program.

Nov. 17: Southern Penobscot Alumnae Association President, Miss Josephine Proffita '38 Red-letter day, sixth annual Dessert-Scholarship Auction.

Nov. 17: Androscoggin Valley Alumnae Association President, Mrs. Richard Bastow '57. Annual Mother-Daughter Banquet. Folksinging entertainment by Mr. & Mrs. Tommy Rowe. Chairman for the event was Mrs. Lewis B. Paine, II '50.



Dec. 2: Cumberland County Alumni Association President, Kenneth Wright '43. December Smoker. Speakers, Black Bear Baseball Coach Jack Butterfield, and Aquatics Coach Alan Switzer. Program chairman for the event, Ron Hurd '59.

Dec. 8: Lewiston-Auburn Alumni Association Mid-winter dinner meeting. Speaker, Dr. Kenneth Allen, chairman, zoology department. Newly re-elected President Paul J. Dowe '48, R.F.D. #2, Turner 04282. Tel. 225-2575.

Dec. 9: Waldo County Alumni Association "Jack Frost" dinner-meeting. Speaker, Black Bears Head Football Coach Walter "Walt" Abbott. President, Kenneth S. Field '27, Highview Terrace, R.F.D. #1, Belfast 04915. Tel. 338-4546.

Dec. 18: Long Island Alumni Association Varsity basketball, UMO vs. The Stony Brook School, 8 p.m. Pre-game dinner and happy hour, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Three Village Inn, Stony Brook, featuring authentic Maine cooking. President, Russell S. Bodwell '44, 87 Scudders Lane, Glen Head, Long Island 11545. Tel. (516) 671-4283.

Plans are being made for alumni gatherings at other away varsity basketball games during the 1971-72 season.



The Long Island Alumni Association entertains the UMO football team and cheerleaders at a clambake and lobster feed—a gathering of 250 MAINE people on the C. W. Post campus after the October 23rd game.



Association President Russell S. Bodwell '44



GAA President Albert M. Parker '28



Coach "Walt" Abbott '58 talks with alumni

SPORTS

FALL SPORTS ROUNDUP

by Glenn Adams '73

FOOTBALL WRAP-UP

Grid coach Walter Abbott's Fighting Black Bears had to fight their way through a long, black season, only to land back in Orono atop a disappointing two win, six loss record, and below all their Yankee conference foes in the final league standings.

The season was not without its high points, however, as the Bears shocked a haughty Rhode Island team with a 21-7 victory at Kingston, and stung the Yellow Jackets of American International College 28-14 in the last home game of the year.

None of Maine's opponents really overpowered the Bears, save the C. W. Post 11, who outscrambled their visitors for six touchdowns (42 points). Post's attack was spearheaded by their quarterback Gary Wichard, who prior to the game ranked second in the nation's small colleges in total yards gained. The Pioneers' 224-pound line average (against Maine's 211 pounds) didn't hurt the home team's cause, either.

The Bears, not without a few heroes of their own, had more than a glimpse of a couple of other nationally ranked quarterbacks during the campaign: Piel Pennington, the scrambling sensation from U. Mass., who led his team to a 13-0 whipping of Maine in the first game; and Rhody's Bob Ehrhardt, a fine passer, whose team could only muster up seven points against an iron Maine defense.

Next season looks promising for the

Maine footballers, with three of 1971's most talented players returning. Junior Dave Paul, a split end who hails from Manchester, N. H., hauled in 47 passes this year, for a total of 621 yards and six touchdowns. Dave ranks among the top ten scorers in the college division teams in the country, and leads his own team in points scored with 36. Mike Porter, also a junior, was the punter all season. His 50 boots averaged a creditable 36 yards. In addition, he was the Bears' second leading rusher, totaling 270 yards in 91 carries. Doug Lentz of Woburn, Mass., a sophomore quarterback, showed his style toward the end of the season, winding up with 44 completions in 94 attempts. He connected for four touchdowns in the process.

Maine will be losing their number one ball carrier upon graduation. Bill Swadel, from North Reading, Mass., led the Bears in the rushing department, with 285 yards in 74 carries, and averaged 3.8 yards per carry.

Although Maine improved in sever-

al areas this season (pass completions, punting average, defense), the two decisive areas of rushing and points scored kept the Bears on the short end of most of their scores. So it looks as though beefing up the offensive backfield and leaning toward the aerial attack will be the keys to a successful 1972 Maine football team.

SOCCER

The Maine soccer team grabbed its second straight State Championship this season, but will have to share the honor with Bowdoin, the team that tied the Bears, 5-1, in State Series play.

Paul Stoyell's booters posted a successful 7-5 seasonal mark in the process of gaining the crown, while finishing 1-4 in Yankee Conference competition. Their single Yankee win was a big one, though, as the Bears walloped Connecticut for the first time ever, after having been humiliated by the Huskies in the past by such scores as 7-0.



Black Bear booters score first-ever win against Connecticut, 3-2.

Despite the early season departures of former Nigerian Olympic defensive captain, Mani Osode, who transferred to Columbia, and former Maine captain Brian Lyons, the Bears nevertheless dazzled home game crowds with five wins and two losses at Orono, and developed a few more hot-shots. Among them are senior co-captain Dave Brown of Eastham, Mass., and goalie Bill Herland from Wakefield, Mass. Forward Brown contributed six goals all year, boosting his career total to 27 (a new UMO record). He also broke Jossy Byamah's standard in career assists, with nine, while Herland picked up his fifth and sixth career shutouts, also a record. Herland allowed only 21 opposing goals in the 12 games, and set another UMO mark.

The Bears as a team tied a school record for goals scored in a season, with 23, and the team record of 17 assists was equalled.

Bill Sproul, a sophomore, was the top scorer for Maine; the forward netted five, with senior teammate Rick Salon right behind with four.

UMO's roster is studded with sophomores and juniors who threaten to carry on the two-year-old habit of winning State Championships. Charles Manderville, a New Jersey native and sophomore, kicked in two goals this year. Junior Mike Reade, also from New Jersey, played consistently well, as did junior fullback Mike Wisnieski.

CROSS COUNTRY

The best way to describe UMO's 1971 cross country team is this: young and promising.

The harriers survived their seven meets with only two victories (over St. Anselm's and Colby), and three of their losses were shutouts. That doesn't sound very promising, but this season was really a testing ground for the nucleus of Ed Styra's team; each of his nine top runners will be returning next fall.

There was no consistent number one finisher for the Bears after the tendon injury of Captain Chris Bovie in September, but junior John Daly and sophomores Steve Whalen, Tom Kehoe,

and Graydon Stevens picked up the slack. Daly led all of the Black Bear runners in three of the meets, Kehoe paced his teammates in two races, and Stevens and Whalen paved the way in one meet each. Daly also nailed down fifth place in the State Meet.

Freshman daler Bill Rose deserves credit, switching from the frosh three-mile race early in the season to the varsity 4.5-mile torture. He placed well consistently.

Even though Maine finished dead last in the Yankee Conference Meet, third out of four teams in the State Meet, and limped through a dreadful dual season, the cross country team has plenty to look forward to: besides their core of veterans expected to return in September, UMO brags an undefeated freshman team, which glided past eight opponents to easy wins.

It looks as though the best way to describe next year's Black Bear running squad is this: talented and experienced.

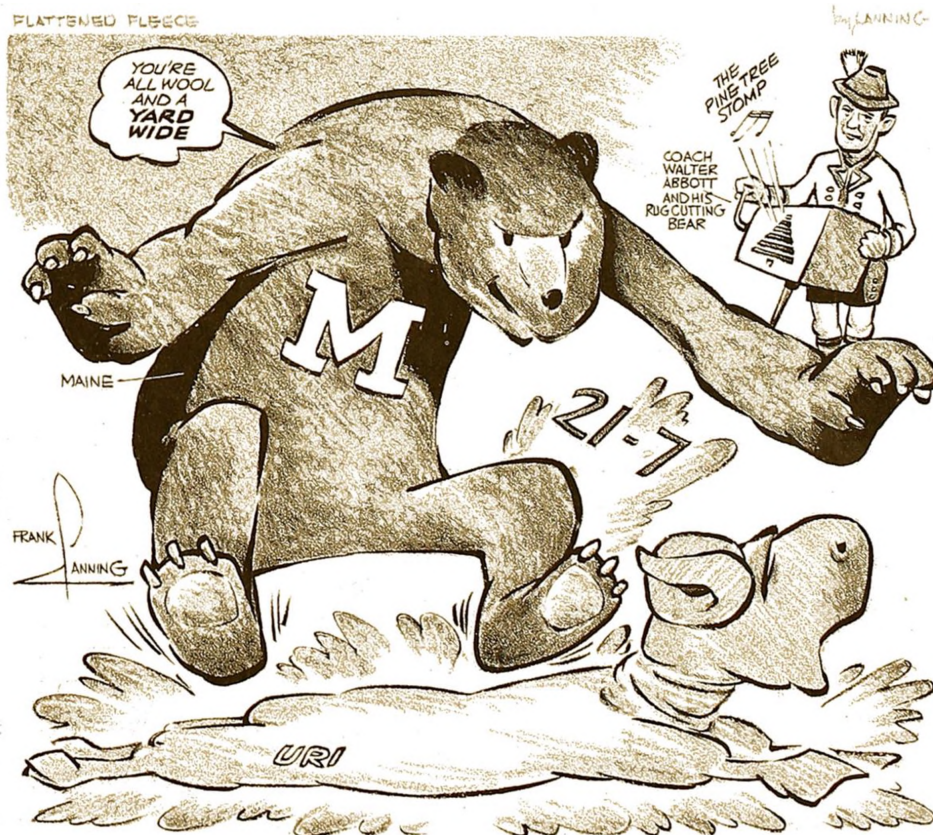
BASKETBALL—LOOKING AHEAD

Hustle—that's the name of the game, according to new head basketball coach Tom "Skip" Chappelle. And to prove his point, Chappelle went so far as to order new practice jerseys, which read, "Black Bears Basketball. . . . 110%."

Chappelle succeeded Gib Philbrick, who guided the Black Bears through a rather disappointing 8-16 season last year. This season, however, looks promising, with six seniors and eight lettermen who have returned to Memorial Gym to play ball.

Among those returning are senior co-captains Nick Susi, the 6-6 center from Pittsfield, and guard Paul Bessey, a 5-11 native of Buckfield.

This year's schedule, which features six new teams, opened at Orono on December 6, when the Bears hosted the Wildcats of UNH. The six new opponents are Siena, St. Anselm's, Fairleigh-Dickinson, Marshall U., Oral Roberts U., and St. Michael's.



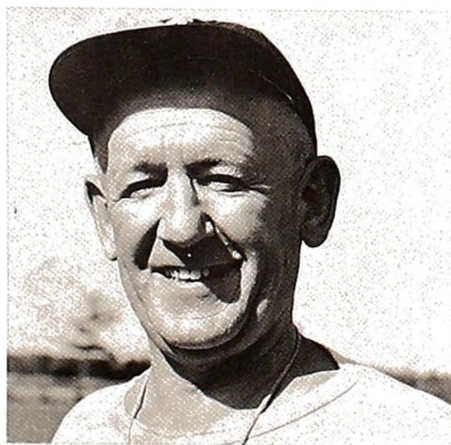
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1971-72 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Dec	6—	New Hampshire
"	8—	Bowdoin
"	10—	Boston University
"	13—	Rhode Island
"	17—at	Fairleigh-Dickinson
"	18—at	Stony Brook
"	20—at	Marshall Univ.
"	22—at	Oral Roberts
Jan	7—at	St. Michael's
"	8—at	Vermont
"	11—at	Bates
"	14—at	New Hampshire
"	15—at	Connecticut
"	22—	St. Anselm's
Feb	5—	Connecticut
"	7—	Siena
"	9—	Colby
"	12—at	Boston Univ.
"	18—	Bates
"	19—	Vermont
"	23—at	Colby
"	26—at	Massachusetts
Mar	1—at	Bowdoin
"	4—at	Rhode Island
"	8—	Massachusetts

BLACK BEAR HALL OF FAME

A new program to establish an immediate source of income to aid student athletes was launched at Homecoming-1971 by the Graduate "M" Club. Called the "Black Bear Hall of Fame," it will provide for recognition of contributors by placing colored tiles in the renovated Memorial Field House: green tiles for gifts up to \$25, red for \$25, white for \$50, blue for \$100, silver for \$500, gold for \$1,000, and bronze to recognize a life membership donation of \$5,000. Chairman of the Black Bear Hall of Fame committee is Samuel Sezak '31.



Samuel Sezak '31

Contributors of \$25 or more each year will also be entitled to a membership pin depicting a Black Bear and the year of participation, a Hall of Fame decal, preferred seat selection for athletic events, receipt of sports information bulletins, and a pass to athletic practice sessions and a membership card. Those contributing less than \$25 will be entitled to all privileges except a name plate on the tile and a membership pin.

Donald T. Sturgeon '61, president of the Graduate "M" Club, said that the purposes of the Black Bear Hall of Fame are to help recruit outstanding student athletes, to whom funds will be awarded on the basis of computed financial need; and to offer general support for intercollegiate athletics at UMO.

Funds brought in by the new program will supplement the already established endowment fund inaugurated a year ago by President Winthrop C. Libby '32 following approval by the board of trustees of an athletic scholarship policy based on the use of private funds and computed financial need. Unlike the endowment fund, from which only the interest is available, all money in the new fund at the conclusion of the first annual campaign will be immediately available for awards.

Recommendations for awarding the funds will be made each year by the UMO athletic department, and the funds will be distributed through the Student Aid Office.

Contributions to the "Black Bear Hall of Fame" may be made in care of the General Alumni Association.

NEW GRADUATE "M" CLUB OFFICERS

Donald T. Sturgeon '61, principal of Old Town High School, was re-elected president of the UMO Graduate "M" Club for the 1971-72 college year at its annual meeting during Homecoming, October 15. Also elected were Dr. Henry K. Woodbrey '53 of Orono, first vice president; Samuel Sezak '31 of Orono, second vice president; Albert F. Hackett '53 of Orono, third vice president; and Stuart Haskell '56 of

Bangor, secretary-treasurer. Named to the executive committee for three years were Robert D. Whytock '52 of Augusta, Ernest J. Reidman '38 of Waterville, and Albert H. Thomas '49 of Lincoln.

The Graduate "M" Club, formed in 1932, is composed of men who earned a varsity letter while competing in intercollegiate athletics at UMO.

Awarded honorary memberships during Homecoming were Dr. Russell M. Lane of the UMO Student Health Center medical staff and specialist in athletic medicine; Dr. Robert A. Graves '45, director of the UMO Student Health Center; Dr. James D. Clement, Jr. '40, of Bangor, a surgeon who is also a consulting physician for university athletes; Russell Bodwell '44, vice president-engineering for international homebuilder Levitt and Sons, Inc., of Lake Success, N. Y., and president of the UMO Long Island Alumni Association; George J. Gonyar '50 of Orono, director of radio and television operations for WABI, Bangor; and Owen O. Osborne of Brewer, sports editor of the Bangor Daily News.

LETTERS

To the editor:

The last issue of **The Maine Alumnus** is the finest that I have ever seen, as was also President Libby's wonderful letter.

Sincerely,
"Ernie" Lamb '10

To the editor:

Bravo to the designer of that cover (September/October)! It tells me immediately that Phi Kappa Phi is celebrating its 75th anniversary and that Phi Kappa Phi was established at the University of Maine. Since I never made it, I am very proud to have graduated from a university whose people had the vision and leadership to establish such recognition for scholarship.

Sincerely,
J. Edward DeCourcy '34

IN MEMORIAM



1919 LOUIS P. SCHWEITZER, 72, who in 1965 was granted the first Alumni Career Award for the honor brought to the University of Maine at Orono by his active interests and achievements in business, the arts, and philanthropy, died on September 20, 1971, aboard the liner France while returning from Europe.

Born in the Ukraine, Mr. Schweitzer was brought to this country at the age of four. After graduating in chemical engineering from the University of Maine he continued his studies at the University of Grenoble, France. With several brothers he worked with his father's company, Peter J. Schweitzer, Inc., which manufactured paper for many of the leading cigarette brands. The Schweitzer firm was merged with Kimberly-Clark in 1955, with Louis Schweitzer as president.

His best known philanthropy was the founding of the Vera Institute of Justice, through which he was instrumental in obtaining reforms of the bailbond system and other court procedures. He bought the Theater de Lys in Greenwich Village, N. Y., as a wedding anniversary gift for his wife, and with her created the White Barn Theater on their estate in Westport, Conn. He bought the radio station WBAI in New York in order to assure excellent programming with no commercials, and later donated it to the Pacifica Foundation while continuing his financial support. He also established the Meyer Berger Award in Journalism at the Columbia University School of Journalism, in memory of Meyer (Mike) Berger, a New York Times reporter. In a whimsical philanthropic vein, he purchased a New York taxicab and a barber shop.

He is survived by his wife, brother and two sisters.

1905 LEONARD OTIS HOPKINS, 91, of Nashville, Tenn., on July 29, 1971, in Nashville. A native of Lincoln, he did advanced study at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He had lived in Nashville for 45 years, and was in the engineering business for 55 years. He specialized in movable bridges and held patents on Trunnion Bascule Machinery. In 1950 he wrote bridge specifications for the American Association State Highway Official Specifications. He was chief engineer for the Nashville Bridge Company for many years, and upon retiring five years ago went into private business with L. O. Hopkins and Sons. He was an honorary member of the American Society of Civil Engineers. Survivors: daughter, two sons, a sister, eight grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren. He was a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity.

1908 GEORGE PHILLIPS FOGG, 83, of Hulls Cove on August 21, 1971, in Bar Harbor. A native of Otis, he had owned and operated a farm and market garden for many years. Survivors: wife, three sons, one daughter, one brother, Harry W. '15 of Mt. Dora, Fla., 17 grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

1911 HAROLD WILLIAM INGHAM, 82, of Concord, N. H., on September 14, 1971, in Concord. Born in Haverhill, Mass., he had been a civil engineer for the New Hampshire Department of Public Works and Highways for 25 years, retiring in 1960. He was a past president of the Concord SPCA, a fellow of the American Society of Civil Engineers, past executive secretary of the New Hampshire Good Roads Association, and a member of the New Hampshire Society of Professional Engineers. Survivors: wife, three sons, one of whom is Joseph M. '41 of Concord, five grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren. He was a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity.

1911 FREELAND JOHN MORRISON, 82, of Manistee, Mich., on April 2, 1971, in Manistee. Born in South Berwick, he moved to Manistee as superintendent of what was then Filer Fiber mill in 1935. He retired from Packaging Corporation of America in 1958. Survivors: wife, a daughter, and two nephews. He was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity.

1913 REV. CANON CHARLES EDGAR WOOD, 82, of St. Petersburg, Fla., on September 23, 1971, in St. Petersburg. Born in Old Town, he attended the University of Maine for one year and was graduated from the University of the South. He attended Nashotah Theological Seminary and was graduated from General Theological Seminary in 1914. He was ordained deacon in 1914 and a priest in 1916 in the Diocese of Maine. He had held pastorates in Ft. Fairfield; the missionary area of South Dakota; Columbus, Wis.; Sewanee and Chattanooga, Tenn.; and Marietta, Ga. He was also a chaplain and instructor in New Testament and Philosophy of Religion at the University of Tampa, Fla., and was rector at the House of Prayer in Tampa from 1942 until his retirement in 1958. In the Diocese of South Florida he was chairman of the college commission, on the board of managers of the endowment fund corporation, a member of the standing committee, and president of the west coast clericus. In 1970 he was made honorary canon of St. Luke's Episcopal Cathedral, Orlando, Fla. Survivors: a brother, Frank F. '09 of Old Town, four sons, 10 grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

1914 WILLIAM GLIDDEN HODGKINS, JR., 80, of West Bath on August 7, 1971, in Pinellas Park, Fla. Born in Damariscotta, he attended the University of Maine for two years. He worked for several years with his father in the family meat market, later ran a meat market and grain store at Damariscotta, and in 1940 began work with the Civil Service, at Kittery, Dark Harbor, and the Brunswick Naval Air Station. He retired in 1956. He was a veteran of World War II. Survivors: a daughter, two sons, one of whom is William G. III '50 of Florida, nine grandchildren, and one great-grandchild. He was a member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity.

1915 DAVID CROWELL, 78, of Sandwich, Mass., on September 25, 1971, in Centerville, Mass. A native of Dorchester, Mass., he had been proprietor of the 125-acre Crow Farm in Sandwich for more than 40 years. A Navy ensign in World War I, he was formerly chairman of the trustees of the Cape Cod Extension Service, past commander of the American Legion, past president of the Cape Cod Farm Bureau, moderator of the Sandwich Unitarian Parish, and for 20 years deer damage appraiser for Barnstable County and the Islands. Survivors: wife, a son, two daughters, a brother, and five grandchildren.

1916 BRIG. GEN. ARCHELAUS LEWIS HAMBLEN, 77, of Rockville, Md., on October 8, 1971, in Maryland. He was born in Gorham. Having entered the U. S. Army in 1916, he retired from military service in 1954. He rose to the rank of major in World War I, colonel in World War II, and brigadier general during the Korean conflict. He was one of only nine U. S. officers to receive the Legion of Merit in Officers' Degree, awarded for his role with General Mark Clark's mission in North Africa during the early days of World War II. Among the many honors he received were also two awards of the Distinguished Service Medal, the Bronze Star, and decorations from the governments of Italy, Great Britain, and Brazil, and the Legion of Honor from France. Survivors: a brother,

a son, two daughters, 11 grandchildren, several great-grandchildren, a niece, and a nephew. He was a member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity, Alpha Zeta and Phi Kappa Phi honor societies, and Scabbard and Blade.

1916 RAYMOND LEE WHITNEY, 80, of Bingham on September 19, 1971, in Skowhegan. A native of Moscow, he attended the University of Maine for two years. He was a student at Yale University when he enlisted in the Army in 1917. After his discharge he became a consulting forester, working for several years with the International Paper Company in Newfoundland and for several years with Scott Paper Company in New Brunswick. He worked as timberland manager for Maine Seaboard Paper Company in Bucksport for nine years, before joining the Ames-Baldwyn-Wyoming Company in Enfield, from which he retired in 1949. He was a member of the Society of American Foresters. Survivors: wife, a daughter, Mrs. John Pelletier (Judith '58) of Limington, a brother, four grandchildren, and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

1917 CARLETON SEWALL HERRICK, 77, of Rocky Hill, Conn., on June 30, 1971, in Rocky Hill. A native of Brewer, he attended the University of Maine for three years. He managed the family grocery business, S. S. Herrick Company, until 1941, when he became an inspector for United Aircraft. He retired in 1959. Survivors: a son, Dr. Carleton S. Herrick, Jr. '42 of Wescosville, Pa., a daughter, Mrs. Dana T. Whitman, Jr. (Helen '46), a brother, Winslow K. Herrick '22 of Brewer, seven grandchildren, one of whom is Dana Whitman III '75, and a nephew, John P. Morrill '58 of Brewer. He was a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity.

1917 DR. JOHN JAMES TOPHAM, 76, of Country Club Estates, N. H., on August 6, 1971, in Dover, N. H. Born in Methuen, Mass., he attended the University of Maine for one year, where he enlisted in the Army Reserve Medical Corps. Upon graduation from Bowdoin College he was discharged from the reserves and commissioned a first lieutenant in the Army Medical Corps. He began his practice in Dover in 1930. He was chief of staff at Wentworth-Douglass Hospital during World War II. He was a member of the New Hampshire Medical Society, past president of Strafford Medical Society, and a member of the 50-year Club of American Medicine. Survivors: wife, one son, two brothers, seven grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. Memorial donations may be made to the Wentworth-Douglass Hospital.

1917 HAROLD CASS WEEKS, 73, of South Harpswell on October 7, 1971, in Togus. He was a native of Marlborough, Mass. From 1928 until his retirement in 1946 he operated a florist's business in Marlborough. He moved to South Harpswell after his retirement and raised chrysanthemums commercially. He was a director of the Harpswell Neck Fire Department. Survivors: wife, a son, two daughters, and five grandchildren.

1918 CLIVE CEYLON SMALL, 75, of Derry Village, N. H., on August 10, 1971, in Manchester, N. H. A native of Farmington, he had also attended the University of Dijon in France. He was a U. S. Army veteran of World War I. He had been employed by the W. T. Grant Company for 11 years, before buying the V. H. Moody Department Store and the Low Shoe Store, which he consolidated into Small's Department Store. For many years he was a director of the Derry Cooperative Bank and was one of its former vice presidents. He was also a director of the Derry Bank and Trust Company. Survivors: wife, a son, Donald E. '51 of Bolton, Conn., a daughter, two grandchildren, a sister, three nieces, and a nephew. He was a member of Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity.

1919 HENRY WHITING CAMPBELL, 74, of Waterville on July 22, 1971, in Waterville. Born in Cherryfield, he attended the University of Maine for one year. He worked for the State Highway Department until his retirement in 1962. He was a veteran of World War I. Survivors: wife, two daughters, and a brother, Stanley M. '21 of South Gate, Calif. He was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity.

1920 MATTHEW HENRY MERRY, 73, of Collingswood, N. J., on June 2, 1971, in Pasco County, Fla. A native of West Tisbury, Mass., he received the master of civil engineering degree from the Polytechnic Institute of Brooklyn in 1935. He became assistant professor of applied mechanics, University of Kansas, in 1926 and then associate professor of civil engineering, Newark College. In 1929 he became assistant engineer with the New York Edison system, in 1936 director of public works in Birmingham, Mich., and in 1940 leading designer with the E. I. DuPont de Nemours Company. In 1945 he became consulting engineer with Gilbert Associates, and from 1947 until his retirement in 1963 he was consulting engineer for the General Chemical Division of the Allied Chemical Corporation. Survivors: wife, two sons, two brothers, a sister, and two grandchildren.

1920 WALTER CONRAD STURTEVANT, 76, of Santa Monica, Calif., on June 23, 1971, in Santa Monica. A native of Milo, he taught briefly in the public schools in Maine and New Hampshire before going to California, where he taught in the Culver Military Academy and later in the Los Angeles public school system. He taught mathematics and science for 20 years at Hollywood High School. Survivors: wife, a daughter, two sisters, one of whom is Mrs. Leroy H. Stinneford (Jessie '17) of Winston-Salem, N. C., two brothers, two grandchildren, and 13 nieces and nephews. Memorial contributions may be made to the Hollywood High School Scholarship Fund.

1921 MADELINE BIRD, 81, of Rockland on October 5, 1971, in Camden. A native of Rockland, she had also attended Wheaton College. A retired teacher, she had taught in the Trenton, N. J., High School for 30 years. She was a member of Phi Kappa Phi honorary society. Survivors: a brother and a sister. She was a member of Alpha Omicron Pi sorority.

1921 DR. JAMES LEMUEL CHUTE, 75, of Osterville, Mass., on October 1, 1971, in Cape Cod, Mass., as the result of a boating accident. A native of Saco, he attended the University of Maine for two years and received his M.D. degree from Tufts Medical School in 1923. The former chief surgeon at Cape Cod Hospital, he had begun his practice at Osterville in 1924. He was a fellow of the American College of Surgeons and a retired commander in the U. S. Navy (res.). He served as a naval aviator in World War I and was a commander in the Naval Medical Corps in World War II. Survivors: wife, Eunice H. (Niles) '15, a daughter, Rosanna '46 of Osterville, two sons, one of whom is David A. '53 of Osterville, and four grandchildren. He was a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity.

1921 ROLAND ALEXANDER MCGOWN, of Ellsworth on September 9, 1970, in Ellsworth. A native of Robinson, he attended the University of Maine for three years. He had been in the insurance business and was in heavy construction business at the time of his death. He was a member of Theta Chi fraternity.

1923 GEORGE FAIRBANKS VAUGHAN, of Thetford, N. H., on September 23, 1971, in White River Junction, N. H. A native of Worcester, Mass., he attended the University of Maine for one year. He was a Navy veteran of World War I. He worked as a laboratory technician at Dartmouth College for many years, and afterwards worked at the Watertown, Mass., Arsenal and at Hamilton Standard Aircraft in Connecticut, retiring in 1962. Survivors: a daughter, three sons, two sisters, and 13 grandchildren. Memorial donations may be made to cancer research.

1924 HARLAN LUTHER CLAPP, 72, of Bridgton on August 23, 1971, in Bridgton. A native of Brewer, he worked for 35 years as a chemist with the U. S. Treasury Department. Survivors: wife, one daughter, two brothers, Elwood I. '17 of Waban, Mass., Milton H. '27 of Montclair, N. J., one sister, Mrs. Percy E. White (Alma) '12 of Leeburg, Fla., two grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

1924 CLARENCE MARTIN COFFIN, 68, of West Paris on August 23, 1971, in West Paris. Born in Milan, N. H., he attended the University of Maine

for two years. He had been self employed as a Raleigh Products route salesman for 18 years, and since 1951 had operated his own television sales and repair service. He served on the first board of selectmen when the town of West Paris was incorporated in 1957. He served on the board of the West Paris Universalist-Unitarian Church and had been treasurer of the church for many years. Survivors: wife, a daughter, mother, and three grandchildren.

1924 PHILIP TRACY OAK, 70, of Whiting, Ind., on September 17, 1971, in Whiting. Born in Augusta, he was assistant manager of the American Oil Company until his retirement in 1961. He was a former director of the Whiting Chamber of Commerce and treasurer of the Congregational Church. Survivors: wife, a daughter, Mrs. Allan M. Thorne (Mary Helen) '52 of Bangor, and three grandchildren. He was a member of Beta Theta Pi fraternity. Memorial donations may be made to the Congregational Church in Whiting.

1924 CLARENCE MILTON SPEARIN, 68, of Newport on October 8, 1971, in Bangor. Born in Clinton, he received his M.Ed. degree from the University of Maine in 1961 and had also done graduate work at Cornell University and the University of New Hampshire. He was a vocational agricultural instructor, having taught at Island Falls, Wilton, Mars Hill, Old Town, and Newport. He was secretary of the executive board of the United Methodist Church. Survivors: wife, a daughter, Mrs. Paul McCann (Jean) '55 of Winthrop, a granddaughter, and a cousin.

1930 ROBERT ALEXANDER BANCROFT, 63, of Cornwall, Ontario, Canada, on September 11, 1971, in Kingston, Ontario. A native of Westbrook, he attended the University of Maine for three years. A paper industry executive, he began his career as S. D. Warren Company's first apprentice. After serving in the Army in World War II, he became associated with Hollingsworth and Whitney of Waterville, then with the E. B. Eddy Company, and later with the Hamilton Paper Company of Ottawa, Canada. He became superintendent of the Eastern Fine Paper and Pulp Division of the Standard Packaging Corporation in Brewer, and for the past three years was superintendent of the Domar Paper Mill, Cornwall, Ontario. Survivors: wife, two sisters, and a nephew. He was a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity.

1930 DAVID ELIAS RUDMAN, 61, of Bangor on October 4, 1971, in Bangor. Born in Waterville, he attended the University of Maine for one year and also attended New York University. During World War II he served in the U. S. Army with the rank of major. He had been president of Rudman Beverage Company and the Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company, but for the past 10 years was involved in real estate investments. Survivors: wife, a son, a daughter, two sisters, Mrs. Albert Tobias (Ruth) '27 of Margate, Fla., Mrs. Lillian Emple '28 of Bangor, and a brother, Samuel '28 of Brewer.

1933 FRANK LIDO PASQUALE, 62, of Milton, Mass., on September 14, 1971, in Milton. He was born in Italy. President and founder of the Park Construction Company, Boston, he built one of the largest construction firms in Massachusetts over the last three decades, erecting many schools, hospitals, college buildings, and office structures. He was vice president and a director of the Milton Bank and Trust Company. Survivors: wife, three daughters, eight grandchildren, and a sister. He was a member of Phi Kappa fraternity.

1934 KENNETH ELMER ALDRICH, 61, of Norway on October 9, 1971, in Norway. He was a native of West Paris. He was president of Snowcraft and Turfcraft Woodworking Company of Norway for many years and owned and raced harness horses. Survivors: wife, three daughters, a son, two sisters, two brothers, two grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. He was a member of Phi Mu Delta fraternity and was a Sophomore Owl and a Senior Skull.

1935 MAX ELVIN TURNER, 61, of Yarmouth on September 8, 1971, in Portland. Born in Augusta, he received a master's degree in horticulture from Massachusetts State College. He taught at Greeley

Institute in Cumberland and was employed by the United States Department of the Interior before joining the Army in 1943. He received the Bronze Star for meritorious achievement in battle. After his discharge he was employed for 11 years by the Carnation Milk Company and most recently by Cummings Brothers of Portland. Survivors: wife, a son, and a brother, Dr. Harland G. '39 of Norridgewock. He was a member of Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity.

1938 GORDON LIBBY CHUTE, 55, of Vienna, Va., on May 19, 1971, in Vienna. Born in Harrison, he received a master's degree in forestry from Harvard University. He served as a lieutenant commander in the Navy in World War II. He went to work in 1946 for the topographic division of the U. S. Geological Survey, and was assigned to the Arlington, Va., office in 1963. Survivors: wife, two daughters, two sons, mother, two brothers, Kenneth M. '36 of Arlington, Va., and Glenn E. '51 of Harrison. He was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity.

1940 EUGENE LAWRENCE McLAUGHLIN, 52, of Limestone on September 11, 1971, in Limestone. He was a native of Caswell. He owned and operated a potato farm in Limestone, and was director of the local branch of the Farmers Home Administration. Survivors: wife, two sons, a daughter, two grandchildren, four brothers, and four sisters. He was a member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity.

1944 CHARLES EDWARD KLOSS, 49, of Scarsdale, N. Y., on August 30, 1971, in New York, N. Y. Born in Sturgeon Falls, Ontario, Canada, he attended the University of Maine for two years. He was graduated from the U. S. Naval Academy in 1945 and was a Navy lieutenant in World War II and in the Korean conflict. He was a consultant with the Bank Building Corporation of America at the time of his death. He was a deacon of the Hitchcock Presbyterian Church. Survivors: wife, three daughters, mother, and a sister. He was a member of Sigma Chi fraternity.

1948 FLORENCE EVELYN MIXER, 65, of Livermore Falls on September 28, 1971, in Lewiston. Born in Auburn, she received her M.Ed. degree at the University of Maine in 1954. She taught elementary school in several Maine towns and English in the high school in Livermore Falls. She also established the high school library and was librarian there. For several years since her retirement she had been town librarian at Livermore Falls. Survivors: cousins.

1950 JOHN HENRY CONROY, of Largo, Fla., on September 3, 1971, in Largo. Born in Skowhegan, he attended the University of Maine for two years. He retired from the USAF in 1968 after 25 years of military service, which included three years with the U. S. Army during World War II. His awards include the Combat Infantryman's Badge, the Purple Heart, and the Congressional Medal of Honor with first oak leaf cluster. He was an honorary Chief Petty Officer in the U. S. Navy. Survivors: wife and six children. He was a charter member of Tau Kappa Epsilon and a member of Scabbard and Blade.

1952 ARTHUR FOWLE DOWNING, 41, of Bladensburg, Md., on September 12, 1971, in Washington, D. C. A native of Portland, he was a special assistant to the Small Business Administration. He had served in the Army during the Korean War. Survivors: parents, a son, a daughter, a brother, and several aunts. He was a member of Scabbard and Blade.

1952 GEORGE ARTHUR WATHEN, 43, of Augusta on September 30, 1971, in Togus. Born in Wade, he was graduated from the American University School of Law in 1955. He moved to Augusta in 1955, where he became an assistant state attorney general, in recent years practicing law with his brother. He was an Army veteran of World War II. Survivors: wife, his parents, three sons, a daughter, a brother, Daniel E. '61 of Augusta, a niece, and a nephew. He was a member of Phi Eta Kappa fraternity. Friends may contribute to the George Wathen Memorial Fund in care of the Bank of Maine, 244 Water Street, Augusta.

1958 JOHN EDWARD DONAHUE, 34, of Hempstead, N. Y., on April 16, 1970, in East Meadow, Long Island, N. Y. Born in Fort Fairfield, he attended the University of Maine for one year. He received his B.A. in German from Hofstra University in 1968, after working as an electronic technician. He became a teacher of German and fulfilled his lifelong dream, a visit to Germany, in 1968. Survivors: wife, parents, a sister, a brother, and several aunts, uncles, nephews, and nieces.

1967G CLARENCE THOMAS HODGKINS, 43, of Orrington on August 7, 1971, in Charles Town, W. Va., as the result of an automobile accident. Born in Lynn, Mass., he was graduated from the Bangor Theological Seminary and received a B.A. degree from the University of Connecticut. He received a M.Ed. degree from the University of Maine and did graduate work at the University of Oklahoma. He had held pastorates in Maine, Connecticut, and New York and had served as elementary school principal in Orrington and Waterford. At the time of his death he was employed by the Job Corps at Harper's Ferry, W. Va. Survivors: wife, a son, a daughter, a brother, three sisters, several aunts, uncles, nieces, and nephews.

1973 WILLIAM GREGORY ENGLAND, 20, of Cousins Island on September 15, 1971, in Yarmouth, of a self-inflicted gunshot wound. A native of Lowell, Mass., he had been president of the senior class at Yarmouth High School. Survivors: parents, a brother, and a sister. He was captain of the tennis team at UMO.

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DONALD DAVIS PAYNE, 46, of Delhi, N. Y., on August 10, 1971, in Mere Point. Born in Portland, he was a 1950 graduate of Bowdoin College and held a degree from the U. S. Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, N. Y., and a master's degree in public health from Yale University. He had taught at the University of Maine in Orono for 12 years, resigning in 1968. At the time of his death he was teaching at Delhi Agricultural and Technical College, State University of New York. Survivors: wife, two daughters, a son, mother, a brother, a sister, and several aunts, nieces, and nephews.

CHARLES FRANKLIN VIRTUE, 70, professor emeritus of philosophy, of Orono on November 9, 1971, in Bangor. A native of Iberia, Ohio, he received his B.A. degree at the University of Cincinnati in 1925 and his Ph.D. in philosophy at Yale University in 1933. He became a tutor at Robert College, Istanbul, Turkey, in 1925; a master of English at the Holderness School, Plymouth, N. H., in 1927; a reader in philosophy at Yale in 1932; an instructor in philosophy at the University of Idaho in 1935; and an assistant professor of philosophy at the University of Louisville, Ky., in 1938, where he became associate professor and head of the department of philosophy and psychology. He came to the University of Maine in 1946 as an associate professor, became a full professor in 1956, and was chairman of the department of philosophy from 1962 until his retirement in 1968. He was also a visiting lecturer at the Bangor Theological Seminary from 1957 to 1962. He was a member of the American Philosophical Association, the American Institute for Philosophical Studies, and the American Association of University Professors. Author of a textbook "Foreword to Philosophy," he was a contributor to book reviews in *Philosophical Review*, *Ethics*, and the *Sunday Louisville Courier-Journal*, and also to *The Maine Alumnus*. A prominent layman in the Episcopal Church, he had been a lay reader in the Diocese of Maine, senior warden and vestryman of St. James' Episcopal Church, Old Town, a member of the diocesan college commission for many years, and had contributed to the Episcopal Church publication "The Churchman." Survivors: wife, son, two brothers, one sister, and two grandchildren. Memorial contributions may be sent to the Dr. Charles F. Virtue Fund in care of The President, University of Maine at Orono.

CLASS NOTES

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'06 George H. Hill writes "I am 88 on November 11 next—am blessed with remarkable health and faculties. My wife, Mary Cresswell Hill, is well—We have two sons, George, a businessman in Clearwater, Fla., and Robert Goldthwaite Hill with Tinkin Roller Bearing Company, Canton, O." Mr. & Mrs. Hill had a daughter, Frances Cresswell Hill, deceased, who was the wife of the president of the Carpenter Steel Corporation. She travelled extensively all over the world. '06 classmates and other alumni will remember George H. Hill as the fine tenor singer in the University Glee Club, and as first violinist in the college orchestra. Mr. Hill has had a long professional career as an engineer.

The Alumni Office wishes to correct a mistake in the last issue, which they made copying my notes. My cousin now engaged in post-doctoral research at the University of California at Berkeley is not Dr. Robert Sawyer '30, but Dr. Roger Sawyer '65.

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'07 I took a vacation last issue. Had two weeks company from Penn. at my cottage and as they were going through Wellsville, N. Y., on their way home, I went with them and spent a week there. I saw all of my friends that I had not seen for about six years. I then flew to Northport, N. Y., on Long Island, and spent three days with Elwyn Brawn's daughter's family and then to Belfast via Bangor. Had a letter from Arthur Lord, Palos Park, Ill. He is in very good health. Says he gets his exercise by walking half a mile to the mail box. This is about the same as I get in a day. He lives alone in the house and gets his own meals.

A nice letter from Marion (Balentine) Reed, 135 S. Huntington Ave., Boston. She said she had two setbacks since coming to Boston but now was improving. She weighs 73 pounds now and when she graduated, 99. Her youngest daughter, who lives in Brookline, comes in to see her two or three times a week and a daughter-in-law once a week, so she has company. Ben Williams from Isleboro, called on me the latter part of September. He was over with his son who was taking a driver's examination. His son passed. They are staying there this winter and have put steam heat in the house. He said it worked fine. Also dug a well which gave them plenty of water at the present time. Ben seems to be in very good health.

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'08 The phone rang the other day and when I answered, the caller said "Is this Old Man Gannett?" I allowed it was and he asked, "Do you know who this is?" I replied, "It sounds like Earle Vickery." He said it was, that he

was visiting on Sunset Drive but would not have time to call on me. A letter from Earle in mid-July read in part, "It was in my heart to attend ALUMNI DAY but pride kept me from trying to walk about with a cane as I am not sure of my legs. It is a pleasure to walk about home but trips down town are by auto." Robert "Bob" Potter wrote, in late August, "Your news of '08 classmates in THE MAINE ALUMNUS is most eagerly awaited on each issue. As for myself, I am just hanging around, doing nothing of any consequence, with my numerous ailments (none of them fatal) that go with 86 years. I got my driver's license a short while ago, it's good for two years, when I will be 88. Guess then it's time to quit."

George P. Fogg, one of our four graduates from the Two-Year Course in Agriculture died on August 21. George was 83 and operated a farm and market garden for many years. I called on him frequently when in the Hulls Cove area.

A letter from Port Charlotte, Florida, brought up-to-date news of James "Jim" Farnsworth. After a two year period with the G. E. Co., in Lynn, Mass., he qualified as a Turbine Engineer. G. E., however, wanted him to teach in their apprentice school. He had charge of classroom work for two years and then went to Newtonville in charge of Mathematics in The Newton Vocational School. After two years he went to Boston in the Science Department of Mechanic Arts High School. Jim spent 35 years in the teaching field and retired in 1950. In 1919 he moved to Rockland, Mass., and had a seven acre farm where he brought up his three children. In 1935 he built a small cottage on Cape Cod where, as he writes, "we spent many happy week-ends." Jim was 86 on the 12th of August and is beginning to realize that he "is getting old" and finds that glasses and a hearing aid are a great help. He lost his wife in 1962 and remarried three years later in 1965. Phyllis comes from East Liverpool, Ohio, and brings five children to the Farnsworth clan, all married and living in Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. Jim's interesting letter deserves to be printed in full if space were available.

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'09 Have had two telephone talks with Walter Harvey recently. He is in excellent health and sounds as chipper and active as ever.

Vira Towle (Mrs. Elton) called to tell me that Elton had died October 11. He had been in the hospital three times this summer and finally his heart gave out and he passed on while asleep. This news will sadden everyone because Elton was a great favorite among us.

The Knights are about the house every day and get out occasionally for a walk or ride.

I am sorry not to have more and better news for you but if the class wants news, they must drop a note to their correspondent now and then.

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'11 A letter to about 40 of our classmates was recently sent and so far I have had 12 replies and talked with several others. These and others will be reported this time and in later notes.

George "Gap" Phillips says all is quiet in his place. We stopped to see him last spring and met his daughter and her husband who is an M.D. They live nearby in Groton. Mrs. Howard Bailey of Petersham, Mass., writes that Howard has been ill for some time, and she has to care for him as he does not get out very often. They have a nice home in this quiet town. Mr. and Mrs. A. B. "Rick" Richardson have had a very busy summer at Owls Head and entertained four of their families with all the grandchildren. Rick and Ann leave for New York in late October.

Charles Gerrish of Portsmouth, N. H., says that he is as well as could be at our age. He has six grandchildren and one small great-grandchild. Charley still pitches horseshoes and some ringers. Walter Johnson of Mill Valley, Calif., did not graduate from UMO but is listed as an alumnus. He says that he is fairly well and has two sons and four grandsons.

and two granddaughters *Ben Whitney* of Bangor still plays golf at age 87, so your secretary invited him to play at the new Bucksport golf course. After nine holes Ben was the winner by one stroke, so he is still the Champ of 1911, we assume I do not divulge my score.

We are sorry to report the passing of *Freeland Morrison* last April. For many years he lived in Manistee, Mich. He retired years ago as superintendent of the packaging company in that city. He was a Mason, president of the local Rotary and involved in other civic work. His widow, Anna, and daughter still live in Manistee. We remember *Freeland* in college as a fine and active classmate. A card of sympathy from our class was sent to Mrs. Anna Morrison.

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'12 *James Boyle*, the founder of the American Legion Boys State in Maine, was the speaker at a testimonial dinner in October in Bangor for the American Legion Boys and Girls States delegates hosted by the *James W. Williams Post and Auxiliary*. Still a great booster for the University, *Celia (Coffin) Thompson*, Los Angeles, Calif., is on her way to her 88th birthday. Wheelchair bound, in a convalescent home, but not bound by her room, she perambulates from mid-morn to bed-time. She finds "people watching" a congenial activity and hopes that others in the Class of 1912 are finding life as comfortable in 1971 as she does.

Ruth (Merrill) Dana, and her husband, Dr. Samuel T. Dana, dean emeritus of the University of Michigan's School of Natural Resources, moved to the Hermitage Retirement Home, Alexandria, Va., in May. Mrs. Dana has been a very active worker in Ann Arbor and received the Jane Adams Award given by the Huron Valley Chapter of the National Association of Social Workers for her many services in the area of social work. Active in the American Association of University Women, she was the prime mover in establishing continuing education courses for women in Ann Arbor.

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'14 No avalanche of mail yet from you "guys and dolls", but a healthy trickle. Keep it coming.

"Bid" Thomas was an overnight guest at the farm. We reminisced, and he introduced "aggie" me to a plinth. Look it up in Webster's I did.

From the desk of *Mark Pendleton*, my chapel seatmate of Isleboro, comes this letter: "Yes!—President Nixon spent the weekend on the Island but for some reason did not call on me. I retired to the Island in '59. I was Treasurer and Vice President of the Iowa Public Service Company at the time. My son is with an electrical manufacturing company in Chicago and my daughter is married to a professor at Grammercy School, Washington, Conn. Keep pretty busy with my garden, lawns, upkeep and general work around the property. Both Mrs. P. and myself are enjoying good health and recently celebrated our 50th anniversary here." Since receiving this letter, Mrs. Peaslee and I had the pleasure of a call on Mark and his wife at his ancestral, island home. They live as cozy as a "bug in a rug."

While making an office call on our editor, Betty Lewis, who should sail in but *L. Stuart Jones* and wife of Indian Rocks Beach, Fla. Hale and hearty at 80 years—he confessed to them—they were headed for the Virgin Islands but allowed the trade winds to waft them up the Stillwater. Another octogenarian, *Paul Murray*, has had a worthwhile life with G. E. Previous to using his electrical engineering knowledge, he coached football at Union College and beat his old coach, Tom Riley, at MAC. Retiring to Andover, Mass., in 1955, the Murrys have just celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. Paul writes, "Life has been very good to me and I am grateful."

From tall to short down we go to "*Tubby*" Leach of Bronxville, N. Y., and Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. He spent forty years with the New York Telephone Company in New York City. "*Tubby*" writes, "I painted my house this summer (2½ stories) but was a little slow on the 34-ft. ladder." Do you believe it? However, who of us can doubt a man who has two children, five grandchildren, and seven

great-grandchildren. "We are both in good health and enjoying retirement."

Business for 1914 is picking up. Where are our staff members? Next deadline December first.

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'15 Interesting letters have come this fall from *Larl Weeks* and *Bill Kneeland*. Earl writes that he is getting settled in his new home in Galveston, Texas, after his many years in Korea. Bill has made a wonderful recovery from open heart surgery performed in a New York hospital last November. For six weeks he was completely unaware of his surroundings. His wife, Lyn, and their daughter, Peggy, stood by Peggy's family came up from Providence to bring pleasure to her father and mother at Christmas (they live in Providence) and the following Sunday put Bill and his wife on the plane for Florida.

Both these classmates as well as I were saddened by the recent death of *Rosemary Brennan Doyle*. I had looked forward to contacting her on our trip in California in August.

Still looking for mail from many other '15ers.

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'17 A few of us '17ers met informally over coffee and doughnuts on Homecoming Day. Present were *Charles Crossland*, *Roy Higgins*, and *Dick McKown*, all with their wives, also *George Hanson*, *Edith (Ingraham) Glover* and I. Among other things, we talked about our 55th reunion coming up in June. The plan for a Friday evening dinner at the Ford Room, as we have done before, was accepted, but the idea of Sunday dinner on campus after the dorms have closed and nearly everyone has left, seemed a little unattractive. It was decided to explore the possibilities of places off campus but not too far away. You will hear the results later.

We hear that *Ed and Myrtle Dempsey* have been enjoying a tour of England and Scotland. *Joe and Hildegard McCusker* were in Maine for the late summer season, spending several weeks at Ogunquit. *Ruth (March) and Harlan ('22) Doloff* called on us during the summer. Having fallen in love with a Florida mobile home and bought it practically at sight, they now spend a long season there, September to about June first. *Noel Godfrey* has recently had an article, "Freemasonry and the Constitution" published in a Masonic periodical. *Edith Glover* had a sudden impulse and took a trip to California this summer. She will be leaving soon for St. Petersburg. She is bragging about a new great-grandchild. So are we, but I think Edith's was a few days ahead of ours. What about the rest of you?

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'18 The 50th wedding anniversary of *Earl Spaulding* and *Esther French Spaulding* (Colby) on June 18 and 20 was a rare occasion. On the 18th there was a picnic at the Lamoine Beach cottage of daughter Mary and her husband, *Herbert Dickey*. '44 Daughter Margaret and husband, *Dr. Walter Brooks* '47, were present, and son David and wife, and 11 grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren. Also Mrs. Lena (Page '20) Spaulding who was a guest 50 years before. On June 20 the elder Spauldings were hosts at Lakewood Inn to a party which included ten of the original wedding party. (They must have picked them for longevity.) The Spauldings lived in Princeton for 15 years, then moved to Bangor and later Hampden Highlands for forty years with what is now Dead River Company, until his retirement in 1959. They winter in Dunedin, Fla.

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'19 *Elliott Hall* writes from Vinalhaven: "On retirement from the Bell System on August 30, 1971, my wife and I came back to our old farm here. I started the Vinalhaven Historical Museum, probably because my ancestors settled here in 1749. The museum is large and well

set up. I enlisted in the Princess Pat Division of Canada for service in World War I, but my papers were lost and I landed in the draft as a 'mule skinner' in a machine gun outfit. I never got out of this country.

"I joined the Western Electric Company in Chicago in 1920 and transferred to its New York City branch in 1921. I spent five more years there while that extension became the Bell Telephone Laboratory. I was with The Western Electric Company until my retirement. "My older son, David, and his family of eight are in Anchorage, Alaska, where he has been very successful. Son Doug (*Douglas A. Hall*, 1959) is a professor of German at Maine (UMO). Two of our great-grandchildren from Alaska have been here this summer for a visit. We were up there to see them two years ago.

"My wife is very busy with her church music. She is a fine pianist and has many calls for her services.

"I have spent considerable time on town committees and writing books. During the past two years I have been working against oil pollution and for the fishermen as elected recording secretary. I am presently furnishing down to ground facts to the Federal Commission of recent data that is trying to solve fishermen's problems."

Howard Dole writes from St. Johns, Quebec, "My wife and I have been living here about a year but expect to be back in Massachusetts very late in the year. We have been traveling around the countryside and visiting many friends. We sold our house in Haverhill and are waiting for an apartment to be built. I am looking forward to no storm windows to put on, no lawn to mow, no pipes to put wrenches on and so on. Last winter we had 160 inches of snow here and instead of getting out with a snowblower I'd look and say, 'My, What a lot of snow!'"

Mark Lawler writes: "We are living in Weaverville, N. C., a small town nine miles north of Asheville. I do some woodcarving and write a few stories once in a while for my own amusement. Nobody buys them, but I am sure that is an indication of their bad judgment. We have two children. Peggy is teaching dancing at Cornell University. Bob graduated from Duke University with a degree in physics and is working for Univac.

"I started work with the Boston and Maine R.R. and then switched to the Corps of Engineers in 1923. I was layout man and senior inspector on the Ohio River Locks and dams until 1929. Then I went to Louisiana and was resident engineer on The Bonnet Carre Spillway and The Harvey Lock. From there I went to Florida and was in charge of structures on the control structures in the levee around the south side of Lake Okeechobee from 1933 to 1937. Then back to New Orleans where I held various positions ending as head of the Contract Administration Branch in the New Orleans District. Retired in 1955 on account of health and came here. Have been doing very well since. Most of my health problem was nerves."

During August I called on *Phil Burnham* at his home in Falmouth, and was glad to find him quite well in spite of that very serious automobile accident seven years previous. *Linwood W. "Duke" Wellington* and his wife celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Sept. 24. They live at 12 Franklin St. Caribou, 04736. "Duke" states that *Sam and Minnie Collins* are leaving soon for their regular winter sojourn in Venice, Florida.

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'20 *Jessie (Sturtevant) Stinneford* '17 wrote of the death of her brother, *Walter C. Sturtevant*, a graduate from the College of Agriculture, and a native of Milo. Walter died in Santa Monica, Calif., June 23 after 40 years of teaching in the Los Angeles school system. We are saddened to lose another member of 1920.

"Jackie" (*M. Eleanor Jackson*) gives us a new address. She is back at the Fairlawn Nursing Home, 265 Lowell St., Lexington, Mass. 02173. She is still doing very well but it seemed best if she had another stay at Fairlawn. She is happy there and eager for letters or visits. *Verne Beverley* is very faithful in sending news,—of a trip to Newfoundland on a ship the night of Hurricane Beth, a "rough" experience. Bev was recently appointed for a second year to the Senior Alumni Executive Committee.

The activities of *Henry Butler* indicate no mistake in choosing him for Class Treasurer. In case you are interested, here are some of them: Treasurer of the Orono Health Association, Deputy of Welfare of Civil Defense, Financial Secretary of Orono Methodist Church, Orono Boy Scout Troop Committee, Advisor to Orono Electronic Youth Center, Member U of M. Annual Alumni Fund Committee; on Board of Directors and Maintenance Committee of Orono Nursery School, and, of course, Treasurer of the Class of 1920.

The response to my requests for news is disappointing. Do write me about your family, your trips, vacations, and avocation. 1920 is interested.

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'21 A Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! Among your New Year's resolutions do include a promise to keep me informed. The "health" of this column depends on you! Not too great a responsibility!

Edward Mack, Dixon, Ill., to *Don Stewart*. "Thank you for my 50 year certificate which I was delighted to receive. I had hoped to attend reunion, but due to illness, I had to forego that pleasure. I am improved and send best wishes to my class." *Gordon Johnson*, President of Gordon Johnson Industries, Inc., Kansas City: "Had hoped to be on campus for 50th but business interfered. Have lived in Kansas City since '33—the time of depression, drought, dust storms and unbearable heat—now we find it very pleasant—everything air-conditioned. Established a business here which has taken me and my wife, Marjorie Jordan of Maine, around the world. Haven't been able to retire yet! I see a number of Maine people here, and at my camp in Blue Hill. This past summer I had the pleasant opportunity of meeting *President Winthrop Libby*. We are most fortunate in having him head our university."

Lucy Kilby to *Peg Blethen*. "Had a delightful trip to Portugal, Spain, and Morocco last December and January." *Eli Marcoux*: "Went to Texas in August for American Legion Convention. By the way, our 50th reunion picture was great! Hope to join the "gang" on campus in June!" *Buckie Crandall* to *Roger Castle*. "Sorry to have missed our 50th—fractured bones in my foot and pelvis so I had to stay on crutches for a while. Had looked forward to seeing you all, also attending an "M" Club meeting as a kind of reunion to basketball as I was the first manager of varsity basketball. My best regards to all you "boys and girls"—hope to see you all in '73 when *Virginia* (Colbath '23) has her 50th."

Just a few reunion notes: *George Ginsberg's* grandchildren presented him with a 50th reunion banner which was used for all '21 class activities.

George also received a huge bouquet marked "Happy Anniversary—Your 50th"

Arthur Chapman "blossomed" out in a sports jacket trimmed with three buttons on front, two on each sleeve, all with the Maine seal, and given to him by his grandchildren. On Saturday *Percy Crocker* appeared in a handsome maroon jacket with the M I T seal—showing he belonged to two great colleges. *George* who has been our faithful president for many years, has been appointed to The Executive Committee of the Senior Alumni Association.

Worth repeating. From Sept/Oct ALUMNUS, 1921 heads list of top five classes of A. A. F.—58% participation—83 gifts out of class of 142. Yes, we can be proud of this record! Won't 59 of you help raise our percentage? "Become one of the active givers and one of the insiders in education. A contribution of \$5 or more to the Alumni Fund guarantees you delivery of five issues of THE ALUMNUS in '71-'72" and raises our percentage.

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'22 *Martha D. Chase*, the Boston nutritionist and news gatherer for your class secretary, reports a complete recovery from her earlier illness. *Martha* spent some time in August at the family cottage at Sebec Lake with her sister *Margaret*.

Word has been received from *Lawrence W. and Muriel* (Goodrich) Davee of Tenaflly, N. J., that though he is retired, he is still working. He is president of the Century Projector Corporation and active in research and development, holding two new patents that were granted this year. He holds a life membership (Gold Card) in the New York State Projectionists Association IATSE. He is a member of the Tenaflly Fire Department. He has his Masonic 50-year pin from the Lodge Mechanics #66 of Orono. For family news, he has a new grand-daughter and a new great-granddaughter.

Although the autumn leaves are falling and the white season of the year is approaching, it is not too soon for thoughts and planning about our approaching fiftieth reunion. Will you make every effort to come? We all hope you will do so. fins

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'23 *Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Rozelle* were honored on their fiftieth wedding anniversary with an open house at their home in Bradford recently. *Gerald* has been active in lumbering in the Maine woods and has operated a large dairy farm. Technically retired in 1963, he is still active in farming and in logging. They have three children, all graduates of UMO. *Barbara '45*, of Glenburn, is a field worker with the Child Evan-

gelism Fellowship; *Virginia '45* is the wife of the Rev. Linwood Hanson, pastor of the Bryants Pond Baptist Church, and *Lloyd '51*, is a salesman for N. A. Burkett, Inc., of Portland. There are four grandchildren.

Virginia (Chase) Perkins has just had her latest book, a fourth novel, published by Vanguard Press. Entitled "ONE CROW, TWO CROW" and laid in Washington County, where *Virginia* taught school for a brief period, it is the story of a young couple who live on the blueberry barrens there.

As the new year rolls in please make a resolution to send in news for this column. Wishing all of you a joyous holiday and may 1972 bring health and happiness to each of you.

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("Bea" Johnson)

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'24 *Hazen* and *Kay Ayer* dropped in to see us this summer and it was most pleasant to visit with them. While *Hazen* has retired from most official business, he has accepted a new responsibility as a Board Member of the Boston Symphony Orchestra. I grew up in Boston and I know how honorable a calling this is. It means that *Hazen* has gained an enviable position among his peers and we congratulate him.

The Health Council of Maine recently presented *Dr. Howard L. Bowen* with an award in the form of an honorary life membership in that organization. Our compliments fly to you, *Howard*!

Bentley Hutchins is ill due to a cerebral hemorrhage and is in the Bedford Veteran's Administration Hospital, 200 Springs Road, Bedford, Mass., Nursing Home Care Unit, 4D. Code 01730. When I found this out I wrote him, in the name of the Class, to cheer him up and let him know he was not forgotten. Many of us have great affection for him. His wife answered with a lovely letter and if any of you wish to write to her the address is: 40 A Worthen Road #2, Lexington, Mass. 02173.

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'25 *Chet Baker* and your secretary had a brain-picking session at the Alumni Center at Homecoming—can you imagine what we said about all of you who have not sent us any class news? Although retired, *Chet* keeps busy as treasurer of the First Congregational Church in Waterville. He is also a member of the Board of Trustees of the Waterville area YMCA.

Your secretary has made four more cooking sequences for the program, "A Time To Live," for Maine Public Broadcasting Network, formerly ETV, on Channels 10, 12 and 13.

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Fred Soderberg, past president and now chairman of the board of the University of Maine Pulp and Paper Foundation, has established a "Hall of Appreciation" in recognition and appreciation of the interest and generosity of the donors of 23 named scholarship funds totaling nearly \$250,000. Fred is chairman of the foundation's gifts and bequests committee and the leader in establishing the foundation, which he has served for 21 years. A bronze tablet in the Lyle C. Jenness ('25 G.) Hall bears the name of 23 funds of \$10,000 or more each. Fred's name is there as the donor for the Elvah H. Soderberg Fund, in memory of his mother.

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'26 The Northeast Forest Fire Control Supervisors award for outstanding service was presented this year to *Richard B. Diehl* of New Hampshire. Mr. Diehl was recognized for his year of effectiveness in upgrading the Granite State's fire prevention and control record through training, communications improvements, and the use of excess federal property to strengthen town fire departments. Dick has been involved in forestry activities in New Hampshire since CCC days in 1933. In 1942 he became associated with the State Forest Fire Service and has been in charge of the program since 1953. He is now Chief of Forest Fire Service.

Austin Wilkins: More on forestry. In September a meeting was held in Bethel at which foresters from 20 states met to exchange ideas and viewpoints on forest industry and a better environment. Austin, as State Forest Commissioner, welcomed the delegates to Maine. By the time you read this, Austin and Evelyn, along with Leone and Albert Nutting will have returned from a trip to Hawaii where they attended a National Convention of Foresters.

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'27 A "happy" picture of *Al Nutting* in the News. Al retired in June, 1971, as director of Forest Resources at U. of M. but is still in Orono as director emeritus. He has been honored by having the new forestry building named "Albert D. Nutting Hall." Future plans include a move to the old family home at Otisfield. He and Leone (Dakin '26) also have a beautiful summer home at Winter Harbor on Frenchmen's Bay.



John Mahoney

John Mahoney, "Mr. Worcester Taxpayer for four decades," retired on September 30. The Worcester Taxpayers Association was all set to give him farewell ceremonies, but in a letter to members and friends, President of the Worcester Taxpayers Association, Inc., Charles L. Sanders said, "Consistent with his longtime record of doing rather than merely talking, of effective work behind the scenes in preference to the limelight, John sincerely doesn't want a fuss. We had plans, but we came to understand that he really and strongly prefers that there be no ceremonies whatsoever. So we concluded that one small way for the community to pay some interest on its huge debt to John would be to accede to his wishes." In John's own words, "I put an absolute veto on plans for a big civic dinner, etc. I just walked out of the office after 40 years Sept. 30." John has received many letters of appreciation, and the class of '27 congratulates him on a distinguished career.

From *Henry Scribner*, a welcome note contributed the following: Margaret and I acquired a new home here in Clearwater, Fla. (1571 So. Fredrica Ave.) in October 1969. I retired in November of that year after 41 years of service with the state of N. J. Bureau of Parks, in Forest and Park Operation and Land Acquisition. We have made Clearwater our permanent "year around" residence. We will be glad to have those of '27 stop in." *John Snell* is living in Augusta but has a second home at 126

Woodrose Way, Venice, Fla. He enjoyed a trip with the U. of M. European Tour in 1970. John has one son, John Jr., and three grandchildren.

Watch for your next Class Agent letter! You will be proud of the statistics on our class. Any of you who haven't been consistently contributing to the class fund are welcome to jump on the bandwagon and get ready for our June reunion. *George Dow* has certainly done outstanding service as Class Agent. He seems as busy in retirement as he was on campus. His new home is in Nobleboro, Lincoln County, near the coast, where he has 400 acres of forest land and plenty of room for gardening. He still finds time for endless alumni activities, continues contacts with agricultural groups, and does research of historical data for special lots of land in Lincoln County.

Elroy Gross is in private practice in Waldoboro as a Registered Land Surveyor and Real Estate Consultant. He has served as President of the Lincoln County Board of Realtors and is a Fellow Member of the American Congress of Surveying and Mapping. He reports two children, two grands and four greatgrands. We extend our sympathy to the wife and family of *Sidney Maxwell*, who died on June 4. The obituary is in the last *ALUMNUS*.

Now, how about some real Christmas giving? I'd love to have you send a newsy card my way.

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'29 News for our personals column of this issue of the *ALUMNUS* is very, very scarce. We know that many of our classmates have retired or are in the process of retiring from their chosen business or professions and we have learned that between painting and puttering, golfing and fishing, retired people are the busiest persons on earth. When the writer accepted the job of Class Secretary and Correspondent for the *Alumnus*, he promised to have an interesting and newsy column in every issue, but unless some of you '29ers "mend your broken letter-writing arms" and write me news concerning yourselves and others of our class, it's going to be hard for me to keep this promise.

Our Class President *Herbert Richard "Dick" FitzMorris* of Chatham, Mass., a retired U. S. Navy Commander, was elected in June as a member of the Chatham Planning Board. Our Class Treasurer *Roderic C. O'Connor* of Hallowell refuses to retire and is still very active traveling all over Maine as Manager of the Maine Industrial Building Authority. His wife, the former Helen Russ of Bangor, keeps busy working for the State Library. The O'Connors became very proud grandparents last January when their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Nothnagle of Cohasset, Mass., became the parents of a daughter. The O'Connors' son Brian, is married and resides in Chadd's Ford, Pa., where he is a Research Supervisor with DuPont. *James C. "Jim" Buzzell*, of Groveland, Mass., a past president of 1929, recently retired after being associated with the New England Power Association for over 40 years.

A letter from *George Rose* tells of the merger on August 30 of his company, Farmaster Products, Inc., Shenandoah, Iowa, with the Wickes Corporation of Saginaw, Mich. Under the new arrangement the Farmaster name and operations will continue intact. George says, "As for myself, on August 30 I stepped down from the presidency of this organization which I have held ever since the beginning, and our company executives are now taking over. I have agreed to remain for a year to help them get started and then intend to continue with my work as Secretary-Treasurer and Director of Publicity of All-America Rose Selections, Inc., which has been almost too much of a load for me when coupled with the management of this organization over the past years. I should be able to enjoy the work now as I will have time to do it."

Yours truly, your class Secretary and *Alumnus* columns' personals correspondent, is on Social Security and Medicare and is supposed to be "semi-retired", but with his activities as proprietor of the Brewer Service Bureau Clerical Services as writer of a column called "Memories", as editor of the Brewer Kiwanis Club's weekly bulletin and Secretary-Treasurer of the Penquis Division, N. E. District of Kiwanis, as well as being auditor and a member of the Administrative Board of the United Methodist Church of Brewer, manages to keep busy six plus days each week.

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'30 Not much news this month, but that is your fault. I hope you all had a wonderful time at Homecoming and will write me all about everyone you saw.

We are visiting with our daughter and family *Ernestine and Raymond Vermette '64* at their new home in Warminster, Pa. The highlight of this trip was a delightful evening spent with *Dutchie '32* and *Ted Palmer* at their home in Glenside. Ted is retired after 41 years with the Telephone Company. Their two daughters are both married and live in Plymouth, Mass., and Kansas City. Dutchie and Ted boast seven grandchildren. It was great to see them and get caught up on many of our old friends.

John Palmer has also retired and lives in Seneca Falls, N. Y. Our last address for him was Milan, Italy. *Frank Goodwin* since recuperating from a hernia operation has been moose hunting in Newfoundland.

Has anyone been anywhere? Changed your address? Retired? Or what have you? I can only write about the news you make. Please help.

I did stop in at the Village Shop in Camden while we were vacationing in Maine and talked with *Milford Payson*. He was returning to the Friends School in Philadelphia for one more year. Then he will join the rest of us retirees.

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'31 As most of you know, our long time secretary, *Ethel Thomas Sezak (Mrs. Sam)* retired in August, and we have conferred upon her the title of 1931 Class Secretary Emerita in recognition of her many faithful and long years in that capacity. Your new secretary is going to be as responsive as you make him. I am herewith appealing for a continuous flow of news items from '31ers everywhere. So buy a few post cards and let me know where you are and what you are doing. The alternative is reading about me and you'll soon get sick of that. So take heed!

Al Giffin (Capt. USCG Retired) has retired a second time. This time it's from a junior high school principalship in Fort Myers, Fla. His good and faithful wife, *Vi (Purington) '31*, is working on plans to keep him from under her feet. Plans include a continuous list of repairs and alterations to their homes in Florida and Maine.

William (Bill) Hamblet has also retired this year as Treasurer of the Hamblet Machine Company, Lawrence, Mass. Bill lives in Windham, N. H., where his properties will keep him busy.

Your scribe met up with *Laurence "Chipper" Groves* this summer after 40 years! Larry is Customs Inspector at Calais.

Remember the swimming pool we dreamed of when we were on campus? It's now a reality and *Parker Cushman*, our class president, was officer-in-charge of construction. He produced a beautiful facility. Come back for a swim.

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'33 *Bill Linskey* must dread the assignment that includes delivering mail on Deake Street! Not only does the dog give him trouble, but I dash out every trip to ask for news! My last sortie was successful! Bill had seen *Bill McBrady* this summer. Bill lives in Maryland. He has recently retired (from the Navy, we think). He has taken a position that necessitates his attendance at all the ball games in Washington, D.C.!

Congratulations to *Ed Giddings* and the Forestry Department at Orono! Ed is acting head of that department this year.

Joe Penley literally "chased me down" last week at Cumberland Fair! I had walked by him without speaking! Joe and Mrs. Penley live in West Paris. He and a brother operate Penley Bros. Clothes Pin Factory. Joe's daughter (Maine '65) and her family live next door to him. His avocation is the "pulling-ring" and you can find him at any country fair!

Grace (Ouarrington) Corey called to say that *Dot (Blair) Bohannon* was entertaining the families of *Merritt (Dunn) Anderson* (New Sweden) and

Eloise (Lull) Eaton (Ashville, N. C.). Merrita stopped to see Alys (Grua) Parsons at Middle Dam on the way down. There should be some news from this!

We extend sympathy to the family of Swen Hallgren. Their loss is shared by longtime friends

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'35 William S. Wood, Jr. was recently appointed Area Representative for Community Oil Company in Dover, N. H. He has been with the company for over 20 years and was formerly in Portland Through a telephone conversation with Phyllis (Johnson) Wadsworth I learned that she and her husband, Clarence '34, have lived in Wellesley, Mass., for 10 years. He is employed at the U. S. Army Natick Laboratory as Chief of the Process Division in food. They have three married daughters and six grandchildren. A son, 15, attends Wellesley High School

Note: To any '35ers living in the Boston area my telephone number is 785-1891 and I would love to hear from you.

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'36 Mildred (Brooks) Merrill is starting her tenth year as "special education" teacher at SAD 5 in Rockland, and is preparing guidelines for the State Department of Education to use in similar programs Re-elected to her second term as Regional Director of the National Association of Classroom Teachers, she went to Colorado this summer for policy sessions and also a planning meeting of the Grassroots Improvement, which is concerned with improving instruction, school financing, para-professionals in education, etc. She lost her husband, Carroll, last year. Their sons are Franklin, who taught math at Rockland District High School last year but is now a doctoral candidate at U. Conn. and Robert, who entered high school this year. Mildred finds time to relax, refinish furniture, hook rugs. Mary (Talbot) Bean and Jim '38 camped along the Maine coast this summer. Their daughter Daphne graduated from Mankato State College, in Minnesota, having majored in art, and is married to Robert Fletcher, also a graduate of Mankato, now teaching in Mound, Minn.

Dana Sidelinger has been appointed Portland In-Town Manager of the New England Telephone Company. During his 35-year career with the company he has served in Calais, and in Framingham, Wakefield, Waltham, Cambridge and Boston,

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in Massachusetts He and his wife, Eleanor (Black) of Portland, have three daughters, Ann, Diane, and Donna. Recently I had a cup of coffee with a neighbor, Ruth (Hinkley) McLaughlin, who teaches English at Old Town High School. Her husband, Ed, is with the University Security Department. Their son John is with General Telephone and Electronics, in Ventura, Cal., and Steve is near the end of a tour of duty with the Navy, presently at Norfolk, Va. Their daughter, Martha Naser, is living in Old Town with two-year-old Tracy, while her husband, Jim, spends his last year with the Seabees on a windswept post in the Aleutians

While you are addressing Christmas cards, how about one for me to share with our classmates?

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'37 Edwin Bates, who is director of the Maine Cooperative Extension Service, addressed the National Association of County Agricultural Agents at their 56th annual meeting at Ohio State University. His topic related to "New Directions for the Extension Service in the '70s." James A. Phillips, president of the Norway National Bank, has been elected president of the Maine Bankers Association. Dr. Alice Stewart, professor of history at UMO, was the speaker at a recent inter-city meeting of the Zonta Club. Her subject was "New Academic Approach Programs Between the United States and Canada." Besides her U. of M. degree, Alice has her master's and Ph.D. degrees from Radcliffe College.

Best Christmas greetings to you all, and remember, during those snowy January evenings when you're thinking of next year's vacation, hold out some time in June for our class reunion. Can it be 35th? Gosh!

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'40 Sorry I missed the last column, but Art and I were traveling again. We visited Korea and Japan, and then I went on to the States while Art visited South Vietnam, Laos, Khmer Republic, and Thailand. We had an unexpected surprise at Seoul where we were met at the airport by an AID official who just happened to be Fran Jones '38. His wife Evelyn (Nickerson) was graduated from Bangor High in my class. We had a great reunion.

I flew from Tokyo straight through to New York by way of Anchorage, made a perfect connection with the good old Yellowbird, and was in Bangor exactly twenty hours later. I can truthfully say that to me there is no place in the world as beautiful as Maine. I spent a short month in the States; ten days with mother in Maine, several days with my brother Charles Jellison '45 in New Hampshire. Charlie, who attended UMO one year, is a professor at the University of New Hampshire, and he and his family had just returned from South Africa where he spent a year as guest lecturer at several universities with a Fulbright grant. My next stop was with daughter Sue and family in Marlboro, Mass. My grandsons Mike, 5, and David, 1½, are the most beautiful children in the world. Then on to Washington where son Dick and his wife, Barbara, came down from Pittsburgh for a weekend, and we visited with my youngest son Steve and his new wife, Linda. It was great to see all my family and many friends but difficult to leave.

While in Bangor I had a visit with Barbara (Welch) Wilson and Mal. Barb and I have been friends since childhood so we never "run down." Their older son, Randy, is married now and their younger son is in high school. Their daughter Sue was with them, and she is a beautiful teenager. The Wilsons live in Waterville. I had a long letter from Rachel (Kent) Clark who was in Washington State when I was home. Two of the Clarks' daughters live in Washington. Nancy and Bill had a baby boy last December, and Betsey and Jim were expecting their first child. So Rachel and Ken were hoping to see two grandchildren for the first time. Their youngest daughter, Marty, is a freshman at UMO.

I stopped by to visit Dr. Hauck in Camden. Unfortunately, Mrs. Hauck was ill, but I was able to visit her briefly in the nursing home. She was

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We are off again next week to Burma, Nepal, Afghanistan, Pakistan, India, Ceylon, and Thailand. It is time to say "Happy Holidays" to you all, and please write!

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Larry and Ginny (Jewett) Muzroll were also tied up with school. Larry received a grant for eight weeks study at Ball State University in Indiana. Ginny decided to audit a Library Science course. She works part time in the library at Loomis School and I'm sure is as active as ever in many

This is the last *Alumnus* before Christmas, so I'll be looking for many cards with your news this month!

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Gleanings from class biographies *Martha Pierce Zimmerman* Rumford, R I, lists the Garden Club, R I Historical Society, and the Providence Preservation Society among her activities. Spare time things are flying with husband, Myron, at the controls of their plane, and recent trips to the Virgin Islands, Barbados, Italy, and Switzerland. *Jack Weidmer*, Glenwood Landing, N Y, is construction supervisor for the Jamaica Savings Bank. Trailer campy with wife, Doris, and David, 11, and Lyn Ann, 9, is a favored activity. *Joan Chapman Zink*, Arlington, Va., is regent of the DAR chapter and V P of the Virginia Colonial Dames. Her twin sister, *Mildred Berger* lives in Bridgeport, and people still have trouble telling them apart. English teacher at Deering High School, Portland, is *Maria (Phillips) Hurley*. Northwestern University claims *Carl P. Duncan* as professor of psychology. *Beth (Stone) Gray* has a son at UMO and has been town clerk of Troy for twenty years. More biogs to be continued in the next issue!

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The Penobscot Bay Medical Center has set up a memorial trust honoring the late *Dr Niles L Perkins* who drowned in a boating accident several months ago. His widow will be honorary chairman of the memorial trust fund which will be dedicated to the *Dr Niles L Perkins Memorial Medical Library* in the center and for continuing medical education programs. *Dr Stanley F Gilman*, Manager of Environmental Control Planning, American Air Filter Company, Inc., Louisville, Ky., was re-

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cently installed as President of the American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers, Inc., during the society's 1971 Annual Meeting, in Washington, D. C. Dr. Gilman has published a number of papers on air distribution, cooling loads, heat pumps and operating costs. He holds two U. S. patents, and is listed in Who's Who in the East and American Men of Science. WRITE! WRITE! WRITE! !!!

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'45 Mrs Evelyn (Look) Dowling, 45 Pippins Drive West Glastonbury, Conn., has begun a new career. She is the new librarian at a new East Hampton Junior High, with responsibility for purchasing all the books and setting up the library. For the past three years she has been working on her degree in library science, and is nearly finished. *Vince* is the Superintendent of Operations, Central Division of Hartford Electric, with responsibility for Hartford area and surrounding towns. Their children are Gary, in high school, Phil, awaiting draft decision with number 25, Marilyn, who attended Colby, and Steve, a junior at Worcester Polytechnic Institute. Evelyn and I compared notes on our interest in "Down-east", as we met her cousin this summer at Beals where the Taylors have purchased land. She is from Machias.

Soon I will send out a form with return address envelope, stamped, to each member of the class of 1945 living in Connecticut, in order to catch up on our news after a quarter of a century or more of postgraduate living. Expect to hear from me, and expect to respond.

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'46 *Gloria B Lombard*, 4 Pryor Rd, Natick, Mass., is teaching grade five in Wellesley, Mass. She spent the summer in Guilford *Robert '49 and Mary (Spangler) Eddy* of 130 Chesnut St., Camden, enjoyed the coast of Maine by sailing on Penobscot Bay in their 30' sloop. Robert is a physician in internal medicine practicing in Rockland. There are five Eddy children: Jonathan, 21, a U S Marine, Christine, 19, a freshman at Bradford Junior College, Robby, 18, a junior in Camden high school, Tommy, 15, eighth grade in Camden junior high school, and William, 13, in the sixth grade. In the winter the Eddys do lots of skiing. *Rev and Mrs Charles F Hess* of 48 Westerly Terrace, East Hartford, Conn., have bought two summer camps on Androscooggin Lake. Charles is chief inhalator therapist at New Britain Memorial Hospital in New Britain Conn.

Frances Moore of 50 County St., Beverly, Mass., was married in July to Milton Stowman of Beverly. The bride has been employed at the Johns-Manville

Company in New York City as a pricing analyst. Mr. Bowman is in business in Beverly. The Bowmans are living in Georgetown, Mass.

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'48 Murray J. Gore, Augusta, was named staff assistant to the president of Central Maine Power Company in September. He has been with the company since 1963 and has also been active in YMCA, Community Chest, Council for Retarded Children and the South Parish Church. Murray and Priscilla (Lancaster) have four children, Rebecca, 17, Jennifer, 9, Richard, 7, and Shawn, 5. Ralph Bean, also with Central Maine Power (since 1948), became assistant chief engineer last July. Ralph is a member of the Hallowell Planning Board and former chairman of School Administrative District No. 16. He and Mary Grace (Tibbets) are both active at Old South Church and have three children. David is a high school freshman, Paul, a freshman at UMO, and Carolyn is a junior there and spent last summer on a tour of Europe.

Marit (Anderson) and Bill (Dr. William) Wilson have returned to Maine to live. He is now associated with Eastern Maine Medical Center in Bangor and they are restoring a home in Hampden—plus spending every possible moment at their summer place in Perry. Susan is a senior at UMO. Bill is planning to work at a rehabilitation hospital in New Hampshire before returning to Duke next year, and Scott is a freshman at Bowdoin. Margaret (Watson) and Al Savignano also have a daughter, Nancy, who is a senior at Maine. She did her practice teaching last spring in Rome, Italy! Phillip is in 9th grade in Auburn, where they live, and where Al is principal of Edward Little High School.

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'50 Greetings! Folks, we're not hearing from enough of you; set a goal for yourself, write me this month—before Christmas. Start the New Year off right. News Flash: In August Mrs. Frances Proctor Cotta of Augusta and Colby A. Davis tied the marital knot. Frances is the owner of Zodiac Hair Fashions and is also a Realtor Colby is the postmaster at Canton. The very best to you from the entire class. Carl Fenderson is one of four men named as Outstanding Educators in America for 1971. The award is an annual presentation to persons distinguishing themselves in service to and as leaders in the field of education. Congratulations, Carl!

Carl J. Peterson, Holden, Mass., is New England Sales and Service Engineer for Morden Machine Company of Portland, Oregon. Richard B. Whalen has joined the consultant engineering firm of Thomas K. Dyer, Inc., in Lexington. Dick and Arlene (White) both of Pittsfield, live in Danvers, Mass. Dick is a member of several groups associated with communications and railroads. From Frostburg State College, Maryland, we hear that Gordon E. Kershaw, Watertown, Mass., is appointed assistant professor in the history department. Gordon has an M.A. in history from Boston University, 1954, and a second M.A. from the University of Pennsylvania, 1964; he expects to receive his Ph.D. 'this summer' (Did you get it Gordon? Write me.)

News of your secretary: After 40 years of working by the clock for military and civil service, industry, and schools, I am now scheduling my own time as an independent salesman. I find the hours are long, but I couldn't have a finer boss. Since my schedule is now flexible—put on the coffee pot, I may drop in anytime—send me your current address.

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'51 Remember our five year nursing classmates? They had their own mini reunion this summer at the home of George and Dorothy (Curtis) Vose, Northeast Harbor. Mrs. David Chadwell (Mary Rose Carrillo) drove up from Miami Heights, Fla., with her four daughters—Marie, Laura, Ellen, and Joan. Mary Rose is taking a refresher course and returning to nursing this fall. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Higgins (Barbara Ather) of Veazie were there with their children—Arnold,

Albert, David and Debbie. Barb is teaching at E. M. M. C. School of Nursing Up from Wellesley, Mass., were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Higgins (Millicent Gupta) and children—Debby and Tommy (missing was Diane, a freshman at UMO). Penny took time off this summer before finishing up for her master's degree this winter. Lastly, Mr. and Mrs. Everad Fish (Winifred Keith) and son, Jeff, made the 'long haul' over from Southwest Harbor! Winni is school nurse at Mount Desert High School, while Jeff defends its good name on the football squad. By the way, George and Dottie have four daughters—Kathy, Mary, Margaret, Rachel, and a son, Tom. Seems to me, on looking this over, there should be no female nursing shortage!

Coming back to the State of Maine, in the Augusta area is Mark Needham, his wife, and three children. Mark has been named planning associate for the state's Comprehensive Health Planning Agency. He has most recently been project director, University of Delaware, under contract to the Delaware Department of Health and Social Services to develop a comprehensive state health plan. Congratulations to Donald Chesebrough who has been promoted to Army Lieutenant Colonel at Ft. Devens, Mass. He is presently post chemical officer. Out on the speaking circuit is Floyd V. Barker, Extension Environmental Specialist of the University of New Hampshire and also editor of "Managing Our Resource Environment." What more pertinent subject for Floyd to use at his various appointments than "Who's Managing Your Environment?"

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'52 Lloyd F. McGlinchey writes that he plans to return to Maine and would welcome leads to employment from classmates in the state. Lloyd presently is general manager for IDI Metals in Sebring, Ohio, nationwide foils distributor for Reynolds Aluminum. Lloyd expects to be in Maine during the Christmas holiday season and again in the spring. Classmates with any employment suggestions can reach him at 480 Somerset Dr., Chagrin Falls, Ohio 44022. During a vacation in Maine this past summer Harry Henderson sent an informative note in which he reported his recent promotion to section chief in the Division of Initial Claims (Disability), Social Security Administration. Harry and his wife, the former Fay Irish '54, live in Glen Elg, Md., with their three active sons, Eric, 14, Peter, 11, and Stephen, 7.

C. Owen Pollard of Readfield, director of the Maine Bureau of Rehabilitation, has been elected chairman of the Maine Chapter, Arthritis Foundation. Robert W. Medeiros has written a textbook for college freshmen not intending to major in science. The book is entitled "Chemistry—An Interdisciplinary Approach." Dr. Medeiros is professor of chemistry at West Chester (Pa.) State College. The American Institute of Chemists has announced the election of Maung S. Htoo of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., as a fellow. Dr. Htoo is a department manager in the components division of IBM Corp., East Fishkill Facility, in Hopewell Junction, N. Y.

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'53 The class of '53 apparently isn't making headlines nowadays: there was only one clipping from the alumni office accompanying the deadline for copy for the next issue. The least one of you could do is rob a bank or something so I'll have something to write about next time!

At any rate, Richard Hefner of Bridgton, DID make the pages of several Bay State papers in August for having been hired to teach Spanish in a Cheshire, Mass., high school. He has his master's from Georgetown University.

And from Vermont, Marie (Oakman) Lord sent the following postcard greeting: "Took time off from my Girl Scout work to fly to Las Vegas in March. Spent an evening with Joyce (Dobson) Cook. She has three lovely daughters. Had a grand time talking over the 'old days' and having New England pumpkin pie out there in the desert. In April we took our camper to Florida and up through the Smokies. Sure is nice having Avis and Larry Wright in Burlington. Hope you like Arizona."

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We do, we do, Marie, and thanks for your note. We also are campers and combined pleasure with business this summer by camping our way to and from Spirit Lake, Iowa, where Ed was on the staff of a two-week training program for the state's community college administrators. Our route took us through the breathtaking scenery of the Rockies in Colorado, where we threw snowballs and made a snowman in mid-July. Then, up through Nebraska and into South Dakota, where we marveled at the Black Hills, Mt. Rushmore, and buffalo grazing freely in Custer State Park. Then, the Badlands and the famous Corn Palace in Mitchell. On the way home we saw more of Iowa and Nebraska, then Kansas, and the panhandles of Oklahoma and Texas and, finally, New Mexico (with a stop at the White Sands National Monument), and on home. It was a fantastic trip and, being gypsies at heart, we're ready to start out again when time, money and circumstances permit.

In the meantime, if any of you find your wanderlust directing you west, come via Tucson—or at least send an occasional letter or postcard this way.

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'54 Norma Jean (Smaha) Truman's address is Rt. 4, Box 211, Driftwood Lane, Scarborough 04074. Norma writes that she retired from her interesting job with American Tel and Tel to marry Ted. They spend four months of every Maine winter in Ft. Lauderdale, the best of two climates! Thanks for writing, Norma.

We can be very proud of Alden Nickerson. An agricultural economics major, Alden is employed by the USDA's Foreign Agricultural Service and last June a Certificate of Merit was presented to him. This is one of the highest awards given by the Foreign Agricultural Service, "for high quality performance above that ordinarily found in his position as Supervisory Agricultural Economist in the Trade Operations Division." Congrats, Alden!

Sidney Butler, who received his M.S. in physics and the Ph.D. in ceramic technology from Penn. State U., is now an associate professor of metallurgy and materials science at Lehigh University and is director of the advanced materials laboratory of the Materials Research Center at Lehigh. Andrew Rines is Acting Superintendent of Schools in Stonington, Conn. After teaching and coaching at Wilton Academy in Maine, Andy joined the Stonington, Conn., school system. He has received his M.A. and a Certificate of Advanced Graduate Study from U. Conn. Congratulations to Harry Whitney. He has received a distinguished service award this fall at the National Association of County Agricultural Agents' annual meeting in Columbus, Ohio. Harry was cited for his pioneering work in establishing woods safety programs here in Maine. Since receiving his master's degree from Cornell U., he has been with the U. of M. Extension Service, where he was an early innovator in low income housing education, and was Maine's first Extension professional to become involved in a resource conservation development project.



Sidney Butler



Danny Folsom

Danny Folsom who majored in agricultural Economics is now Sales Manager for pulp and paper chemicals with Merck Chemical Division of the Merck & Company, Inc., Rahway, N. J. *Al Leo* has been promoted by Johnson & Johnson to Eastern regional manager in their Patient Care Division. He lives at 11 Granville Way, Basking Ridge, N. J. with his wife and two sons *Col Lucien Garneau* was selected for the U. S. Army Command and General Staff College Commandant's List upon graduation in June at Ft Leavenworth, Kan. Garneau was in the top 20% of the class. He holds the Air Medal and two awards of the Bronze Star Medal. He is scheduled for assignment at Ft Eustis, Va. *Mrs David Dexter (Peggy Raymond)* has been named woman's news correspondent for the Maine Sunday Telegram in the Bangor area. Peg and Dave reside with their children Daniel, 14, and Victoria, 8, at 33 Capri St., Brewer.

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'55 Times change—but Christmas today is the same as always. It is not to be found in shops nor in gifts, but in the heart and in the giving of ourselves, which is the best gift of all

Merry Christmas
Happy New Year

MRS. EBEN THOMAS
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'56 Isn't it wonderful, gang? Before the Thanksgiving turkey bones are souped, it's Christmas time. Ski Me! Visit Me! Home Me! for the holidays. However you say it—Maine's a great place to be! *Mrs Kendall H (Joan Johnson) Bassett*, Longview, Washington, is a high school counselor, English teacher, Mom to Carrie, 11, Connie, 9, Muffy, 5, and working on a master's degree. *Franklyn Kelley Ellingwood*, a production engineer for Eastman Kodak Company and the *Mrs* have produced Lynn, 10, and Ross, 4½. *Gordon and Sue (Bogert) Allard* paid this winter a surprise visit which included Richard, 13, Kathleen, 11, and Margaret, 9. Sue's a social worker, counselling parents of handicapped children, while Gordon is with Waukesha Foundry Company, Inc., and director of the Menomonee Falls, Wis 53051, School Board. Hats are hung at W144 N8328 MacArthur Drive.

Ed and Chris (Harris) Farnam are at Windover, Farar Lane East, Horsley, Surrey, England. *Mr and Mrs Norman (Doris Provencher) Fauzher*, 11 Herring Avenue, Biddeford 04005, are proud of Mark, 13, Diane, 12, Sue, 11, and Billy, 6. *The Joseph (Kathleen Black) Moores*, 211 Puritan Road, Roselyn Farms, Carnegie, Pa 15106, have Tom, 4,

and Dan and Pat, 2. *Lt Col Lester C and Jane (Sweet '57) Fogg, Jr* sound the bugle for John, 12, and David, 9, at 1619 Wooten Rd., Colorado Springs, Colo 80915. *Mr and Mrs Irving V McNaughton*, independent civil engineer, surveyor, and pulper, snow-machines with Vance, 13, Ralph, 11, Bruce, 10, Clark, 8, and Brett, 1. Class Secretary *Mrs Jessie Sargent Boivin*, P. O. Box 294, Hampden 04444, is Librarian at Brewer High and Treasurer of Little League for Mark, 12, and cheerleader Anne, 11. *Doc and Betty (Brockway) Nevers*, 49 Institute Road, Worcester, Mass 01609, have Danene, 13, Margaret, 9, and Donald, 7. Doc's underwriting at State Mutual Life Assurance Company Nevers want all Mainers and Mainiacs (only the latter leave the state!) to say hello. *Mrs Prescott (Barbara Willey) Keyes*, 21 Wildwood St. Winchester, Mass, keeps all systems on standby for John, 9, Betsy, 7, and Anne, 3, while Pres does his electronics for GTE Information Systems in nearby Bedford.

Mrs Paul (Carolyn Harkins) Cronin '57, 27 Champlain Avenue, Lewiston 04240, teaches at Montello Junior, Lewiston, and, at home, Patti Anne, 10, and John, 8. Paul is in the Brewery business and active in all county affairs. *Mr and Mrs John (Laura Krueger) Schwartz*, 42 Riveredge Rd., New Shrewsbury, N. J., have active John, Jr., and Bruce, 13, David, 11, and Jane, 9. Dad is production superintendent, BFC Division, Essex Chemical Corporation, Sayerville. *Hans A Vanleer*, Outlook Ave Cheshire, Mass, is back in the states after spending 15 years building farms in poultry and industry across Europe. He is now General Manager with Arbor Acres Farm, Williamstown, Mass., and receives credit for James, 11, Lynn, 9, Hans Eric, 7, and Lee, 3.

Dr Murray A Leavitt of Beverly is now on the staff of the J. B. Thomas Hospital, Peabody, Mass. *David B Trask* went to Krasnodar, Siberia, U. S. S. R., in September at the invitation of the United Nations to address the Symposium on Forest Operations in Mountainous Regions. (And this lad got a ticket in the Allagash!?) *Lloyd and Sue Jewett* have a new son in their family. *Lois Ham* is a kindergarten teacher in the Bangor system. *Henry N '53 and Elizabeth (Kononen) Berry*, Cape Elizabeth, sit the law for Spike, 13, Wendy, 11, Bethany, 8, and Melissa, 5, at home, while Dad uses his attorney's arm for the town council.

Ann (Kevo) Lounsbury, Bennoch Rd., Orono, watches over non-truants—Mike, 10, Jack, 9, and Tim, 8, while hubby Merle teaches at Bangor High.

Carolyn (Bull) Dahlgren keeps books for hubby Leland's construction firm and one eye on Christopher, 11, Matthew, 10, and Laura, 9, at Princes Point Rd., Yarmouth 04096. *Donald and Grace (Richards) Addison*, 5 Ward St., Augusta 04331, are buying holiday surprises for Don Jr., 12, Elizabeth, 10, and Richard, 5. *Dr Maxwell (Corey) McCormack* is forestry professor at the University of Vermont. *Robert and Dorothy Leslie* have sprouts—Holly, 20, Richard, 18, and Beth, 12. Dad's a forest engineer, Armstrong Division, Texas Gulf Sulphur Company.

The Fred B (Alma Merrill '55) Ottos live at 169 Main St., Orono, as Fred's an assistant professor of electrical engineering, UMO, and adding to the school population with Janet, 13, Nancy, 10, Robert, 7, and Kathryn, 4. *Dr Foster Shibles* is now assistant superintendent of schools for North Middlesex Regional Schools. *Anita Ramsdell*, Memorial Drive, Winthrop 04364, is the new girls physical education instructor at the local high school. (She works with the ole' Maine Guide Thomas!)

Folks, all the space I'm allowed for now. If you don't see your names here and I know about you, you'll be in the news soon. Happy holidays!

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'58 *George H Newhouse* has been elected to the Supervisory Board of the Maine Bank George, who owns and operates the Newhouse Poultry Company in Pittsfield, served on the board of selectmen for six years—two as chairman, and is a trustee of Maine Central Institute. George makes his home in Pittsfield with his wife and their five children. *Rev Quentin L Peacock*, formerly assistant minister of the First Congregational Church in Pittsfield, Mass., is the new

senior minister at the First Congregational Church in Westfield, Mass. Ordained in 1958 in Hampden, he served churches in Hampden, and Cincinnati, Ohio, before coming to Pittsfield. *William Helm, Jr.*, of Monmouth, has joined the sales-service staff of the H. K. Webster Company of Lawrence, Mass. He will serve poultry feed customers from their new mill in Augusta. Bill has previously been with the Maine Department of Agriculture supervising the Maine Poultry Test.

Starting September 20 *Philip G Richards* became city manager of Lebanon, N. H. Phil, who has been a public administration specialist with the Maine Municipal Association for the past three years, previously served as city manager of Gardiner and town manager of Mount Desert. *Milt Friend* writes that he, wife Jackie, and children, Lisa, 3, and Scott, 1, are now at 7603 Saulsbury St., Arvada, Colo 80002. Milt, who holds his M.S. in Wildlife Management from the University of Massachusetts and his Ph.D. in Veterinary Science from the University of Wisconsin, is a Research Biologist for the Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife at the Denver Wildlife Research Center. The marriage on September 11 of *Leo J Morawski* and Tuyet Thao Dang Thi has been announced by her mother. The Morawskis will be in Washington, D. C.

The Edward Smiths (*Doris White*) of Massapequa Park, Long Island, are announcing the birth of their fourth child and second daughter, Allison Clair, on October 1. Attending the Confederation Interallied des officiers de Reserve (CIOR) Congress in Hanover, Germany, August 1-7 were Mr. and Mrs. Leo M. Lazo. That's right, due to fortunate circumstances yours truly and hubby were able to spend a little over three weeks in Europe this summer. In addition to the Congress to which my husband was a delegate, we spent a week in Ireland. We were also able to tour Berlin, the Rhine River, Zurich, and Lucerne. From Lucerne we took a tour which included lunch at Piz Gloria—the location of the latest James Bond movie, "On Her Majesty's Secret Service," and a cable car ride in a thunderstorm. Needless to say, it was a great trip.

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'59 It was great to receive a letter from Bermuda from *Dick Collins* recently. Dick writes that he, wife *Anne (Adams) '61*, and daughters, Jen, 7, and Pam, 5, have been living overseas for five years, 18 months in Beirut, Lebanon, and the remainder in Bermuda. Dick is with American International Reinsurance Company. Their address is P. O. Box 152, Hamilton, Bermuda. *Bearrice (Reynolds) Rucker* writes of a recent change of address to 1655 Flatbush Ave. Apt. B209, Brooklyn, N. Y. 11210. Bea is assistant professor of speech at Brooklyn College, Department of Speech and Theater. She is using her maiden name at the college so suggests that anyone contacting her there address her so.

Ronald Millier, vice president of Depositors Trust Company, has been transferred to Augusta, where he will have charge of all Augusta offices. He, wife *Priscilla (Bickford) '58*, and two children live in Winthrop. *Ronald McGarry* has been appointed counsel at Aetna Life and Casualty, Hartford, Conn. He lives at 238 Park St. Manchester, Conn 06040. *Torrey Sylvester* is chairman of the Hampden Charter Commission.

Ed Briggs and the work he does as a professional naturalist at the Flanders Nature Center, Woodbury, Conn., was the subject of a six-page feature article in the Sunday Pictorial section of the New Haven (Conn.) Register recently. *James Blatchford* has recently been named an assistant vice president of the Middlesex Bank's commercial loan division. He resides in Lynn, Mass., with his wife and three children.

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'60 *Bill and Joan (Philbrook) Miller* have bought a new home and are now living at 17 Gray Terrace in Bedford, Mass. They also have a new addition to their family, little Pamela Dale and *Martha (Zoidis) Delano* are now living in Schenectady, N. Y., where Dale works for General Electric. They have three children,

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Lori, 8, Stephen, 5½, and a new little one born in June, Christopher Mark Richard and Joanne (Keith) Sullivan are living at 185 Boles Rd., Marshfield, Mass. Their family has grown to include Stephen, 8, Scott, 7, Peter, 3½ and Nancy, 2.

Mike and Cleta Stockwell are back in Maine where Mike has established his practice. Their new address is 473 E Bridge St., Westbrook. James A. Jortberg of Rockland has been named headmaster of Thornton Academy. Walter G. Phillips has been appointed principal of Riverside Junior High School in Springfield, Vermont. Paul Devine has resigned as Town Manager of Orono in order to attend the University of Maine Law School in Portland. He hopes eventually to go into the field of municipal law.

Last but not least, Roger Ellis, a member of the elite Vice President's Protective Division of the U. S. Secret Service, is one of a corps of men who are responsible for the protection of Vice President Spiro Agnew. "Roger, you must have your hands full!"

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'61 Two of our alums who were listed as not having an address are back on the roster: Fred and Barbara (Long) Hutchinson are now living at 10637 Weymouth Rd., Bethesda, Md. 20014. William and Nancy (Kennedy) Hostler have moved to 641 Vassar Rd., Strafford, Wayne, Pa. They have a second son, Robert Charles, born September 19, 1971. Kent and Mary Ann (Melanson) Batcheller, 152 Tamarack Rd., Westwood, Mass., have a second daughter, Alyson Jean, born June 13, 1971. A p. s. on Jim and Anne (Westcott) Dodd—they are living at Mere Point Rd., R. F. D. #1, Brunswick. Anne is teaching English at Wiscasset High School, and is chairman of that department. Charles A. Akers received his master's in education from the University of Alaska, College, Alaska, in May.

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'62 Bobbie (Potter) Celemin and family of Syracuse, N. Y., spent a week with us in late August at our camp. It was great to see them, since the last time was at our high school reunion in 1968. Enroute to Maine, they stopped for a couple of days in Attleboro, Mass., to visit Jan (Stone) Wardwell and family. Bobbie's children, Tessa, six, and Chuckie, four, got their first chance at salt water fishing, digging clams and searching for starfish. We had hoped to visit Liz (Ames) Moran and family in Camden, but missed them by a couple of weeks when they went back to Fairfax, Va., after five weeks in Maine. Also had a long telephone chat this summer with old roommate Paula (Woodard) Philbrick, who had been in Bingham since late spring and John's discharge from the military. This fall, they expected to move to Rangeley. A surprise October visit was from Carleen (Towle) Coffin of Portage Lake, whom I really haven't seen in years. While the kids were

out of school for the potato harvest, Carleen and four children headed for Southern Maine to visit her sister in North Windham. Carleen and Terry only recently purchased a furnished camp on Portage Lake and had moved in for a restful fall, when fire destroyed the camp.

In late September, Al and I covered a Kennebec River cruise of the Benedict Arnold buffs, and of all surprises, but to see Dick and Vicki (Waite) Mainville. They are back in Cape Elizabeth with their three children after a year at Michigan State where Dick worked on his Ph.D. He has returned to teaching at UMP and Vicki is free lancing for the Press Herald.

A newsy letter from Ann (Walker) Holt tells of their move to 97 Grandview Lane, Smithtown, L. I., N. Y. Dave, finished with course work for his Ph.D., is director of evaluation for federally financed projects in four school districts on Long Island, the first job of its kind in New York State. Dave and Ann took a business-pleasure trip to New Orleans in May, and then in June, Ann went to the Pi Beta Phi national convention in San Antonio, representing the Albany Alumnae Club of which she was president! They were in Maine for short visits in Island Falls and Augusta at the end of the summer. Alice (McKiel) Hyerstay writes of the good time she and Dale are having in Winsooki, Vt., where Dale is director of financial aid at the university. They expected an October delivery on a 22-foot sailboat and were looking forward to taking in the winds of Lake Champlain. Alice has seen Liz (England) Fisher, who has since gone to Massachusetts where Bill is at Harvard Graduate School, and talked to Ann (Sleight) Harrison who lives in White River Junction.

A classmate we haven't heard from in years is Tom Acherson, but a KJ newsclip tells of his activities in Alabama. Tom was president of Courtesy Lincoln-Mercury in Birmingham, the largest L-M dealership in Alabama. In April he announced he had signed a partnership agreement with Green Bay Packer quarterback Bart Starr. The agency is now known as Bart Starr Lincoln-Mercury. After UMO, Tom received an MBA from Harvard Graduate School of Business. Don Harnum is the new head basketball coach at Delaware. The Harnums have moved to 601 Webb Road, Newark, Del. and announce the arrival of their fourth child, Amy, on August 12. Larry Cole has joined the staff of Burpee, Griffin and Perkins Insurance Agency in Manchester, N. H. Jeff Ackor is the new assistant executive director of the Penobscot Bay Medical Center, Rockport, after serving as administrator of the ambulatory care center of PBMC. Jeff and Susie (Oakes) live in Bowdoinham with their three sons and one daughter, and Jeff serves on the board of selectmen.

BIRTHS: Peter, second son, of Richard and Cally (Wile) Williams of Harrisburg, Pa.

Happy holidays—would love to hear from all of you in the Christmas mail!

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'63 Have been a "civilian" since 31 August. Can't complain as that monthly retirement check has made it possible to be selective in securing new employment. My new address will indicate immediately that I have really grown to love Southern California and its fantastic weather and opportunities. Wouldn't care if I ever saw snow again!

David E. Reed has received his Ph.D. in microbiology at Colorado State University. Dave is an assistant professor of veterinary science at South Dakota State University. Dave and wife Patricia (Packard) have two children, Alan B. Flaschner was awarded a Ph.D. in business administration from the University of North Carolina. Alan resides at 220 Ray L. Rhodes Dr., Athens, Ga. 30601, and is an assistant professor of marketing at the Uni-

versity of Georgia. Robert W. Rowe, wife Del Anne, and their three daughters are residing at Hampden Academy. Bob is serving as the new principal, a post he assumed in late summer. He was both a teacher and principal in Harmony before being named to his present position. Terry Nelson, an assistant actuary with Paul Revere Life Insurance in Worcester, Mass., was named a fellow of the Society of Actuaries. Terry has been with the company since graduation and resides in Westboro, Mass. Scott Robinson was one of 24 selected field executives named to participate in the Annual General Agents' Management Seminar in Montpelier, Vt., this past summer. Scott is the Portland general agent for National Life Insurance of Vermont.

MARRIAGES: Gary Bayer to Ann Shea on September 11 in Kennebunkport. The Bayers are residing in Palo Alto, Calif., where Gary is assistant dean of the Stanford University Law School. Ralph A. Jennings III to Susan H. Pietala on July 2 in Casper, Wyo. The newlyweds are living at 1465 Holly Dr., Gering, Neb., where Ralph is a project engineer for Lockwood Corporation.

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'66 What a beautiful time of year this is! Hope you are all enjoying a happy and active fall season. Here's "what's new."

William J. Birdsall was named assistant professor of chemistry at Albright College in Reading, Pa. In June he received his Ph.D. in chemistry from Penn. State University where he held a Distinguished Teaching Fellowship and worked as a teaching and research assistant. Thomas Cyr is now a physical education instructor and basketball coach at UMBangor. He received his master's degree in education this summer. Frederick Turley of Richford, Vt., was appointed director-general of Champlain Regional College, Montreal, Canada. Dr. Henry Goodstein was appointed director of the Educational Research and Development Center for Teaching Handicapped Children at the University of Indiana at Bloomington. He will also be a visiting associate professor in the Department of Special Education. John Gray has joined the high school faculty in Ledyard, Conn., as an English teacher. Vern Arey, a June graduate of UMP Law School, has been working since September as law clerk for one of the justices of the Maine Supreme Judicial Court and reports that the new job is going well. Vern, his wife, Janet Anderson '67, and their year-old son, Jonathan, are residing in North Yarmouth.

Also in the North Yarmouth area is Pam (House) Rollins. She, her husband, Frank, and daughter, Kristen, 3, live on Deer Run Road. Saw Steve Gordon not long ago. He is with the Portland water Department now, and is living in Yarmouth. He and his wife, Sally, have a 4-month-old son, Chad. Becky Waterman is in the Boston area, employed as an accountant for Dunkin' Donuts of Randolph, Mass. Joel '67 and Elaine (Frost) Marquis are now living at 634 Knollwood Rd., Woonsocket, R. I. Joel is with U. S. Plywood and Elaine is kept busy with Andrea, 4, and David, 2½. Nelson Madore, who is now a social science teacher at Thomas College in Waterville, has been chosen an Outstanding Educator of America for 1971. That's great, Nelson! Dale and Trish (Zich) Worthen who have been in Hawaii for the past two years are now in Seacane, Pa. Dale is doing grad work at the University of Pennsylvania. They have a one-year-old daughter, Lisa Casey Carol (Full) Stewart and husband, Dick, are now situated in Germany. Their address is Heidelberg American High School, Mark Twain Village, APO New York 09403. I discovered that Carol is not going to be teaching this year—she's taking the year off to enjoy Europe. Lucky girl! 'Babysitting' for the Stewarts' apart-



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ment is *Shirley Wilson*, a high school math teacher in Ridgefield, Conn. *Pat Powell* and his wife, Marie, stopped to see us recently. For the past three years Pat has taught sixth grade in Camden, but now the Powells have been bitten by the travel bug and are taking off across country in their camper *Nancy (Page) Fellini*, living in Schenectady, N. Y., writes that she loves staying home with her daughter, Nichole—doesn't miss work a bit! *Bob Brewer* is the Varsity basketball coach at Chevrus High School in Portland. He and his wife, Marie, have two children *Tom and Mary (Doe) Smaha* and daughter, Jennifer, 2, are living in Cape Elizabeth. Tom is the manager-owner of the Legion Square Market in South Portland. *Charlie Wasgatt*, his wife, Barbara, and their sons, Wesley, 6, and Matthew, 2½, are living in Chelmsford, Mass. Charlie is with the Insurance Corporation of North America.

Frank Hobbs and his wife, Bonnie, have a new daughter, Leanne. They are now living in South Portland where Frank is a partner in the Hobbs Funeral Home. Another new arrival—*Walter Abbott* and his wife, Andrea, recently welcomed a son, Derek.

Some wedding news. *Dave Bergquist* married Christine Thorson of Auburn, Mass. The Bergquists are living in Lincoln, Nebraska, where Dave will attend the University of Nebraska to begin work on his doctorate in education. Dolores Bill of Springfield, Mass., married *Gary Roderick*, who is employed as a marketing research supervisor for Stanley Home Products. The Rodericks will live in West Springfield, Mass. Hope to hear from many of you soon!

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'67 Here are some interesting gleanings for our news. *William T. Berry* has been named senior analyst in the group data processing department at Aetna Life and Casualty. Bill lives at 69 Fairway Dr., Wethersfield, Conn. *Army Captain Bruce B. Cary* has completed a helicopter course at the U. S. Army Primary Helicopter School, Ft. Wolters, Tex. He will undergo advanced flight training at the U. S. Army aviation school, Ft. Rucker, Ala. *The Rev. George R. Castillo*, minister of the East View United Church of Christ, Shaker Heights, Ohio, was a guest speaker at the First Parish Church of York. *Gary Fitzgerald* is teaching English and social studies in Kearsarge Regional District, Sutton, N. H. *James Gaylor* is teaching social studies at Winthrop High School plus being the coach for track. *Mildred E. Kelley* is teaching in the science department at Pentucket Regional Junior High in West Newbury, Mass. *Art Nicholson* has been promoted to the position of Assistant Principal of Methuen High School, Methuen, Mass. Art has been a member of the High School's English Department for three years. *Robert A. Poulsen* has been Assistant Dir-

ector of Sports Information at Eastern Michigan University and has been named Director of Sports Information at Tufts University. *Mrs. Ruth Stackpole* is teaching mathematics at the Manchester Elementary School.

MARRIAGES *Suzanne Burke* to David Sidney Norton. The couple will reside at 11 Park St. Boothbay Harbor. Mr. Norton is self employed at Boothbay, and Sue is teaching in Woolwich. *Grace E. Carey* to Douglas Cole. *Lorraine D. Edwards* to Denzil C. Drewry. *C. W. Luce, Jr.* to Patsy Denis. The couple will reside in Machias. *Barton Roberts* to Florence Lambert. Both are teachers in the Springfield, Mass., school system. *Glenn M. Rosignol* to David Bessette. *Barbara V. Ryland* to John E. Chapin '68. Both are teachers in the South Portland School System. *Edward J. Sovetsky* to Cynthia M. Chick. Mr. Sovetsky is a nuclear engineer employed at Kittery Naval Shipyard. *Johnna A. Sproul* to J. Alan Porter. The couple will reside in Florida. *John Steadman* to *Eleanor Gibson* '71. The couple will reside in Glenburn. *Elizabeth Warren* to James E. Hayden. Betty teaches in Kittery and Jim is an engineer for the Seatrain Lines and a Lieutenant in the Naval Reserves.

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'69 As you can see, Ralph and I are still here in Rockland. The Pennsylvania plans did not work out. We will be living in Camden for the academic year while Ralph is employed by the Pine Point School for mentally retarded children.

MARRIAGES *Beverly Bennett* to Robert Steele (Williams College). Bob has been an officer in the USN and is presently employed by the Connecticut General Life Insurance Company. Beverly is in her third year of teaching grade three at Wilbraham, Mass. They will reside at 189 Ellsworth Ave., Springfield, Mass. 01118. *William Reynolds* to Pamela Gagnon. Bill is a U. S. customs inspector at Estcourt Station where they reside. *Richard Holmes* to Katherine LeConte. They will reside in Bermuda where Richard is stationed in the Navy. *Sharon Bragdon* to James Bean (UMA). Sharon teaches 3rd grade at Dover-Foxcroft. Jim is employed by the Federal Print Shop in Augusta. They reside at 10 Main St., Newport. *Sherry Hodgkins* to J. Chadwick Oliver. He is a landscape architect. The couple lives in Cambridge, Mass. *Jeanette Small* to Philip Tardif. They both teach at Bucksport High School and live at Bucks Mills. *Donna Sharrio* to Frederick Hammond. They live in Old Town while Frederick attends UMO. *Gerald Parmenter* to Judith King. He is a sanitary engineer for the U. S. Forest Service. They will reside on East Andrews St., Fresno, Calif. *Sn/4 David Buker USA* to Nancy Hackett (UMP). He is stationed at Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas. *Karen Thurston* to John Sitarz (Wesleyan); both are third year law students at UMP and reside at 1 North Elm St., Yarmouth. *Constance Hardy* to John Gordon (Hesser Business College). They reside in the Whittier Garden Apartments, Merrimac, Mass., where Connie is a third grade teacher and John is a bank officer at the Ipswich Savings Bank. *Dianne McKenney* to *Stephen Morin* '70. They reside at 292 Atlantic Ave., Wells Beach, while Dianne teaches kindergarten in North Berwick and Steve works on his master's degree in B.A. *Candace Hilton* to Nelson Smith (Gorham). *William Hahn* to *Darvie Shaw* '71. The couple resides on Gerrish Island at Kittery Point where Bill is employed at the Kittery Naval Shipyard.

BIRTHS *Kimberly* to *Paul* '70 and *Joan (Allen) Cuetara*. Eric to *Cpl. Edward* and *Marv Ann Cyr*. Ed has been assigned to the 532nd Military Police Co. in charge of training and educational development for the inmates. He has been on Riot Duty for weekends.

NEWS *Marv Jane Rinfret* has been named as Maine's selection to Outstanding Young Women of America for 1971. She is an English teacher at the Skowhegan Area High School. *Joseph ("Jody") Pietroski* is the Chairman of the Governor's Youth Task Force. He is presently teaching at Winthrop High School and will reside at the Squire Hill Trailer Park with his family. *Ruth Drake* entered Edinburgh University, Scotland in September for work on a master's degree in philosophy and religion. This past year she has been employed at Dyer's Valley Nursery, Newcastle. *Donald Moody* has been

promoted to sergeant at Loring AFB where he is a medical laboratory specialist. *Edward Ainsworth* has been named as the new town manager of Lisbon. He has a master's degree in public administration from the University of Rhode Island. *Steve Gurin* is teaching biology and the sciences at Richmond High School. He is a graduate of the Russian Graduate School at Middlebury College, Vt. He has been teaching Russian, German, and photography at Bangor High. *Murray Shulman* will teach English at Richmond High School. *Arthur and Vernita (Morse) Wutham* are among the owners of a two-month-old organic food store located at 21 Central St., Bangor. *Arthur* is an electrical engineer for Eaton Tarbell. *Jo-Anne George* and *Elaine Cohen* spent a month in Europe last summer visiting London, Paris, Rome, Assisi, Florence, Zurich, and Amsterdam. *Jo-Anne* is now teaching in the Bangor school system, *Elaine* is with the Massachusetts system. *Jeffrey Higgins* has been promoted to sergeant in the USAF and is presently on duty at Fort Bragg, N. C. He is in a unit of the Air Weather Service. *David St. Cyr* was recently promoted to Army captain at Ft. Bragg, N. C. He is assigned as an air operations and training officer. *Scott Edwards* received the M.S. degree in business administration from Pennsylvania State University. *John Treworgy* will be teaching grade five at Woodstock, Vt. He spent last year teaching in Brooksville. *Sp/5 Virgil Norton* has returned to Chu Lai, Vietnam, for a tour of duty with the 26th Engineer Battalion of the 23rd Infantry Division. *Richard and Diane (Richardson) Turner* will be moving to 126 Springfield St., Wilbraham, Mass. 01095. *Richard* received an M.S. in zoology from UMO in August. He will spend three months active duty in the USA and then will go for a doctoral degree. *Michael Caligiuri* has been hired to teach health, physical education, and science, and to coach football at West Rutland High School, Vt. He taught biology and science at Mount St. Joseph Academy last year. *Sp. 4 Robert Grieve* is stationed at Fort Richardson, Anchorage, Alaska. *Steve Stern* has been in California since April working on the Army's L. A. Harbor Project. *Jim '70 and Pat (Kusnierczyk) Kier* will be living in the Madison, Wisconsin, area while Jim goes to graduate school. *William and Andrea (Haves) Lott* are living at 2020 Vanderbilt Lane, Apt. 10, Redondo Beach, Calif. 90278. *Wilson Ames, Jr.* is in Germany in the USA. *Lt. Robert Eaton* is, as he puts it, "puttering around the friendly skies of S. E. Asia." His wife, Val, is living at 2023 Essex St., Bangor. Bob's overseas address is 004505535 BTRP 7/1 ACS, APO SF 96359. *Donald Hichens* received his master's degree in B.A. from the University of Colorado.

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'70 **MARRIAGES** *Susan Pongonis* to *Ken Gordon* '71. They are living in Pittsfield, where Ken is an engineering technician. Sue is a dietary supervisor at Eastern Maine Medical Center in Bangor. *Theresa Kadı* to *Csaba Farkas* '71. Sue is employed by the Department of Health and Welfare as a systems analyst. *Anne Johnson* to John Murphy, Jr. They are living in Gloucester, Mass. *Lynne Chute* to Thomas McGinty. Lynn is a French teacher at Kennebunk High School, and Tom attends UMP. They live at 14 Fessenden Street, Portland. *James Martin* to *Eulalia Daigle*. Jim is working on a master's degree in civil engineering and is a graduate assistant at UMO. *Ralph Jacques* to *Charlotte Bouchard*. Ralph is teaching at Biddeford High School. *Stan Brett* to *Madeline Chapman*. They are living in Norway. *Jay Sparrow* to *Lynn McMann Jay*, a member of the U. S. Coast Guard Reserve, is employed by the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company. *Kathy Collins* to *Lt. John Wiesendanger* '67. Kathy teaches at Caribou High School. *Paul Gaboury* to *Patricia Ferland*. Paul is employed as a mechanical engineer at Ebasco Services, Inc. They live in Brattleboro, Vt. *Lucy Moulin* to *Jon Guay*. Jon is a methods training specialist for the Maine Employment Security Commission, and Lucy teaches at Edward Little High School. *Linda Jackson* to *Wayne Fisher*. Linda is a graduate student at Western Michigan University, and her husband is an instructor at Purdue. *James Geaghan* to *América Angelica Ramirez* of La Calera, Chile. Jim is a Peace Corps volunteer, working on research projects in marine biology. They will be at home at 307 Broadway, Bangor, in January. *Roberta*

Hess to Frederick Goodrich. Bobbie graduated from Dietetic Internship of the Massachusetts General Hospital and is employed by M. W. Wood, Inc., Allentown, Pennsylvania. Fred is employed by the First Valley Bank of Bethlehem. Marie Allen to William Paisley. Marie has been a teacher at Rockland District High School, and Bill is employed at the Portsmouth Naval Shipyard. They make their home at 47 Williams Avenue, Kittery. William Lufkin to Delia Flagg. Bill teaches grade six in Union. Carol Flewelling to David Faatz. David is a programmer and a systems analyst in the Maine Model State Project. Carol teaches at Edward Little High School. Richard Hautala to Bonnie Black '73. Dick is a graduate student and teaching assistant at UMO. They live in Old Town. Fred Dambrie to Loralane Garon. Fred is a pilot trainee for the Maine Air National Guard. Dale Lumsden to Alice Delano '71. Dale is in his second year of graduate school at the University of Maryland. Steve Morin to Dianne McKenney '69. Dianne is a kindergarten teacher in North Berwick, while Steve is a candidate for his master's degree in business administration. They are living at 292 Atlantic Avenue, Wells Beach.

BEAR TRACKS: Tim Hackett is teaching social studies at Brewer High School. Dottie Le Vasseur is at Bangor High in the English Department. Linda Lewis is a third grade teacher at Abraham Lincoln School in Bangor. Jolene and Joseph '69 Roop are living in Gardiner. Jolene teaches grade one at Readfield. Teaching French at the Memorial School in Manchester, Mass., is Paul (Michaud) Pyburn. Last summer Peggy Sawyer was the stage director at Andy's Summer Playhouse, "a theater for and by children" in Mason, N. H. As an elementary school teacher, Peggy also set up a course in creative dramatics, the first of its kind in her system. Barbara Winters is teaching biology at Murdock Junior-Senior High School in Winchendon, Mass. Having taught one year at Fort Riley, Kansas, Connie (Casson) Kalloch is now with the Middle School in Ashland. Connie is in the math department. Gerald Pepin is the principal and a teacher of grade six at Dresden Elementary School. Last year Gerald was an English teacher at Woolwich. Linda Washburn is on a teaching fellowship at Oregon State University, where she is working toward her master's degree.

Martin Schulze has completed active duty in the Army Reserves. He is now an orderly at the Central Maine General Hospital in Lewiston. Dave Ellingson is employed at the Puget Sound Naval Shipyard in Bremerton, Washington. PFC David Sanders has been assigned to the 45th Military Intelligence Company in Vietnam. Tom Nugent has been activated in the U. S. Naval Reserves.

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'71 MARRIAGES Alan Carreiro to Kathleen Bertelsen '74. Alan is teaching fifth grade English in Rehoboth, Mass., while Kathy is working toward a degree in social welfare and child development. Andy Straz to Linda Dore. Andy is employed as a structural engineer with the Augusta Iron Works. Norman Cote '72 to Sharon Jarvis. They are living in Orono. Armand Sleeper to Cathy Bansmer. Armand is studying at Northern Maine Vocational Technical Institute at Presque Isle, and Cathy is teaching at Masardis Elementary School. Raymond Ritchie to Judith Meyer. Ray is employed by Crosby-Laughlin Steel Works of Portland. Judy, who attended Augusta General School of Certified Laboratory Assistants, is employed at the Maine Medical Center. Hugh Rathbun to Laura Patterson. Hugh and Laura are living in Enfield, Nova Scotia, as Hugh is teaching at Hants East High School, Milford, Nova Scotia. David Siegel to Ellen Bader (University of Vermont). Ellen will be doing graduate work in speech pathology while Dave is doing graduate work in the department of mass communications at the University of Illinois. They are residing at 214 E. Gregory St., Linden Bldg., Champaign, Ill. Dave Ferris to Susan Witham. Dave is employed by Fairchild Semi-Conductor, South Portland. Susan graduated from the University of Maine School of Nursing in Portland. Robert Puffer to Rose Longo. Rose is a '70 graduate of Merrimack College, North Andover. The Puffers

are living at 18 Cheever Rd., Malden, Mass. Peter Jordan (University of Vermont) to Clair Flussi. Rollin Thurlow II (Maine Maritime Academy) to Andrea Olsen. Lt. Billy Boulter '70 to Lisa Webber. The Boulters are living in Pepperell, Mass. Bill is a communications officer in the U. S. Army at Fort Devens, Mass. Kenneth Kimball '69 to Sharon Joseph. George Fowler to Elaine Sinclair. The Fowlers are living in Old Forge, N. Y., where George is assistant editor of "The Northern Logger", a forestry magazine. Jacques Bouchard to Carol Bridges. The Bouchards are living in Bangor as Jacques attends Husson College. Hazen Danforth to Leslie Boyd. The Danforths are residing at 86 State St., Brewer. Dennis Kiah '70 to Betty Lawrence. Dennis is teaching mathematics and coaching at Foxcroft Academy. Betty is teaching first grade at Monson. Joseph Schwarzmans to Judith Russell. The Schwarzmans are living at 120 Cleveland St., Bangor, as Joe is doing graduate work at Orono. Dennis Maddi to Deborah Michaud. The Maddis are living on Ohio Street, Bangor. Dennis is attending Husson College and Debbie is teaching in Carmel. George Pillsbury, Jr. '70 to Margaret Rowe. George is employed at the Maine Yankee Atomic Power Company plant in Wiscasset. Dale Lumsden '70 to Alice Delano. The Lumsdens are living in College Park, Md., as Dale is attending graduate school at the University of Maryland. William Donroe II to Brenda Verceles. Bill is in Officer Candidate School at Pensacola. Harold Booth to Ruth Kaetzel. Rich Holmes '69 to Katie LeConte. The Holmeses are living in Bermuda where Rich is stationed in the Navy. Maylen Kenney '72 to Judy Packard. Judy is teaching at the Gouldville School and Maylen is finishing up her last semester at UMO. John Steadman '67 to Eleanor Gibson. The Steadmans are living in Glenburn. John is employed by the Lane Construction Company at Hampden. Larry Willey to Lorna Rand. Dennis Hogan to Connie Craig. David Pieczarka to Joan Ireland. The Pieczarkas are living at 28-G Hasbrouck Apt., Cornell University, Ithaca, New York 14850. Mike McPherson to Carol Clark. The McPhersons are residing in Corbett Hall (Houseparents). Bob Turner to Lynne Murphy. Bob (Bowdoin) is attending the University of Vermont Medical School. Gary Moorman to Frances Sulva. They are living in Milton, Vt., and both of them are doing graduate work at the University of Vermont. Gardner Edgerton, Jr., (Colby) to Nancy Tishler. James Cleveland to Pamela Randlett. The Cleverlands are living in Nashville, Tenn., and Jim is doing graduate work at Vanderbilt University. Richard Little to Ellen Cronin. They are living in Ithaca, N. Y., where Richard is doing graduate work at Cornell. Michael Tate to Ann Webster '70. Mike is teaching at the junior high school and is basketball coach at South Portland. Vaughn Douglas to Joyce Libby. They are living in Blacksburg, Va., where Vaughn is enrolled at Virginia Polytechnic Institute for graduate work. John McMichael to Carol Roy (UMPG). They reside in Oregon, where John is studying for his Ph.D. at Oregon State University. Glenn Robbins to Belinda Carter. Glenn is attending the U. of M. at Gorham and Belinda is teaching English at Yarmouth Junior High School. They reside in Yarmouth. Darrell Elsemore, Jr., to Jean Perry (U. M. Machias). Darrell is town manager of Waldoboro. They are living on Depot St. Sandy Leonard '69 to Cheri Hobbs. They are living at 73 Monk St., Apt. 6, Stoughton, Mass. Sandy works as a computer programmer for John Hancock Insurance Company, Boston. Cheri is working for a local doctor. Richard Norton to Linda Kirkpatrick. They are living at 140 Washington St., Brewer. Linda is employed at Mt. View Junior High School, Thorndike. Craig Randall '72 to Margaret McLellan. They are living on Beech Street in Orono. John Toothaker to Roberta Hanna. They are living in Ohio, where John is studying at Ohio College of Podiatric Medicine. David Hyer to Celeste Betts. They are living on Spurwink Road, Scarborough. William Nickerson to Cindy Currier. The couple is residing in Bucksport, where Bill is an elementary school teacher. Robert Dumaïs '72 to Peggy Dumaïs. David Schumacher (Colby) to Judith Fellows. Vincent Bousaint (Maine Maritime Academy) to Kathy George. Vinnie is employed as an engineer for the Mobil Oil Corporation. Kathy is a teacher in the Winslow School System. Walter Hersey '70 to Constance Ouellette. Connie is a service representative of New England Telephone and Telegraph at Portland. Walter is an accountant with Peat, Marwick, Mitchell CPA firm, Portland. Daniel Plasse to Karen White '70. They are

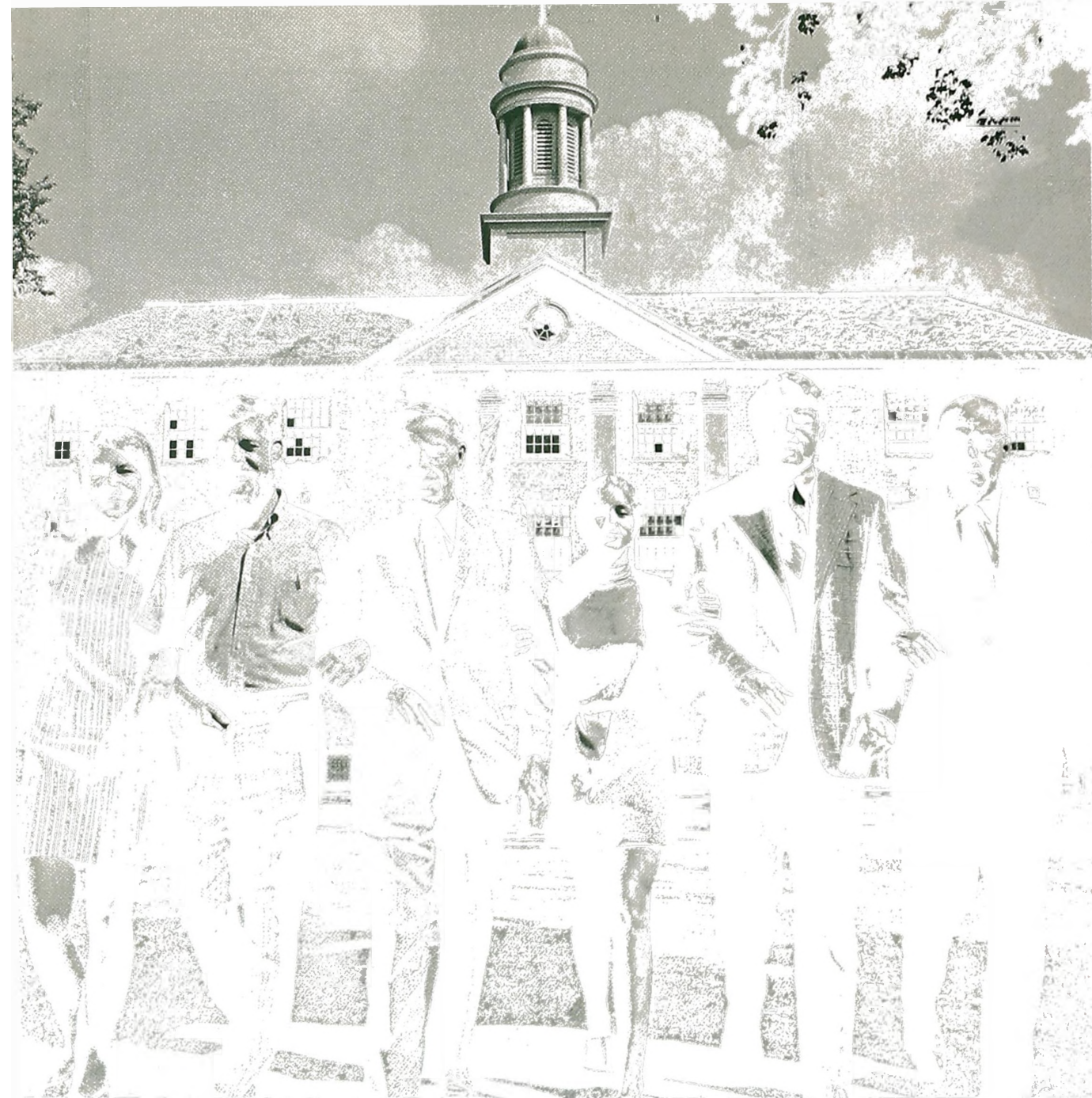
living in Veazie. Frank Williams to Carol Gray. They are living in Portland. Carol is attending Westbrook College and is employed by Dr. Joseph G. Sclar, Portland. Donald Roffey '70 to Ellen McAbery. They are living in Woodland, where Donald is teaching history at Woodland High School. Charles Piasecki (Bowdoin) to Linda Bryden. They are living at 105 Holyoke St., Lynn, Mass. Michael Kita (Harvard) to Jeanne Picard. Mike is studying at Harvard Medical School.

BUSINESS WORLD: Rudolf Naples has been appointed town manager of Southwest Harbor. Wallace Campbell is employed with the U. S. Plywood and Champion Paper Company of Hamilton, Ohio. Darcy (O'Brien) '69, Wallace's wife, is teaching in the Fairfield School system of Ohio. Dan Sullivan is working for New England Telephone in the Bangor district. Wayne Petrie is plant quarantine inspector with the Plant Quarantine Division of the Agricultural Research Service with headquarters at McGuire Air Force Base, N. J. Joseph Hamlin has been assigned to the engineering department of Eastman Kodak Company, Kodak Park division. Joe and Susan Hamlin live at 27-1 Hazelhurst Drive, Rochester, N. Y. Brian Shangraw '70 is working for L. C. Andrew's prefabricated plant, Werdna, and his wife, Jil (Fitch), has been "permitted" to visit relatives and tour England for three weeks. Jil will begin volunteer work when she returns home. The Shangraws are living at 203 Mass Ave., Portland. Nick '70 and Linda (Jarvis) Collins are living at 145 Center St., Bangor. Linda plans to do her dietetic internship at Eastern Maine Medical Center soon. Ann Robertson is living and working in Scotia, N. Y. Her address is 137 Mohawk Ave., Apt. 4. Lee Leighton is working at one of the Harvard libraries and attends graduate school at Simmons. He is living in Boston. Diane Mosley and Cindy Stengyl are living in Boston and attending Katherine Gibbs. Charlotte (Charlie) Jordan is in Fairbanks, Alaska (with Donna Corkum). Erv Tower, his wife, Donna, and daughter, Allyson, are now living in Wiscasset where Erv just started a new job. Don Curtis and his wife, Kerry (Huggins), are living in Edmunds. Paul Bessey and his wife, Kathy (Adams), and daughter, Sarah, are making a permanent move in the near future to Orono.

TEACHERS: Mrs. Sandra Fowler, grade 3, Capri Street School, Brewer. Stephen Dawson, science at Nobel Junior High School, Berwick. Linda Hart, elementary education, Brockton, Mass. Priscilla Michaud, elementary French, Augusta. Alton Hyer, Jr., chemistry, Cony High School, Augusta. Françoise Pinette, French, Saxe Junior High School, New Canaan, Conn. Peggy Ouellette is teaching in Saco. Her address is 3 Victory Lane, Biddeford. Deborah Page, kindergarten, Manchester Elementary School, Manchester. Elizabeth Spruce, Viola Rand School, Bradley. Richard Clark, social studies and coaching junior varsity basketball and track, York High School. Paul Cote, biology at Lubec High School. Barry Lohnes, social studies and English, assistant football coach, Monmouth Academy. Donna Corkum, elementary education, Fairbanks, Alaska. Pia Holmes, science, Monmouth Academy. Judy Files, elementary education, Parker School, Lexington, Mass. Diane Lanigan, French, Bangor High School. Joan Sawyer, physical education, Bangor High School. Howard Hollis, grade 3, Downeast School, Bangor. Sandra (Emerson) King, grade 4, Downeast School, Bangor. Janice Clark, grade 2, Fruit Street School, Bangor. Margaret Clancey, grade 6, Harlow Street School, Bangor. Cynthia Russell, grade 6, Harlow Street School, Bangor.

MILITARY: Ronald Hamilton has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Texas. He has been assigned to Sheppard AFB, Tex., for training in accounting and finance. Richard Weltzin, Jr. was commissioned an Army second lieutenant after completing the Six-week Army Reserve Officers' Training Corps advanced summer camp. Leon Beaulieu is in training with the U. S. Army at Fort Lee, Va. Edward Laverty has received six weeks practical work in military leadership at the Army Reserve Officers' Training Corps basic summer camp at Ft. Knox, Ky. His wife, Roberta, lives at 205 Main St., Orono.

That's all on the '71ers for now. Thank you all for responding so well. Keep sending in new developments and for those of you who have not yet informed the rest of us as to your "whereabouts" and "whatabouts,"—how about filling us in?



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