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Colby has been a coeducational college for 100 years, but in the 1960s men began to be housed in dormitories formerly considered to be on the "women's side" of the campus and likewise women were housed on the "men's side." The president and trustees have approved "dormitory autonomy." The college has not introduced coeducational dormitories. This article includes the board's statement on the subject.

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Next fall Colby will have two new deans; a fourth Charles A. Dana Professor and two Avalon Visiting Professors will join the faculty.

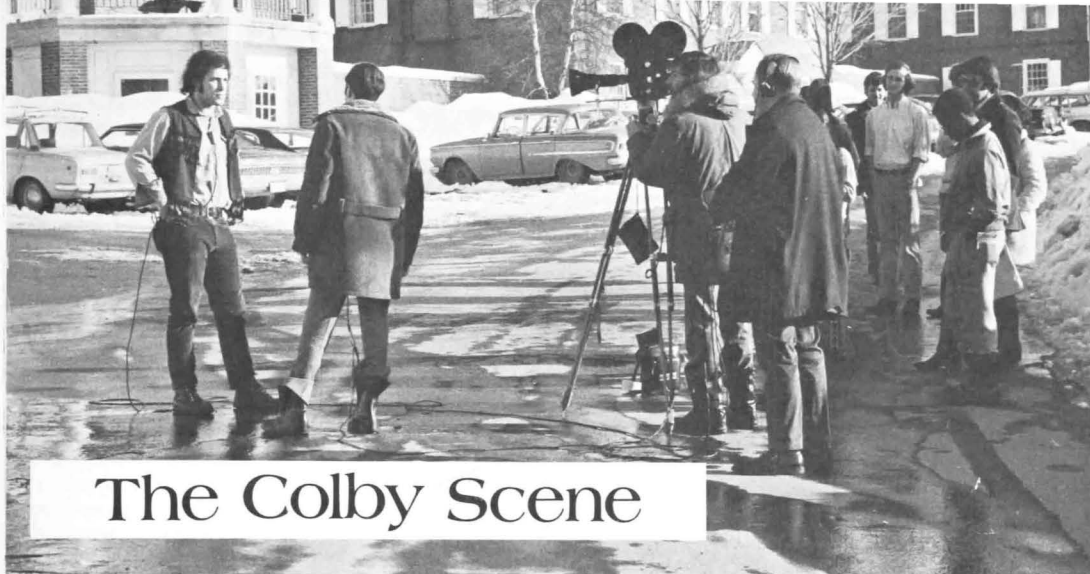
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Photographs of commencements before World War I convey the tranquility of a relatively uncomplicated world. The pictures were made from glass negatives given Colby by the son of the photographer, the late Professor Edwin J. Roberts.

Cover photos: Peter Pennypacker '69

*Paul G. Jenson, newly appointed dean of faculty, meets members of the Educational Policy Committee, Anthony Maramarco '71 (Simsbury, Conn.) and Carolyn Additon '71 (Pittsburg) during an April visit.*





## The Colby Scene

### Environmental Studies

The stimulus of being in Maine, a largely unspoiled state fighting early and hard to stop pollution, is producing vigorous response at Colby. An environmental studies program will be introduced in the fall.

The multidisciplinary major won faculty approval in March, partly in response to student concern over the environment reflected by formation in December, 1969, of the Colby Environmental Council. Faculty members have been influential in this area as well, both as educators and by fostering environmental protection laws.

Environmental studies will draw from the departments of chemistry, geology, biology, mathematics, administrative science, government, economics and sociology. It should form a bridge between academic disciplines, and the public and private interests beyond the college. Majors will be prepared to work not only with groups fighting pollution and to pursue careers in environmental education, but for graduate work in traditional disciplines such as law, theology, business and medicine. To accomplish this, they will need to understand the relationships between ecological systems, contributions of the disci-

plines to environmental studies, and to gain working experience with some aspect of Maine's environment.

The resurgent Environmental Council, with roots in the outing club, has become an independent student organization. It began meeting weekly this spring and is putting out a newsletter. With help from a Student Government allocation, the council developed a letter-writing campaign against the SST and is recycling paper. The group plans to boycott products in non-returnable containers and bring conservationist speakers to campus.

### Aid for New Program

The W. K. Kellogg Foundation has awarded Colby \$5,000 to support the environmental studies program. The grant will be used to expand pertinent library resources.

The Kellogg trustees are concerned with matters such as population growth, environmental de-

terioration and depletion of natural resources; they believe "that the nation's small, private liberal arts college can make a substantial contribution toward solving these problems by strengthening their programs of environmental studies," said Robert E. Kinsinger, vice president.

### Pullen on Patriotism

Yesterday's revolutionaries are today's consensus patriots. But both "hard hats" and dissident, antiwar youths now claim to be patriots. Where did things get turned around?

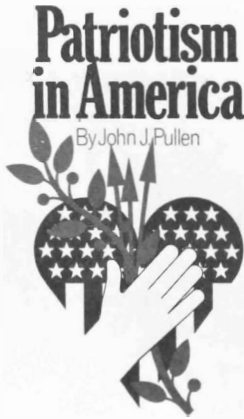
John Pullen '35 provides important insights into the question in a new book, *Patriotism in America*, an exhaustive survey of 200 years of national sentiment published May 4 by American Heritage Press.

His "acknowledgements" point to Colby as a principal vantage point: part of the book is based on letters from Colby soldiers, Zemro Smith and Nathaniel B. Coleman in 1862-65 and Robert C. Ransom Jr. in 1968. The Civil War letters appeared in the 1969 summer-fall *Alumnus* in an article by Mr. Pullen.

How do we define "patriotism" if yesterday's rebel becomes today's patriot? Pullen contends that the

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*In the picture above, Stephen R. Orlov '71 (Hull, Mass.), outgoing Student Government president, talks to an NBC newsmen about reaction to a March appearance by Georgia Legislator Julian Bond. The "First Tuesday" team was following the civil rights leader on a speaking tour.*



distinction always has involved changing values, conscience and judgment, with some sort of opposition to the government being the one constant. "The whole history of our people indicates that public support for the national government varies according to the degree of conviction people have that its course is justified not only on rational but on moral grounds. When this conviction is strongest, we have been the most united, . . . when it has been weakest, we have been most divided."

Pullen documents his contention with public opinion research and historical examples: Daniel Webster gave us a new meaning for the word "hawk" in 1812, when men were drafted for "Mr. Madison's War," the precursor of "Mr. Johnson's" and "Mr. Nixon's War." The author also reminds us that Lincoln was denounced for prosecuting an undeclared war in 1861. The episode of Fort Sumter and the war's beginning are treated in a chapter entitled "Abraham Lincoln's Tonkin Gulf."

Pullen, whose book will be reviewed in a forthcoming *Alumnus*, takes up the role of conscientious objectors, the attitudes of soldiers in the field, the effect of national commitments on public opinion and reactions to the draft since its inception.

On pages 176-182, Pullen refers to the letters of Robert "Mike"

Ransom '66, who was killed in Viet Nam. These moving documents first were printed in *The New Yorker* magazine. Pullen writes: "Mike's story is important in that it demonstrates how, in a far-off war that does not even really exist as far as most Americans are concerned, in the obscurity of a distant jungle, unthought of, forgotten, a man may still adhere to qualities of courage and loyalty to his fellow countrymen that are among the essentials of patriotism."

### Humanities Grant

The college has received a \$200,000 grant from the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation of New York City. It is one of 16 totalling \$3.2 million awarded to private, independent liberal arts colleges.

The funds cannot be used for endowment. They may be spent in such areas as salary increases, additional faculty and paid release time for faculty.

The Mellon Foundation was formed in 1969 through merger of the Old Dominion and Avalon foundations.

### Watson Fellows

An ex-Marine conservationist and a member of the Nigerian Davis Cup tennis team are the first Colby scholars to receive Thomas J. Watson Foundation fellowships for a year of foreign travel and study.

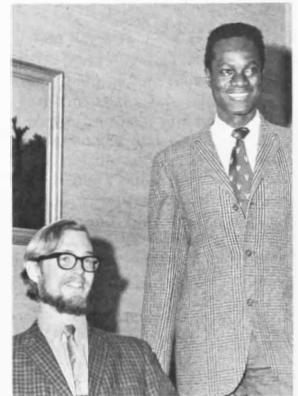
Nathan V. E. Woodruff will study parks, preserves and wildlife areas, looking ahead to work in recreation and conservation. An English major and active outdoorsman from Hartford, Conn., he will visit England, Germany, Switzerland and the Scandinavian countries. Frank O. Apantaku, who plans a career in public health medicine, will study the cultures of India, Indonesia and Micronesia to relate them to the development of tropical medicine. He is a chemistry-biology major from Ajegunle, Apapa, in Nigeria. Colby's top tennis player, he has won numerous championships.

Both received \$6,000 grants from the Providence, R. I., foundation. They were among 70 students chosen from 34 institutions in the country. A charitable trust established by Mrs. Thomas J. Watson Sr. in memory of her husband, the foundation chose Colby last fall to join "outstanding colleges and universities" in the program.

### A 'Greening' for Business

The biggest sell-job American business ever faced concerns not a new product but business itself. It must prove to a discontented nation that business can work for everyone, including a "turned off" generation from which it must recruit.

This note of urgency ran through Sol M. Linowitz' speech April 2 to Colby's 20th Institute for Maine Business. The former Xerox board chairman and ambassador to the Organization of American states is convinced of a widespread frustration and sense of helplessness "that simply has no parallel in our history. . . . These are times of paradox when we have learned to achieve most and to fear most; when we seem to know more about



Colby had the distinction of having two scholars selected for Thomas J. Watson Fellowships in the college's first year of participation in the program: from left, Nathan Woodruff and Frank Apantaku.

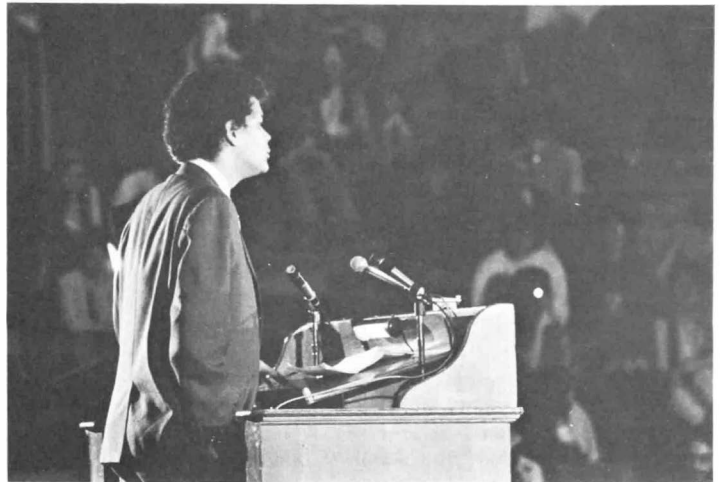
how to make war than . . . peace, more about killing than . . . living. It is a time of unprecedented need and unparalleled plenty . . . when we send men to walk the moon yet recall Santayana's words that men have come to power 'who, having no stomach for the ultimate, burrow themselves downward toward the primitive.' "

Accordingly, the social involvement of business must be deep and real. Ambassador Linowitz, chairman of the National Urban Coalition, finds the success of area coalitions depends on business involvement. Yet firms that established urban aid programs after the 1967 riots are "starting to cut them back."

Many students, Linowitz said, feel there is no place for them in business. They think that it has failed to respond to today's problems by evolving concepts of "social and moral responsibility"; in a *Newsweek* poll of 800 seniors, he noted, only about 12 per cent listed business as "first choice"; and of 2,500 (two thirds of them business majors) surveyed by the Society for the Advancement of Management, only 15 per cent thought business had been 'very'



Sol M. Linowitz, left, at Colby's 20th Institute for Maine Industry with Ralph H. Cutting, general chairman for the institute planning committee, who is vice chairman of the board of the Keyes Fibre Co.



MICHAEL HAVEY '72

Julian Bond speaks under NBC News spotlights. His appearance was part of an unusually ambitious program of lectures and concerts sponsored by Student Government.

or 'quite' helpful in aiding minorities and the needy, or in controlling pollution. Linowitz warned that unless business convinces youth of its commitments to social ideals it will have difficulties recruiting young people who are searching for solutions to age-old problems.

### Retirements

Three faculty members retiring in June have distinguished themselves professionally and as Colby graduates: F. Elizabeth Libbey '29, Earle McKeen '29 and Leonard W. Mayo '22. All have received Colby Bricks.

Miss Libbey returned to her alma mater in 1945 after holding state and college library positions. She is the associate librarian, and was instrumental in organizing and maintaining the Colbiana historical section.

Professor McKeen, director of career planning and placement, had a notable career in public education as principal and superintendent before returning to Colby 15 years ago. He served two terms on the Alumni Council.

Dr. Mayo, distinguished social scientist, former trustee and mem-

ber of Presidential committees, accepted the post professor of human development in 1966. He had served for 15 years as executive director of the association for the Aid of Crippled Children.

Tributes to these respected friends will appear with profiles in the summer *Alumnus*.

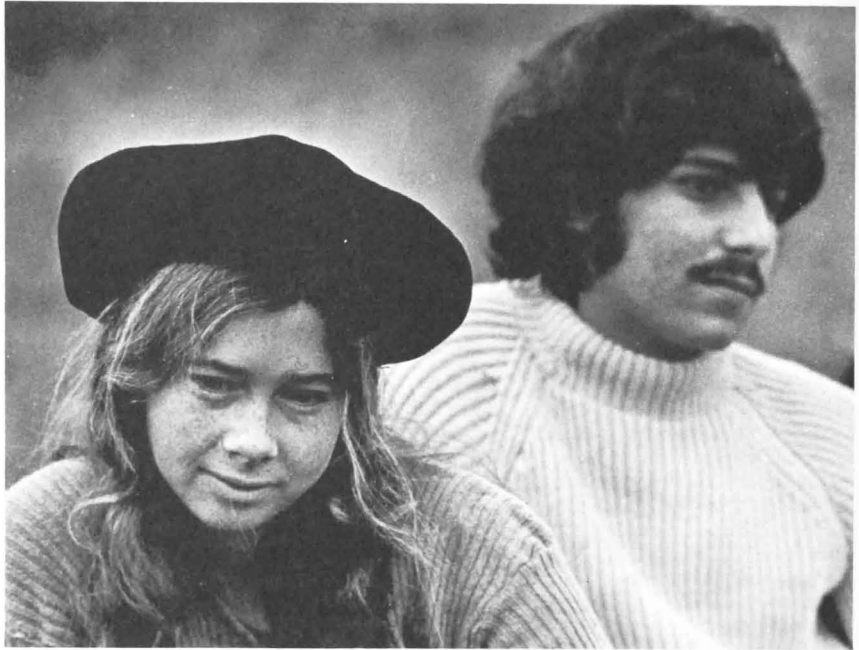
### Music Student's Dream

Students of Colby's ninth Summer School of Music will add a new dimension to the eagerly-awaited series of six concerts by the Hungarian String Quartet.

The school's most gifted advanced players will join their mentors for the last four concerts to play Brahms quintet and sextet compositions.

Each of the six Tuesday concerts will be at 8 p.m. and include one selection by Mozart, Bartok (quartet cycle) and Brahms. The dates are July 13, 20 and 27; Aug. 3, 10 and 17.

Information on tickets may be obtained by writing P. David Walker, director of special programs, in care of the college. They are available for the series or for individual concerts.



MICHAEL HAVEY '72

## The Board on Student Housing: Autonomy (without Live-ins)

THE EVOLUTION FROM COORDINATE COLLEGES TO coeducation at Colby is entering its most complicated phase. After seven years of changing dormitory living patterns, the president, with the authorization of the board of trustees, has given students the right to make their own "house rules."

The changes haven't always satisfied some students. But they might startle alumni steeped in the coordinate tradition of virtually separate colleges for men and women.

At any rate, the board is holding for the time being to one traditional arrangement — separate dormitories for men and women — despite some student pressure for experiments in coeducational living.

The chairman of the board of trustees in April of this year referred to the Committee on Student Affairs a request from students that the feasibility of coeducational dormitories be studied during the next academic year.

Dormitory autonomy, limited by guidelines established by the college community and the board, is perhaps the most significant product to emerge from the machinery set up last year during the Constitu-

tional Convention. Mid-semester referenda in each dormitory and fraternity house produced a definite pattern: 24-hour visiting privileges in all cases; a general lack of restrictions such as "quiet hours," and emphasis instead on "mutual consideration." Guidelines for autonomy provide for changing the rules of each living unit by initiative and referendum. Whether the current rules endure would seem to depend on how considerate students will be.

The first departure from the coordinate system occurred in 1964 when 80 women were moved into Averill on one edge of the male side of the campus. One result was a limited co-ed dining arrangement in Roberts Union. The Averill women moved into the new Dana Hall the following year. In 1967, Averill and East halls were used to house women, and the scales were balanced as men moved into Coburn and Woodman on the distaff side of the Hill. In 1968 all dining halls were serving men and women.

The board's student affairs committee explained its stand against co-ed dormitories when it made recommendations on dorm autonomy. The committee consists of board members, faculty, administrators and

students, and is chaired by Trustee Robert A. Marden '50. Its report, adopted last June by the board, follows.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES RECOGNIZES THE NEED TO establish policy which determines to a considerable extent the tone of campus life. Indeed, the college charter requires the corporation "to make and ordain, as occasion may require, reasonable rules, orders and bylaws, not repugnant to the laws of this state . . . for the good government . . . of said institution." While wishing not to interfere with the day-to-day administration of dormitory life, the board feels the responsibility to provide guidelines within which the on-campus constituencies may operate. In the past, we have created such policies as those relevant to fraternity life, the pattern of men's and women's dormitories and coeducational dining. We expect to continue to speak on those broad issues which are significant to the private residential nature of the college.

There are two issues currently before the college community to which we need speak at this time. Both concern the pattern of dormitory life and both have been the focus of considerable discussion on the campus in the past two years. One is the matter of coeducational dormitories, i.e. men and women sharing the same dormitory. The other is dormitory "autonomy," a phrase much abused and needing considerable specificity of definition to be discussed meaningfully.

*On the matter of coeducational dormitories*, we do not think this is an appropriate or desirable mode of living for Colby students, nor do we wish the college to project the type of image which such housing arrangements would create. At this time, we feel the risks to psychological, emotional and physical health are sufficient to deter us.

Moreover, we also recognize that the college exists within a larger community. While the academic community wishes to provide leadership and to challenge standards and beliefs in those realms in which it demonstrates expertise, it also wishes to live within the bounds of acceptability, as broadly defined by its various constituencies, in the social realm. Thus we feel that the creation of coeducational dormitories would not be acceptable to the college community.

*As to dormitory autonomy*, the charter granted to the college by the State of Maine requires that the corporation (the president and board of trustees) exercise the ultimate authority over residence hall life. In practice, this authority has been delegated

to the administration, and we are now asked by the students for a further delegation to each residence unit. We believe that such a delegation, if properly understood and responsibly carried out, can contribute to the growth of our students. We thus authorize such a delegation from the administration to each living unit for the purpose of establishing and enforcing its own hours, visiting privileges, and the conditions under which these may occur.

The college dormitories are private residences rather than public buildings. Therefore, certain safeguards must be maintained if dormitory "autonomy" is to enhance student growth.

(1) The right of privacy must be guaranteed to each student, so that every resident shall be protected against personal intrusions, theft or damage to personal property, excessive noise, or other invasions of privacy sufficient to constitute a nuisance.

(2) Freedom from coercion or exploitation is essential. This includes the right of every student to have access to his own residence and its facilities at all times; to have his objections to the behavior of others fairly heard and considered; to seek reconsideration of rules at any time.

(3) Men's dormitories are to house men, and women's dormitories women, and no "live-in" arrangements for members of the opposite sex are permitted.

(4) No regulations shall be made which are not in conformity to local, state and federal law.

(5) Where needed, the college will provide reasonable security for dormitories.

Nothing herein should be construed to mean that the corporation has abdicated its authority, or its right to modify or revoke its decision. We shall continue to have great concern for the tone of the campus, both intellectually and socially. We believe that these two aspects are inextricably related to one another, and that as we increase the academic responsibility assumed by students we can also increase the social responsibility.

WITH THE AUTONOMY PRINCIPLE APPROVED, STUDENTS, faculty and administrators had to work out guidelines. They established that visitors must be welcomed by one or more residents; each student should have access to his own room at any time and be able to sleep there at any time without visitors present.

Residents of the 18 dorms and eight fraternity houses were asked to vote on visiting hours, quiet hours and judicial systems. Various systems, with

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Jenson



Wyman

## Appointments



Parker



Marshall

WHEN A NEW SEMESTER BEGINS IN THE FALL, THE college will have two new deans and three additional named professors.

Appointed by President Strider this spring were Paul G. Jenson, to dean of the faculty; Willard G. Wyman '56, dean of students; Francis E. Parker, Charles E. Dana Professor of Philosophy; and Mary H. Marshall, Avalon Visiting Professor of English Literature for the semester. Carl J. Friedrich, Eaton Professor of the Science of Government at Harvard, will teach "History of Western Political Thought" for the semester, also under the Avalon Foundation grant. (See the winter *Alumnus*.)

The dean-elect of the faculty is vice president of academic affairs at Temple Buell College in Denver. He will succeed Acting Dean R. Mark Benbow, professor of English, and join the faculty as professor of psychology.

The new dean of students, special assistant to the president of Stanford University, will teach in the English department. Wyman will succeed Albert A. Mavrincac, professor of government, who has been acting dean since last fall.

The deans will assume their duties July 1.

Professor Parker, chairman of the department of philosophy at Purdue University, is a writer and lecturer of international reputation.

Miss Marshall, noted Shakespearean and Elizabethan scholar, was Jesse T. Peck Professor of English Literature until her retirement last year from Syracuse University, where she taught since 1948.

### Paul G. Jenson

Professor Jenson, 45, a native of Milan, Minn., began his teaching career in 1950 as a psychology assistant at the University of Minnesota, where he earned his M.A. and Ph.D. degrees. He received his B.A. at Luther College (Decorah, Iowa). After 11 years of teaching at Macalester College in St. Paul, where he was chairman of the department of psychology, he was appointed to the administrative post at Temple Buell (formerly Colorado Woman's College). His main responsibilities were the faculty and curriculum. He has been involved in institutional and curricular studies at various institutions. For several years he served as coordinator of the Committee on Liberal Arts Education of the North Central Association, the largest of six regional accrediting associations, and for a year was administrator of the program.

### Willard G. Wyman

Professor Wyman, son of the late Army General and Mrs. W. G. Wyman of Damariscotta, was born in Peking, China. He entered Colby as a transfer student from the U. S. Military Academy following service in the Marine Corps. He returned to his studies at Stanford in 1961 after working on a Montana ranch, conducting pack trips in the high Sierra, writing advertising copy in New York and teaching in California.

The 40-year-old Wyman earned his master's degree at Stanford in 1962 and a Ph.D. in 1969. He devoted his doctoral dissertation to American short story writer Wilbur Daniel Steele. He served as teaching assistant and instructor of English at Stanford and was associate dean of students for two years. During 1969-70, he was special assistant to President Kenneth S. Pitzer, who since has resigned. Now on a leave of absence, Wyman

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## ON THE PICTURES

*Edwin Jay Roberts*, a faculty member from 1909 to 1915, contributed more to the college and community than his competence in chemistry. He had a keen eye for the charm of the old campus and the pastoral beauty of its surroundings, plus uncommon photographic skill.

The photographs of commencement activities on these pages were made from some of his high-quality glass negatives. Nearly 100 of them were given to Colby by his son, John E. Roberts, professor of chemistry at the University of Massachusetts at Amherst. The *Alumnus* will use others from time to time.

Few amateurs had better command of their equipment in those days. "He was meticulous as becomes an analytical chemist in many habits," his son recalls. He developed, enlarged and printed his own work. Each negative is wrapped and inscribed with the precise time, location and date of the scene, and with all photographic data down to the chemicals used in development.

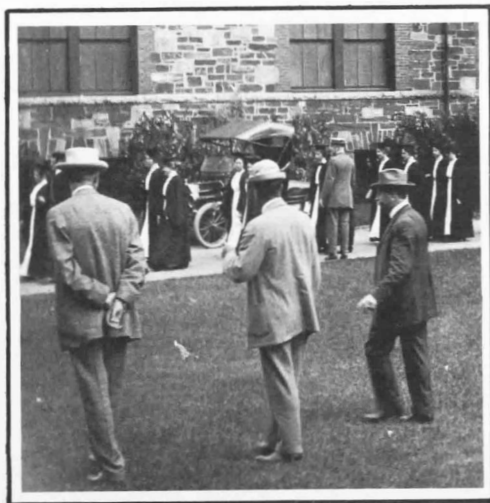
Roberts completed his Ph.D. degree, married and came to Waterville the same year to teach analytical, inorganic and elementary physical chemistry under the legendary Professor George Parmenter. "The Roberts were frequent chaperones at student dances and students were often visitors at their home," his son remembers. "He loved the outdoors, whether canoeing on rivers in Waterville or walking the shores of Lake Winnisquam in Laconia (N.H.)," where he spent much of his life. He left Colby for Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute: "... what a terrific change from the pleasant, unhurried surroundings of Waterville" where he "thoroughly enjoyed everything but the winters. . . ." He took over a family fuel business in Laconia in 1918, but retained his interest in things scientific, books and wood-working. He died in 1968.

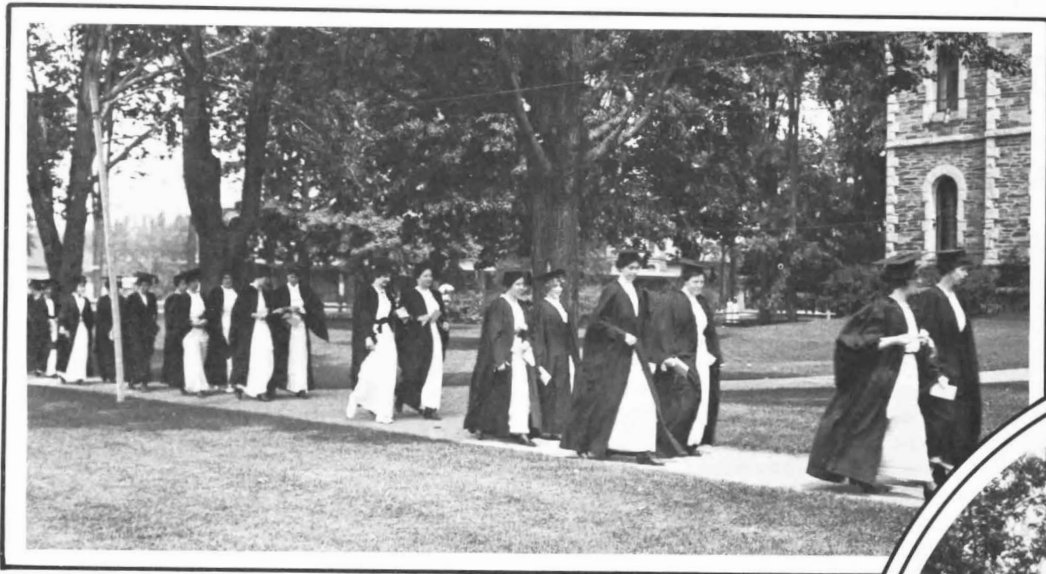
"Perhaps in the archives of the chemistry department at Colby there is a bottle of a beautiful pink powder labelled 'Neodymium Oxalate, E.J.R.' If so, I assure you that this is of the highest purity and many fond memories of Colby are contained therein," his son writes.



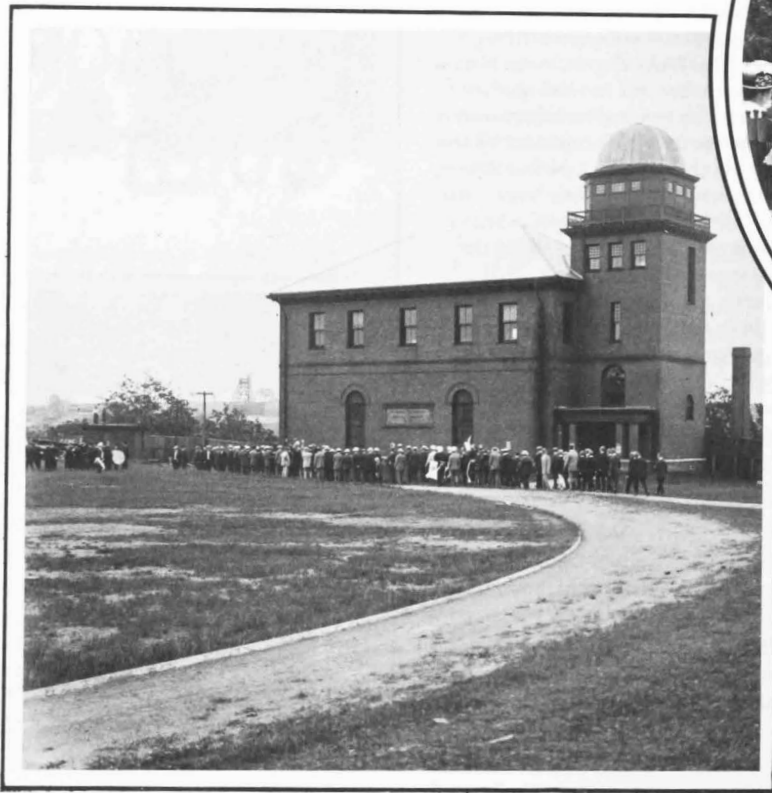
*Canoeing commencement week*

## OTHER TIMES MORE QUIET TIMES





*Commencement, June 23, 1914*



*"Cheering the buildings," an old custom: alumni at Shannon Laboratory  
June 23, 1914*



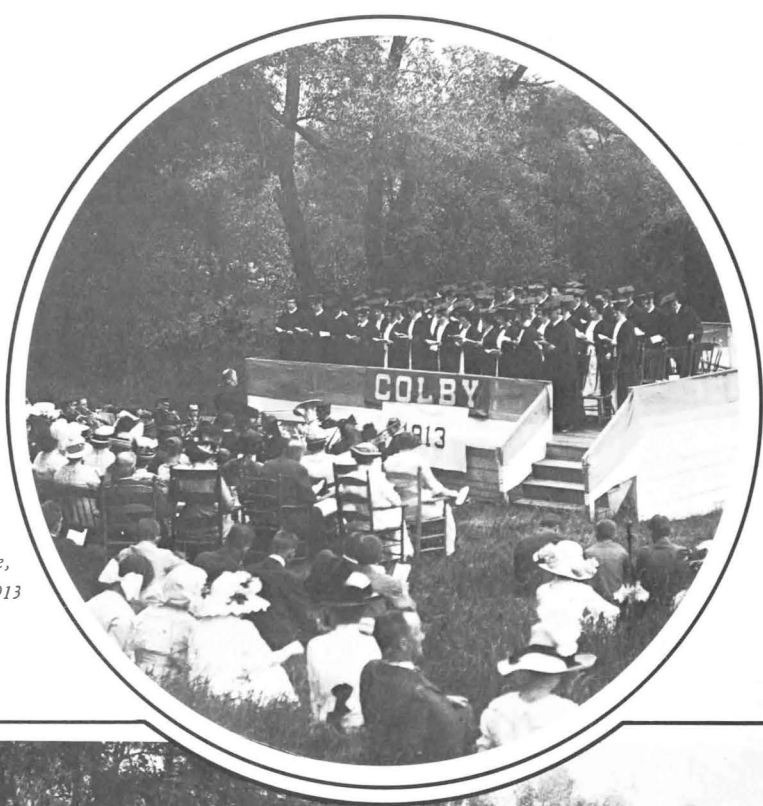
*The famous R. B. Hall's  
band rests as Lora May  
Danforth, 1914, delivers  
the class day speech.*



*Marching to "last chapel," June 12, 1914*



*The distaff procession leaving Recitation Hall, 1913*



*Singing the class ode,  
June 24, 1913*



*Junior class day, 1914*

## Appointments

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has received a Ford Foundation grant to write an assessment of contemporary student radicalism and the management of a modern university.

### Francis E. Parker

Purdue's philosophy faculty has nearly doubled since Professor Parker's appointment in 1966. Undergraduate majors tripled and graduate student enrollment increased from four to more than 30.

Parker taught at the University of Pennsylvania, Swarthmore College and from 1954 to 1966, at Haverford College, where he was department chairman. He also was a visiting professor at Bryn Mawr College and Indiana University. Parker studied and did research in London and Rome last year during a sabbatical, and is a fellow of the American Council of Learned Societies. He is a former president of the Metaphysical Society of America and the Association for Realistic Philosophy.

Parker is the author of many articles and two books, *Logic as a Human Interest* (with Henry B. Veatch) and *The Story of Western Philosophy*. He is writing a book on the logic and metaphysics of knowledge.

Born to an American missionary family in Malaysia, he attended schools in Indiana where his father taught religion at Evansville College. Now a university, Evansville awarded Parker an A.B. degree in 1941. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa. He received an M.A. from Indiana with a thesis in philosophical psychology, and a Ph.D. from Harvard where his thesis was entitled, "Identity of Percept and Object in Recent American Realism."

### Mary H. Marshall

Miss Marshall's appointment to teach under an Avalon foundation grant affords her the opportunity to become familiar with the Mayflower Hill campus: she taught at Colby from 1935 to 1948.

She is a graduate of Vassar College and received her M.A. and Ph.D. degrees from Yale. Miss Marshall is the author of articles and reviews in journals on medieval, Elizabethan and modern drama. She received two Guggenheim Foundation research fellowships. Medieval drama has been her primary area of research.

She served as chairman of the committee which developed the honors program for the College of Liberal Arts at Syracuse.

## Dormitory Living

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provisions for complaints and appeals, were adopted. Large units tended to choose some kind of representative method, while small ones generally adopted a "town meeting" form. A petition signed by a quarter of a unit's residents can initiate a vote on any rule. A 75-per cent majority prevails.

A primary concern was privacy and security in women's residences, especially because of past forays into the largest, Dana, by unwelcome and unruly visitors, a good number of whom had no connection with Colby. A watchman, formerly stationed at Dana, where locks were changed because so many "bootleg" keys were extant. Women's units are locked at times varying from 10 p.m. on weekdays to 1:30 Sunday morning.

"Dormitory autonomy obviously places greater demands on individual character, exercise of good judgment and consideration for others," said Associate Dean Doris L. Downing in a January report to the college rights and rules committee. "We hope that with acceptance of an increased voice in their own living arrangements, our students will also accept increased responsibility for their successful operation. There is a period of learning ahead — learning that 'dorm autonomy' is not synonymous with doing as one pleases and ignoring the rights of others."

Asked to evaluate the first month of autonomy, Dean Downing said it was too early to judge "either the social or academic results — and the judicial systems are still untested." Moreover, "each dormitory develops a character of its own."

She said early feedback "makes me think that 24-hour visiting privileges have not turned out to be the Utopia some students anticipated. I wouldn't be surprised next fall to see some dorms voting to limit visiting hours somewhat and to be more specific about quiet hours."

Autonomy has changed the role of dormitory head residents and student assistants. Fewer rules mean less necessity for enforcement, but more judgment and discretion are demanded of head residents and assistants. Dean Downing emphasized the importance of choosing them with great care. "We will try to provide reasonable security measures for women's residences, subject always to the cooperation of the students from within," she added.

"We do believe we are making progress toward reconciling security needs with the increased independence of students."

# News of the Classes

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Dean Ernest C. Marriner '13  
17 Winter Street  
Waterville, Maine 04901

Before his recent death, **Clark Chapman '09** became a member-emeritus of the Supreme Council, 33rd Degree Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry. He had long been an active member. Clark had been prominent in Masonry since 1910, having served as past grand master of the Grand Lodge of Maine and past commander-in-chief of Maine. He was elevated to the 33rd degree in 1935.

**Lewis Levine '16** has been honored by the Waterville YMCA. He received a plaque for his outstanding service to the city's youth. Lewis is a trustee of the public library.

**Phyllis Sturdivant Sweetser '19** has retired after many years as librarian of the Prince Memorial Library at Cumberland Center. She is compiling a history of the town under the auspices of the Cumberland Historical Society.

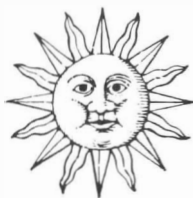
We were saddened to learn of the death of **Lena Penney Floyd '02** of New Sharon, who attended Colby from 1898 to 1900. She was a Waterville native and graduate of its high school. Mrs. Floyd had been a widow for 17 years. Her husband was a physician. She leaves two sons and a daughter.

The grandson of our oldest alumnus, the Rev. **Albert Lorimer '96**, is a Colby junior and is spending the spring semester in California at the University of Redlands under an exchange program. **Craig Lorimer**, a biology major, became interested in the majestic redwood trees and studied them under the direction of a Humboldt State College professor to satisfy his January independent study requirement at Colby. The Rev. Mr. Lorimer lives in a nursing home in South Portland.

1922

Vina Parent Adams (Mrs. Asa)  
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**Avis Barton Bixby** enjoyed a tour of eight European countries last June. Next



summer she plans to visit her daughter, Mrs. Rebecca Casey '48, in California. These retired folks do get around! . . . At a meeting of the Maine Rehabilitation Association at the University of Maine, **Leonard Mayo** was the featured speaker. Len has served as chairman of the President's Executive Committee on Employment of the Handicapped under Presidents Johnson and Nixon. He is professor of human development at Colby.

I was sorry to hear of the death of **Robert Jackson** in December. Bob ran a dairy farm and had been active in Waterville civic affairs. . . . **Jerry Doyle** of Portland is retired. He spends his winters in Bellaire, Fla., and attends the Colby St. Petersburg Club meetings. . . . **Asa** and I spent several weeks in Phoenix, Ariz. . . . **Lorena Scott**, retired in Long Branch, N. J., spent part of the summer in Maine. . . . **Helen Raymond Mamber** still carries on her insurance business in Ambler, Pa.

Plan now to attend our big reunion a year from June.

1923

Melva Mann Farnum (Mrs. Marlin)  
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I was delighted to hear from **S. Alton Ward** for the first time. He retired in 1966 after working for Monsanto Chemical as a safety engineer. But he still serves as a consultant. His hobbies are gardening, bee-keeping and traveling. . . . **Leonette Warburton Wishard** still travels a good deal but her trips are confined to the United States. Bridgeport, Conn., is her home but she spends her summers at Epping, N. H. She welcomes friends. Leonette spent a month in Florida last fall and visited Ethel Harmon Barta '24 and **Elizabeth Kellett Craven**. . . . **Louise Tilley** is a loyal correspondent and encourages me with her warm praise of my news notes. Louise and Lorena Scott '22 enjoy exploring Maine, and they try to call on Colby friends. They saw Vera Moore '19, **Louise Steele**, **Feneda Hawksley Boone** and **Gertrude Fletcher Lowery**. . . . **Ida Jones Smith** writes that her daughter-in-law has been hospitalized for months because of tuberculosis but expected to be discharged in March. Then

Ida would be relieved of the care of the grandchildren, Allan (4) and Frances (2). Ida planned to do a good deal of traveling during the spring and summer. . . . **Velma Briggs Moores** remained in her South Portland home after her husband's death, but often visits her two sons and their families. Velma's older son, Harold, has been promoted by his Pennsylvania-based construction company. Velma's younger son, Eugene, is head of a Sun Oil Co. oceanography laboratory at Dallas, Tex. . . . **Vera Collins Lindsley** and her husband, Edgar, have retired to Florida to be near their daughter and six grandchildren in Fernandina Beach. During Vera's 11 years of service in the Haverhill (Mass.) Public Library, she had been working on the history of the city during the Civil War. She hopes to return to Haverhill for the summer in order to finish her project. . . . **Lucy Osgood Dean** and her husband, Arthur, attended a luncheon to promote Colby. They enjoyed reunions with Mr. and Mrs. Ransom Pratt '21, and Dr. and Mrs. Libby Pulsifer '21. The Deans' daughter, Dorothy, and her missionary husband, Leighton Wiant, were under a 13-week curfew in Malaysia with soldiers quartered on the Methodist farm while they searched for Communists in the area. The Wiant children made many friends among the officers. When the troops left, Leighton received a plaque of appreciation from the Malaysian government for his cooperation. . . . **Edythe Porter Dunstan** followed through with Leslie's plan for their retirement. She is living in a Florida home on the lot he had purchased only a month before his death. Edythe writes movingly of the natural beauty, the gracious neighbors and the comfort of being surrounded by the things familiar and dear to Leslie and herself. . . . **Thomas Callaghan** and his wife would like to hear from any friends near their homes in Florida and in Wilimantic, Conn., where Tom still carries on a part-time real estate business. . . . It was a pleasure to hear at Christmas from several classmates and receive a picture of **Anson** and the second Mrs. **Lowitz** in their Cos Cob, Conn., home. . . . **Elliot Chase** enjoys retirement at his Skowhegan home and Lakewood camp summers. Elliot and his wife visit her sister in Florida in the winter and stop with relatives in North Carolina on the way back to Maine.

**Helen Dresser McDonald** was bereaved by the loss of her husband, William, last November. Her daughter and son-in-law, Lt. Col. and Mrs. (Ruth) David L. Roberts '55, took Helen back to the Panama Canal Zone to visit them. Helen returned to her Portland home in February.

Spike and I enjoy ourselves here in Buckfield. At Christmas with six Nicolls, six Gilsons and granddaughter, Linda, there were 15 of us on hand for a memorable celebration.

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**John Berry**, chief urology surgeon in the Albany (N. Y.) Veterans Administration Hospital, has been promoted from associate to professor of surgery in the Albany Medical College. He traveled to Japan and Hong Kong last year to attend meetings, and to India, where he lectured before the Urological Society. He is trying to improve the operation named for him, "The Berry Procedure." . . . **Cecilia Simpson Thyng**, retired from teaching in Saugus, Mass., is living in China (Maine). Recent travels took her to Arizona, California, and Florida, where she called on **Mary Whitten Garfield**. . . . **Gren Vale** and his wife are in their new home in Brookfield, Conn. He has the welcome mat out "to our Colby friends of all ages." Last Homecoming weekend, Gren was honored as a member of the 50-year football team.

**Frank Porter**, part-time admissions counselor at Bentley College (Boston), plans to retire in June. . . . **Mildred Todd Weir**, a retired teacher, attended a discussion group, "Joy in Retirement," led by "Spike" '23 and Melva (Mann '23) Farnum. Mildred lives in Gorham. . . . **Lawrence Putnam** retired from his medical practice in May. He was honored by the board and staff of the Holyoke (Mass.) Hospital at a dinner attended by many former patients. He joined the staff in 1930, and served as chief of obstetrics, president of the medical staff and chief of surgery. . . . **Mary Gordon Harvey** and her husband sold their home in Fishing Creek, Md., and are living in Trappe, Md. They plan to move to Florida. . . . **Harry Greene** is a gynecological oncologist (tumors) in Brooklyn, N. Y. He has a private practice and serves as oncologist in five hospitals. He has been honored with the Sword of Hope Award by the American Cancer Society. . . . **Ervena Goodale Smith** took care of an invalid sister this winter. But she did go to a garden club and to a camera club with **Joe**, who is "retired and enjoying it." He has his long-awaited darkroom. Joe saw **Cranston Jordan** and his wife recently.

**Roland Payne** has retired from the Algonquin Regional High School. He winters in Florida and enjoys short trips around New England during the summer. . . . **William McDonald** is "really retired." His daughter was graduated from Colby in 1958, but he thinks his grandchildren might be headed for Bowdoin. . . . **Dorothy Gordon** retired from her work at the Ledgemere Kindergarten in Cape Elizabeth. She still lives there and last summer, visited Valley Forge and other historic spots. While camping, she was visited by a bear. . . . **Everett**

## A Broken Dream

A riches-to-rags period in the creative life of **Holman F. Day** '86 is recalled in the inaugural winter edition of a Maine film makers' journal, **Reel World**. As a successful writer, Day "spoke of the common man in the peculiar vernacular that is Down East," says Mildred Cole's article. "Yet, despite his propensity for recording the Maine character in its most common aspects, Day himself strove for uncommon things. Like a major motion picture company headquartered in Augusta. That was not a common thing."

The company functioned smoothly for about 18 months making 20-minute two-reel films with quality players, including a very young **Mary Astor**. Some outdoor scenes were filmed near the old Colby Campus in Waterville. But the 1921 depression hit just as "The Rider of the King Log," based on a successful Day book, was set for a \$400,000 run through chains across the country. Everyone involved with **Holman Day Productions, Inc.**, lost heavily. His "Clothes Make the Pirate" was made into a successful film later, but Day got little out of it since he had sold the rights to the production. He wrote Hollywood scenarios in the 20s with some success but eventually returned to

**Marston**, retired, does volunteer church work, works with the Boy Scouts, the South Shore Poverty Program, and adult education courses in the English novel. . . . **Joseph McGarry**, another member of the 50-year football team, was a guest of the college at Homecoming. He will soon be a great-grandfather. . . . **Marion Brown Newcomb**, who taught religion at Northfield (Mass.) School, is living in New London, N. H. She is chairman of the human resources committee of the League of Women Voters and chairman of the Baptist Church Christian education committee. She and her husband go to Brattleboro, Vt., every week to sing at the Music Center.

**Marion Drisko Tucker** works with the Glastonbury (Conn.) History Society, the Veterans Hospital, the Hartford YWCA building commission and other organizations. . . . **George Nickerson**, retired, has established a free employment service for senior citizens in the Waterville area. The federal government, Rotary Club and Episcopal Church are helping. . . . **Ruth Fairbanks Burke** lives with one of her sons in Gladstone, N. J., and works part time in an elementary school office. Ruth does volunteer work at Morrilstown Memorial Hospital and has seven grandchildren.



the novel and short story. Day died in 1935. "He was an extremely popular writer. . . . Had he developed a 'message' in his works they might have had greater depth and thus have ranked higher on a literary scale," said **Reel World**. "But he preferred to entertain rather than to preach and so he is remembered today . . . for his artistic portrayal of the common man."

The Maine Commission on the Arts and Humanities is gathering Day's film for the archives in Augusta.

## 1925

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Being a correspondent is pleasant. Besides learning more of what class members are doing, I receive a few personal notes. We seem to be a group of retired persons.

**Mildred Otto Ashcroft** owns and runs Crocket Guest House in Vineyard Haven, Mass. **Eleatha Beane Littlefield** is Wells High School librarian and cares for her 92-year-old mother. **Eva Alley**, retired from teaching Latin at South Portland High School, cares for her mother, who is 91. **Oscar Benn** gardens and fishes. With **Carlton Bennett**, it's fishing and golf. **Kenneth Doe** is moving from Franklin, Mass., to Kennebunkport. **Marshall Gurney**, retired Navy captain, is an aerospace consultant and owns a drive-in restaurant franchise in Temple City, Calif.

**Nellie Pottle Hankins**, retired from teaching at the University of Maine, is editing letters of James Boswell for publication in a Yale University edition. It's a writing family. Oxford University Press has published a book by her son and the



firm plans to publish a book on Edmund Spencer by husband, John. . . . **Earl Lyon** is a swimming and diving official at Yale. **Hollis Manning** is living in Morgan, Vt. . . . **Earl Merriman** seems to hold the lead in the grandparent department with 12. Son, Richard '57, has been promoted to a division level job with the telephone company in Buffalo, N. Y.

Others who have retired include **Mildred Briggs**, **Ralph Larrabee**, **John Laughton**, **Alice McDonald Mills**, **John Monroe**, **Flora Harriman Small**, **Ethel Childs Storer**, **Leota Schoff Wadleigh**, **Ellen Smith Weiblen** (recovering from knee surgery), **Ethel Littlefield Whittier**, **Francis Woodlock** and **Keith Weymouth**.

A belated report: it was learned that **George Alec Bragdon** died Sept. 22, 1969. George, a member of our class in 1921-1922, earned his degree and went on to become superintendent of schools in the Vinalhaven area and in Lincoln.

## 1926

### Hilda M. Fife

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Thanks to those of you who sent items. George and I are grateful for suggestions for the reunion (June 11-13). Keep 'em coming. We welcome all who were in '26, graduates and nongraduates.

We shall miss **Steve Berry**, **Agnes Brouder**, **Roy Short**, **Roger Stinchfield**, and **Hope Chase Stinneford**, who died last year. Steve was our senior president. Agnes retired after 35 years of teaching in Methuen, Mass. Roy was a minister even in our college days. Roger was looking forward to our 45th. Hope died last fall. **Claude** cared for her at home during the years she suffered from multiple sclerosis. He has retired from Earlham College, but teaches an occasional course.

**Agnes Osgood Blake** and her husband spent the winter in Phoenix, enjoying the beauty of the desert and mountains. . . .

**Alpha Crosby Brown** retired from the Dorchester (Mass.) Savings Bank, where she worked after her husband's death in 1956. She lives in Millinocket near two of her sons. . . . **Marguerite Albert Cook** and her husband live in Long Beach, Calif. Their daughter, Lois-Marie '52, is serving with Project Hope in Tunisia, where she is establishing a physical therapy school. . . . **Clive Hall** reached Florida last winter just in time to attend the "St. Pete" Colby Club. Sid Farr and President Strider were guests. . . . **Evelyn Kellett** spent last summer touring the Scandinavian countries. . . . **Girlandine Priest Libby** teaches math in Fairfield and lives on a farm in Clinton. At Christmas she went to Florida, and Alabama, where her son teaches at Tuskegee Institute. . . . **Edith Grearson**

**Phelan**, ebullient as ever, writes of going skating and loving the challenge of teaching ancient history. "The kids are so great these days and know so much." Cheers, Duckie, and orchids to you! . . . **Abbott Smith** is retiring this spring as director of national estimates in the Central Intelligence Agency. He and his wife plan to move to Cape Cod and (he adds) "vegetate." Don't you believe it!

**Carroll Tripp**, director of youth work for the Vermont Church Council for many years, became pastor in 1966 of an integrated Baptist church in Trenton, N. J. He and Eva (Grant '29) spend July and August at Ocean Park each year and expect to retire there soon. . . . **Al Wassell**, retired from his varied musical career, and Betty (Alden '27) went to London in October for a couple of weeks of music and theatre. One night they chatted with Dr. and Mrs. Bixler at intermission. When Dr. B. came to Colby, Al gave him his first lesson in conducting and is proud of his former student! Al was a symphony player-conductor, college professor, music education director in Trenton, N. J., and a member of Fred Waring's staff. . . . **Madeline Woodworth** is another who has recently joined the ranks of the retired. . . . **Dr. Herbert Wortman's** avocation is the care and enjoyment of 200-acres on Prince Edward Island. He and his family spend the summer in a 150-year-old stone house there and rent another house to tourists. . . . I need another 45 years for retirement activities. Besides my interest in town and state historical societies, I am becoming active in town affairs — the state sesquicentennial last summer and now the establishing of a Maine Room in the local library.

## 1928

### Ruth E. Williams

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**Ava Barton** lives in Belfast with a view of Penobscot Bay. She visits cousins for long vacations. Her son and his family are in Hawaii. . . . **Rene Marcou** can be proud of his wife, who completed three years at Wellesley and will get her degree in June from Boston College. He will retire in June from teaching but continue as director of the Space Data Research Laboratory. . . . **A. Frank Stiegler Jr.** of Haverhill, N. H., is treasurer of the Woodsville Cottage Hospital expansion fund. It has raised \$350,000 toward a \$450,000 goal. He and Gertrude flew to Bermuda instead of to Florida for their annual March vacation. . . . **E. Richard Drummond**, former Colby trustee, is a fellow of the college by virtue of membership on two trustees' committees — buildings and grounds,

and investments. He has a new granddaughter, Andrea. Proud parents are Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Drummond III '60. Dick endured the winter by anticipating play in his favorite summer golf tournaments. . . . **Eva Page Hawkins**, grandmother of 12, is postmaster of St. George. She and her husband are planning a fall trip to California and a flight to Hawaii. . . . **Edna Cohen Rapaport** and husband, Jack, plan to take an extended vacation in Florida. He is recuperating from a heart attack. . . . **J. Claude Bouchard** expects to travel to France, Spain and Portugal. He retired last year as chairman of foreign languages in the New Britain, Conn., secondary schools. . . . **Grace Sylvester Ober**, I'm sad to report, lost her husband, Stanley, last year. She is collecting bits of history of the area around her Woodland home. . . . **Elwood Hammond** plans to retire in the summer after practicing dentistry for 40 years. His son William is a chief petty officer with 17 years in the Navy. . . . **Marion Daye O'Donnell** goes to New York to visit grandchildren each weekend from Simsbury, Conn., where she is English department coordinator in the high school. . . . **Esther Parker Crosman** enjoys the freedom to come and go as opportunities present themselves since her retirement from the General Electric Co.

**Vera Day Young** is readers' advisor in the Pawtucket, R. I., Library. She earned a master of library science degree from the state university. Esther plans to visit her daughter and family in Germany. Her son-in-law is an Army major. . . .

**John F. O'Brien** attends State of Maine Club meetings with Colby friends at Pompano Beach. His home is in Deerfield Beach, Fla. John will be in New England for the summer. . . .

**Dorothy Sylvester Carman** finds pleasure in the activities of the Deer Isle-Stonington Historical Society. . . . **Charles Sansone** of Dallas plans to visit Maine in June to renew Colby friendships. . . .

**Mona** and **Jack Erickson** enjoyed a Caribbean cruise last winter and a summer tour of 11 European countries, including Scotland where their daughter and family live. Jack retired after 42 years in public education. . . . Curry College awarded **Cecil Rose** an honorary doctor of science of oratory degree last June and students there named him man of the year. Retired as dean of students, he serves as chaplain and financial aid coordinator. He and Helen plan to retire next year to a new home at Wareham, Mass., on Buzzards Bay. . . . **Kenton MacCubrey's** first grandson was born in January to daughter Louise and Geoffrey T. Robbins '65. Ken and Marion spent the winter in Mesa, Ariz. . . . **Ruth McEvoy** will retire in June from her job in Batavia, N. Y., and has no definite plans for the following year. . . . **Edna Turkington**

toured Europe after her retirement. She visited Texas in December and moved on to Los Angeles, planning to return in March. Edna talks of a spring trip to Bermuda and a "wonderful retirement." . . . **Claire Richardson MacDougal** left for a six-week tour of Africa in February. Dakar, Ghana, Johannesburg, Capetown and Victoria Falls were on her itinerary, along with a safari to Nairobi, Uganda and Ethiopia. . . . **Peg Davis Farnham** and Rod motored through 1,100 miles of Scottish Highlands last summer (right-hand drive!) during a trip to Europe. Peg still is an English instructor at Husson College, Bangor. . . . **Adelaide Coombs** planned to spend April in Rome.

## 1929

**Jean M. Watson**

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Teacher **Grace Stone Allen** and husband, Harold, retired last summer. He was postmaster of Columbia Falls for 27 years. They are involved in church and community affairs, and visit their son and family in Virginia. Their daughter teaches in Belfast. . . . Alice and **J. Drisko Allen** spent Christmas with **Grace (Stone)** and Harold Allen and the holidays with **Flora Rideout Philbrook** in Greensboro, Vt. Dick is enjoying his retirement and Alice is looking forward to hers next year. . . . **Muriel Sanborn Armstrong** sold her insurance business to one of her sons last year. She spent Christmas with another son and family in Rome, Italy. Muriel boasts of seven fine grandchildren. She spends her winters in Florida and promises to be at our 45th. . . . **Everett W. Bell** is active in Masons and taking life easy in Rockville, Conn. . . . **Florence Young Bennett** and husband, Franklin, retired after his 35 years as a downtown clergyman. They have moved to West Bridgewater, Mass., to be near some of their family. . . . **Neal D. Bousfield** is in his 36th year of service with the Maine Sea Coast Missionary Society. . . . **Charles A. Cowing** is building fishing reefs off Mississippi in the Gulf of Mexico to improve sports fishing. He does volunteer work in Air-Sea Rescue. . . . **G. Cecil Goddard** is state director of the National Association of Independent Insurance Agents, president of the Waterville Osteopathic Hospital and chairman of Waterville Hospital Council. He has five grandchildren. We are glad that he got the message from his "not serious" heart attack and has resigned from all those other community activities. . . . **Vinal Good's** son, James, a senior at the University of Maine, is capturing many honors: member of Phi Kappa Phi, **Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges**, and track cap-

tain. His daughter, Jeannette, back from a year of study at Sevenol College in France, is a sophomore at U.M. . . . **Nella Bucknam Hamilton** basks in the sun in Auburndale, Fla., but still loves to get back to Maine in summer. . . . **Philip R. Higgins**, an accounting supervisor in Springfield, Mass., has received a merit award from the Administrative Management Society along with Masonic honors. He is looking forward to retiring next year. . . . **Martha Holt Hines'** work with the Welfare League, hospital and church keep her busy in Peterboro, Ont. She and Karl have been battling the blizzards and below-zero temperatures, wishing they were at their new Florida condominium. . . . **Gilman Hooper**, vice president of a research corporation in Spartanburg, S. C., is chairman of the board of the Charles Lea Center for handicapped and emotionally disturbed children. He makes business trips to Europe and enjoys gardening and bird-watching. . . . **Eleanor Butler Hutchins** is in the Literacy Volunteers, Inc., program, an aide at school and involved in many other civic projects. She and Bradford take winter trips and live in their cottage at Lake Messalonskee from June to October.

**Ellen Hoyt Gillard** of Willimantic, Conn., is a housewife and heads a summer camp for girls. Ellen and her husband took a winter trip to Jamaica. Their oldest daughter and grandson (aged four) are with them. . . . A federal-aid education program headed by **Charles Jordan** will be phased out in June but he is "not for hire." He will enjoy his family, the beauty of Maine and travel occasionally. . . . **Robert Lavigne** turned his business over to his son and went to live in Orlando, Fla. His volunteer work keeps him busy. He travels, and summers in Westboro, Mass. . . . **Chester Merrow**, former dean of junior colleges in Maine and Vermont, also has had an outstanding political career representing New Hampshire's First District in Congress.

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Dedication of an ultra modern coronary care unit at Waterville's Thayer Hospital emphasized anew the contribution of Colby people to the community. Mrs. **Emily R. Hall '26** of Waterville was there to represent the donors—her mother-in-law, **Mrs. Franklin W. Johnson**, wife of the former president; and her late husband, **Richard Dana Hall '32**. The self-sufficient unit is providing constant nursing care and observation of patients by an impressive array of monitoring equipment. A sophisticated telephone system allows a cardiologist to listen to the heart rate and rhythm of a patient even when the physician is away from the hospital. Mrs. Hall was instrumental in bringing the family gift to fruition, hospital officials noted.

Besides being a lecturer, radio commentator and author (**My Twenty Years in Congress**), Chester has attended United Nations and UNESCO conferences abroad, been a member of the National Advisory Council, and Congressional adviser to former Sec. of State Dean Rusk and former Sec. of the Treasury Douglas Dillon. A long-time Republican, Chester will run as a Democrat in 1972. . . . Look in the March issue of the **Colby Library Quarterly** for **Edwin Merry's** comparison between the Cherryfield Barrens and Thomas Hardy's Egdon Heath. Ed retired to North Edgcomb in 1967 after a varied career that included teaching composition and poetry at the University of Maine in Portland, publication work at Wesleyan University, flying and teaching of aeronautics, and public school teaching in Maine, Massachusetts and Connecticut. . . . **Ernest Miller**, a senior bank vice president in New Milford, Conn., is chairman of the planning commission there and travels often. Ernest expects to retire this year. **Thalia Bates Savage** planned to sell her Pennsylvania home and move to Marietta, Ga. She wonders if any "29ers" live nearby. . . . **Nathaniel Sills** is a motor products executive, does volunteer work and travels a good deal. . . . **Fred Sterns**, a Skowhegan merchant, visited Israel. . . . **Mark Shibles** will retire as head of the University of Maine's College of Education in June and take a position as professor of education at Westfield (Mass.) College.

## 1931

**Alice Linscott Roberts (Mrs. Wayne)**  
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After 23 years of coaching baseball at Newton (Mass.) High School, **Howard Ferguson** has decided to make room for a younger man. "As you get along and reach your 60s you begin to realize you don't have the zip that you had when you were younger." But the decision doesn't mean retirement for Howie, who compiled a phenomenal 334-117-7 record: he'll stay on as a teacher and assistant athletic director. His record includes a state championship in 1955, four Eastern Massachusetts titles and 14 trips to the state tournament. Howie began coaching at Hanover High School after graduation and joined the Newton staff as jayvee coach in 1934. Honored in 1969 by the American Association of College Coaches as high school coach of the year, Howie will continue as commissioner for basketball officials in the Bay State.

**Faith and John Davidson** are planning a trip to the Orient, New Zealand and Australia. John retired after 40 years in the electric utility business. They planned to be in Maine this spring but

the time does not coincide with our reunion. Sorry. . . . **Eunice Foye Hutchins** and husband come to their cottage at Onset, Mass., every summer. They recently returned from Florida. Enroute they saw Barbara Sherman Burger '32, and visited Williamsburg and Washington, D.C. In May they are going to California to visit their oldest. At reunion time they will probably be in Canada. The grandchild count is up to nine. . . . **Looy Mulligan Collins** and husband started earlier than usual for Florida. John would like to retire but doctors are finding it difficult to close out their practices. . . . Another traveler to Asia will be **Phyllis Fisher Gulliver**. Last year Phyll broke her ankle twice. "Not being able to play golf hurt more than the break," she said. . . . **Fran Page Egan** is basking in the balmy south.

**Doris Spencer Wallis** and I had dinner together. We thought that living near one another would bring us together more often. It doesn't seem to work out that way. How our tongues do wag when they get the opportunity! . . . **Virgil Totman** has been made a Knight of the York Cross of Honor. This honorary degree, highest in the York Rite of Freemasonry, is conferred on those who have held the highest office in each of the four bodies of the rite. Virgil is commander of the Grand Commandery of Maine this year. . . . **Edward U. MacConnie** will resign as principal of Seymour (Conn.) High School this summer. Ed has served the school system 40 years. . . . **Dana Simmons** is head of the department of education at Unity College. Dana has been principal of several high schools in Maine, most recently in Bangor. He will be a consultant to the Republic of Venezuela for the summer, assisting in the reorganization of secondary education.

**Rod Farnham** is our reunion chairman. Let's make this a memorable one. Rod and Peg had a wonderful trip to Scotland, London, Paris and Amsterdam. Remember that June 12 is reunion night.

## 1932

### **Martha Johnston Hayward**

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Much of the news seems to be of retirements — planned or in effect. **Don Christie**, former Gray superintendent of schools, stayed with the system as business manager. . . . After 40 years in education, **Stan Clement**, professional education division director at Bridgewater (Mass.) State College, will retire in the spring of 1972. Stan, former professor and high school principal, travels a lot and plans to visit the British Isles this summer. His daughter, a nun, is a

teacher. . . . **Warren Bice**, production sales manager of a Waterbury, Conn., firm, is eager to retire. He has a married daughter, and a son who is vice president of a manufacturing concern. Warren has four grandchildren. . . . **Tommy Grant**, headmaster of Morriston (N. J.) School, plans to retire to Damariscotta-South Bristol in about three years. He is president of the Boarding School Headmasters' Association of the middle states. . . . **Evelyn Johnson** has been in social work for 28 years, the last eight in the Maine Department of Health and Welfare's Rockland district. She loves it and says nothing about retirement. . . . **Frederick Knox** is pastor of an Allston, Mass., Baptist Church. His daughter, Elizabeth Stoddard '55, and two married sons have nine children among them. Fred plans to retire in 1973. . . . **Gwen Mardin Haynes** is traveling after retirement from Traip Academy (Kittery) — the Mediterranean, Caribbean, Orient, Canada, Europe. You name it! She has three sons and four grandchildren. . . . **John DeMiceli** is math department chairman of the Newburgh (N. Y.) School District and town court justice in Cornwall, where he lives. John has two grandchildren.

**Cy Perkins**, physical education supervisor for the Bangor schools, is president of the Maine Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation. He represented Maine at national conferences last year in New York, Washington and Boston, and went to Detroit and Philadelphia this spring. . . . Our peripatetic classmate **Bern Porter**, subject of a recent **Colby Library Quarterly**, is living and working in Rockland. His writings are housed in the libraries of Colby, Brown, Ricker (Houlton) and U.C.L.A. . . . **Liane Rancourt Savage** of Waterville teaches at Winslow High and has been medical records librarian at Seton Hospital for 20 years. . . . **Everett Slocum** is head of the history department at the Fessenden School (West Newton, Mass.). Son, Peter, part of the "reverse brain drain," lives in Cambridge, England, with his wife and Peter (9), Ashley Elizabeth (7) and Alexandra (3). The grandparents visited Cambridge last summer. Peter Sr. manages the London office of a big American stock brokerage concern. . . . **Bill Steinhoff**, management analyst for the town of Oyster Bay, N. Y., planned to retire April 1. He has two sons, five grandsons and a granddaughter. . . . **Gladys True Phelps** lives in Springfield, Mass., with her artist husband. They have three sons and two grandsons. Gladys' mother still lives in Oakland. . . . **Bob Waite**, industrial relations coordinator with Texas-U.S. Chemical, expects to retire in September, 1972. The Waites spend their winters in Texas where they visit with family, including four grandchildren; and spend the summer and fall in Maine. They have fished and hunted all the way from Alaska to the Bahamas.

. . . **Maxwell Ward** teaches at Lawrence High in Fairfield and lives in Clinton. After 39 years of teaching, he looks forward to the magic date — June 12. His son is getting a master's at U.C.L.A. Maxwell has a daughter and granddaughter in Turner. . . . **Phyllis Weston** heads the math department in the new Skowhegan high school, center for surrounding towns. . . . It's only fitting: now there's a Grossman's Lumber Co. outlet on the Oakland Road not far from Colby. **Nissie Grossman**, former trustee and 1970 Colby Brick recipient, is chairman of the board of the lumber and accessories chain.

## 1934

### **Margaret Salmond Matheson**

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**Francis Allen** writes from Western Michigan University that after six years of planning, he has moved into his new physical sciences library. He's happy to be in this setting with a hard-working international staff including three Ethiopians, one Greek, an Indian, two black Americans and one white American. Frank is also proud of his older daughter, Denise, who will enter Western Michigan University next fall with the highest grant given to a freshman in the field of paper chemistry. . . . It was good to have **Richard Kimball** check in. In January he celebrated his 35th anniversary with The Employers' Commercial Union companies. In his insurance work he travels from his home in Newton, Mass., to New York, where he works with the Multi-Line Insurance Rating Bureau. He also makes underwriting inspection visits around the country for his company. Dick writes that he would like very much to hear from a former freshman roommate and fraternity brother! And, Dick, when you are at your summer retreat at Sagadahoc Bay in Georgetown, why not visit Colby and your friends nearby? . . . U. S. District Attorney **Peter Mills** has made quite a successful recovery from the same type of hip surgery performed on Senator Margaret Chase Smith recently.

**Barbara White Morse's** best news is that on Oct. 27 she was in Winona, Minn., to welcome her first grandchild, Mary Christina Preston. Daughter Sally's husband is campus minister at Winona State College. The response to Barbara's articles on low art tiles, published in **Yankee** and **Spinning Wheel** magazines, has been overwhelming. She has received 66 letters from 17 states. I am looking forward to a visit from "B. Z." the next time she travels to the University of Maine where her son, Curtis, is a professor. . . . **Frances**



**Ralph S. Williams '35**, a trustee of many concerns in Maine, has been named to the executive committee of the Depositors Trust Co. Colby's administrative vice president, on his first sabbatical in 23 years at the college, has been a director of the bank since 1968. He is Herbert Wadsworth Professor of Business Administration and has held the administrative post since 1959.

**Palmer** enjoyed a bus tour from Salt Lake City to Yellowstone National Park last summer, and spent a week in Portland, Ore., as a Waltham Club delegate to the International Toastmistress Convention. Frannie is an associate member of the American Society of Dentistry for Children, and attended the convention of this group at the Sand's Hotel in Las Vegas. . . . **Barbara Bridges Stinneford** and her daughter, Sally, jumped the snow barrier and went to Nassau for a week in March. Barb asked if she could get any of the pictures that were taken at our last reunion. I tried to check on that with Carleton '33 and **Louise Pierce Brown**. But they were off to Florida. Lucky people!

## 1936

**Kay Caswell Abbott** (Mrs. Carroll)  
21 Averill Terrace  
Waterville, Maine 04901

**Laura Tolman Brown** is school librarian and media specialist in the Schenectady, N. Y., school system, and faculty advisor for the yearbook. Laura and Carlton are members of the Schenectady Photo Society and are in charge of the overseas slide program. It provides slide pictures of Schenectady for students and church groups going overseas. Laura and Carlton have a 25-foot motor home in which they travel around the country. They plan to visit Maine this summer. . . . Former Kennebec County Probate Judge **Lewis I. Naiman** of Augusta has been appointed a Superior Court judge. A former Kennebec County attorney, Lewis has

been president of the county bar association.

**Asa H. Roach** has been elected to the board of directors of the First National Bank of Aroostook (Presque Isle office). He is a director and treasurer of the Houlton Water Company, past chairman of the Katahdin Area Council of Boy Scouts of America, former trustee of the Houlton School District and past president of the Aroostook Bar Association. . . . **Eleanor "Billy" MacCarey Whitmore** and husband, Alvin, have moved to Ellsworth, after 20 years in the Boston suburbs — from a Boston advertising agency to public relations and advertising in a local bank. They are delighted.

## 1939

**Judith Quint Schneider** (Mrs. Stanley)  
23 Ballard Street  
Newton Centre, Mass. 02159

**Dwight Sargent**, speaking on Journalism Day at Wayne State University (Detroit), had some interesting comments on his life's work: "In attempting to be a community's conscience, a newspaper must be part preacher, part teacher, and part missionary. That is why I refer to journalism in the jet age as a calling rather than an occupation or a trade or an art. . . . Those who answer the call not only must be well-educated and well-motivated, . . . they must be inspired by journalism's opportunities to create a better society. . . . Like the ministry or the priesthood, it demands extra ounces of commitment." Dwight, a college trustee, is curator of the Nieman Foundation for Journalism at Harvard and former editorial page director for the **New York Herald Tribune**.

**Wilson C. Piper**, another trustee, was on a panel in Boston, for the Federal Tax Institute of New England in December. . . . **Earl W. Higgins**, principal of Lisbon High School since 1952, is the new president of the Maine State Principals' Association. He had been principal of Erskine and Freedom academies. . . . **David C. Libbey** accepted President Strider's invitation to be Colby's representative at the dedication of the Hilton C. Buley Library at Southern Connecticut State College.

**Gardiner Gregory** hopes to complete an eight-year labor of love by fall — moving a natural science museum he developed with his wife from their home in Hicksville, N. Y., to more spacious quarters in the "old town hall" there. Many organizations in the community have worked to raise money and to rehabilitate the building. Now a \$10,000 grant from the New York Council on the Arts has enabled Gardiner to hire a full-time curator. Another goal is to gain additional public financial support for the growing collection of more than

6,000 rock and mineral specimens, photographs of fluorescent minerals, fossils, Indian artifacts and jewelry made in the museum lapidary shop. More than 30,000 persons have visited the museum since 1963, and it serves schools as a geology-minerology classroom. The museum also has acquired a mobile unit to serve Long Island schools as an earth science lab. Firms and organizations from all over the country furnished exhibits for the museum's ecology week this April. Gardiner looks ahead to establishing a full-fledged earth science center.

## 1944

**Louise Callahan Johnson** (Mrs. Robert)  
168 Mt. Vernon Road East  
East Weymouth, Mass. 02189

**Kay Howes Brooks** and family have stopped roaming around the world and settled at Brandeis University (Waltham, Mass.) where Wendell is director of security. . . . **Arnold Grossman** practices dentistry in Framingham, Mass. He is president of the Massachusetts chapter of the Academy of General Dentistry and will be executive secretary of a national scientific session next fall in Atlantic City, N. J. . . . **Mildred Steenland Ellison** continues as president of the Day Nursery Association of Scranton, Pa. Her daughter, Stephanie, has been cited as one of the outstanding high school students of English in the country. . . . **Warren McDougal** has moved to Weston, Conn. His daughter, Marilyn '72, is taking her spring semester at Fisk University, Nashville, Tenn. . . . **Alex Anton**, attorney and C.P.A. has had an accounting office in Portsmouth, N. H., for nine years. . . . **Janice Tappin Lowell** served on the staff of a student leadership conference at the University of New Hampshire last summer. Janice teaches at Fryeburg (Maine) Academy. . . . **Phil Nutting** is president of Media-Rep Center, Inc., a magazine representative firm with headquarters in Boston. Phil has been busy in advertising circles in New England and has served as president of the Boston Ad Club and governor of the Lantern Club, the association of magazine people in the Boston area.

## 1947

**Dorie Meyer Hawkes** (Mrs. Richard)  
R.F.D. #1  
Fairfield, Maine 04937

Thanks to those who returned their questionnaires. Those who haven't should remember there are other issues of the **Alumnus**.

**Mae Hoyt Farrington**, chief medical technologist at H. D. Goodall Hospital in Sanford, and her husband had a marvelous fall trip to Newfoundland. . . .

**Elizabeth Hall Fitch** is the proud mother of six, including one at Tufts and another at M.I.T. She isn't too busy to be a first grade teacher in Concord, Mass., and she earned her M.Ed. from Northeastern in 1969. . . . A psychiatric case worker at Northampton State Hospital out-patient clinic, **Barbara Longley** gives her spare time to the church and civic work. . . . The **Ray Greene** family enjoyed Colby's Winter Weekend. Ray is raising funds for a new YMCA in Needham, Mass. . . . **Harold Joseph** of Fairfield, owner of Joseph's Clothing and Sporting Goods Store, has found time to serve as chairman of the school board, Colby solicitor on the last drive and a PAL director. He has three daughters, one married, one a senior at the University of Maine and an eighth grader. . . . A dozen roses for **Dottie Cleaves Rodgers**, who is a grandmother. Son, Scott, and his wife had a baby girl, Kristen Beth. Dottie works as head cook in a Belfast school. She enjoyed the Winter Weekend with **Harriet** and **Dana Robinson**.

Dr. **Harold Kearney**, youth education specialist at the University of Maine, is a director of the Law Enforcement Assistance and Planning Agency, the juvenile delinquency study for the state, and lectures on learning disabilities. He has written **Directory of Youth Services in Maine, Let's Explore Your Career, Directory of Educational Opportunities in Maine and Think Ahead**. . . . **Sylvia Gray Noyes** is taking care of her four daughters and doing graduate work at the University of Maine. . . . **Roberta Marden Alden** is a substitute teacher. Her oldest son is a junior at Springfield College. . . . President **A. R. "Bud" Schlesinger** of the Naomi Knitting Mills, Zebulon, N. C., is vice president of the Chamber of Commerce, and director of the Raleigh Chamber Music Society, the Africana School of Arts and Zebulon Community Library. . . . The Rev. **William Kershaw** is director of student financial aid and employment at Gordon College and Gordon Divinity School in Wenham, Mass. . . . In the November election, **Ted Russell** was elected Kennebec County treasurer. . . . Teacher **Mitchell Jaworski** attended the Students Art League on his sabbatical in New York City. He has a daughter at Potsdam State Teacher's College, another at Braircliffe, a son in high school and a daughter in private business. . . . **Charlotte Hanks Dumas** and husband, Jim, who is assistant business manager at Gordon Military College, are planning a trip to Maine next year for our 25th reunion. Last year son, Jimmy, won a scholarship to Gordon Military High School. Charlie teaches science to eighth grade boys. . . . In sunny Florida, **Irene Ferris Martin** is a teacher of social studies in grades six through eight. Rene says the weather

is great and y'all are welcome. . . . Dr. **Donald Klein** has been named medical director of Hillside Hospital, Glen Oaks, N. Y. He and his wife are establishing a child development clinic, concentrating on school phobia and childhood learning defects. . . . **Marilyn Hubert**, employed by the Department of Interior, is with the geologic names committee and lexicon unit. It checks maps and manuscripts to see that rock names and designations are used correctly, and codifies and records the official status of all geologic names. . . . **Beverly Benner Cassara** teaches at the Federal City College, Washington, D. C. Bev received her Ed.D. in 1970 from Boston University. . . . The **Hawkes** family is well. Dick still travels for Keyes Fibre and is in Australia at the moment. Our oldest daughter is at St. Lawrence University.

## 1948

**Janet Gay Hawkins** (Mrs. Herman)  
22 Heights Road  
Plandome, N. Y. 11030

Notes of worth were few and far between this time around. But thanks to a few people, there is a column for the class.

Biggest news is that **Kay Weisman Jaffe** has been listed in **Who's Who in Library Science** and **Who's Who of American Women**. Kay is assistant reference librarian at Boston College.

.. **Shirley Carrier Brown** writes from Arizona that she received her M. A. in elementary education from Arizona State University in June. Another degree winner was **Ann McAlary Hall** who received her master of library service from the University of Maine in August.

**Gene Hunter's** South Portland High School basketball team, a top contender among Maine's largest schools in recent years, finally went all the way. His boys beat Presque Isle 55-53 in March to take the State Championship. Congratulations, Gene!

Three more classmates report that they have offspring at Colby. **Ginny Hill Field's** son, Ted, is a freshman; the daughter of **Barbara Lindsey** and **Robert** ('47) **Lucy**, Sarah, is a junior as is **Elaine Browning Townsley's** son, Dudley. . . . Other '48 children have been traveling abroad for their education. **Phyllis O'Connell Murray's** son, Wendell, is an American Field Service scholarship student in Italy; Betty, daughter of **Francis** and **Virginia Brewer Folino**, is on an AFS award in Denmark; and **Betty Coombs Cork's** daughter, Nancy, spent the summer in Brazil on a similar program. **Dorothy Worthy Cleaver's** daughter, Patty, is taking her junior year off from Smith and is studying at the University of Leicester in England. . . . **Gil Taverner** notes that he is still acting as dean of chapel, chaplain and assistant professor of religion at Simpson Col-

lege (Iowa) and becoming (almost) a midwesterner. . . . Last note: **Charlie DeBevoise** mentioned that spring Colby get-together he instigated in New Jersey several years ago is growing and growing—people come from as far away as Maine.

## 1949

**Jean Sheppard Silva** (Mrs. Bernard)  
33 Marla Lane  
Reading, Mass. 01867

News again from **Dwight Erlick**: still with the National Bureau of Standards in Washington, but he and Nancy have moved to larger quarters to accommodate their "best news ever"—a son, Benjamin. . . . **Ray** and **Joan Rogers** have moved to Connecticut. He is the new superintendent of Regional School District 7 (Barkhamsted, New Hartford, Norfolk and Colebrook). . . . **Sid McKeen**, after 20 years with the **Worcester Telegram** and **Evening Gazette**, has become assistant to the editor. Sid was editor of **The New England Editor**, published by the New England Society of Newspaper Editors, and is governor of the society. He also enjoys civic affairs in West Boylston, Mass.

**Don Nicoll** spends up to 12 hours a day in the office of U. S. Sen. Edmund Muskie. It seems his prime task is to put Muskie in the White House. . . . Guest speaker last fall at a meeting of the Quincy and South Shore Board of Realtors was **Charlie Pearce**, president of the Quincy Savings Bank. . . . Dr. **Thomas Pierce** is now practicing in Pittsfield. This was quite a winter to move to Maine after 10 years in Florida (10 feet of snow)! . . . **Bob Sage** is in the news again. He very successfully headed the Annual Fund drive for Colby. Hear he is planning a new 20-story, 300-room hotel in Kenmore Square, Boston. . . . Apologies to **Jean Maloof Naman**, who was inadvertently omitted from the list of female '49ers who are members of the Merrimack Valley Colby Club. Jean plans tours for a travel agency and even tries them out. Last year it was a safari in Africa.

All for now. Keep the news coming!

## 1951

**Charles** and **Joan Cammann McIntyre**  
27 Elm Street  
Marblehead, Mass. 01945

The Maine State Chamber of Commerce has elected **Arnold Sturtevant** president. Arnie is president of the Livermore Falls Trust Co. (Did any of you Maine residents see him on the television commercial for the bank?) He is a former president of the Maine Bankers Association, and a member of the town's school and

planning boards. Arnie and **Leda (Whitney)** have four children. In a letter to the Maine Publicity Bureau following his election to the state chamber, Arnie stressed the importance of promoting "our State of Maine as an unexcelled place in which to live and earn a living."

**David Miller** is an expert on a resource that soon may be more precious than gold. He is a partner in Geraghty & Miller, Inc. (Port Washington, N. Y.), geologists with an international reputation for locating hidden supplies of fresh ground water needed to bolster the dwindling surface supply. About 97 per cent of the earth's fresh water is under our feet; dig anywhere and you'll find some water. But quantity is the key to success for Dave's firm. Its accomplishments range from the domestic — increasing the water capacity of Middletown, Conn., fourfold — to finding a supply in notoriously arid Tindouf, deep in the Sahara. The latest scientific techniques and equipment are used. And in case you're wondering, the firm's staff considers divining rods and dowsing superstitions!

The new pastor of the First Congregational Church of Meriden, Conn., is **Robert Dagget**. He was ordained in 1965, had a pastorate in Haydenville, Mass., and was on the staff of the First Congregational Church in West Hartford.

... **Louis Woisard** is president and general counsel for the Delta Rubber Co. of Danielson, Conn. ... **Harvey Kirstein** is with the Colpitts Travel Center of Lexington, Mass. ... **"Sibby" Cultrera** is back at Traip Academy (Kittery) as chairman of the biology department after three years as director of the Regional Academic Marine Program. ... **Bob Lee** received the Colby "C" Club Man-of-the-year award at the fall Homecoming dinner. Bob was cited for his "breadth of activity" in behalf of the college. He is area chairman for the North Shore Plan for Colby drive.

Former **Alumnus** Editor **Ian Robertson** is chairman of publications for the School of the Art Institute of Chicago. ... We heard from **Geoff** and **Rennie Lyford**. The address is Calgary, Alta. They moved last fall. Geoff is at the University of Calgary doing computer consultant work. Oldest son, Geoff, is at the University of Colorado. The family is excited by the new life in Canada, and taking advantage of the outdoors and activities in Calgary and the university.

... **Bill Thompson** has advanced to safety and protection supervisor for Dupont's Parlin Fabrics & Finishing Plant in Freehold, N. J. Bill and Pat are living there. ... **Dick Gass** and wife, Jane, have a son, Peter, studying hotel management at the College of the Virgin Islands. They live in Hubbardstown, Mass. ... **Paul Kilminster** is assistant district superintendent for the New

## Teachers' Teacher

**Norma Bergquist Garnett**, correspondent for the class of 1952, doesn't need the **Alumnus** to get her name in print. Her dedicated and imaginative Spanish teaching at Warwick (R.I.) Veterans Memorial High School has won her recognition which comes to few teachers. Norma is Rhode Island's nominee for the National Teacher of the Year Award sponsored by the Council of Chief State School Officers and **Look** magazine.

"It's a tremendous thrill," she told a **Providence Sunday Journal** interviewer. "The exciting thing in education is it never comes to a set pattern. We're always moving and changing, trying to find the best way."

Norma, wife of Norval Garnett '51 and mother of four, has found some interesting ways — like making her own film strips and tapes, and sponsoring the Simon Bolivar chapter of the Sociedad Honoraria Hispana at Veterans Memorial. And desks don't face the front of her room. They're in four groups, each facing the center so the students face each other. "After all, you don't sit in a line at home. . . . It's more natural, like a party, and it gives me more space for walking. You should have some movement in a classroom."



Because Norma feels language should be a tool for further learning, she started a Spanish history course conducted in the language. The tapes and filmstrips employ stick figures or toy cowboys and Indians in comedy situations, speaking their dialogue in fluent Spanish. They improve oral comprehension and vocabulary.

A Spanish major at Colby, Norma earned her master's at Brown and is a doctoral candidate at Boston University. She and Norval, a bank department manager, live in Cumberland, R.I.

"I've always wanted to be a teacher and enjoy kids. Is it all right to say 'kids'?"

Hampshire Board of Education. He and Barbara live in Concord.

This is reunion year. **Don Merriam** is in charge of our festivities. We hope many of you will try to make it.

## 1952

**Norma Bergquist Garnett** (Mrs. Norval)  
39 Bear Hill Road  
Cumberland, R. I. 02864

**Edmund Pecukonis** has earned his second doctorate, this one in psychology. He earned his master's and doctorate in education from Boston College. He is married to the former Joan Keezer of Plaistow, N. H. They live with their five sons in Lynn, Mass. ... **Carol Thacker Scott** is teaching at a community cooperative nursery school in Old Saybrook, Conn. She received her master's in education at Boston University and taught first grade in Concord, Mass. Husband, Ronald, is superintendent of schools in Old Saybrook. Their children are Gregory (11), Andrew (9) and Elizabeth (5). ... **Dr. Herbert H. Richardson** has been appointed by Secretary John A. Volpe to the new post of chief scientist of the U. S. Department of Transportation. On a leave of absence from the faculty of M.I.T., he and his wife, Estelle, moved to Washington, D. C., in September with daughter, Gail

(14). ... **Paul A. Cote** was Androscoggin County finance chairman for Atty. Gen. James S. Erwin, who came within a few hundred votes of unseating Gov. Kenneth M. Curtis in the November election. A former Lewiston Municipal Court Judge, Paul was a member of the Lewiston boards of finance and education. He is a graduate of Boston University School of Law. He and his wife, Joan, have four children.

**Dr. Richard T. Chamberlain** was cited by the American College of Physicians and granted a fellowship in the medical specialty society for his achievements and high standards. ... **Alan R. Blackman** is the commerce and industry chairman for the 1971 Heart Fund Campaign of the Greater Boston Chapter of the Massachusetts Heart Association. Alan lives in Chestnut Hill, Mass., with wife, Joyce, and their three children. ... **Peggy** and **George Whitney** still live in Littleton, Colo. Their children are Ruth Ann (16), Walter (7) and Leslie (6). ... **The Cannells** (Bob and **Joan Kelby**) live in Portland. Joan is working part time in a school guidance department. She says the children are "getting bigger and noisier." ... **The McCoy's** (**John** and **Barbara Vaughan**) live in Schenectady, N. Y. The whole family are ski enthusiasts: Diane (15), Johnny (12), Cynthia (9) and Lisa (7). ... **The Ratoffs** (**John** and **Arlene Tobey**) seem also to be

winter people and often attend the Colby winter weekend with their family. They are living in Hampton, N. H. . . . **Jean Brewer Bridge** and husband, Wally, are planning a spring trip to Spain. They live in Bangor with their two daughters, Debbie and Sandy.

Warning: A year from June is our 20th reunion! Let's start thinking about it now. The more who come back, the more fun we'll have.

## 1955

**Ann Burnham Deering** (Mrs. John)  
27 Hedgerow Drive  
Falmouth Foreside, Maine 04105

**Nan Irons George** has been appointed director of youth services in Ipswich, Mass. Nan was among the first to urge development of a center for teen-agers there. She has worked for several years with adults, young people and civic organizations to find both a location for the center and adults to supervise the activities. . . . Professor **Ronald Francis** was a guest last summer at the laboratory at the Photographic Institute of the Technische Hochschule in Zurich, Switzerland. . . . **David Morin** directed a summer workshop project at Contoocook Valley Regional High School, Peterborough, N.H. The project involved the latest adaptations of experiments with technology and media in education. . . . **Sid Farr** engineered another fabulous Family Weekend at the end of January. The '55 gang returned to enjoy skiing, skating, swimming, hockey and basketball games, tennis, a play for the children, a cocktail party at the Alumni House, a sumptuous dinner and camaraderie. They were **Al Landau**, **Harriet Sears Fraser**, **Jane Millett Dornish**, **Dick and Jean Hawes Anderson**, **Ellie Small Hudson**, **Dino Sirakides**, **Sid** and yours truly. . . . **Dino** is back East from California, in Roseland, N.J., following promotion to vice president for product engineering for the Monroe calculator division of Litton Industries in Orange, N.J. He had been with Litton's data systems division and with Hughes Aircraft on the Coast.

Let me hear the latest news from more of you. Those of you who are lucky enough to have teen-agers, send advice!

## 1958

**Lynn D'Amico McKee** (Mrs. Robert)  
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APO San Francisco, Calif. 96555

"The earthquake was interesting; wouldn't want it to become a habit," writes **Caroline Hall** from California. She's teaching in a new school and getting a lot of mileage from her free time skiing the Western areas, including Sun



Lt. Col. **David L. Roberts '55** received the Meritorious Service Medal at Albrook Air Force Base in the Canal Zone from Maj. Gen. **Kenneth O. Sanborn**, commander of the Air Forces Southern Command. Colonel Roberts, who is married to the former **Ruth McDonald '55**, distinguished himself as chief of the development branch, weapons systems analysis division, of the Pentagon's Military Command System Support Center. The son of **Wayne and Alice Linscott Roberts '31**, he is stationed with his family at Albrook.

Valley and Mammoth. "They live up to their reputations." She spent last summer camping through Europe and spent a delightful month in Greece. She was in Hawaii for Easter and plans to get to Mexico this summer. . . . **Clark Jones** and family live in Monroe, N. Y. He is eastern regional sales manager for the **Craig Corp.** (car stereos, tape recorders and radios). . . . **Ginny George Landrey** says the new baby was "quite a shock after 10 years!" **Ginny's** leisure time is spent "playing in the dirt" in a greenhouse full of orchids. . . . **Stan Moger** is one of three partners in a new company (one is **Bob Frank '54**) that specializes in media selection and arrangement. **Stan** collects old radio shows on tape and all the neighborhood kids are welcome at weekend movie matinees in the **Moger** cellar theater. "**Aaron Schless** in Connecticut finally got married," **Stan** reports. . . . **Pam Jones Christie** has been developing a program for deaf pre-schoolers in **Richmond, Va.**, for three years. The private school was taken over as public this year. **Pam** has eight classes and hopes to add one a year. . . . **Paul Svendsen** is life and financial services manager for **Travelers Insurance** in Bangor. He enjoys "the clean Maine air, the five-minute drive to the office, the ski slopes a half-hour away and the friendly people." . . . **Al Dean** has bought his partner's interest in a Volkswagen dealership. His hobby is flying planes — real and radio-controlled models. **John and Marian Ludwig** are also in the Leomin-

ster, Mass., area, and the two men have put in some flying time together. Quite a change for **John** after **B47s!** **George and Wendy (McWilliams '60) Denneen** are in nearby Acton. **Al** ran into **Bob Saltz** on Boston's "Capital Hill" recently. . . . **Sandy Doolittle Hunt** is doing part-time psychiatric social work at a private Connecticut hospital and is on the board of a child guidance clinic. She completed an alcoholism seminar at the University of Hartford. . . . **Janet Pratt Brown** loves the pottery courses she has taken for two years at **Carnegie Institute**. **Jan** sees **Helen Payson Seager** occasionally. . . . **Peter Bridge** is dean of students at **Champlain College**, **Burlington, Vt.** He will complete his master's in guidance counseling at **St. Michael's** in June and start a doctoral program in September. . . . **Joe Consolino** is marketing director for **Little, Brown & Co.** The job sometimes takes him to Europe. He does everything from "signing contracts to taking back copies which never sold!"

**Peter Doran** is executive director of the **Health Council of Maine**, associate coordinator evaluating **Maine's** regional medical programs and president of the **Waterville Area Alumni Association**. "Enjoyed the **Winter Weekend** run by **Sid Farr** this year." . . . **Helen Payson Seager** and her husband have bought a vacation home on **Nantucket Island**. **Helen**, who addressed the **Pittsburg Board of Education** twice this fall, is with a group of teachers trying to bring the **British "open classroom"** concept to the city, is advocating repeal of the state's abortion law and working to improve the role of women in church affairs. . . . **Mary Adams** is secretary to the treasurer of the **Experiment in International Living**. She does volunteer work at a **Bellows Falls, Vt.**, hospital and works with other civic groups. . . . **Beryl Scott Glover** and family have moved into a new home on 10 acres outside **Chapel Hill, N. C.** . . . **Ann Wieland Spaeth** makes time for skiing, tennis, hockey and lacrosse; teaches **Sunday School**, and sings in the choir. She saw **Kate Knight Hall**, who has moved to **Winston-Salem**. . . . **John Baxter** is coordinator of team teaching in an experimental elementary school program in **Barrington, R. I.**, serves as critic teacher for a college teacher preparation program and is secretary-treasurer of the **Rhode Island Colby Club**. . . . **Don Kennedy** is a teaching fellow at **Harvard** and teaches in **Weston, Mass.** He will finish his doctoral course next year on sabbatical at **Harvard**. **Don and Jean** sail and snowshoe. They anticipated a February visit from the **Ray Dows**. **Ray** is district supervisor of adult social service and financial assistance for **Maine Health and Welfare De-**

partment. . . . **Susan Bower Hendrickson** and family are adjusting happily to their new home in Worthington, Ohio, with help from **Jane** and **John Reisman** of Columbus—"a real joy being close to them."

**Dave O'Brien** has a new job as project administrator with the Natural Resources Council of Maine. His duties in the newly-created position will include supervising special projects and coordinating financial assistance for the state's environmental efforts. Dave is a member of the Alumni Council and the president's steering committee for the Plan for Colby. He served as an alternate member of the Yarmouth Planning Board and is a registered Maine guide. Dave is married and has four children.

. . . I'm sorry to report that **Sheila Tunnock Cox's** husband, **Leroy**, died in January. . . . **Bill and Betty Cooper Cochran** visited with **Judy Merrill** and **Bob '56 Erb** in Ramsey, N. J., Thanksgiving night—"caught up on all the years, and all our children got acquainted." . . . **Peggy Fox Hutchinson** is president of the Lexington, Mass., preschool PTA, and is working on a major fund raising project. . . . **Cindy Fox Goffin** received her second "Oak Leaf Duster" for another term as coordinator for family services, an Air Force volunteer group in northern Maine with the motto, "The Air Force takes care of its own." . . . **Ann Willcox Cagle's** marriage added three stepchildren to her life. The family owns an old farmhouse. A Tennessee walking horse, a stray dog, two canaries are "additions to an already large menagerie." Ann completed her education at Guilford College, Greensboro, N. C., with a B.S. in math. . . . Another sad item: **Janice Klem Hansen's** husband died in March of 1970, before the birth of their daughter. She lives in Worcester, Mass., and is working on a master's in education. . . . **Jerry Wolper**, with the National Labor Relations Board, is teaching and enjoying a course in labor-management relations at Northeastern's Weymouth, Mass., campus. Jerry is "still trying to learn to ski." . . . **Gary Poor** says life at Clark University has its rewards—a forthcoming trip to Puerto Rico and South America. The Poores are building a bigger house, which they swore they wouldn't do again. But they must have regained their strength. . . . **Maggie Smith Henry** has two children under two years of age. Eventually she hopes to travel and ski not just look at her sewing machine. Her husband is chairman of the high school science department in Levittown (Pa.). . . . **Ronny Moran**, listed in the 1970 edition of **Personalities of the South**, will have his second book of poetry, **Narrowing the Base**, published by Windfall Press. . . .



*O'Brien*

**Phil Dankert** is assistant to the librarian of the Martice P. Catherwood Library, New York State School of Industrial and Labor Relations at Cornell. Much of his time is taken up by the new Cornell Senate and the Masons. . . . **Norman Lee** manages a branch office of the Connecticut Bank and Trust Co. in West Hartford. Skiing, woodcuts, sand casting, and building mobiles (which he sells) take up his free hours. In June, Norm will attend the Rutgers Graduate School of Banking. . . . **Karen Breen Krasnigor** expects a fourth child, "presumably a boy like the others." She golfs, bowls, knits and tutors in algebra and geometry. Kriss and Karen ran into **Marty Burger** and his wife in September. Marty is teaching and studying at the University of Texas. . . . **Myron Gantt**, an Air Force navigator-reconnaissance systems officer, his wife and three sons enjoy camping and fishing in Northern California. Their 10-year-old learned to pan gold at school. The whole family has the "fever" and goes to the mountains often "to scratch the itch." . . . **Tom Roy** is data processing development manager with Aetna Life and Casualty. He works with the Simsbury Republican town committee and the Multiple Sclerosis Society. Tom commented on the Colby Winter Weekend: "Great to be back." . . . **Jim Bishop** was named national environmental correspondent for **Newsweek**. Jim and family like to camp in the Virginia mountains.

## 1959

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**Carl Cobb** is achieving increasing prominence through his writings and public appearances. His "Solving the Doctor Shortage" appeared in the Aug. 22 issue of **The Saturday Review** with other articles on the subject of "Health Change" by such prominent contributors

as U. S. Senator Abraham Rubicoff of Connecticut. Carl, the **Boston Globe's** medical writer, spent last year at Harvard as a Nieman Fellow. He has appeared on several television programs as interviewer and panelist. . . . **Paul LaVerdiere** of Waterville has been named general manager of LaVerdiere's Drug Stores. He also is a member of the Waterville School Board. . . . **Jay Church** has been appointed general manager of Cordage of Dayton (Ohio). . . . After spending the summer touring Europe, **Mary Shesong** started her new job as head psychiatric social worker at Newton-Wellesley (Mass.) Hospital. . . . Besides being a drama teacher, **Bob Brolli** and his wife, **Marcia '62**, have an antique business and restore old homes. The past two springs, they took trips to London and Paris. . . . Another writer in our midst is **Jackie Bendelius Davidson**, who has just published a pamphlet. **The Soho Scene: Guide to Lofts and Galleries South of Houston Street.** . . . **Carol Cummings Crain** recommends Alaska as a great place to live. Also in that area are **Al and Nancy Thompson Fearing**. They are stationed at Adak with the Coast Guard. From our other new state, **Gary Hagerman** reports the living in Hawaii is beautiful. . . . **Gard Rand**, director of personnel at Waterville's Thayer Hospital, says the Maine air is still clear and fine. On the other hand, **Clare "Bobbin" Burns Drinkwater** reports that pollution is a way of life in New York City. . . . Congratulations to **Bob "Tank" Auriemma**, who received the Jaycees' physical fitness award this month. Bob and Irene live in Bricktown, N. J.

A number of people have moved fairly recently. **Dave Lawrence** and his **Dottie '60** moved to Bloomfield, Conn. Dave is with the Webster Division of McGraw-Hill Book Co. **Bob and Mary Twiss Kopchans** are living in Los Angeles. . . . **Faith LaFountain Horsky** and family just moved from California to Bath, Ohio where her husband is trying his hand at restaurant management. **Bob Keltie** and family also left California to live in Houston where he works in the systems consulting field. **Janice Cronk Marston** has moved to Auburn and **Danny '60** and **Kiki Kies Madden** now live in Harvard, Mass. . . . **Kay German Dean** is very much involved with a Head Start program in Leominster, Mass., helping Spanish-speaking four and five-year-olds prepare for their public school experience. **Erla Cleaves Davis'** activities include studying adoption law procedures and the fostering of various racial and ethnic experiences for children. Erla and Larry have adopted two children of mixed racial background.

Please keep the news coming in. It was great to hear from so many of you.



## 1960

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The class is involved in some interesting, worthwhile and fun activities. The watchword is diversity. **Jo Deans** and **George Auchincloss** are in Loudonville, N. Y., near Albany. George changed from life insurance to securities. Jo will start work July 1 at the Emma Willard School in Troy, N. Y., as director of public information. . . . **Martin Turpie** has become a partner in a Springfield, Mass., law firm. Also in Springfield, **Todd Marchant** is assistant vice president of Valley Bank and Trust Co.

**Joanne Price Rockett** is a social and personal secretary in New York and looks forward to the birth of her first child this summer. . . . **Peter Van Alyea** is a sales manager for American Oil Co. in Chicago. . . . For the past couple of years **Jim Haidas** has been managing one of the public mutual funds of a management and research concern. In April he joins a firm on the New York Stock Exchange. He's still single and living in New York. . . . Life in Lake Oswego, Ore., sounds pleasant for **Karen Kennedy Yearsley**, her husband and four children. He is an oceanographer for the federal environmental agency and they are very interested in conservation, water pollution and other environmental problems. She's taking oil painting classes, hiking and mountain climbing in the Cascades. Last June, **David '59** and **Dottie Baldrige Lawrence** adopted a girl to join their other three children. In August they moved to Bloomfield, Conn. David has the Connecticut territory as sales representative for McGraw-Hill. . . . **Carol Seaman McFarland** is busy with her two children in Binghamton, N. Y. Her husband recently passed the state architectural exams. . . . **Dick Walton** is teaching undergraduate library courses at Norwalk (Conn.) Community College, and really likes being back in the college environment. . . . **Bob Otis** is plant personnel manager for Interpace Corp., Wharton, N. J. . . . In Franklin, N. H., **Pierce Burgess** is vice president and general manager of Radio Station WFTN. He owns a one-third interest. He was elected to the Franklin city council last November.

**Roger Dumas**, promoted to vice president of Marine Midland Bank of New York, is assigned to the northeast district of the bank's national division. Roger, an assistant vice president since 1969, earned an M.B.A. degree from New York University. He lives with his wife and child in Rockville Centre, N. Y. . . . **Peter Doyle** is at Eaglebrook School, Deerfield, Mass., teaching science in grades five to eight. . . . **Bev Jackson**

**Glockler** is president of the Presbyterian Cooperative Nursery in Princeton, N. J., the largest in the county. To relax she sews, mainly for their two little girls. Her husband, **Tony '57**, is with the Educational Testing Service working on a law school admissions project. . . . **Warren Bleser** is a political science teacher at Bothell (Wash.) High School, a climbing instructor for the University of Washington and a volunteer ski patrolman. This summer he will lead an expedition to Peru to scale the 20,000-foot south face of Chacaraju. . . . In Boston, **Bob Jordan** is with a law firm and serves as public administrator of Suffolk County. . . . **Peter Shays** lives in Sharon, Mass., with his wife and two daughters. He started with the **Christian Science Monitor** as a reporter and is assistant promotions manager. . . . **Louise Robb Goldschmidt** is busy with the League of Women Voters, Unitarian Fellowship and the cooperative playschool. Husband, **Art**, is an assistant professor at Penn State. So she has enrolled as a part-time student. . . . **Gail Carter Ferguson** came east last July from Riverside, Calif., to Troy, N. Y., where her husband is at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute as a visiting associate professor. This summer, **Gail Barry** and their three children will go to Nancy, France, for a year on Barry's sabbatical. . . . **Peggy Jack Johnston** is in the Philippine Islands where her husband is stationed with the Air Force. She is president of the Hospital Wives Club, learning golf and working informally to improve race relations at Clark Air Force Base. They have traveled all over the Far East. In August they return to Denver, Colo. . . . **Alison Hill Schueneman** is an IBM systems engineer, and enjoying Marietta, Ga. She and her husband have a new home and play a lot of golf. . . . **Janice Rideout Carr** is in San Francisco. She has a part-time job teaching math at Foothill College. . . . All tanned from a Florida winter, **Debbie Wilson Bullen** runs her dressmaking business on a limited scale and is secretary to the president of a Watertown, Mass., plastics and adhesives firm. . . . **Jane Wiggan Wilbur** and **Allen** have had leads in several plays produced in the West Lafayette, Ind., area. They got caught in a blizzard after sliding into a ditch on their way to a skiing weekend but managed to do some skiing at Grand Rapids, Mich.

Your correspondent is working for a market research concern in Pittsburg. I've managed to organize a group of volunteers to help recycle paper, and served as vice president of the Carnegie-Mellon Business School wives' club. My husband will get his M.S. in May. We will move but aren't sure where yet. I really enjoyed hearing from classmates.

## 1961

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News seems to be at a premium this spring. But I hope that we will be seeing many of you at our 10th reunion and catch up on the latest.

**Bruce Turner**, director of personnel with Converse Rubber Co. (Malden, Mass.), has been appointed regional vice president and member of the board of directors of the American Society for Personnel Administration for 1971. Bruce also serves as a member of the personnel board for the town of Winchester where he lives, and is president of the New England Society for Personnel Management. . . . **Ed Ruscitti** is director of guidance at Holliston (Mass.) High School. Ed also is a member of the Massachusetts School Counselors' Association, the South Shore Men's Guidance Association, a committee member of the American School Counselors' Association and of the Massachusetts Teachers Association. . . . The Rev. **William Byers**, at All Saints Episcopal Church in Winchester, Mass., for four years, is leaving the ministry. Bill plans to go into business in Winchester.

**Dave Marr** has joined the Hartford, Conn., law firm of Day, Berry and Howard as an associate. While working for his J.D. degree at the University of Connecticut, Dave served as editor-in-chief of the law review. . . . The Rev. **Michael Wilcox** is a chaplain at the University of Connecticut in Storrs. . . . **Dave Tourangeau** has joined Union Mutual Life Insurance Co. in Portland as equities investments manager in the financial management division. . . . **Dave Bustin**, successful Democratic candidate for one of Augusta's three House seats, is assistant executive secretary of the Maine Teachers Association. He had taught at Lincoln Junior High School in Portland. Dave is president of the Kennebec Valley Community Action Program and the Farrington PTA, vice president of the Augusta Central Council of PTA and of the National Education Professional Staff Organization. He is also a member of the advisory committee on Teacher Education, the Jaycees and the Augusta Regional Church Housing Corporation. . . . **Bill Wooldredge** has advanced to treasurer with the Insurance Company of North America.

## 1963

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Did anyone see "**Neil**" **Butler** on the "Today" show in October? He discus-

sed consumer credit protection laws he is promoting with state legislatures across the country. We saw Neil in Washington, D. C. There for the National Conference of State Attorneys General, he spoke to the group right after (would you believe?) Vice President Agnew! Neil and **Karen (Moore)** live near Chicago. With **Peter** and **JoAnn Wincze French**, they are organizing Colby's fundraising efforts in the area. The Frenches moved there recently. . . . Christmas cards brought news of several people. **Lawrie** and **Ann Barr** bought a century-old house in New England and lovingly restored it with months of work. He is teaching sixth grade and loves it. . . .

**Jon Hall** is teaching in the language and literature division at Grinnell College, Iowa. . . . Virginia Polytechnic Institute recruited **Jeannette Fannin Regetz** as an instructor in the department of education. . . . **Herb Gottfried** is assistant professor of English at the University of Maine at Machias, where he works in an Indian tutorial program combining the efforts of the college, a high school and the reservation. Herb established an Indian studies program while at Eastern Oregon College, where he was director of creative writing. He participated in the White House Conference on Children in December. It dealt with identity problems of school-age children. Herb, Sandy and their year-old son live in East Machias. . . . At the U.M. in Bangor are Cy and Kathy **Ludwig** and their three children. A dean, Cy walked the picket line during a local shoe factory strike. . . . **Bill** and **Barby Haines Chase** have a new daughter, Sally. Bill will enter the service when he completes his residency in June. . . . **Stephen Thompson** received a promotion to assistant vice president of Marsh & McLennan, Inc., insurance brokers and employee benefit consultants. Steve manages corporate accounts in the firm's Boston office. He joined Marsh & McLennan right after graduation.

After only three months with the Worcester County National Bank, **Ralph Kimball** was given sole responsibility for trading \$2 to \$3 million worth of securities weekly. . . . The new director of social services at Seton Hospital, Waterville, is **Susan Hassel Ferruci**. Susan did counseling work in Boston and Brockton, Mass. . . . **John McDonald** was appointed controller of the La-Verdiere's Super Drug Stores in the Central Maine area. John received an M.A. in business from Rutgers. . . . Steve and **Cindy Smith Whitaker** live in Newtown, Conn. Steve finished the first round of his architecture board exams. Cindy has been working for Learning Systems Corp. and has two pre-schoolers. . . . **Pen Williamson** visited us during a speaking tour for Outward Bound.



**Doris Kearns '64** has won yet another distinction: assistant director of the Institute of Politics in the John F. Kennedy School of Government at Harvard. Doris broke a precedent in 1969 when she was appointed resident tutor of Dunster House, part of the diminishing male preserve at Harvard. Doris, now an assistant professor of government, was the youngest of 16 persons selected from 1,000 applicants as a White House fellow in 1967, the year she earned her Ph.D. She is fulfilling the promise she showed at Colby as *magna cum laude* graduate and winner of the Condon Medal.

Last fall, Pen spent six weeks in Nepal climbing the lower slopes of Mt. Everest. **Maggie Briggs Grabowski** surprised Pen this summer by arriving at the Hurricane Island camp for Outward Bound. Maggie's husband, Eugene, was the doctor in residence that session. . . . **Carl "Skip" Stinson** of Bath is chairman of the Sagadahoc County Heart Fund Drive for the second year. . . . **Nan McCune Wagner** and husband, Jon, returned to Winnipeg, Man., this fall with their son and new daughter. Nan has joined a newly-formed opera company there. Jon teaches at the University of Winnipeg when he's not hunting or fishing.

We had a particularly interesting alumni gathering at our home in January. **Susan Schaeff Pineo** invited area alumni and Colby students in D. C. for their January Programs. The evening was delightful with good frank conversation to bridge the "generation gap." Al Sefarian '65, **Midge Walton Holmes**, **John Martin** and many others were with us.

## 1966

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We've moved in hopes of drying out after four years in Seattle! We're here

while Randy does arts administration post-doctoral work at U.C.L.A. The class is well represented in the area: **Neil** ('65) and **Jean Hoffmann Clipsham, Smith** and **Carol Kramer Dunneck, Diane Leach Wilbur, Russ Monbleau, Ed Mowry** and **Judy Igersheimer Wisentaner**. The November Los Angeles dinner was well attended. Hosts were **President Strider** and **Sid Farr**.

This column draws on about half the questionnaires returned, which show a trend toward settling down. **Joy Reinelt Adams** teaches social science in Glastonbury, Conn. . . . **Britt Carlson Anderson** is working on a J.D. degree at the University of Denver. . . . **Pete Anderson** got an M.S. in education at the University of Pennsylvania. He teaches in Concord, N. H. . . . **John Archambault** received his master's in taxation laws. He practices in Norwich, Conn. . . . **Beth Peo Armstrong** announces adoption of newborn **Melissa Brownell**. . . . **Dick** and **Bonnie Aube** and their two sons live in Stamford, Conn. He commutes to his financial analysis job with IBM in Harrison, N. Y. . . . The **Wes Barbour**s (Chris Austin '68) are in England for his last year in the Air Force. . . . **Bruce Barker** was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for meritorious service in Vietnam. Bruce, Margaret and their son live in Sumpter, N. C. . . . **Jane Hunter Bates** and her husband moved to Valparaiso (Ind.) University where he studies engineering. They have bought a home and are expecting their first child. . . .

**Chip Birtlem** is financial control manager for Sylvania in Smithfield, N. C. . . . **Jim Bither** is selling government bonds in Boston. . . . **Pam Borst Bland** is working on a nursing education master's at Syracuse. . . . **Pete Blumenthal** completed his Air Force enlistment. . . . **Tom Boghosian** is assistant professor of English at Atlantic Community College, Mays Landing, N. J. . . . **Jan Brooks** is back in Seattle working on a Ph.D. in French after a trip to Europe. . . . **Ed Burrell** is a Union Carbide sales manager on Africa's Ivory Coast. . . . **George Cain**, auditor for Colgate-Palmolive, lives with his wife in Jersey City. . . . **Debbie Chase Canavan** is in San Antonio, where her husband, Neil, is completing his M.S.W. degree. . . . **John Carvellas** and **Betty Savicki** '68 moved to Syracuse where he is a graduate fellow in economics. . . . **Cathy Fitzgerald Christiano** completed her M.A. at Worcester State College. Husband, Joe, expects to receive his doctorate in chemistry soon. . . . **Kay McGee Christie** and **Walt**, in Ann Arbor, Mich., are enjoying their first child, Robert. . . . Teaching at Westminister School in Simsbury, Conn., is **Terry Clark**. He coaches football, hockey and baseball.

... Neil ('65) and **Jean Clipsham** are eager to move into their first house in Tustin, Calif. Soon, David (2), will be joined by a new brother or sister. . . . Another pair of homeowners are the **Joseph Connollys (Ginny Grelotti)**. Joe is in his first year at Suffolk University Law School. . . . **John** and **Marilyn Cookson** have a new son, Jeffrey. John is an accountant in Boston. . . . **Jan Jolicœur Cote** resides in Cherry Hill, N. J. . . . After an archaeological tour of Italy, **Jean Craig** returned to her job as catalog librarian at the University of Pennsylvania. . . . **Pat Berg Currier** is an analyst for the Department of Defense at Ft. Meade, Md. . . . **Bob Davis** is interning at the Cincinnati General Hospital. . . . **Martha DeCou**, roared down the Colorado River in a rubber raft last summer. She enjoys teaching at Coronado High School in Colorado Springs. Couie is pursuing an M.A. in English at Middlebury (Vt.) College. . . . Also teaching is **Gerry Davies DeGeorge** (in Roxbury, Mass.). . . . **Pete Densen** is an intern at Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore. His Ellie (Eichmann '67) is working for public relations at the same hospital. Pete reports the **Rick** and **Stephanie** (Burton '67) **Zimmermans** and their son have moved to Mahwah, N. J. . . . **Ed Derderian** will receive his Ph.D. from Penn State soon. . . . **Vinnie DeRosa** transferred to the College of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey at Newark. So he has extended his time before he will receive his M.D. . . . **Kate Hollinshead Dixon** and her husband, Jonathan, have moved to San Francisco for two years while Jon fulfills his internship and residency requirements at the University of California (San Francisco) Hospital. Kate is teaching eighth grade at the Pacific Heights School. . . . After a three year stint in the Air Force, "**Mac**" **Donaldson**, Nancy and their year-old daughter settled in Burlington, Mass., while he pursues an M.B.A. at Northeastern. . . . **Diane Mason Donigan** likes her mobile western home in Elgin, Ore. . . . While studying for his LL.D. degree at Toledo University, **Jim Drawbridge** is director of alumni relations and student placement at Hillsdale (Mich.) College. Jim is hockey coach. . . . **Ann Drinker** is a teacher at the Pike School in Andover, Mass., and a member of the Concord Players. . . . **Joan** (Manegold) and **Sheridan Dukes** live in Salt Lake City. She is a creative dance teacher at the YWCA and he is a teaching assistant at the University of Utah. . . . In Concord, N. H., **Dick Dunnell** manages the agents and policy holder service division of the United Life & Accident Insurance Co. Dick is a director of the Bow Brook Tennis and Squash Club. **Terry** and **Sally (Vaughan) Eagle** are house directors at Concord

Academy. . . . Another new California resident is **Sandy Raynor Eastman** of Walnut Creek. . . . **Tom Easton** is a graduate student at the University of Chicago. . . . **Larry** and **Marty** (Lane '67) **Eckel** have a daughter, Nancy. He is a counselor at Swarthmore (Pa.) High School, and Marty is completing requirements for an M.A. in French from Middlebury through a nearby college. **Merrilyn (Aldrich)** and **Bob Egbert** left Montana and military life far behind when they returned to Maine this spring with their daughter, Kim. . . . **Lynne Egbert Eggart** enjoys Montana ranch life with her husband, "Jim," and two sons. She's a substitute teacher and secretary of the local conservation group. . . . **Jay Fell** has traveled throughout the western states, skied in Colorado and Wyoming and worked on his master's thesis at the University of Colorado. . . . **Pete Fellows** is assistant news bureau director at Rochester Institute of Technology. He is working on an M.A. at Syracuse. . . . **John Field** is an assistant treasurer for the Morgan Guaranty Trust Co. in New York City. . . . **Finnie Finizio** is assistant director for the Institute of Human Sciences at Boston College. . . . **Claudia (Fugere) Finkelstein** and **Martin** have a new daughter, Beth. . . . An assistant professor at Brock University, St. Catharines, Ont., is **Jean Jacques Flint**. . . . Other new parents are **Carl** and **Judi David Floyd**. He is a physicist at the Navy Underwater Systems Center, New London, Conn. . . .

**Lou Friedler** is a teaching assistant in mathematics at the University of Alberta. In August he married Sharon Eschenbeck '69. . . . **Bill Doll** is in Cleveland studying for a Ph.D. in sociology. . . . **Lynn Seidenstuecker Gall** is teaching second grade in Augusta and working on her M.A.T. at the University of Maine in Farmington. . . . **Anne Ruggles Gere** is a lecturer in English at the University of Michigan. . . . **Tony** and **Jean** (Grindell '67) **Giles** have moved to Durham, N. H., where Tony is professor of speech pathology and audiology at U. N. H. . . . **Dick** and **Sandra Gilmore** and two sons have moved to Manchester, Mass., where Dick is an attorney. . . . **Carol Rodgers Good** is working with the Madison County Association for Retarded Children and the Youth Development Council in Richmond, Ky., and continuing her social work for the Bureau of Public Assistance. Husband, **Max**, completed his master's degree. He teaches and coaches basketball. . . . **Pete Grabosky** is doing graduate work in political science at Northwestern University in Evanston, Ill. . . . **Skip** and **Barry (Clark) Harrington** are living in Wells, where Skip's law firm has opened a branch office. . . . A chemist for Dupont, **Roger Hiss** (with wife, Nancy, and daughter, Jennifer) has moved to Flint, Mich., where he will work on automotive paints. . . . **Tom Hodsdon** worked on New York Governor Rockefeller's fall campaign. . . . **Charles Houghton** and his wife, **Liz Drinkwine '68**, have twins,

## Sinking Roots; Helping People

**Tom Reif '65**, a native of New York City, learned to love the Maine Coast while at Colby. Now he's back on the coast, happily committed to his work as a clinical psychologist and sinking roots. Tom and his wife, **Ellen** (Mitchell '65), bought 100 acres in East Sullivan near Bar Harbor and are building a house. Since graduation, Tom has studied at Michigan State, worked at the South

Shore Mental Health Association (Quincy, Mass.), and received his doctorate in December.

He works out of the Ellsworth Counseling Center and visits the Bar Harbor Mental Health Center once a week. "I try to help kids be happier with themselves. But how can I, with my one hour's visit a week, be more important to the child than the people he lives with? So I work with the whole family. . . . One aspect of the job is to keep people out of the mental hospital. We try to focus on people with serious problems and on preventing those problems from developing with family life and mental health education." Tom finds that depression is a common problem with residents of small communities. "People are sometimes depressed with themselves and unhappy in their situations. They often need to talk things out to understand what they want for themselves. . . . Eventually I hope to work with groups of teachers and help them deal more effectively with their students.

"I really like this area. I intend to live here, raise a family and stay here."



Katharine and Geoffrey. "Toad," a meteorologist for WNYS-TV in Syracuse, has been elected to the American Meteorological Society. . . . **Sue Footer Hummer** extends a Nigerian welcome to anyone traveling her way. Sue is not only a new mother, but teaches for the Ministry of Education in Zaria (North-Central state). She is in charge of the library and heads the English department. . . . **Birdie Tracy Hye** and Allen are enjoying their two years in Denmark. Allen, with a Fulbright Scholarship and Marshall Memorial Fellowship, has been completing his dissertation—a comparison of modern German and Danish theater. Birdie's dissertation is on the modern German novel. She has one year of course work left at the University of Connecticut. The birth of Courtney Anne in November temporarily slowed their tourist activities. . . . **Bill and Ruth (Loker) Ingham** are remodeling their Seattle home. Bill is a fine arts graduate student at the University of Washington. . . . **Linda Johnson** is working on a master's in social work at Smith College. She spends three summers at Smith and has two nine-month field placements. Her first is with the Family and Children's Society, Annapolis, Md. . . . **Judy Jones** is a mathematician with the Department of Defense in Ft. Meade, Md. . . . **Janna Vaughan Kasarjian** and husband, Ken, vacationed in Bermuda in August. Ken is a sales representative for the Xerox New Haven office. Daughter, Kendall, is three. . . . **Doug and Beth (Adams) Keene** returned from 27 months in the Orient. A foreign service officer, Doug is studying Polish at the Foreign Service Institute in preparation for three years in Warsaw. Sons, Garrett (5) and Sterling (3), will be multilingual. . . . **Bayard Kennett** is assistant treasurer at the Bankers Trust Co. in New York City. . . . **Barry Kigerman** received his dental degree from Tufts. Between trips to Europe, Barry is practicing in Boston's suburbs. . . . **Gary Knight** is a loan officer for the Livermore Falls Trust Co. He finds time for civic activities and to be home with Lynn (Longfellow '65) and Kathryn Ann (2). . . . **Terry Saunders Lane** received an M.S.S. from Bryn Mawr and is a social planner for a Philadelphia transportation study. . . . **Pete and Diane (Fioto) Lardieri** reside in Atlantic Highlands, N. J., where Pete is mathematics department chairman at Henry Hudson Regional High School. . . . **Bill Latvis** will receive his M.B.A. from U. N. H. in June. He and Cathy (Cyr '69), live in Dover, N. H. . . . Another recent graduate of Tufts Dental School is **Peter Lax**. Pete is a Navy dentist in Portsmouth, Va. . . . Engaged in a Ph.D. program in sociology at U. N. H. is **Craig Little**. . . . **Kathy Beebe Lundberg** is

children's librarian at the Bronxville (N. Y.) Public Library. . . . **Dennis Maguire** is an attorney in the mortgage and real estate division of John Hancock Life in Boston. Dennis and his wife **Paula (Hayden)** live in Marblehead. . . . **Margie Malcolm** is a United Nations conference officer in New York City. . . . **Ardith Maney** is an instructor in political science at the University of Maine, Portland-Gorham. Ardith worked for the New York City Department of Consumer Affairs and Bess Myerson Grant last summer. . . . **Sal Manforte** represents an investments firm in Providence, R. I. Sal and Malvina welcomed a daughter this year, Tracy. . . . The **Charles McDowells (Louise Reburn)** and their six-month-old son, Charles, reside in Scotch Plains, N. J.

First Lt. **Gary McKinstry** is executive officer in the Armed Forces Examination and Entrance Station, Spokane, Wash. Gary is active in the Theatre Arts Group at Fairchild AFB. . . . **Charlie McLennan** is a major appliances buyer for Corning Glass Works. Charlie and Andy (Marshall '68) settled into their new home before the arrival of their second child. . . . After a year in San Francisco, **Paula McNamara** returned to Manchester, Conn. She works in Hartford as assistant editor in the public relations department of Aetna Life & Casualty. . . . **Sue Mahoney Michael** and Laurie Lewin Simms '67 are sharing winter quarters at Aspen, Colo. Sue completed her M.A. at Columbia University Teachers College in August. . . . **Russ Monbleau**, grinding accessories specialist for Norton Co. of Worcester, Mass., is an avid photographer, especially on camping trips. . . . **Harrison Monk**, with his wife, Linda LaMonica '67 and daughter, lives in Pasadena, Md., where he is a doctor in a veterinary hospital. . . . **Janet Morse Morneau** teaches ninth grade English in Waltham, Mass., while husband, Rollie '65, pursues a law degree at Boston College. . . . A graduate of the University of Vermont Medical School, **Jeff Morse** is an intern at the Maine Medical Center in Portland. . . . **Ed Mowry** is a pilot with the Marines in Santa Anna, Calif. . . . **Frank Musche**, a graduate of Tufts Medical School, is an intern at Rhode Island Hospital (Providence). . . . **Sally Leighton Niblock** is wife, mother (Teddy, 15 months) and an M.A. candidate at the University of Rhode Island. Husband, Ned, is working on his M.B.A. at Harvard. The Niblocks live in Newton, Mass. . . . **Andy Bear Nicholas**, husband, Darryl, and two daughters live in Marysville, N. B. Darryl works for the Union of New Brunswick Indians in the areas of education and aboriginal rights. . . . Baby Mark joined the John O'Connor ('65) family (**Gretchen Wollam**) this year. John is getting his Ph.D. in history at

Harvard. . . . After a year in Saigon and Thailand, **Dick Osborne** is living in Falls Church, Va., and is assigned to Air Force Headquarters. . . . **Karl Ostendorf** was discharged from the Air Force in January after serving in Vietnam. . . . **John and Linda (Brooks '68) Perkins** have purchased property in Kent, Conn. John is a math instructor and ski coach at Kent School. . . . **Linda Mitchell Potter** is busy caring for two pre-school sons, with her activities as director in the League of Women Voters, garden club and financial drives for the Cancer Society. Lee '67 is going to night school at Northeastern for his chartered life underwriter degree. . . . **Phil "Butch" Proulx** is an Air Force captain assigned to Ramey AFB, Puerto Rico. Phil is a B-52 radar navigator (bombadier). . . . **Charlie and Jane Farnham Rabeni** have moved from Turkey to Pocatello, Idaho. Charlie is working on an M.S. in biology at Idaho State University. Janie is working in the engineering department of the Telephone Co. . . . **Joanne Richmond** is director of education for the Delaware Tuberculosis and Health Society in Wilmington. . . . **Fred Richter**, a graduate of Rutgers Law School, is a field claim representative with State Farm Insurance Co. in Ithaca, N. Y. . . . **Jimmie Michener Riddell** and son, David (3), welcomed Matt ('65) home in November after another temporary tour in Southeast Asia. Matt is stationed at Blytheville (Ark.) AFB. . . . **Bill Rynne** is a stock broker in Burlington, Mass. . . . **Marty Watson Schulze** is a fellowship graduate student in sociology at Northeastern. Marty, husband, Larry '64, and David (8) and Margo (2) reside in West Newton. . . . Northborough, Mass., is home to the **Brian Shacters (Ruth Kelleher)** and David (3). Ruth is a part-time assistant in a private nursery school. Brian is a special class teacher in Westborough High School. . . . **Brad and Sara Jane (Simom '68) Simcock** are in Japan for a year while Brad pursues thesis research for his doctoral studies at Harvard. . . . Busy remodeling an older home are the **Jerome Skubas (Maxine Etscovitz)**. Jerome is chairman of the foundations program at the school of the Dayton (Ohio) Art Institute. . . . **Nancy Johnson Smith** continues her predoctoral work at Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore. . . . **Chuck Soule** is field representative for the Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia. He is an instructor of defensive driving and works part-time selling foreign cars. . . . **Sue Rumsey Strong** completed her baccalaureate work at the University of Wisconsin where she graduated Phi Beta Kappa. Sue is a cataloger in the library at State University College (Potsdam, N. Y.) and mother of two. Husband Paul '64

teaches English literature at Clarkson College in Potsdam. . . . **Lois Rudolph Szostak** combines her new maternal obligations with her job as associate systems engineer at IBM in New York City. . . . **Gayle Pollard Talbot** has two daughters, Julie (2) and Janet (six months). . . . **John Tara** serves Plymouth County (Mass.) as public defender.

**Ellie Caito Thompson** and two children are enjoying life in Vicenza, Italy, while John completes his military duties. . . . **Al and Janet Meyer Throop**, spent a month on the east coast visiting friends, relatives and Colby. Then they took a freighter to Australia via the Panama Canal and New Zealand. Al is a geologist and expects to be transferred to Tasmania. . . . Teaching Spanish at Ellen Cushing Junior College, Bryn Mawr, Pa., is **Sue Turner**. She spent the summer studying Portuguese at the University of New Mexico. . . . **Dede (Wilson) and Gerry Van Atta** moved to San Francisco. Gerry has accepted a position with the Bank of America. . . . **John Vermillion** is employed by Texaco's New Orleans division. He and Ann Marie have a year-old son, Brian. John earned his law degree at the University of Kansas. . . . In Grosse Pointe, Mich., **Glenda Gerrie Walker** is active in church activities and as mother to Donald (3). . . . **Heidi Fullerton Warburton** says motherhood (Shelley, 18 months) leaves her time for art classes, sewing, cooking and the women's auxiliary at the Hunterdon Medical Society (Flemington, N. J.), where husband, Woody, is a resident in family medicine. . . . **Diane Burr Ward** and husband, Mike '65, are redecorating their new house in East Falmouth, Mass. Diane is secretary to the town's finance commission and personnel board. . . . **Elizabeth Hernberg Went** is a social worker for the Catholic Family Service in Hartford. . . . Back in school after a tour of duty in the Navy, **Eric Werner** is doing graduate work in business administration at Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo. . . . **Mary Sue Hilton Weeks** is secretary to the director of nursing at Peter Bent Brigham Hospital in Boston. . . . **Connie Day Weygant** is manuscript editor for Ginn Collegiate Division in Waltham, Mass. . . . **John and Mary (Walker '69) Wheeler** bought a house on Averill Terrace, Waterville. John is a computer programmer for Keyes Fibre Co. . . . **Meg Fallon Wheeler** has two active children, Seth (4) and Sarah (1), to keep her busy. . . . Besides working on a master's degree in English at Assumption College and raising their daughter (Jennifer), **Christie (Higginbottom) and Olney White ('64)** are restoring a 200-year old house in Rochdale, Mass. . . . **Diane Leach Wilbur's** husband, David, is back from a year's tour in Japan with the Marines.

Diane, who works as an accountant at Monsanto Co. in Anaheim, spent December in Japan. . . . **Phil Wiley** is a physicist for Bedford (Mass.) Engineering. Phil and his wife, Brenda; daughter, Wendy (5); and son, Michael (2), live in Acton. . . . **Geoff Williams** is working toward his doctorate at the University of Illinois in Champaign. . . . **Sue Leach Winch** is a member of the Portland League of Women Voters, but her heart belongs to year-old Jennifer. . . . **Peter Winstanley** is functional review manager for Trans World Airlines in New York City. . . . **David Winters** is regional counsel for the Internal Revenue Service in New York City. . . . **Judy Igersheimer Wisentaner** and husband, David, have moved to Los Angeles. . . . **Ann McCarty Wong** moved to New York City. . . . While in Memphis, Tenn., working in labor relations for Kimberly-Clark Corp., **Jeff Wright** is working for an M.B.A. at Memphis State University. . . . **Natalie Bowerman Zarembo** is working for a master of education in speech pathology at Boston University. Natalie and Frank ('64) have a year-old daughter, Karen. . . . After their wedding in Brescia, Italy, **Sue Stout** and **Giogio Zecchini** returned to Akron, Ohio. Sue is a part-time teacher and studying for an M.A. in history at the University of Akron. . . . **Bonnie Zimmermann Henrickson** has two active children and a busy husband, Clifford, who is very creative: his latest project is seeking a contact for his rock group, "Marbleheart." . . . **Carol Bresler** received a B.A. in French from N. Y. U. and is working on her doctorate.

## 1967

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Greetings! I said in the last column that I had no plans for fall. The address will tell you I really came up with some. Decided to take the year off and see another part of the world. I have relatives in Malaysia. "Where," you ask? Check a map. It's southwest of Vietnam, south of Thailand, north of Singapore and east of India. No year off. I am teaching at the International School here. It's different and fun as well. I teach ninth grade English (my major), world history and 11th grade U. S. history. So I spend most of my waking hours reading world and U. S. history. Weekends are for touring and seeing what makes a different culture tick—traipsing through real jungle, climbing waterfalls, visiting some historic places, and trying to learn some Malay so I can direct taxi drivers and get a work permit. I have to leave the country one of these weekends so I can come back in

on a special pass and get a work permit. This gives me an insight into bureaucracy! As you might imagine, I can't include much in this column. Suffice it to say that living in the tropics is an interesting experience. One of these days, I'll write a letter about it. Now for the news.

**Christopher Curley** is the new manager of the 3,500-member Massachusetts Teachers Association Credit Union, and is working to develop a system of teacher payroll deductions for credit union transactions. A native of Washington, D. C., Chris entered a stock brokerage trainee program after graduation, then joined Putnam Mutual of Boston, where he was administrative assistant to the vice president for two years. He lives in Acton. . . . **Larry Sears** is an instructor-counselor with the Upward Bound Project at the University of Texas at El Paso. He completed his master's in teaching in December at Antioch-Putney Graduate School in Yellow Springs, Ohio.

**Tim "Boo" Radley** is teaching biology and an environmental pollution seminar at Brewster Academy in Laconia, N. H. . . . **Rick Lubov** is teaching sixth and seventh grade mathematics at the Holbrook School in Holden. Good luck with that age group! . . . **Robert Miner** is studying for his degree at New York University Dental School, and completed training at Naval Officer Indoctrination School in Newport, R. I., in October. . . . **Vic Marshall** is a captain in the Air Force serving as an instructor at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas. . . . **Leo Amato** is a first lieutenant and received the Air Medal at Lockbourne AFB, Ohio, for his contributions on important missions under hazardous conditions at Ching Chuan Kang Air Base, Taiwan. And a note about a friend who left Colby: **Elmer "Sandy" Whittier** is a second lieutenant assigned to Little Rock AFB, Ark., for flying duty with the Tactical Air Command. He and Leo ought to get together.

**Lawrence Whooley** has joined the First Congregational Church in Dalton, Mass., as minister of Christian education. He will work in connection with the church school and various church youth groups. . . . **Barry Botelho** was married in October to a girl who was the Swedish national swimming champion and was in the Olympic Games in Japan. Barry is now employed as a financial analyst for the Xerox Corp. in Rochester, N. Y. . . . I've also heard from **Sally Ray Morin**. Sal was teaching school in Rhode Island, but on Jan. 9 she gave birth to Kristi Elizabeth. Congratulations! . . . **Penny Powell** also dropped me a line. She is teaching in a private school in New York City. It was good to hear from Penny. But she

had some sad news for the class. **John Wood** died Dec. 29 in a car-train collision in his hometown of Needham, Mass. John was a good friend. I find it hard to express my sense of loss. I would like to include a poem, "Remembrance" by Vasily Zhukovsky. I think it is appropriate for John: How many dear companions who have enlivened for us the world's rough roads are gone, each fellow traveler much missed; yet say not sadly: they have left us! But rather say, with gratitude: they were.

That's it from Malaysia, everyone. Again, a request to get in touch and let me know what you're doing.

## 1968

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**Cathie Smith** and Ben Bradlee '70, married last June, teach English at the University in Kabul, Afghanistan, for the Peace Corps. They will be there until September, 1972. Write them: Peace Corps, c/o American Embassy, Kabul, Afghanistan. . . . **John Neuberger** would like to hear from you, too. He and his wife have opened a hot dog stand in Germany, catering to the railroad workers. Their address: 5032 Huerth-Efferen Hahnenstrasse 17 (zimmer 220), West Germany. Thanks for the postcards, John. . . . Also in Germany is **Jesse McGuire**, resident faculty director of the University of New Hampshire junior year abroad program in Marburg. She loves the job. Since graduation Jesse has studied on a Fulbright in Germany, traveled to Greece and Turkey, and earned her master's at U.N.H., where she had an assistantship. She can be reached at 355 Marburg/Lahn, Geschw.-Scholl-Str. 13/408, West Germany. . . . Abiding on the beautiful coral island of Okinawa with the Air Force is **John Leopold**. He took a Maine vacation (to Waterville!) before shipping out to the Pacific. He is eager to get back to the Denver University Law School. . . . **Jeff Lathrop** called in the fall. He's living in Cambridge and attending the two-year master's program at B.U. He plans eventually to return to Maine. . . . **Fred Clasquin** is at Seton Hall University in South Orange after two years of the service. He met **Harlan Schneider** in the Musee de Rodin in Paris. Harlan spent two years in graduate school in theater and is on the road with a company based in New York City. . . . **Jon Smith** was awarded a Rosalie B. Hite Fellowship in cancer research from the University of Texas (Austin). He is a third-year doctoral candidate. . . . **Steve Ford** was promoted to sergeant at Ft. Wainwright, Alaska, where he is serving with the

562nd Artillery. Steve is an M.P. . . . **Dick DeVincents** is section chief of community relations at Western Electric's Merrimack Valley Works. . . . **Fred Levine** is in his third year at Harvard Law School. Last summer he worked with a Wall Street law firm. . . . **Claudia Bourcier Fregosi** and husband, Bill, a professor and designer of theater productions at Emerson College (Boston), spent the summer traveling in Europe, and getting to as many concerts, operas and museums as possible. Claudia is doing art work, including embroidered tapestries and personal fashions. . . . **Margaret Whitaker** enjoys teaching fifth grade science and reading in a school near her home town of Portsmouth, N. H. She spent the summer in Europe. . . . Finishing up at Cornell Law School, **Bob Grossman** has managed to find time to play goalie for the Law School hockey team, to watch the powerhouse Cornell varsity hockey team (which rivaled Colby's team in the days of Mike Self), and to learn to ski.

From **Dick Jude**: "I'm still in the Army, still single and still in the states." Dick is stationed at the Highlands (N. J.) Air Defense Site. He is information officer for the New York-Philadelphia area, and has been promoted to first lieutenant. . . . **Maxine Allison** has moved to the small town of Feeding Hills, Mass. She's working with retarded children under the Massachusetts Department of Mental Health. Maxine reports that **Jane Brown** is working toward her master's in early childhood education at Lesley. Maxine saw **Glenna White Crawforth** this summer in Boise, Idaho, where Glenna's husband is finishing school. They have a son, Jason. . . . **Bud Evans** was in the Boston area around Thanksgiving to attend the wedding of Bill Revett '69 and Kathi Hill '70. He spent the summer in Washington, D. C., working for the government, and is in his third year at Cornell Law School. . . . **Larry Furbish** is really busy as a Ph.D. candidate at Ohio State (in political science), legislative intern in the Ohio House and with baby, Jessica. He and Karen also have a son. . . . **Bob** and Nancy (Levine '69) True are alive, well and living in Philadelphia. Bob is in a doctoral program in educational administration at Penn. He got his master's last June and was elected to the honor society, Phi Delta Kappa. Nancy is working for the Department of Public Assistance and is taking a course in social work at Penn. . . . **Rick Morey** received his M.A. in history from the University of Delaware last June. . . . **Leon Garnett** teaches in an unusual school in Damariscotta. It is for pupils with learning problems who need more individual attention than public schools can provide. Leon has 10 children in the 12-14 age

group. Leon cites the need for more commitment from parents and more public information. Good luck. . . . I did receive special instructions from **Ellen Dockser**, who has been seen on occasion in the Harvard Square subway station of late. She wants her friends to know that she still lives! . . . **Joe Jabar** worked his way through the University of Maine School of Law (Portland) as a coach, which won't surprise anyone who remembers his outstanding baseball and basketball seasons at Colby. He expects to get his degree in June. Joe spent a summer with the Seattle Pilots (remember them?) farm system and coached two years at a Portland business college. Now he has freshman basketball at the university's Portland campus, where he handled freshman basketball during the winter. He is married and has a three-year-old son. Joe was the last of six brothers to attend Colby.

For those of you whose names did not appear in this column, there can be no excuse—except that you didn't write to me! (Or you didn't appear on the M.T.A.)

## 1969

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Again it's time to hear from our classmates here and around the world.

**Ginny Coates** is doing secretarial work for a mortgage broker in Cincinnati. Last year she taught in Nancy, France. . . . **Jay Gallagher**, a **Waltham News Tribune** reporter, won first prize for a feature story from the New England Associated Press News Executives Association. His wife, **Emily (Kreinick)**, is a state employment counselor. . . . **Mary Ehrke** is in an American studies program at the University of Delaware. . . . A ski coach and an English teacher at Waterville High, **Rand Surgi** took an 8,000-mile motorcycle trip across country. . . . After teaching last year, **Mary J. Clifford** is working in a bank in Skowhegan. . . . **Diane Davis Hacker** is a dispatcher for the New Hampshire State Police. . . . **Tom McBrierty** is an accounting manager for the phone company in Manchester, N. H., and Burlington, Vt. . . . **Rob** and **Nancy Spokes Rudnick** are at Cornell. Rob has a law school scholarship and does research for a Vermont law firm. Nancy is working at Cornell's Olin Library. They would like to hear from any Colby people in the area. . . . **Mary Walker Wheeler** teaches badminton at Colby and is secretary to the headmaster at the merged Oak Grove-Coburn School in Vassalboro. . . . **Ben Mague** is at the Great Lakes (Ill.) Naval Training Center.

... **Trixie Oakley Ingram** was at Boston University Art School before becoming a full-time housewife. . . . **Bunny Patton Cass** works for a photo firm in Boston area. . . . **Joan Flounders Boesch**, who graduated from Boston University, went to her husband's native Switzerland, and is busy at home. . . . **Ed Beard** is at the graduate business school at Suffolk University. . . . **Roger Stiles** works in the personnel department at Pineland Hospital in Pownal. . . . **Peggy Philson** does neurobiology research at Massachusetts General Hospital, takes courses at B.U. and frequently goes to Princeton to visit fiancé **Mike Foose**. . . . **Charlie Miller** is taking courses at the University of Maine while teaching English and history in Fairfield. . . . After a fun-filled summer working for the post office, **Bill Lyons** is at Boston College Law School. . . . **Sue Magdefrau Werkhoven** is taking education courses, substitute teaching and tutoring high school students. . . . **Kitty Earnshaw** works for the phone company in data communications. She went to London, and saw **Denise Harvey**, who is working near Brussels. . . . **Judy Holden** is working on a master's program in special education at Catholic University and is helping develop projects for the Teacher Corps. . . . **Tom Wright** teaches math to dyslexic children at a private school in Hardwick, Mass. . . . After spending a year in London, **Tom Watson** is at Boston College Law School. . . . **Ray Williams** works at the Fort Devens hospital medical library. . . . **Don Esty** teaches English to grades five through eight in Rosemont, Pa. He lives in a restored 18th-century house. . . . **Howard Cutler** is a VISTA volunteer helping with community organization in North Carolina. . . . **George Higgins** is at Tufts Medical School on two scholarships. During the summer he'll be at Maine Medical Center (Portland) doing anesthesiology.

An honors graduate of Germain School of Photography, **Ron Caruso** is an industrial photographer, and writes television commercials and musical sound tracks for the firm. Ron also is writing music for a Grammy Award-winning lyricist. . . . **Robbie Kent English** works for the Chicago office of the French National Railroads and is on the Chicago council of the Experiment in International Living. . . . **Jean Clark Davis** is a labor market analyst for the Vermont Department of Employment. She and her husband, **Jim Davis '67**, are building their own home. . . . **Jim and Ann Montgomery Osborne** are cottage parents for girls at Brandon (Vt.) Training School, a school for the retarded. . . . **Dexter Arnold** is doing graduate work in American history at the University of Wisconsin. . . . **Wendy Gillingham** is an art editor in the high school

graphics department of Ginn & Co. . . . **Sue Johnston** teaches Latin and English in Billerica, Mass., and advises a new activities club at the high school. . . . **Leslie Stevens** is "Out-reach Program" director with the Lewiston Model Cities Agency. . . . **Judy Lee Richter** is at Cornell majoring in child development and plans to get a Ph.D. while working as a teaching assistant. She and her husband, **Fred '66**, traveled 3,500 miles last August in the Maritime provinces. . . . **Ines Ruelius Brown** is in a doctoral program in pharmacology at the University of Rochester where she has a grant. She and "Buz" '70 hiked in Colorado and hope to go back this summer. . . . **Bob Anthony** teaches in Yarmouth and planned on a week in Hawaii in April. . . . **Rose Manwaring** is a computer operator and programmer with Berg-Haus. . . . Besides taking courses for a master's in education at Claremont (Calif.) Graduate School, **Jessie Burdick** is teaching pre-school children in a free school in Claremont. **Jessie** also moonlights at the school's money-making arm—a bar! . . . **Pat Walker** enjoys her work as a medical social worker at Beth Israel Hospital, Boston. . . . **Steve Goodwin** is working on a master's in business administration at the University of Massachusetts and plays on bridge clubs. . . . **Buffy Huse Smith** teaches chemistry in Newtown, Conn., while working towards certification. She visited Jamaica over Christmas. . . . **Larry Kassman** is a second-year student at Upstate (N. Y.) Medical Center. . . . Congratulations to **Sue Mathews**, who had a paper published on hereditary anemia in mice. She is working as a research assistant in hematology, catching up on her guitar playing and reading. . . . **Karen True** is at the B.U. School of Social Work and works at a drug "hot line" center. . . . Doubling as student and teaching, **Jane Master Rohrbach** attends Kutztown (Pa.) State College for a master's in education, teaches German at a junior high and is a hospital volunteer. . . . **Cathy Seymour Nelson** is a technical assistant at the University of Vermont's Bailey Library. . . . **Steve Neter** will receive an M.A. from the Latin American Institute at the University of Texas.

**Bill Revett** is in Tucson receiving combat training on the F-4 Phantom jet. . . . **Don Caouette**, at Whittemore School of Business, received a scholarship and does underwriting with Travelers Insurance. . . . **Criss Nigro Boothby**, who studied commercial art, is an executive secretary at Filene's and does some display work. . . . **Larry Adams**, a second lieutenant, is secretary of the officer's club at England (La.) Air Force Base. . . . While finishing her degree in library science at Simmons **Debby Van Hoek** is working part time

in a lab library at Harvard Medical School. . . . **Mary Ellen Lytle** is teaching and enjoying the sun and working on a master's in English at the University of Hawaii. . . . **Curt Schneider** teaches junior high English, and coaches basketball and baseball in Auburn, N. H. . . . **Gary Austin** is an aircraft maintenance officer in Phan Rang Air Base in South Vietnam. . . . **Dave Demers** teaches at Messalonskee High in Oakland. He coaches baseball and assists with football. . . . After receiving a master's in teaching from the University of Massachusetts, **Dee Thompson** is a second grade teacher in Weymouth. . . . **Phil Johnson** works and studies at Andover-Newton Theological School, and is a student minister at the United Church in Walpole. He hopes to be ordained by the end of 1972. . . . **Joy Nelb Ericson** is a programmer for Pratt and Whitney Aircraft in Hartford, where her specialty is teleprocessing. . . . **Jamie Klingensmith** has a fellowship at the University of Pittsburgh and is studying for an M.B.A. . . . **Wick Phillips** enjoys the good life of a tennis pro in Palm Beach. . . . **Carol Hayward Olson** teaches fourth grade in Harwich, Mass., and has done graduate work in education. . . . While studying at Andover-Newton, **Steve Fisher** is counseling part time at Newton High School and working at the Hancock Church in Lexington. . . . **Connie Tingle** teaches two introductory botany labs at the University of North Carolina. . . . **Mark Jones** is a zone manager for Investors Diversified Services in Rochester, Minn., coaches the Rochester Junior College hockey team and works in year-round youth hockey schools. . . . **Lowell Wilkes** expects to get his master's from the Sloan School of Management at M.I.T. this June. He works part time as a programmer in Cambridge. . . . **Dick Jacques** completed his National Guard active duty and hopes to go to the University of Connecticut school of Pharmacy in September. . . . **Dick Chabot**, now serving in the artillery, hopes to be out of the service this summer. . . . **Janet Rubenstein** is at the Medical College of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia. . . . **Benji Benn Handley** is a bookstore purchasing agent. Her husband attends the University of Montana. . . . **Alan Levin** is at Columbia doing graduate work in business administration. Al spent part of last summer in Europe. . . . **Sand Reed** is a social worker in Vermont and plans a trip to India this summer for the wedding of **Jaya Ganu**, a special student our senior year. . . . **Jeanne Bryant Stanwood** took some biology courses last summer. She's expecting a baby. . . . **Sandy High Walters** is an industrial artist for Mobil Oil, and has taken some graduate courses at Princeton where her

husband is working on a Ph.D. in classical philosophy.

**Jane Chandler Carney** is a bank examiner, also her husband's job. So they get to do some traveling together in New England. . . . **Steve Anderson** is in the Air Force flying transport planes out of Newport News, Va. . . . Most of **Jean Peterson Balsley's** time is spent with her daughter, Elaine. Chris '68 is working on his master's at Wesleyan University. . . . **Martin Swartz** is at dental school at the Medical College of Virginia in Richmond. . . . **Linda Gray**, an industrial statistician is doing economic research and analysis at the Federal Reserve Bank in Boston. Linda is becoming a bit disenchanted with Boston's prices, drivers and subways. . . . **Vicki Carter**, avid Jim Plunkett roofer, received an M.A. in Latin American studies from Stanford in June. She has two part-time jobs, program aide on the Committee of International Relations at Stanford and assistant to the Latin American curator at the Hoover Institution on War, Revolution, and Peace. . . . **Dan Todzia** is a personnel specialist for Uncle Sam, who drafted him in July. According to Dan, it's not the greatest life. . . . **Nancy LeVine True**, in addition to taking a course at the University of Pennsylvania, is doing social work in Philadelphia to help put her husband, Bob '68, through graduate school. . . . **Rick Littlefield** is at Temple's School of Law and did some traveling last summer in Europe. . . . **Cheryl Stitham** received her M.Ed. in special education and is teaching retarded kids in Scarborough. . . . **Larry Greenberg** is working on a Ph.D. in economics at Columbia, where he has a faculty fellowship. . . . **Craig Stevens** is working towards a master's in photo-journalism at Fairfield University. He has a graduate assistantship and teaches ghetto kids photography. . . . **Pete Smith** is in the Army. But the lucky guy is in Garmisch, Germany, with the ski patrol! . . . The Law Center at Georgetown University keeps **Joel Greenfield** busy these days. . . . **Kris Kreamer Evans** is teaching eighth grade language arts in Winthrop. . . . **Lyn Bixby** claims to be "vegetating uncontrollably" in Okinawa where he is attached to the Army Air Defense. . . . **Kate Hooper** is teaching second grade in New York City. . . . **Margaret Allan Ewell** teaches educable retarded children in Oakland. . . . **Craig Smith** is in the Medical Corps at an Army hospital in Okinawa. He enjoys his work. . . . **Bill Merritt** is at Purdue teaching cell biology on an assistantship. He will pursue a Ph.D. project under a cancer research grant. . . . **Kate Batten Ward** is teaching high school math in Bountiful, Utah. Her husband, Stevenson '68, is in the Air Force. Last summer they camped through much of the West. . . .

**Anne York Samson** teaches grades three through five in Rome (Maine). She and her husband, Rick '68, are half the staff.

After doing some graduate work at Arizona State for a year, **Rick Stinchfield** was awaiting orders to Vietnam. . . . **Bob Greene** is at the University of Maine Law School. . . . **Jon Eustis**, in Korea, did get some free time during Christmas to visit Thailand, Malaysia and Hong Kong with wife, **Paula (Joseph)**. . . .

A tragic postscript: **Bole Steffey** died March 19 in Pittsburg of cancer. He and **Donna (Massey)** were married last June, and Bole was studying for the ministry at B.U. Jim Martin '70 has written a poem for Bole, "Pain That Is Delicate, That We Have Saved." Perhaps it's appropriate to close with it: "No one could save this./ Or say that in half-cold, late winter sunlight/ You died./ Not those words./ Two notes from you:/ 'Pedersen's Israel is worth the price./ 'The Greek language is not./' Are you flown apart, or bolder?/ No one has acted indifferently./ Let there be groups of us/ And let us be moving/ Past you./ And her, folding your robe/ Like one black flag for us/ Who are dumb in your wake./ Less jarred by progress/ Than you by history." (An obituary is included in the Deaths section of this issue.)

## 1970

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Since graduation, our class has branched out into diversified areas and places. **Ron Di Orio** is serving in the Peace Corps in Afghanistan. So are **Ben** and **Cathie (Smith '68) Bradlee**. The Corps sent **Mike Doud** to the Himalayan foothills of India. . . . **Steve Kitchen** recently completed the U. S. Army Military Police course at Ft. Gordon, Ga. **Peter Adams** was commissioned a second lieutenant at Lackland Air Force Base, Tex., where **Phil Norfleet** did his basic training. **Wayne Blanchard** is a second lieutenant at Malmstrom AFB, Mont. He married **Sally Peterson**. **Mark Zacaria** is enrolled in pilot training at Laredo AFB, Tex. . . . Several members of our class are doing graduate work in law: **Ann Arbor** and **Bob Falsani** are at Georgetown in Washington, D. C. **Nicky Pach** and **Artie White** attend Boston College. **Judy Freedman** and **Barry Hurwitz** are at Suffolk University, Boston. **Brian Cooke** studies at Brooklyn (N. Y.) Law School. **Richard Irvine** attends the Faculty of Law at Queens University, Kingston, Ont. . . . **Andy Hayashi** is a candidate for a master's in business administration at York University in Ontario. **Ilan Hadani** is enrolled in a similar program at Babson College, Wellesley, Mass. **Marty Kolo-**

**nel**, who married Jean Miller '68, is at Amos Tuck, Dartmouth. **Peter MacKinlay** is doing graduate work in English at the University of Chicago. **Charlie Terrell** is in the Afro-American studies program at Boston University. **Mike Baskin** studies architecture in Boston, and **Barbara Hamaluk** is enrolled in a year-long course at Katharine Gibbs in the same city.

The teaching profession is lucky to have acquired many '70 graduates. **Bud Earle** enjoys teaching fourth grade in Waterville. **Mike Self** teaches at Waterville High. So does **Jeff Lovitz**, who coached Colby's freshman soccer team. **Dickie Moss** is a substitute teacher for the school system. **Todd Smith** coached Colby's jayvee hockey team. Others teaching in Maine are **Martha McCall** at Lincoln Academy, Newcastle; **John MacLeod** at North Yarmouth Academy; **Paul Tabor** at Mt. Abram High School, Farmington; **Kit Wells** at Buckfield High, and **Peter Yakawonis** at Madison High. . . . **Donna Fowler** is a junior high math teacher in Rutland, Vt. **Sandy Holler** teaches English at the same level in Clinton, Conn. Another junior high instructor is **Marlene Goldman**, who specializes in science and math at Sharon, Mass. **Kandie Andersen** teaches roller skating in Cranford, N. J. Sending her best from Israel, where she teaches and does community work, is **Joan Katz**.

**Peter Lowell**, owner of the Cool Moose, was named recreation director for the town of Bridgton. **Ken Stead** works with severely retarded children and adults near Philadelphia. **Richie '69** and **Martha Luce Habeshian** are living in Ashland, Mass. Martha is employed by Barry Controls in the purchasing department. **Peter Spindler** works in transportation for the Dover, Mass., elementary schools. **Ben** and **Jackie (Dyer '69) Kravitz** live in Brockton, Mass., where Ben works in insurance. . . . Many of us have jobs in Boston. **Cheryl Dinneen** works with the drug rehabilitation program in the mayor's office at Government Center. Working on High Street in insurance is **Steve Saporito**. After completing the executive training course, **Robin Armistage**, **Gail Cuatto** and **Karen Teravainen** are employed at Jordan Marsh. Following up on his work as social chairman at Colby last year, **Bob Saglio** is with Music Productions, Inc. Also working in Boston are **Chickie Barnes**, **Nancy Campbell**, **Molly Carroll**, **Lois Chalmers**, **Linda Gulbrandson**, **Laura Struckoff** and **Andy Vujan**.

I'm working as a research correspondent for the Oppenheimer Fund on Franklin Street. My roommate, **Eileen Boerner**, is a secretary for Endowment Management. I would be happy to hear from any of you. Tell us all what you're doing.



# Milestones

## Marriages

1953

**Priscilla S. Patenaude** to Guillermo Castaneda, April, 1970, in Texas.

1964

**Charles P. Angwenyi** to Susan N. Githuku, March 20, Nairobi, Kenya, Africa.

1965

**Barbara C. Droitcour** to Norman B. Heubeck, Feb. 13, Warwick, R. I.

1966

**Louis M. Friedler** to **Sharon Escbenbeck** '70, Aug. 16, 1970, North Haven, Conn.  
**Roderic O. Small** to Patricia Anne Gallagher, Sept. 12, 1970, Barrington, Ill.

1967

**John A. Goldfine** to **Jean F. Ridington**, March 22, 1969, Cherry Hill, N. J.

1968

**Penelope T. Hume** to Weston A. Baker, Feb. 6, North Vassalboro.  
**Charlene S. Marinke** to John Alling Jr., Dec. 23, 1970, Bar Harbor.

1969

**Edward S. Hoe** to Denise Rainville, Feb. 14, 1970, Westfield, N. J.  
**Alice B. Huse** to David F. Smith, Dec. 19, 1970, Redding Ridge, Conn.  
**John Mark Janes** to Mary Kay Duffy, Dec. 5, 1970, Rochester, Minn.  
**Kristen Mary Kreamer** to Weston S. Evans, Aug. 22, 1970, Annville, Pa.  
**Martha L. Peverly** to Barry A. Lewis, Dec. 19, 1970, Milton, Mass.  
**Dwight A. Riggs** to Andrea C. Warren, Jan. 16, Weston, Mass.  
**Jeffrey Sandler** to Ellen Anne Sousa, Dec. 16, 1970, Cranston, R. I.

1970

**David W. Durkin** to **Carrie Ann Horsley** '71, Dec. 26, 1970, Kirkwood, Mo.

**Kenneth L. Jordan Jr.** to **Brenda L. Hess**, Feb. 20, Bangor.  
**David Bruce McNamee** to **Margaret A. Freeman**, Feb. 20, Bath.

## Births

1958

A daughter, Karen Ellen, to Mr. and Mrs. **John S. Baxter**, October, 1970.  
A son, William Brokaw, to Mr. and Mrs. **James D. P. Bishop Jr.**, 1970.  
A son, David Edward, to Mr. and Mrs. **Philip R. Dankert**, July, 1970.  
A daughter, Kristin Leigh, to Mrs. Mirek Hansen (**Janice S. Klem**), October, 1970. (See class correspondences.)  
A daughter, Doreen Louise, to Mr. and Mrs. David T. Brown (**Janet L. Pratt**), January, 1970.

1959

A son, Jonathan Paul, to Mr. and Mrs. **Laurence S. Douglas** (**Anne G. Fuller**), Jan. 8.

1960

A son, David Philip, to Mr. and Mrs. **Donald Mordecai** (**Druscilla Harris** '61), adopted July 10, 1970.  
A son to Dr. and Mrs. **John M. Roberts**, March 25, 1970.  
A daughter, Erica Lynn, to Mr. and Mrs. **Martin Turpie**, Jan. 29.

1961

A son, Andrew John, to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hakola (**Judith A. Hoffman**), adopted Oct. 6, 1970.

1962

A daughter, Elizabeth Suzanne, to Capt. and Mrs. **Joseph Wright** (**Cassandra Cousins** '65), Nov. 18, 1970.

1963

A son, Gregory George, to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Nielsen (**Marilynn Ehrlich**), Nov. 1, 1970.

A daughter, Sally Elizabeth, to Mr. and Mrs. William Chase (**Barbara Haines**), adopted Aug. 4, 1970.

A daughter, Johanna McCune, to Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan F. Wagner (**Shannon McCune**), May 3, 1970.

1964

A daughter, Anne, to Mr. and Mrs. **Alfio Graceffa** (**Natalie Furlong** '67), Dec. 23, 1970.  
A daughter, Jennifer Christie, to Mr. and Mrs. **Raymond O. White** (**Christie Higginbottom** '66), November, 1970.  
A daughter, Karen Sue, to Mr. and Mrs. **Frank Zaremba** (**Nat Bowerman** '66), March, 1970.

1965

A son, Charles Edward, to Mr. and Mrs. **Charles McDowell** (**Louise Reburn** '66), Aug. 12, 1970.

1966

A son, Andrew Carl, to Mr. and Mrs. **Richard Aube**, 1970.  
A daughter, Amy Catherine, to Mr. and Mrs. **James Bither**, June, 1970.  
A son, Richard, to Mr. and Mrs. **Peter Blumenthal**, 1970.  
A son, Jeffrey Scott, to Mr. and Mrs. **Thomas Boghosian**, 1970.  
A son, Jeffrey John, to Mr. and Mrs. **John Cookson**, Sept. 25, 1970.  
A daughter, Amy Louise, to Mr. and Mrs. James Bound (**Bonnie Darling**), June 6, 1970.  
A daughter, Margaret, to Mr. and Mrs. **Robert Davis**, 1970.  
A daughter, Amy Lynne, to Mr. and Mrs. **Malcolm Donaldson**, February, 1970.  
A son, Quentin Wayne, to Mr. and Mrs. William Eggart (**Lynne Egbert**), September, 1970.  
A daughter, Kim Elizabeth, to Mr. and Mrs. **Robert Egbert** (**Merrilyn Aldrich**), February.  
A daughter, Sarah, to Mr. and Mrs. William Wheeler (**Meg Fallon**), May 23, 1970.  
A daughter, Lynne Sharon, to Mr. and Mrs. **Carl Floyd** (**Judith David**), 1970.  
A daughter, Juliet Catherine, to Mr. and Mrs. James Hummer (**Sue Footer**), Sept. 11, 1970.  
A daughter, Beth Rachel, to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Finkelstein (**Claudia Fugere**), Nov. 7, 1970.  
A son, James, to Mr. and Mrs. **Richard Gilmore**, Nov. 25, 1970.

1967

A daughter, Kristi Elizabeth, to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Morin (**Sally Ray**), Jan. 9.

A son, Alexander, to Mr. and Mrs. **Kenneth Ingram (Beatrice Oakley '69)**, Aug. 20, 1970.

## 1969

A daughter, Victoria Louise, to Mr. and Mrs. Andre Boesch (**Joan Flounders**), Sept. 24, 1970.

A daughter, Jennifer, to Mr. and Mrs. Bruce English (**Roberta Kent**), Oct. 12, 1970.

A son, Marc Andrew, to Mr. and Mrs. **Charles E. Miller (Elinor G. Bartel '70)**, April 18, 1970.

A daughter, Karyn Jill, to Mr. and Mrs. **Curtis Schneider**, July 1, 1970.

A son, Thomas William, to Mr. and Mrs. **Thomas J. Watson II**, Jan. 14.

# Deaths

## 1900

**Lulu Ames Ventres**, 93, widow of the Rev. Ernest E. Ventres '01, died Feb. 17 in East Revere, Mass. She was born in Farmington and was a graduate of Waterville High School. Following graduation **summa cum laude** and Phi Beta Kappa, Mrs. Ventres taught for five years at Coburn Classical Institute. After her marriage, she lived in Wakefield, Mass. Her husband, who died in 1959, was pastor of the Rockport, Mass., Baptist Church. Mrs. Ventres was a member of Sigma Kappa. She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Florence Sherburne '31. Another daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Mariner '28, died in 1965.

## 1902

**Grace Bicknell Eisenwinter**, 90, died Jan. 26 in Carlsbad, Calif. She had lived there with friends since the death of her husband, Edward. Born in Paris Hill (Maine), she was a graduate of Norway High School. She taught at the Perkins Institution for the Blind (Watertown, Mass.) and was principal of the Upper Girls School there. After her marriage, Mrs. Eisenwinter lived in Waterbury, Conn., and was a former state president of the A.A.U.W. She was a member of Chi Omega. A stepson survives.

**Nellie Loving Rockwell**, widow of Willard H. Rockwell '02, died Feb. 5 in Waterville at the age of 91. She was the oldest living member of the city's Pleasant Street Methodist Church. Born in East Saugus, Mass., she moved to Waterville as a child. Mrs. Rockwell was graduated from its high school as class valedictorian, and **cum laude** from Colby where she was a member of Chi Omega. Before her marriage, she taught in the Waterville schools. Mr. Rockwell died in 1940. Their son, Donald '38, died in 1944.



## 1909

**Clark Drummond Chapman Sr.**, 82, died Jan. 11 in his native Portland. He was an attorney and a member of a five-generation Colby family. His son, Clark '34, died last May. Mr. Chapman was a graduate of Portland High School and Harvard Law School. He began to practice in 1912 with his father, Wilford G. '83, and in recent years was a partner in the firm of Jensen, Baird, Chapman and Gardner. One of Maine's most esteemed Masons, he received the Drummond Medal named for his grandfather, Josiah H. Drummond, 1846. Mr. Drummond was the state's most famous Mason. Mr. Chapman's portrait hangs in Portland's Masonic Temple. He was a past president of the Cumberland County Bar Association and a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon. Survivors include his wife, the former Laura Wilbur; three daughters, including Mrs. Phyllis Gardner '40; a brother, Professor Alfred K. Chapman '25, faculty member; three granddaughters, including Penelope Chapman Turner '60; and a grandson, Clark D. III '68. Another brother, Wilford G. Jr. '12, died in 1952.

## 1911

**Ralph Eastman Nash**, 83, former class agent and recipient of a Colby Brick in 1946, died Feb. 5 in St. Petersburg, Fla. Mr. Nash had done YMCA and Boys Club work, was superintendent of schools in his native Harrington, personnel manager of a Massachusetts rubber company, and operated his own insurance and investments business in his home town. Beginning in 1930, he spent part of the year in St. Petersburg, where he was a fruit grower. He attended Harrington High School and was graduated from Coburn Classical Institute. A member of Delta Kappa Epsilon, he was a co-founder of the Colby College Bookstore and wrote the words to the song "Marching Along for Colby." Mr. Nash served in the Army during the first world war. He had been

a member of the Alumni Council and founded the Colby Club of St. Petersburg. His wife, Mary Buswell Nash '12, survives. His first wife, the former Cora Kennison '11, died in 1915.

## 1911

**Elizabeth Louise Springfield**, 82, who attended Colby from 1907 to 1909, died Feb. 5 in Augusta. Miss Springfield had worked there for the Internal Revenue Service until her retirement in 1956. Born in Waterville, she was a graduate of Cony High School there and attended Simmons College, Boston. She is survived by nieces and nephews.

## 1912

**Ruth Hamilton Whittemore** died March 12 in West Hartford, Conn., at the age of 84. A retired schoolteacher and widow of Alpheus L. Whittemore '12, she was a former trustee and received a Colby Brick in 1953. She was born in Cornish and was a graduate of Sanford High School. Mrs. Whittemore had been a high school principal in Iowa, and taught in various Maine and Massachusetts schools before settling at Dearing High School, Portland, in 1942. She was awarded the Brick in recognition of her work with many alumni organizations, including the Alumni Council. She was a trustee from 1946 to 1951. Mrs. Whittemore contributed to short story anthologies for students, and to **Invitation to Reading** published by Harcourt Brace. She moved from Portland to West Hartford a year ago to live with her son. She also leaves a niece, Violet Hamilton Brooks '39.

## 1913

**Clair Frank Benson**, 79, a retired federal patent examiner, died Jan. 12 in Arlington, Va. He was born in South Waterboro and was valedictorian of his class at Westbrook High School. He also was a member of Phi Beta Kappa. After serving in the Army during World War I, he taught mathematics and the sciences at Biddeford High School for 12 years. During his 24-years with the U.S. Patent Office, Mr. Benson studied law at George Washington University and the University of Richmond. His wife, Lucille, and two daughters survive.

## 1915

**Roy Winfred Gilmore**, 79, retired school superintendent, died Jan. 31 in Exeter, N. H. He was born in Lynn, Mass., and prepared for Colby at the New Hampton Literary Institute. He taught there and in later years, was a trustee of the school, now known as the New Hampton School for Boys. Mr. Gilmore earned a master's degree from Bates College in 1924 and taught in several New Hampshire communities before serving as superintendent

in Charleston (N. H.) and Hampton. He held the latter post for more than 30 years. Mr. Gilmore was a member of Alpha Tau Omega. A daughter survives.

## 1917

**Robert Harold Gallier**, 76, died Feb. 22 in Bellaire, Tex. Mr. Gallier managed two careers, 17 years in the Army following graduation, and 30 in the office of the district attorney of Harris (Tex.) County. He retired in 1964 after 12 years as chief prosecutor. Born in Taunton, Mass., Mr. Gallier was a graduate of Worcester Classical High School and the old Houston (Tex.) Law School. He was a standout football player at Colby, president of the senior class and a member of Alpha Tau Omega. He first went to Texas as an Army officer to fight Mexican bandits in 1919. He retired as a major in 1934, earned his law degree and became chief investigator of Harris County. His first wife, Eunice, died in 1962. Mr. Gallier leaves his wife, Gladys, and two daughters.

## 1918

**Harris Birdsill McIntyre**, 73, of Marblehead, Mass., died Jan. 30. A registered engineer, he worked for the New England Telephone Co. from 1922 until his retirement in 1961. Mr. McIntyre was a president of the Boston Alumni Association. Born in Houlton, he was graduated from Houlton High School, and from M.I.T. in 1922. Mr. McIntyre served in the Navy during World War I. He was a member of Phi Delta Theta, and once noted on a class questionnaire that 22 relatives, mostly cousins, had attended Colby. His wife, the former Eleanor Sumner, and a son, Charles S. '51, survive.

## 1920

**Edward Fahey**, who attended Colby from 1916 to 1918, died Feb. 8 in Pittsfield, Mass. A teacher, he was a lifelong resident of nearby Dalton, where he taught business in the high school. Mr. Fahey was a graduate of Dalton High and left Colby to serve in the Army. He earned his degree at Bay Path College (Longmeadow, Mass., now a junior college). He taught briefly in New Hampshire schools before returning to Dalton. His wife, Marian, two sons and a daughter survive.

## 1921

**John Bennett Tschamler** died at the age of 71 in Togus Nov. 23 after a long illness. He had served as postmaster of Augusta for six years and had been in the postal service for 44 years. He was born in Lewiston and was a graduate of Cony High School in Augusta. A member of Pi Delta Phi, he attended Colby from 1917 to 1920. Survivors include

his wife, Wallena, four daughters and two sons.

**John Franklin Waterman**, 73, died Nov. 26 in Belfast. He had been employed by a bank there. A native of Taunton, Mass., he was graduated from Belfast High School. Mr. Waterman served in the Naval Reserve in 1918-1919 and was a member of Lambda Chi Alpha. He leaves his wife, Louise.

## 1925

Word has been received of the death on Feb. 23, 1970, of **Seymour Joseph Koff**, 66, in New York City. A native of New York, he prepared for college at Bedford Academy and Commercial High School. Mr. Koff, who attended Colby from 1921 to 1924, earned a law degree at Cornell and a master's in business from New York University. He was in the real estate business and operated a chain of service stations. He leaves his wife, Lilyan.

## 1926

**Helen Chase Stinneford**, 66, died Nov. 16, 1970, in Richmond, Ind., where her husband, Claude '26, taught at Earlham College. Born in Brownsville, she was a graduate of Coburn Classical Institute. She taught at Winslow High School and in Burlington, Vt., before moving to Indiana. Mrs. Stinneford was a member of Chi Omega. She leaves her husband and a daughter.

## 1929

**Martha Allen Blackwell** died Dec. 1 in Sarasota, Fla., at the age of 63. Born in Washburn, she moved to Massachusetts as a child. Mrs. Blackwell attended Girls' Latin High School, Boston, and Watertown High. She had been a teacher all her adult life — in Maine, New Jersey, Vermont and Florida — and continued postgraduate work all during her career. Mrs. Blackwell served with the Office of Price Administration during World War II, and as a Red Cross Home Service Director in Bennington, Vt. She also taught voice. Her late father was Elvin L. Allen '01. Mrs. Blackwell was a member of Sigma Kappa. She leaves her husband, Clinton, and a daughter.

## 1931

**Ira Ward Bither**, a Bangor salesman, died Dec. 21 in Newton, Mass. Mr. Bither, who attended Colby in 1927-1928, was 62. Born in Linneus, he was employed for 40 years by Sunshine Biscuit Co. and was known all over the state. He was a graduate of Ricker College in Houlton. Mr. Bither leaves his wife, the former Kathleen Getchell; a son and daughter; two brothers, including Roy A. '26, and a sister.

## 1936

**James Linwood Ross** died Jan. 4 in Houlton at the age of 57. He was born in Portsmouth, N.H., attended Technical High School, Springfield, Mass., and was graduated from Deering High School in Portland. Mr. Ross was assistant editor of a weekly newspaper in Houlton until the war. He served in the Army Air Corps as a captain and won the Army Commendation Medal. Since, he had been a sales representative for a Houlton fuel oil concern. Mr. Ross was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon. He leaves his wife, Isabel, and a sister, Mrs. Eleanor Howard '37. His late father was Linwood L. Ross '06.

## 1938

**Elizabeth Newell Rosenbaum**, 53, died in Newport, R.I., Dec. 31. Born in London, England, she was graduated from Colby Junior College in 1936. Mrs. Rosenbaum was employed for many years as a technician in electroencephalography at the Massachusetts General and Cushing Veterans hospitals. She leaves two sons, including Thomas N. Beresford '73; a daughter; and two step-daughters, including Janet H. Rosenbaum '70.

## 1967

**John Christopher Wood** was killed Dec. 31 in an auto-train collision in Needham, Mass. He was 25. Born in Boston, he was raised in Needham. At the time of his death, he was a graduate student at the New York University School of Business. After graduation with distinction in his major, he attended Army officers candidate school. During a tour in Vietnam, he earned the Bronze Star and Purple Heart medals. He was a graduate of Needham High School, where he was captain of the hockey team and a football quarterback. Mr. Wood was a member of Kappa Delta Rho. He leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Wood Jr., two sisters and a brother.

## 1969

**Joseph Bole H. Steffey** died March 19 of cancer in his native Pittsburg at the age of 24. A student at Boston University School of Theology prior to his illness, Mr. Steffey was married in June to classmate **Donna L. Massey**. They had been living in Swampscott, Mass. He was a graduate of Shady Side Academy in Pittsburg and was a member of Zeta Psi. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Steffey, have asked that a cross in Lorimer Chapel be dedicated in his memory; friends and classmates also have made contributions. The cross, which will be used regularly in services, will be inscribed with his name, class and dates of birth and death.

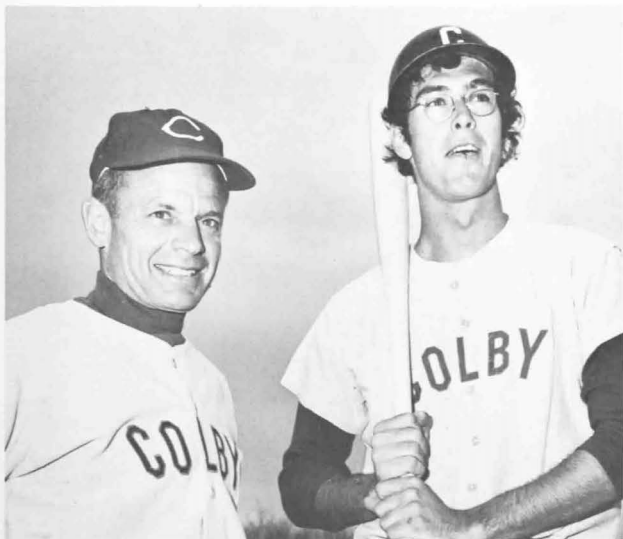


IRVING FAUNCE '69



ROLAND LAVALLIE

Sports Vignettes: (clockwise from top) this year's varsity swimming team, coached by former Springfield College All-American Jack Scholz, was the first to enter official intercollegiate competition; senior Frank Apantaku, a member of the Nigerian Davis Cup team and among the top college amateurs in this country, is defending his Maine collegiate singles and doubles championships and leading a highly successful Colby team; sophomore Patricia Flanigan (Killingworth, Conn.) competed in the 50 and 100-yard breaststroke events in the National Women's Intercollegiate Swimming Championships at the University of Arizona in April; Coach John Winkin, with senior captain Mike Smith (Sanford), has more than the camera to smile about — with freshmen holding down four starting positions and sophomores displaying strong pitching, the baseball team got off to one of its best starts in several seasons and promised to be a real power next year.



RICHARD MAXWELL



IRVING FAUNCE '69

