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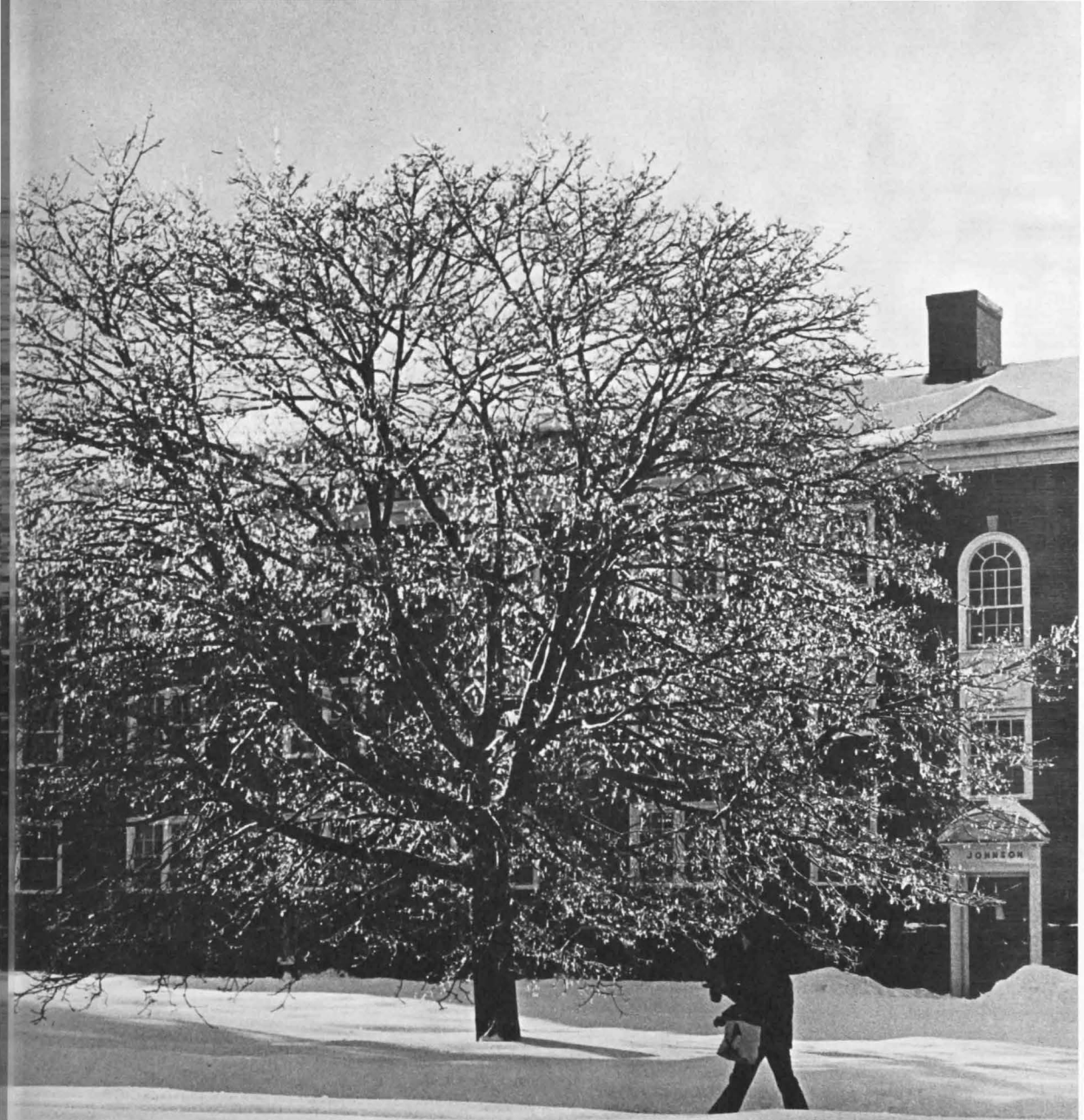
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# The Lovejoy Tradition

*On November 4 in St. Louis, Mo., President Strider addressed a symposium commemorating the 175th anniversary of the birth and the 140th anniversary of the death of Elijah Parish Lovejoy, the 1826 Waterville College graduate and abolitionist who was murdered while defending his press in Alton, Ill. The following are excerpts from that speech.*

THE MURDER OF LOVEJOY GAVE IMPETUS TO THE abolitionist cause, not only in Illinois but in the East. It also caused thoughtful persons to question with growing alarm the violence that characterized in such a prominent way the 1830s. One of those thoughtful persons was Abraham Lincoln, then a state representative.

It is worth looking at an address given by Lincoln less than three months after the death of Lovejoy, on January 27, 1838, before the Young Men's Lyceum of Springfield. From our secure perspective it may appear regrettable that Lincoln did not in this speech mention Lovejoy by name. Possibly in that time of tension it would have been imprudent to have done so. But his meaning is clear enough.

The title of this address is "The Perpetuation of our Political Institutions," and it is often referred to as the "Perpetuation Speech." Lincoln begins by alluding to the beauty of the United States, "the fairest portion of the earth," and its system of political institutions, "conducting more essentially to the ends of civil and religious liberty, than any of which the history of former times tells us." It is our task, says Lincoln, to transmit these institutions to later generations, to perpetuate them.

And yet, he goes on,

there is, even now, something of ill-omen amongst us. I mean the increasing disregard for law which pervades the country; the growing disposition to substitute the wild and furious passions, in lieu of the sober judgment of Courts; and the worse than savage mobs, for the executive ministers of justice.

He mentions several of the more notorious lynchings and examples of mob behavior and points out that when Government gives no protection, that bulwark of Government that arises from the "attachment of the people" will be destroyed. . . . "There is no grievance," he continues, "that is a fit object of redress by mob law." He concludes with an appeal to reason as opposed to passion, an exhortation to the young men of the Lyceum to follow the example of the founding fathers of the nation and maintain "a reverence for the constitution and laws."

Lovejoy, a rational moderate, surely stood for that reverence for the laws that Lincoln urges upon his listeners. The murder of Lovejoy was an outrage not simply against abolitionism but against civilization. And that, perhaps, is why he now looms so large as we look back on the violent years that preceded and embraced the Civil War. . . .



*Lovejoy's grave in Alton, Ill. was one of the sites visited by President Strider. To his left is Mrs. Douglas Monroe, a trustee of the Elijah Parish Lovejoy Memorial.*

For twenty-five years Colby has given an annual award in honor of Lovejoy. In our community, . . . the Lovejoy Convocation is a highly significant event. . . . The recipient may be an editor, reporter, or publisher, someone who in the opinion of the judges, has contributed in some conspicuous fashion to the nation's journalistic achievement. . . .

Among the recipients have been liberals in politics and conservatives, crusaders and quiet but courageous observers of the scene, embattled editors who have been picketed and even shot at, and journalistic craftsmen whose insights have illumined the controversial issues of the day. . . .

A question has arisen from time to time that points up a central fact in what tonight we choose to call the "Lovejoy Tradition." I have been asked why it is that Colby College, a liberal arts institution that has no school of journalism nor has any intention of starting one, is the sponsor of one of the nation's most significant awards in journalism. The answer to the question runs deeper than the accidental fact that Lovejoy happened to be one of our greatest graduates.

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# Roberts in Transition



ROBERTS UNION HAS TURNED into a bona fide student center in the past six months; no longer will it be just a place for students to pick up their mail. The renovations have made the union so attractive, quipped Pat Chasse, director of student activities, that it may be overused and wear out prematurely.

The building has gone through a major facelifting, the first in its history. Ground was broken October 25, 1937, after alumni raised \$300,000 to build a men's union as

a memorial to President Arthur J. Roberts. (The Women's Union, named Runnals Union in 1960, was at the other end of the campus.) World War II stopped all construction, leaving Roberts an empty shell until after the war. It was completed in 1946.

Now for the tour. Though all the work had not been completed when these photographs were taken, enough had been finished to show the amazing transformation.



*A stylish new information desk highlights the lobby.*

*The mail room, now on the first floor, occupies part of what used to be the bookstore.*



*Arches are a common motif throughout the refurbished union. This hallway is to the right of the lobby.*

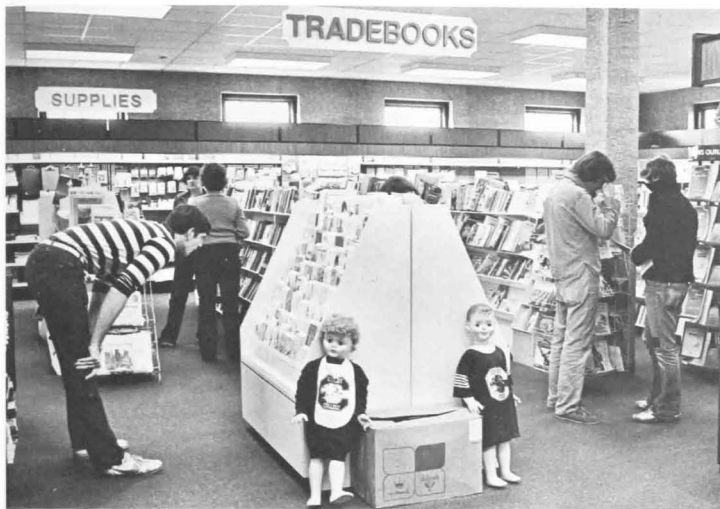




*If one enters Roberts from the front, the bookstore entrance is to the left of the lobby. Beyond the turnstiles are three bright, airy rooms.*

*One for art supplies, magazines and sundries . . .*





*one for tradebooks and  
stationery . . .*



*and one for textbooks.*



*The downstairs dining room is barely recognizable. Recessed lighting, wood paneling, mirrors and a salad bar create an entirely new atmosphere.*



*Carpeting, fresh paint and a new ceiling set off the oriental lamps on the second floor corridor. Identified as "kum Dun" lanterns from an imperial palace in China of the Ching dynasty they were a gift from Dr. and Mrs. Lee Su Jan '24.*



*The facilities of the campus radio station, WMHB, were among the first to be redecorated.*



*Downstairs, the new Spa/Pub takes first prize. There was some grumbling when the Spa moved from the library, but who can argue with the result?*

# The Library Sets a New Course

## *A Discussion with the Director*



**You've been here almost a year. What have you discovered to be the major strengths and weaknesses of the library?**

I think the major strengths are in terms of the present staff, but my colleagues have a real sense of frustration. This is primarily because there hasn't been adequate funding and because the library was without a permanent director for almost four years.

We want to accomplish several objectives that are absolutely imperative. One, increase the amount of personnel we now have, as current staff levels enable us to just barely maintain the status quo. Two, increase the amount of money allocated for library materials because present funding places us in a retrograde position, not only in terms of our educational goals but also vis a vis similar institutions and the publishing world.

The next major objective, which is a longer term project, is to revamp and possibly expand the library in terms of book storage, study space and service locations. Additionally, it should be totally redecorated so that it is an attractive and pleasant place to study.

**How much of a problem is the physical structure?**

It's an immense problem. We've had a number of architectural firms look into it, and expect their initial written responses shortly. The firms are, at this point, very optimistic that something can be done.

Thinking about how long the library is going to last in terms of book storage, the most optimistic figure we've been able to calculate is three and a half years. The stacks then will be operationally saturated, and that is at the present acquisitions rate.

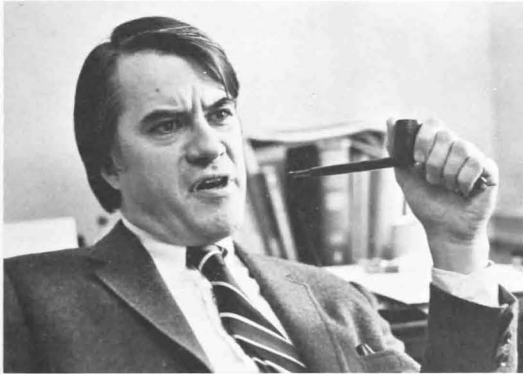
**What sort of time period are you talking about for this renovation?**

I'd say 18 months minimum before we can knock out a wall or repaint anything, or even think about digging up the back.

### Is that the direction you would expand?

I think it's the only way we can. Because of the architectural symmetry we can't alter the front of the building. The only other possibility is to go underground in the front, which means we'd have to deal with ledge problems, and that gets very, very expensive. But it might be a possibility.

In addition to the problem of storage of the collection itself, the big shortcoming is that we can seat less than 30 percent of the students, and a significant percentage of that seating is marginal. It's just poor. There are World War II rejects and homemade carrels that are falling apart. Our goal is to seat 40 to 45 percent of the students in comfortable, attractive surroundings conducive to study.



### How are computers changing college libraries?

There are two principal things that have altered life here. One is our affiliation with the Ohio College Library Center (OCLC). Our cataloging is now expedited through the use of OCLC facilities, and we also use it for bibliographic verification, acquisitions and interlibrary loans. Secondly, I think the work that Gene Clevenger, assistant director for technical services, has done on the Colby computer in the last two years is remarkable. We are using it for the acquisitions process, internal accounting, serials control and to generate management data.

We are also thinking about generating computer output microfilm (COM) for our catalog. Not only for ours, but for the catalogs of Bates and Bowdoin.

### How would that work?

All three institutions utilize OCLC. Therefore, all cataloging done through that medium is in machine readable form.

Card catalogs are a nice 19th century invention. They are expensive to maintain and they get out of whack. So, you ask, what's the way out of all this?

The quantum jump would be to have all the catalog records of all the libraries in the country subordinated to a huge computer and have them available on line, with access via standard terminals. We're not there yet, and it doesn't seem likely that we're going to be there in the near term. But it's coming, in some form, and we want to be ready when it happens.

We're now trying to find some intermediate step between that ideal system in the future and the 19th century card catalog.

One solution is computer output microfilm, where you take your machine readable records and generate a microfilm catalog. So in the case of Colby and its two sister institutions, we could create one combined catalog for all three institutions.

### You're doing that now?

We can. We have an agreement in principle to do this, and we're now trying to find the best way to do it technically. This is not pie in the sky. This is a problem that has been resolved at other institutions.

Once we accomplish this we can "close" our card catalog and no longer incur the expense of filing new cards. So, when people look up material they will not only find out what's available here but what's available at the two other schools, thus creating a library not three times the size of Colby's because there will be overlap, but a "library" considerably in advance of Colby's perse.

We've already set the groundwork for doing this. We have a new reciprocal agreement that's going to be operational in February, so students and faculty in all three schools will be able to go to any of the other two libraries and be issued a borrowing card. That's a step forward.



**When will the COM catalog be ready for use?**

Within a year, perhaps a little longer if funds are not forthcoming. In addition to not having to file the cards anymore we'll have, in essence, a "card" catalog, not in one location, but in any number of locations around the campus. All you need are multiple copies of the microfilm and viewers. You will have them in the library, in classroom buildings, in dormitories, department offices and the student union. It would be conceivable that we would make 70 or 80 copies of this film and have them at various optimal points around the three campuses.

**Would you have a system of delivering books back and forth between campuses?**

That's certainly a possibility—and maybe people, too. We would have to see what the demand was first. The big step will be to get the COM catalog going. Then we may consider having some sort of vehicle that runs a circuit every day.

**You're saying that in a few years a student will be able to walk to the microfilm reader in his dormitory, order a book from the Bowdoin library and have it arrive the next day?**

It's perfectly possible.

**You once said that you have a strong commitment to integrating the library into the educational process. What did you mean by that?**

You can't have an effective library unless you've got the materials. If you don't have the books and periodicals people will get negative reinforcement from the beginning.

There are two other facets. One is to have a first class reference service, so people can really get help in gaining access to information. Two, you must have a program that makes an aggressive effort to train people to use the library, though some academics are skeptical and think that this is essentially a non-scholarly activity.

**Teaching people to use the library?**

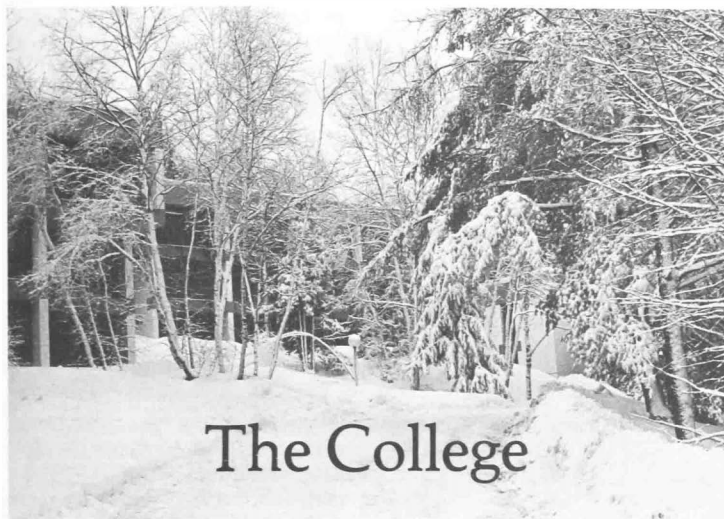
Yes. I would hope that we would be able to have a much more highly articulated program of library instruction. I would eventually like to see a course offered for credit on the subject. I feel strongly about trying to get people and books together.

**What would you most like to accomplish here?**

To turn the library around. This is a job for a young person. If I were 50 I wouldn't take it!



*W. Stuart Debenham, Jr. has been director of Miller Library since last spring, when he came to Colby from the Ohio College Library Center where he was assistant director. His 13 years of library experience include three years at Harvard and eight at Yale, and he has taught at Southern Connecticut State and the University of Western Ontario.*



## The College

### *Court Dismisses Discrimination Charge, Appeal Filed*

A lawsuit charging Colby and two insurance and annuity organizations with sex discrimination was dismissed in November by U. S. District Court Judge Edward T. Gignoux. The suit, which challenged the legality of the retirement and insurance plans used by Colby and many other educational institutions, was filed by the federal Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC) in October 1973.

On December 20 the EEOC appealed. Thus the First Circuit Court of Appeals in Boston will hear oral arguments to determine whether Judge Gignoux's decision should be upheld.

Colby's co-defendants are the Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association (TIAA) and the College Retirement Equities Fund (CREF) whose services are limited to public and private colleges and universities, independent schools, and certain other nonprofit and tax-exempt educational and scientific institutions. There are more than 500,000 participants in TIAA-CREF. Over 3,000 educational institutions have one or more TIAA benefit programs.

At Colby male and female employees make equal contributions to their life insurance and retirement plans. The college also pays equal amounts into the funds. However, retirement payments to individuals differ because the companies base these on actuarial data which show that women live longer than men.

As a result, the retirement fund pays monthly benefits to women that are slightly less than those paid to men, while the insurance plan pays men lower death benefits than women.

The EEOC charged that the plans discriminated against both sexes in violation of Title VII of the 1964 Civil Rights Act. But Judge Gignoux said the companies paid out benefits following "the essential proposition upon which the insurance industry operates. . . ."

### *Senior Named Rhodes Scholar*



Jennifer Barber '78, a 21-year-old English major from Newton Centre, Mass., has been named a Rhodes Scholar. She was one of 12 women among 32 Americans chosen for the coveted honor. This is the second year women have been allowed to apply for the scholarships.

She is the fifth Colby student to be selected for the award. The others were William C. Carter '38, John G. Rideout '36, Abbott E. Smith '26 and the late Harold W. Soule '04.

Miss Barber will join scholars from other countries for two years of study in the fields of their choice at Oxford University in England. She plans to study medieval and comparative literature. "I'm fascinated by the English-French connections in literature and hope to study in-depth their influence upon one another," she said.

Her extracurricular activities include cross-country skiing, gymnastics, modern dance and participation in Waterville's Big Sister program.

Other New England schools with scholarship recipients this year are Harvard, Yale and Wellesley.

### *New Staff Member to Concentrate on Women's Health*

The board of trustees has voted to add a health associate or physician's assistant to Colby's health service staff. Two of the main responsibilities of the position will be women's health problems and sexual health

care. A search committee has been formed.

The trustees acted in response to a recommendation by the Advisory Committee on Health Services, composed of four students, three faculty, two representatives from the health center and one from the dean of students office. The chairman is Arthur Champlin, assistant

professor of biology. The committee was formed in 1976 after women students advocated an expanded program of health care.

In its report, the committee suggested sexual health care services include the diagnosis and treatment of medical and psychological problems, routine gynecological exams, education and counseling in birth control, the dispensing of birth control devices, and pregnancy testing and counseling.

Other recommendations dealt with health education. One states that "human sexuality," a psychology course, be retained. Another proposal is that the physical education requirement be utilized to have students study such matters as nutrition, diet and hygiene.

It also was proposed that the committee be given a small budget to sponsor health films and lectures, and that informal dormitory discussions be held among students and the health service staff.

### *Ed Turner to Retire; a Man of Perseverance and Dedication*



The man responsible for directing seven campaigns, which added 19 buildings and renovated four on the Mayflower Hill campus, will step down in September. Edward H. Turner, vice-president for development, is retiring after 25 years as Colby's chief fundraiser.

The immensity of what has been accomplished under his leadership is best understood by a comparison. In 1953, when he began as director of development, the college had 22 buildings, an endowment of

\$4,966,126, and an investment in plant totaling \$7,530,359. Today Colby has 41 buildings, an endowment of \$26,798,817 (book value), and investment in plant of \$21,465,985.

Turner's contributions were recognized by the college in 1973, when he was awarded an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters. President Strider, in the citation, said "... he has pointed the way with confidence toward goals often seemingly unattainable but that with his persistence he managed to reach. His deep commitment to this college and all that it stands for is manifest in his energy and in his spectacular successes. The observer on Mayflower Hill can see around him some of what Ed Turner has accomplished. . . ."

During his tenure, a number of significant programs in the development area were instigated, among them the Parents Association, Graduate Parents Association, the President's Club and the Down-east Scholarship Program.

Turner was born in Arlington, Mass., and is a 1936 graduate of Harvard. During World War II he was a Navy lieutenant, participating in eight amphibious invasions. Before joining Colby he was administrative assistant to the vice-president with the Liberty Mutual Insurance Co. in Pittsburgh, Pa. He is an active member of the Council for Advancement and Support of Education (CASE), participating as a speaker at many conferences, and is a trustee of Kents Hill School.



*A recent Museum of Art acquisition is Pablo Casals Playing the Cello by Willard W. Cummings, D.F.A. '60 (1915-1975). It is one of a number of paintings bequeathed by the artist. Cummings was highly instrumental in the formation and growth of the museum, and was co-founder of the Friends of Art at Colby.*



## *New Law Poses Problems*

One aspect of the new copyright law, effective January 1, is causing consternation at Colby and other institutions. Colleges and universities now have to pay royalties for songs performed on their campuses. Predicted are royalty fees of 10¢ per registered student plus a fee per performance ranging from \$15 to \$300.

Representatives of higher education have been meeting with representatives of the three performing rights organizations, ASCAP, BMI and SESAC, to formulate licensing agreements for music use. The three organizations have agreed not to take any copyright infringement action against any college or university for violation of music copyright provisions of the new law so long as good faith negotiations continue.

Under the old (1909) copyright law, nonprofit educational institutions were exempt from paying performance royalties, but the new law requires the payment of performing rights organization license fees. The law covers all paid performers, even if there is no charge to those attending. When performers do not accept payment an institution is still exempt.

Also, in the opinion of some authorities, the new law has fallen short of providing clear, simple guidelines as to what may and may not be photocopied.

## *Adding Air-Conditioning*

The air-conditioning of Given Auditorium has been approved by the board of trustees. As a direct result, the division of special programs has already scheduled one new medical program that will bring 200 doctors to the campus for two weeks this summer. And since last year, when special programs began using the air-conditioned Strider Theater, at least six new medical groups have decided to come to Colby.

Robert Kany, director of special programs, is extremely enthusiastic about the board's action. "It will offer an added dimension for more flexibility in programming," he said.

## Circle These Dates

*June 2, 3, 4*

1978 REUNION WEEKEND

*October 28-29*

HOMECOMING

## *A Grant for the Sciences*

Colby's program to improve the science facilities has been aided by a \$75,000 grant from The Charles E. Merrill Trust.

The gift, which is the fifth major award to the college by the trust, will be used to renovate the Keyes Science Building and the David Kenneth Arey Life Sciences Building. The improvements are scheduled for completion by September 1978.

In addition to housing the chemistry department, Keyes will have the science library, an auditorium, seminar rooms and research laboratories for faculty and students. Changes in the Arey building, occupied by the biology department, will include new and expanded laboratories, areas for future scientific installations, controlled temperature rooms, and laboratories for the psychology department.

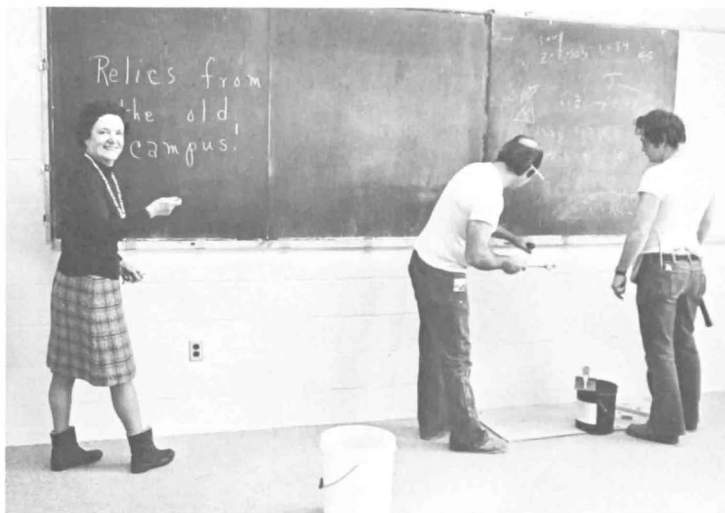
President Strider, in announcing the grant, said "The Charles E. Merrill Trust has been generous to Colby over the years in quite a number of ways. We are deeply grateful once again for their timely support."

In 1960, on the occasion of the retirement of President J. Seelye Bixler, Merrill Trust awarded the climactic gift of a \$2.5 million Program of Fulfillment. Other grants helped construct the student health center, established the Winthrop H. Smith Visiting Lectureships, and enabled the Museum of Art to acquire a number of contemporary works.

## *C.C.S. Is Dissolved*

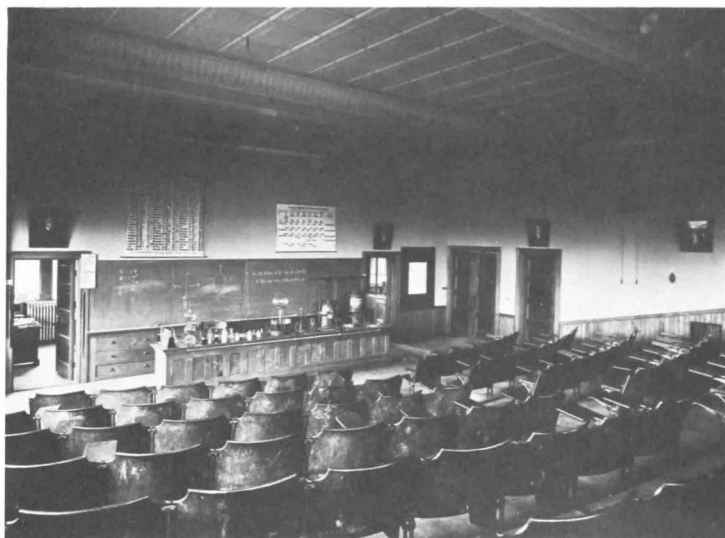
The Center for Coordinated Studies will close its doors at the end of this academic year. Paul Jensen, vice-president for academic affairs, said in making the announcement, "the center served worthy purposes and in its time proved to be useful to the students who participated directly in its programs and to other students as well." But, he concluded, there no longer is sufficient student or faculty interest to sustain it.

Founded in 1970, the center has been located in Foss and Woodman dormitories. It has been an active force, the dean noted, for change on the campus, and its impact will continue to be felt through such programs as the occasional student-taught course, the independent major, support for interdisciplinary study, and other ventures which were initiated, at least in part, by students and faculty associated with it.



*Lucille Zukowski '37, professor of mathematics, wrote "Relics from the old campus!" And she wasn't kidding, at least about the blackboards. The old slate sheets, shown being installed in the Seeley G. Mudd Science Building in December, are from Chemical Hall, below.*

*She used her influence to have the boards brought from the old campus to Mayflower Hill, and they have stayed with the mathematics department ever since. In 1950 they were put in the third floor of the library. Then in 1959, when mathematics moved to Keyes, the blackboards went too. Perhaps this last move will be the final move.*



## *Committee Report on Athletics Submitted*

The board of trustees, at its October meeting, received "with appreciation" the report of the ad hoc committee appointed to make a comprehensive study of the college's athletic, physical education, and intramural programs. Chairman of the committee was C. David O'Brien '58.

The board voted to accept several recommendations of the two-year study and directed board chairman Albert C. Palmer '30 "to appoint a special committee on athletics in connection with the implementation of the recommendations." The committee has been named, and will be headed by Robert A. Marden '50, vice-chairman of the board.

It was also voted that "the views of the faculty and its committee on athletics, the alumni council, and the Student Association be solicited before action is taken on substantive issues."

The recommendations from the ad hoc committee to which the board will give its attention, reported briefly herewith in summary, urged:

- (1) Formation of a statement of philosophy on athletics and physical education
- (2) An examination of the number of opportunities in intercollegiate, intramural, and lifetime sports
- (3) Attention by the budget and finance committee of the board to the needs of the division of physical education and athletics as well as those of the three academic divisions
- (4) An analysis of the personnel and structure of the division with regard to staffing requirements for intercollegiate athletics, intramural activity, and physical education programs for both men and women
- (5) Appointment of a committee of students under the direction of the chairman of the division to assist the division in the establishment and maintenance of sound intramural and lifetime sports programs
- (6) Equality of opportunity for women in all areas of athletic endeavor

(7) Establishment of the special committee on physical education and athletics, to include faculty and student representatives and the chairman of the athletic committee of the alumni council.

## *The President's Page*

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We like to think that our mission is what Lincoln was urging, namely, the perpetuation of our political institutions and the civilization that our country has developed. A liberal arts college is dedicated to reason. Our mission is to transmit Truth. . . . It is our mission to encourage discovery in the minds of young people, to reveal to them horizons they have not dreamed of.

Lovejoy did all that. . . . He dramatized human dignity. And it has often been said that the aim of education is to bring to the students, of whatever age, some notion of what it means to be a human being. That is what Colby tries to do, in company with every other educational institution worthy of the name. How appropriate it is that Colby should honor Lovejoy every year.

The place of Elijah Parish Lovejoy in history is secure. He never would have known it during his tragically short life, nor could his heroic wife have known it. He was not trying to be a martyr, nor was he trying to make a place for himself in history. Great men and women do not try. Their achievements take care of that. So it was with Lovejoy. . . .

"I cannot praise," said Milton in *Areopagitica* in 1644,

a fugitive and cloistered virtue, unexercised and unbreathed, that never sallies out and sees her adversary, but slinks out of the race, where that immortal garland is to be run for, not without dust and heat.

Lovejoy did not slink out of the race. He endured more than the dust and heat. For the perpetuation of our political institutions and indeed, for our freedom, we are in his debt. And for that we honor him.

ROBERT E.L. STRIDER



*December 16 marked the end of an era; it was the Spa's last day of operation in Miller Library. No one was more aware of it than John Joseph, who has been there since 1954, though his sadness at leaving was softened by the Spa's beautiful new quarters in Roberts Union. His brother, Joseph Joseph, began the operation in the library in 1947. The new Spa and pub opened at the beginning of the January Program.*

## *Colby Authors*

*The First Congregational Church of Waterville*  
Abbott E. Smith '26  
Seavey Printers, 1977

Smith, who was a Rhodes Scholar, professor of history at Bard College and lecturer at Columbia University, has written a history of this church. The 150-year long story is told against the background of a changing America, and he makes clear that not all the dissensions and schisms were of local origin, but rather a reflection of what was going on across the nation.

*I Heard My Sister Speak My Name*  
Thomas Savage '40, M.A. '54  
Little Brown, 1977

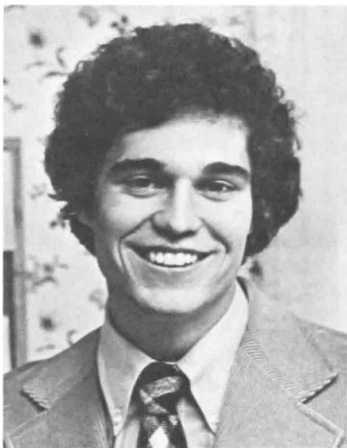
This haunting novel is set in the American Northwest in the early 1900s, and is the story of an adopted woman's search for her biological parents. This is Savage's 10th novel.

*Journey to Middle Grove*  
Coral Crosman '63

Porphyron Press, 1977  
Ms. Crosman, describing the poems in her latest book, says they "range in tone from the rather whimsical to the sardonic, from the lightly erotic to the heavily mystical and religious, and require some adjustment on the part of the reader in spanning the many voices of the book." She is a craftsman; her poetry flows and courses, and is a reminder to see and think and feel. She has written seven books of poetry and three unpublished novels.



## People



The college has appointed JEFF SANDERSON '77, of Contoocook, N.H., as associate director of alumni relations. In the new position Sanderson will help plan alumni gatherings on campus and act as a liaison between Colby and alumni.

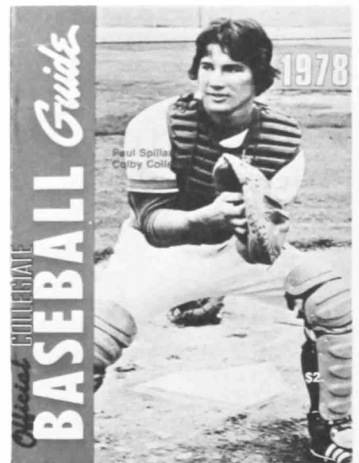
As an undergraduate, Sanderson served as head resident of Louise Coburn Hall, was treasurer of Delta Upsilon, and played goalie for three years on the varsity soccer team. He was co-captain in 1976 and co-most-valuable-player his sophomore year.

An exhibit at Yale University in the fall paid tribute to the lifework of a notable Colby couple, MARION (STARBIRD '18, L.H.D. '77) and FREDERICK POTTLE '17, Litt.D. '41. He is Sterling Professor of English Emeritus and editor-in-chief of the *Yale Editions of the Private Papers of James Boswell*, while she has been cataloguer of Yale's Boswell Papers since 1930 and research assistant at Yale's Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library.

The exhibit included the numerous volumes of Boswell's papers that Professor Pottle, a Colby trustee, has edited during his life, copies of books he has written on Boswell, and manuscript copy for the upcoming, multi-volume catalogue to the Boswell Collection, which Mrs. Pottle has been preparing since 1949.

PRESIDENT STRIDER and three alumni have been named to a 12-member state task force by Maine Governor James Longley. Serving with the president, who is chairman of the panel, are DONALD NICOLL '49, JOHN THOMAS, JR. '42 and ROBERT MARDEN '50. The group will evaluate state and federal administrative districts and county and regional planning commissions in Maine. Its goal is to eliminate overlapping areas of jurisdiction and duplication of effort in the delivery of government services.

FRANCIS PARKER, Dana Professor of Philosophy and Religion, was a visiting philosopher for two days in November at Howard University, Washington, D.C. His schedule included classroom talks, discussions and a public lecture on "The Return to Reason in American Culture."



PAUL SPILLANE, JR. '79, Colby's record-setting catcher, made the cover of the NCAA's official 1978 Collegiate Baseball Guide. Last year Spillane, who is from Brockton, Mass., hit .455 with 11 doubles and six home runs. Though he hopes to play professional baseball, the administrative science major is pursuing a career as a stock broker or investment counselor. Spillane is also a member of the hockey team.



*SANDY MAISEL, assistant professor of government, is seeking the Democratic nomination for Congress in Maine's first congressional district. Last spring Maisel was on leave to direct the Task Force on Work Management for the U.S. House of Representatives' Commission on Administrative Review, a 15-member group that studied ways to streamline operations of the House. In 1976 he was a member of the Rules Committee at the Democratic Convention, to which he was an alternate delegate. Maisel currently is chairman of the Governor's Commission on Governmental Subdivisions in Maine.*

An administrative science major is the editor-in-chief of the *Echo* second semester. Junior JAMES ZENDMAN (Greenwich, Conn.) plans to introduce sound management principles to operations so the newspaper "can perform its journalistic function as smoothly and efficiently as possible." Zendman served previously as managing editor and production head. He succeeds DAVID LINSKY '79 (Natick, Mass.).

The Northeastern Section of the Mathematical Association of America has elected DONALD SMALL, associate professor of mathematics, its 1977-78 chairman. He has been on the MMA's Committee on Secondary School Lecturers since 1972, serving as chairman since 1974. In addition to organizing lecture programs for secondary schools, the committee runs two special programs. Women and Mathematics encourages 10th grade girls to continue their mathematics education through high school, and Blacks and Mathematics urges black junior high school students to follow a college preparatory program in high school.



*Trustee PAUL PAGANUCCI has been named vice-president and senior investment officer at Dartmouth College. Before the promotion he was investment officer and professor of business administration. The Waterville native graduated from Dartmouth in 1953, holds an M. B. A. from Dartmouth's Amos Tuck School of Business Administration and a J. D. degree from Harvard Law School. He began his career as an investment analyst and attorney, then in 1961 helped found the Wall Street firm of Lombard, Vitalis & Paganucci, Inc. He left the firm in 1972 to return to Tuck School as professor and associate dean. Paganucci joined the Colby board in 1975.*



*Registrar GEORGE COLEMAN has been elected president of the New England Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers, which has approximately 200 New England institutions as members. He has served the association in many capacities, including newsletter editor and publicity director.*

Two noteworthy contributions have been made to the Garrison-Foster Health Center. The first comes from CAROLINE PIPER OVERFORS '40 of Watertown, Mass. and ALBERT O. PIPER, D.D.S. '36 of Waterville. It was made in memory of their father, JOHN O. PIPER, M.D., who served as Colby's first college physician from 1931 to 1946.

And CHARLES TOWNE, M.D. '28, who recently retired as a Waterville physician, made a donation of his own desk.

# Sports

## Experience Helps

The men's hockey team was 0-1-1 when it faced Maine in the third game of the season. The U.M.O. team was brand new, formed just this season, yet Maine beat the Mules 4-1. That loss was a real shock to Colby, yet it seemed to turn the team around. The squad bounced back to defeat the University of Buffalo, then, to the astonishment of everyone, upset Salem State, a Division II powerhouse. Sophomore goalie Joe Faulstich (Somerville, Mass.) turned in a remarkable performance in that game, making 46 saves.

Colby was one of four participants in the first annual Maine Holiday Hockey Classic in Portland January 4-5. In the first round the pucksters evened the score with Maine by handing the Black Bears a 5-4 defeat. Bowdoin nipped the Mules to win the tournament, though Colby played a brilliant game.

The men's basketball team should be a contender for CBB honors, and the men are looking for another winning season. Senior Paul Harvey (Portsmouth, N.H.), a first team All American last year, is again a stand-out, and in addition there is great depth to the team this year. One outstanding example is freshman Mike McGee, the son of Colby's athletic director and football coach, Dick McGee. The 6'3" player was high scorer in two of the early games, shooting for 32 points against U.M.F. and for 29 against Keene State.

Against Keene State there were four Mules who scored in double figures, and Colby's 110-point final score was its highest in the past six years.

Since becoming a varsity sport in 1975-76, the women's hockey team had been undefeated against collegiate opponents. But this winter, in the opening game against U.N.H., the inevitable happened. The women were beaten. However, they quickly bounced back to trounce

Boston College under their first full-time coach, Jack Leary.

The women hoopsters, also with their first full-time coach, got off to a good start. Last year's top-scorer, Patty Valavanis '80 (Belmont, Mass.), again led the women as the season began, scoring a total of 42 points in the first two games.

Coach Gene DeLorenzo '75 says "this promises to be a fine year for women's varsity basketball," and he is confident the team will again qualify for the state tournament. He stresses that Colby is continually upgrading its schedule as the women become more competitive. New opponents this year are Stonehill and Merrimack colleges and U.M.O.

## Winter Sports (as of Jan. 10)

(Colby scores first)

### MEN'S BASKETBALL

U.M.F. 94-71; Salem State 98-94; U. Mass.-Boston 97-71; Boston State 77-87; Keene State 110-102.

### WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Stonehill 56-53; U.M.P.I. 79-53.

### MEN'S HOCKEY

New England 4-4; Lowell 3-6; U.M.O. 1-4; Buffalo 5-4; Salem State 2-0; U.M.O. 5-4; Bowdoin 4-5; Boston State 6-4.

### WOMEN'S HOCKEY

U.N.H. 4-8; Boston College 6-1.

### SWIMMING

Nichols 92-19; Brandeis 86-26.

### TRACK

Colby 77½, Fitchburg 53½, Bentley 39.

### SQUASH

Tufts 1-8; Harvard J.V. 0-9; U.S. Naval Academy 0-9; Bowdoin 0-9.

## Fall Sports Wrap-up

(since Oct. 17)

(Colby scores first)

### FOOTBALL (1-7)

Trinity 23-24; Bates 14-25; Tufts 13-17; Bowdoin 14-15.

### SOCCER (3-7-2)

Bowdoin 0-0; New England 3-0; Bates 1-2; M.I.T. 1-2; U.M.P.G. 1-1.

### MEN'S CROSS-COUNTRY (9-11)

Colby 15, S.M.V.T.I. 50; Bates 22, U.M.O. 42, Bowdoin 114, Colby 116.

### WOMEN'S CROSS-COUNTRY (0-3)

Bowdoin 21, Bates 31, Colby 60.

### WOMEN'S FIELD HOCKEY (6-6-1)

Nasson 10-0; Thomas 7-0; U.M.F. 2-0.

### WOMEN'S TENNIS (7-3)

U.N.H. 3-4; Bowdoin 6-1.



Colby's cagers were in typically good form in this win over U. Mass.-Boston.



# News of the Classes



**28** Mrs. James T. McCroary  
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Only a short time to the big 50th. Do make plans to attend if at all possible. • Nellie Dearborn writes that she will be there. When she wrote it was last February, when Portland was "ice-bound" and she was busy baking rolls and bread for all her friends and neighbors. • Myra Stone Pruitt said, at that time, that she did not plan to come. Change your mind, Myra, for it has been a long time since we have had a talk. She enjoys her retirement pursuing arts and crafts hobbies as well as volunteer work with Girl Scouts and hospital work. In answer to the question about honors or promotions, her reply was, "I don't serve for awards." • Cecil Foote's wife writes that he probably cannot attend on account of his health. He is mostly confined to the house, but he enjoys the Colby calendar with all of the old scenes. They live at 703 S. Perry St. in Johnstown, N.Y., and would be happy to see old friends. It is just four miles off the thruway at exit 28. • "Peg" Davis Farnham is as busy as ever with all her hobbies. Cross-country skiing seems to be a new one. Her big family must be a lot of fun, and two of her daughters are playing bagpipes in a band in the Bangor area as well as doing Scottish dances. Last year her son graduated from a school of banking while a daughter earned her master's from the Univ. of Maine. • As I predicted, I saw Charlie Towne and wife, Evelyn, at the Josselyn Botanical Society meeting this August. I rode with them one day while we explored various bogs. At that place we saw hundreds of cardinal flowers in full bloom. With them were a few rare white blossoms and, best of all, a very few pink ones. I have never seen the pink ones reported before so that was a rare treat. These distinguished botanists leave me way behind when they speak in botanical terms, but I find it quite stimulating and the Townes are good scouting companions. • At the D.A.R. state meeting I again saw Lela Glidden; she assured the group that all funds were spent correctly. She is state finance chairman. • At the Delta Kappa Gamma state meeting in Portland in October I ate lunch with Arline Mann Peakes '27. • At the Farnsworth Museum in Rockland, Mary Wasgatt '30 presides, so say a word to her if you are ever there. That must be a fascinating job. • Charlotte Clary Nevin plans to be at the reunion, and I have not seen her in the whole 50 years. She wrote quite a bit about her family. Her elder son is a surgeon and was invited into the James Ewing Society on account of his outstanding work in research. Her daughters have won all kinds of scholarship awards (or maybe these are her granddaughters). One is in Wellesley and the other in the Univ. of Florida. Charlotte herself is active in D.A.R., the National Society of N.E. Women, and the Daughters of American Colonists. Every Sunday she helps serve tea and gingerbread to 100 or 200 people in the dining room of the Western Reserve Historical Society. In the

meantime, she plays duplicate bridge. She says that life is so interesting in this country that, as yet, she has had no desire to travel abroad. In 1975, she and two granddaughters spent some time on a ranch in Montana where they enjoyed a lot of horseback riding. Her home is in Shaker Heights, Ohio. • "Ab" Larsen writes that he is keeping active and in good health at 70, and by the many activities he engages in I should say that it is the truth. He plays tennis four or five days a week and received the Presidential Physical Fitness Award for persons over 65. He is very active in the Legion, being named "Legionnaire of the Year" two years ago, and serves in many capacities in that organization. Mayor Carey of Waterville appointed him to a second five-year term on the conservation commission. He hunts, fishes and paints in oils. Last year he and his wife visited Greece and took over 250 pictures. Hawaii was on the agenda for this year. Retirement took place in 1971.

**29** Mrs. J. Drisko Allen  
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At the annual founders' day of Beta Sigma Phi held at the St. Croix Golf and Country Club (Calais, Maine), Grace Sylvester Ober was honored. She lives in Woodland, is the mother of three children and has five grandchildren. Active in community affairs, she researched and wrote *The Town of Baileyville*, a history of the town from its beginning to the present day. She is secretary of the Rural Youth Corp., trustee of the Woodland Library, correspondent for the *Calais Advertiser*, the *St. Croix Courier*, and the *Bangor Daily News*. She is secretary of the Woodland Businessmen's Association and always has been involved with volunteer work in the local area. We think Grace's next book should be titled *How I Do It All*. Congratulations to a busy citizen! • Ethel Henderson Ferguson has had a busy year. With her daughter and granddaughter she spent a week at Higgins Beach (Maine) and later visited friends in her former homes in Concord, N.H., and Portland. At home she is a gardener and is active in community affairs. Last spring she spent a week with Jean Watson in Fort Myers, Fla. While there, they enjoyed a day with Claire Richardson MacDougal '28 and her sister Olive Edgett '28 in Bonita Springs. • Just home from a trip to Great Britain on the *Queen Elizabeth II* were Bee Miller Young and Nate when we saw them at their home in New Jersey in the fall. • *The Coastal Journal* (Maine) is among the periodicals that publish Ed Merry's poems. He and Alice were on a camper trip to California in September and October, with stopovers at Mt. Rushmore, Yellowstone Park, and Missoula, Mont. • At the Allen family reunion in August we saw Grace Stone Allen, but with so many people about, Grace and I didn't have our usual opportunity to exchange news and thoughts. It was good to see her, as always. • Dave Kronquist's recent letter in the *Christian Science Monitor* is

getting him a good reputation as a man of letters. • As they have done for several years, Jean Watson and her sister, Mary, spent a week at Delray Beach, Fla. and almost a month in Seattle. They are Kansas City Royals fans and after the Red Sox were eliminated I tried to concentrate on the Royals winning, but I cheered in vain.

**30** Mr. Charles W. Weaver, Jr.  
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Barbara Taylor Cahill, in earlier correspondence, remarked that the pattern of "Golden Age" living was probably the same for most of us, now that we have passed the 65-year mark. Our reading of 1930's answers to the questionnaires, however, reveals a varied pattern of retirement living. We can't rehearse all the activity here . . . you have read it in bits and snatches in our class columns. One gal admits being 68, but "feels 48." A considerable group is still following business pursuits and active hobbies, with new challenges arising every day. Although the work ethic is deeply ingrained within our generation, it is apparent that retirement is bringing with it a new understanding of leisure, perhaps occasioned by the many changes we see around us. • Dexter E. and Lucile Whitcomb Elsmore moved to their retirement home on Webb Lake in Weld last summer. Dexter, a physician, retired July 1, 1977, closing his Dixfield office after more than 40 years in medical practice. Lucile said that while picking over an unbelievable amount of material that they had packed away and forgotten, they unearthed a nearly complete set of Colby *Echos* for our four years (1926-30). She promises to save them for our perusal at the 50th. When the Maine air turned chilly, they planned to go to Chapel Hill, N.C., where they have a married daughter. The Elsmores have another married daughter, in Portland, Ore., and five grandchildren. • Beatrice Mullen Campbell and her husband, Joseph, who spend most summers in their trailer at Kootenay Lake in British Columbia, have made trips to Banff, Lake Louise, Jasper Park, Edmonton and Calgary, in Alberta, Canada, and last fall had plans for a trip by plane and boat to Alaska. Edvia Campbell visited them the past two years. • Helen Chase Pardey continues to be active in the affairs of her hometown, Middleboro, Mass., directing the Mental Health Thrift Shop volunteers, working for the Citizens Scholarship Foundation, and keeping busy as an officer of the United Methodist Women. The Pardeys enjoyed an auto tour of Great Britain in 1976 with her California brother and his wife. They were Florida visitors last March, with a highlight the passion play at Lake Wales. • Gordon N. and Isa Putnam Johnson, another of our doctor and wife classmate couples, retired in 1976, and report that they are enjoying freedom from Gordon's 41 years of surgical practice and the demands it made upon their lives. Gordon likes the involvement in "pleasant adjustment to retired life."



He is interested in Maine historical groups, the theater (excluding X-rated movies) and art exhibits. Isa reports that retirement was the highlight of 1976 for her, and "it is wonderful to have no plans." • William B. Downey and his wife, Ruth, who were in Waterville for the 45th in 1975 but had to miss the reunion dinner because of illness in their family, report that they are "busier in retirement than when they were working for a living." Bert, a retired minister, supplies a pulpit now and then, and is continually heading up some project or "filling in here and there" for various organizations. Ruth has been involved in the activities of the task force on women in church and society, a project of the Minnesota Conference United Church of Christ. Early in 1977 they took a trip to the Bavarian Alps and also visited Austria • Your correspondent visited Israel last March, making a swing from Galilee to the Negev. Obeying the biblical injunction, we joined with the other pilgrims in ascending to Jerusalem. Pausing only to enjoy the New England summer, we were off to Japan in the fall, where shrines of still another religion and culture offered contrast to those we had visited in the Holy Land. Our last trip to the Land of the Rising Sun in the '40s was under less happier auspices, as we were riding the flagship of COMPHIBSPAC. bent on matters other than goodwill.

**31** Mrs. Linwood N. Hutchins  
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Here I am again after missing one edition. Sorry about that, but I get involved and forget in my "old" age. When you read this I hope all your travel plans matured and you had marvelous times. From your answers to the questionnaire, the world and the United States were well covered by the class • Winona Berrie Peters loved Morocco except for the pickpockets! • Tom Langley has a loafing spot by a lake doing nothing! • You folk down Maine way probably read that Rod Farnham was appointed to a five-man state personnel board, and had been a lobbyist at the legislature. He and his wife, Peg (Davis '28), still like to travel to Cape Breton • Myrtle Paine Barker had hopes of getting to Egypt after visits to family in Colorado, Washington, and New Mexico • Marion White Van Strien is a busy lady in the Augusta Zonta Club • Richard Noyes had his activities curtailed following a severe car accident. Hope all's well again • Clayton Smith is still conducting and organizing canal trips throughout England. He also is active in maintaining a canal museum in Waterloo Village • Howard Ferguson retired from the Newton school system in Massachusetts and is now a director of the state baseball tournament and commissioner for 20 schools in suburban Boston in baseball. He has talked to Charles Heddericg who was in Florida for the Red Sox spring training • Let me hear from you soon so I'll have something for the next *Alumnus*. Don't forget the FUND.

**32** Mrs. William H. Haynes  
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It seems like a long time since June, and if I didn't have a carbon of what I wrote in July I would have forgotten what I had written about the reunion. I have a red face about one matter about the reunion dinner. I very much wanted to get pictures of everyone there and circled the tables taking flashes of groups of three or four. To my astonishment, when the film came back, it was blank! Apparently, it hadn't caught and all I was getting was the exercise! • Anyway, since June. I have heard no more from those of you who didn't make the reunion. I called Justina Harding Jenkins when I was in Needham, Mass. just before the reunion and found she wasn't going to be able to join us. Her husband, Jack, retired from teaching, sings in the retired men's chorus there that my husband Bill started some years ago • Now that the World Series madness is over, by the time you read this winter will be practically over, so how about giving me some news about your winter and plans for the summer, including 50th high school reunions that will be coming up then. We hoped to be spending a couple of months on Siesta Key in Florida this winter to avoid the snow and ice.

**33** Mr. Reginald O'Halloran  
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As I sit down to write this letter there are many things passing through my mind. 'Tis fall, yes, September is a fine month, and yet it seems only yesteryear or perhaps it was eons ago we met for the first time back in 1929. Some of us continued on for the four years, others dropped out. That June in 1933 we sat together for the last time and smoked the pipe of peace, said our good-byes and departed. Some came back to the campus often, a few not at all. We are scattered throughout this great nation. My friends of yesteryear, I need your help. There is this little problem: June '78 is our 45th. What say you? The days of our youth may have departed but that doesn't mean we have lost our spirit. So give this 45th a good deal of thought, and "pack up your old kit bag" and come June, come back to Colby. There is plenty of time to make your plans. Our last meeting was the best, let's make this one even better. Our numbers are dwindling but old friends will be there. Don't let them be forgotten and maybe you'll enjoy renewing old acquaintances. Enough said • Some time ago when I answered the doorbell Harry Williams was there. He has always been active in scout work and was attending an awards dinner in Waterville. No longer is his hair dark but, like mine, white and a little thinner. Harry has retired but continues serving as a consultant. Last winter he tried out the South • Next we have a true traveler. Lillian Shapiro Reardon travels in the

fall and comes home to Palm Beach for the winter. She enjoys long Mediterranean cruises and recently went north to Iceland Scandinavia and Russia. On shipboard she took German lessons and found her Colby German came romping back. Lillian has attended a number of graduate schools including Radcliffe, Boston Univ., Univ. of Dijon, Wesleyan and Harvard. She finds Colby meetings the most friendly. As she began her letter Lil said class agents should receive letters and news from classmates, for if there is no news no information can be passed along. All '33ers please note • Vesta and George '34 Putnam must find home has a vacant feeling, as their youngest daughter was married in September • Speaking of weddings, we had a June bride in our group. Yes, it's true, Becky Chester Larsen, who retired from the Mid-Maine Medical Center as librarian last January, is now Mrs. Clifford Wyman. She stated she had married a sweet old boy (S.O.B.). We think Cliff a very lucky man, and all join in saying "best wishes" • John Skinner and Leonard Helie, attending the Colby alumni dinner, couldn't find a dime between them to call me and say "hello" • Gladys Averill Huebach is still working in Massachusetts, visiting downeast in the summer and thinking of retirement. She spent a week in the islands but found it all too short, hardly had time to get her feet wet. She found Guadalupe wonderful • Dorothy Harlow Skillings finally retired after 32 years with Union Mutual as supervisor and manager of special services and editing the company magazine • In August the Rev. and Mrs. John Murchie were feted by the citizens of Woburn as they observed their 50th wedding anniversary. John was pastor emeritus of the Baptist church, having been in the ministry for 52 years. He was well known in Woburn and did a great deal of social work there. It is with deep regret I report that John, who had had a heart condition for some time, died in September • Bert and Martha (Johnston '32) Hayward are welcome additions here. Bert is active in Rotary, the Congregational church and continues as trustee of the Philadelphia Textile Institute, of which he was president • Remember the 45th. Set your memory to working to recall some of the humorous incidents in class, write them down and bring them with you. Get in touch with someone you haven't seen for many years. Stew Carr has been absent a long time, so too Bob Walker, Bob Finch, Stan Jekanoski, Bob Greene, Lois Dean, John McCann, Soli Morris, Ruth Nutting, Vic Paquet, Al Skidds, Mal Stratton and Anita Viles. These names picked at random are just a few. So good health, good wishes, and let's get together for the 45th June 2-4 and make it a real whinding.

**34** Mrs. Donald Matheson  
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It was good to hear from so many of you this time around. Thank you for writing. Not

many of our class made homecoming, but I am pleased to report that the class officers, president Franklin Norvish, vice-president Fred Grant, and secretary-treasurer Peg Salmond Matheson were there. And, we are already thinking in the direction of our 45th reunion! • You will be pleased to hear that Frank Allen is feeling quite well again, is happily retired and busy organizing his extensive collection of bookplates. When Ruth retires they plan to travel to favorite spots in Europe at least once a year. Meantime, they are enjoying their new granddaughter • Paul Feldman writes that he and his Ruth have no thoughts yet of retiring. Ruth is teaching at Chicopee High School and "Red" covers the country selling garden tools. He flies from the east to the west coast, back to the Rockies, Missouri, Chicago, New Orleans, and Florida • It was "Red" who told me about the sudden death of Hank Davidson. He wrote that this fact is difficult to accept, and that a lot will now be missing in our reunions without Hank and his banter. Isn't it true? We extend our kindest thoughts of sympathy to Hank's wife and daughters • It was great to receive a first letter from Richard Kimball. Dick was married in October to a family friend, a classmate of his first wife at Simmons College. They had a home wedding, mostly with relatives in attendance, and these included the grandchildren, three on each side. Dick sounded happy, and stated emphatically, "ain't life grand!" Your Colby classmates send you both warm wishes for every happiness • George Mann sent me the good news that Harold Plotkin was also remarried, in Boston, to Priscilla Wilkinson. Our warmest good wishes to them also. George and Brooksine keep busy. They visit their daughter and attend football games at Baylor Univ. where she is a student. Recently they have also visited Vancouver, Victoria, Jasper Park, Banff, Lake Louise, Edmonton, Montreal, the Laurentians, and the Gaspé. They took the wonderful Canadian National train from Vancouver to Toronto. For some reason that it is an effort for a Mainer to appreciate, they were enchanted by a blizzard on the Columbian ice fields! • Don and I spent a pleasant afternoon not long ago talking over old times in the law offices of Peter Mills in Farmington. It was good to see again Ruth Pullen '33, who has been associated with the firm of Mills and Mills for several years. Peter's son Paul, who is now a member of the firm, was also present. An interesting sidelight on this story is that Paul was recently sworn into the Maine Bar in the same Knox County courthouse where his grandfather was sworn in. Paul is the fourth member of the Mills family to be sponsored for the bar by his father. They include two sons, a daughter, and a daughter-in-law • Eleanor Wheelwright Ness writes that they have left their big old house in Orono and are building a small home in Auburn, which was her husband's hometown. Before leaving Orono Eleanor visited Greta Murray Connors in Brownville Junction • Our world wanderer, Portia Pendleton Rideout, flew to Lisbon in September and from there traveled by motorcoach

through Portugal, Spain, and Morocco. Portia is always a graphic describer of what she sees, the grapevines, the olive trees, the mosques, and the local markets of Marrakech with their flies and dirt and snakecharmers and pickpockets. For your information, Portia says that the bullfights are less gory than we have been led to believe. I like to picture Portia "cheering and clapping the bull!"

**37** Mrs. Francis J. Ryan  
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Although it was somewhat of a shock to find myself your duly elected class correspondent, once the replies to the questionnaire started to arrive I began to enjoy it. Still, only a small percentage of our whole lively, interesting class responded. It is a joy to hear from any one of you, so I hope you keep my address taped to your mirrors or wherever you will see it often as a reminder. One common denominator appeared from these returns—the Class of '37 does quite some traveling! • Fred Demers, who has roamed the wide world, recently home from Hawaii and the Trust Territories, is just now off to the Caribbean islands and parts of the U.S. As the newly-elected president of a large philatelic organization, his travels will undoubtedly continue to combine business and

pleasure • Hazel Weper Thayer and Marble '38 may not go farther than California, but they thoroughly enjoy the annual visit at Christmastime to their two married Colby daughters now living in San Francisco • Ken Johnson, where have you been? • Kermit LaFleur, are you home or away? • Eino Kivi, a retired carpenter and builder, spends 2-3 months traveling in the U.S. and Canada, the rest of the year in Florida • Harold Hurwitz isn't retired but he went far from his Massachusetts home in May this year, taking his wife and three lucky kids to Japan, Taiwan, Hong Kong and Hawaii • Polly and Bill Deans, one of you should write • Tony De Marinis, are you busy? • Charles Jacoby says that life on Cape Cod is all one could wish for, yet he lists Majorca, Dominican Republic, Montserrat and Portugal among his viewings, and "hopes to keep on going" • Mary Ewen Bradley, another who loves the Cape, describes a beautiful trip along the Adriatic coast of Yugoslavia and Italy—by houseboat! Of this unusual jaunt she says "can't be recommended too highly" • Edith Emery has had her share of travels in the U.S., apparently in connection with her work as associate dean of students at Northeastern, but I feel confident that her three weeks' visit to England and Scotland this summer were pure tourism • Willard Libby, please write! • Barbara Frazee Haynes, are you out there? • Abbie Hooper Morrison lists Florida as her winter home,

## The Lone Metallurgist



A specialist in copper mill automation, Philip Allen '30 examines an old sluice at an exhibit in Tucson. The antiquated sluice and today's huge mills have the same basic function, separating the copper from the waste surrounding it. Photo by the Tucson Daily Citizen.

When PHILIP ALLEN '30 put his geology degree to the test he went west, to Alaska, Oregon, California and Arizona, as an employee of the U.S. Bureau of Mines. Then, after working as a geologist for an Oregon mining corporation, the Newport, Maine native settled in Arizona, where he lives today.

According to a feature about Allen in the Tucson Daily Citizen, times were rough in Arizona's copper industry in the 1940s, but Allen was determined to make a go of it. He struggled through a variety of mining jobs while taking graduate courses at the University of Arizona, including one three-way effort as underground miner, mucker (a cleaner-upper) and part-time engineer.

In 1948 Allen took a job with Phelps Dodge Corporation in Morenci, Ariz. as a plant metallurgist. Over the years he held various positions with the corporation, and was responsible for introducing efficiency methods that reduced the number of copper mill workers required. He is the author of several technical articles on automation in mining.

He retired in 1966, but could not stay out of the business. Allen soon was a metallurgical consultant and president of Metcon Research, Inc., and he later joined a mining consultant firm in Tucson.

Today Allen is an international specialist in copper mill operations and, as far as he knows, the only Colby graduate in almost 40 years to become a metallurgist.

## On the Ballot



Palmer



Speers



Merrill

It is quite possible that the next governor of Maine will be a Colby alumnus, for three graduates have already announced their candidacies for the June primary. Because two are Republicans and one is a Democrat, it is conceivable that two of them will run against each other in November.

Republican LINWOOD PALMER, 42, is the minority leader in the Maine House and has served previously in the Maine Senate. Now a tree farmer in Nobleboro, Palmer spent 20 years in the Boston area as vice-president of Ward Steel Co. and as New England general manager for the Peter A. Frasse Co. He says he is the only candidate with any business experience, and sees the need for economic growth and simplification of government as two major issues.

TERROLD SPEERS, 63, also a Republican, is majority leader in the Maine Senate. He is an attorney in Augusta and has served in the Senate for three terms. Speers says the most important role of government is to create a climate in which the greatest resource—that of individual initiative and imagination—can flourish. Incidentally, Christa Hutcheon, 79 (Falmouth) is one of three people chairing Speers's campaign.

The candidate for the Democratic nomination is PHILIP MERRILL, 68, a Portland attorney and two-term state senator who managed Senator Edmund Muskie's successful campaign for office. "Maine needs a positive government," Merrill believes, "that can take advantage of the state's limited resources and at the same time be careful how money is spent."

Maine her rest-of-the-year residence, and Puerto Rico, Barbados, and New Orleans as recent or future trips. • Lawrence Robbins was off to Scandinavia in the fall. He, by the way, may take the prize for the most grandchildren in our class with nine—any challengers? • Leonard Abramson sent a rather cryptic note re travel: "Wife travel agent leaves for Russia Oct. 29, 1977." Question is—did Len go with her? I hope so. As all we travelers know, it is fascinating to experience the life of a country so very different from our own. It gives meaning to the word "co-existence." • Janet Goodridge Sawyer (and Dick '35)—please check in. • Paul Hannon—we need you. • Dorothy Smith Brown visited Europe this year, combining her tripping with her avocation, which is embroidery and needlepoint. She also teaches and sometimes judges exhibitions of the finest examples of this art. • Col. Stanley Washuk, U.S.A.F. retired, may have traveled considerably in connection with his former job, but aside from visits to Florida and California in 1976 he does not expect to go far from his Arizona home in the near future. • Paul Palmer, another Maine man who spends winters in Florida, will be busy this year managing his brother Linwood's '42 campaign for governor of Maine. • Let's have a word from you,

Harriet Weibel Buyniski, and you, Bob Hussey! • A newspaper clipping told me that Sara Cowan had been to China; that really sounded exciting. But shortly I remembered the international character of western Maine, and I had to revise the distances in my thinking. Still, her visit with Muriel Scribner Gould and Peg Libbey Darlow must have been a pleasure to all three. • This only skims the news I've been getting, but I'll hoard the rest in case I don't hear from dear old John J. Sheehan, Lola Holmes Chase Hicks, and all the rest of you forgetful ones.

**40** Mrs. Thomas H. Maren  
(Ruth Hendricks)  
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In early August a few classmates living in Maine thought of having a mini-reunion and on short notice rounded up seven old friends. We were hosted by Beth Walden Palmer and Isabel Abbott, and met the first day at Beth's lovely old farmhouse in Waldoboro for an outdoor cocktail party under the trees followed by dinner and much talk. The next day there was tennis on Beth's court, a trip to the lovely coastal towns, still blessedly unchanged, lunch in Camden, the Farnsworth

Museum and Gallery, a visit to Edna St Vincent Millay's beloved Mt. Battie, of which she wrote "All I could see from where I stood / Was three long mountains and a wood; / I turned and looked the other way, / And saw three islands in a bay." Then on to Isabel's home in historic Union for more. Those present were Beth, Isabel, Peg Kennoyer, Frances Gray, Marjorie Day Weeks, Polly Higgins '41 and me. It was exceptional fun and we would like to consider this a beginning of a new idea and perhaps meet every summer with more classmates and near-'40 classmates. • It is surely a fine experience to see old friends far more often than we usually do, and tho' in ways unchanged, all have changed greatly in interesting ways and are harboring a fantastically youthful spirit. Peg Johnson Kennoyer came fresh from guiding a tour to France and England, which she does frequently summers. Beth's brother-in-law, Linwood Palmer, Jr., '42, the speaker of the house in the Maine legislature, had just announced his candidacy for governor so Beth and Paul were getting busy entertaining and aiding in whatever ways they can. • I'd just returned from Europe barely in time to meet this November 1 deadline. We were in Uppsala, Sweden where my spouse received an honorary degree, honoris causa, in medicine on the occasion of Uppsala University's 500th anniversary. From there a week in the Tirol in Austria for a teaching retreat for German medical students, then Poland, Germany and home via London. Seven lectures for him and for me the grand tour. Our first grandchild, Suzanne Ruth Maren, arrived April 9th. I apologize for so much local news. Send me some!

**41** Mr. Charles E. Barnfather  
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W. Springfield, Mass. 01089

The following news items are presented herewith strictly on a last-heard-from-them basis. • George "Hammerhead" Beach in Waterville with wife Martha (Rogers '42) are parents of five and grandparents of four. George is director, customer services, Keyes Fibre Co. He enjoys golfing, cross-country skiing, and is a director of the Waterville Boys Club. As far as traveling is concerned, George states that he refuses to leave the state of Maine. • Ruth Stebbins Cadwell is residing in Hastings-On-Hudson, N.Y. Occupation, "unliberated housewife." She has five children, all married, two with Ph. D.s and a third in process, and 10 grandchildren. Among recent travels was a trip to St. Thomas. She is active in library, church and club work. • Allan Knight is plant engineer with Solonite Corp., living in N. Branford, Conn. Daughter Elizabeth graduated from Colby in 1976. Son Allan, Jr. is at Franklin Pierce College, Rindge, N.H. • Hiram Macintosh is a sales representative in Philadelphia, Pa. Daughter Laurie Ann is a recent Smith College graduate. At last writing, Mac was planning a trip to Scotland. • From Lafayette, Cal., Prudence Piper Marriner and husband Ernest Marriner, Jr. '40 say they are

enjoying children and grandchild. They make every effort to visit Maine every other year, and include a trip to the Canadian N.W. Territories among their recent travels. They were anticipating a trip to France when last heard from. • Ben Hains is owner of Ben's Meat Market in Waterville. Ben is active in the Lions and Elks organizations. Madrid, Majorca, and Mexico are among places recently visited. • I last heard from Ronald Wallace at Togus, where Ron, a hospital administrator was enjoying a grandson and returning to Maine after a lengthy absence. He plays tennis, golf, and does some skiing. • Robert Wheelock is in Minneapolis, Minn. Bob is a unit supervisor in insurance claims and also teaches at Minneapolis Vocational Tech. High School and serves as a police civil service commissioner. • Ralph Rowe is in the fertilizer manufacturing business in Camarillo, Cal. His activities include flying, yachting, and delving in the stock market. Recent travels include a trip to England. • Jack MacGorman is chairman of the New Testament dept., Southwestern Baptist Seminary, in Fort Worth, Texas. Jack has traveled extensively, having visited Japan, the Philippines, Malaysia, Thailand, Vietnam, Hong Kong, and Korea. His brief book,

*Romans. Everyman's Gospel*, has been scheduled for use as a textbook for Bible study in Southern Baptist churches. • In closing, may I say that as far as further news is concerned, the "well runneth dry." Therefore, in the interest of future columns, I would urgently request all members of the Class of '41 to forward any pertinent news items to me.

**42** Mrs. Leslie McNally  
(Priscilla George)  
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Foxboro, Mass. 02035

Linwood Palmer 25 years ago made up his mind to run for governor of the state of Maine. As of now he is putting his plan into action. He feels that he has a "mission" to guide Maine toward greater self-sufficiency by developing the state's natural resources. Best wishes to him in his endeavors! • Teddy Wright Weston and husband Don enjoyed a trip to Copenhagen last June and also spent some time in Newfoundland last summer. • Marion Thomas Whipple and husband Warren dropped in to see us for our annual Labor Day visit. Their cottage is just across the lake from where we stay. • Although I never expected to become involved in a strike, this past fall I suddenly found myself right in the middle of the Franklin, Mass. teachers' strike. From there, I found myself in jail with my colleagues for nine days—quite an experience for a quiet librarian! Please write and let us know what you are doing.

**45** Mrs. Hugo R. Paganelli  
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Congratulations to Laura Tapia Aitken and husband, Hugh, on the world premiere of Johannes, Hugh's 1975 Naumburg Chamber Music Award composition. The work was performed in October by Calliope: A Renaissance Band. Tappie tells us that as a member of the faculty of early childhood education at William Paterson College, her work includes teaching and supervising college juniors and seniors in developmental psychology and curriculum courses. Among other things, Tappie has prepared a course on bilingual education. • Joan Gay Kent writes that when she isn't absorbed in copywriting, public relations work, or media planning some of her functions as an advertising agency account executive—she devotes time, as a trustee, to the Port Washington, Long Island, Public Library and, as vice-president and trustee, to the Cow Neck Historical Society. • George Ober and Ruth have sold Ober's Knotty Pine Motel and Cabins in Ashland, N.H. after 31 years. They now summer at the Dow Campground in New Hampton and winter in the Florida Keys, where George pursues his hobby as an artist. George originated the unique Captive Nations Memorial, consisting of little white crosses, each designating a country now under communist rule. George established the memorial to commu-

nicate his concern about the spread of communism. For 14 years a point of interest in an attractive garden setting on the Ober's Ashland property, the memorial now is located at Sherwood Inn, Epsom, N.H. • On a lighter note, Donald Hinkley served last summer as a judge in the Maine Dairy Princess Pageant, held in Auburn where Donald is pastor of the First Universalist Church. • Marilyn Bryant reports that during the past year she traveled to England, visiting London, Stonehenge, Bath, and Stratford-on-Avon. • Frank Hancock writes that he is a partner in the York law firm of Sewall, Strater, and Hancock. As for his wife, Kay (Matteo), Frank writes that she's a home manager ("she used to be a housewife"), she's chairman of the Old Gao Museum Committee, and is active in the garden club. Avid golfers, Frank and Kay planned a trip to Bermuda in December to participate in the Bermuda Goodwill Golf Tournament. • Lois Loudon Cutler's cousin Dorothy is the one-and-only Dorothy Loudon who is starring in Broadway's *Annie*. Seeing her win a Tony Award for her role in *Annie* was one of the highlights of Lois's life this past year. • By the time this issue appears I will have attended our (Harper & Row's) annual sales conference, held in December in Key Largo. My first time there and a welcome change of pace. • To some of you whose news isn't here, it will be reported in the next issue. And to everyone else—won't you either fill in the questionnaire or drop me a line to tell us what's new? We'd love to hear from all of you.

**46** Mrs. Paul F. Murray  
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After a hot, humid summer how much we appreciated the crisp fall days with the colorful foliage on the surrounding Berkshire Hills. I enjoyed my walks down to the new Winchester Christian Elementary School, where I'm a teacher's aide helping out with their science program. Paul '48 and I spent an enjoyable Saturday evening recently over at Chuck '47 and Shirley Martin Dudley's home in Windsor. Vinnie and Nancy Loveland Dennen '47 were visiting for the weekend from New Jersey. Also present were Wally and Shirley Armstrong Howe, and Lew and Helen Watson Boldi '44. • Heard from Adelaide Jack McGorri that, with the help of Priscilla Gould Brock '44, she had started the South Central Massachusetts Colby Alumnae Association in her home. Among those attending have been Dorothy Briggs Aronson '47, Lucile Farnham Sturtevant '49, Harriet Hutchinson Dusty '48, Ann McAlary Hall '48, Elizabeth Wade Drum '47, and Harriet Nourse Robinson '47 before she moved away. Ann serves as secretary-treasurer for the group. • Fred Sontag is continuing to make news. He was guest speaker at Upsala College's Phi Beta Kappa dinner where he spoke on "The Real World of the 1980s Facing Education." Fred has long been active in the fields of government, business, labor, education,

## Musician of Note



ROBERT DECORMIER '43 has made his musical mark as a composer, conductor and arranger. He first gained nationwide attention through his work for Harry Belafonte, and when the Belafonte Folk Singers were formed DeCormier became their conductor and arranger.

That experience led to the formation of his own group, the DeCormier Singers, which frequently tours the country and has recorded five albums of folk songs.

A graduate of the Julliard School of Music, DeCormier has composed works for productions both on and off Broadway. As an arranger he has been active in the concert hall and theater, radio, television and recordings. His credits include the choral arrangements for the Broadway productions of *The Happiest Girl In The World*, *Milk and Honey*, and *110 In The Shade*.

In 1971 the Eastman School of Music in Rochester, N.Y. invited DeCormier to join its faculty as associate professor of conducting and ensembles. He held that post until 1977, when he accepted an appointment on the music panel for the New York State Council for the Arts.

At the conclusion of a fall tour with the DeCormier Singers, he again joined Harry Belafonte to arrange, orchestrate and conduct a series of concerts with the major Canadian symphony orchestras.

and politics, with economics and international trade among his principal areas of interest. He has frequently been a discussion leader and lecturer at seminars at Harvard's J.F.K. Institute of Politics, the Brookings Institution and Woodrow Wilson International Center of Scholars in Washington, D.C., and at the American Assembly, Arden House, Columbia Univ. He was a visiting lecturer at Colby in 1975. He was invited to participate in a symposium, on political renewal and reform, highlighting the 10th anniversary of the founding of the J.F.K. Institute of Politics at Harvard Univ. Fred was to serve on a panel with Sen. Edward Kennedy. "The anniversary celebration will bring together many of the people who are responsible for the institute's service and accomplishments over the past 10 years. We plan to analyze and discuss current political issues and look ahead to a productive future," said the institute's director, Jonathan Moore. Fred co-authored the book, *Parties: The Real Opportunity for Effective Citizen Politics*, with John Saloma. • Had a letter from Nancy Parsons Ferguson in Holden, Mass. that said she and her husband visited their son, Dan, who was working in England last year. They had a marvelous time touring Great Britain at the same time. Their daughter, Ann, is married and her husband is finishing work on his master's degree at the Univ. of New Hampshire. Nancy and Bob now have a year-old grandson. Congratulations! Their daughter, Ellen, is a senior at the Univ. of Maine while the two younger boys, Steve and Peter, are living at home. Nancy and Bob are active in church affairs and she is busy at the church's nursery school. • It's been a great year compiling the news from notes you have sent in. Many thanks to those who did! Still want to hear from those of you who did not. How about it?

**47** Mrs. Clifton Rodgers  
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The questionnaire response was great. • Burton Shiro was a candidate for mayor of Waterville. By the time this is out, the results will be in. We hope you won, Burt. • After 30 years, Jean Murray Fallon has retired from the Maine Broadcasting Network as a news editor. She was a statehouse reporter for the past eight years for WCSH-TV in Portland. Happy retirement years, Jean. • Miriam Marsh Bartheaux and Marilyn Hubert are active in various Common Cause projects, such as the Equal Rights Amendment and Ralph Nader groups. "Mike" is applying for her broker's license in Virginia. Marilyn is still with the U.S. Geological Survey. • Mitchell Jaworski says that he has written a book, *M.D. Forever Nixon in Never-Never Land*, which was just published recently by the Vantage Press. He offered a generous contribution to the Alumni Fund if it was a success. • Another author among us is Donald Klein, M.D. who is rewriting a textbook called *Psychiatric Diagnosis and Drug Treatment* and completing a popular writing on

"unhappiness and mental illness." His recommended promotion to professor of psychiatry at Columbia Univ. is under review, and he is also the new chairman of the American Psychiatric Association. • Marjorie Collins Marcey is a real estate broker in Fayetteville, N.Y., where husband Dick is a bank president. They traveled in Europe last spring. • Rene Ferris Martin lives in Miami and copes with three tall teenage sons (glad that is way behind me!). It keeps her young, I guess, as she swims 30 laps a day. Rene was recently nominated to the board of trustees, Public Health Trust. • Ray Greene says his daughter Judy enrolled as a freshman at Colby this year and his oldest daughter, Susan, is spending a year at the Univ. of Paris. • A "best of the show" award in the Lynnfield (Mass.) Bicentennial Art Show was presented to Arnie Kiessling Wills for her king-size appliqued quilt. Bet it is lovely, Arnie, and glad to see you do the grandmotherly bit! Our congratulations. Great to know you have a new doctor in the family. Her son, Richard, received his M.D. last July from the Univ. of Leige in Belgium. • Perry Harding took several business trips to the Soviet Union and Yugoslavia as manager of international development for Eastern Europe with International Paper Co. He also vacationed in Italy and Greece. • Jocelyn Hulme MacConnell is rediscovering the U.S. after 22 years in Puerto Rico. She lives in Annandale, Va. and works as a therapist for learning disabilities. • "Bud" Schlesinger's son, Daniel, graduated summa cum laude from Yale with honors in Japanese studies, in which he got an Oxford scholarship. • Emily Gardell Burke, after a 25-year vacation (ha!) has returned to her medical technology field as head of hematology in Lyons Veterans Hospital in New Jersey. • Edward Sarantides is a registered pharmacist and manager of the K-Mart Pharmacy in Tucson, Ariz. • Betty Richmond Anthony is still young enough to go hiking and trout fishing in Colorado. Both of her daughters are honor students and attend Southwestern Univ. in Texas. • "Bobbie" Marden Alden helps her husband run his heating equipment business as a manufacturer's representative. They live in Yarmouth and summer in Boothbay Harbor. Her oldest son is a trainer for the New York Rangers. • Tom Burke retired from the Marines in 1972 to live in Honolulu then moved to Indianapolis, where he has a teaching position. He instructs the Marine Corps Junior R.O.T.C. at Ben Davis High School. • Louise Kelly Pope is now Mrs. Kelly Rochester and teaches school in Duxbury, Mass. She and her husband sailed their 40-foot ketch to Bermuda. • After a teaching stint at Brunswick (Maine) High School, Jane Wallace Lamb is off on new adventures. She received her diploma in Anglo-Irish literature at Trinity College in Dublin in 1976 and is a teaching fellow at Indiana Univ., where she hopes to get her master's in journalism. • Before the space is used up, a word about myself. After 12 years as a school cook I am doing something I've wanted to do since graduation—hospital work. I got a job through Vocational Rehabilitation for the Deaf as an I.V. technician at the New Pen Bay

Medical Clinic in Rockland. Besides preparing the admixtures (drugs added to the I.V. bags), I also make up the syringe unit doses for injections. I love the work and it is a great lift for this time of my life in spite of the 46-mile round trip. Keep the news coming to me, please.

**48** Mrs. Harman Hawkins  
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At last! After a very busy summer and fall, I have a chance to sit down and report on latest news and notes from some '48ers long not heard from. However, first thing, in the department of corrections, apologies to Marvin Joslow who was mistakenly called Mary in the June *Alumnus*—he's still our Marv! • Marie Macell Milliken writes from Colorado that she has received her Ph.D. from the Univ. of Denver. Also in Colorado, Dave Choate serves as housing coordinator for the Denver Regional Council of Governments. He and his family took a 5,500-mile tour of the U.S. and Canada in honor of the Bicentennial. They didn't miss much. • David C. Roberts has been appointed treasurer and board member of the new Cumberland Civic Center in Portland. Dave is general agent for Maine for the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Co. • Out California way, Hilda Proctor Douglas, in Pomona, is an occupational therapist at Pacific State Hospital for the Developmentally Disabled. She recently received a certificate of achievement for her work in "management of assaultive behavior." • In the academic world, Bob Rosen is professor of management at the business school of the Univ. of South Carolina. Bob, still "batching it," was elected to *Who's Who of American Men and Women of Science South and East*. Congratulations, Bob! • No longer in the academic world, Phil Caminiti has been appointed steward at Thistle-down Racetrack in Massachusetts after a long and illustrious career in the racing world, which started simply as a summer job when he was coaching at Portland High. • Everett Bauer, minister of the Limerock Baptist Church in Cumberland, R.I., was recently honored there on his 15th year as pastor. • Walter Towle writes from Litchfield, Conn., where he is pastor of the United Methodist churches of Litchfield and Bantam. He notes that he's glad to be back in touch with the *Alumnus*. • Skip and Midge Atwater, checking in collectively from Avon, Conn., report that Skip is branch manager for office products of the IBM Corp. Their oldest son has received his master's in fine arts and is director of the George Eastman House in Rochester, N.Y. • Marianna Nutter Wyer, in Swampscott, attended her niece's Colby graduation in 1976. Much remains the same, according to her. (See for yourselves come the big 30th!) Marianna sees Kay Brine frequently. Kay lives in the Cleveland area. • Checking in from Middleboro, Mass., Margaret Clark Atkins notes that she is busy being a homemaker, studying genealogy and camping across the country with her family.

• Carolyn Browne Bolles has moved from Connecticut to Brunswick, where she and her family have summered for many years. She's delighted she's only 45 minutes from Colby!

• Laconia, N.H. is lucky to have Elaine Browning Townsley as the buyer and craft department manager of the Laconia Hardware Co. Despite her busy schedule, Elaine finds time to serve as a member of the vestry of St. James Episcopal Church. She sees Hazel Huckins Merrill now and then. (Where are you, Hazel?)

• Dick Billings, also delighted to be in Maine—Augusta, to be exact—after a long hiatus elsewhere in the country working chiefly for the Y.M.C.A., is an insurance agent for the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Co.

• Jetting around the world on the job and for pleasure is Ed Kaplan, who is vice-president of Gimbel's in Pittsburgh, Pa.

• Fraternity brother, Burt Krumholz lives in Roslyn Heights, Long Island. He is currently the associate chairman, department of obstetrics gynecology, of Long Island Jewish Hillside Medical Center. Burt recently had the honor of serving as a guest faculty member at Harvard Univ. School of Medicine

• Charlie Cousins, with Brown and Bigelow, lives in Sudbury, Mass. After raising four active sons, he and Lib have surfaced and are enjoying sailing in the summer and their old favorite, skiing, in the winter. Good to hear from you two!

• Joe Bowler, enjoying the good life in Florida since 1964, wonders why he didn't make the move sooner. He is in charge of technical sales and a vice-president of M.D. Duncan Association in Orlando

• Doug Borton, in Spring Lake, N.J., is senior vice-president and chief actuary of George C. Buck Consulting Actuaries, Inc., in New York City

• On the distaff side, Natalie Pretat Arnold, based in Foster, R.I., enclosed her business card in her notes. She is assistant manager of the Citizens Bank in Warwick

• Barbara Gilles, living in Amityville, L.I., is working for the Farmingdale school system in the morning and teaching courses at C.W. Post College in the afternoon

• Let me hear from you all soon! Think 30.

**50** Mrs. William B. Maley  
(Elisabeth Jennings)  
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Sorry there is so little news for you this time. However, I am happy to report on my family. Our son Bill is a Colby freshman. Early in October we spent a lovely weekend at the college with the families of other freshmen. That Saturday was a beautiful day, with many activities including a winning football game, a buffet dinner and an excellent play in the Strider Theater

• Nancy Ricker Sears and Ben '52 also have a daughter in the freshman class, so we had a nice but all too brief visit. Ricky is teaching and expects to receive her master's in special education in the spring

• Our son Andrew is an eighth grader at Hamden Hall, where Cecil Beaupre '51 is his French teacher. Our daughter Ann has just entered kindergarten

• This summer we saw Ginny Davis Pearce and Charlie '49 at Pat

## Named Vice-President



*BRUCE CARSWELL 51 has been promoted to vice-president of the human resources administration of GTE Service Corporation, a subsidiary of General Telephone & Electronics Corporation. He serves as a labor relations consultant, and is responsible for policy development, compensation and benefit planning, and equal employment opportunity programs. Carswell began his career with GTE in 1958. He previously worked in a New York City law firm, and holds a bachelor of laws degree from Cornell University.*

Root Wheeler's home in Jaffrey, N.H. Connie Foxcroft Perrigo and Perry were there, as well as Ellen Kenerson Gelotte and Bill '51. Warren Finegan '51 and his daughter Katie, and Connee Leonard Hayes and Dick. Connee and Dick are now living in New Hampshire

• Christmas mail should help me with the next column, but what about the rest of you? Dig out that old questionnaire and let us know what you are doing!

**52** Mrs. Edward C. Swift  
(Mary Sargent)  
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Our 25th was a great weekend in spite of the rain. We missed those of you who could not make it but hope to see you at the 30th. I have only been able to pick up a few tidbits for this quarter and will pass them along

• Paul Aldrich, West Simsbury, Conn., was elected senior vice-president of the Society for Savings in Hartford

• Janice Vaughan Crump moved from Oregon to 603 South Texas St., DeRidder, La. 70634

• Nancy Ferguson Thomas, Hingham Center, Mass., received a master of science degree in library science at the commencement ceremonies at Simmons College, May 22. Nancy is employed as director of the New England Resource Center for Thanatology

• Let's hear from all of you for the next issue!

**53** Mrs. Peter Van Alstyne  
(Carol Carlson)  
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Marty Friedlaender is thoroughly enjoying her new job as administrative social work supervisor at Queens Hospital Center and its affiliate, Long Island Jewish/Hillside Medical Center. She also is busy with a three-year training program in family therapy and has started a small, private, family counseling practice

• George Bazer has been appointed

vice-president of plastic sales for Maryland Cup Corp. in Wilmington, Mass. George and his wife live in Needham

• Dana and Gwen (van Eerden '55) Andersen spent five weeks in Europe last year and attended the Winter Olympics in Innsbruck. Dana is advertising manager of *Skiing* magazine and wrote that Colorado is the place to live, work and ski. The Phil Husseys had been recent weekend guests

• Last summer Dr. Theodore Johnson, teaching at the Sabbathday Lake Shaker Community, offered a course in "Introduction to Shaker Studies" as part of the summer program of the Univ. of Maine at Portland/Gorham. This fall Ted offered two courses through UMPG in Shaker culture

• Carolyn English Beane completed course work and passed the Massachusetts dept. of education certification exam for public librarian and is working full time as a bookmobile librarian

• Hershel and Barbara (Weiss) Alpert are living in New Bedford, Mass., where Barbara is back to teaching as a regular substitute at the high school. Hershel has built and opened five large furniture warehouse showrooms in the last four years and travels extensively on business throughout the U.S. They have a daughter at Smith and a son at Wesleyan

• Mary Jane Fitzpatrick Cashman is teaching crafts at the Y.M.C.A. and local garden clubs in Glen Ellyn, Ill. and had planned a trip to England and France last spring.

**54** Mrs. C. Arthur Eddy, Jr.  
(Barbara Guernsey)  
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Anna Lee Thomas has been appointed program director of the Health Association's National Council on Alcoholism in the Rochester, N.Y. area. From 1968 to 1976 she worked in social action programs in the Baltimore area—as a social worker for an Upward Bound program, as Head Start coordinator for pre-school centers in Baltimore County, and as coordinator for library services for the Maryland state department of corrections. She is living in Rochester with her four daughters and two sons

• The Rev. Victor F. Scalise, Jr. has been named president of the New England Institute of Anatomy, Sanitary Science and Embalming in Boston. Last summer he was reelected president of the Ocean Park Association in Ocean Park, Maine, where he is a summer resident. Vic has been minister of the United Parish in Brookline, Mass. since 1960.

**55** Mrs. Leland O. Ludwig III  
(Margaret Grant)  
3 Rogers St.  
Houlton, Maine 04730

Yvonne Richmond Knight has been a member of the Colby faculty since 1958, after receiving a master's degree in business administration from Cornell. Now associate professor of administrative science, Yvonne has taught courses over public television, has outlined teachers' manuals for textbooks on personal

finance and investments for a publishing firm, and conducted a workshop at Colby's 26th annual Institute for Management last April. She is a director of Canal National Bank, and a trustee, treasurer and finance committee chairman of Unity College. Yvonne is president of the Phillips Chamber of Commerce and is active in the historical society and the Franklin County Snowmobile Club. • Jack Davis has been named district sales manager for New England and upper New York state for the consumer products division of Dennison Manufacturing Co. Prior to his promotion Jack was a sales representative for the division. He is a member of the Boston Office Products Association and New England Travelers Association and lives with his family in Needham. • H. Ridgely Bullock is chairman and president of UMC Industries, Inc., Stamford, Conn. UMC leads the field in such unrelated products as food and beverage vending machines, coin-handling equipment, refrigerated display cabinets, special design matchbooks, cigarette tipping papers, special types of automated machinery and shipboard handling equipment. Once a theatrical producer (Bowden, Barr & Bullock produced plays which were presented on Broadway and in major cities around the country), Ridge earned a J.D. degree from the Univ. of Virginia School of Law in 1967 and joined the Wall Street firm of Nixon Mudge Rose Guthrie Alexander & Mitchell. Three years later he became a partner. (To be continued in a subsequent column . . .) • Betsy Burns Bomann and George live in Greenwich with their three boys. Sandy (George IV) is an 8-year-old second grader who loves judo and accompanied his parents to St. Martin last February. Four-year-old twins, Andrew and John, are in nursery school. They take health food very seriously, concentrating on fresh fruits and vegetables while avoiding white sugar, white flour ("except to avoid being rude") and similarly processed fare. They have been studying herbs for the past three years and put their new knowledge to work in interesting ways. When the kids have stuffy noses they sleep with a raw onion cut in half. And Betsy says that one teaspoon of basil, steeped three to five minutes in a cup of boiling water, can be very relaxing and tasty if you add a little honey. The Bomanns are enthusiastic members of St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Darien, which is involved in the charismatic movement. Betsy says, "Never have I felt loved by so many who didn't even know me, and never have I seen a church that could get more volunteers than needed or money without bake sales, etc." They visited Molly Cutter Yans en route to their Maine summer cottage in New Harbor, and shared a picnic with the Lou Zambellos and Bob '54 and Harriet Sears Fraser at Pemaquid Point later in the season. They suggest more classmates might want to join the party next summer. (I'm game! Boothbay is within commuting distance.) • Barbara Kearns Ganci writes from Pleasant Valley, N.Y., where she and her husband built their own home two years ago and enjoy the beautiful countryside. Barbara has worked at Vassar for the

past eight years and is currently executive secretary to the vice-president for student affairs. She finds her job interesting and diversified and one of her responsibilities is the handling of immigration papers for foreign students. Barbara started her career working for the government, first in Washington, D.C., and then in Japan. She traveled extensively in the Orient and found Japan and its people fascinating. She acquired some proficiency in the language and had an interesting group of Japanese college students which met weekly at her home for English conversation. Then followed eight years in Hawaii, where son Stephen was born. He is now 11 and leading an active life with soccer, Little League and trombone. The Gancis own a camper van and have enjoyed traveling through parts of New England, upper New York state and into Canada, where they were particularly impressed with Toronto. • Our daughter Kathy and Jane "Jake" Bull Shaver's daughter, Susan, have become friends as fellow freshmen at Bowdoin! Letters have started to come in. Next column should be full. Meanwhile, if we haven't heard from you, please write!

## International Finance



Seattle-First National Bank has named DONALD VOLLMER '56 senior vice-president and manager of the bank's international department in the United States and its international banking division. Before joining Seafirst in 1977

Vollmer served with Rainier National Bank in Seattle and with Bank of America in its multinational division. He holds an M.B.A. from New York University and is a graduate of the Advance Management Program of Harvard University's Graduate School of Business.

Vollmer and his wife Judy (Dunnington '61) live with their two children in Mercer Island, Wash.

**57** Mrs. Donald L. George (Elizabeth Hardy) 80 Acorn Lane N. Conway, N.H. 03860

Hello, again! This three-month period has really raced by and it's column writing time once more. Don and I hope you all enjoyed the fall. The foliage in our valley was magnificent. Our family missed homecoming for the first time in years. We would have liked to have been on Mayflower Hill but, with three children in high school and our one in third grade, we were going in too many directions this year. Hope some of you were there

• Judy Corkey Devine and her husband, James, have no more "grammar-schoolers." They are living in New Jersey where Judy keeps busy as a teacher's aide in the Closter school system. She is an officer of the teacher's aide association, secretary of the swim club and finds time for enjoying all types of handwork. Judy is the mother of three teenaged boys, one of whom is a high school sophomore who was named all-league and all-county in baseball last year. • Charles Smith is vice-president and manager of the New England office of Previews, Inc., an international real estate marketing company. Charlie sounds very enthused with his job and does manage to enjoy tennis, photography, sports cars, golf and architecture. He is living in Cambridge, Mass. • We have another busy classmate in Jeanne Arnold Jeffries. Jeanne and her husband are both physicians and are the parents of five children. I could truly devote a whole column to Jeanne's activities. Here are a few. She is president of a statewide planning agency called United Health Systems Agency, president-elect of the New Hampshire Family Physicians and assistant professor of community medicine at Dartmouth Medical School. Jeanne was at Colby to attend the New England School of Alcohol Studies. Bob Pettegrew is active in the church. Jeanne and her family attend in Peterborough, N.H. • David Lordon has joined S&H Insurance Companies as claims manager with the responsibility for claims operations and procedures. He, his wife and son reside in Los Angeles. • Dave Olsen, his wife and two children are living in Somers, Conn. where Dave is senior marketing representative for CNA Insurance. He also enjoys tennis, skiing and hockey. • Nancy Eggleston Kibens is a potter, the teacher and owner of Country Hill Pottery in Ballwin, Mo. Nancy actually built a 52-cubic-foot gas kiln by herself. Her husband and two children are all interested in playing the piano and they are the owners of a 93-year-old Steinway grand. They also enjoy skiing in Colorado and attending art shows, in which Nancy has taken assorted ribbons. • Carolyn Bossi Hodge writes from Dublin, N.H. that she is a student at Keene State College and will receive her degree in June 1978. Last summer, Carolyn graduated from Rutgers Summer School of Alcohol Studies. • Susan Wayman Haskell is living in California. She and her husband are the parents of four daughters. The younger two girls show horses (hunters/jumpers) in the junior division. Susan is active in church work where she is a Sunday school teacher and the Christian Science reading room librarian. The Haskells have just put in a beautiful swimming pool. • Really out of room now—I've more for next time. Take care!

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Jim Bishop, Jr., after being with *Newsweek* for many years, is director of communica-



tions and public affairs of the Federal Energy Administration and is also public affairs advisor to James Schlesinger, Carter's chief energy expert • Judy Levine Brody has been elected to the Thomas College board of trustees for a three-year term. She was formerly active in the Mid-Maine Medical Center Auxiliary and with the Hinckley School • John Edes is running for a second term on the school committee in his community. He is a past president of the Providence, R.I. Lions Club, past director of the Providence Chamber of Commerce and is presently a staff supervisor with New England Telephone Co. • John Judson, who teaches at Western Wisconsin Technical Institute in La Crosse, Wis., has written some excellent poetry and edited a handsome series of books by midwestern poets. He is publisher of Juniper Press in La Crosse and has just announced a new project called the Contemporary American Poetry Series, which entails publishing two volumes of poetry a year • Donald Kennedy, program director of Weston elementary schools and resident of Weston, Mass., was recently awarded a doctorate in education from Harvard • Aaron Schless's law firm in Bridgeport, Conn., in which he is one of four partners, recently opened a branch in New Canaan. He has been assistant town attorney for Fairfield since 1967 • The Rev. Carlyle Smith and his wife have accepted a call to be co-directors of the Boylston Christian Home for Girls in Manchester, N.H. They were given a huge, warm farewell party in the style of "This is Your Life" by his parishioners of the West Springfield Congregational Church • Lt. Col. Al Tarr has recently assumed command of the 529th Bomb Squadron at Plattsburg, N.Y. A.F.B. Previously operations officer with the 529th, he is the first navigator to be given a command position of this sort • Navy Commander Dave Woodbury has become commanding officer of one of the Navy's newest destroyers, the U.S.S. *Radford*. He was previously an aide to Admiral Zumwalt and attended the Naval War College, where he received a master of science degree in international affairs from George Washington Univ. • John and I still live in Lunenburg and hope to be a part of our 20th reunion, which is coming up fast • It's the year for that special effort so that as many of us as possible can take just a brief time from our busy and varied lives for some reminiscing, sharing and fun. Send me your news, or get daring and call me!

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I received two very interesting clippings from the alumni office concerning Janet Clark Fox and her recent appointment to the faculty of Bay Path Junior College in Longmeadow, Mass. In addition to her B.A. from Colby and a master's in education from Westfield State College, she brings 17 years of teaching experience to the college. Janet is a member of

several teachers associations, among them the National Education Association and the National, New England and Connecticut Councils of Teachers of English. Janet and her husband, Paul, live in Agawam • I am delighted with the response to my request for class news. I have heard from many people who confess that they've never answered any questionnaires before, so I am particularly pleased to hear from them. It seems most of us turn 40 in much the same way! I plan to get the letter out in time for it to be a "mid-winter warm-up" for all of you.

## Elm City Elects



when he was elected to a four-year term on the Waterville Board of Education.

*LaVerdiere is a former city GOP chairman, a director of the Economic Resources Council of Maine, and was a founder of what is now Canal Bank. For many years he was associated with the LaVerdiere's Drug Store chain.*

*When the votes were counted after Maine's December 5 election, PAUL LAVERDIERE '59 was Waterville's new mayor. He began his two-year term on January 3. The insurance agent's only other try for public office was in 1970.*

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Questionnaires are still coming in—please be patient because it will take a long time to cover all the information you have sent me! I have heard from 78 from our class thus far • Scotty MacLeod Folger is a special education coordinator, K-12, in Orono, where her husband, Brud, is head ski and tennis coach at the Univ. of Maine. They and their two daughters (4 and 5) enjoy flying, gardening and bicycling and plan a trip to Germany this summer. The Folgers have an annual trip delivering new fire trucks to Maine from a factory in Appleton, Wisc. "Last summer Brud and I each drove a new 750 pumper and stopped overnight in Syracuse with Candie Castle Marsellus and her family" • Cameron Walker lives in Belleville, Ill., and as a geophysics mining engineer with an M.S. in geophysics from the Colorado School of Mines, he has worked in research, development, exploration and mining from Southeast Asia to the Rockies, Florida, West Virginia, Kentucky and Illinois coal fields • Michael Holland is a division manager for McNeil Laboratory, Canada, Ltd., and lives with his wife, Lilli, and two daughters in Kirkland, Quebec • Ann Marie (Amy) Eisentrager

Birky teaches elementary school in Lincoln, Neb., and has had among her students the son of Patience Oliver Fisher. Amy's husband, Gordon, retired in June 1977, and the Birkys plan to travel to Hawaii this summer. Amy is involved in the League of Women Voters and has been president of the American Federation of Teachers in Lincoln • Wendy Ihlstrom Nielsen is living in New Canaan, Conn., with husband, Bob '59, an insurance broker, and two children, ages 9 and 5. She sees Marna Hanson MacLean through the winter hockey program in which their boys participate. Wendy sounds very involved in school and church activities and recently spent "a grand vacation at Disney World and Sanibel Island, Fla." • Dennis Dionne is living in North Andover, Mass., with wife, Mary, and three children, 10, 9 and 5. Denny, a district accounting manager of the N.E. Telephone Co., reports that he "has built a tennis court in his backyard and all the family are tennis buffs" • Sandy Arens is an insurance broker in Wilson, N.C., where he and wife, Dee Ann, and two sons have lived for the past eight years. Sandy spent four years after Colby with the Navy, stationed in the Mediterranean. He visits Chatham, Cape Cod each summer and enjoys "skiing at Sugar Mountain, Boone, N.C., although it can't compare with those days at Sugarloaf!" Sandy wrote that he would love to get together with "all the fine D.K.E.s in the Class of '61," and he enjoyed seeing Tom "Toad" Connors '59 (who never gets any older) at the annual "steepchase" in Winston-Salem • Ginny Wriggins Hochella received an M.S. in zoology from the Univ. of Maine and spent several years teaching at the Univ. of North Carolina in Chapel Hill. She and husband, Norman, a research chemist, have two children (5 and 3) and "garden extensively, collect wild fruit for a small jelly business utilizing several local gift shops as outlets, raise bees, are redoing an 1837 home, make quilts, etc." The Hochellas presently live in West Medway, Mass. • Hans Veeder and wife, Polly, have three children, 10, 8 and 6, and live in Lafayette, Cal., where Hans is director of sales for KIP Graphics • Rush Oster is regional sales manager for the Ralston Purina Co. and lives in Fairfield, Conn., with wife, Joan, and two sons, 7 and 3 • Hank Wingate is a teacher and coach in the Ardsley Middle School in Ardsley, N.Y. and lives in Scarsdale with wife, Margo, and two sons, 7 and 6. Hank received an M.A. from Columbia in 1968 and has recently been elected to the board of trustees, Collegiate School in N.Y.C. He writes "it was great to have the Colby basketball team come to Westchester for the Manhattanville Tournament - we co-hosted a cocktail party with Dick Schmaltz '62 before the game at the college" • Jack Pallotta and wife, Barbara Hunter '59, live in Mahwah, N.J. where Jack is vice-president of group sales for Guardian Life Insurance in N.Y.C. The Pallottas have two sons, 15 and 11, and a baby daughter born in December. They "play lots of tennis, charter sailboats, golf and are now learning how to care for a pool." Jack sings in the church choir and

helps with Little League and Boy Scouts. "all the usual suburbia activities!"

**62** Mrs. William Jones  
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The Ralph Bradshaws are presently enjoying a sabbatical leave in Melbourne, Australia under the auspices of a Macy Foundation Faculty Award. Ralph is carrying out research on the molecular mechanisms of polypeptide growth factors at the Howard Florey Institute of the Univ. of Melbourne. Meanwhile, Penny (Wheeler '64) and children are enjoying the environs of Melbourne. On their way to Australia they toured Hawaii, the Fiji Islands and the islands of New Zealand. • Jim and Jean (Eielson '63) Bridgeman have moved again. This is their eighth move and certainly not the last. They built a new home in Phoenixville, Pa. near Valley Forge National Park. Jim has been promoted to regional sales manager for Allstate Insurance Co. in the Valley Forge area. • After three years as an interior designer for Bloomingdale's in New York City and their new store in Washington, D.C., Paul Hickey has assumed a position with CBS in New York City. He is involved with the sets on "The Guiding Light." Paul finds this new dimension of design fascinating. • Judith Hoagland Bristol has become a popular name in Texas in the field of economics. As an economics consultant, Judy is training teachers to be "economically literate." During the past year she set up a curriculum and training program for social studies teachers of 270 elementary schools and 60 secondary schools. She has also taught courses at the Univ. of Houston and had several workshops planned for the fall. • Bruce Brown is a teaching assistant principal at Freeport (Maine) High School. After traveling abroad for the past six summers, Bruce spent this summer working on a second master's degree. He recently started a "serious" collection of art, featuring Maine artists in various media. • Bill and Barb (Haines '63) Chase are in Keene, N.H. where Bill is a surgeon and Barb is a family coordinator. Last year Bill received the honor of being inducted into the American College of Surgeons. • The major highlight of the past year for Terry Cordner was getting married. Terry is an attorney in Mamaroneck, N.Y. His new wife, Helen, is a nurse. • Henderson Colley is national sales manager of Lange USA ski products. He travels throughout the United States, supervising the sales activities of representatives. He spends his leisure hours and holidays at his condominium in Vail, Col. • Bruce Ferguson has enjoyed two excursions to Europe for business and pleasure. The pleasure aspect of the trips included sailing with the retired head of the Colby physics department, Dennison Bancroft. • Jeff Gould is a counseling therapist in Middletown, N.Y. Earlier this year he received his master's degree in counseling at the Univ. of Virginia. • Sandy Keef Hunter is employed as an advertising copywriter. Her husband, Steve, is a staff supervisor for New York

Telephone. They recently enjoyed a trip to French Polynesia. • Jimmy Johnson is a polygraph examiner with OSI in the Air Force. Jimmy's motto is "have polygraph instrument, will travel." His recent travel includes trips to Tokyo, Japan, Anchorage, Alaska and numerous Air Force bases in the western United States. • Sandi Rollins Kilgore is the bookkeeper for her husband's appliance business in Braintree, Mass. Last winter they took a delightful trip to St. Martin where they chartered a ketch to St. Barths, a beautiful undeveloped island. After traveling through the Midwest in the spring, they spent the summer at West Falmouth on Cape Cod. Sandi says that Howie Shaw is opening a new restaurant near Bourne Bridge on the Cape.

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Congratulations to Paulette French, former chairman of the department of foreign languages at the Univ. of Maine-Orono. Polly has been named acting dean of the college of arts and sciences at the Univ. of Maine at

### The Colby Delegation



Two alumni teamed up in Paris last year to help represent the United States at the Conference on International Economic Cooperation. ROBERT GELBARD '64, left, and WILLIAM WITHERELL '63 both participated in the international economic negotiations, popularly known as the "North-South Dialogue," held among eight developed and 19 developing nations.

Gelbard, an international economist in the Foreign Service, represented the State Department at the talks. Witherell is also an international economist. At the conference he represented the Treasury Department, where he was employed as director of the Office of Financial Resources and Energy Finance.

Witherell has since left the Treasury to take a position in Paris with the Organization of Economic Cooperation. He and his wife, B.J. (Campbell '64), and the two boys invite any Colby friends in Paris to look them up.

Portland-Gorham. • Now residing in Paris are Dr. William Witherell with Barbara-Jean (Campbell '64) and their two sons. Bill has been appointed a division head for the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, an international organization of industrialized nations to develop cooperative economic and financial programs. • Nancy Hall and husband Connie were recent co-chairmen of the Northern Cumberland Memorial Hospital Fund campaign in Casco, where Nancy is a former member of the Casco Recreation and Conservation Commission and choir director at Casco Village Church. • Our deepest sympathy to Mary Michelmore Ackerman in the death of her husband, Bill, last spring. Bill was a member of the American Psychological Association and the American Personnel and Guidance Association. Mary and her two children have moved to 25 Cedar St., Brattleboro, Vt. 05301. • Lillian Waugh received a Ph.D. in history last February from the Univ. of Massachusetts. Lillian says she does not recommend the long-distance approach to degree getting as it places too great a burden on self-discipline, even for a native Yankee. Lillian continues to be active in N.O.W. and is employed as program coordinator for Rape Information Services, Inc. This past summer she taught a course in women's history to graduate students in Charleston under the West Virginia State College of Graduate Studies. • Peter and I enjoyed a recent "business" pleasure trip to Washington, D.C. and had a wonderful time catching up on all the news with Peter and Susan Ferries Vogt and Neil and Karen Moore Butler. We realized that this coming June will be our 15th reunion at Colby, and would like all of you to keep that in mind. We hope to see as many of you as possible up on Mayflower Hill. • In the meantime, I would like to get a questionnaire out before the reunion and would welcome any suggestions as to what you would like to see in this questionnaire. Please write to me right away.

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Jim Harris writes from Bellevue, Wash., where he works for Crown Publishers in sales. His job also involves him in advertising and promotions, manuscript acquisition, and author appearances. In addition, Jim is president of his homeowners' association and is a director of the Pacific Northwest Booksellers Association. Jim and Dick York, another Washington resident (in Edmonds), were planning an outing in the fall for Colby alumni in their area. • Barbie Gordon Schoeneweis moved to Mount Laurel, N.J., last spring when her husband, Mike, took a job as district manager for Brooke Bond Foods Catering Division. She had to give up her job as a journalist but is doing freelance writing of feature articles for area papers and enjoys the independence. Barbie keeps in touch with Doris Kearns Goodwin, who gave birth to her second son, Joseph, in

October. Doris and her husband, Richard, bought a house in Concord, Mass. • **Judy Milner Coche** has joined the faculty at Drexel Univ., teaching part-time in psychology. She presented a paper at the International Congress of Psychology in Paris. While in Europe, she toured Portugal and visited family in Germany. Shortly thereafter, Judy traveled to San Francisco to present another paper at the American Group Psychotherapy meetings • **Nancy Mitchell Miner** and family have moved to Arundel where they have bought an old farm which fronts on the Kennebunk River. Nancy and her son Jonathan have taken up horseback riding at the urging of Carol Haynes Lyman whom Nancy sees frequently • **Lee Haskell King** wrote from New Hampshire about how she and her husband were ambitiously preserving their own sheepskins. Lee, who continues with her psychiatric social work, has also found time to master the krummhorn and is now learning to play the viola da gamba • Our family had a delightful visit in the summer with Jean Martin Fowler in Flemington, N.J. Jean received her M.B.A. with highest distinction from Pace Univ. this past June. She and her husband, Mike, had just returned from a visit to Japan earlier in the summer. On the same trip we stopped in to see the Sheldons—John '63 and Marcia (Phillips)—in Glen Ridge.

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Response to the questionnaire has been extremely light, so if you've not yet filled yours in, please do. I really need your help • **Peter Camplin** and **Roger Valliere** '67 have opened the Cape Neddick Inn at the corner of Routes 1 and 1A in Cape Neddick. They have created a year-round "classic country dining inn" in the New England tradition for southern York County restaurant patrons • **Eric Spitzer** and family are moving to Evansville, Ind. from Connecticut as Eric has been promoted to comptroller of two of ITT Grinnell Corporation's divisions, National Temperature Control Centers, Inc. of Evansville and Peninsular Supply Co. of Pompano Beach, Fla. • **Neil Cliphsham**, wife Jean (Hoffmann) '66 and two sons are moving to Missouri City, Tex. Neil is in sales for Fluor Ocean Services (oil and gas production platforms) • **Linda Goodine Johnson** was on maternity leave from her job as an elementary school music teacher in Bennington, Vt. Her first child was due in November • **Judith Guptaill Simmons** is also very much involved with music. She is a piano teacher, plays with a symphony orchestra and a chamber orchestra, is choir director at her church and has started taking violin lessons. She is also the mother of two sons and a daughter. As Judy says, "All this is quite a challenge for a German major!" • **Peter Mudge** is treasurer of the West Indies Insurance Agency in St. Thomas, V.I. His wife, Camilla, is the owner-manager of a boutique • **Robert Beechiner** is a guidance counselor for the West Genesee (N.Y.) Schools and adjunct professor at

Onondaga Community College. He received both his M.A. and Ph.D. from Syracuse. His wife, Teresa, is a former elementary school teacher but is now a full-time homemaker and mother of two sons and two daughters • **Robert Rogers** is an economist living in Washington, D.C. He received his M.A. in economics from the Univ. of Maine in 1972 and is now a Ph.D. candidate in economics at George Washington Univ. Robert reports that Carl Moody is a professor of economics at William and Mary • **Lesley Forman Fishelman** resides in Princeton, N.J. She and her husband, Stephen, are both physician/psychiatrists. Lesley received her M.D. from Yale in 1969. At present she is working full-time completing her residency and being a mother to two young sons • **Prosper Parker-ton** lives in Brooklyn and is an assistant U.S. Attorney, E.D.N.Y. His wife, Jane, is a communications coordinator and they are expecting their first child before too long • **William Ferretti**, director of the Dorothy Rider Pool Health Care Trust in Allentown, Pa., addressed the first annual meeting of the Maine State Health Coordinating Council in South Portland this past October. He is nationally known for developing rural health care delivery programs.

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**Gary Knight** was teaching a course at the Univ. of Maine at Farmington in the fall titled "Introduction to the World of Business." Gary is vice-president and personnel officer for the Livermore Falls Trust Co. • **Beth Peo Armstrong** and her husband, Samuel, who is a hematologist-oncologist, live in Everett, Wash. They have three children, Tim, 10, Nick, 9, and Melissa, 7. Beth is a full-time volunteer in the learning disabilities program in the public schools • **Charlie Birel** is living in Beaconsfield, Quebec, and is a financial controller for GTE Sylvania. His wife, Ellen, is a professor at McGill, and they have three children, Ian, age 6, and Margaret and Peter, 3-year-old twins • **Katey Fitzgerald Christiano** keeps busy looking after four children, aged 1 to 8. Her husband, Joseph, is a clinical chemist at Kane Medical Labs, and they live in Holden, Mass. • **Paul Colcher** is still single. He is a doctor and is living in New York City. His address is 200 E. 81st • **Francis Finizio** is a financial analyst for United Brands, and his wife, Amanda, is a teacher. Their new address is 78 Coolidge Ave., Needham, Mass. • **Anne Ruggles Gere** is living in Seattle where she is assistant professor of English at the Univ. of Washington. Last year she finished a book on African literature. Her husband, Budge, is a Presbyterian minister, and daughter Cindy is 8 • **Jack Harrington**, his wife Maureen, and their two children live on the Severn River in Crownsville, Md., where they enjoy a lot of sailing. Jack is an attorney in a Washington, D.C. law firm • **Judy Jones Hooper** is a mathematician for the Department of Defense, and lives in Maryland. Her husband,

## Donning Caps and Gowns for Colby

*Colby periodically is invited to send a representative to academic events at colleges and universities. The following alumni and faculty have represented the college in past months:*

**NANCY MCLEOD STEPHENSON '50** inauguration of William Anthony Shields as president of the College of Great Falls.

**MICHAEL G. ISRAEL '57**, inauguration of Donald Arthur Webb as president of Centenary College of Louisiana.

**MARY ADAMS '58**, inauguration of Johnnie Lee Stones as president of Windham College.

**BLANDINE LAFAMME MCLAUGHLIN '60**, inauguration of Joseph Nathan Gayles, Jr. as president of Talladega College.

**WENDY NEWSTETTER '71**, inauguration of Donald Mitchell Stewart as president of Spelman College.

**PRESIDENT STRIDER**, inauguration of Robert H. Edwards as president of Carleton College.

**Bill**, is a captain in the Army • **Birdie Tracy Hye** received a Ph.D. in German from the Univ. of Connecticut last fall. She and her husband, Allen, and their two children, Courtney, 7, and Carsten, 5, live in Hellertown, Pa. Allen is assistant professor of German at Lehigh • **Pete and Diane (Fioto) Lardieri** have two children, Stephen, 5, and David, 2. They live in Atlantic Highlands, N.J., where Pete is a mathematics teacher at Henry Hudson Regional High School • **Joe and Meg (Schwartz) '68** Loomis live in Chicago where Joe is a buyer of antique silver for Marshall Field, and Meg is a buyer of casual furniture for Carson Pirie Scott. Joe reports that after three years on crutches he is now able to walk again, following major surgery at Mayo Clinic • **Linda Hall Lord** received her master of library science degree from the Univ. of Maine in August 1976. She and her husband, Russell, live in Brooks • **Louise Reburn McDowell**, husband Chuck '65, and son Chip, age 7, are living in Farmington Hills, Mich. Chuck is assistant sales manager for Aerodynamics, Inc. (Beech Aircraft) • **Doug Meyer** describes his occupation as "graphic jack of all trades." He and his wife, Kim, and daughter Jessica, 8, reside in Wallingford, Conn. • Another classmate living in Seattle is **Karl Ostendorf**, who is a systems analyst at Seattle First National Bank • **Roderic Small** and his wife, Patricia, are in Sao Paulo, Brazil, where he is a product analysis manager for Ford Brazil • **Steve Smith** is chief resident in urology at Univ. of Maryland Hospitals. He and his wife, Twink, and their children Steve, 7, and

Jennifer, 4, are living in Baltimore • **Chuck Soule** is working on his M.B.A. in computer and information science. He is presently a customer relations representative in Lansdale, Pa. • **Lois Rudolph Szostak** and husband, Richard, have two daughters. Richard is a design and test engineer, and they live in Garden City, N.J. • **Janet (Meyer) and Allen Throop** were living in Caulfield, South Australia, last we heard. Allen expected to receive a diploma of education (equivalent to M.A.T.) last December • **Peter Weygant** was promoted to associate professor of English at Fairleigh Dickinson Univ. last year • **Diane Leach Wilbur** and family have moved to Ridgefield, Conn., and Diane reports that they are very happy to be "home" in New England • **Natalie Bowerman Zarembo**, husband Frank '64, and their two girls live in Newton, Mass., where Frank is an architect and Nat is a speech therapist for the Easter Seal Society of Massachusetts • **Meg Fallon Wheeler** wrote that the past year was a good one for her family, but did not yield a lot of exciting news. With both her children now in school she finds herself knee-deep in volunteer work • Here is a genuine news flash: Our very own Phil MacHale is now playing the role of Tony Lord in the ABC-TV daytime series, "One Life to Live." Tune in!

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Lee Potter has been named director of field administration services at New England Mutual Life Insurance Co. in Boston. The Potters often visit with Bob Gracia and his wife Ginger (Holbrook '66), who also live in Hingham, Mass. • **Eric Rosen** has opened law offices in Washington, D.C., and Bethesda, Md. • **Dick Mather** and his wife, Sloopy, are on their way to Bitburg Air Base in Germany where Dick will be flying the new single-seat F-15 Eagle. They have two boys, Courtney and Kevin. Dick reports that Courtney, born in England, "will be a Bloke and a Yank until his 21st birthday, then he has to choose" • **John O'Shea** has taken a position as vice-president in administration at Rush-Presbyterian-St. Luke's Medical Center in Chicago. He and Alice have four children, Shannon (8), Sean (7), Erin (5), and Meagan (2)—Irish names for sure!! He visited with Bill Loveday in Long Beach, Cal., and worked with Gene Bullis in Boston • **Victor Marshall** and his wife, Veronica, are still at Robins A.F.B. in Georgia. Vick is more than halfway to a master's degree in administration • **Tom Longfellow** and his wife, Roberta, live in Maplewood, Minn. He is a judge and reports that he travels to dog shows and courting meets throughout the United States as well as making an annual Mexican pilgrimage • I also received a questionnaire from Lou Richardson, who has returned to Honolulu. She has given up teaching and recently started working for Pacific Resources, a diversified energy company based in Honolulu. She also has started

work on an M.B.A. • **Pete and J.J. Mueller** Tillinghast were expecting their second child on May 30th, so they were unable to make the reunion • **Walter Procko** has completed a Ph.D. at the Univ. of South Carolina. He and his wife, Betty, live in Columbia, S.C., and he works at the South Carolina State Department of Education • **Roger Valliere** and **Peter Camplin '65** have opened the Cape Neddick Inn, a year-round "classic country dining inn" at Routes 1 and 1A in Cape Neddick • **Jim Katz** continues on the faculty of John Abbott College in Quebec. A course in human relations is among the subjects he teaches • **Bill George** is teaching principles of economics at Community College of Vermont. He is an assistant vice-president of the Franklin Lamoille Bank in St. Albans • Out of the clear blue I had a telephone call from Sally Rogers '69, one of my advisees from years ago. She was calling from Springfield, Mo., where she and her husband, John Brown, are both on the staff of a college. She is a clinical psychologist and is expecting their first child soon • My brother Jon Ray '71 and his wife, Molly (Carroll '70), are expecting their second child in January. They operated a canoe-rental business in Bridgton this past summer while they were on their vacations from teaching • I continue to take lessons in tole and decorative painting, have a part-time job in a fuel oil office and substitute at the high school where I taught English for three years—keeps me busy! Please write to tell me your news so that the next newsletter can be even more informative.

**68 Mr. Stephen D. Ford**  
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Barbara Bixby Abrams and husband Art are frequently found camping in Maine and New Hampshire. Barbara expresses regret that she did not join the Outing Club while at Colby! She continues to teach piano and many of her students perform in the New York State School Music Association competition. The Abrams and son Josh live in Bayville, N.Y. • We have received word that **Jeffrey Olson** was married in August to Sandra Gordon and that the Olsons are now residing in Camden • **Marty Benjamin** has joined First National Stores, Inc. as corporate dairy merchandiser. Marty received his M.B.A. from Harvard and previously worked with Stop and Shop Stores as a dairy buyer • **Phil Merrill** continues his political activities. Newspaper reports indicated Phil plans to run for the Democratic nomination for governor of Maine. Phil's test will come in Maine's June primary. Good Luck! • **Kal Sinofsky** completed five years of general surgery training last year at University Hospital, Boston, and was planning to continue training in plastic surgery in Rochester, N.Y.'s Strong Memorial Hospital. Kal obtained his degree from Boston Univ. in 1972 after compiling a distinguished academic record. Kal and wife, Mildred, have twin daughters • **Margaret Skillings Khaffaf**, accompanied by her two children, visited her parents in Maine last

summer. Her husband, Rauf, is a doctor of medicine in West Germany where the Khaffafs reside in Kleve • **Jonathan Welch** has joined the faculty of Northeastern Univ. where he is an associate professor of finance. Jonathan, Sue and their three daughters live in Scituate, Mass. • **Rick Moriarty** is now practicing medicine in Mansfield, Conn. After graduating from Vermont Medical School, Rick interned at Johns Hopkins and Strong Memorial Hospital and also served with the Navy • **Steve King** is teaching in the West Bath Maine school system. A native of West Bath, he previously taught in Wolfboro, N.H. Steve is working towards his master's degree at the Univ. of Maine • **Claudia Bourcier Fregosi** recently addressed a group at the Norwell (Mass.) Public Library and explained the writing and illustration of children's books. Claudia has written and illustrated several such books • **Ken Mukai** directed a youth hockey camp in Augusta last summer. On his staff were Don Saleski of the N.H.L. Philadelphia Flyers and several other hockey standouts. In a newspaper interview, Ken advised parents not to pressure their children into any particular sport but let the children try several and have fun • **Bill Palombo** is apparently one of the new breed of commercial fishermen—young and college-educated. Bill is chief executive officer of a Plymouth firm that has two large boats fishing the Continental Shelf • **Mary and I** completed an enjoyable trip to Germany, Austria and Switzerland in September and are now busily engaged in working on our old home, which seems to be in need of constant redecorating and repair. Please let me know of your activities and remember our 10th reunion in June.

**69 Miss Cherrie Dubois**  
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Reading, Mass. 01867

John Kearns earned a doctorate in psychology from Northeastern Univ. in June 1977 • Now living in Cookeville, Tenn., Sue Mansfield Small is director of personnel and payroll at Tennessee Technology Univ. and plans to continue graduate work on her M.B.A. • **Judy Lee Richter** is a project associate on an H.E.W. grant to study development of job opportunities for the handicapped at the New Haven Rehabilitation Center. Judy is interested in getting in touch with Colby friends in the area • **Tom and Sandy Reed Clougher** are living in Montpelier, Vt. Tom is a vocational rehabilitation counselor in Barre, Vt., and Sandy is now working part-time since the arrival of their daughter • Political aims have taken hold of Irving Faunce, who was elected mayor of Gardiner • **Ray Gerbi** is assistant superintendent of New Hampshire Hospital in Concord • **Donna Sykes** is a clinical social worker at the Hubbard Regional Hospital in Webster, Mass. • **St. Helens, Ore.**, is home for Howard Cutler, who is now a city planner. St. Helens is located on the Columbia River • I received a letter from Bob Field '67, who is living at 22 Harris St. in Amherst, Mass. He is looking for the whereabouts of

## Aiding Alma Mater



**PATRICIA ANDREA ZLOTIN '68** was the valedictorian when she graduated from Maine's Hinckley School in 1964. Once again she is a standout at Hinckley, this time as chairman of the school's 1978 annual fund drive.

She brings years of financial experience to the volunteer post. In 1969 she joined New England Mutual Life as a securities statistician, where she assisted in the management of a fixed income public bond portfolio.

Since 1971 Ms. Zlotin has worked at Massachusetts Financial Services in Boston. She is currently assistant vice-president in investments, and is a senior portfolio member in a department that manages approximately \$900 million in fixed income assets. She earned a master's in business administration from the Boston University School of Management in 1974.

Tom Maynard and John McClain, as well as other Colby friends. In mid-October I went down to Cindy Murray's wedding in New York. On the way, I stopped in to see Rosemary Shu Cleaves and Tom '72, as well as their daughter, Becky. It was good to see them and to see Cindy after many years. The wedding was great! To you all a fine and joyous New Year!

**70** Mrs. Kenneth L. Jordan, Jr.  
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There was news from all over again this quarter. I appreciated your cards and letters so much—it warms a correspondent's heart to have interesting news to report for each *Alumnus*. Keep it coming! Peter Bogle resigned his position as general counsel to the Massachusetts Energy Policy Office to enter private practice in a Fall River, Mass. firm. After Colby he continued study at Cornell, and prior to his energy office position was a staff attorney with the Massachusetts Public Interest Research Group. Peter Mackinlay passed his final Ph.D. orals last August and celebrated by spending a month diving around the Hawaiian Islands. His degree was to be conferred in December at the Univ. of Chicago. A Ph.D. in biochemistry was awarded to Lorraine Gill Pazaris by Northwestern Univ. School of Medicine last June. She continues in postdoctoral study at Brandeis as a research assistant. Her husband, James, is working with Raytheon, Bedford Laboratories, and the couple lives in Waltham, Mass. Wally and Mona Burnett Tapia are living in Colchester, Vt., where

Wally is a C.P.A. and Mona planned to retire from her second grade teaching position upon the arrival of their first child in November. This past summer Dennis Salmi, a ninth grade environmental science teacher at Rundlett N.H. High School was selected conservation teacher of the year by the New Hampshire Association of Conservation Districts. His statewide citation followed a regional award of similar nature received last spring. Rod Buck recently earned the professional designation of "chartered financial analyst" with the National Life Insurance Co. of Vermont. He went on from Colby to receive his M.B.A. from the Amos Tuck School in 1972 and has been with National Life since that time. He and Sandra (Hutcheson '71) have a 2-year-old son, Brennan. Doug and Judy McLeish Gordon moved to Dhahran, Saudi Arabia in September, where Doug works as a civil engineer for Aramco. They were greeted by temperatures of over 100° accompanied by awesome humidity and understood that they missed the worst of the heat. Due to a housing shortage, they are living outside the company compound on the Arabian Gulf, but have easy access to compound facilities. They would love to hear from any Colby alumni in the area. The Jordan household maintains a high activity level, due in great part to our two energetic little girls and canine third musketeer. Ken continues to be busy in the practice of law, and I am active in various local organizations, including service on the board of a pre- and postnatal counseling service and adoption agency.

**71** Miss Janet K. Beals  
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Several snows here in Vail have already turned the high peaks a glorious white, and by the time this goes to press we hope to be skiing on lots more of it! Looking back to the summer months, Patricia Montgomery Dougan and Barbara Waters completed an ambitious Boston-to-California bicycle trip (in 79 days they logged over 4,000 miles!) Mary Anne Tomlinson Sullivan writes that she and her husband, Tom, had a daughter in December 1975 and they moved to a new home last April in the Philadelphia area. Soman Wodhen and Claudia (Wingert '69) traveled to India (summer 1977) and now live in Pawling, N.Y., where he is a broker for C. Ross Daniels Insurance Agency. Bennett Leshnover received a B.S. in nursing from the Univ. of Pennsylvania in 1975 and now lives with his wife in Huntington Beach, Cal., where he's a lieutenant in the Navy. Karen Carlin Kobler invites anyone who teaches in the Lake Ariel, Pa. area to bring classes to the Lacawac Sanctuary where she's the curator. Karen also is a ski instructor at an area called Tanglewood. Kathy Winslow Lupton substitute teaches in the area of Loring A.F.B. in Maine, where her husband John is an Air Force pilot. Janet Hancock Ahern and her husband, Capt. Bruce Ahern, are in San Antonio, Tex. and are also involved with the Air Force, for he's a pilot

instructor. Before "retiring" to care for their first son, Jan worked as a curriculum specialist and adult education teacher in Columbus, Miss. Carrie Horsley Durkin is a junior in law school at Chicago-Kent, while David '70 works as a meteorologist for United Airlines. With a law degree Carrie says her waitressing days will be forever behind her! Debbie Messer Zlatin is now in Jackson, Mich. where she's a clinical social worker at Beth Moser Mental Health Clinic. Her husband, Doug is a clinical psychologist at the same location. Ron Sills and Patsy (Skillings '73) live in West Peru, and he's assistant principal as well as wrestling coach at Mexico (Maine) High School. Sarah Hall Gibson writes that her husband, Terry, is the stable manager for a breeding farm and three-day event stable in Strafford, Vt. They own three horses of their own and compete in training events in the summer. Chip Althoiz now owns a sound market recording company in Chicago, and when he's not busy working or arranging music, manages to travel to L.A., N.Y.C. and Switzerland. After graduating cum laude from Tufts Dental School in 1975, Terry Wyman is now a dental resident (specializing in endodontics) at the Univ. of Connecticut Health Center. Clippings from the alumni office indicate that Dick Brindle is now located at a church in Denver; Sandra J. Ferrari received her master of arts in education from Trinity College last May; and Alan Tuttmann passed the Rhode Island and Massachusetts bar examinations. He went to Suffolk Univ. Law School and now works for August and Simmons law firm in Cambridge, Mass.

**72** Mrs. David Vidor  
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Philip Singer received his M.B.A. from the Amos Tuck School in 1974. This past summer he received his C.P.A. license and is employed as a senior accountant with Arthur Young and Co. in New York City. Pat Sibony received his M.D. from Boston Univ. School of Medicine and is a resident in internal medicine at the New England Medical Center Hospital in Boston. Fred Valone has been a Ph.D. student in chemistry at Cornell Univ. and when I heard from him, he anticipated completing his degree program in September 1977. He has been employed by Texaco to work in their Bellaire Research Laboratory in Houston after he receives his degree. Ree Griswold and Michael Fincher were married in June 1977 in Hartford. They are living in Atlanta, where they are both residents in internal medicine at Grady Memorial Hospital. Edmund Mahoney has been promoted to administrator in the corporate insurance department at Aetna Life & Casualty. He has worked for Aetna since he first joined the staff of the Boston office in 1972. He has a master's degree from Babson College. John Pecevic received his medical degree from the Univ. of Vermont Medical College. He is now doing his residency at the

Univ. of Colorado Medical Center in Denver  
 • Beth Morton was married in September 1977 to Byron Angel. Beth has been working in the steamship business and her husband is employed by A & M Custom Brokers and Co. in Boston. They are living in Hyde Park  
 • Larry Linnell is a freshman at Tufts Univ. School of Medicine  
 • Cindy Lindgren Condon began a new job this fall as a librarian for the North Brunswick (N.J.) Public Library. This position involves being in charge of a project to set up two special outreach facilities in the community—to offer library service at a children's detention center and at a workhouse for adults who have committed nonviolent crimes. Before beginning her new job, Cindy and Russ took a vacation cruise to Bermuda.

## 73 Miss Gail Andrews

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Thank you all so very much for your responses to the recent questionnaire. I have enough "gossip" to fill a year's worth of columns • Bob Ugucioni was married last June to Shelley Ann Harrison. Bob and Shelley are now living in Rockville, Md. After leaving Colby Bob went on to earn a master's degree in physical education at Indiana State Univ. During the 1976-77 season he was athletic trainer for the Springfield Indians hockey team • John Krasnavage was married last summer to Dawn Yerxa of Madison, where John is working as a teacher and football coach • Lois Leonard was married to Phillip Stock. Lois earned her M.S. in art from the Univ. of Milwaukee in 1975 and is now an artist and framer at Barridoff Galleries in Portland • Margaret McPartland is teaching English at Greeley High School in Portland. Margaret has coached dramatics and debating and has developed a remedial reading and English program for special education students • Henry Sockbeson, after graduating from Harvard Law School, passed the California bar and has established a law practice in Eureka, Cal. • Charlie Hogan is vice-president of administration and finance at the Experiment in International Living in Brattleboro, Vt. • Bob Levine is working on a B.S. in music education at Hartt College. He has sung feature roles with the Hartt opera-theater in *Carmen*, *Frantic Physician*, *Student Prince* and with the summer company in *Camelot*, *Carousel*, *Fiddler on the Roof*, and *The Sound of Music*, as well as numerous other productions • Gay Quimby is alive and well somewhere. Does anyone know more? • David Swardlick has earned a master's degree in media from Boston Univ. and is now an instructor in media and visual education at Emerson College • Mark Whitworth received an M.S. in computer science from the Univ. of Oregon in 1975. He is now working at the Draper Lab in Cambridge, Mass. as a computer scientist • Deborah Manter Mulcrone is in graduate school at Wright State Univ. She is working for an M.S. in counseling • Mark McGlynn is living in Vernon-Rockville, Conn. and working for Wise Foods as a sales representa-

tive. He visited Colby in May 1977 to take part in an alumni/varsity baseball game. During the game Mark hit the first homerun of his Colby career. Congratulations! • David Graves has accepted a science teaching position at Hodgdon High School in Maine • Patricia Sills recently earned a certificate of clinical competence from the American Speech and Hearing Association. Pat has earned an M.A. from the Univ. of Maine, Orono • Anne Huff Jordan was married last August to Daniel Jordan. They are now living in San Rafael, Cal. Anne noted that she is a "retired teacher!" • Mary Jane Kelly Tiedeman is working as the director of information services for the *National Journal*. She earned her M.L.S. in 1974 from the Univ. of Maryland • Geoff and Janet Shea Legg are now the proud parents of two children, Charles and Catherine. Geoff is working for the Analogic Corporation as a test group supervisor. Janet and Geoff correspond with Bill Mayaka. They report that he is working for the Kenyan government in the treasury department and that he is married and has one son • Noreddin Salah Nahawi is working as a banker for the Banque de Paris • Beth Michaud is the office manager of a medical office in Montrose, Cal. She has not by any means abandoned her enthusiasm for running. She won a 10,000-meter race and a five-mile desert cross-country run. She hopes to qualify for the 1978 Boston Marathon. She welcomes all Colbyites to stop in to visit hike or cross-country ski • Peggy Coleman and her husband Daniel are living in Boston. They vacationed in San Francisco and Hawaii last summer • Kathy Murphy is attending Boston Univ. Graduate School to study linguistics • Alan Blaker has returned to his hometown, Greenfield, Mass., and is practicing law there • Eric Rolison and his wife, Rebecca, are living in Albion. After graduating from Colby Eric taught for two years at Waterville Junior High School and then for two more years at his former high school in Paris, France. While in France Eric studied French cooking and is now a chef at the Johann Sebastian B. Restaurant in Oakland • That's all that I have room for now. Please do not worry if your name doesn't appear this time as it will eventually. Best wishes to all for a great year in 1978.

## 74 Mrs. Gary C. Hunt

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Hi! Another cold winter is upon us here in New England as I report more news for the Class of 1974. Please excuse me if the information is outdated, for I am finishing up your replies received quite awhile ago. A new questionnaire is on the way! • Chris Germer has completed his speech perception research at Kasturba Medical College in Karnataka, India • Susan Gunning is attending the Univ. of Florida Graduate School, working toward a master's degree in geology. She was awarded a graduate fellowship from the Univ. for the 1976-77 academic year • Last I heard, Maryann Sartucci's position with the

## Career Development



LESLIE ANDERSON '71 has been named development officer of the Portland School of Art, where her duties include admissions, alumni and public relations work. She served as Alumnus editor from 1973-75 and was later associated with the Partridge Island Co., a Portland advertising agency.

Traveler's Insurance Co. consisted of working with salary budgets, writing affirmative action programs, interviewing, handling personnel problems, and managing various office expenses. She seems to be enjoying it all • Tina Lindgren is working towards a Ph.D. in social psychology at the Univ. of New Hampshire and has an assistantship for the entire four-year program • Bruce Drouin and Janet Hansen '75 were married in the Colby chapel during homecoming weekend this year and bought a home in Stoneham, Mass. • Karen Bennett is presently teaching remedial reading at Noble Junior and Senior High schools in Rochester, N.H. She was awarded her M.Ed. degree at the Univ. of New Hampshire and, in the past, taught reading at the Merrimack Valley branch of the university in the Upward Bound program at Durham, and at Timberlane Junior High School in Plaistow, N.H. Other teachers are: Richard Vann, a foreign language instructor in Northfield, Vt., and John Faulkner, a social studies teacher and assistant track coach at Rockland High School in Sanford • Mark Garfield was married to Deborah Sample June 25, 1977 in Fairfield, Conn. They are presently residing in Toledo, Ohio where Mark is employed at the Medical College of Ohio as a pulmonary research assistant • Brigid Farrell is a first grade teacher in Norwich, N.H. For the past two years, she has worked at the Cross School there as a teacher-intern and educational assistant, while taking graduate courses at Dartmouth College • Ann Reiman has received her master's degree in library science from the Univ. of Rhode Island, and is now the librarian at Sunapee Junior-Senior High School in N.H. • Gary '75 and I moved to Springfield, Mass. in early August due to his acceptance at Western New England College School of Law. I am employed by the Shawmut First Bank and Trust Co. in the asset processing division of the trust department, and am enjoying it immensely • Paul '76 and Carol Wood Philbin have also left Maine and are residing in New Canaan, Conn., where Paul is attending Columbia Univ. for library science and Carol has an administrative position in a firm called Architectural Graphics Associates, which designs the interiors and

informational signs for airports, museums, libraries, colleges, and university facilities • Debbie Wathen sends two pieces of news. She is to be married this May and has a new job as the principal public participation specialist for the Middlesex County planning board's transportation section, in New Jersey. She works with a citizen advisory committee composed of citizens, representatives of businesses, transportation companies, industry, environmental groups, and municipalities, and is also responsible for the public relations of the transportation system. All is well with the '74ers.

**75** Mrs. Peter K. Ashton  
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Karen Santic has returned from Kenya where she was a Peace Corps volunteer. She is now working for ACTION which directs the Peace Corps and other such federal agencies. Karen has started work on a master's in international development at American Univ. • Mary Whiting is working as a legal assistant in Waterville and has bought a house in China • Scott Feltman has completed an M.A. in English at the Univ. of Toronto and plans to continue working on his doctorate • Jim Cousins is attending medical school at the Univ. of Grenoble, France • Sandy McGowan is a lab technician for Wards Biological Supply House in Rochester, N.Y. • Ann Carlaw and Bob Evans were married in June in Orleans, Mass. They then moved to Minneapolis where Bob started as a financial analyst for General Mills. Ann is working for the director of the personnel department of an accounting firm • Pam Simpkins is working in the admissions office at Fairleigh Dickinson Univ. • Gale Rooney works as a benefits administrator for the Dort-Oliver Co. Inc., in Connecticut • Debra Rice was married to Thomas Metcalf '74 in July. She is a development chemist for Dart Industries in New Jersey • Jane Martinson attended officer candidate school in Newport, R.I., and is now an ensign stationed in Iceland • Evan Sugden is in the entomology department at the Univ. of California at Davis, studying pollination ecology • Kathy Swanson reports that she was teaching English in a small private school and hoped to attend graduate school in the fall • Prudence Reed Kraft is teaching American literature and sociology to high school seniors in Vermont • John Mosely is an account executive for the Professional Economic Services of Maine • In June, Taylor Bond was married to Joseph Sufita in Saco • Laurie White is attending the Graduate School of Fine Arts at the Univ. of Pennsylvania • Debbie Field is editor and marketing project manager for Newsbook, Inc., a library publishing firm, in Connecticut • Eric Arnzen is a Peace Corps volunteer, living in a small village in West Africa • Robin Urner works as a systems programmer with I.B.M. in Kingston, N.Y. • Scott Shagin is attending Georgetown Law School • That's about all for now. Please let me know of any "new news!"

**76** Ms. Melissa Day  
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Hi folks! I'm finally reaching the bottom of the pile of information I got from you last fall, so please don't hesitate to write in with your news • Peter Leschner, ranked in the top 10 percent of his class at the New England School of Law, has been chosen as a provisional member of the *New England Law Review*, a scholarly legal journal published quarterly by New England Law students • Jan Anderson was married in June to Dr. Thomas Cogbill. They are living in Denver, where Tom is a resident in surgery at the Colorado Medical Center • Other June weddings included Scott Houser to Karen Huebsch '77, Roland Martel to Adele D'Amico, Joanne DeFilipp to Joe Alex '75, and Diane Gurniak to Guy Hayes '75 • After a stint with Aetna in Hartford, Nancy Wilson completed an intensive training program with the Peace Corps. She is now on a two-year volunteer assignment as a math teacher in Ghana • Nancy Noreen's job with the U.S. Geological Survey in Colorado involves working on a reclamation project for the stripable coal area in northeast Wyoming • Jeanne O'Brien is teaching high school Spanish in Windham • Chip Gilbert is a field representative for Congressman David Emery in Rockland, where he is also active in the Maine mid-coast tennis scene • This past summer, Susan Ellowitz provided guidance and training for a selected group of high school students from Camp Naami in Brookline, Mass. She accompanied them to Israel for a special summer program in leadership and cultural exchange • While still attending law school, Paul Bishop is working as assistant to the Dedham, Mass. town counselor • Bob Anderson, who continues to coach junior varsity basketball at W.P.I., has been named the school's assistant alumni director • Toby Bobbitt, whose trip to South America was postponed due to visa problems, has been working as a bilingual clerk in a Connecticut hospital • Paul Bither is a student at the New England School of Optometry • Janice Bispham is attending St. John's Univ. School of Business in New York City, for which she received the Martin Luther King Scholarship • Richard Anzels and wife Tina are teachers for Maine School Administrative District #54 • Scott Adams is a sales representative for Metropolitan Life in Maine • As of last fall, Dennis May was studying linguistics on the graduate level in Oswego, N.Y., and planning future study in Japan and Hawaii • Diane Lockwood is attending Andover Newton Theological School for a master's of divinity • As an admissions representative for the Northfield Mount Hermon School, Maidli Perrin travels extensively and loves it • Also in the admissions field is Ann Dunlap '77, who is working for the opposition down in Brunswick • Gary Jones is a consulting engineer for industrial planning in Charlotte, N.C. • Ken and Kathy (Richards) Johnson, married in December 1976, are back in Massachusetts after a winter in California. Ken is with John

Hancock • Mark Janos is working towards an M.P.A. at the Univ. of New Hampshire • After a year touring Finland, West Germany, and Scandinavia as a Watson Fellow, Martin Hubbe is attending the Institute of Paper Chemistry in Appleton, Wisc. • Becca Guild has been working in the education and interpretation departments at Old Sturbridge, Mass. • Jeff Garden is in the financial management development program at Raytheon in Newton • Mary Tuttle Lemonick is an assistant in the publicity department at Charles Scribner's Sons publishers in N.Y.C.: her husband Dave is at medical school in Valhalla, where the two are living • Scott McDermott is teaching at his old alma mater, Xaverian High • There's more, but I know it's all outdated, so I'll stop for now. Please—I need some new news!

## Milestones

### Marriages

Ruth Tilton '28 to Mahlon Easton, October 29, 1977, Scituate, Mass.  
Edgar Downs III '66 to Cynthia Grana, July 23, 1977, Breckenridge, Col.  
Richard Gilmore '66 to Deborah Gifford, September 1977, Danvers, Mass.  
Frances Morse '67 to William Bowen, October 1, 1977.  
Alan Gray '68 to Donna Vivian, September 1977, Somerville, Mass.  
Jeffrey Olson '68 to Sandra Gordon, August 13, 1977, Searsport.  
James Barys '69 to Elizabeth Zukas, August 13, 1977, Worcester, Mass.  
Robert Greene '69 to Debra Hartt, August 31, 1977, South Portland.  
Lucinda Murray '69 to Alan Heinlein, October 15, 1977, Port Jervis, N.Y.  
Nancy Hammar '71 to Michael Austin, October 1977.  
John McCallum '71 to Karen Joyce, October 15, 1977, Portland.  
Paul Hecht '72 to Mary Lou Fowler, August 21, 1977, South Hadley, Mass.  
Deborah Hobbs '72 to Walter Pienkos, Jr., October 8, 1977, Concord, Mass.  
Elizabeth Morton '72 to Byron Angel, September 5, 1977, Boston, Mass.  
Alice Osmer '72 to Don Olson, August 28, 1977, Winthrop.  
Anne Huff '73 to Daniel Jordan, August 6, 1977, Reading, Mass.  
Janice Johnson '73 to Edward Hauser, October 22, 1977, Wilmette, Ill.  
Robert O'Neill, Jr. '73 to Jean Fredrickson, May 14, 1977, Sacramento, Cal.  
Charles Ashton '74 to Lucy Stover, August 20, 1977, Princeton, N.J.  
Shelley Bieringer '74 to Richard Rau, October 9, 1977, White Plains, N.Y.  
Dianne Chaplin '74 to Louis Coghe, October 1977, Topsfield, Mass.  
Stephen Etzel '74 to Bethany Conway, August 27, 1977, Farmington.



Lynn Urban '74 to Guy Roberge, November 5, 1977, Portland  
 Cynthia Vietor '74 to George Kahle, October 8, 1977, Houston, Texas  
 Linda Martinek '75 to David Delande '75, September 10, 1977, Topsheld, Mass.  
 Alexandra Anagnost '76 to James Theriault '76, November 26, 1977, Lorimer Chapel, Colby.  
 Francis Callanan '76 to Lori Safford, September 3, 1977, Belgrade Lakes  
 Karen Smith '76 to Samuel Gowan '76, July 17, 1977, Newtonville, Mass.

## Births

A daughter, Emily Rebecca, to Sally (Morse '63) and John Preston, November 23, 1977.  
 A daughter, Kimberly Sargent, to Virginia (Goddard '65) and Howard Barnes, July 29, 1977.  
 A daughter, Julie Anne, to Dr. and Mrs. Robert Beechinor '65, April 14, 1977.  
 A daughter, Christine Elizabeth, to Mr. and Mrs. John Bragg '65, March 9, 1977.  
 A son, Eli Harris, to Dr. and Mrs. James Eisenberg '67, August 13, 1977.  
 A son, Benjamin Joaquin, to Susan (Monk '67) and Jaime Pacheco.  
 A daughter, Lynn Ann, to Carolyn (Welch '68) and Gene Ryzewicz, August 29, 1977.  
 A daughter, Allison Reed, to Sandra (Reed '69) and Tom Clougher, August 16, 1976.  
 A son, Keith Alan, to Martha (Peverly '69) and Barry Lewis, October 31, 1977.  
 A daughter, Nora Elisabeth, to Mr. and Mrs. Sari Abul-Jubein '70, July 16, 1977.  
 A daughter, Melissa Lynn, to Mary Ann (Golden '70) and Lynn Kirkby, September 24, 1977.  
 A daughter, Mallory Megan, to Michele (Poplawski '70) and Duncan Macdonald, October 3, 1977.  
 A son, Jonathan William, to Elizabeth (Brown '70) and Robert Strough, August 26, 1977.  
 A son, David Freeman, to Shelby (Coady '72) and Robert Aisner '68, November 2, 1977.  
 A daughter, Heather Elyse, to Holly (Armstrong '73) and Joseph Belmont, September 25, 1977.  
 A daughter, Catherine Anne, to Janet (Shea '73) and Geoff Legg '73, June 7, 1977.  
 A son, James Carlton, to Carolyn (Dusty '74) and David Rachel, October 6, 1977.

## Deaths

As this issue went to press, the college was informed of the deaths of the following. Full obituaries will appear in a future *Alumnus*.  
 Theodore Roosevelt Hodgkins '25  
 Robert Lowe Harlow '30  
 Reginald Raymond Ricker '32  
 Otis Walter Wheeler '33  
 Priscilla Mattoon Speer '46

John Dearborn Whittier '09, May 30, 1977 in Wenham, Mass., age 91. Whittier attended

Colby for two years and was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon. After leaving Colby the New Sharon native was principal at several Maine and Vermont schools. In 1923 he was appointed school superintendent in Wenham Mass., a post he held until retiring. He leaves his wife, Florentina, a son and three daughters.

Jane Pauline Herring '10, October 26, 1977 in Westbrook, age 88. Miss Herring taught high school in the Portland area from 1912 until 1956 and earned a master's degree in mathematics and education from Columbia University in 1927. She took over an insurance agency in 1952, which she owned and operated for 17 years. Born in Fairfield, Miss Herring was active in Y W C A and dramatics as a student. She was a member of Sigma Kappa. There are no immediate survivors.

Edith Skelton Snow '13, September 7, 1977 in Saluda, N.C., age 88. Mrs. Snow attended Colby for two years, then taught school in the Penobscot Bay area prior to her marriage. Her husband died in 1953. She moved to North Carolina from Belfast in 1974. There are no immediate survivors.

Lorenzo Alec Brunelle '17, August 27, 1977, age 83. Brunelle attended the college for one year, and was active on the glee club and baseball team. He was born in Somersworth, N.H. After service in the Army during World War I, Brunelle worked for many years as a machinist at the Portsmouth (N.H.) Naval Shipyard. He retired in 1958. Surviving are his wife, Laomie, and two sons.

Catherine Esther Murray '18, August 31, 1977 in Waterville, age 81. Miss Murray who was born in Fall River, Mass., was a teacher in the Waterville school system for 43 years. She leaves a sister, Mrs. Anne Murray Doyle '20.

Percy Goldthwaite '20, August 19, 1977 in Chester, Vt., age 78. The Goshen, N.Y. native attended Colby for two years. He leaves his wife, Rowena, two sons, two daughters and two brothers, including John '13.

Guy Edward Rouse '20, May 5, 1977 in Bloomfield, N.J., age 79. Rouse, a member of Phi Delta Theta, attended the college for two years and took part in the glee club, football and basketball. The East Pepperell, Mass. native worked for many years as a production supervisor at E.I. DuPont de Nemours Co. A son survives.

Frank Joseph Hois '21, September 11, 1977 in Bradenton, Fla., age 78. The New Bedford, Mass. native was a member of Phi Delta Theta and played in the band at Colby. He taught in Bethel, Conn. and New Bedford after graduation, and was a mathematics teacher at Norwalk (Conn.) High School from 1931 until retiring in 1959. He was a World War I veteran. Hois earned an M.A. from Columbia University Teachers College in 1933. He moved to Florida in 1959. His wife, Geneva, survives.

Keith Bernard Weymouth '25, October 10, 1977 in Morrill, age 76. Weymouth played baseball and basketball and was a member of Delta Upsilon. The Islesboro native led a varied career as a high school teacher, principal, salesman, farmer and independent truck driver. He leaves his wife, Gladys, and a daughter.

Ruth Walker Kilday '26, July 12, 1977 in Middlesex County, Va., age 72. She was a member of Sigma Kappa and attended Colby for two years, graduating from Boston University in 1927. After her children were grown, the Portland native worked as executive secretary for the Arthritis and Rheumatism Foundation in Richmond, Va. She leaves her husband, Ralph, and two daughters.

Maynard Warren Maxwell '27, November 9, 1977 in Laconia, N.H., age 73. As a student Maxwell played baseball and hockey, was treasurer of his class, and belonged to Lambda Chi Alpha. He was a native of Somerville, Mass. Maxwell was on the faculty of Belmont Hill School in Belmont, Mass. from 1943 until he retired in 1972. He taught previously at schools in Maryland, New York and Connecticut. He leaves his wife, Marie, and a son.

Helen Baker Bosworth '30, September 24, 1977 in Portland, age 69. She was born in Fryeburg, attended Colby for one year and was a member of Chi Omega. Married in 1929 Mrs. Bosworth is survived by her husband, Delbert, and two sons.

Dolores Dignam Morgan '32, November 1, 1977 in Bethesda, Md., age 67. Mrs. Morgan, a Waterville native, spent most of her working career in the bureau of accounts of the U.S. Treasury Department. In 1971 she received the department's "exceptional service award," the treasury's highest honor. As a student she was active in dramatics, tennis, basketball and hockey, and was a member of Delta Delta Delta. She began her government career in 1933 in the U.S. Treasury office in Portland, then was transferred to Washington, D.C. in 1941. She leaves a son, three sisters, Mary Dignam Murphy '31, Ellen Dignam Downing '35 and Alice Dignam Grady '38, two brothers, Walter Dignam '33 and Charles Dignam '39, and several nieces, including Joan Dignam Schmaltz '63, Joyce Dignam Flynn '62, Judith Dignam Cote '60, Elaine Dignam Meyrial '67, Jane Dignam Lawless '68, and Janice Dignam Stabile '72.

Leroy Borchers Starbuck '32, October 27, 1977 in Colorado Springs, Col., age 66. Starbuck, born in Matamoras, Pa., was a member of Theta Kappa Nu. He lived in Portsmouth, N.H. until 1969, when he retired after 32 years with the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. Survivors include his wife, Polly, three daughters and a son.

Harold John Murchie '33, September 23, 1977 in Amesbury, Mass., age 75. He attended

Colby for three years then studied at Andover Newton Theological School from 1931-34. The following year he was ordained to the Baptist ministry and served churches in Mars Hill and Bangor. In 1941 the Hodgdon native became pastor of the Market Street Baptist Church in Amesbury, then in 1949 went to the First Baptist Church of Woburn, Mass. He retired in 1969. Survivors include his wife, Winona, and a daughter.

**James Robert Miller '35**, September 9, 1977 in Portland, age 65. The Calais native studied at Portland Junior College before attending Colby for one year. He was an A.T.O. Miller retired in 1976 after serving many years on the library staff of the Guy Gannett Publishing Co. in Portland. He leaves his wife, Evelyn, a daughter and two sons.

**Curtis Calvin Layton '38**, September 9, 1977 in Portsmouth, N.H., age 60. The Portsmouth native was a Delta Upsilon member, belonged to the International Relations Club, and played baseball and football. Layton served three years in the Army during World War II. He was retired at the time of his death. Survivors include his wife, Inez, two sons and two daughters.

**Robert Donald Johnston '39**, September 15, 1977 in New York City, age 60. Born in Norwood, Mass., Johnston was involved in dramatics, intramural sports and the International Relations Club, and was a member of Phi Delta Theta. After graduation he joined Belding Heminway Co., Inc. as a manufacturing assistant. During World War II Johnston was a Naval pilot in the Pacific, flying 48 missions and earning a Distinguished Flying Cross. He returned to Belding after the war, held numerous positions, and concluded his career as manager of the industrial yarns and contracts department at the company's corporate headquarters in New York. He retired in 1974. Surviving are his wife, Dorothy, two sons, two daughters and two brothers, including J. Douglas Johnston '27.

**James William Bateman '43**, August 28, 1977 in Portsmouth, N.H., age 60. Bateman, who excelled in track at Colby, was born in Lawrence, Mass. He joined the Marines after graduation, serving for 22 years in outposts that included Okinawa, Korea, the Congo and Guantanamo Bay. After his return from combat in Korea he was an instructor in the R.O.T.C. program at Holy Cross College for three years. Bateman, who attained the rank of major, was teaching in the intelligence division of the Naval Amphibious Base, Little Creek, Va., at the time of his retirement in 1965. Surviving are his wife, Marilyn, and a son.

**Alva Warren McDougal '44**, November 5, 1977 in Norwalk, Conn., age 54. The Sanford native was a member of Delta Upsilon. After service as a lieutenant in the Navy during World War II, McDougal earned a law degree from Boston University Law School in 1949. He was an attorney with the

Paul Revere Life Insurance Co. for many years, and at the time of his death was vice-president and general counsel of Investors Management Co. McDougal lived in Weston, Conn. for the past seven years. He leaves his wife, Billie, three sons, three daughters, including Marilyn McDougal Meyerhans '72, his father, a brother, three sisters, including Marjorie McDougal Davis '43, and an aunt, Pauline Hanson '13.

**Margaret Pierce Weller '52**, October 1, 1977 in Milford, Delaware, age 46. The Lewiston native was active in Powder and Wig and the Echo, and graduated Phi Beta Kappa. After college she worked in public relations for two years before entering social service work for the state of Delaware. In 1958 she earned a master's degree from the University of Pennsylvania Graduate School of Social Work. Survivors include her husband, James, a son and a daughter. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Greely Pierce '27.

**Richard Lundin Coward '53**, November 4, 1977 in Redding, Conn., age 47. The Providence, R.I. native took part in the Outing Club, the glee club, track and the Echo, and was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon. At the time of his death Coward was employed in institutional sales for Ladenburg, Thallman Co., Inc. of New York City. He previously worked in the same capacity for G. Tsai & Co., also of New York. Survivors include his wife, Joanne, a son and a daughter.

**Raymond Lionel Roy '53**, August 30, 1977, age 45. Roy, who was born in Winslow, took part in the Newman, International Relations and Outing clubs. After graduation he served in the Army until 1956, and since then was self-employed as a construction engineer and developer in the Washington, D.C. area. Survivors are wife, Jacqueline, a son and a daughter, two sisters and two brothers, including Gerald '48.

**Norman Austin Grant '57**, December 21, 1975 in New York City, age 42. The Searsport native is survived by his parents and two sisters.

**Carlton Everett Austin, Jr. '60**, August 21, 1977 in Harwinton, Conn., age 42. Austin, who was born in Lawrence, Mass., had worked for Hungerford Hospital in Torrington, Conn. as a histology technician for more than 10 years. Survivors include his wife, Rosanna, three sons and two daughters.

**Joseph Miller Marion Gray '62**, October 21, 1977 in Grand Rapids, Mich., age 38. The McLean, Va. native was a member of Delta Upsilon and served on the interfraternity council. At the time of his death he was a senior associate executive and campaign director of the United Way of Kent County, Mich. He worked previously as division director of the Massachusetts Bay United Fund in Boston. Gray was an Army veteran. He leaves his wife, Martha (Raymond) '61, two sons, a daughter, a sister and two brothers, including Gardner '64.

**Frederick Henry Littlefield '69**, October 30, 1977 in Portland, age 31. Littlefield, who was a Portland native, died after a long illness. An avid golfer, he was varsity golf captain at Colby, where he was a member of Kappa Delta Rho. He received a J.D. degree from Temple University Law School in 1972, and was employed as a security analyst in Portland. He leaves his wife, Mary.

**Francis Weber Bradley '71**, November 11, 1977 in Sheffield, Mass., age 28. Bradley died in an automobile accident. After graduation he attended graduate school at the University of Montana, where he studied architecture for two years. He left the university to run a sport shop in Bozeman, Mont. The Boston native recently returned East and became a partner in a Salisbury, Conn. construction company. He was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon. Survivors include his parents and two sisters.

**Julio Sanchez Arredondo '77**, November 6, 1977 in Costa Rica, age 22. He drowned while swimming at a beach in his native Costa Rica. One of his greatest ambitions was to become a doctor so he could help Costa Ricans who live in the country, far from hospitals and health care. He was due to enter medical school in February. He was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon. Survivors include his parents.

**Peter Alan Siegel '77**, September 16, 1977 in Eugene, Ore., age 21. Siegel, who was enrolled as a graduate student in biology at the University of Oregon, died of injuries following an automobile accident. The New York City native was active on the woodsmen's team. He leaves his parents, grandparents and two brothers.

## Honorary

**Robert Lowell, Litt.D. '61**, September 12, 1977 in New York City, age 60. Lowell, said *The New York Times*, "was regarded by many critics as the best English-language poet of his generation." His talents were first officially recognized by the literary world in 1947, when he received the Pulitzer Prize for poetry for his second volume of poems, *Lord Weary's Castle*. Lowell was awarded another Pulitzer Prize in 1974 for *The Dolphin*. He also was the recipient of the poetry prize of the American Academy of Arts and Letters, the Guinness Poetry Award and the National Book Award. In May 1977 Lowell was given the National Medal for Literature by the American Academy and Institute of Arts and Letters, a prize given only once every five years. The Boston-born poet was a member of the celebrated Lowell literary family. James Russell Lowell was his great-granduncle, and Amy Lowell, the poet and critic, was his cousin. After two years as a student at Harvard, Lowell transferred to Kenyon College, where he graduated summa cum laude. He is survived by his wife, Lady Caroline Blackwell Lowell, a son and a daughter.

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