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◆ *Editor's Epilogue* ◆

**Who's Who:** Dr. John Eldridge Frost is Librarian of New York University Libraries. He received his doctorate from NYU for a thesis on Sarah Orne Jewett, which he amplified and converted into a highly informative volume, published by The Gundalow Club, Kittery Point, Maine, in 1960.

Robin Magowan, an instructor in English at the University of Washington in Seattle, has written on Jewett's art of the pastoral in the *New England Quarterly*, of Jean-Pierre Richard in *Criticism*, and of Melville in *College English*. His degrees are from Harvard, Columbia, and Yale.

Lee Coyle, now a research fellow at John Carroll University, earned his M.A. and Ph.D. at Western Reserve University. He has published articles in the *Georgia Review*, *Ohio Historical Quarterly*, *Mark Twain Journal*, and has a volume on Kenneth Roberts in preparation.

**CLA:** Our reports on the state of the Colby Library Associates are rendered regularly at the annual meeting of the society in June, but only sporadically in these columns. With the political urgency of a U. S. presidential election year at our shoulder, we take to the hustling with solid reassurance that the present health of the organization is bodaciously good. Membership and dues remitted are at the highest levels ever achieved. Interest of the members at large is sparkling, the campus constituency dedicated, and attendance at the bi-semester meetings encouraging.

This year the talks at these occasions have been exceptionally varied and stimulating. In October the professors Comparetti presented a joint recital of the "Toccata of Galuppi," with Dr. Alice explicating Browning's poem and Dr. Ermanno illustrating from Galuppi's music. In November Vishwaneth S. Naravane, Visiting Professor of Philosophy and Religion (Allahabad University), held forth on "India in Pictures." In March Professor George B. Williams combined literature and living history in his survey of "Khrushchev and the 'Portrayal of Little Lost People.'" In April Professor William B. Miller expounded on "Scripts from Ancient Roman to Gutenberg," with graphic India ink accompaniment.

A vote for the current administration will insure continuance of excellence!