COLBY LIBRARY ASSOCIATES

This organization was founded in April, 1935. Its object is to increase the resources of the Colby College Library by securing gifts and by providing funds for the purchase of books, manuscripts, and other material which the Library could not otherwise acquire.

Membership is open to anyone paying an annual subscription of five dollars or more (undergraduates pay fifty cents, and graduates of the college pay one dollar annually during the first five years out of college), or an equivalent gift of books (or other material) needed by the Library. Such books must be given specifically through the Associates. The fiscal year of the Associates runs from July 1 to June 30. Members are invited to renew their memberships without special reminder at any date after July 1. Naturally, if money comes in early in the year, it helps the purchasing committee to make its plans.

Members will receive copies of the Colby Library Quarterly and notification of the meetings of the society. Officers for 1949-1950 are:

President, Frederick A. Pottle, Yale University.
Vice-President, Everett F. Strong.
Student Vice-President, Beverly M. Holt, '50.
Secretary, James Humphry, III, Librarian.
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Committee on Book Purchases: Gordon W. Smith (term expires in 1950), John A. Clark (term expires in 1951), and (ex officio) the Vice-President and the Secretary.

Editor of the Colby Library Quarterly and chairman of the Committee (which includes the Vice-President and the Secretary) on Exhibitions and Programs: Carl J. Weber.