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On Our Cover

This was history. For one hundred and thirty years the old campus had given service. On May 22, 1951 it was retired.

A biology laboratory in Coburn Hall was the final class on the old campus. As students strolled from the building at the end of the afternoon they did so with some emotion. It was a significant moment, this ending of the old and transfer to the new.

Coburn was built in 1872, the fifth building on the campus, and named in honor of Abner Coburn of Skowhegan, former governor of Maine, in acknowledgment of his generosity to the college.

A disastrous fire March 21, 1927 nearly destroyed the structure, but it was rebuilt and served faithfully, though not without occasional protest (we can think of at least one bout with the heating plant), until this spring.

It is closed now . . . alone . . . but not really . . . it has its ivy and its echoes.

Post Office

Box 477, Waterville, Maine

The Old Campus

• In the December issue of the *Alumnus* the leading words "The Old Campus" have invited my reading repeatedly as one in full sympathy with the sentiments so well expressed.

I have often thought of the beautiful verse in the collection of the poetry by Bertha Louise Soule, Colby 1885, especially the poem "The Old Campus," page 45 in the little volume "Where No Fear Was."

It would delight many of the Old Timers if it should appear in the *Alumnus*. I am sure Miss Soule would be happy to give permission. I have been well acquainted with her since my college days.

Edward F. Stevens, '89

Through the courtesy of Miss Soule, and at the suggestion of Mr. Stevens, we are pleased to reprint "The Old Campus."

Here is the loved familiar scene,
The winding walks and broad, smooth green,
The shining river and willow trees,
Class ivies rippling in the breeze.

The chapel, and the old Brick Row,
The bell that summoned us to know
The joy of working day by day
When work was but the mind at play.

The river as in days of yore
Singing, calls us to its shore;
There by the gently sloping hill
Dear Memory treads the same path still.

Postmark: Pusan, Korea

• Enclosed is a small contribution to the Alumni Fund which I intend to continue as an annual investment.

Colby's progress during the past fifteen years should be an inspiration to all institutions of its kind. Mayflower Hill and the new campus certainly constitute a healthy environment for student development.

Incidentally this war out here has been slightly rough. If any graduates are interested in service to country I suggest they contact Headquarters, Marine Corps concerning OCS. We do not have the largest fighting force in the world, but we do have the best. The Marine Corps can always use good men.

Charles E. McLean, Jr., '39,
Lt. Colonel, USMC.

Setting a Trend?

• Every college I have ever attended has moved or closed its doors. Colby, the one I knew, is merely an industrial site for the expansion of Waterville. Farragut closed after veterans were able to get placed in permanent schools, the state of Idaho wishes to send all future teachers to its university or Idaho State—hence no more North Idaho College of Education, and the college of education at Boston University is moving from Copley up to Commonwealth Avenue. Every change has been for the best, but poor old James L. feels like Philip Nolan as far as an Alma Mater is concerned.

James L. McMahon, '44

Japanese Viewpoint

• I am writing this letter thinking of our college days, how nice it was, but today my head is getting baldhead.

Fortunately Japan is nicer every day in every respect. This is only because of the thoughtful help of America and all the Japanese people are surely appreciating.

In connection with General MacArthur's immediate return to the states, in the beginning the Japanese people thought that America might change her policy toward Japan and people worried about it, but later we found that the present policy toward Japan is unchanged.

General MacArthur did splendid job on Japan, because he knows Japan and Japanese people well. Now he went home, but what he left in Japan—the democracy—is growing day by day and I think it is best of all.

I am working at Kyoto municipal office as a liaison officer between the army and the city office since the termination of war, however I shall soon return to my business which is running by my partner and when I return I shall emphasize on the foreign trade because I have long experiences.

Shingoro Marumoto, '31

The foregoing was written to Rod Farnham, class agent for 1931. It is the first word the alumni office has had of Marumoto since he left Colby in 1928.

The President's Page



Our alumni have expressed so much interest in the new Air Force ROTC unit and have asked so many questions about what it will mean for the college I know they will want to read the following careful statement prepared at my request by Dean Marriner.

Beginning in September 1951, a unit of Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps will be a part of the regular program at Colby. This ROTC unit will be composed entirely of students regularly enrolled; none will be placed here by the Air Force.

All freshmen and sophomores, beginning with the Class of 1955, will be required to take the basic ROTC course, which extends through the first two years of college. The basic course requires three hours a week, two hours in classroom and one at drill.

In freshman year the classroom work consists entirely of a thorough course in world political geography. In sophomore year the work covers maps and aerial photographs, aerial navigation, meteorology, aerodynamics and propulsion, applied air power, and organization for national defense.

At the end of sophomore year there is a selection process for admission to the advanced course. On one hand there is election by the student. He is completely free to reject the opportunity if he so prefers. On the other hand there is selection by the Air Force.

Each student entering the advanced course agrees to complete the course and to accept a reserve or regular commission if and when offered. He also agrees to serve on active duty for not less than two years when called by the Secretary of the Air Force. In junior and senior years Advanced ROTC becomes one of his elective courses.

The advanced course covers the following topics: air operations, supply procedures, military publications, psychology of leadership, military administration, inspection systems, military law, boards, management, and logistics. At Colby the advanced course specializes in administration - logistics. In addition to air force supply, records, handling of funds, organization, stock control, storage and issue, it deals with transportation and the administration of personnel.

The relation of ROTC to selective service is as follows: The freshman, having had no previous educational deferment, is entitled by law to deferment until the end of his freshman year, but under the revised Selective Service Act of 1951 is not entitled to a second deferment for reasons of education alone. This is where ROTC plays an important part. Sometime toward the end of freshman year a board composed of both academic and military officers at the college selects for deferment in the sophomore year such number of men as the Secretary of the Air Force shall establish as the quota for the particular college.

In 1951-52 only freshmen will be taking ROTC at Colby unless exceptional arrangements can be made. The second year of the basic course cannot start until the fall of 1952, when our first ROTC class will have completed its first basic year. The professor of air science and tactics and the dean of the faculty are investigating a plan whereby sophomores in 1951-52 may be able to elect first year basic ROTC, then in junior year take two ROTC courses simultaneously — second year basic and first year advanced. The plan has two objections: (1) doubling up on ROTC in junior year would mean a very heavy load for the student, and (2) no payment can be made to an advanced student who has not completed basic. Whether any Colby sophomores will be so anxious to take ROTC that they will forego the \$27 a month received by other men in the advanced course is unpredictable.

J. S. Bixler



THE 127-YEAR VOICE of Colby's Paul Revere bell boomed out at noon on Patriot's Day along with others throughout New England. The sturdy old bell still hangs aloft in South College dormitory on the old campus but will be moved as soon as housing has been erected for it on Mayflower Hill.

Inscribed "Paul Revere and Company, 1824," the bell has been silent since the close of World War Two when classes were transferred to the new campus.

It is interesting to note that the Paul Revere Memorial Association of Boston announced at the time of the holiday that as far as it knew only four Paul Revere bells existed in Maine.

It took Dean Marriner to set them straight. "To my best belief," he declared, "there are twelve in the state, perhaps more."

ALUMNI ELECTION results were announced at Commencement by William A. Macomber, chairman of the Alumni Council. They were as follows:

Alumni Trustees, Francis F. Bartlett, '26, Marjorie Scribner Holt, '14, Harry L. Umphrey, '14; Alumni Council members, council-elected: William A. Macomber, '27, Bernice Butler McGor-rill, '21, Burton E. Small, '19, Milroy Warren, '14; Members-at-Large: Hugh D. Beach, '36, Roland I. Gammon, '37, Nathanael M. Gupitll, '39, Dana A. Jordan, '33, Pauline Lunn Chamberlin, '26, Flora Norton Dexter, '17.

Member to the Athletic Council, John P. Davan, '33; officers of the Alumni Council: William A. Macomber, '27, chairman, Hilda M. Fife, '26, vice-chairman, Ellsworth W. Millett, '25, secretary, Arthur W. Seepe, treasurer; members of the *Alumnus* editorial board: Ralph E. Delano, '40, Leland D. Hemenway, '17, Dwight E. Sargent, '39, Jodie Scheiber, '47, Betty Ann Royal Speigel, '42, Charles W. Weaver, '30.

OVER THE TOP!

It is gratifying to report that alumni have exceeded the \$25,000 objective for the 1951 Alumni Fund. More than 150 made two or more contributions, and special thanks is due all of these, many of whom, by this help in the last days of the campaign, made success possible.

The number of contributors, 2030, exceeds last year by more than 175. The amount raised is more than \$3000 over 1950. In view of gifts received this year from alumni by the Development Fund (including those to fraternity houses) I feel this record is a great tribute to all Colby alumni.

A detailed report will reach you in a later *Alumnus*, but I wanted all of you to know the results and to share with Carleton Brown, fund chairman, and his agents, the satisfaction which accompanies success.

Bill Millett

RAYMOND P. SLOAN, L.H.D. '46, magazine editor and specialist in hospital administration, has been elected to the board of trustees.

Mr. Sloan is no newcomer to Colby. A frequent visitor to the campus, for the past six years he has been director of the annual Institute for Hospital Administrators, sponsored by Colby and the Maine Hospital Association.

Editor and editorial director since 1933 of The Modern Hospital Publishing Company (New York City), much of his energy has been directed to developing better trustee-administrator relations in the hospital field.

Mr. Sloan is chairman of the New York Hospital Visiting Committee, a member of the New York State Charities Aid Association, and numerous professional groups.

For several years he has been a lecturer in hospital administration at the School of Public Health, Columbia University.

WHEN COLBY ANNOUNCED plans last March for a summer session, it was reporting a decision that had been reached after careful weighing of student demands.

It was not many weeks later that the government, at long last, clarified the muddled draft picture. It became obvious that undergraduates who performed capably in the nationwide selective service tests would have a good opportunity (barring world war) to stay in college. This fact, coupled with the assignment of an Air Force ROTC to Colby, lessened the need for a Summer Term. May 12 it was cancelled.

ONE OF THE EASIEST THINGS we do is talk about Colby. We know we are not alone in answering questions directed by parents, prospective students, visitors, and friends.

Two publications issued this year by the college have helped us immeasurably. The first, *About Colby*, is a combination freshman catalogue and viewbook. It contains several striking pictures of the campus, some excellent text matter compiled by Dean Marriner, and an airplane view.

The second is a leaflet designed as a campus guide for visitors. It has a brief commentary on buildings, a map of the new campus, and other features.

Alumni who wish copies of either of these are invited to write the *Alumnus* office. No need to enclose box-tops, coupons, or stamps—we'll be pleased to send them "just for the asking."

A POSTCARD to the alumni office from Colby's oldest graduate, William W. Mayo, 1879, brings the good news that he is in fine spirits and still keenly interested in his college.

Mr. Mayo is 96 years old and asks prayers for our country. "It seems the whole world is in trouble," he writes, "and God can help us."

IT WAS A GOOD SPRING at Colby, but there was sadness. Two sophomores, Nancy Desper from Worcester and Seth Whitney from Milton, were drowned in a canoeing accident April 19 on East Pond.

There is little that can be said or written when two fine young citizens are taken so tragically.

As one looks back on those hours of anxiety when there was still hope for their safety—and finally to the time when it became obvious that there could no longer be hope—one memory stands out, the courage with which the bereaved parents carried their sorrow. Their dignity, their quiet strength was greatness.

EDDIE OSBORNE, son of Sam Osborne known and loved by hundreds as janitor on the old campus, was the subject of a feature by Fred McAlary in the Waterville *Sentinel*, March 22. Eddie has been employed by the American Railway Express Company in Waterville for more than fifty-six years.

He still holds one of the college's athletic marks. The year was 1894, the game against Bates. Eddie worked to three balls, two strikes before walloping the pitch into the vicinity of the old college pump where Roberts Hall is now located. To this day it is considered to be the longest hit ever bounced off a varsity bat.

At 76 years, Eddie Osborne is still a keen baseball enthusiast. Let anyone yell "batter up" and you'll find him hurrying in that direction—score book in hand ready to enjoy every second of every inning.

IF THERE is a special award given for "Persistence in Worthy Endeavor" we'd like to nominate Josephine Bodurtha Gagnon, '38, and the women of the Portland Alumnae Association.

For the past three years they have worked on raising \$1,000 for Colby—an amount they set out to attain by bridges, teas, auctions, and in any other manner ingenuity would suggest.

This month they sent to the Mayflower Hill Development Fund a check which, when totaled with those already received, meets that \$1,000 goal.

It is a magnificent example of what loyalty and hard work can accomplish for one's Alma Mater.

THERE HAVE BEEN many exciting occasions on Mayflower Hill, but few more delightful than the dinner given for Dr. and Mrs. George Averill of Waterville, May 6, by their friends and admirers.

In an unpretentious way the Averills have bestowed their generosity on nearly every aspect of life in their community and, indeed, throughout the state.

Their gifts to Colby have been many—the president's house, substantial contributions to the Keyes Science Building—to say nothing of Dr. Averill's tireless energy and wisdom as a trustee. The scope of this beloved couple's benevolence is indicated by the fifteen organizations who joined in the testimonial.

Lincoln Academy, Oak Grove School, the Boy's Club, YMCA, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, the Hinckley

Goodwill Homes, the Thayer and Sisters hospitals—these were some who shared the occasion.

Boys and girls presented the Averills with several articles, a cane, a scroll, hand-woven rugs—for the most part made by the youngsters themselves.

Dr. Averill's response was typical of the man.

"It is due to the mercy of God that we have been able to make these donations," he observed. "They have largely been to educational institutions because through education crime and poverty are reduced and the greatest good results to the greatest number."

The gracious Mrs. Averill summed it up with equal simplicity.

"You know," she said, "they say that all of us are in the same boat. Some of us are rowers and some of us are rockers. I am grateful that you think we belong to the rowing crew."



UNDERGRADUATE POLITICS—Students turned out in full force to back their party candidates this spring. A political rally complete with bands, banners and parades climaxed the campaigns and permitted student government candidates to present their platforms and to introduce various members of their ticket.

Office seekers promised everything from "fighting for a revision of the college cut system," to "a scholastic system placing everyone in the top of the class," a proposal jokingly aimed at the draft deferment policy set up to permit top scholars to continue their college careers.

GIRL AND BOY SCIENTISTS from throughout Maine competed in the State Science Fair March 31 in the Keyes Science Building. There were some ingenious exhibitions and demonstrations ranging from jet propelled racers to dissertations on volcanic eruptions and the care of the frog. . . . A baby grand Ludwig piano has been placed in the music room of the Women's Union, the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rosenthal of Waterville. . . . *Fundamentals of Political Science*, edited by Ossip Flechtheim, associate professor of history, will be published by the Ronald Press of New York this fall. Among other contributors is former Colby professor, Norman D. Palmer, '30, now at the University of Pennsylvania. . . . Students studying the theory and practice of investment under Assistant Professor Ralph Williams, '35, took their final examination under unusual circumstances. All twenty-one in the class were allowed to bring textbooks and note material and had full access to the reference shelves of Miller Library.

Colby's chaplain, Dr. Clifford Osborne, presented four lectures during April on the University of Life program sponsored by the Portland Council of Churches. He also gave two June Commencement addresses — one at Cheshire Academy (Connecticut) and the other at Dedham (Massachusetts) High School. . . . Barbara Jefferson, '51, of Norwood, Massachusetts has been granted a Danforth Graduate Fellowship for her outstanding work in Christian leadership. The \$1500 award will provide the means for her to spend ten months participating in Christian work at some college or university. . . . The March issue of *Steel* magazine contained a brief tribute to Colby which read in part "A major operation was performed (moving to the new campus) — with the generous help of alumni who rated tradition and sentiment secondary to recognition of economic changes and exercise of common sense."

The excellent Gabrielson lecture series on international relations were concluded with a talk on "The United Nations and Congress" by Henry R. Spencer, '99, Litt.D. '50. He is professor of political science at Ohio State University. . . . We don't want to become involved in any fraternity squab-



OLD TIMERS — With the Mayflower Hill Campus in the background these old timers swap yarns with President-Emeritus Johnson at Commencement. Left to right, John Cummings, '84, Robie Frye, '82, Dudley Holman, '84, Dr. Johnson, '91, Herbert E. Foster, '96, and H. Warren Foss, '96.

bles, but the ATOs seem to hold a monopoly on Colby's top athletes. "The Most Valuable Player" award given each year in football, basketball, and baseball has been copped by a trio of ATOs. Halfback Chet Harrington (Belmont, Massachusetts) won it in football, Ted Shiro (Waterville) in basketball, and Captain George Wales (Auburndale, Massachusetts) in baseball. . . . Incidentally, the Lambda Chis won the spring softball championship.

Bill Millett was telling us of a trip to Houlton last April with Dr. Bixler during which Bill temporarily lost him. It seems Colby's president visiting Houlton High School heard music and, true to his great love for it, set out to locate the source. Finding the orchestra in rehearsal he took his place with the boys and girls to play several numbers. They loved it. So did he. . . . Jim Humphrey, Colby's librarian since 1947, was recalled to active duty in May. He has reported to Fort Monroe, Virginia where, as a major, he is

attached to the Office of the Chief of the Army Field Forces, commanded by General Mark Clark. The college granted him a leave of absence appointing as acting librarian Miss Elizabeth Libbey, '29, formerly assistant librarian. . . . A Greek boy, who two years ago could not speak English, won the 42nd Montgomery Interscholastic Prize Spelling contest. The lad was Basil P. Zirinis, Riverdale Country Day School (New York). . . . Donaldson Koons, whose promotion to full professor of geology was announced at Commencement, has been elected a Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

The headmaster of Governor Dummer Academy, Dr. Edward W. Eames, was guest speaker at Recognition Assembly May 15. . . . Former head football coach, Walt Holmer, is a safety engineer with the Caterpillar Tractor Company, Peoria, Illinois. Walt majored in engineering at Northwestern University.

A Memorial to Pop Newman

This appreciation of "Pop" Newman was written by Dr. John Brush, '20, D.D. '39. Dr. Brush heads a campaign aimed at providing a memorial in the Lambda Chi Alpha house for Colby's late chaplain. It is included in this issue so that hundreds of alumni who knew and who loved him will be acquainted with the memorial that will honor his name on Mayflower Hill.

That rolling walk, that happy smile and ready chuckle, marked a man who will be long remembered at Colby. I refer to Herbert Newman. To his contemporaries he was always "Herb." The young professor was soon dubbed "Pop," and the affectionate name stuck. Colby men and women of a whole quarter-century will rally to the memory of "Pop" Newman. He taught Bible and religion. But the man was greater than the teacher. His heart and his home were open every hour of the twenty-four to Colby students with their pressing needs and confused aspirations, with all their heart-hunger and their aching loneliness. Many a burden vanished in "Pop's" patient and kindly presence.

"Pop's" loving interest and sympathy knew no bounds of station, color, creed — or college fraternity. He spent himself freely and with equal affection for Jew, Catholic, and Protestant — and for Alpha Tau Omega men and Delta Upsilon men and all the others as for his own fraternity-mates. Truly he represents that Colby which we have always honored above all fraternity-ties.

Colby came to the conclusion that on the new campus the fraternities and their houses should continue. And Herbert Newman cherished a loyal affection and concern for his own fraternity. The boys of Lambda Chi Alpha were always very proud that he was of their number, and he was very proud of them when they excelled in this or that branch of college life.

Lambda Chi is one of the younger fraternities on the campus. Only one or two are younger. The Commons Club of Herbert Newman's first three student years changed into a local, and then became a chapter of the vigorous and now very widespread Lambda Chi Alpha. That was in the early twenties. This means that Lambda Chi Alpha has been seriously handicapped in raising funds, in comparison with most of the others, for their building on Mayflower Hill.

With one accord now the Lambda Chi Alpha men seek to complete their house. The Herbert Newman Memorial Library, as the heart of the proposed house, should excite a warm and generous response. A response not only from Lambda Chi Alpha men but also from those who knew and loved this man and who would honor him with us in this way.

These words are addressed to all Lambda Chi Alpha men, with high hopes — but also to all others who would like to see a tangible and beautiful memorial to a noble gentleman.

A MEMBER OF LOU LITTLE's football staff at Columbia will be assisting Nels Corey in coaching the Mules this fall. Emil S. Ladyko has been named to work with Nels in shaping Colby's football fortunes.

He will also succeed Bob Keefe as track coach, handling both the freshman and varsity next spring.

Ladyko has spent three seasons as an assistant coach at Columbia, joining Little's staff in 1947. He played left end for Columbia from 1944 to 1946, following this with a year of professional football with the Philadelphia Eagles under "Greasy" Neale.

From 1949 to 1950, the 6'2, 205 pounder was head coach of football and track at Arizona State College, leaving to return to Columbia's grid staff.

SIGNS OF THE TIMES — the enrollment in Russian at the Colby-Swarthmore Summer School of Languages has more than doubled over previous years.

Twelve students are set on learning the difficult tongue. The majority of the more than one hundred attending the school, however, are concentrating on French, Spanish, and German.

The editor is indebted to Dr. Clifford H. Osborne, Colby's chaplain, for this review of President Bixler's latest book, "A Faith That Fulfills" — Harper Brothers, 1951, two dollars.

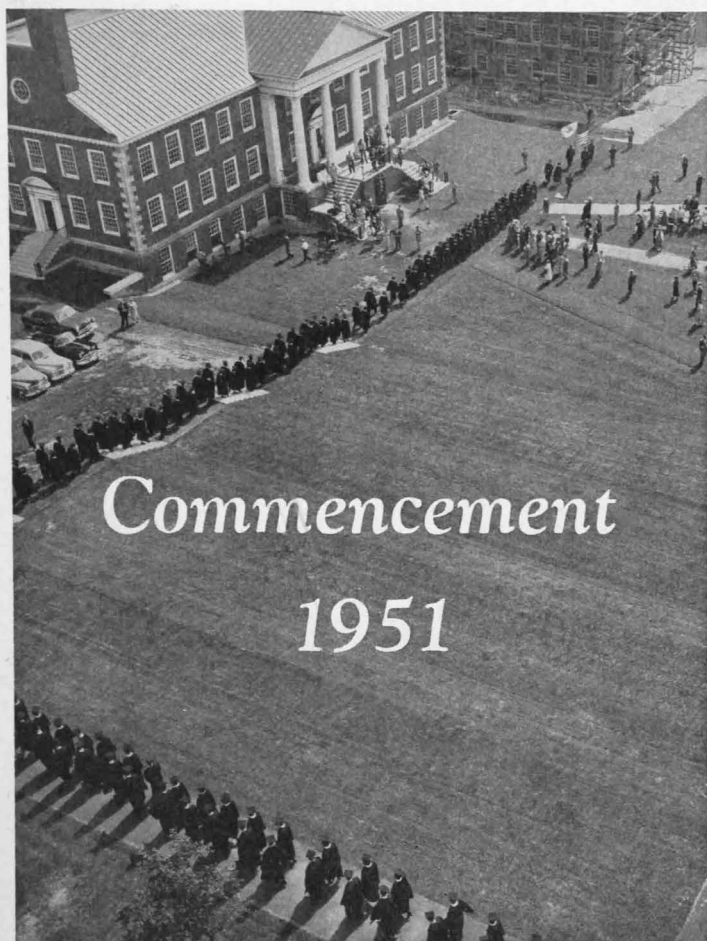
IT IS A PLEASURE to watch President Bixler still fighting in his chosen crusade for the establishment of a reasonable faith in the hearts and minds of an unbelieving and unreasoning generation.

In his latest book, which contains the substance of his Ayer Lectures at Colgate-Rochester Divinity School in 1948, he attacks the defeatism and pessimism of many philosophers and theologians, who, he feels, all-too-readily reflect in their thinking the contemporary loss of the older, clear-cut beliefs about God and man and their relationship. Much of their confusion springs from an inability rightly to relate faith and reason.

So called "Neo-Orthodoxy" seeks to solve the difficulty by eliminating human reason from religion, thus devaluing man in an effort to elevate God. But Dr. Bixler points out that a careful examination of the Old Testament will show that prophetic religion was always a matter of reason as well as faith, and that it elevated both God and man together. (The New Testament, we believe, would yield similar results.)

The author points out that men like the ancient Hosea and the modern Schweitzer demonstrate that a religious life can actually be a combination of faith and reason; that its devoted activity provides new reasons for faith, and new faith in the reasonableness of things. Answers to life's profoundest questions are not discovered in the withdrawn seclusion of the study or sanctuary alone, nor within the unreflective sphere of everyday conduct. It is by the interplay of thought, feeling and activity that faith is tested and validated, and new insights into God who is Truth are given.

IT IS IMPOSSIBLE to report accurately on enrollment for next year. Indications are that Colby, like most other colleges, will have a drop in the number of male students. To compensate in part for this decrease more girls are being accepted. The real problem is not freshmen, but how many upperclassmen draft boards will permit to return to college.



Commencement 1951

SOMEONE MUST HAVE PAID the weatherman. June 8-11 was perfect. Colby's 130th Commencement was attended by more people than any previous one in history. To many alumni the highlight—outside of class reunions—was the luncheon on Saturday. It was at that time that results of alumni elections were announced (see page 3) and that Colby gavels and Colby bricks were presented.

The Colby bricks, replicas of those used on the new campus and given in recognition of unusual service to the college, were awarded by George Ferrell, '18, chairman of the Alumni Brick Committee.

Ellerton M. Jette, president of the C. F. Hathaway Company and Colby trustee, and Dr. Matthew T. Mellon, trustee and donor of the Walker organ in Lorimer Chapel, received them in absentia. Accepting them in person were G. Cecil Goddard, '29, for seventeen years (1933-1950) alumni

secretary, and Harold Alfond, president of the Norrwock Shoe Company.

Eight received Colby gavels, presented each year since 1943 to those graduates elected president of a state, regional, or national organization.

Recipients were Ethel Merriam Weeks, '14 (Maine State Hospital Auxiliary); Dr. Frederick T. Hill, '10 (Maine chapter of the American College of Surgeons); Raymond L. Giroux, '20 (Maine Football Officials Association); William H. Arnold, '19 (Maine Hardware Dealers Associa-

tion); Philip W. Hussey, '13 (Structural Steel Fabricators of New England and president of the Maine State Chamber of Commerce); Edward T. Moynahan, '25 (Potomac Insurance Company); and Bernard E. Esters, '21 (National Association of Weekly Newspaper Publishers). A special presentation of a gavel to Bill Macomber as chairman of the Alumni Council was made by President Bixler.

Speeches at the luncheon were by Mrs. Marjorie Holt, '14, on behalf of the women graduates, Alexander Blackborn, '01, on behalf of the 50-year class, and Jack Coombs, '06, for those back for their 45th.

COOMBS FIELD DEDICATED

One of the most dramatic and heartwarming events of the weekend was the dedication of the varsity baseball field in honor of "Colby Jack" Coombs.

Jack had lost none of the vitality and friendliness that have characterized him over the years and his speech at the alumni luncheon as well as his remarks at the dedication were fittingly chosen.

"It is my wish that this field shall be but another testimony for the value of college athletics," he said. "I hope that all the young men who play upon it will be inspired to live the lives of clean, honest, true-blue athletes. I trust that it will be an influence to the betterment of the game I love so dearly around which are conditions of good health, physical vigor and sound ethical principles.

"Men and Women of Colby," he concluded, "I am glad I am one of you. I accept the honor which you have given me with unusual joy."

Jack and his former team-mates sat on the sidelines as young Billy Loes, a Brooklyn Dodger bonus hurler, shut out Colby 4-0 for Fort Devens.

The Sunday program included the baccalaureate address by President Bixler, the laying of the cornerstone for the new Life Sciences Building, and a dinner speech by Dr. Lillian Gilbreth, one of the greatest living engineers and mother of twelve children (two of them wrote "Cheaper By The Dozen").

Preceding the dinner, Joseph M. Trefethen, '31, was the speaker at the cornerstone laying ceremonies for the Life Sciences Building which will house biology and geology. He reminisced over the Colby of forty

years ago, the era of "Ginger" Fraser, the incomparable Eddie Cawley and Jack Lowney, and paid tribute to the place geology had had in the life of the college.

"The naturalist, Ezekiel Holmes," he added, "was on Colby's staff over a hundred years ago. From 1888 to 1904 one of the most respected and peppery American geologists of our generation, W. S. Bayley taught geology here. . . . Following Bayley came Payson Little, now dean at Clark, who in turn was followed by the widely respected and dearly loved Ed Perkins. These are a few in the sequence of geologists that preceded Dr. Koons and his colleagues.

"From the department of geology were graduated many who achieved high place in the scientific world. George Otis Smith, '93, whose administrative and technical genius brought the U. S. Geological Survey to foremost rank among geological organizations of the world; Willis B. Mathews, '71; Wilbur Foye, '09; Carroll E. Dobbin, '16, and many others."

Monday morning bachelor of arts degrees were conferred on 248 undergraduates, 164 men and 84 women.

THE QUESTIONNAIRE for the new Colby alumni directory has turned up many items of interest. One point proven again and again is the Colby tradition that has carried through the generations of countless families.

So far, numerically, Dr. John E. Cummings, 1884, is tops. He required an extra page to name all his relatives who have attended Colby:

Lora G. Cummings Neal, '93, (sister); Edgar P. Neal, '93, (brother-in-law); Bessie M. Cummings, '12, (daughter); Helen B. Buker, '18, (niece); Lora Neal, '29, (niece); Barbara Hamlin Cummings, '31, (daughter-in-law); Richard Cummings, '32, (son); Cummings Walden, '35, (grandson); Floyd Ludwig, '35, (grandson-in-law); Ruth Walden Ludwig, '37, (granddaughter); Lora R. Cummings, '37, (daughter); Elizabeth Jean Walden Palmer, '40, (granddaughter); Paul K. Palmer, '37, (grandson-in-law).

Are there any who can submit a longer list?

Atomic scientist Vannevar Bush was the Commencement speaker and one of eight to receive honorary degrees. Dr. Bush, president of Carnegie Institution, Washington, D. C., was awarded a doctor of laws degree; Robert Cutler, president of the Old Colony Trust, Boston, a doctor of humanities; Mrs. Gilbreth, a doctor of science; William H. Rowe, '06, Yarmouth, Maine author and authority of

Maine maritime history, a doctor of letters; Fred Anthoensen, president of the Anthoensen Press and printer for the Colby College Press, a master of arts; Edwin Allan Lightner, assistant to the president of Colby, a master of arts; Miss Pearl R. Fisher, supervisor of the Thayer Hospital, Waterville, a master of arts; and Arthur Lagueux, Quebec, Canada, president of Rotary International, a master of arts.



Left: Dr. Vannevar Bush presenting Colby's Commencement address. The college honored him with a doctor of laws degree. Right: Preceding the Commencement exercises President Bixler met with these honorary degree recipients in his office. Front, left to right, E. Allan Lightner, Arthur Lagueux, Miss Pearl Fisher, Fred Anthoensen, William H. Rowe. Back, left to right, President Bixler, Robert Cutler, Vannevar Bush, Mrs. Lillian Gilbreth.



COLBY FOLK in the HEADLINES

Dr. CHARLES F. TOWNE, '00, is the non-salaried director of the American Institute for Counseling and Personnel Service, an independent, non-profit, philanthropic organization that tests and measures its way into a scientific understanding of human personality.

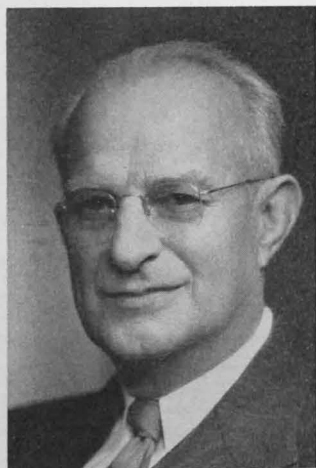
It is one of the first if not the first, vocational guidance clinics open to the general public anywhere in the nation. Headquarters are in Providence, Rhode Island.

According to Dr. Towne, "If you're unhappy, if your job, your wife or your neighbors are giving you trouble, you can do something about yourself.

"The secret," he says, "lies in a battery of tests the Institute administers to all comers, tests which produce a 'profile' of any personality tested. And it gives the client a picture of himself he probably has never seen.

A feature story in *The Providence Journal*, (March 26) describes Dr. Towne as a "tall, husky and soft-spoken man, a former football star at Colby. For 41 years he has been a teacher, author, lecturer, and school administrator.

"Anything that exists can be measured," Dr. Towne maintains. "This includes personality traits, aptitudes and talents. If they can be fairly faced, once determined, something can be done about maladjustment and unhappiness.



Charles F. Towne

Of his program at the Institute, he says: "Compared to my work as a public employee, this is a quiet eddy of my life. Every retired man needs to have some work to do. If he doesn't, sooner or later he'll shrivel up and die."

"Today—and always—," adds the *Journal*, "Dr. Towne's work is human relations, helping people who want to, to change."

BRIGADIER GENERAL SPAULDING BISBEE, '13, an army and national guard officer during both world wars and between them, heads Maine's Civil Defense and Public Safety services. Nearly 30,000 citizens have enrolled and trained in civil defense work under the guidance of his office and staff.

The vigor with which General Bisbee has tackled the gigantic job of mobilizing Maine's citizenry for defense is matched only by the consistency of his warning that one can never know too much about this vital subject.

Some of the special aspects of the Maine program that have evolved under his leadership are the classification of facilities throughout the state for housing refugees; the training given school children at all levels; and the state-wide air raid warning system.

Summer hotels, girls' and boys' camps, church vestries, high schools, lodges and grange halls have been plotted for use in any housing problems resulting from an attack.

First-aid classes are underway in junior and senior classes of high schools and drills for children in all schools have been undertaken.

Three warning centers connected with the Eastern Air Defense Force are on twenty-four hour duty and a filter center with over 400 volunteers is in operation. Nearly 240 observation posts implementing the radar warning net are on a standby basis ready to function upon orders from the air corps.

The prospect of enemy attack is not pleasant to contemplate, but should it come, the State of Maine, under General Bisbee's direction, will be ready for action.



John P. Tilton

Dr. JOHN P. TILTON, '23, dean of Tufts Graduate School, will become the new provost of Tufts College next September.

In the newly created post, Dr. Tilton will assume academic administrative duties now performed by Tufts' vice president. In addition he will continue as graduate school dean, director of the Tufts Summer School, and director of the Division of Special Studies.

He is a member of the Educational Research Corporation which blueprints plans for the improvement for towns' and cities' school systems. He is also a director of the Institute of Educational Guidance and chairman of the education committee of the Massachusetts Civic League.

ROBERT FRANCIS BARLOW, '50, has been granted a Fulbright Award from the Department of State. The award is a scholarship for foreign study and will enable Barlow to study international economics at the London School of Economics.

It is one of approximately 750 grants for study abroad which are a part of the Fulbright program for the academic year 1951-52.

Students are selected by the Board of Foreign Scholarships, appointed by President. Truman. Candidates are recommended by Fulbright committees on various campuses. Program advisor at Colby is Dean of the Faculty Ernest C. Marriner.



Helen D. Cole

HELEN D. COLE, '17, Soc. ScD. '42, supervisor of the Children's Aid Society's Foster Care Services, retired October 31, 1950 after almost 27 years with the society.

When Helen came to The Children's Aid Society, it had just launched its new Boarding Home Department which, like its Free Home and Adoption Department, placed homeless children with carefully chosen families.

Helen joined the Boarding Home Department in 1924, a year after its organization. She became its director in 1925 and held that position until 1931 when the Free Home and Adoption Department merged with the Boarding Home Department. With the merger Helen was appointed director of the newly-formed Foster Home Department.

It was under her direction that the Homemaker Service began in 1933 as a joint experimental project of The Children's Aid Society and the Junior League.

In 1939 Helen was appointed supervisor of the Society's Foster Care Services, with both Homemaker Service and the Foster Home Department under her direction.

More than 1,000 boys and girls are served each year by the Society's Homemaker Service. The Foster Home Department cares for over 500 temporarily homeless children in boarding homes annually.

Helen's career in social work goes back to 1918 when she joined the New

England Home for Little Wanderers of Boston as a case worker. For a time she was in charge of branches of the agency—first in Aroostook County and later in Waterville. She remained with the Home until 1923.

She has been on many of the welfare committees of New York City, and was chairman of the Welfare Council Committee on Relationships with Public Departments from 1938 to 1948.

She has also been on a number of Committees of the Child Welfare League of America and was a delegate last December to the Mid-century White House Conference on Children and Youth.

Helen has retired to her home in Tamworth, New Hampshire. She admits she will continue to take an active part in child welfare work but that she plans to enjoy long vacations in between in New Hampshire "to indulge in doing some of the things for which I have always wanted to have time.

"For many years," she adds, "I have been active in the Appalachian Mountain Club and I want to have some leisure to climb some of those trails and do some serious work in ornithology, among other things."

Dr. VERNON G. SMITH, '21, for seventeen years superintendent of schools in Scarsdale, New York, assumes responsibility for the department of education of Wilkes College, Wilkes Barre, Pennsylvania in September.

During his years of leadership, an outstanding faculty was brought together in Scarsdale and the city's schools gained wide recognition for their character and for the success of their graduates.

In 1949 he became headmaster of St. Johnsbury (Vermont) Academy. Here he had the opportunity to devote his full time to the training of teachers.

The new field work director of Andover-Newton Theological Seminary is the Reverend NATHANIEL M. GUPPILL, '39. He will be responsible for placement and supervision of students in their various activities in New England communities and parishes.

In accepting the position he resigned as minister of the First Congregational Church at South Portland. Under his stimulating leadership the church congregation grew since 1943 from 300 to 900 parishioners.

BERNARD E. ESTERS, '21, was named president of the National Editorial association at the group's June convention in Seattle, Washington.

Esters, Colby trustee and publisher of the *Houlton Pioneer Times*, is the first Maine man to head the organization. He was previously vice-president. He has served on the board of directors of the NEA since 1947 and is an original director of the Newspaper Advertising Service, a subsidiary of the association.

FRED FASSETT, '23, has been appointed director of the publications office of Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Fred will also serve as director of The Technology Press and in this capacity will have editorial and managerial responsibilities for publication of books bearing the imprint of the Institute.

The publications office is responsible for the planning and publication of all official MIT literature, including the catalogue.

In 1938 Fred was a member of the original publications board of The Technology Press and was largely instrumental in publishing the first books brought out by it.

He became a member of the English and history staff at MIT in 1930 and remained with the department until he went to Washington in 1945 to become director of publications at the Carnegie Institution.



Frederick G. Fassett, Jr.

News From Colby Alumni Clubs

THE ALUMNI OFFICE was whirling with activity throughout the spring as Bill Millett put plans together for a series of meetings which carried him, President Bixler and other members of the college throughout the east.

Several Colby clubs elected new officers. A report on the Worcester, Philadelphia, New York, and Boston meetings, along with their election results, is included herewith. Other new officers named by Colby clubs were:

Southern Aroostook: president, Helen C. Mitchell, '27; vice president, Ralph O. Peabody, '35; secretary, Ann Stobie Rogerson, '38; treasurer, Harold J. Bubar, '42; representative to the Alumni Council, James Ross, '36.

Penobscot County: president, Earl L. Merriman, '25; vice president, Frank H. Leighton, '04; secretary-treasurer, Ruth Allan Peabody, '24; representative to the Alumni Council, Augustine D'Amico, '28.

Southern Kennebec: president, Paul Davis, '31; vice president, Bernard Johnstone, '32; secretary-treasurer, Laura Norcross Turner, '27; representative to the Alumni Council, Paul Davis, '31.

Hudson-Albany: president, Augustus Hodgkins, '28; vice president, Franklin Cobleigh, '30; secretary-treasurer, Florence Cole Barnard, '14; representative to the Alumni Council, John Barnes, '24.

PHILADELPHIA

The dinner of the Philadelphia Alumni Association held April 2 at the Franklin Inn Club was attended by thirty members and friends.

Dr. Norman Palmer, '30, president, conducted the business meeting.

Dr. Joseph Chandler, '09, chairman of the nominating committee, gave his report, accepted as follows: president, Bertrand W. Hayward, '33; vice president, Arthur Stetson, '34; secretary, Geraldine Fennessy Parker, '43; representative to the Alumni Council, Norman Palmer, '30.

Bill Millett presented a short resume of the Colby sports program. Paul Fullam, head of the history department, spoke of the responsibilities of social studies in the college curriculum.

Dr. Bixler commented on recent changes of the college and on student activities.

BOSTON

The seventieth annual meeting of the Boston Alumni Association was held March 1 at the Union Oyster House. 150 Colbyites had a happy time renewing old friendships. Guests from the college included President Emeritus Johnson, Dr. Bixler, Dean Sherman, Vice President Eustis, Bill Millett, Nels Corey, and Lee Williams. Evan Johnson, '27, was the presiding officer.

Dr. Bixler's stimulating speech highlighted the evening.

Dean Sherman, who lamented last year that another women's dormitory was a crying need, reported that the foundation is now in and construction is proceeding rapidly. She also told some colorful anecdotes about her recent midwestern trip to various preparatory schools.

Nels Corey, new head coach of football, and Lee Williams, Colby's most successful basketball coach, discussed

athletic events and prospects. Nels hopes he'll get a few more "strong boys" next fall providing Uncle Sam doesn't interfere. Lee enthused, and justly so, about Colby's great basketball team which at the time of the meeting had a record of eighteen wins and six losses.

Since this was an anniversary meeting, the Boston Alumni Association being second in age only to the Waterville association, the secretary read the minutes of the first meeting for which records were available, the twenty-ninth in 1910. It was interesting to note that although these are inflationary times, the cost of the lobster dinner this year was fifty cents cheaper than the dinner at the meeting of the alumni association twenty-five years ago!

Officers elected for the 1951-52 year were: president, C. Evan Johnson, '27; vice president, Hiram F. Moody, '23; and secretary-treasurer, Gordon B. Jones, '40.

The seventieth meeting was indeed a grand occasion. The focal point of the evening was the realization by the alumni of the very apparent progress being made on Mayflower Hill. This development is most encouraging.



AWARDED GAVELS — As president of some state, regional, or national organizations, these alumni received Colby gavels at Commencement. The gavels are made out of wood from the Boardman Willows on the old campus and from oak taken from the new campus. Left to right, William A. Macomber, '27, chairman of the Alumni Council, Dr. Frederick T. Hill, '10, Mrs. Ethel Weeks, '14, Philip Hussey, '13, Willard A. Arnold, '19, and Raymond Giroux, '20.



WEATHER PERFECT — With the audience grouped around the War Memorial Flagpole in front of Miller Library, Colby's graduating class received their degrees.

WORCESTER

Worcester County alumni and friends held their annual meeting at Franklin Manor April 16 with a largest-to-date attendance of fifty-one. President Leota E. Schoff, '25, was in charge.

Bill Millett, alumni secretary, commented on meetings with various other groups earlier this year. He stressed the important work of the Alumni Fund.

Dean of Women Barbara Sherman, who was introduced to the Worcester group for the first time, urged that alumni recommend Colby to prospective candidates of high calibre.

Dr. Bixler gave an entertaining account of the movies made at the college and around Waterville as part of the *March of Time* feature on "Modern Arms and Free Men." He also spoke of Colby's serious efforts to help the student develop unity in his intellectual life and to go on to integrate all parts of his life, including all aims, aspirations and practice.

During the short business meeting new officers were elected as follows: president, Rupert M. Irvine, '29; vice president, Simon P. Hedman, '00; secretary-treasurer, Marguerite Broderson, '45; representative to the Alumni Council, J. Lewis Lovett, '28; and chairman of nominating committee, Leota E. Schoff, '25.

NEW YORK

The annual meeting of the New York Alumni Association was held March 30 at the Hotel Woodstock. Despite the stormy evening, approximately 100 gathered to enjoy a fine dinner and an excellent program.

After the blessing by the Reverend Harold LeMoine, '32, Bill Pierce, '27, president, called on Dr. Nathaniel Weg, '17, treasurer, to give his report. Bill expressed to Dr. Weg the thanks of the association for his constant work and service for the many years that he has worked for the organization.

After Dr. Weg's report those sitting at the head table were introduced.

They included: Dr. Bixler, the Reverend LeMoine, Mrs. Lena Cooley Mayo, '24, Professor Paul Fullam, Mr. and Mrs. (Rhena Clark) George Marsh, '01, Dr. Leonard W. Mayo, '22, Mrs. Elizabeth Swanton Allan, '33, Bill Millett, and Mr. and Mrs. Pierce. Mrs. Bixler was unable to attend so, in her absence, Dr. Bixler accepted an orchid from the association for her.

Dr. Bixler presented the Marshes with a bouquet of roses from the association. Mr. and Mrs. Marsh celebrated their fiftieth reunion in June. They met as freshmen at Colby, graduated and were married. Since then they have been very active in the college affairs.

Dr. Leonard W. Mayo amused the gathering with anecdotes of famous Colby "characters," including Ben Butler, Sam Osborne, Mike Ryan and Professor Dutchy Marquardt.

Dr. Bixler brought us up to date on events at Colby and Professor Fullam talked on the part the history department had to play in times of adversity.

Spring Sports Record Unspectacular . . .

Baseball Team Opens Strong in State Series

By Paul Reece, '54

IT WAS A ROSY baseball picture that Colby faced April 1 at the end of its pre-season jaunt to the south. The roster included three senior pitchers, a veteran infield, and some capable sophomores, but a return to New England was to cause trouble for the Roundymen.

A tabulation shows that the Mules had a melancholy season of seven wins, eleven losses, and one tie.

During Easter vacation Coach Roundy set sail with his boys for Bolling Air Force Base (Washington, D. C.), the first of six "southern" opponents. It hardly seemed possible that baseball-time had arrived. The matchless Maine weather had denied the team a single outdoor practice.

The squad returned a fortnight later with experience and optimism. Although it had failed to amass many runs, it was slated, according to undergraduate thinking, to make 1951 Colby's "year-on-the-diamond." Such enthusiasm was based on a potentially strong pitching staff, several lettermen, and some shaky reasoning.

In series competition the Mules opened with a bang kayoing Bowdoin and Bates to become momentarily the number one team in the state. No one could visualize the events which were to follow.

After teeing off in such impressive fashion, the Mules went into a slump from which they never recovered. The truth came out. Veteran hurlers Frank Gavel (Roxbury, Connecticut), Walt Russell (Windsor, Connecticut), and Jim Keefe (Newton, Massachusetts) couldn't do the whole job. There had to be hits and sound fielding to produce results.

Facts and figures mean little, but for a better knowledge of Colby's plight, take a peek, for example, at the last six contests. Four of them were lost by two runs or less while the twin triumphs were both by a single tally. And there is a similar story running through the entire 18-game slate.

Roundy, who concluded his twenty-seventh year as diamond mentor, deserved better treatment. The team,



A STAR RETURNS — Jack Coombs, '06, Colby's illustrious baseball star, was honored at Commencement with the dedication of the varsity baseball diamond in his name. Jack is shaking hands with veteran coach, Eddie Roundy, as Dr. Bixler looks on in ceremonies preceding the Commencement game between Colby and Fort Devens. At far left is Athletic Director Mike Loebs next to Lieutenant Colonel Nathan Eubank, Fort Devens coach.

however, failed to come through for him with that vital hit when needed — and more than once fell apart on some crucial play. Only extremely air-tight pitching, and by that we mean no more than two runs per tilt, could have furnished a successful campaign.

A serious blow in mid-season was the loss of Johnny Jabar, a good slugger, who came up with a leg injury which benched him for the last eight games.

Next year will find the infield intact with the exception of second baseman Teddy Shiro while the man most missed in the outfield will be Captain George Wales who connected for a better than .400 average in state series play.

Bowdoin, Bates, Maine, and Colby finished in that order in the race.

SPRING FOOTBALL

Under new head coach Nels Corey, gridmen staged four weeks of spring practice. Thirty-seven reported, several of them freshmen.

Nels was not overly impressed with the results of the spring sessions. He admitted the squad absorbed a lot of fundamentals but the general results were not up to his hopes.

"Of course when you're introducing a new system you have to expect this," he commented. "We'll be operating from a 'T' again next fall. We've been experimenting with several new series of plays. The boys got a good taste of the offense we will use in September."

Nels feels that practices in the spring should begin earlier and end sooner.

Spring Sports Results

(Colby scores given first.)

BASEBALL

Bolling Air Force Base	6-0
Hamden-Sydney College	0-5
Washington-Lee University	1-6
Randolph-Macon College	2-2
U. S. Naval Air Station (Virginia)	3-4
Upsala College	2-1
Bowdoin	2-5
M. I. T.	2-10
Northeastern University	5-6
Bowdoin*	7-3
Bates*	6-4
University of Maine*	0-5
Upsala	3-2
Bates*	2-4
University of New Hampshire	8-7
Bowdoin*	6-7
Boston College	4-5
University of Maine*	3-5

TENNIS

Bates (Exhibition)	7-2
Tufts	1-8
M. I. T.	1-8
Boston University	4-5
Boston College	3 1/2-5 1/2
University of Maine (Exh.)	1-7
Bates*	4-5
Bowdoin*	1-8
University of Maine*	2-7

GOLF

Bates (Exh.)	9-6
Tufts	1/2-8 1/2
M. I. T.	5-4
Boston University	5-4
Bowdoin (Exh.)	4 1/2-4 1/2
Suffolk University	5-3
University of Maine (Exh.)	0-9
Bates*	8-1
Bowdoin*	7-2
University of Maine*	2-7

TRACK

Norwich University	89-46
Quadrangular Meet: University of Vermont.	80 1/2: Middlebury, 33 1/2: Colby, 28; Bates, 23.
State Meet: Bowdoin, 66; Maine, 55 1/2: Colby, 7; Bates, 6 1/2.	

* State Series



THE JABARS — There is hardly a sport in which one of the Jabar brothers is not prominent. The six of them are from Waterville. Five attend Colby. The boys are teaching their four and a half year old brother, Joey, some of the tricks of batting. Johnny Jabar, center, is captain-elect of the basketball team. Left to right are Paul, '53, Tony '54, John, '52, Joey, '??, Norman, '52, and Herbert, '52.

"It isn't practical to carry the workout into May," he observed. "It gets too warm and there is the pressure of hour tests and final examinations."

The hard-working strategist expects his biggest headache this fall to come in the quarterback department. George Wales (Auburndale, Massachusetts) is lost by graduation and only two juniors have seen any action in the slot, Roger Olsen (Melrose, Massachusetts) and Urbain Cartier (Biddeford). Coming up from the undefeated and unscored on freshmen are Bill Edson (North Abington, Massachusetts) and Bob Alpert (Brewer).

Experience is a prerequisite of a quarterback and on paper at least this job will be a tough one for Corey to fill suitably until a few games are under the belts.

GOLF

Colby produced a fine golf combine. Only the University of Maine, Yankee Conference champions, and potent Tufts College could tame them.

The Mule linksmen were runners-up to Maine in a stimulating state series

race which wasn't decided until the year's final match.

Five seniors were on the regular unit . . . Captain Charlie Whitelaw (Birmingham, Michigan), Mark Basseches (Scarsdale, New York), Harry Wiley (Norway, Maine), Paul Kilminster (Concord, New Hampshire), and Bob Roth (New York City), with all except Roth 1950 lettermen. Carroll Abbott, '35, was faculty advisor.

TRACK

The Mule trackmen were faced with a manpower shortage, but did salvage a victory against Norwich University in three meets.

Coach Bob Keefe, who has resigned to enter graduate school at Columbia, suffered the scholastic loss of two of his stars, Roger Montgomery (Brooklyn, New York) and Chase Lasbury (Windsor Hill, Connecticut) before the season even began. The former held several college sprint records, while Lasbury was Keefe's brightest mile prospect.

The college was host in a quadrangular meet as well as the state meet finishing third in both. Prime weakness

was a lack of depth.

Captain Art McMahon (Providence, Rhode Island), a weight specialist, was one of the few consistent point-getters. At the Eastern Intercollegiates in Boston, Ted Lallier (Belmont, Massachusetts) garnered fifth in the high jump.

TENNIS

An early season exhibition win over Bates was the first and last time the tennis team tasted victory in 1951.

The old bugaboo of inexperience proved too big an obstacle to overcome. The netmen were simply outclassed in many of their matches. Colby was handed a couple of heartbreaking one-point defeats by Boston University and Bates while Bowdoin eked out a two-point verdict. Captain was Ed Whitney of West Newton.

FRESHMEN

Lee Williams coached the freshmen baseball team to a 9-1 record. They shut out Bates freshmen twice, 4-0, 5-0 and dropped their only contest to Higgins, 6-5, in ten innings. The team had some good hitters and speed that really paid off.

Class Notes About Colby Men And Women

OLD TIMERS

The ninth meeting of the Old Timers Club was held June 9 in Mary Low Hall on the new campus. Including a few guests, seventy-one persons were present, representing classes from 1882 to 1901.

Miss Nichols, the college dietitian, as usual provided a fine dinner, including a wonderful steak.

As always, Dr. Johnson, the perpetual president, was the life of the party.

Phi Chi was sung with great effect. Paul Fullam, professor of history, gave an interesting and thought-provoking address on certain aspects of education.

Albert Keith, '97, put on a good act, which was much enjoyed, reciting with dramatic effect a humorous poem, which was as a sequel to *Casey at the Bat*.

Brief remarks were made by representatives of the classes of 1901 and 1896. Later on the class of 1901, which was celebrating its fiftieth, and the class of 1896, which was celebrating its fifty-fifth, adjourned to private rooms for intimate talks.

President Johnson announced that Robie Frye was retiring as secretary of the Old Timers, and that Ambrose B. Warren, '99, would be his successor.

This was the largest meeting ever held by the Old Timers, and one of the best.

Robie Frye, '82

1896

HERBERT E. FOSTER, judge of the Winthrop Municipal Court, served as moderator of the town meeting there for the 49th consecutive year.

The present address of CHARLES W. TURNER is Hinsburg, Vermont.

1897

Dr. ALBERT R. KEITH lives in Hartford, Connecticut where he is a surgeon, specializing in practology.

1898

LAURA S. CLARK is living in Westport, Connecticut. She retired from teaching in 1945 after 31 years.

The Reverend EVERETT HERRICK, president of Andover-Newton Theological School for 25 years, and now its president-emeritus, was honored this spring at a service in the First Baptist Church in Newton, Massachusetts, his "home church" for the last quarter of a century.

The occasion marked the 50th anniversary of his ordination to the ministry. Dr. Herrick is credited with having trained more Baptist ministers in New England than any other man.

1899

The clerk of courts in Skowhegan is WILLIAM WALDRON.

LOUISA HOXIE Martin takes an active part in the life of her community in Dedham, Massachusetts where she is a member of various women's clubs.

AMBROSE WARREN has retired from teaching and is now living in Montpelier, Vermont. For several years he was headmaster of Roslindale High School, Boston.

Old Timers—Ambrose B. Warren
14 Loomis St., Montpelier, Vermont

1900

NELIA MARY MERRICK runs a gift shop in her Waterville home. She is a member of the Martha Washington Chapter of the Eastern Star.

1901

Due to the fact that GEORGE MARSH had retired from active business the board of trustees of the Scarsdale (New York) Congregational Church appointed him to oversee the construction of a church. Construction began in 1950 and the congregation occupied the church a year later.

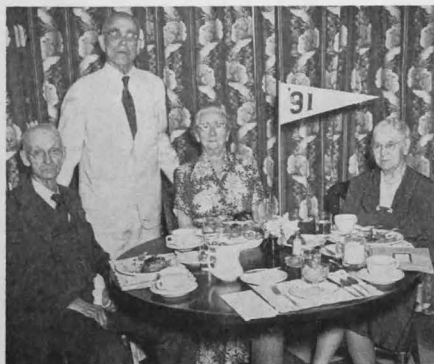
1902

OSSIAN TAYLOR represented Colby at the inauguration last spring of Asa S. Knowles as president of Toledo University. His daughter, Alice, represented her alma mater, the University of Montana.

Dr. HARRY E. PRATT retired June 27 as principal of Albany (New York) High School after a distinguished career of thirty-five years.

Among other honors, Dr. Pratt was given a dinner by members of his faculty in grateful recognition of his long and valuable services.

REUNION of 1891 and 1896





He is not, however, really "retiring." As columnist E. S. Van Olinda of the *Albany Times Union* put it, "He is simply transferring his energies to another form of public service when he takes over the multitudinous duties of next year's Albany Community Chest campaign.

"He is the principal example of the philosophy that if you want a job well done, give it to a busy man His precepts and example have made Albany a better place in which to live."

Another wrote of Dr. Pratt, "Great heart . . . great mind . . . great man. . . ." There could be no stronger tribute.

1903

The Reverend ALLISON M. WATTS gives his address as North Danville, Vermont. Allison and his wife have six children, five daughters and a son.

1904

CLARENCE GOULD has retired from teaching and is living in Sandy Point.

ED WINSLOW may be best described as a "farmer and public servant." He has taken an active part in the community of Foster, Rhode Island and last fall was unanimously elected director of public welfare. In the same election he was also named as one of the town's tax assessors for a four year term. He retired from the printing business in 1940 to operate a poultry farm.

Carl R. Bryant
Walpole St., Dover, Mass.

1905

HENRY JONES, professor-emeritus of bacteriology, Syracuse University, is a member of the board of directors of the New York State Conservation Council.

HERSEY KEENE is living in Waterville, having retired some years ago from his work with the railroad mail service.

Cecil W. Clark

363 Walnut St., Newtonville, Mass.

1906

Our 45th reunion was well attended and exceptionally enjoyable. Eight men and the same number of women returned as follows: JOHN COOMBS brought his wife, and he was not only the center of attraction at the dedication of the Coombs Baseball Field Saturday afternoon but also the principal speaker at the alumni luncheon, where he outdid himself in eloquence.

PARKER CRAIG came all the way from Texas and certainly enjoyed himself. I drove up from Boston and brought my sister, Mrs. Stene, and our efficient Class Agent, ARTHUR ROBINSON.

REX DODGE and RALPH REYNOLDS were also there, the latter being responsible for the arrangements for the reunion dinner at the Waterville Country Club. Mrs. Reynolds was right there, backing him up.

FRED HUTCHINS and his wife were present with bells on. Also WILLIAM ROWE who, at the Commencement

exercises on Monday, was given an honorary degree for his excellent work in researching and publishing the maritime history of Maine. Class Agent ANNA BOYNTON was right there, also CHRISTIA DONNELL Young, CORA FARWELL Sherwood, CLARA NORTON Paul, BEULAH PURINGTON, SUSAN WESTON and ELAINE WILSON Oxnard with Mr. Oxnard.

After our dinner I showed some Kodachromes of the Colby campus—very photogenic, also of my recent trip to Colombia, South America, about which I have written you.

Sunday afternoon Parker, Edith and I called on Professor White, who is confined to his upstairs chamber but is just as keen and full of good humor as ever. He told Parker the exact date when he saw him last—many years ago—and also much of the conversation at the time.

Grace Berry, dean of women from 1904-1909, is now living in Claremont, California, and still keeps in touch with Colby. Her sister-in-law, Myrtice Cheney Berry, '96, has spent the last two winters with her, and two daughters of her brother, Arthur H. Berry, '94, spent a day with her in December.

Editor's note—The Engineering Societies of New England honored KARL KENNISON in May, by presenting him the society's tenth annual award for outstanding service in engineering.

Karl R. Kennison
28 Byfield Road, Waban, Mass.

1907

RALPH YOUNG has been sub-master at Deering High School since 1944. He first joined the Deering faculty in 1921.

1908

JOHN MATHEWS says he is keeping busy in real estate and insurance. He makes his home in Belmont, Massachusetts though he conducts his business in Cambridge.

The school clerk of Strafford, New Hampshire is ABBIE WEED BROWN.

MERLE KEYES has retired as superintendent of schools in Bridgton. He is now teaching in Hodgdon.

1909

We are grieved to learn of the death of Anita Gray Chandler, on April 5, wife of Dr. JOSEPH CHANDLER, at Drexel Hill, Pennsylvania. Mrs. Chandler was noted both as a poet and an artist, having been a member of the Art Alliance, the American Academy of Poets, and an associate editor of *The Winged Word*. She will be greatly missed at the gatherings of the Philadelphia Alumni Association of which Dr. Chandler has served as president and where she was a faithful attendant.

ETHEL KNOWLTON Siedhof has retired after 40 years of teaching. For 24 years she was on the high school faculty in Winchester, Massachusetts.

JOHN WHITTIER is superintendent of schools in Wenham, Massachusetts.

1910

CROWELL PEASE, living in Louisville, Kentucky, was retired in October 1949 as a colonel in the regular army. He reports that his daughter, Joyce, a graduate of the University of Washington, is married to Captain Durward Smith, USAF.

The Reverend John M. Maxwell
R.F.D. #3, Oneonta, New York

1911

TOM PACKARD makes his home in Orient, Maine where he has interested himself in lumbering and farming. He has held many municipal and state offices over the years.

HARLAN MACKENZIE will retire as the correction officer for the Franklin (Massachusetts) YMCA October 1. He has served in that capacity since 1935.

1912

Superintendent of schools in Lexington, Massachusetts is TOM GRINDLE. He is president of the state association of school superintendents.

ARTHUR KNIGHT writes he is a "postmaster and merchant." He operates Knights General Store in Garland. His son, Bob, graduated in June from Gould Academy.

1913

Director of the Maud Booth home at Los Angeles, California is CHARLES KEPEL. Anyone wanting the full account of all his activities past and present can find a complete story in "Who's Who."

GENEVIEVE BARKER is a secretary in

the Portland office of the Aetna Fire Insurance group.

MARIAN INGALLS Hague says she is a "homemaker and farmer." Her address is "Broadfields," Gorham. Mrs. Hague is active in many community projects, particularly those associated with the church and with flowers and gardening.

Phyllis St. Clair Fraser
14½ West Street, Waterville, Maine

1914

HARRY E. UMPHREY has been appointed chairman of the Maine Production and Marketing Committee. He has also been named chairman of the State Agricultural Mobilization Committee.

EDWARD SIMONEAU has been postmaster in Hinckley Village for the past eleven years. This spring he converted the ell of his Cape Cod style house into a post office.

Prior to moving to his present home in Hinckley, Ed was a school superintendent serving in various Maine communities.

His only child, a son, who graduated with honors from Annapolis, died in action during World War II as a lieutenant aboard the submarine USS Argonaut.

ARTHUR GILLINGHAM has followed his early undergraduate interest in YMCA work. He has been with the Portland YMCA since 1947.

CARL KELLEY retired in June 1950 after 36 years of teaching. He is living in Northeast Harbor where he taught for 30 years.

REUNION of 1906



HARVEY KNIGHT practices law in Trenton, New Jersey where he is the president of the board of trustees at Rider College.

EDITH WASHBURN Clifford has been president of the H. B. Clifford Roofing Company in Detroit, Michigan since her husband's death in 1941. She is a trustee of the North Congregational Church of Detroit.

George W. Perry
3 Maine Avenue, Camden, Maine

1915

CHARLIE JONES is teaching at North-east Harbor.

DR. CHESTER MILLS is surgeon-in-chief for diseases of the nose and throat at Glover Memorial Hospital, Needham, Massachusetts. He is also a visiting surgeon for the Boston City Hospital.

1916

It takes thirty-five years and thirty-one people to bring about the best reunion our class has ever had. Class members, wives and husbands met first at the new Colby campus, where all returning alumni gathered for the traditional alumni luncheon at the Women's Union.

After the ball game and the dedication of Coombs Field, we were invited to the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Levine. Here the really personal greetings began. Delightful refreshments and good music followed. Lois Oscood Skillin was at the piano and Mrs. Byron Smith led the singing. Mrs. Smith is from the Deep South, and her performance added much to our enjoyment. ROGER NYE sang twice for us. The years have been kind to his fine tenor voice.

At seven o'clock we adjourned to the Colonial Inn in Winslow for dinner. Greetings were read from absent classmates—CAROLYN STEVENS Thompson, KATHERINE SINGER Hahn, MARJORIE BARKER Henderson, ALICE BOYNTON Sturtevant, RUTH BRACKETT Sturtevant, HAZEL FLETCHER Eaton, MARION HARMON, DON PUTNAM, CLAIRE McINTIRE Curtis. VIVIANNE WRIGHT Dunn sent us a poem composed by her especially for this occasion.

A book of snapshots was circulated. The pictures recalled happenings between the years 1912 and 1916, and evoked a good deal of laughter. Snaps of girls playing tennis and on a geology

trip to Cadillac Mountain showed the trailing skirts worn then even on such occasions. There were pictures of the champion football team of 1914, the track and baseball teams of that era, candid shots of Prexie Roberts, Professors Little, Taylor, Libby, Parmenter, Ashcraft, Chester, Carter, Black, White, "Dutchy," and Deans Bass, Greenough, Carll, and Cooper . . . and of course of "Butty" herself!

EFFIE HANNON Fraser, who travelled from the Philippines to be with us, had the distinction of having come the greatest distance, not only to our reunion, but to Commencement. MARION WYMAN Sim came from Colton, California. Those attending the reunion were Lewis and Mrs. Levine, Cyril and Mrs. Joly, Byron and Mrs. Smith, Frank and Mrs. Foster, Ben and Mrs. Greer, Bob and Mrs. Hussey, George and Mrs. Ferrell, George and Lois Skillin, Marion and Watson Sim, Eleanor and Percy Mitchell, Louise McCurdy McKinnon, Vivian Skinner Hill, Elizabeth Hodgkins Bowen, Alice Clarkin, Effie Hannon Fraser, Katherine Moses Rolf, Esther French Spaulding, Edith Pratt Brown, Ralph Kolseth, Herman Goffin, and Roger Nye.

The following officers were elected for the coming five years: president, LEWIS LEVINE; vice-president, CYRIL JOLY; secretary, ESTHER SPAULDING; class agents, LEWIS LEVINE and EDITH PRATT BROWN.

The Cyril Jolys have invited us to their Belgrade summer home for our 1956 reunion . . . our fortieth! We plan to make it the best ever. All members will be drafted to attend.

One of the most satisfying things about the reunion and Commencement was the fact that we all felt very much at home on the beautiful new campus, and were proud that we had had a part in bringing the dream to reality . . . the same Colby on a new campus.

Esther French Spaulding
Summer St., Hampden Highlands, Me.

1917

Colonel A. RAYMOND ROGERS has spoken before several organizations on the "Organized Reserves of the United States Army."

LILLIAN TUTTLE Morse is chairman of the education committee of Gloucester Women's Club and president of the Gloucester College Women's Club.

LESTER YOUNG is a teacher of English at Melrose (Massachusetts) High School where he is also guidance teacher for the junior class.

HAZEL ROBINSON Burbank is a keen musician, playing both the organ and piano. She has been accompanist in the Berlin Civic Orchestra for ten years, for the Women's Club Chorus for fifteen years, as well as for the New Hampshire Federation Chorus. In addition, she has been organist for nine years for the Congregational Church.

1918

Few men in the State of Maine have such a record of devotion to education as MILTON PHILBROOK. He has been principal of Westbrook High School since 1922.

His daughter, Celia, closed out her undergraduate year at Colby in grand fashion in June by making the Dean's List.

The Reverend HAROLD GUY SCOTT is minister with the First Unitarian Society of Salt Lake City, Utah.

Violet Shaw Scott
32 High Street, Caribou, Maine

1919

LINCOLN HEYES, president of the Fanset Dry Cleaning Company of Los Angeles, returned last spring from a year's trip in Europe and Africa.

In England, the Heyes purchased a car and for six months toured all the European countries with the exception of Russia.

The return trip to the states was from Holland to Los Angeles by way of the Panama Canal. "Our mileage was over 50,000," he writes, "which included 12,000 by car and naturally gave us a world of experience."

IRA CREELMAN operates the Whitney Homestead for convalescents and others at Stow, Massachusetts. It is a large, well-equipped home, with accommodations for about twenty people, in a beautiful Middlesex County location.

GORDON GATES has resigned as head of Colby's Biology Department but as this issue of *The Alumnus* went to press he had not announced his future plans.

NEWTON NOURSE was back for Commencement, both in his capacity as an alumnus and as a trustee. As sales manager of the Brown Corporation, he makes his home in Portland.

GALEN SWEET of Waterville was named treasurer of the Maine Baptists at their convention this spring in Waterville.

MARTY WISEMAN apparently has his own business now. His letterhead reads: Murray-Wiseman, Inc., Lincoln-Mercury Dealers, Jerome Avenue at West 172nd Street, Bronx 52, New York.

BURT SMALL had an interesting visit with Dr. Homer P. Little, dean at Clark University. Doc remembers everyone who ever took his courses at Colby and would like to hear from any who knew him. He retires in three years.

Gordon Gates

12 Marston Court, Waterville, Maine

1920

COLBY B. KALLOCH is a division manager with the New York Telephone Company. His office is in White Plains.

Professor of pediatrics at the University of Michigan is Dr. JAMES L. WILSON. He has more than forty-two medical articles to his credit.

RAFAEL MIRANDA has enrolled at the University of North Carolina working towards his Ph.D. in romance languages.

He had a distinguished World War II career (classmates will recall he was captain of the Colby Military Company, 1917 to 1918) serving in military intelligence from December 15, 1941 to October 6, 1948.

It was nice to have CLARENCE TASH stop in with his wife, two daughters and son to see the campus July 13. They were vacationing in Rangeley from their New Jersey home.

Phinehas P. Barnes

158 State Street, Albany 6, N. Y.

1921

HAROLD STONE of Belfast has been elected president of the Maine Bankers Association. REGINALD STURTEVANT was named vice president.

MILFORD ISAAC UMPHREY is a life insurance agent with offices in Providence, Rhode Island. He makes his home in Cranston.

HAROLD MARDEN is chairman of the state YMCA and director of both the Waterville Boy's Club and the Waterville YMCA.

ARTHUR MILLS manages the Dover, New Hampshire office of Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. He has been with the firm since 1922. Arthur is a director of the Granite State Building Loan.

1922

BOB JACKSON is treasurer and director of the Maine Milk Dealers' Association.

MARY WHITCOMB is visiting this summer with MEROE MORSE, '13, in

Waterville. She has sold her home in Pasadena, California.

LEONARD MAYO was named last April chairman of the alumni fund of the New York School of Social Work of Columbia University. He is director of the Association for the Aid of Crippled Children and president of the Child Welfare League of America. Dr. Mayo presided at the general sessions of the national conferences on the preventative aspects of chronic illness held March 12-14 in Chicago.

Dr. EDWIN GATES is a physician in Niagara Falls. He is chief of staff of the Mount St. Marys Hospital and chief of medicine at the Memorial Hospital. He has written extensively on the diagnosis and treatment on diabetes.

Charles H. Gale

Locust Hill Road, Darien, Conn.

1923

GERTRUDE WELLER Harrington is secretary for General Electric Corporation in New York City.

George J. Odom

16 Eaton Avenue, Woburn, Mass.

1924

For the past seven years BOB JACOBS has been a salesman for Scott-Foresman and Company, New York City. He jokingly refers to his assignment at Plattsburg in the officers' training course (1917-1918) as "the bow and arrow days."

REUNION of 1921



CRANSTON JORDAN instructs at Cortland State Teachers College, Cortland, New York.

George T. Nickerson
15 Johnson Heights, Waterville, Maine

1925

Mrs. Wesley Wixon (FLORENCE BOWDEN) and her husband celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary June 19. Neighbors gave them a party. She is teaching at South Grammar in Waterville.

ED MOYNAHAN has been elected president of the Potomac Insurance Company. He is at the head office of the company in Philadelphia.

The executive secretary of the Home Builders Association of Hartford County is CLAYTON JOHNSON.

In Westfield, New Jersey RAY GRANT is general secretary of the YMCA. His son has been doing an outstanding job at Colby where he is president of the student Christian Association and this spring was elected to Blue Key. Young Ray has been chosen as one of six freshman councilors for the coming year.

Doris W. Hardy
77 Elm Street, Waterville, Maine



Herbert Wortman

1926

The new director of the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia is Dr. HERBERT McC. WORTMAN. Since 1937 he has been associated with Mountainside Hospital at Montclair, New Jersey.

BILL GARABEDIAN is assistant post chaplain of the Munich (Germany) Military Post.

FRANK GOODRICH is associated with the Maine Department of Health and Social Welfare work.

1927

WALDO MACPHERSON and Evelyn Beane of Brockton, Massachusetts have announced their engagement.

HARRY KAUFMANN sells automobiles for the Kohlenberg Buick Company, Tuckahoe, New York.

Dean of the faculty at Portland Junior College is JUSTIN JOHNSON. His teaching experience dates back to 1913. For fifteen months during World War II he was an instructor of mathematics in the twenty-first detachment of the army air force.

HELEN SMITH Fawcett gives her address as 2669 Shasta Road, Berkeley, California. She is on the board of the Berkeley Day Nursery and a member of the League of Women Voters.

1928

PAUL GREENE is compliance commissioner in the Office of International Trade, U. S. Dept. of Commerce.

DOUG GREARSON is a buyer with Jordan Marsh Company of Boston. Doug and his wife have five children, four of them daughters.

MARTIN KEATS is a dentist, practicing in New York City.

WENDELL GRANT teaches at Ricker Junior College in Houlton.

The superintendent of schools in New Milford, Connecticut is MELDON KNOX. He is on the editorial board of the *Superintendents Association Bulletin*, published by the Connecticut public school system.

GEORGE HAWES works for the state highway department in Nevada. He has participated heavily in politics and was instrumental in swinging the Nevada legislature behind the amendment limiting the president of the United States to two terms.

The Reverend GARTH KOCH assumed the duties of pastor of the First Church, New Castle, Pennsylvania June 1.

Mary Thayer
10 Nudd Street, Waterville, Maine

1929

VINAL GOOD practices law in the town of Sebago where he is active in community affairs. He is supervisor of the Ground Observer Corps for the

town and a director of the local Spaulding Memorial Library.

CAROLYN HERRICK Critz is living in Houston, Texas. She is a graduate of the Yale School of Nursing and for several years (1932-1949) was on the staff of the New Haven hospital.

Alice Paul Allen
138 Larch Street, Providence, R. I.

1930

GORDON JOHNSON is a surgeon practicing in Houlton.

CHANDLER MOSHER is on the faculty at Castleton Teachers College, Castleton, Vermont. His son will begin his sophomore year at Colby this fall.

KEN ROBINSON is living in Meriden, Connecticut where he is assistant steward of the Albion Club.

Commander CHARLES WEAVER, USNR, was ordered last May to a two weeks training period for reserve officers at the Naval War College, Newport, Rhode Island.

1931

LUCIUS and MURIEL (MACDOUGALL) LOBDELL are living in Norwalk, Connecticut. Muriel is working toward an M.A. in child development from the University of Manitoba. She is part time educational director of the First Congregational Church of Norwalk.

A geology book written by JOSEPH TREFETHEN, professor of geology at the University of Maine, has been adopted in sixty-five colleges and universities during the past year. *Geology for Engineers*, the textbook, is now in use at thirty-two state universities.

FRANCIS JUGGINS, living in Winthrop, Massachusetts, is a claims manager for the Obrien Russell and Company, Boston.

ANDREW J. KARKOS is principal of Lunenburg (Massachusetts) High School. He has a daughter, Susan, eight.

1932

NISSIE GROSSMAN has been elected president of the Quincy (Massachusetts) Rotary Club.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Phelps (GLADYS TRUE) announced the arrival of Vernon Roy Phelps February 11.

The Reverend FREDERICK B. KNOX is pastor of the First Baptist Church in Chester, Vermont. He has been a trustee of the Vermont Baptist State Convention since 1946.

LOUIS KAPLAN works in the inventory control of auto parts in a Somerville, Massachusetts plant.

The principal of the high school in Solon is PAUL GIVEN.

1933

NORMA FULLER HURST is a medical laboratory technician at Mount Sinai Hospital, New York City.

EVELYN STAPLETON Burns lives in Cambridge, Massachusetts where her husband, the Reverend Jackson Burns, is pastor of the Harvard Methodist Church and also a director for the Wesley Foundation of Harvard.

LAWRENCE BURNS is in charge of pulp operation at the Brown Paper Company, Berlin, New Hampshire.

From Iowa City comes the good news that MARY DUDLEY Culbertson had a second daughter last November, Jane Workman Culbertson.

1934

HAROLD M. PLOTKIN has been elected president of the Back Bay Association of Boston, an organization of businessmen.

FRANK NORVISH has been promoted at Northeastern University to associate professor in English.

DICK JOHNSON is a doctor of osteopathy in Bath.

BOB MACGREGOR writes an interesting letter from Glasgow where he and his family are now living.

"Here I am in Scotland as representative for the American Bureau of Shipping, the classification society for all merchant shipping in the U. S. I am the first American citizen to represent my company in Scotland.



A COURAGEOUS MOTHER AND HER CHILDREN — Marie Lenochova, '33, with her sons and daughters. Last December the alumni office received a telegram from her reading, "Husband dangerously ill, please send Streptomycin, 60 grains." Bill Miller's prompt action in sending the precious drug to Czechoslovakia may have saved a life. It resulted in a grateful letter and this picture from an alumna who has had more than her share of burdens.

"We test all materials before it goes into a ship, then supervise the construction of the vessels in the shipyard."

Ruth E. White
104 Main Street, Orono, Maine

1935

RUTH THORNE Chaplin is a housewife in Richmond, Virginia.

BETTINA WELLINGTON Piper was named an officer of the Maine Branch of the American Association of University Women.

CARROLL ABBOTT, who taught last year in the business administration department at Colby, has joined the Keyes Fibre Company, Waterville.

ELBRIDGE and ELINOR (CHICK) ROSS make their home in Reading, Massachusetts with their two children, Wilma and Borden.

The Reverend CLARENCE A. MORRILL, associate director of the Methodist Hospital of Brooklyn, New York, is a trustee of the American Institute for Chronic Diseases.

David Hilton
58 Pleasant Street, Waterville, Maine

REUNION of 1931



1936

Born to Mr. and Mrs. HUGH BEACH a son weighing 11½ pounds—a new record, according to Hugh, for the Drummond family.

EMMA-MARY SMALL Schlosberg is living in Chestnut Hill, Massachusetts where her husband is a doctor.

WALLACE McLAUGHLIN is a traffic engineer with the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Boston.

The director of guidance at Boston University, College of Liberal Arts, is TOM VAN SYKE.

KATHRYN DAVIS Harper has two sons, Edward and James. The Harpers live in Saugus, Massachusetts.

1937

Rights and Duties of the Press in Criminal Cases, an article by MICHAEL RYAN, recently appeared in *Dicta*, a magazine published monthly by the Denver Bar Association, the Colorado Bar Association, and the University of Denver College of Law.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McKee (RUTH YEATON) announced the arrival of Katherine Alice McKee February 5.

The Rosa O. Hall award, one of the highest in the Baptist faith, was presented, June 14, at the annual American Baptist Convention to the Reverend DAVID S. EATON. Recognition by the Baptist church came as a result of his outstanding contribution to rural church life. He is pastor of the First Baptist Church of Littleton, Massachusetts.

1938

Best wishes to two newly-weds of the class. Jo BODURTHA has married Donat M. Gagon of Portland. LAWRENCE BLANCHARD has married the former Ernestine Wilkins.

JEAN COBB Murrill is living in Concord, New Hampshire.

BILL WRIGHT is pastor of the Bangor First Church.

HAROLD DAVIS is business manager of the Somerville (Massachusetts) office of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company.

Jane Montgomery Cole
316 Linn Street, Ithaca, New York

1939

CHARLES KEEF is associated with H. E. Harris and Company in Boston. He has a son, Bryan, going on three years old.

A daughter, Anne Elizabeth, was born to Mr. and Mrs. LEON J. BRAUDY May 3.

SYLVIA Ross Manheimer writes that her husband is practicing general surgery at Miami Beach and speaks proudly of their two little girls.

Dr. LEO KRESKY specializes in orthodontics in Brooklyn, New York.

Ruth Pike Berry
Machiasport, Maine

1940

Mr. and Mrs. CLARENCE FERNALD (DOROTHY SMITH, '42) announced the arrival of Linda Jean Fernald May 27.

STANLEY KIMBALL practices osteopathy in Boston. He is vice president of the Boston Osteopathic Society and a member of the Attending Staff of the Massachusetts Osteopathic Hospital.

Apply Early

The White Mule football team, under new head coach Nels Corey, will get in action September 29 against Amherst. This will be the first of five home games. Never have the Mules in recent years, played so often on their own field. Alumni will have an opportunity to see their team play where it logically should do its best—in Waterville.

Mike Loeb is already receiving requests for tickets. If you want to be certain of a good seat next fall, we urge you to let Mike know immediately of those games you plan to attend and of the number who will be with you. The complete schedule:

September 29	Amherst	Waterville
October 6	Upsala	Waterville
October 13	Northeastern	Waterville
October 20	Trinity	Hartford, Conn.
October 27	Bowdoin	Brunswick
November 3	Maine	Waterville
	(HOMECOMING)	
November 10	Bates	Waterville

GORDON JONES has been an investment analyst with the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company in Boston since 1948. Gordon and his wife (GERALDINE STEFKO, '41) have two boys and a girl.

BILL Gousse lives in South Deerfield, Massachusetts working as a representative pharmaceutical retailer for the Upjohn Company of Kalamazoo, Michigan.

MARIAN HAGUE is a stenographer with the C. M. Rice Paper company in Portland.

Spencer H. Winsor

324 Main Street, Waterville, Maine

1941

ALTA GRAY Feddeman is living in

Philadelphia. Her son, Frederick, was two years old July 5.

The name of ABDO "TURK" HASSAN popped up in the papers the other day recalling some of the headlines he received when running wild as fullback under Al McCoy.

Turk's quick reactions saved a two and a half year boy from drowning.

He was attracted by the screams of the boy's mother as he worked at his job as sales manager for the Hassan Brothers Automobile Agency, about 250 feet away.

HOOVER GOFFIN teaches at Babylon High School on Long Island, New York. Young Bruce Goffin was three years old June 8.

Elizabeth Sweetser Baxter
745 Main Street, Newington, Conn.

1942

GIL PETERS had an opportunity to see the Colby baseball team in action on its southern swing when the Mules were playing at Bolling Field. An air force major, Gil has been assigned duty with the operations directorate of Headquarters Military Air Transport Service (MATS) in Washington.

RUTH E. CROWELL and Herbert T. Knight of Turner, Maine, June 23.

ESTELLE GALLUPE Bitler keeps busy in Rockland as a housewife and bringing up her two children, Elizabeth Jane and Charles Bruce.

JACK STEVENS, a major, has been teaching at Maxwell Air Base but has been expecting to be assigned to Rensselaer Polytechnic in Troy to instruct ROTC.

ARTHUR MAYE has been appointed Oregon State Director of Christian Education for the Baptist Church. He left as pastor of the First Baptist Church, Perth Amboy, New Jersey to accept the position.

MARION THOMAS teaches history in Peterboro (New Hampshire) High School where she is president of the Peterboro Chapter of American Association of University Women.

The Reverend and Mrs. ADDISON E. STEEVES (MARILYN IRELAND) have a new son, Mark Eliot Steeves.

1943

Bill and PRISCILLA (MOLDENKE) Drake, Jr. announced the arrival of an 8 pound 9 ounce baby girl, Barbara Anne, on June 21. Dean of Women

COLBY ALUMNUS

Barbara Sherman still speaks glowingly of the help she received from Priscilla when in Indianapolis last winter.

JUSTIN JOHNSON has been an instructor in mechanical engineering at the University of Maine since his discharge from the Navy in 1946.

BRADFORD SHAW is reference librarian and bibliographer in the library at Cornell's New York State School of Industrial and Labor Relations. He announced the birth of a son, William Bradford, March 14. The Shaws have two other children, Peter, going on four, and Ruth, who is nearly two.

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1944

DON BUTCHER writes from Syracuse that he has a new daughter, Laurie, born November 17. "She looks more like a prospective burly defenseman or fullback than a willowy young miss," Don adds.

Dr. JOHN WOOD has just completed a three years residency in Internal

SURPRISE!

It doesn't happen every day but Colby wishes that it did. As Vice President Eustis opened his mail one morning last April out dropped a check for \$5,000.

Accompanying it was a letter from a New York attorney reading, "A client of mine who admires the work of Colby College wishes to contribute the enclosed \$5,000. It may be used in any manner the trustees of the college see fit."

The check was deposited in the Mayflower Hill Development Fund to be used in the construction of the new women's dormitory.

Medicine at the Waterbury (Connecticut) Hospital. John married Norma L. Benuska of Lakewood, Ohio, June 14.

Barbara Davis of Manchester, New Hampshire and RALPH M. SAWYER, JR., were married June 2 at Manchester, New Hampshire. They are residing in Wellesley Hills, Massachusetts.

JOHN POIRIER practices dentistry in Waterville. He has two daughters, Jean, born in December 1948, and Elaine, born in July 1950.

Captain ARNOLD GLASSMAN is a dentist with the army stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Another dentist in the class is WILLIAM HARRIS GRAF practicing in Reading, Massachusetts. He was married last December to HOPE RUTH HARVEY, '49.

1945

GORDON CROOK has been named minister of the joint Hudson and Marlboro Unitarian parishes in Massachusetts. He and his wife make their home at the church parsonage in Hudson.

MAURICE WHITTEN, science teacher at Lewiston High School, is Androscoggin County Legislative Committeeman of the Maine Teachers' Association.

FREDERICK JELLISON is an investigator with the General Adjustment Bureau in Wilmington, Delaware. He is married to KATHRYN MARY DECKER, '50.

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Three new marriages in the class — DOROTHY CHELLMAN to Richard Fish of Turner Falls, Massachusetts, May 19, in Plymouth, Massachusetts and EDITH LOUISE HINCKLEY to Alan P. Turner of Attleboro, Massachusetts, June, 1951.

GRACE IRENE KEEFER and Richard Sumner Parker of Old Saybrook, Connecticut, have announced their marriage.

1946

The department chairman of social studies at Houlton High School is JOHN WHITE. He is president of the Houlton Teachers Association and of the Houlton theater work shop, as well as a member of the county board of directors for the YMCA.

JOHN CARMAN, manager of the Morton Auto Agency in Skowhegan, invites any of his classmates in his vicinity this summer to stop in to see him. He suggests some may be coming to Skowhegan to attend a play at Lakewood.

PASQUALE RUFO is manager of a flower shop in Concord, New Hampshire.

Dr. JOHN ILSLEY is practicing medicine at 1000 Wilson Point Road, Baltimore, Maryland.

Everyone was happy to see MARY ROUNDY Cheatham, daughter of Coach Ed Roundy, back to Commencement. She is the mother of a six year old son.

AUDREY DYER Houghton will be busy this year at Coburn Classical Institute as her husband has been appointed acting principal.

1947

This spring TED BUYNISKI became

the sixth pharmacist in his family when he graduated from the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy in Boston. He followed in the footsteps of two brothers, one of whom is a physician, and two sisters, both of whom received degrees from the same institution.

MITCH JAWORSKI is studying for his M.A. in physical education at Boston University. At the same time he is working as a driving instructor for a private concern. He is the proud father of twin girls!

MURRAY GORE works for Westinghouse Electric Corporation, assigned to Augusta as an assistant application engineer.



Married

NANCY BURBANK to Jonathan B. Allured, February 3, at Pittsfield, Massachusetts.

RACHEL V. ALLARD to Ralph A. Ward, February 24.

Recent Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Rodgers (DOROTHY CLEAVES) have a new son, Robert Newton, born June 5. They have bought a new home at 44 Miller Street, Belfast, Maine.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Fitch (M. ELIZABETH HALL), a son, Robert Kingsley Fitch, February 27.

1948

MERLE LATHROP has resigned as instructor in the biological sciences at

Smith College to teach in the west next year. This summer she is instructing elementary school science in Woods Hole on Cape Cod.

KAY CLARK, our class agent, began work this month as a secretary for the Massachusetts Hospital Association. She has sent in a considerable amount of news.

"I had a nice note from DOROTHY WORTHLEY Cleaver (Mrs. Charles S.)," Kay writes. "Her husband is a research chemist at Dupont's Experimental Station in Wilmington, Delaware. They have a daughter, Patricia, born October 14, 1950.

"I also had a note from MARY CONLEY informing me that she has been elected a permanent teacher at Haverhill High School, Haverhill, Massachusetts.

"ARDIS HENNIGAR received her M.A. degree in June from the Boston University School of Social Work.

"VIRGINIA BRACKLEY recently became Mrs. T. V. Piccarillo and is living at 14 Summer Road, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

"MARTHA MORRILL who is teaching English at the American College for Girls, Arnavut Koy, Turkey writes that she will be in Istanbul until June, 1952. She intends to visit Salzburg, Italy, Paris, Austria, and Germany in the course of her travels this summer."

Recent Arrivals

A son, Malcolm James Perkins, to Mr. and Mrs. FRED PERKINS (JEAN O'BRIEN, '46), March 31.

A son, Bruce Edward Peterson, to Mr. and Mrs. PHIL PETERSON, April 27.

A daughter, Elizabeth Cyrille Schussheim, to Mr. and Mrs. Morton J. Schussheim (HANNA LEVINE), April 12.

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1949

JEANNE HALL has been appointed Red Cross medical-social worker for the station hospital at Fort Belvoir, Virginia. It is an exciting job and she may have the opportunity for overseas duty. Jeanne was formerly field consultant with the Vermont Department of Social Welfare.

ALVIN SCHWARTZ has received his M.A. from Northwestern University's Medill School of Journalism and is now working as a reporter for the *Binghamton* (New York) Press.

LIONEL GOULET received his B.S. in education last month from the Massachusetts State Teachers College in Lowell.

Engaged

Barbara Replogle of Needham, Massachusetts and MANSON H. CARTER. CYNTHIA F. CROOK to Charles G. Lieck of Arlington, Virginia.

BARBARA MAY GRANT to WILLIAM THOMAS DOYLE, '51.

Catherine Kelly of Brookline, Massachusetts and Lieutenant WILLIAM G. HURLEY.

Ann Colletti of Cranston, Rhode Island and JOHN R. PICERNE.

Married

GEORGIANA F. HOOKER and Rogers Firth of Trappe, Maryland, November 25, 1950, in Easton, Maryland.

MARY ELLEN GARDINER and Jay G. Benton of Monmouth, Maine, April, in Boston. They will live at Canute Air Force Base, Rantoul, Illinois.

R. FAY KLAFFSTAD and Edward Carpenter of Lexington, Massachusetts, March 31, in Belmont, Massachusetts.

JEANNE LITTLEFIELD to Earl Hammond of Waterville, February 23, in Waterville.

MARTHA LOUGHMAN to Barclay Shepard, June 29, in Waban, Massachusetts.

Lois R. Granowitz of Greenwich, Connecticut and Pfc. RICHARD M. MARTIN, April 22 in Greenwich, Connecticut.

CLAIRE ROSENSTON and George Fishstein, April 8, in Brookline, Massachusetts.

1950

DON JACOBS teaches biology at St. Johnsbury Academy, St. Johnsbury, Vermont.

CHARLIE GARLAND will receive his M.S. in chemistry from the University of New Hampshire this August.

While he is attending Yale Law School ALBERT BERNIER and his wife are living in Woodmont, Connecticut.

DICK KING was mighty proud of his mother this June when she graduated cum laude from Salem State Teachers College (Massachusetts). Mrs. King

It's Here

The new Alumni Directory is off the press—a complete and thoroughly useful little volume that gives the “who’s”—and particularly the “where’s”—of alumni in neat and easily accessible form.

Bill Millett has put a few copies aside for those who forgot to order in advance. Two dollars directed to the alumni office will bring the directory to you.

has four children and one grandchild. A year ago she enrolled to take evening courses to earn a bachelor of science degree in education.

FRANK JONES is working for Goodall-Sanford in Sanford.

RUTH PIERCE is employed by the Johnson O'Connor Research Foundation, 11 East 66th St., New York, N. Y.

DICK GRANT coached baseball this spring at Monson (Massachusetts) Academy. They played a rugged schedule, including games with the freshmen teams of University of Massachusetts, Amherst and Springfield College.

PAUL WILLEY resigned his position as radio announcer with WTVL in

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Waterville this spring to resume his work with Pan-American Grace Airways. He was a pilot with the airlines from 1942-1947 and had about 5,000 hours of flying time.

Both his children and his wife are now with him in Lima, Peru.

Captain JOHN MULHERN is attached to the Staff College at Fort Leavenworth.

In October Bill Millett had a grand letter from JEANINE FENWICK telling of her experiences in the Waves. She had a very exciting evening last fall when, after attending a concert by Margaret Truman as Miss Truman's guest, she had an opportunity to meet backstage with the President's daughter. Jean's training in Rhode Island ended December 15 and she is now stationed in Washington, D. C.

LAWRENCE WATLES has an insurance business in Farmington, Maine.

GEORGE PAINE is a teacher-coach at Dean Academy, Franklin, Mass.

Engaged

Phyllis F. Doucette of Lynn, Massachusetts and JOHN S. SPARKES.

NANCY WEARE, '52, to ROBERT E. MERRIMAN.

Married

MARY FRANCES GRAHAM and John Thomas of Camden, Maine, April 14, in Greenwich, Long Island, New York. They will make their home in Concord, Massachusetts.

Colette Caron of Waterville and CHARLES H. LORD, May 19, in Waterville. They will reside in Washington, D. C.

JOHN W. SONIA to Marguerite Rines in Bath, June 21.

CHARLOTTE MARTHA CRANDALL to Harold Oliver Graves of West Boylston, Massachusetts.

1951

SALLY BLANCHARD graduated from the Nursery Training School of Boston this spring. Sally was married in June to Robert Maynard and is residing in Bedford, Massachusetts.

LEDA HELEN WHITNEY left Waterville last month for the Central Schools in Kansas City, Missouri where she has enrolled in airline training.

EUGENE CHARTIER was awarded his B.A. degree from Clark University in June. He majored in psychology.

JOAN C. FOSTER is a stewardess with the American Airlines.

Engaged

PATRICIA ANDERSON and OLIVER M. LUND, '50.

NANCY R. ALLAN and Mark D. Bauer of Elyria, Ohio.

NANCY NILSON to ROBERT ARCHIBALD.

JANE PERRY to Robert A. Lindquist of Rockland, Maine.

Nanci Jane McDonald of New Rochelle, New York and ARTHUR McMAHON.

Married

PRISCILLA S. FORD and Robert Brooks Bryant of Wichita, Kansas, in June.

MYRA HEMENWAY to GEORGE BOWERS, '50, in June at Newton, Massachusetts.

MARGARET PRESTON and Fay E. Slingerland, Jr. of Hingham, Massachusetts, in June. They will make their home in Boston.

JEAN LYONS, '53, and ARTHUR SHULKIN, June 14, at Newton, Massachusetts. They will reside in Portland.

SARAH KUNKEL, '52, and GEORGE M. COLLINS, Jr., in June.

RUTH SMART to George William Thurston of Steuben, June 17, at Milo. The Thurstons will live in Philadelphia where Ruth's husband teaches at the University of Pennsylvania.

In Memoriam

WILLIAM RALPH CURTIS, 1890

William Ralph Curtis, 80, trust officer in charge of private vaults for the State Street Trust Company, died in Boston, February 27. From 1891 to 1918 he was assistant auditor in the Boston office of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad.

Born in Kennebunk, Mr. Curtis attended Kennebunk High School before entering Coburn Classical Institute.

Both his brother and sister, deceased, were Colby graduates, Susan A. Curtis, 1884, and Henry F. Curtis, 1887. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Florence W. Curtis of Boston. He was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon.

MINNIE CALDWELL CALLAGHAN, 1892

Mrs. Minnie Caldwell Callaghan, 82, died in Freeport, June 9 while visiting her sister, Beatrice Caldwell, 1906. She attended Hebron Academy and Hanchman Medical School in Chicago.

Though Mrs. Callaghan had been an invalid for several years, she had continued her affairs in a fine cheerful way as actively as her strength would permit. Only recently Adelle Gilpatrick, 1892, had visited with her.

Surviving Mrs. Callaghan are her husband, the Reverend Arthur A. Callaghan; her sister, a daughter, Mrs. Manford Palmer of Rowley, Massachusetts; a son, Dr. W. C. Callaghan, of Greensburg, Indiana; two nieces and a nephew.

COLBY ALUMNUS

HERBERT FRANKLIN KALLOCH, 1892

Dr. Herbert Franklin Kalloch, 82, widely known Aroostook County physician and former Fort Fairfield superintendent of schools, died April 2. He had been a practicing physician for fifty-two years, retiring only when illness made it necessary about two years ago.

Dr. Kalloch was born at Tenant's Harbor and took his medical training at Bellevue Hospital in New York. He was principal of the Fort Fairfield High School in 1893-1894, afterwards serving for a short time as superintendent of schools.

For sixteen years he served on the Fort Fairfield Board of Health and was the first medical examiner in the town. He was a Mason and their president for ten years. He was also past president of the Fort Fairfield Rotary Club, and served many years as the club's song leader.

Surviving him are his son, Colby Bartlett Kalloch, 1920, of Rye, New York; a granddaughter, Mrs. Frederick Sacks of Rye, and a nephew. He was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon.

LORA CUMMINGS NEAL, 1893

Mrs. Lora Cummings Neal, 81, passed away June 10 in West Boylston, Massachusetts. She was the widow of Edgar P. Neal, 1893, educator, author and town official, who died March 17, 1950.

She was born in Saco, Maine and educated in Saco. For fifty years Mrs. Neal lived in West Boylston, serving on the school committee and as a trustee of the local library. Mrs. Neal also taught Sunday school in the First Baptist Church and was a member of the Women's Club and Sigma Kappa sorority.

Her husband was on the first football team at Colby and only this spring Mrs. Neal had sent the college a photograph of the team that she had treasured since her graduation.

Surviving are a son, Dr. Arthur Morrill Neal of Wilmington, Delaware; two brothers, Dr. John E. Cummings, 1884, of Newton Center and A. L. T. Cummings of Biddeford, Maine; a sister, Gertrude, of Goodwin Mills, Maine; and a grandson, Donald A. Neal.

OLIVE ROBBINS HAVILAND, 1896

Olive Robbins Haviland died June 17 in West Chester, Pennsylvania.

She was born in Winthrop July 11, 1871. She graduated from Winthrop High School and Oak Grove Seminary. Immediately after her graduation she became a teacher of English literature at the Friends' Select School in Philadelphia. In 1902 she was married to Walter Winchip Haviland, who, with two sons, Paul and Harris, survive her. She was a member of Sigma Kappa.

GERTRUDE ILSLEY PADEFORD, 1896

Gertrude Ilsley Padelford, wife of the late Dr. Frank W. Padelford, 1894, died May 9 in Claremont, California. Her husband was for thirty years executive secretary of the Board of Education of the Northern Baptist Convention.

Dr. and Mrs. Padelford were widely known in Baptist institutions across the country. They had also traveled extensively in Japan, Burma and India, visiting missions there in connection with educational and church commissions. Several summers were spent in Europe, including one trip to Russia.

Mrs. Padelford was born in Springvale, Maine, June 13, 1873. Her father, the Reverend George B. Ilsley, was a Baptist minister in Maine for fifty years. She taught at the Higgins Classical Institute in Charleston, from 1896-1898, and later for five years at the Rockland High School.

She married in 1922 and from then until Dr. Padelford's death in 1944 they made their home in Newton Centre. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Newton.

Favored by a modest inheritance, she consecrated it in generous giving to many Christian enterprises and friends in need. Among her many gifts was the Ilsley-Padelford Room on the second floor of the Women's Union on the new Colby campus. It was named the Ilsley-Padelford Room in honor of Grace Ilsley Padelford, 1894, and Gertrude Ilsley Padelford, 1896.

In recent years, Mrs. Padelford has kept her residence in Robinson, Maine, spending the winters in California.

Surviving are a son, Dr. Norman J. Padelford, professor of international relations at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and three grand-daughters. She was a member of Sigma Kappa.

ELMER ELLSWORTH HALL, 1898

Word has been received of the death of Dr. Elmer Ellsworth Hall. He was born in New Brunswick, Canada in 1871. He studied medicine at the University of Maryland in Baltimore and was a practicing physician and surgeon in Minnesota where he established a hospital. He was also prominent in lumbering. Dr. Hall was a member of Alpha Tau Omega.

LOIS MESERVE FLYE, 1902

Mrs. Lois Meserve Flye, 72, died at her home in Sheepscott, June 29. She entered Colby after graduating from Oak Grove Seminary. She was a member of both Sigma Kappa and Phi Beta Kappa.

For twenty-six years Mrs. Flye lived in Glen Ridge, New Jersey where she was very active in the Congregational church. She served six years on the borough's (school) board; and was director of Religious Education of the Middle Atlantic Conference of the Congregational-Christian Churches.

Mrs. Flye returned to Maine in 1934 taking a lively interest in many community organizations. She was former president of the Wiscasset Women's club, past regent of the Pemaquid Chapter of the D. A. R., past president of the Lincoln County Union, a member of the Mayflower Society, on the board of trustees of the Lincoln Home for the Aged, a member of the First Congregational church in Newcastle, a former member of Garrison Hill Grange, Sheepscott, and in the A. A. U. W.

Besides her husband, she leaves two daughters, Miss Frances L. Flye of Bloomfield, New Jersey, and Miss Harriett M. Flye of Sheepscott; a sister, Mrs. Martha Meserve Gould, 1896, of Gorham; and a nephew, Stephen H. Ayer, 1921, of Omaha, Nebraska.

JULIUS H. B. FOGG, 1902

Julius Howard Bradford Fogg, retired real estate operator, died April 26 in Wilmington, Vermont at the age of 75.

Born in South Freeport, he studied at Bowdoin before transferring to Colby. He then attended Harvard Law School.

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Mr. Fogg was director of real estate for the Louis K. Liggett Company until about 1927. Later he had his own real estate business from which he retired in 1935.

He is survived by his daughter, Denise, and a sister, Ann Nelson Williams.

EVA MAUD GARLAND, 1903

Eva Maud Garland, 70, died in Farmington, New Hampshire, January 29.

She was born in Farmington, attended the local schools, and graduated from high school in 1899. She taught in the public schools of Milton, Whitefield and at Farmington High School before going to Stoneham (Massachusetts) High School where she was a valued faculty member for 40 years.

Retiring in 1942 she returned to Farmington and lived at the family homestead in that village until the time of her passing.

She is survived by her sister, Mrs. Effie G. Ferry of Portsmouth, a brother, Albert R. Garland of Farmington, two nephews and a niece.

IRA WALTER RICHARDSON, 1910

Dr. Ira Walter Richardson, 63, died in Wakefield, Massachusetts, July 1. A physician in Wakefield for 35 years, Dr. Richardson was chief of the medical service of Melrose Hospital. He had been the Wakefield school physician since 1944 and was chairman of the Committee on Health of the Wakefield Public Safety Committee.

He received his M. D. from Harvard in 1915 and served in France during World War I as medical officer for the sixth anti-aircraft machine gun battery.

Dr. Richardson was a former president of the Wakefield Medical Associates, a past president of the Middlesex East Medical Society, a past commander of the Wakefield Post of the American Legion, and a past president and charter member of the Wakefield Rotary Club, and a Mason.

He leaves his wife and three daughters, Mrs. Dudley Holden, Jr., of Wakefield, Mrs. Sterling L. Butters, 1950, of Portland, and Mrs. Malcolm C. Brown of Wakefield. He was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon.

IRMA ELVIRA WILBER, 1914

Miss Irma Elvira Wilber, 59, died at Skowhegan May 13. She was born in Madison, and before completing her course at Colby transferred to Pott's Business College, Pasadena, California. She was a member of Sigma Kappa.

ERNEST AMBROSE TRITES, 1915

The Reverend Ernest Ambrose Trites, 77, died at his home at Hartland, New Brunswick, March 21. For many years he had been a Maine minister serving as pastor of Baptist churches at Caribou and Littleton. Dr. Trites at one time was also pastor in Lowell, Massachusetts.

Born at Indian Mountain, New Brunswick, he was one of twelve children. He attended the Gordon Bible College, later transferred to Colby, and went from there to Newton Theological Institute. He was ordained in 1909 while serving the Manset Baptist Church on Mount Desert Island.

Dr. Trites was twice married and is survived by his second wife, five daughters and five grandchildren.

LIBRARY GIFTS

Two manuscripts have been presented to the library from an anonymous donor. One is a single page letter, undated and initialed, of the English novelist, William Makepeace Thackeray (1811-1863). The other is a single page autograph letter dated March 14, 1893 by the French painter, Jean Leon Gerome (1824-1904).

ALANSON EUGENE SKILLINGS, 1917

Alanson Eugene Skillings died at the Veterans' Hospital, Manchester, New Hampshire, May 23.

He attended the Oakland schools and followed his Colby career with summer study at Bates. He was born in Hinckley in 1887 and for several years was in educational work, at one time principal of New Gloucester High School. He was a member of Lambda Chi Alpha.

ARTHUR MADISON GREELEY, 1919

Arthur Madison Greeley died in Oakland, April 16. He had been ill for some time but was able to conduct business until a few days before his death.

He was a member of the automobile firm of Greeley & Gatchell which was established in Oakland a quarter of a century ago.

Mr. Greeley took an active part in the work of the Baptist Church and was a member of the Masons and Order of the Eastern Star.

Surviving are his widow, Alvinia Whittier Greeley, 1924, and a son, Arthur.

HAROLD NORCROSS DEMPSEY, 1920

Harold Norcross Dempsey, 58, died at his home in Stillwater, Maine, February 22.

A teacher in Maine schools for the past twenty-eight years, he had been principal in the high schools of Mount Desert, Dennysville, Ellsworth, Oakfield and for the past seven years at Pennell Institution, Gray.

A veteran of World War I, he was a member of the Kiwanis club and a Mason. Mr. Dempsey was extremely interested in scouting.

Surviving are his wife, the former Eleanor Hawes, 1923; his father, Michael Dempsey, of Stillwater; two sisters, Mrs. Isabelle O'Keefe of Orono, and Mrs. Catherine Riley of Stillwater; two brothers, Edward and Percy; six nieces and three nephews.

THADDEUS FREEMAN TILTON, 1920

Thaddeus Freeman Tilton, 52, retired financial editor of the Providence *Journal-Bulletin*, died March 19 at his home in Rehoboth, Massachusetts.

He was born in Belfast, April 20, 1898. After finishing college where he was a member of Delta Upsilon and president of his class in his senior year, Mr. Tilton worked for *The Waterbury Republican*, *The Lawrence Telegram*, the United Business Service in Boston, and the Cambridge Associates.

He joined the *Journal-Bulletin* staff in 1929 and remained with those newspapers until June 1947 when ill health necessitated his retirement.

He leaves his widow, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Tilton, 1888 and 1892, a brother, Dr. John P. Tilton, 1923, of Tufts College, and a sister, Miss Ruth Tilton, 1928, of Brookline, Massachusetts.

JULIUS PAUL LOEFFLER, 1922

Julius Paul Loeffler, 54, died May 26 at his home in Saugus, Massachusetts. Mr. Loeffler lived in Chelsea most of his life and was, at the time of his death, sub-master of the Carter Junior High School.

He was past district commissioner of the Boston Council of Boy Scouts and served on the local draft board during World War II. He was a member of the American Legion and a veteran of World War I. He took graduate work in education at Boston College.

Surviving are his wife, a brother, Frank, of Gloucester, and a sister, Mrs. Frank Jansen, of Ottawa, Canada.

CHESTER LLOYD GLENN, 1924

Dr. Chester L. Glenn, 55, died February 23 at Pasadena, California. He attended Williston Academy in Easthampton, Massachusetts before entering Colby. He received his medical degree from Boston University.

Dr. Glenn is survived by his wife and two children, Donald Carlton Glenn and Elaine Glenn. He was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon.

PAUL FORD CRANSTON, 1928

Paul Ford Cranston, 46, Sunday editor of *The Philadelphia Bulletin*, died May 4 in Camden, New Jersey. Born in Haddon, New Jersey, he attended both Colby and Villanova College. He entered newspaper work as a reporter on the *Camden Courier-Post* after a year in show business with Earl Carroll.

Early in 1947 Mr. Cranston was appointed Sunday editor of *The Philadelphia Bulletin* after having served as a re-write man and feature editor. He created a number of features which were syndicated nationally including, "The Masked Jury," "Other Women's Lives," and wrote the copy for "Private Lives."

Mr. Cranston resigned from *The Bulletin* this spring to complete a historical novel of the northwest which he had been writing in his spare time for two years.

Besides his wife who was with the Red Cross in the Pacific during the war he leaves two brothers, William and Edward, in California.

MARY ALLEN MODAK, 1931

Word has been received of the death of Mary Allen Modak. She succumbed to injuries sustained from an automobile accident in Hyderabad, India where she made her home.

LEON FARRINGTON McFARLAND, 1949

Leon Farrington McFarland, 25, died this spring in Eastport. After completing his college course, Leon had accepted a position in the English department at Sheaf Memorial High School, Eastport.

This was only his second year at the school but prior to his sudden death the students had dedicated their yearbook to him in recognition of his many contributions to the life of the school, especially in dramatics.

He was born in Augusta, moving to Farmingdale where he attended primary and grade school. He was in the class of 1945 at Gardiner High School.

Leon is survived by his parents and three brothers, Harold, Leonard, and Frank. He was a member of Lambda Chi Alpha.