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THE SHIP'S portrait which is reproduced on the front cover of the present issue is identified as follows (in small letters at bottom center of the painting): "Ship Charlotte W. White; B. F. Pendleton, Master. Built at Belfast, Maine, 1858." The painting is by Percy A. Sanborn (American, 1849-1929), and is in the American Heritage Collection of the Colby College Museum of Art. It was the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Ellerton M. Jetté. Lincoln Colcord, who is featured in this issue, was born just one hundred years ago (August 14, 1883) aboard a similar sailing vessel, the *Charlotte A. Littlefield*. He came from Searsport, Maine, just a few miles from Belfast. The picture on the back cover is of a nineteenth-century English ship's figurehead of Queen Victoria. The figurehead, also, is in the Colby College Museum of Art, and was the gift of Mrs. Mildred H. Cummings.

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