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Plan Gala Homecoming for November 1

THE most extensive Homecoming Day program since this annual Fall event was established is being arranged for the pleasure of alumni on November 1.

New features for the participation of sons and daughters of the College are being inaugurated, and popular events which have proved to be attractive in former years will be repeated. Highlighting Homecoming Day this year will be undergraduate activities which promise to appeal to alumni of all ages and inclinations.

As a preliminary to Homecoming Day, the student body will stage an old-fashioned football pep rally on Friday evening, October 31. With more than 900 undergraduates on the campus this year, and student enthusiasm at a high pitch, this feature will be a tonic for everyone who gets back to Carlisle the night before 1947's Fall alumni get-together on the following day.

An alumni luncheon at noon will be among the new features, and a special chapel program, with music by the College Choir and the College Orchestra, will be held Saturday morning. Between 11 o'clock and noon, special student guides will conduct alumni on tours of the campus and the college buildings.

Dickinson's opponent for Homecoming Day at Biddle Field will be Swarthmore, and already it is certain that reserved seats for the game will be at a premium. George Shuman, Assistant Treasurer of the College, is honoring requests for the November 1 game in the order in which they are arriving at the College. The price is \$1, including tax.

After the game, reunion suppers and social events will be held at the frater-

1947 Football Schedule

Oct. 4, Grove City . . . Grove City
Oct. 11, Allegheny Carlisle
Oct. 18, Susquehanna . . Selinsgrove
Oct. 25, Franklin & Marshall
Lancaster
Nov. 1, Swarthmore . . Homecoming
Nov. 8, Drexel Parents' Day
Nov. 15, Western Maryland
Westminster
Nov. 22, Washington &
Jefferson Carlisle
October games start at 2:30 P.M.
November games start at 2:00 P.M.

nity house and at the College Commons. Saturday night a Homecoming Dance will be held in the Alumni gymnasium by the All-College Social Committee, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Homecoming Day affords an opportunity for many alumni who can not get back at commencement season to return to the campus when the College is in full-swing, and indications are that this year's unusually attractive program will draw an unprecedented number.

A complete program of Homecoming Day will be mailed to all alumni in October.

Publish Inaugural Address

The June issue of *Christian Education* reprinted "Liberal Education for Today's Needs," the inaugural address of President William W. Edell. The magazine is published by the National Protestant Council of Higher Education.

A Light But Fast Football Squad Prepares For Season

THE largest football squad in the history of the College appeared on Biddle Field when 60 men reported during the preliminary practice season which began on September 8 to Prof. Ralph R. Ricker, head coach. Even before the opening of college on September 25, the squad had dropped to 45, including 12 letter-men from last year's victorious eleven.

After their experience last year when it was predicted the team would win only two of the seven games, whereas the record was six victories and one defeat, the pre-season prognosticators seem to be evading predictions this year. All hope that Ralph Ricker's legerdeman will hold good in the coming season.

It is clear that the team which will take the field, will be light and fast, again using the T formation, which Ricker installed a year ago. Handling the ball in the quarterback slot, will be Frankie Noonan, who weighs only 122 pounds, but who is one of the most elusive runners on the squad and can also pass. Another back will certainly be Jerry Miller, who tips the scales at 165, but is the fastest man Dickinson has had in years. He tied the 100 yard dash record and set a new mark for the 220 while on the track team last spring.

One of Ricker's main backfield problems will be to find a replacement for Doug Rehor, who in his three years at Dickinson, has been one of the greatest passers in college football. Noonan will carry part of this burden and Ricker believes two newcomers will develop into great passers. One of these is a lefty, Bud Abbott, of Lewistown, and the other is Eugene Oler, who starred at Chambersburg High School and shows a great deal of promise.

Graduation hit the line even harder than it did the backfield, and it looks as though the forward wall this year will weigh between 175 and 180 pounds. While he will have experienced and

capable, fast wingmen, Ricker will need to develop guards and tackles.

In his tasks, Ricker will be assisted by John Steckbeck, R. H. McAndrews, Chick Kennedy, and a newcomer, David Kirk, who has been named to succeed Ronald E. Knapp. Early this month, Knapp became assistant coach at Shippensburg State Teachers College after a year at Dickinson. Kirk, who is an Army veteran, was graduated from West Chester State Teachers College, where he was an outstanding football and basketball man.

The 1947 season will mark the resumption of football relations with F. & M. and the opening of a series with Grove City College. The six other teams to be met this year were opponents in 1946. Four games will be played on Biddle Field and the other four away from home.

Grove City will be met in the season opener on October 4 in a game to be played at Grove City. The first home game will be with Allegheny on October 11 to be followed by two away games, one with Susquehanna at Selinsgrove on Oct. 18 and the F. & M. contest at Lancaster on October 25.

Swarthmore will come to Carlisle for the Homecoming Day conflict on Saturday, November 1 at 2 o'clock on Biddle Field. The following Saturday, Drexel will be the attraction for Parents' Day, November 8. Then on November 15, the team will play Western Maryland at Westminster, and the season finale will be staged on Biddle Field on November 22 with W. & J., the eleven which marred the 1946 record by administering a 19 to 7 defeat in a game played at Washington, Pa.

At this time, three games have been scheduled for the Junior Varsity. These are Carson Long Institute on October 10 at home; F. & M. Junior Varsity, October 24 at Lancaster, and West Nottingham Academy on October 31 at Colora, Md.

Elect Howard W. Selby Trustee of College

HOWARD W. SELBY, '13, general manager since 1934 of United Farmers of New England, Inc., successors to United Farmers' Cooperative Creamery Association, of Charlestown, Mass., was elected a member of the Board of Trustees of the College at its annual meeting at Commencement in June.

Mr. Selby has spent most of his life in the distribution of farm products, and in 1921 went to Denmark to study farmers' cooperatives. He is an active Methodist layman and prominent in church activities in Massachusetts. His wife is the former Ethel Wagg, '15.

Born in Philadelphia in 1891, Mr. Selby entered business directly on graduation from college, as secretary-treasurer of the Selby Produce Company of Philadelphia. For a year while he was president of the Vegetable Growers' Association of America from 1916 to 1919 he attended Princeton Theological Seminary. From 1917 to 1925 he was general manager of the Eastern States Farmers' Exchange.

During the next six years he was in Florida, as treasurer of the Alfred H. Wagg Organization of West Palm Beach, president of the Central Farmers Trust Company of West Palm Beach, director of the First National Bank of Palm Beach, and chairman of the Okeechobee Flood Control Board. He left Florida in 1931 and after another trip to Europe became general manager of the United Farmers' Creamery Association of Boston. He is also president of the Walker-Gordon Laboratories of New England and a director of the National Cooperative Milk Producers Federation.

Mr. Selby is a trustee and member of the executive committee of Boston University and the New England Deaconess Hospital of Boston. He was Florida district governor of Rotary International in 1929-30 and an international director of the organization the next year. He is a



HOWARD W. SELBY

past president of the Boston Wesleyan Association and vice-president of the Wesley Foundation at Harvard University. He is a Mason and a member of Alpha Chi Rho.

He is the author of a number of articles on the subject of agricultural cooperatives which have appeared in various publications including the *Harvard Business Review*; and he has lectured and made regular radio broadcasts on the same subject.

For some years, he has been president of the Dickinson Club of Boston and on several occasions Mr. and Mrs. Selby have entertained the alumni of that area at their home in West Newton.

Hold Monthly Meetings

The Dickinson Club of Baltimore has inaugurated a custom other alumni clubs may want to follow. Not content with an annual get-together, the Baltimore alumni are meeting together informally for luncheon once a month.

The announcement of the Club's luncheon meetings was sent to members in May by Henry B. Suter, '31, president. The first meeting was at the Emerson Hotel, Baltimore, on May 20.

Appointed to New Post of Dean of Men

DR. AMOS BENJAMIN HORLACHER, graduate of Wesleyan University, Methodist clergyman, and former Naval chaplain, was named by President Edel in June to the newly-created post of Dean of Men at the College.

Dr. Horlacher will fill a position instituted because of the increased enrollment of the College and the need for personal counselling and guidance which, with a student body of 900, is beyond the power of the faculty to handle. For many years there has been a dean of women at the College, but until this year the duties she performed for the women were discharged toward the men, if at all, by the academic dean of the college and by individual faculty members.

A cum laude graduate of Wesleyan University in 1926, Dr. Horlacher attended Boston University School of Theology for a year, and then entered Union Theological Seminary in New York, where he was graduated with honors in 1929. From 1929 to 1935 he was pastor of the East Hampton, L. I., N. Y., Methodist Church, and in 1935 he became pastor of Sheepshead Bay Methodist Church, Brooklyn, where he remained until 1943, when he resigned to enter the Navy as a chaplain with the rank of lieutenant.

From 1943 to 1945 Dr. Horlacher was on duty in the Solomons and New Hebrides islands. From 1945 until his discharge from the service in June, he was executive officer and later senior chaplain of the United States Naval Hospital at San Diego, Calif. He was promoted to the rank of lieutenant commander in 1945.

Dr. Horlacher edited a *Social Problems Study Guide* which was published by Columbia University in 1940, and he has contributed to the *Christian Century* and *Christian Advocate*. From 1941 to 1943 he was vice-chairman of the Industrial Commission of the Federal Churches



A. B. HORLACHER

of Christ in America, and from 1939 to 1942 he was college preacher at Wesleyan University.

He is a member of the Masonic order and of Alpha Chi Rho. From Wesleyan University he received the honorary degree of doctor of divinity in 1943.

He was born at Hazleton on September 24, 1902, but at the end of his sixth grade was forced to leave school and went to work as an apprentice pattern-maker, completing his trade at the age of 17. Subsequently he attended Williamsport Dickinson Seminary, graduating in 1923. At Wesleyan he was a letter-man in both football and debating. He is married and has three children.

To Teach Religious Education

The Rev. Paul B. Irwin, '30, has been appointed assistant professor of religious education in the Graduate School of Religion of the University of Southern California in Los Angeles, and began his work there this month. This follows his graduate work at Union Theological Seminary and Columbia University and two years as instructor in religious education at Union.

Named Class Dean and Admissions Director

PROFESSOR Benjamin D. James, '34, of the department of education, was appointed director of admissions and dean of the freshman class at the College in July, succeeding Dr. Lewis Guy Rohrbaugh, '07, who resigned to return to teaching in the department of religion and philosophy, of which he is head.

Professor James was appointed to the faculty in 1941 as an instructor and was advanced to the rank of associate professor in 1946 upon his return from service with the United States Navy. Professor Rohrbaugh had been dean of the freshman class since 1933 and director of admissions for the last five years. Although the new appointment was made this summer, it will not be effective until October 1.

After his graduation from Dickinson, Professor James was a teacher of English and coach of football in the Plymouth High School. In 1942 he was head coach of football at Dickinson. In 1943 and 1944 he was assistant to Dr. Herbert Wing, Jr., director of the 32d College Training Detachment (Air Crew), when the College trained more than 2900 aviation cadets. He entered the Navy in 1944, serving in the Pacific as a beachmaster and education officer with the rank of lieutenant.

In 1936, Professor James received his



BENJAMIN D. JAMES

M.A. degree from Bucknell University, and since his return from the service has been doing graduate work at the University of Pennsylvania for his doctorate. He is a Mason and a member of Phi Kappa Psi, Omicron Delta Kappa, and Kappa Phi Kappa fraternities, and Ravens Claw.

He married the former Grace Picton, of Plymouth on January 14, 1937. They have two sons, Benjamin, Jr., born January 10, 1938 and John Wesley, born December 16, 1940.

'23 Starts Early

The Class of 1923 has begun plans for its 25th reunion next June. A temporary committee has been assembled by class president Donald H. Goodyear and reunion chairman Robert W. Crist to draft a preliminary program that will be submitted to all 1923 members. Serving on the committee are Mrs. Dorothy Line Garrett, the Rev. Dr. Rowland R. Lehman, Miss Mary Line, Mrs. Oella Liggett Scott, Carl B. Stoner and Morris E. Swartz, Jr.

Advanced to Professor

Upon the recommendation of President Edel, the Board of Trustees at the June meeting approved the advancement of Dr. Charles D. Kepner to the rank of Professor of Sociology from that of associate professor.

Dr. Kepner became a member of the faculty a year ago after 10 years as professor of sociology at Schauffler College in Cleveland and three years as lecturer on sociology at Western Reserve University.

Law Professor and Judge Dies Suddenly

FRED S. REESE, since 1919 professor of law in the Dickinson School of Law and judge of the courts of Cumberland County since 1932, died suddenly at his home in Carlisle on the morning of May 30.

Although he had been forced to take a brief vacation of several weeks in the spring of 1946, Judge Reese's health had caused no concern. For three weeks before his death, however, he had been under a severe strain during a long and uninterrupted session of court which included a week-long murder trial. Death was from a coronary occlusion.

Judge Reese combined to a high degree scholarship and public service. Learned in many branches of the law, he was a skilful teacher even of such abstruse subjects as quasi-contracts; while no worthy community organization that ever asked for his help or the prestige of his name asked vainly.

He was born on December 12, 1896, in the village of Iliion, Herkimer County, N. Y., the son of Fred Schuyler and Agnes Scott Reese. He entered the law school of Cornell University directly from high school and was graduated in 1919. Three months later he had accepted a position as teacher of law at Dickinson, offered him by the late Dean William Trickett. In addition to his teaching, he was secretary of the Law School faculty until 1931.

Meanwhile Judge Reese had entered the private practice of law in association with the late Addison M. Bowman, Sr., in 1926. The next year he ran successfully for district attorney, and upon the expiration of his term, ran for the judgeship, narrowly defeating the incumbent. He was reelected in 1941 without opposition. Judge Reese's legal ability was widely recognized throughout the state; he was frequently mentioned for a position on one of the appellate courts and on at least one occasion declined to accept such an appointment. He served on



FRED S. REESE

the Commonwealth Commission to revise the rules of Orphans Court and he was the co-author of *Pennsylvania Common Pleas Practice* and *The Laws of the Motorist*.

Judge Reese was especially interested in Boy Scout work, serving as chairman of the Carlisle district since 1940. For his work in this position, where he succeeded in increasing the number of troops and membership, he received the highest award the Boy Scouts of America make to adult leaders. He was past president of the Kiwanis Club and an honorary member of the Rotary Club. A devoted churchman, he was a vestryman of St. John's Episcopal Church, Carlisle, and served in a number of important posts in the Harrisburg Diocese of the church, including the chairmanship of the finance committee, presidency of the Ecclesiastical Court, and member of the board of incorporated trustees and the committee on canons. He was also president of the board of the Episcopal Home for the Aged at Shippensburg.

He was a director of the Carlisle Red Cross chapter, of which Mrs. Reese was president. For many years he was closely

identified with the Community Chest, directing several of its annual drives and serving for many years as leader of the Advance Guard which solicited the larger contributions.

In the summer of 1945 Judge Reese was in Germany as legal adviser to the public health, welfare, religion and education branch of Military Government. In 1939 he received the honorary degree of master of arts from Dickinson College.

Active also in Masonry, he was a charter member and trustee of St. John's Council, Royal & Select Masters, a member of St. John's Royal Arch Chapter No. 171 and St. John's Commandery, all of Carlisle. He was a member of the Blue Lodge in Ilion, N. Y., and of Zembo Temple, Harrisburg.

Services were held in St. John's Episcopal Church. He is survived by his father and by his widow, the former Edith Rathburn, whom he married in 1920.

Alumni Meet in Scranton

The annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of Northeastern Pennsylvania was held at the Scranton Country Club on May 22 with 75 in attendance. This club alternates annual dinners between Scranton and Wilkes-Barre.

Judge John S. Fine, retiring president, introduced Judge Harold Flannery, who acted as toastmaster. Gomer Morgan, '11L, was elected president; Frank Flannery was elected vice president; William P. Farrell was elected treasurer; and Hopkin T. Rowlands, '31L, was elected secretary.

The formal program included addresses by President William W. Edel, Dean W. H. Hitchler, and Gilbert Malcolm. The former Governor Arthur James, '07, conducted the annual ceremony of presenting a battered silk hat to the club member who had made the greatest achievements during the year. He bestowed the award on Albert H. Aston, '32, '34L.

Receives Honorary Degree

Robert H. Richards, '95, prominent Wilmington lawyer and former attorney general of Delaware, was awarded the honorary degree of doctor of laws by the University of Delaware at commencement exercises held on June 9. For some years he has been a member of the Board of Trustees of the College and of the executive committee of the Board. He is also a member of the board of trustees at the University of Delaware.

A profound student of history as well as the law and an authority on the history of Delaware, Mr. Richards is a member of both the American and Delaware Historical Associations, the Society of Colonial Wars and the Sons of the American Revolution. He is also a member of the American Academy of Political and Social Science. A member of Phi Kappa Sigma, he graduated from the College with Phi Beta Kappa honors in 1895 and was admitted to the Delaware bar in 1897. He served as deputy attorney general of Delaware from 1901 to 1905 and became attorney General of that State in 1905. For some years he maintained offices in the DuPont Building, Wilmington.

Alumni Council Elections

The results of the annual mail election of the General Alumni Association were announced at commencement time, when it was revealed that S. Walter Stauffer, '12, had been reelected an alumni trustee for the four-year term expiring in 1951.

Paul L. Hutchison, '18, of Harrisburg, president of the General Alumni Association, was reelected for the three-year term expiring in 1951 of the Alumni Council. The other four elected to the Alumni Council are Mary K. Line, '23, of Carlisle, John B. Fowler, Jr., '34, also of Carlisle, Clinton DeWitt Van Siclen, '14, attorney of New York City, and the Rev. Rowland R. Lehman, D.D., '23, of Harrisburg, Pa.

Bishop Richardson Dies After Long Illness

BISHOP Ernest G. Richardson, '96, Trustee of the College since 1928, life-long crusader for prohibition and resident head of the Methodist Church in the Philadelphia area for sixteen years before his retirement in 1944, died on September 5 after a long illness in the Methodist Hospital, Philadelphia. He was 73 years old.

As a Trustee, Bishop Richardson served on the Executive Committee of the Board for a number of years and was one of the most active and interested Trustees. He regularly served as a member of the Committee on Presidency whenever there was a vacancy in that office.

Bishop Richardson became nationally known through his ardent and ceaseless fight for enforcement of the Eighteenth Amendment. After repeal he continued the fight as president of the Anti-Saloon League of America. An idiomatic speaker, many of his utterances in sermons or public addresses were quoted, as was a statement he made when replying to criticism aimed at dry leaders when he said, ironically;

"Yes, I am a fanatic and I will stay a fanatic. I believe God does not want liquor legalized in the United States. That makes me a fanatic. But if I came out for 4 per cent beer, that would make me a far-seeing statesman and a great leader."

In February of this year, Bishop Richardson accepted a recall from retirement to serve out the unexpired term of Bishop Schuyler Garth, head of the church in Wisconsin, who was killed in an airplane crash in China. While in the West he became ill, was brought to Philadelphia, when it was found he was suffering from pneumonia and he was admitted to the hospital. A short time later he suffered a stroke from which he never recovered.

Born in St. Vincent in the West Indies, he prepared for college at Harrison College in the Barbadoes. He came to Dickinson with the original idea of



E. G. RICHARDSON

studying for a law career but while a student of the College was called to the service of the church. He graduated in 1896 and received his A.M. in 1899. Upon his graduation with Phi Beta Kappa honors, he entered the New York Conference and did graduate work at Yale University and at Wesleyan University where he received his Doctor of Divinity degree.

His Alma Mater honored him in 1920 with the degree of doctor of laws.

In 1917 he was named District Superintendent of the New York East Conference and three years later was elevated to the episcopacy and named Bishop of Atlanta, where he served for eight years. He succeeded Bishop Joseph F. Berry in 1928 as Bishop of the Philadelphia area. He served several terms as president of the Methodist Board of Home Missions and Church Extension and in 1941 was elected head of the Methodist Council of Bishops and was reelected for another term the next year.

For a number of years Puerto Rican Methodism, in which he was greatly interested, was under his administration.

He was a trustee of Dickinson College,

Clark University, Claflin University, Chattanooga University and Gammon Theological Seminary. He was also a member of Phi Kappa Sigma.

Surviving are his widow and classmate, the former Anna E. Isenberg, whom he married in 1897; a son Hallam M. Richardson, an attorney in Brooklyn, N. Y., and four granddaughters. Two

daughters, Winifred and Marion Van Steenberg, are both deceased.

Funeral services were held in Arch Street Church, Philadelphia on September 8, his successor in the Philadelphia area, Bishop Fred Pierce Corson, officiating, assisted by Bishop Charles Wesley Flint, the Rev. Alexander Smith, D.D., pastor of the church, and others.

Life Membership Roll Nears 700 Mark

THOUGH the summer months proved dull, since the publication of the roster of Lifers in the May number of THE DICKINSON ALUMNUS 18 new subscriptions were received to raise the total to 696, only one less than in the same period a year ago.

The first subscription came from Mrs. Margaret Wingard Hocker, '21, of Harrisburg, Pa.

On May 12 Mrs. R. N. Niehouse, mother of Raymond N. Niehouse, Jr., '45, sent in a check to cover her son's subscription. He was then located in Peru as a pilot with T.A.P.S.A.

On the same day Prof. Forrest E. Craver bought a life membership as a birthday present for his daughter, Mrs. Margaret C. Grimm, '29.

Four of those who were awarded their diplomas at the June commencement received Life Memberships as graduation gifts from their parents. These were Doris Jean W. Krise of Harrisburg, Wilbert C. McKim, Jr., of Ellwood City, Pa., Robert T. Wheeler, Jr., of West Collingswood N. J., and Daniel R. Wolf of Trenton, N. J.

Six new subscriptions were received during the commencement season. Heading this list was that of the Rev. James J. Resh, '97, of Baltimore who was present for his 50th reunion. President George H. Armacost, '26, of the University of Redlands who received the degree of Doctor of Laws, was another subscriber as was Professor Whitfield J. Bell, Jr., '35, of the College faculty. Mrs. Lina Cunningham, one of the College housemothers, bought a Life Mem-

bership as a gift to her daughter, Hester F. Cunningham, '29. The two other commencement subscriptions came from Robert J. Trace, '36, attorney of Harrisburg for himself and his wife, Mrs. Margaret Brinham Trace, '38.

A few days after commencement, James M. Alexander, '41, of Carlisle, brought his \$40.00 check to the College office.

The next two subscriptions came from former co-eds. The first was that of Mrs. E. Gardiner Sanborn, '43, of Red Bank, N. J., and the second that of Mrs. F. E. Sanford, '28, the former Martha Jane Green, whose husband is a physician in Williamsport.

To buy a birthday gift for his mother, Mrs. Chloe E. Wagner, '09, of Harrisburg, Sgt. Major Frank H. Wagner, Jr., wrote a letter at Guam in June with which he sent his \$40.00 check. He is serving there with the Marine Corp.

While passing through Carlisle on a motor trip on July 31, Mrs. Adele R. Blumberg visited the College with her husband, Leonard Blumberg, '36, and two of their three children. Her husband having been enrolled as a Lifer some time ago, she wrote her own check to enter her name on the roll.

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Add Twelve to College Staff



DAVID A. ZARET



FRANCIS W. WARLOW

RESIGNATIONS, increased enrollment, and leaves of absence have necessitated the appointment of nine additional members of the faculty and three members of the library staff for the current library year. Three of the appointees have the rank of assistant professor; the others are instructors.

For the first time in its history the College is offering work in Russian Language. The new instructor in Russian is David A. Zaret, a native of Russia and refugee from the present regime there. He was born in Simferopol, Russia, in 1897, and has been a naturalized citizen of the United States since 1927.

A graduate of the Simferopol Gymnasium in 1914, he received his master's degree from the University of Moscow's Philological Faculty in 1919. From 1932 to 1934 he was a student at the University of Madrid. After coming to the United States after the Russian Revolution, Mr. Zaret organized and directed a private school of languages from 1922 to 1931 and from 1936 to 1944 in Russian, French, Spanish and Italian. Last year he was instructor in Russian and Spanish in the University of Delaware.

Francis W. Warlow, of Allentown, has been appointed assistant professor of English. A native of Baltimore and graduate of the Baltimore City College, he received his bachelor's degree from the Johns Hopkins University in 1931, and has done graduate work in English at the University of Pennsylvania. For several years after his graduation from college he was in business and in 1933 became instructor in English at Carson Long Institute, New Bloomfield. He served five years in the United States Army with the rank of lieutenant colonel, directing and producing training films and making aerial combat photographs.

Last year Mr. Warlow was instructor in English at Muhlenberg College. He was a member of the National Council of Teachers of English and the author of several short stories in popular magazines.

Dr. J. Clair McCullough, '09, has been appointed assistant professor of education and psychology, to teach courses formerly offered by Professor Benjamin D. James, who has been appointed Director of Admissions and dean of the



J. CLAIR McCULLOUGH



MILTON E. FLOWER

freshman class. Dr. McCullough recently retired after 27 years in public school teaching, during which time he served as principal of Washington Township schools and superintendent of schools in Waynesboro. In 1943-1944 he was instructor in physics in the war college conducted at Dickinson College.

A graduate of Dickinson College, Dr. McCullough received his master's degree from the College in 1912 and his doctorate from New York University in 1939. He is a member of the National and Pennsylvania Educational Associations and of Phi Delta Kappa fraternity.

The third assistant professor is Dr. Milton E. Flower, of Carlisle, who will teach courses in art and architecture. Dr. Flower received his master's degree in history from Columbia University in 1938 and his doctorate from the same institution in 1946. He taught in the Swatara Township high school in 1932-33 and Carlisle High School in 1933-37 and 1939-46. From 1946 until his appointment to the Dickinson faculty he was research editor and historian at the Army Information School, Carlisle Barracks.

He is a member of the American and Pennsylvania Historical Associations and

is a director of the Hamilton Library and Historical Associations of Cumberland County. In collaboration with his mother, Mrs. Lenore E. Flower, he has written a history of Carlisle. He is the author of several articles on folk art, and his biography of James Parton, a 19th century political biographer, will be published next year.

Mr. Robert Vincent Price, has been appointed instructor in mathematics to take the place of Professor Roy R. Kuebler, who has been granted a year's leave of absence for graduate work at Columbia University. An honor graduate of Missouri Valley College in 1944, he received his master's degree from Columbia University this summer. He has taught several years in high schools in Illinois and Missouri.

Miss Lucie Fitzpatrick, of Manchester, N. H., will teach French and Spanish this year while Mr. W. Wright Kirk is on loan to the United States Department of State. She was graduated from Boston University in 1925 and received her master's degree from Middlebury College in 1931. She has studied at the University of California at Los Angeles, at Columbia University, and at the Middlebury Summer Schools. Since 1928



LUCIE FITZPATRICK



R. VINCENT PRICE

she has taught French and Spanish in the high school of Manchester, N. H.

Rev. Robert M. Wise, pastor of the Lutheran Church of Mt. Holly Springs, has been appointed part-time instructor in German for the current year. He was graduated from Gettysburg College in 1928 and from the Lutheran Theological Seminary there in 1931. During the past year he has been an instructor in German at the Carlisle Barracks.

Mr. Guido Crocetti, of Bogota, N. J., has been appointed instructor in sociology. He was graduated from Rutgers University in 1941 and will receive his doctorate from the Columbia University in 1948. During the war he served for three and a half years with the United States Coast Guard.

He is the author of a number of articles on labor relations in various publications.

Mr. David H. Kirk, who was graduated in June from the West Chester State Teachers College, has been appointed instructor in physical education and assistant in football as a backfield coach. A graduate of Port Carbon High school in 1935 he entered West Chester in 1939, but withdrew in 1941 to enter

the United States Army in which he served four years, being discharged with the rank of first sergeant. In 1946 he was captain of the West Chester football team and played baseball and basketball. In track he was a pole vaulter.

Three persons have been added to the staff of the library. Robert R. Griswold, a graduate of St. Lawrence University at Canton, N. Y., has been appointed circulation librarian and curator of the Dickinsoniana Collection. He received the degree of bachelor of science in education from New York State Teachers College at Geneseo, and his masters degree from Teachers College of Columbia University in 1947. Before entering the army he was librarian of the New York State Training School for Boys at Warwick. He served two and a half years overseas in the United States Army. More recently he was circulation librarian of the library of the School of Business, Columbia University.

Mr. Bob Mowery has been appointed cataloguer in the place of Mildred L. Straka '38, who resigned to do further graduate work. A graduate of Catawba College, N. C., in 1941, Mowery served four years in the Army in Alaska and the Aleutians. He received the degree of

bachelor of library science from the University of Chicago in 1947.

Miss Eleanor Dobson, of Millsboro, Del., has been appointed assistant cataloger of the library. She received her bachelor's degree from Mary Washington College, Fredericksburg, Va., in 1946, and was graduated from the School of Library Science of Drexel Institute in 1947.

Professor Marries

Dr. William Sloane, associate professor of English, and Miss Margaret M. Martin, '35, secretary to the president of the College, were married in the First Presbyterian Church, Carlisle, on August 23.

Mrs. John I. Jones, '41, a cousin of the bride, was matron of honor, and another cousin, Mrs. Alan R. Wilson, '37, and Mrs. Harry V. Eldredge, '36, were bridesmaids. Professor Roy R. Kuebler, Jr., '33, of the faculty, was one of the ushers.

Professor Sloane has been a member of the faculty of the College since last September. He is a graduate of Hamilton College and has his graduate degrees from Columbia University. He taught at Brooklyn, St. Francis, and Russell Sage Colleges before coming to Dickinson.

Last year Mrs. Sloane taught French at the College in addition to her secretarial duties.

The couple took a wedding trip to Bermuda and are now in Carlisle, where they reside at 107 West Louther Street.

Receives Doctorate

William Sloane, associate professor of English, received the degree of doctor of philosophy at the commencement exercises of Columbia University on June 3. His graduate work was interrupted by service in the Army until his separation with the rank of captain in 1946. The subject of his thesis was "English and American Children's Books of the 17th Century."



DAVID H. KIRK

Granted Leave of Absence

W. Wright Kirk, instructor in romance languages, who was granted a leave of absence by the College in 1946 to go to Costa Rica in the cultural relations program of the United States Department of State, has had his leave extended a year at the urgent request of the State Department itself.

Mr. Kirk is serving as director of the Centro Cultural Costarricense-Norteamericano in San Jose, the capital city of Costa Rica. His work there during the past year apparently so impressed the American Mission in Costa Rica that the State Department, when it learned Kirk was making ready to return to his position at Dickinson, phoned the College specifically to request that his leave be extended.

The Centro conducts classes in English, holds lectures by visiting American scholars, promotes social intercourse between the Americans and Costa Ricans, and, in short, does all that it can to promote good will and an appreciation of the people and culture of the United States in Costa Rica.

Bishop Corson Heads Clergy Commission to Europe

BISHOP Fred Pierce Corson, '17, former President of the College, spent five weeks this summer in Europe as a member of clergy commission appointed by the Secretary of War to inspect all phases of the Government's occupational activities, as well as the general conditions in Europe and to report personally to him. Bishop Corson served as chairman of the group. The tour covered 13,000 miles in a DC54 provided by the Government with stops in Ireland, Italy, Switzerland, Austria, Germany, Luxembourg, and France and included a private audience with Pope Pius XII, conferences with all the Commanding Generals, their staffs and heads of the civil administration of occupied countries, United States Ambassadors to the countries visited, German, Austrian, Italian, and French leaders, among them the President of France and the Foreign Ministers, the clergy in each of the countries and scores of G.I.'s. On the trip inspections were made of such places of interest as Dachau, Berchtesgaden, and the Nuremberg trials. Also an extended study was made of the D.P. situation.

In a press conference held upon his return, Bishop Corson expressed the belief that while relief must be continued to the full extent of our ability to give what the countries of Europe needed most now was a definite plan of recovery from within themselves. The peoples of the occupied countries are in a vacuum waiting for direction and leadership. If the right leadership is not given soon there will be real danger that a new type of wrong leadership will take over. Everywhere the people expressed the hope that America would not withdraw our troops until Russia had withdrawn hers. Western Europe fears Russia and will not go Communist unless forced to do so. Bishop Corson

endorsed the Marshall plan in principle as a possible solution for the present World sickness but warned that it would be money and effort wasted unless it was devoted primarily to the revival of European economy rather than to relief and that it would be folly to extend aid to the countries of Europe now unless they in return demonstrated their willingness to use all their resources for recovery and cooperated in maintaining the essential democratic nature of our Western social, industrial and political economy. The Western democracies must proceed to the solution of Europe's problems and no longer delay because of the mistakes our Government made at the Yalta and Moscow conferences. If it must be two worlds instead of our world, the Democracies must make their continued existence in the World assured through intelligent and cooperative action. Bishop Corson gave special attention to the educational efforts of the Government in the occupied countries including the present university system and reported to the Secretary of War in detail concerning it. He also conferred with the Church leaders about religious policies and presided over the conference of Austrian Methodist preachers in Vienna.

Bishop and Mrs. Corson will sail from San Francisco on October 3 for a visit to Japan where, through the approval and invitation of General MacArthur, he will inspect the Church Schools of Japan and confer with military leaders on educational problems and proceed to China where he will be the Fraternal Messenger of American Methodism to the centennial celebration of Methodism in China. While there Bishop and Mrs. Corson will visit Fukien Christian University with which he established exchange student relations while President of Dickinson College.

Honor Andy Kerr on Retirement from Coaching

Andrew Kerr, '00, retired in June as head coach of football at Colgate University, whose teams he had directed since 1929, and two weeks later announced he was not yet through with football, when he signed a contract to coach the team of Lebanon Valley College at Annville.

Kerr's retirement from Colgate was mandatory because he had reached the age of 68. Colgate alumni at their annual commencement luncheon on June 14 presented him with a warm tribute of respect and affection. The formal citation read as follows:

"This tribute is inspired by our deep regard for Andy Kerr as a great teacher of young men, who both by precept and by example of his own life has so staunchly upheld the ancient education idea of *mens sana in corpore sano*.

"We honor him for his outstanding record during his eighteen years as head coach of football at Colgate; for his unswerving adherence to the highest standards of sportsmanship; and for his constant devotion to the best interests of the game, the welfare of the players, and the good name of Colgate.

"Even more, we honor him as a Christian gentleman who exemplifies in his own life the qualities and virtues that are the marks of character.

"As coach, counselor, citizen, and friend, his influence on generations of Colgate men has been far-reaching and enduring, and we are deeply grateful."

Kerr's post at Lebanon Valley will allow him to continue as head coach of the All-East eleven which annually plays in the East-West game on New Year's Day at San Francisco.

Missionary Returns from Japan

Rev. M. Mosser Smyser, '00, an independent missionary in Japan since 1903, may be on his way home this fall after an absence of 14 years.

Writing to Professor Horace E. Rogers, '24, secretary of the Dickinson Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, in reply to an invitation to attend the Chapter's Sixtieth Anniversary ceremonies on May 1, Mr. Smyser said he would soon ask permission from military authorities to sail for a furlough in the United States in October. No further word has been received.

Mr. Smyser was last in the United States in 1933. He remained at Yokote, Akita Ken, Japan, where he has worked for four decades, throughout the war. He was not molested, but he did lose the Phi Beta Kappa key he had received at the hands of Dr. Harry B. Stock, '91, upon his graduation from College. This was taken, along with his gold watch chain during the war, to be melted for the gold in it.

Attends Youth Congress

Rev. Howell O. Wilkins, '44, pastor of the Whatcoat Methodist Church, Camden, Del., attended the Second World Conference of Christian Youth at Oslo, Norway in July and the first conference of the Youth Department of the World Council of Churches at Lund, Sweden, in August. He was the official representative of the United Christian Youth Council of Maryland and Delaware.

Mr. Wilkins, who received his theological training at Drew University, is vice-chairman for the eastern division of the United Christian Youth Movement, a member of the Committee on Relief and Reconstruction of the United Christian Youth Movement and of the President's Youth Famine Committee. In Delaware he has been appointed by the governor to the Committee for the Prevention and Control of Juvenile Delinquency.

Named Assistant Dean of Law School

F. EUGENE READER, who joined the faculty of the Dickinson School of Law in 1932, was appointed assistant dean of the School in June. The post is a new one created by the Board of Incorporators at its June meeting.

The appointment of Reader was announced simultaneously with his return to the faculty of the Law School after a year's absence in which he engaged in private practice of law in Carlisle. During the war, when the enrolment of the Law School dropped to almost none, Reader served as executive vice-president and general counsel of the Standard Piezo Company, manufacturers of radio crystals. In 1946 he resigned from teaching entirely.

The new assistant dean was graduated from the College of Wooster, O., in 1928, and from the University of Pennsylvania Law School three years later. He was elected a member of the Order of the Coif, national honorary legal fraternity. For a year after his admission to the Beaver County bar in 1931 he practiced law there, and then in 1932 became professor of law at Dickinson.

Reader is an authority on administrative law. In addition to writing a number of articles for legal journals on the subject, he collaborated in drafting the Pennsylvania administrative agency law and was a member of a committee of the Pennsylvania Bar Association which drew up the original register act of Pennsylvania.

He is a member of the state and local bar associations and of the board of directors of the administrative law section of the State Bar Association.

Hold Women's Club Posts

Two alumnae of Dickinson have recently been elected officers of the Pennsylvania Federation of Women's Clubs for the three-year term beginning in 1947. They are Mrs. Miriam Faust



F. EUGENE READER

Muffly, '27, who was elected secretary, and Mrs. Virginia Loveland Miles, who was named vice-president of the Northwestern district of the Commonwealth.

Both women have been active in women's affairs for some time. Mrs. Muffly had been vice-president of the North Central District and was a member of the State Finance Committee before receiving her present post. She was a charter member, first secretary, and later president of the Women's Club of Lewisburg. She is a member of the Lewisburg Civic Club, the A. A. U. W., Daughters of the American Revolution, and Zeta Tau Alpha.

Mrs. Miles, who was graduated from Bonaventure College, Allegheny, N. Y., after leaving Dickinson, is a member of a number of women's clubs in Bradford and McKean County. For three years she has been president of the McKean County Federation of Women's Clubs; she has been a president of the Parents-Teachers Association, and is a member of the A. A. U. W. She is active in the Sunday School work of the First Presbyterian Church of Bradford. She is a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority.

Dickinsonian Named to Appellate Bench

Judge John S. Fine, '14L, judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Luzerne County, was appointed to a vacancy in the Superior Court of Pennsylvania by Governor Duff on June 17. The appointment was unanimously confirmed by the Senate.

A graduate of the Nanticoke High School in 1911, Judge Fine completed his course at the Dickinson School of Law in 1914 and was admitted to the bar of Luzerne County the following year. In 1919, while overseas with the army, he attended Trinity College, Dublin. He practiced law in Luzerne County from 1915 until 1917 and from 1919 until 1927 when he was appointed judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Luzerne County by the late Governor Gifford Pinchot.

Running for the full term of ten years that fall, Judge Fine was elected in 1927, but he failed of reelection in 1937. Two years later, however, he was elected again to his former seat and remained on the bench until this summer, when he was appointed to the Superior Court. He is a candidate in this fall's elections for the full term beginning in January.

Prominent in Dickinson alumni affairs of Luzerne County, Judge Fine is a former president of the alumni club there. He is also senior warden of St. George's Episcopal Church in Nanticoke, a member of the county, state, and national bar associations, a member of all Masonic bodies and a number of other fraternal orders. In 1945 and 1946 he headed the American Red Cross Fund for Nanticoke-Newport Township and in 1947 headed the drive of the American Cancer Society in the same area.

He was born in Alden, Luzerne County, in 1893. In 1939 he was married to Miss Helene Pennebecker Morgan, and they have two sons.



JOHN S. FINE

Represent College

Dickinson College was represented by alumni at the inaugurations of two college presidents in May and June. Rev. Dr. Stanley B. Crosland, '21, pastor of the First Congregational Church of Beloit, Wis., represented Dickinson at the inauguration of Nelson Vance Russell as president of Carroll College at Waukesha, Wis., on May 17.

Guy LeRoy Stevick, Esq., '85, vice-president of the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, with offices at San Francisco, attended the inauguration of Robert Edward Burns as president of the College of the Pacific on June 16 as a representative of Dickinson.

Dr. Walter B. Carver, '99, professor of mathematics at Cornell University, will represent the college at the inauguration of Katherine G. Blyley as president of Keuka College, Keuka Park, N. Y. on October 4. President Edel will attend the inauguration of Dr. Colgate W. Darden, Jr., as President of the University of Virginia on October 1. Dr. Darden was the commencement speaker and received the degree of doctor of laws in June.

EDITORIAL

Living Memorials

A POPULAR magazine has recently told the story of an American gentleman who, dismayed at the wastefulness and even barbarous display of funeral flowers, adopted the custom, when friends and relatives died, of buying a book he thought the deceased would have liked, writing a memorial inscription in it, and presenting it to the town library. He then told the family what he had done.

Just as a small town library—and the life of a whole community—might be enriched by such a custom, so an institutional library like Dickinson's might also profit. There have been several instances in the past where parents of students who died in college have made gifts of books to the library; on at least one occasion a fraternity presented a collection of books in memory of a faculty member especially loved and respected by its members; while more recently the family, friends and former students of the late Professor Paul H. Doney have provided a collection of books in English literature which keep alive the memory of that beloved and inspiring teacher among a generation which did not know him.

That such a memorial is useful is apparent to all. More than this, not the least recommendation of a gift of books in memoriam is that it gracefully perpetuates the memory of the dead in a way that most of them would highly approve.

Return to Normalcy

LAST year, we said a year ago, was the peak of the post-war college enrolment boom. We were wrong. This is the year that is breaking all records. To alumni who remember Dickinson when its enrolment never reached 300, the 575 of pre-war days was large. Last year's top figure of 834 was unbelievable. But now, as the new year rolls around, College officials are whispering darkly about an enrolment of upwards of 925. How far upwards, they're not too sure; but they know it won't be less.

All this is easy enough to understand. In the first place, Dickinson committed itself long ago to take back into the College any former student who, after discharge from military service, chose to return. Furthermore, the present freshman class had to be of such a size as would provide us, four years hence, with a graduating class of normal size. Finally, the maximum enrolment the College can conveniently handle is greater today than it was a few years ago.

This great increase in enrolment has had interesting consequences for the College. For one thing Dickinson has ceased to be that cozy little institution where everyone knew everyone else, faculty and students alike. It has meant the injection of impersonality into a good many regulations, and the enactment of other regulations designed to handle hundreds instead of only dozens. It has brought to the College students whose purposes are practical and believe firmly that courses in accounting

and engineering are the surest roads to success and happiness. Some of this will remain to color the life of the College in the future.

But what is equally interesting about the enrolment is that this year, for the first time since the war, the veterans are a minority of the entering class. They are in fact a very tiny number. The College can look forward in another year or two to a student body whose age and experience are not dissimilar from that of pre-war classes. The student body is returning to normalcy. And yet one hopes that something of what the veterans brought to the campus will remain with the new student generations—their earnestness of purpose, the habit of work, their inquiring minds that always demanded the reasons why, and the sense—for all their cynicism, self-pity, and suspicion of authority—of having done a man's job in a man's world.

Dickinson in the Service of the Community

LAST spring a member of the Dickinson faculty was appointed chairman of Carlisle's Planning and Zoning Commission. Here was recognition not simply of the abilities and experience of the instructor concerned, but of the principle that the colleges have a source of expert knowledge and opinion which local communities as well as the federal and state governments may tap. And the acceptance of the appointment implied a recognition that members of a college faculty have an obligation to serve the community in administrative and political capacities. This is still far off from Plato's philosopher-king, but it has the great merit of deepening the instruction of the classroom as it broadens the viewpoint of statesmen. It is a kind of extra-curricular service alumni should be happy their College is sometimes called on to give.

Bishop Richardson, Trustee

SOME people think that a college trustee must be a man of wealth. They repeat the story of the president of the board of a sister institution who informed his fellows at one annual meeting that, his search for a donor of a new library having failed, he had decided to build the structure himself. By this standard Bishop Ernest G. Richardson, '96, who served as a trustee from 1928 until his death this month, was not the most desirable kind of trustee. True, no financial appeal was ever made to the alumni and friends of the College to which he did not respond; but his gifts of dollars had to be more modest than the benefactions of others.

But there is another type of trustee, one which in the long run is far more important to a college; and of this type Bishop Richardson was a striking example. There are trustees who have a deep faith in the mission of their college; who raise a standard for education by which they insist all policies be measured; who are wise and tolerant and human in dealing with the personalities and politics of college life. This is the sort of man and the kind of trustee Bishop Richardson was. Only those who worked with him on the board can fully appreciate his service to Dickinson as a guide, a counselor, and a peacemaker. And it is a lovely thing that many now at the College who knew him only in his public role will always remember him for his baccalaureate address, delivered on the fiftieth anniversary of his graduation, in 1946, broadly learned and deeply spiritual, so much commented upon at its delivery.

Popular Methodist Hymn Composed in Carlisle

By MORRIS E. SWARTZ, JR., '23

DICKINSON COLLEGE'S storied ivy walls and classic halls may have been the setting for the composition of one of the most popular hymns of the Methodist Church.

The Hymn is No. 245 in the official hymnal of the Church published in 1935. It is entitled "The Rock of Refuge" and has the well-known refrain:

"O then to the Rock let me fly,
To the Rock that is higher than I;
O then to the Rock let me fly,
To the Rock that is higher than I."

In the hymnal the author of the words is listed as "E. Johnson, ?" and the composer of the tune is William G. Fischer.

The story of how and where this hymn was written is contained in Dr. Robert Guy McCutchan's book *Our Hymnody—A Manual of the Methodist Hymnal*, published by the Methodist Book Concern in 1937.

This account lists Erastus Johnson as the author without any question mark and then tells this story:

For a long time the source of this gospel song has been obscure. A book published in 1905 telling the story of the Methodist hymns stated that "we have no facts concerning the origin of this hymn."

On July 13, 1936, the Rev. George E. Heath, then pastor of the Wesley Methodist Episcopal Church, Worcester, Mass., wrote to Dr. McCutchan stating a woman who was worshipping in his church had spoken to him about the authorship of this hymn and asserted that her father was the author.

That woman, Mrs. Julia Johnson Howe, daughter of Erastus Johnson, author of the hymn, wrote the following account of the origin of this hymn:

"I copy the notes of the writing of the hymn, 'The Rock of Refuge,' from the back of father's book:

"At a convention of the Y. M. C. A. in 1873 at Carlisle, Pennsylvania, which I attended as a delegate from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, John Wanamaker was president. About the close of the first session a telegram came from Philadelphia announcing the failure of Jay Cook, in whose bank Wanamaker had \$70,000, which to him at that time was a serious matter and the loss of which might result in his financial undoing.

"Soon followed reports of other failures throughout the country, indicating a general panic and, of course, throwing a pall of gloom over the convention. As an expression of the common feeling I wrote this hymn.

"Mr. William Fisher (Fischer) was at the convention, who with my brother, William (since Reverend) led the singing. Mr. Fisher set the hymn to music and it immediately became popular in the convention."

Inasmuch as no convention the size of a state-wide Y. M. C. A. convention could very well have been held in 1873 in Carlisle except in connection with the use of the College buildings or on the College grounds, it is well within the realm of reason and fact that Mr. Johnson wrote these words in Old West or Old East College.

Whether Mr. Johnson had a room in one of the College buildings we shall probably never know. But it is true that a number of the Convention's meetings were held in the chapel of Emory Methodist Episcopal Church, then the "College church" supported by the faculty, and later used as the Dickinson School of Law; and it was here, on the afternoon of Thursday, September 13, 1872 (Mr. Johnson's memory was at fault in giving the year as 1873), that "The Rock of Refuge" was first sung.

The delegates did not get away from Carlisle without inspecting the College, for on the afternoon of September 12, Rev. James Andrew McCauley, president

of Dickinson, invited the visitors to view the institution that afternoon at 5 o'clock. The invitation was cordially accepted.

The Convention delegates, if the newspaper report of the Carlisle *American Volunteer* can be trusted, kept pretty busy with the reports of committees and discussions of business. One of the more engaging reports came from Beaver Falls, "in which it was stated that in their field of labor they had about one hundred Chinese employed in the cutlery works of that place.—Prayer was offered in behalf of the Chinese."

Carlislars would recognize a number of names of persons who attended the sessions of the Y. M. C. A. meeting. Among these was "Mr. Appenzellar of Chambersburg," probably the father of Paul Appenzellar, '95, who was a great churchman. Mr. Appenzellar led the public services conducted the first night of the Convention on the Carlisle Public Square.

Written and composed in Old Bellaire, first sung in the College church, this grand old hymn thus has a close connection with Dickinson College.

College To Erect Recreation Building

WITH the assistance of the federal government Dickinson College is erecting a recreation and class room building on land behind the Alumni Gymnasium. The building is expected to be ready for occupancy in February.

Under the terms of the federal government's program to help higher education in America, through the Federal Works Agency, the College has acquired a two-story frame building, 40 by 96 feet, which will serve a dual purpose. The second floor will contain four classrooms and three or four offices, while the first floor will be a large recreation room with men's and women's lavatories. The building will be connected to the central heating plant.

The College has long felt the need of a recreation hall for the students. This need has been especially acute in the last two years as the student enrollment, and especially the numbers of non-fraternity men, has increased. The recreation room will contain a stage for the presentation of dramatic and musical productions.

In addition to the erection of the recreation building, a few improvements were made to the grounds and buildings during the summer. The usual painting was done. The Biddle House was plastered and painted inside, and the Gibbs House interior was repainted. Gibbs House will be used for women

this year after a year's use by male students. Several new offices were made in Denny Hall and West College.

Most noticeable improvement to the grounds was the construction of a pathway across the Mooreland Campus from the corner of High and College Streets to the Baird Biology Building.

The College bookstore, which for years was located in a small room in Denny Hall, has been moved to the basement of the Alumni Gymnasium. The business done by the bookstore had long ago outgrown the cramped quarters it had in Denny Hall; with the swelling of student enrollment in the last two years, a change to a larger room was imperative. The store now occupies the room formerly used as a P-X by the Army Air Forces, when the cadets were at Dickinson in 1943 and 1944.

Writes on Bach

Dr. J. Murraby Barbour, '18, is the author of a paper, "Bach and The Art of Temperament," which was published in the January, 1947 issue of *The Musical Quarterly*. A few years ago, his paper "Musical Logarithms" appeared in *Scripta Mathematica*.

Dr. Barbour is a member of the faculty of Michigan State College at East Lansing, and so far as is known is the only Dickinsonian with an earned doctorate in musicology.

Organize Dickinson Club of Southern California

WITH twenty-eight present, the Dickinson Club of Southern California was organized at a dinner meeting held at the Chapman Park Hotel in Los Angeles on the evening of August 26. Robert W. Hefflefinger, '12, was elected president and Joseph S. Stephens, '26, of 3231 Midvale Avenue, Los Angeles, 34, California, was elected secretary-treasurer.

Learning that President William W. Edel was spending a vacation with his daughter, Mrs. Thomas H. Denman, in Coronado, Dr. George H. Armacost, '26, President of the University of Redlands, planned for the meeting and sent letters to all Dickinsonians in the Los Angeles area. He also selected a committee of three to contact alumni. In addition to the two officers who were elected, Dr. James E. Dunning, '05, who later served as toastmaster of the dinner, served as the committee.

In writing about the affair, Joe Stephens said in part:

"We gathered in the lobby of the Hotel before going into dinner. Few of us had ever met any of the other Dickinsonians, even Dr. Edel was new to us, so we had to smell 'the Red Devils' as they arrived. Dr. Armacost almost led us into the bar, for you know this is the dry season in Southern California."

Joe also gave a report at the address made by Dr. Edel when he wrote:

"He told us about Dickinson College at present, the good physical condition

of the plant, the financial condition, the increased student body, the faculty, the increased cost of operation with the added G.I.'s, that the students still play pranks and operate with the same genius as in our days at college. Improvements to the College buildings were described, along with the commencement exercises of last June. Dr. Edel won the hearts of all with his sincere and friendly talk and we all felt a warmth for the old College."

Following the organization of the Club, Dr. Armacost spoke briefly and invited the group to meet at Redlands University where he is president sometime in January or February of next year and his invitation was accepted.

Those present at the organization meeting were Willard E. Burch, '94, of Inglewood; Judge John Perry Wood, '01, and Mrs. Wood; Maude A. Irving, '02; Dr. James E. Dunning, '05; Mrs. Mary Mosser Bassler, '06; Hewlings Mumper, '10; Norris Mumper, '12, and Mrs. Mumper; Robert W. Hefflefinger, '12, and Mrs. Hefflefinger; F. Leslie Hart, '16; Daniel F. Graham, '16, and Mrs. Graham; The Rev. Lawrence E. Warren, '22, and Mrs. Warren; Dr. George H. Armacost, '26, and Mrs. Armacost; Joseph S. Stephens, '26, and his wife, Catherine Ober Stephens, '27; John S. Kreider, '27; L. Dale Gasteiger, '35; The Rev. Frank C. Matthews, '35; Robert D. Wayne, '35, and Mrs. Wayne; and Mrs. Eva Cass Jahn, '07, and her husband Mr. Gustave A. Jahn.

"Difficulty at Dickinson College"

Arnold W. Kresge, '41, has presented to the College Library a copy of the *New York Daily Tribune* of February 5, 1856, which contains the following tantalizing story under the heading, "Difficulty at Dickinson College":

"One hundred of the students of Dickinson College have rebelled against the

Faculty in consequence of the alleged unjust expulsion of four members."

What had happened was that on Saturday, February 2, the faculty expelled four students "for being concerned in a series of outrages in the lecture room" of Professor Otis H. Tiffany, professor of mathematics. What the nature of the "outrages" was, is not clear. But the students reacted in a way that was com-

mon to students of that generation.

A large number promptly entered into a compact to attend no more classes until three of the four culprits were readmitted. The whole affair "created quite a breeze in town," as a local paper

put it; but after two or three days, tempers abated, the students returned to class, and the episode was closed.

But what became of the four who were suspended for outraging Professor Tiffany's classroom?

College Founder Spiritedly Defends His College

AN AMUSING contemporary comment on the rivalry of Dr. Benjamin Rush and his newly-founded Dickinson College with the University of the State of Pennsylvania, headed by Provost John Ewing, was made by Francis Hopkinson, signer of the Declaration of Independence, lawyer, essayist, musician and wit, in a short essay entitled "New Sources of Amusement," printed in the *Pennsylvania Packet*, a Philadelphia newspaper, for March 1, 1785.

Hopkinson refers to the quarrel between the two institutions and their sponsors over the nature of the ecclesiastical tone of each. The University, with a new Board of Trustees, was on a more catholic foundation than ever. But Dickinson College was essentially a Presbyterian institution and so was fairly described as having a narrow basis. What makes the war of words especially absurd was that both institutions were, then as now, by the terms of their charters, non-sectarian, with no religious oaths and tests required of any trustee, faculty member or student.

In his essay Hopkinson refers to sources of amusement for him. He likes to watch the apparently unreasonable and mad antics of people on the street; he puts together scraps of overheard conversation into absurd patterns; and he likes to listen in on the heated controversies of partisans. The Rush-Ewing controversy is one of these, and he describes it in the following terms:

Scene—Philadelphia.

Enter a doctor of divinity, and a doctor of medicine.

A very familiar dialogue commences, in which each performer endeavors to

display the character of his antagonist in as striking a manner as possible to my great satisfaction. I imagine I see the professional battle. The divine throws text of scripture in the face of his adversary, and hampers him with the cards of logical conclusions; whilst the physician squirts clysters at the divine, and claps cantharides on his back.

But the most comical part of the scene is this. The learned divine hoists the university, and exposing its naked skin, exclaims with admiration—"Oh, charming! behold and see what a *broad bottom* is here!" Whereupon the physician immediately *hoists Dickinson college*, and with equal eloquence descants upon its *narrow bottom*.—"Look, says the divine, on this capacious disk—on the one side sits the *pope*; on the other side sits *Luther*; and see how snug *Calvin* lies between them both." "It's all wrong replies the physician, *Calvin* has no business there: he will be choked—he will be suffocated—he will be squeezed to death—here is a fine *narrow bottom* more fit for his accommodation. He can have it all to himself—he is a *usurper* there, but *this* is his own flesh and blood." From words they proceed to blows. The divine is heated with zeal seven times hotter than Nebuchadnezzar's furnace: he vociferates—"The sword of the Lord and of Gideon!" and forthwith flays away on the narrow bottom of poor *Carlisle*. The physician is also enraged. "By the bones of Boerhaave, and the dust of Hippocrates, says he, I will be even with you:" and without further prelude, falls to scourging the pope, Luther, and Calvin all at once upon the broad bottom of the university."

PERSONALS

1881

Mrs. Louise Ninde Gamewell, former Methodist missionary to China, and the wife of the Reverend Frank D. Gamewell, D.D., died in Clifton Springs Sanatorium, Clifton Springs, N. Y., at the age of 89 years on August 26. She was the author of several books on China including "The Gateway to China", and was the daughter of the late Bishop William Ninde. In addition to her husband she is also survived by a brother, Dr. Fred Ninde of New York.

1883

John M. Rhey, Esq., College trustee and oldest member of the Cumberland County bar, was formally felicitated at his home in Carlisle on his 89th birthday August 9. A scroll of greetings, signed by all the active members of the County Bar Association, was presented to Mr. Rhey by former Judge Edward M. Biddle, Jr., '86, dean of the local bar, Merrill F. Hummell, president of the Bar Association, and Jacob M. Goodyear, '17. Mr. Rhey was admitted a member of the bar in 1896, after having served several years as journal clerk of the State Senate and court stenographer of Cumberland County.

1897

Frank C. Cheston is in the electric rivet and metal heaters business with offices at 38 Park Row, New York City, 7.

1900

Rev. Albert M. Witwer, D.D., completed his second six-year term as superintendent of the North District of the Philadelphia Conference, when he was appointed Field Secretary of the \$500,000 endowment campaign of the Preachers' Aid Society of that conference. His new address is 1336 Fillmore St., Philadelphia, 24, Pa.

1902

Colonel James G. Steese, U. S. A. retired, who attended the 45th reunion at Commencement, spent July and August in Alaska where for some years he was in charge of that territory's highways, railroads, rivers and harbors.

1904

The Rev. William J. Lindsay retired from the Philadelphia Conference in May after serving 42 years in the ministry, 20 of those

years as the pastor of one church. He is now living at 5137 Oakland St., Philadelphia, 24.

The herd of Ivo V. Otto, Cumberland County farmer, had the highest butter fat production record for July of any herd in the Original Cumberland County Dairy Herd Improvement Association.

1907

At the class reunion at Commencement, those present selected a committee of three to carry on the affairs of the class until the next reunion five years hence. Leon A. McIntire was named chairman, with Allen D. Thompson and Mrs. Florence Ralston Belt as the other members of the committee.

Ralph Ebbert is executive assistant in the Carrier Corporation, Syracuse, N. Y.

1909

Clarence D. MacGregor is a candidate for school director for the borough of Carlisle on the Republican primary ticket.

1912

Rev. C. W. Kitto, D.D., was again appointed a district superintendent in the Philadelphia Conference at the annual session in May.

Judge Karl E. Richards is a candidate for reelection as judge of the Orphans Court of Dauphin County.

1915

E. J. Heck, husband of Phyllis Mason Heck, died on May 22 in Wilmington, Del., after a long illness.

1917

Charles H. Meck, father of Mrs. Elizabeth Young, died at his home in Carlisle at the age of 85 years on July 21. In addition to Mrs. Young with whom he resided, he is survived by another daughter, Mrs. Helen Getz of York, and a sister, Mrs. Jacob Miller of Mechanicsburg.

1919

Judge John G. Curran is a candidate for reelection as judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Schuylkill County.

1920

Rev. Henry Schley Fox, pastor of Trinity

Evangelical and Reformed Church, Gettysburg, for the last 17 years, received the degree of doctor of divinity from Franklin and Marshall College in June. In May he retired as president of the Synodical Council of the Mercersburg Synod of the Evangelical and Reformed Church. He had held the position four years and had served as vice president of the Council four years before that.

1921

Mrs. Susan L. Brame, wife of the Rev. Edward G. Brame, pastor of St. Stephen's Lutheran Church in New Kensington and mother of Edward, Jr., a student of the College, died in the Harrisburg Hospital after an illness of some weeks on May 21.

1923

Dr. J. Earl Brackbill, who is practicing medicine at Bangor, was recently elected a delegate to the Pennsylvania State Medical Convention for two years by the Northampton County Medical Society.

1924

The Rev. Elvin Clay Myers, D.D., after serving as superintendent of the Williamsport District for five years, accepted an invitation to become pastor of the Methodist Church at Bloomsburg last spring.

Sidney D. Kline, member of the College Board of Trustees and president of the Berks County Trust Company, Reading, was named chairman of the trust company section of the Pennsylvania Bankers Association at the meeting of that body held in Atlantic City in May.

E. Laurence Springer, headmaster of Pingry School, Elizabeth, N. J., was one of 65 secondary school educators from all over the country who were invited to attend the final conference of Princeton University's Bicentennial Year in May. The conference, on whose planning committee Springer served, discussed the topic "The School of Tomorrow—The Responsibility placed on Secondary Education in the Years Ahead."

1925

Gordon W. Hemmerly is serving as editor of the RCA Victor Family News, published by the Radio Corporation of America at its Lancaster Division. For many years Mr. Hemmerly was in newspaper work in Hazleton.

Mrs. Norman W. Lyon is serving as president of the Women's Auxiliary of Washington and Jefferson College. She presided in June at the commencement luncheon as she did last fall at the inaugural luncheon for President and Mrs. James Herbert Case.

1926

Mrs. Mary Read Smith and Harold G. Oerther, '27, were married by the Rev. J. Wesley Lord, D.D., '27, on May 21. The ceremony took place at the home of Tom and Helen Gallagher at Millburn, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Jenkins of Scranton have announced the birth of twins, a son, Daniel Henry, and a daughter, Dana, on April 13.

Rev. Roy T. Henwood is pastor of the First Methodist Church of West Pittston.

Garvin R. Pepper, formerly an instructor at Little Rock Junior College, Little Rock, Ark., has been appointed to the faculty of Williamsport-Dickinson Junior College as an instructor in chemistry. He received his master's degree at Temple University.

1927

Isabelle Hoover has returned to her position in the Carlisle High School after spending a year as an exchange teacher in the Frederick Street School, Aberdeen, Scotland. At the end of her term in Scotland, she travelled in England, Italy, Switzerland, and France.

1929

Dr. E. Blaine Hays, Carlisle physician, passed flight examinations at the Carlisle Airport in July and was granted a private pilot license. In September Dr. Hays took a two weeks graduate course in obstetrics at Cooke County Graduate School of Medicine in Chicago.

1930

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Kearney of Dunmore have announced the birth of a son, James, on May 1. Mrs. Kearney is the former Virginia Woods.

Dr. E. S. Kronenberg, Jr., Carlisle physician, is a candidate for a school director of the borough of Carlisle on the Democratic primary ticket.

1931

Announcement has been made of the marriage of George William Adams of Madison, N. J., to Miss Florence George Newsome of Jamaica Plain, Mass. Mr. Adams is a graduate of the Drexel School of Library Science and served two years with the 8th Air Force in England.

The Rev. Frank W. Ake, pastor of the Avis Methodist Church, was graduated cum laude from the Theological Seminary of Drew University, Madison, N. J., on June 9. He received the Ezra Squier Tipple and Edna White Tipple Fellowship which provides for graduate study in the United States or abroad.

Dr. Mark M. Evans was appointed in May

director of elementary education and principal of the Campus Demonstration School at the West Chester State Teachers College. He was principal of the Senior High School for four years, principal of the Junior High School one year and principal and supervisor of elementary schools at Brownsville, Pa., for eight years. He received his Ph.D. at the University of Pittsburgh in 1943.

William B. Burgyes, father of Mrs. E. Gardner Hays of Carlisle, died at his home in Newark, N. J., on July 4. He is also survived by his wife, Mrs. Mabel Chandler Burgyes.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard M. Bahr of Lawyer's Hill, Elkridge 27, Md., announced the birth of a daughter, Mary Shafer, their third child, on January 20. Mrs. Bahr is the former Florence E. Rieffe.

J. Boyd Landis is the Democratic candidate for the judgeship of the courts of Cumberland County. He formerly served a term as district attorney.

1932

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen A. Teller of Wilkes-Barre announced the birth of a daughter, Gailey Chambers Teller, on March 8. They have a son and two daughters. Mrs. Teller is the former Esther Chambers.

Prof. and Mrs. William Gilbert of Evanston, Ill., announced the birth of a son, Steven Michael, in May. They have a daughter, Susan, aged 4½. Bill teaches psychology at the University of Illinois, and is acting head of the personnel bureau there.

Helmuth Joel is the author of a poem "Hafen" in German which is published in the June-August 1947 issue of "The American-German Review" which is published by the Carl Schurz Memorial Foundation of Philadelphia.

John J. Teti, who graduated from Temple Law School in 1936, and has been deputy prothonotary of Chester County since 1940, has been chosen by the Republican Chester County Committee as its nominee for prothonotary in the fall elections.

Rev. Lowell M. Atkinson was awarded the degree of doctor of philosophy by Drew University in June and at the same time received the Ezra Squier Tipple Fellowship in Preaching for a year's study and travel abroad. The title of his doctoral dissertation was "The Conception of Man in Evangelical Humanism." Dr. Atkinson is pastor of the Methodist Church of Hackensack, N. J.

1933

Benjamin R. Epstein delivered an address which has been printed as a paper, "The Educational Approach to Better Group Relationships," given at the Fifth Plenary Ses-

sion of the National Community Relations Advisory Council held in Atlantic City last March.

M. Louise Heckman began work on the first of this month as Adult Club Director in the Harrisburg Y.W.C.A. and she is now living with her parents at 1934 N. Second St., Harrisburg.

1934

Mr. and Mrs. A. Carlyle Hecker, of Jenkintown, announced the birth of a daughter, Deborah Elizabeth, on May 15. They have a four year old son, A. Carlyle Hecker, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale F. Shughart, 129 Wilson Street, Carlisle, announced the birth of a son on May 22.

Thomas C. Gibb is now at the Shanghai American School, Shanghai, China. His address is 10 Hengshan Lu, Shanghai China.

Dale F. Shughart is the Republican candidate for judge of the Cumberland County courts. His Democratic opponent is J. Boyd Landis, '31, a fraternity brother.

William R. Mark, practicing attorney of Shippensburg, is the Republican candidate for district attorney of Cumberland County.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mangan of Washington, D. C., announced the birth of their fourth child, a girl, on May 29.

1935

Dr. Walter P. Bitner has taken a leave from his practice in Mechanicsburg to spend three years in the study of radiology at the Graduate School of Medicine of the University of Pennsylvania. Dr. Bitner has been practicing in Mechanicsburg since completing his internship at Harrisburg Hospital in 1941.

1937

Letters have been coming from Mrs. Robert Grangy, the former Genevieve Marechal, whose address is 9, rue d'Assas, Paris 6e, France. She is now serving as secretary to the Association Universitaire Franco-Americaine which serves former French students and teachers in the States and American students and teachers in France.

Charles W. Kugler, who is also a graduate of the Law School, opened an office in June for the general practice of law at 23 East Main Street, New Bloomfield, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard R. Blumberg, of Manville, N. J., announced the birth of a son, Allen, on May 12. They have a daughter, Joyce, aged 4½ years, and a son, Bruce, 2 years.

Robert P. Miller has been appointed advertising and sales promotion manager of the Wilmington Hosiery Mills, Inc., of Wilmington, Del. Before entering the army in

1942 Miller was in the advertising department of E. I. duPont de Nemours and Company of Wilmington and since his discharge from the service he had been an account executive with the John Gilbert Craig Advertising Agency of Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shuman, Jr., have announced the birth of a son at Carlisle Hospital on August 10.

Joseph J. McIntosh, Carlisle attorney, who was elected to the Pennsylvania General Assembly in 1940, but resigned in 1942 to enter military service, is a candidate for district attorney of Cumberland County on the Democratic ticket.

Eleanor M. Swope is secretary to Joseph E. Ridder, president, The Journal of Commerce, 63 Park Road, New York City.

Richard N. Boulton has been appointed assistant to the sales promotion manager of Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Company. He and his wife and two sons expect to move to West Hartford, Conn., on December 1.

1938

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis M. Bacon, Jr., of Baltimore have announced the marriage of their daughter, Nancy Heller, to Donald H. Eunson on June 21 in the Methodist Church, Jermy, Pa.

John F. Bacon became business manager of the Pennington School, Pennington, N. J., in July. He resigned a position with Pan-American Airway to accept the appointment.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Chilton have announced the birth of a son at Carlisle Hospital on August 10.

Shortly before he left Vienna, where he was attached to UNRRA, T. Edward Munce, '39, made inquiries for several of the Dickinson German exchange students. From the father of Martin H. J. Mohrdiek, he learned that Mohrdiek was an officer in the Wehrmacht but that no word has been received of him since the battle of Stalingrad. He was married and his wife now lives in Tuebingen with their four-year-old daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Oberdick have announced the birth of a son at Doctors Hospital, New York City, on September 4.

1939

Mr. and Mrs. William D. Reese of Cowley, Wyo., have announced the birth of a son, Robert Jenkins Reese, on June 2. The couple have two other children, Barbara Ann and William David, Jr. Mrs. Reese is the former Elsa Bluhm. Mr. Reese is teacher and coach in the high school in Cowley.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Royer of Harrisburg have announced the birth of a daughter, Carolyn Lee, on April 11.

Mr. and Mrs. David Terwilliger of 849

Brunswick Road, Baltimore 21, Md., announce the birth of a son, David Thomas, on June 21. Mrs. Terwilliger is the former Barbara Barakat.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas C. Bell of Toronto, Ont., Canada, have announced the birth of a daughter Susan Jenks on July 22. Bell is Canadian sales manager for the Bay State Grinding Wheel Company, of Massachusetts.

Dr. Robert H. Llewellyn, who returned home last spring from a year's study at Oxford University, is teaching English at Temple University.

Nancy Robertson, infant daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Gordon F. Robertson, died at Babies' Hospital, New York City, on July 25. Mrs. Robertson is the former Virginia Auburn. She lives at 131 East 19th Street, New York City.

The efforts of T. Edward Munce while in Vienna with UNRRA, to contact former Dickinson German exchange students were unavailing in the case of Robert Eggert. A letter addressed to Eggert's last-known address in Krefeld was returned unopened, the postal authorities having no record of him.

1940

Dr. Frank Werner, who was discharged from the Army Medical Corps with the rank of captain in June, began a residency on July 1 at Kansas City General Hospital, Kansas City, Mo. He graduated from the University of Pennsylvania Medical School in 1944.

Major Lloyd P. Kirby, who served overseas in the C.B.I. theater from January 1944 to December 1945, holds the post of Public Information Officer at Fort Dix, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald M. Geesey, Jr., of Sylvan Hills, Hollidaysburg, announce the birth of a son, Gill Gregory, on July 20.

Dr. Paul Gorsuch has become a trainee of the National Cancer Institute, and has begun a three-year study of cancer under their sponsorship. He will spend the first year under the tutelage of Dr. Dudley Jackson in the Nix Hospital, San Antonio, Tex.

Dr. Harry J. Fryer has announced the opening of his offices at Cypress and Guenther Avenue, Yeadon, where he will limit his practice to pediatrics.

1941

Jay Elicker was elected in June as coach of football, basketball and track at Smethport High School, near Bradford. This will be his first coaching position. During the second semester of the past school year, he taught at John Harris High School, Harrisburg. Shortly before that he returned from service in the Army Air Corps, from which he was discharged with the rank of major.

Mrs. Andrew W. Walters, the former

Joyce Crichmay, received her B.A. in psychology at George Washington University in February 1947. Her address is 149 Danbury St., S.W., Washington, D. C.

Arnold W. Kresge resigned his position in June with the International Plastic Harmonica Corporation and is now with the J. L. McFadden Co., of Newark, N. J., as export sales representative. His address is 3 Roanoke Avenue, Newark, 5, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Barnett, of Chevy Chase, Md., have announced the engagement of their daughter Roberta Irene to William T. Nelson. Nelson is general manager of the United States Paper Mill of Chambersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace V. Parry have announced the marriage of their daughter Margaret Parry Wolcott to Richard H. Ellis on August 23 in Old Christ Church, Broad Creek Hundred, Laurel, Del. The couple now reside in Carlisle, where Ellis is attending the Dickinson School of Law.

Bayne Snyder, who received his master of science degree from the State University of Iowa in June, is now in Madison, Wis., with his wife, where he is studying for his doctorate in crop breeding at the University of Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. John N. Church moved from California on September 1 to 109 Washington Street, Woodstown, N. J.

1942

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Rosalie B. Milanick and Alvin J. Bello on May 10. Both are graduates of Temple Law School, and are now practicing in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Keller, of Maplewood, N. J., have announced the birth of a son on July 13. Mrs. Keller is the former Aleta I. Kistler.

Lt. Comdr. Frank M. Romanick, was awarded his Dickinson bachelor's degree in June. Upon completing his studies at the Postgraduate School, United States Naval Academy, he has been assigned as communications officer on the staff of the commanding officer, Transport Squadron One.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul C. Janaske are now living near Kent, O., where Janaske is doing graduate work in biological science at Kent State University.

Harold H. Brenner received the degree of master of business administration from the University of Pennsylvania on August 28 upon the completion of his studies at the Wharton Graduate School there.

Sylvester S. Aichele was awarded the degree of master of arts by the University of Pennsylvania at its summer convocation on August 28.

Y. Duke Hance was married in St. John's Evangelical Church of Newark, O., on July 12 to Miss Lorraine Schuler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Schuler, of Newark.

R. Lawrence Smith is studying for the priesthood in the Episcopal Church in the Order of St. Francis at the Little Portion Monastery, Mt. Sinai, Long Island, N. Y.

1943

Dr. John L. McCormack has completed his internship at Jefferson Hospital, Philadelphia, and has since taken up his duties there as a resident physician in surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard A. Reed of Ogallala, Nebr., have announced the marriage of their daughter Lynn Hope to Dr. Laurence S. Jackson, of Catonsville, on July 9. Mrs. Jackson is a graduate of Colorado Women's College and the Johns Hopkins School of Nursing. Dr. Jackson is now in the Army Medical Corps for two year's service.

Lieutenant (i.g.) Robert A. Grugan who received his M.D. from Jefferson Medical College in 1946, will continue to serve in the Naval Reserve until next May. He is on duty at the receiving station Boston, Mass. He and his wife the former Marion Van Auken, '41, have a two year old son.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford P. Graham of Carlisle announced the birth of a daughter, Rebecca West, on August 18. Mrs. Graham is the former Jeannette Eddy. Her husband is a student at the Law School.

1944

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence O. Kuester, Jr., of 2222 Charlotte Drive, Charlotte, N. C., announced the birth of a son, Alan Willis Kuester, on April 15. They have a daughter, Kitty, now two years old.

Helen T. Frendlich received the degree of master of science in retailing at the commencement exercises of New York University on June 11.

Rev. George W. Harrison was transferred from the Methodist Church at Bendersville to the church at Mifflintown, in the Central Pennsylvania Conference, in July.

Mrs. Roger Hollan, the former Edith Lingle, who is a graduate of the School of Nursing at Yale University, began her duty early this month as an instructor of microbiology and pathology in the Lancaster Hospital, Lancaster.

Robert W. Saunderson, Jr., graduated from the medical school of the University of Rochester in March. Until July he was a resident in pathology at the Youngstown, O., Hospital and since then has begun his formal internship in internal medicine at Albany, N. Y., Hospital. His engagement to Miss Emily Jean Reynolds of Rochester was announced in January.

George Benedict is attending the Harvard Law School.

Edna Powell served as a pharmacist's mate second class in the Navy during the war and is now attending the Pembroke School of Brown University.

1945

Helen E. Gulden was married on May 18 to William J. Coyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin G. Coyle, in St. John's Lutheran Church of Boiling Springs. After attending Dickinson College, Mrs. Coyle graduated from West Chester State Teachers College. Mr. Coyle is a graduate of Duke University who saw considerable service in the E.T.O. as a pilot and captain in the Army Air Forces. He is associated with his father, Mervin G. Coyle, '17, in the Coyle Lumber Company. The couple reside at Carlisle, R.D. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. James Prescott, III of Philadelphia, announce the birth of a son, James Steven, on May 5. Mrs. Prescott is the former Wilma Barkalow.

Edwin V. Diehl is attending Princeton University.

Jay Paul Bright, who was graduated with honors from Princeton University in June, is now enrolled at the Harvard Law School.

William F. Kerney, who will attend the Dickinson School of Law this fall, was graduated from Franklin and Marshall College in June. He was on the Dean's List and was a member of the John Marshall Law Club.

Edwin V. Emtick, was graduated with honors from Franklin and Marshall College in June. He has accepted an assistantship in chemistry at the University of Delaware this year.

Harriette B. Line was married in Hendrick's Chapel of Syracuse University on June 2 to Charles Sydnor Thompson, Jr., following commencement exercises at which the bride received the degree of bachelor of music. Mr. Thompson will receive a master's degree from Syracuse University this fall; at present he is attending Harvard Law School.

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Kearney, Jr. have announced the birth of a daughter Victoria Anne at Harrisburg on June 19.

Rev. and Mrs. Melvin D. Riddle have announced the marriage of their daughter Ruth Genevieve to Ellsworth R. Browneller in the Central Presbyterian Church of Chambersburg on June 14. Browneller is a student of medicine at Jefferson Medical College.

Robert H. Morrow, father of Ellen B. Morrow, died on July 23 at Bryn Mawr Hospital.

Harry J. McDevitt is associated with the Ford News Bureau in Detroit, Mich.

Whitney B. Garrett, Jr., has been trans-

ferred from the Chicago office of Alexander and Smith to the firm's Baltimore office.

1946

Roger A. Woltjen was graduated with honors from the University of Pennsylvania on June 18. He is now attending Harvard Law School.

Catherine Crouse is working in a chemistry at Calco Chemical, Bound Brook, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Pearson Miller, III of Wilmington, Del., announce the birth of a son, John Pearson, IV, on May 6.

The engagement of Fern Louise McCormick, '47, to Jacob L. Barber, Jr., was announced on June 5. Barber is doing graduate work at Lehigh University.

Richard W. Skinner is a student at Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia.

Marion V. Bell is attending the Library School of the University of Toronto.

1947

June Marjorie Burkholder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester W. Burkholder, was married to David Edward Lutz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Urie D. Lutz at the Second Presbyterian Church, Carlisle, on June 25. The couple now reside in an apartment at 143 North Hanover Street and the groom is associated with his father in the operation of the Daily Motor Express.

John D. Schlomer has accepted a position with the Armstrong Cork Company, Lancaster, and has entered the sales training program of the Company's Floor Division.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Brominski of 127 West Louthier Street, Carlisle, announce the birth of a daughter on July 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Julian Culmann of Englewood, N. J., have announced the engagement of their daughter Pauline to Warren G. Morgan.

Blake Lee Spahr and Margaret Elizabeth MacGregor, '46, were married at the home of the bride's parents in Carlisle on August 30. Mrs. James Prescott, '45, was matron of honor and Wilbert C. McKim was best man. The couple will live in New Haven, Conn., where Spahr has an appointment as instructor in German at Yale University.

Jean Uhland is attending Ohio State University, where she has been awarded a scholarship for graduate study in economics.

Robert G. Crist, who will enter the Dickinson School of Law this fall, spent the summer at Oxford University, where he was enrolled at Dean Somerville College. After the six weeks' course at Oxford, he visited Scotland, France, Belgium and Holland.

Joseph I. Nagy was married to Miss Helen Marie Wilsbach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob A. Wilsbach, in St. James Catholic

Church, Steelton, on August 23. Joe is working as a chemical analyst with Distiller's Limited.

William A. Getchey has transferred from the School of Theology of Boston University to Drew Theological Seminary. He has been appointed pastor of Wesley Memorial Methodist Church in Kensington.

Dr. George Raymond Brown, Jr. who received his diploma from the College last June though he first entered the College in 1941, also received his M.D. degree from Temple University in June. He is now serving his internship at Memorial Hospital, Morristown, N. J.

Harold L. Stowell, who was graduated from the College on June 8, was married on June 7 to Miss Helene Sara Cline, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cline, of Carlisle. Ushers included Fred S. Wilson, William P. Virgin, David H. Williams, Jr., and Everett C. Smith, all fraternity brothers of the bridegroom.

Helen S. Meals is teaching social studies in the Carlisle High School.

1948

Donald Englander and Vivian Virginia Rice were married in the rectory of St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Carlisle, on August 20.

Joseph O. Strite was married to Miss Lois Virginia Snyder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Snyder, Jr., of Carlisle, in the Zion Lutheran Church, Harrisburg, on June 10. Mrs. Strite is a graduate of the College of Nursing and Health of the University of Cincinnati and is now working in the operating room of the Carlisle Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Terris, of Carlisle, have announced the engagement of their daughter Anne to Peter W. Seras. Miss Terris is a graduate of the Central Pennsylvania Business College. Seras is now attending Dickinson School of Law.

Mr. and Mrs. David Javitch have announced the engagement of their daughter Phyllis Marcia to Mr. Norman B. Lipsitz, of Everett, Mass. Mr. Lipsitz studied at Boston University and Harvard University and is now engaged in business in Boston.

OBITUARY

1892—William W. Hepburn, of Villanova, a retired operator of oil and industrial properties, died on September 12 in the Bryn Mawr Hospital. Born in Carlisle on November 20, 1873, he was the son of the late Mr. Samuel and Mrs. (Marie Japy) Hepburn, and grandson of the late Judge Samuel Hepburn, of Cumberland County. He prepared for College at the Dickinson Preparatory School and was a student of the College for two years, leaving to enter the engineering corps Cumberland Valley Railroad. While a student he became a member of Chi Phi fraternity.

Mr. Hepburn, who retired fifteen years ago, was a former president of the Republic Oil and Gas Co., the Louis F. Payn Oil Co., and the Woodburn Oil Corporation. He was also a one-time president of the Nelson & Albemarle Railway Company, and vice-president and managing director of the Eastern Petroleum Co. and the Virginia Albemarle Corporation. During the First World War, he was chairman of the speakers' bureau, Pennsylvania division of the American Red Cross.

A member of the Racquet, University, Philadelphia Country, Merion Cricket, Gulph Mills Golf and Philobiblon clubs, he is survived by his wife, the former Jane Shaw, of Williamsport; a son, William W., Jr.; two daughters, Mrs. Morris H. Dixon and Mrs. William P. Maddox; four grandsons, a sister, Mrs. Malcolm Sterrett, and a brother, Adm. A. J. Hepburn, USN, retired, '96.

1896—The Rev. Henry S. Noon, pastor of the Ashland Avenue Methodist Church, West Manayunk, died following a heart attack on July 20 in the Woodland Hospital, Woodland, Calif., where he was vacationing with his wife and daughter.

Born in Philadelphia on February 8, 1875, he prepared for college at the Philadelphia high school and Rugby Academy. He received an A.B. degree upon his graduation in 1896 and the B.D. degree from Drew Theological Seminary in 1899. He also did graduate work at New York University and the University of Glasgow, Scotland. For 46 years he served charges in the Philadelphia Conference. He was a member of Phi Delta Theta Fraternity.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth M. Noon, of 425 Anthwyn Road, Merion, a daughter, Miss Elizabeth F. Noon, and two sons, John A., of Takoma Park, D. C., and Charles W., who lives at Merion.

1897—William G. Thomas of Lansford, a Common Pleas Court Judge in Carbon County from 1928 to 1940, died on August 11 in University Hospital, Philadelphia. Judge Thomas was appointed to the bench by Governor John S. Fisher in May, 1928, and was elected to a full ten-year term in January, 1930.

Born in Drifton, on November 27, 1871, he worked in coal mines and stone quarries during his boyhood to earn sufficient funds to study at the Kutztown State Normal School and at the College. After a year as a student he withdrew to read law and was admitted to the bar in Carbon County in 1897. While a student, he became a member of Theta Delta Chi fraternity.

A year after he was admitted to the bar he became a referee in bankruptcy and later a member of the law firm of Fruyman, Thomas and Branch. He was president of the Patriotic Sons of America in 1905 and in his earlier years also served as county solicitor for the Middle Coal Field Poor District.

Long a student of American literature, Judge Thomas' years in law deprived him of the time to devote to the subject. Upon his retirement as a jurist he seized the opportunity to satisfy a life-long desire and, at the age of 68, he enrolled in 1940 for a summer course at Columbia University. One of his fellow-students was his son, Robert, of Lansford, who survives him. He is also survived by his wife and a daughter, Mrs. William Moore, of Hartford, Conn.

1902—Arthur H. Carver, for 25 years director of the Training Division of the Industrial Relations Department of Swift and Company and former principal and superintendent of schools in New England, died after a long illness at his home in Oak Park, Ill., on July 27. He had been in ill health since 1945 and was confined to his bed for eight months.

Born on May 2, 1882, in Snowshoe, he entered the College in 1898 from the Dickinson Preparatory School and received his A.B. from the College in 1902 when he graduated with Phi Beta Kappa honors. In 1911 he received his A.M. degree after he had done special graduate work in psychology and education at Cornell University, Boston University, and the University of Chicago.

Upon his graduation from the College he became teacher of Greek and philosophy and athletic director in East Maine Conference Academy at Bucksport, Me., under the late Simpson A. Bender, '88, who was then president of the school. Subsequently he was principal of the high schools at Kennebunkport, Me.; Bar Harbor, Me.; and Lee, Mass., and then became superintendent of school of Lexington, Mass. From there he went to Swift and Company's headquarters in Chicago as organizer of the training division of the Industrial Relations Department where he served until ill health caused his retirement in 1945. He directed the department's work throughout the various plants in the United States and in Canada.

He was a member of the Presbyterian Church, Arundel Lodge 76, F. & A.M., of Kennebunkport, Me., and he also held memberships in various psychological and economic associations. He was the author of various articles for educational and professional publications.

He is survived by his widow, the former Ethel Elizabeth Free, whom he married in Stewartstown, on July 8, 1903, and one daughter, Lois Ariadne, who was born November 22, 1909. She is now the wife of Mr. Louis M. Miniclier, director of welfare in Bavaria under the United States Army, and mother of three children. He is also survived by two brothers and two sisters, Dr. Walter B. Carver, '99, of the faculty of Cornell University; Paul R. Carver, '12, of Cleveland, Ohio; Mrs. Maye Carver Muggery, of Lexington, Mass.; and Mrs. Helen Carver Taylor, of Cleveland, Ohio.

Funeral services were conducted at his late home, 133 S. Grove Avenue, Oak Park, Ill., and interment was made in Cleveland, O., beside his father and mother.

1903L—Edison B. Williamson, managing editor of the *York Dispatch* and for more than 40 years a newspaper editor and lawyer in York, died suddenly in Atlantic City while on a vacation there. He was 65.

A graduate of York High school, he was an outstanding track and football player during his days as a student at the Law School. After his graduation he coached the York Y.M.C.A. football team for some years. He joined the staff of the *York Daily* about 1907, later served as telegraph editor of the *York Dispatch*, and became managing editor of that publication about 20 years ago. In addition to newspaper work he was active in the practice of law and for a number of years was a member of the York Civil Service Commission.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mayme Bubb Williamson, two sisters and a brother.

1908, 1911L—Richard H. Gilbert of Tyrone, former Blair County district attorney, Tyrone borough solicitor and active church member, died on June 29 at the Philipsburg State Hospital where he was admitted on June 12. Though in ill health for a year he attended commencement and entered the hospital shortly after he returned to his home.

He was born in Emporium, on March 26, 1885, the son of the Rev. Dr. Richard H. and Julia Lau Gilbert. His father was a prominent member of the Central Pennsylvania Conference. Following his graduation in 1904 from Conway Hall he spent three years as a student of the College and then entered Syracuse University where he was graduated in 1908. He then returned to enter the Dickinson School of Law from which he was graduated in 1911. Two years later he became Tyrone borough solicitor and held the office until his death. He served two terms as district attorney of Blair County from 1928 to 1936 and in 1941 he was an unsuccessful candidate for the Republican nomination for judge of the county court.

Active in church, civic and fraternal affairs, he was a member of the First Methodist Church of Tyrone, superintendent of the Sunday School, and a trustee of the Central Pennsylvania Conference of the Methodist Church. He was a member of Tyrone Lodge 494, F. and A.M., the Harrisburg consistory, Jaffa Temple, A.A.O.N.M.S., the Kiwanis Club and the V.F.W. As a member of the Pennsylvania National Guard he served on the Mexican border shortly before the beginning of World War I.

Becoming a member of Sigma Chi fraternity in his undergraduate days at the College, he maintained a very active interest and was a trustee of the Dickinson Alumni Association of the fraternity at the time of his death.

Maintaining an active interest in sports from his days as a varsity baseball and football player after which he played semi-professional ball, he was active in the affairs of the Y.M.C.A. of which he was a director. He was a former vice president of the Pennsylvania Bar association and at one time served on the executive committee of the District Attorneys association of Pennsylvania.

He is survived by his wife, the former Miss Missoura Wolfgang of Berwick and two daughters, Mrs. Vance G. Wertz of Cochranton, and Miss Julia Gilbert of Berkeley, Calif., a brother Fred Gilbert of Massilon, Ohio, and a sister, Mrs. C. G. Kloss of Oakland, Calif.

Three Dickinsonians participated in the funeral services. They were Rev. D. Perry Bucke, '29, Rev. S. W. Strain, '24, and Rev. E. R. Heckman, D.D., '97.

1910—The Rev. Samuel R. Dout, pastor of the Methodist Church in Royersford, died on May 24 in the York Hospital after being stricken while visiting his daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Holahan, '35. He is also survived by his wife, the former Edith M. Coleman.

Born in Boyertown, on July 13, 1882, he attended the Dickinson Preparatory School. He graduated from the College in 1910 and received his M.A. in 1911. He was a clergyman in the Philadelphia Methodist Conference for 37 years and formerly was chairman of the World Service and Finance Committees of the Conference.

During World War I, he served as a chaplain in the Army with the rank of first lieutenant and was in the Transport Service and also with the 830th Field Artillery in the 10th Division.

He was a member of Alpha Chi Rho fraternity and active in the affairs of the American Legion. He was a Mason, a member of consistory and of the Rajah Temple of the Shrine. He also held memberships in the I.O.O.F. and the Knights of Malta.

Following funeral services at his Church at Royersford burial was made in Union Cemetery, Boyertown.

1913—Crawford N. Kirkpatrick, retired president of the Landis Machine Company, died at his home in Waynesboro, on July 14. He retired as president of the company and as secretary of the Canadian Landis Machine Company of Welland, Ontario, on March 17 because of ill health.

Born in Waynesboro, on December 7, 1889, he attended the public schools there and in 1909 he was graduated from Juniata Academy. Upon his graduation from the College in 1913 he entered the employ of the Landis Machine Company in the shipping department and became its president in 1942. For three years he was a director of the National Machine Tool Builders' Association and its treasurer in 1944 and 1945. He was a director of the First National Bank and Trust Company of Waynesboro, the South Penn Power Company, and the Waynesboro Hospital. He was a member of the Pennsylvania Society of New York, the National Metal Trades Association, the National Industrial Conference Board, and the Army Ordinance Association. He was also a member of the Masonic fraternity and of the Lutheran Church.

As an undergraduate he became a member of Phi Delta Theta fraternity and

also Skull and Key and Raven's Claw. In his junior year he served on the business board of the Microcosm and in his first three years in College played on the class basketball team.

He was married on June 21, 1916, to Miss Marie Catherine Boggs, daughter of the late Rev. and Mrs. George F. Boggs, former pastor of the Methodist Church in Waynesboro. She survives and also two sons, Dr. Crawford N. Kirkpatrick, Jr., of Baltimore, and George B. Kirkpatrick, a student of the College. He is also survived by a sister, Mrs. S. S. Kauffman of Waynesboro, and a brother, J. Arthur, of Covington, Ky.

1915—The Rev. Elias B. Baker who served as a member of the Philadelphia Conference of the Methodist Church for more than 40 years before he retired in May, died on June 11 in Neptune, N. J. For some time before his death he suffered from a bad heart condition and had a stroke shortly before his retirement from the ministry. At the time of his retirement he was the pastor of the Tioga Methodist Church in Philadelphia.

Born in Milford, Del., on December 20, 1885, he prepared for College at Dickinson Seminary. He was director of the Ocean Grove Camp Meeting Association, a trustee of the Philadelphia Methodist Hospital and a member of the Glenside Kiwanis Club. He also held a membership in Sons of Delaware and as a Mason he was a member of Blue Lodge Chapter and Commandery. In College he became a member of Phi Delta Theta Fraternity.

Surviving besides his widow, the former Miss Zula Hughes, are two daughters, Mrs. Anne Mitchell and Mrs. Ella Strassburger, and two sons, Elias B. Baker, Jr., and Henry W. Baker.

1915—Ray H. Fasick, 54, former minister and high school teacher, died at his home in New Cumberland, on July 11. He taught social studies in the New Cumberland High school from 1938 until May 1 when he began a leave of absence because of illness.

A graduate of Boston University School of Theology in 1919, he served as a Methodist minister for a time and then taught three years in the high school at Gloucester, N. J., and later in the Haddon Heights High school before going to New Cumberland. He was a member of Phi Delta Theta fraternity.

He is survived by his widow and by his father, the Rev. Dr. A. S. Fasick, '92, retired Methodist minister; a daughter, Miss Natalie Fasick; a sister, Mrs. Lawrence Huller, all of New Cumberland, and two brothers, Harold A. Fasick, '15, of Boston, and A. Sayford Fasick of Chicago.

1919, 1921L—Clyde I. Kelchner died suddenly on January 22 of coronary thrombosis at his home in Bloomsburg.

After teaching 18 years at Keuka College, N. Y., he returned to Bloomsburg in 1941 to practice law. He received his Ph.D. degree from Cornell University in 1938 where his thesis was "The Constitutional History of Pennsylvania with Special Reference to Taxation."

Born in Berwick, on August 1, 1894, he graduated from the high school there and also from Bloomsburg State Normal School. Entering the College in 1916, he withdrew at the outbreak of World War I to serve as a sergeant in the Signal Corps in the S.A.T.C. Unit at Delaware College. He re-entered the

College in December 1918, graduated in 1919, and received his LL.B. degree from the Law School in 1921 and his M.A. degree from the College that same year.

He was a member of Theta Chi, Tau Kappa Alpha, and Phi Gamma Mu fraternities and the American Political Science Association, the American Association of University Professors, the Pennsylvania Bar Association, the Columbia-Montour Bar Association and the Pennsylvania Society. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Bloomsburg. A Mason, he was a member of Knapp Lodge, F. and A.M., of Berwick, the Caldwell Consistory of Bloomsburg and Irem Temple of Wilkes-Barre.

He is survived by his wife, the former Margaret E. Famous of Enola, and one son J. Meredith Kelchner, who is in the sophomore class at W. & J. College. Interment was made in Old Rosemont Cemetery, Bloomsburg.

1922—Mrs. Albert F. Parent, nee Marion Holden Keighley, died suddenly at her home in Pitman, N. J., on June 2.

Born at Vineland, N. J., on August 10, 1896, she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Keighley. She was a graduate of the high school at Vineland, N. J., a member of the Methodist Church, and of Pi Beta Phi sorority.

On May 18, 1927, she was married to Albert F. Parent of Pitman. They had a daughter, Nancy Parent, born May 31, 1928.

1945—Charles S. Evans, Jr., son of Charles S. Evans, '03, died in his home in Ebsenburg, on August 3. He is survived by his parents and one sister, Mrs. F. C. Whitman of Bryn Mawr.

Born in Ebsenburg on January 31, 1923, he graduated from the high school there and then attended Riverside Military Academy in Gainesville, Ga. He also attended school in Hollywood, Fla. His college career was interrupted by illness and after two complete years he withdrew as a student. Later he studied photography and then accounting which he had decided to make his career. While at the College he became a member of Phi Kappa Psi fraternity and was also a member of the band and on the staff of the *Microcosm*.

Funeral services were conducted at his home by the Rev. John R. Thomas, D.D., pastor of the Congregational Church of which he was a member and burial was made in Lloyd Cemetery, Ebsenburg.

NECROLOGY

Horace T. Carpenter, superintendent of Independence Hall, Philadelphia, for more than 30 years, who painted the portraits of John Dickinson, James Wilson, and Dr. Charles Nisbet in the College's possession, died in Bala on May 19 at the age of 89.

A scholar, artist, illustrator, and writer, Mr. Carpenter studied painting in Philadelphia under Thomas Eakins at the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts. He was art editor of the original *Cosmopolitan Magazine* and later with F. Marion Crawford, novelist and fellow member of *The Players*, New York, he went to Italy to illustrate some of Mr. Crawford's novels.

The portrait of John Dickinson which Mr. Carpenter painted for the College was copied from the original portrait by Peale then in the possession of Albanus

Sydney Logan, a descendant, but now in the Historical Society of Pennsylvania. Portraits of Dickinson and Wilson by Carpenter hang in Independence Hall.

Samuel Allen Fitzgerald who sent six of his nine children to the College and one to Shippensburg State Teachers College, died at the Carlisle Hospital at the age of 74 years after a lingering illness on July 1. A member of Allison Memorial Methodist Church, he retired in May of 1944 after 25 years as a bookkeeper at the Federal Equipment Company.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Annie Stough Fitzgerald, and the following children: The Rev. Howard Fitzgerald, '20, Shamokin; George Rutherford, N. J.; Millard, Shippensburg, R. D. 4; Mrs. Joseph Babcock, '23, Williamsport; Mrs. Joseph Brenner, '23, Carlisle; Mrs. William A. MacLachlan, '25, Philadelphia; Miss Eva Fitzgerald, Carlisle; Mrs. George Edwards, '31, Harrisburg, and Mrs. Al B. Westen, '37, Woodbury, N. J.

Mrs. Rebecca Whitehead Gibbs of Lake Forest, Ill., died at her summer home in Richmond, Mass., on June 13. In 1943 she was awarded the honorary degree of doctor of humane letters for her work in furthering education.

Some years ago she presented \$30,000 to the College for the purchase and endowment of the Gibbs House, dormitory for senior women.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Edward Dewitt Shumway of Lake Forest, and Mrs. Ralph W. Miller of Pasadena, Calif.

Clarence M. Liggett, real estate and insurance broker, died suddenly of a heart attack on July 15 in his Carlisle office while dictating a letter to his secretary. He was the father of two Dickinsonians, Mrs. Oella Liggett Scott, '23, of Carlisle, and Miss Claire R. Liggett, '26, of Philadelphia. He is also survived by his wife, Mrs. Annie Robertson Liggett, another daughter, Nancy E. Liggett, and a son, H. Robertson Liggett of Coral Gables, Fla.

Russell R. Tyson, operator of an insurance and financing business in Pottstown, Pa., died at his summer home in Ocean City, N. J., at the age of 57 years on July 28. He is survived by his wife; his mother; two sons, Kenneth F. Tyson, '40, whose wife is the former Margaret Mumford; Russell R. Tyson, Jr., '42, whose wife is the former Kay Boehm;; two daughters, Mrs. Grace Wolfrom, the wife of R. R. Wolfrom, '34, of Shippensburg, and Miss Joyce Tyson of Newtown, Mass. He is also survived by two brothers and two sisters.



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