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# THE DICKINSON ALUMNUS

## DECEMBER 1958

## **College Has New Departments, Big Enrollment**

**O** PERATION of new departments in music and art, a fine freshman class of 308 men and women, a near-record total enrollment of 1,052 and the presence of four new chairmen of departments set off the College's 186th academic year.

Work in music and the arts has long been offered at Dickinson, but in recent years there has been a marked increase in student interest in these fields. The establishment of departments represents a new expansion and coordination of the curriculum and meets this interest.

Dr. Lloyd Ultan, who came to the faculty in 1946, heads the music department and Dr. John W. Dixon, Jr., now in his second year at the College, the department of fine arts. Dickinson's first voice teacher is Jack Jarrett, young composer whose performed works include the prize-winning opera "Cinderella." He has a master's degree from the Eastman School of Music.

New chairman of the department of economics is Dr. Herbert W. Newman, a teacher at the University of Delaware for the past 17 years and a summa cum laude graduate of Birmingham-Southern College with a Ph.D. degree from the University of Virginia. Dr. Henry L. Yeagley, formerly of Pennsylvania State University, whose appointment as physics department chairman was announced last winter, started his work at the College in July.

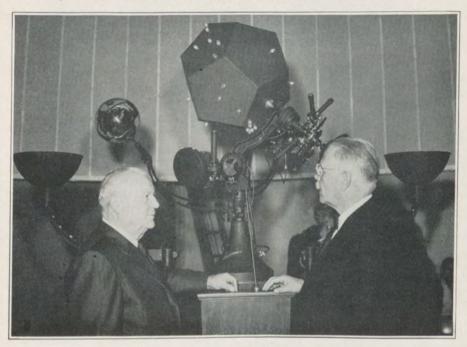
Among 13 other new faculty members are Dr. Joseph Schiffman, professor of English, who was coordinator of the Graduate American Studies Program of Long Island University, and two visiting teachers from Europe, Dr. Anna Stark, Munich, and Claude Marie Louise Barranger, Paris. Prof. Schiffman, a Long Island graduate, is chairman of the American Studies Association of Metropolitan New York and the author of many book reviews.

The total enrollment of 733 men and 319 women from 21 states taxes the physical facilities of the College to the limit. Enrollment by classes is: senior, 207; junior, 231; sophomore, 282; freshman, 308. There are 24 unclassified students.

While Pennsylvania with 591 and New Jersey with 146 lead in the geographical distribution of students, it is significant that Dickinson is attracting an increasing number from New England, 134, and the South, 28. The College is the choice of 21 foreign students, a record number, who come from 16 different lands girdling the globe. The Cameroons, in Africa, are represented for the first time.

Prof. James, dean of admissions, reported that the 308 freshmen were selected from 1,500 applicants, the result of 3,500 inquiries. Half of the freshmen graduated in the upper quarter of their class, and 26 per cent attended private schools. The class can boast that it is the smartest of all, having achieved higher scores in the College Entrance Board Examinations than any of its predecessors.

Indicative of the fact that Dickinson has become a tradition in many families is the presence in the 1962 Class of 37 students whose parents are graduates. In six of these families both parents are graduates.



## **New Science Facilities Are Dedicated**

Roscoe O. Bonisteel and President Edel in the Planetarium.

THE 1958 Homecoming celebration with its dedication of major new science facilities at the College, demonstrated to alumni Dickinson's excellent position for the teaching of physics and chemistry at a time of national clamor for more and better trained scientists.

The C. Scott Althouse Science Hall, new home of the chemistry department, and the vastly improved Tome Scientific Building with its new Spitz model planetarium were formally opened and dedicated. For President Edel, who presided, the moment represented a crowning achievement of his administration which closes with his retirement next year.

Taking part in the ceremonies were the two men whose gifts have made possible the tremendous advances of the College in a single year for the teaching of science, Dr. C. Scott Althouse, of Reading, Pa., and Dr. Roscoe O. Bonisteel, '12, of Ann Arbor, Mich.

Alumni were proud of what they saw in their inspection of the Althouse and Tome halls during the day. Dr. Bonisteel expressed the meaning behind the improvements when he said at the dedication of new Tome, "Dickinson is attempting to give to its students the best that can be obtained anywhere in education for the sciences, and with these facilities the College takes its place with the finest in the land." Teachers must be provided with the tools needed to teach effectively, he said.

President Edel announced that Dr. Bonisteel had authorized him to say that his gift was in recognition of the services of the late Prof. Henry E. Smith,



Chemistry Lecture Room in Althouse Hall.

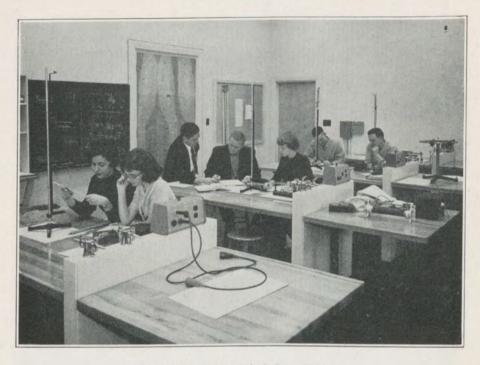
'11, who first saw the need for a planetarium. Prof. Smith was the acting chairman of the physics department at the time of his death in 1955.

The ceremonies brought out that Dr. Althouse's gift of more than \$300,000 toward the cost of Althouse Hall was also inspired by a Dickinson teacher, Prof. E. A. Vuilleumier, whose death one month before Homecoming cast a shadow upon the celebration. A plaque stating that the gift was made in appreciation of Dr. Vuilleumier's services and devotion will be placed in the hall.

The thanks of the College for the generosity and interest of Dr. Althouse and Dr. Bonisteel were voiced by President Edel and Boyd Lee Spahr, '00, president of the board of trustees, who also acknowledged the College's indebtedness to the hundreds of alumni and friends making a matching gift for Althouse Hall, Among others taking part in the ceremonies were Rev. Dr. F. LaMont Henninger, '24, secretary of the board of trustees, who offered the prayers; M. W. Allen, chairman of the board's special building committee; Congressman S. Walter Stauffer, '12, chairman of the board's committee on buildings and grounds, and the architects, Elmer H. Adams for Althouse Hall and Richard S. Reed for the remodeling of Tome.

Armond N. Spitz, the astronomer and head of the Spitz Laboratories which built the planetarium, attended the first demonstration by Prof. Henry L. Yeagley, new chairman of the physics department. More than 1,000 persons saw the five or six shows put on by Prof. Yeagley over Homecoming.

Supporting the science theme of Homecoming was the announcement by President Edel of a gift endowing a science lectureship in memory of the



Physics Laboratory in Rebuilt Tome Building.

19th century English scientist, John Glover. The donors, Dr. John D. Yeagley, '24, a physician of York, Pa., and his wife, a descendant of John Glover, were among 150 persons attending a Homecoming dinner celebrating the opening of the buildings. The lectureship will enable the College to bring to the campus each year an outstanding scientist for one or more lectures.

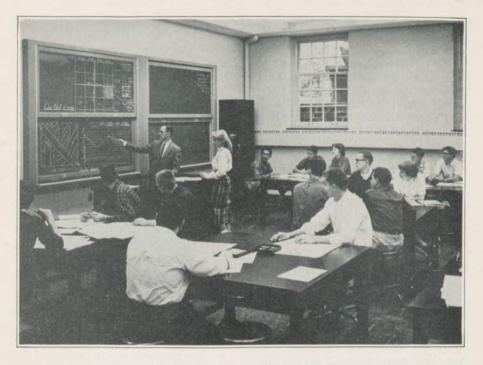
Two gifts were presented at the Homecoming luncheon. The active chapter of Alpha Chi Rho turned over \$100 for Althouse Hall in the name of President Edel, a member of the fraternity. From a group of alumni in the New York City area came one of the first gifts for the Vuilleumier Memorial Fund. Mrs. Elinor Green Spancer, '30, made the presentation.

For descriptions of Althouse Hall and remodeled Tome, alumni are referred to the September issue of THE ALUMNUS and the October Bulletin.

## Writes Magazine Articles

Dr. F. J. Yetter, '29, Pastor of the Methodist Church in Irvington, N. J., and currently President of the Irvington Ministerium, is the author of "The Protestant Idea in History," an article in last October's number of The New Christian Advocate. The article discusses the historic position of Protestantism and in particular its roots beyond the Reformation. Dr. Yetter is also author of Voices of the Reformation, a worship service prepared for the National Council of Churches. Articles by him have appeared through recent years in the quarterly Religion in Life, "The City of God," (Autumn, 1946), "The Wisdom of Solomon" (Winter, 1947-48), and "A 'Right Strawy Epistle' " (Summer, 1951).

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Geology Laboratory in Althouse Hall.

## Family Legal Team

The first husband-wife lawyer team in the history of York County came into being in September when Jane M. Alexander, '51, '54L, presented her husband, P. Nelson Alexander, '51L, '52, for admission to the bar. The couple reside at Dillsburg, Pa.

Mrs. Alexander was admitted to practice in 1955 and is associated with the law office of John Carl Foster, Jr., in York. Her husband attended the college under the veterans program, and after two years was admitted to the Law School. He has been in the mechanical engineering field and has his own consultant firm, Alco Tool and Design Co., in Dillsburg.

The couple plan to have a joint office in Dillsburg, while Mrs. Alexander continues her practice in York. Mrs. Alexander is the former Jane Lehmer.

## Meet In Rochester

Fifteen Dickinsonians got together in Rochester, N. Y., on Thursday evening, November 6. They first met at a reception at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Warren E. George. Mrs. George is the former Peggy Clarke, '37.

After the reception, the group went to the Oak Hill Country Club for dinner. One of the matters discussed was the possibility of forming a Dickinson Club of Rochester.

Those in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. John J. Thomas, Jr., '49; Dr. and Mrs. L. Holland Taylor, '48 and '51; Kenneth R. Short, '57; Mr. and Mrs. Howard F. Roeding, Jr., '48; Ellsworth H. Mish, '09; Mr. and Mrs. Daniel B. Carroll, '45; Mr. and Mrs. John H. Mc-Knight, '44; Dr. and Mrs. Warren E. George and George Shuman, Jr., '37, Financial Vice President of the College.

## Sudden Death Strikes Professor Vuilleumier

**D**R. E. A. VUILLEUMIER, "Vully" to all Dickinson students since 1920 when he came to the campus as head of the then one-man department of chemistry, died unexpectedly October 6 in the new C. Scott Althouse Science Hall which he helped to plan and which he joyfully described shortly before his death as "my long dream come true."

He was felled by a heart attack shortly before noon and died instantly. He would have been 65 years old next March 1 at which time he had hoped to give up the chairmanship of the department but to continue teaching.

However, his health failed over the summer and in September he asked President Edel to relieve him of the chairmanship at once. This Dr. Edel reluctantly did in an announcement to the faculty on September 22. Although well enough to be at the College almost daily, Dr. Vuilleumier ventured to teach only two classes between the opening of the Fall term and his death.

His unexpected passing profoundly shocked the campus and took from the faculty a distinguished and beloved member. Dr. Edel in announcing the death said Dr. Vuilleumier was "by every criteria one of the great teachers and his loss will be keenly felt."

The unusual extent to which he was respected and admired by everyone is perhaps best illustrated by the remark of Dr. C. Scott Althouse, a trustee of the College and the major contributor to the new science hall, who said his gift was largely inspired by his esteem for Dr. Vuilleumier.

He occupied the C. Scott Althouse Chair of Chemistry, which was established in 1951 by another gift from Dr. Althouse in admiration for his teaching and influence upon science students. Dean of the College from 1933 to 1947, he had also been secretary of the faculty for 10 years and the college marshal.

As chairman of arrangements for



E. A. VUILLEUMIER

Dickinson's annual Joseph Priestley celebration, he was responsible with President Edel for drawing national atention to this program, which he instituted in the mid-Thirties.

Dr. Vuilleumier was proud of his membership by adoption in the Class of 1924 which, in another mark of its esteem, presented his portrait to the College on its 25th reunion. Members of this class were freshmen when Dr. Vuilleumier first came to Dickinson.

A Fellow of the American Institute of Chemists and a member of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, he was president of the Pennsylvania Academy of Science in 1941 and chairman of the Southeastern Pennsylvania Section, American Chemical Society, in 1951.

He was noted for several inventions, among them an alchometer for measuring the alcoholic content of liquids and a solids hydrometer. He was co-inventor of a contractometer used in the study of the pealing of nickel plating. He was the author of 39 papers and articles on scientific subjects published in this country and abroad.

Born in New City, Rockland County,

N. Y., on March 1, 1894, he received his B.S. in chemistry at the University of Pennsylvania in 1914. After a year as a chemist with the Powers-Weightman-Rosengarten Company, Phila., he taught at the Drexel Institute of Technology in 1915-16.

A travelling fellowship from the University of Pennsylvania enabled him to study at the University of Berne where he received his Ph.D. degree in 1918. While in Europe he enlisted with American forces and served with the Chemical Warfare Service in World War I.

Upon his return home he again became a research chemist with the Philadelphia firm and in the Fall of 1920 was appointed to the Dickinson faculty by James Henry Morgan, then president of the College.

He was also a member of the American Electrochemical Society, Phi Beta Kappa and Omicron Delta Kappa. He served on the Official Board and the Board of Trustees of the Allison Methodist Church.

He was married in 1924 to Frances E. Smith, '24, who survives him. He is also survived by his mother, Mrs. Matilda B. Vuilleumier; a sister, Mrs. Charles Duvoisin, both of Baltimore, Md., and a brother, Carl Vuilleumier, Ardmore, Pa.

Services in the Allison Methodist Church were conducted by President Edel and the Rev. J. Artley Leatherman, pastor. Burial was in Halifax, Pa.

## **Ernest Albert Vuilleumier**

Happy is that land in which good men may be great and great men good. For by any test, Ernest Albert Vuilleumier was a great man; a great scientist; a great teacher; a great administrator; a great man. And he was also a good scientist; and a good teacher; and a good administrator; and a good man. For thirty-eight years he was a citizen of this community and for the same time a member of the Faculty of this College. During the entire period of his service he was the Chair-

man of the Chemistry Department, seeing it grow from a one-man department until it has the stature which it has today. For fourteen years he carried the responsibilities of the Dean of the College. He became a part, not only of the community in which he lived and the college he served, but of the wider field of education and the still wider field of science: not only a small part, but a real and living part in each. An inventive mind was his; a devotion to duty, an intellect as clear and sharp in its brilliance as one could find on any college faculty. None of these things really need to be said because all of us know them.

There is also fresh in our minds the further think that I am about to say. Beyond being a scientist, an administrator and a teacher, he was in very truth a warm and living human personality. the like of which it will be a long, long time before we again see. Here was a man whose life was gentle, whose way quiet; and yet one who, by that very gentle quietness, with its blend of lovely humor, could bring the words he had to say home to the hearts of his students. his friends and colleagues. This human quality stands somehow tall among us today. It is for this warmth, this friendliness, and this sweetness of manner, which were characteristic of him, that all of us held him dear.

And vet, there is even more than this. He was an inspired teacher, and thus could be inspiring. Here was a man who somehow learned in his early teaching years to carry across from himself to his students, not only the facts of his discipline, but a love for what he taught; so that men and women went out of his classroom to go on to advanced work, and into the field of chemistry to make their life-work there, because he had taught them to love and respect it as a great tradition and a great discipline. And this is demonstrated, if it needed any demonstration, by the fact that driving hundreds of miles across the rolling Pennsylvania countryside have come today some of those who were his stu-

### E. A. Vuilleumier Memorial

There has been a remarkable response to the letter sent to alumni telling of the death of Dr. E. A. Vuilleumier and the plan to create a memorial to him at the College. Contributions now total about \$4,800 and gifts continue to come in.

Some of the money has already been used to buy several collections of books for the new DuPont Science Library, a part of the Althouse Chemistry building. A book plate will be placed in each book showing that it was purchased by the E. A. Vuilleumier Memorial Fund.

Additions to this fund may be made at any time.

dents twenty or more years ago, in order that they might join with the rest of us in this quiet tribute of respect to one of the great teachers and good men of our time.

There was something about him that makes me today instinctively think of Francis of Assisi, for the essential ingredient in the character of this man was a gracious humility that but few men have ever had. Unselfishness, modesty, quiet renunciation of his own wishes that he might serve others, and a deep inner happiness that overflowed into kindly and whimsical gaiety—these marked the man. Over this College, in this Church and in this Chapel the memory of Ernest Albert Vuilleumier will be great through many, many years. WILLIAM W. EDEL

The President of the College

## **Enter Federal Service**

Two Dickinsonians were appointed in September to Management Intern positions in the Federal service after successfully competing in the Federal Service Entrance Examination, it has been learned through Mr. S. P. Ryder, Regional Director in Philadelphia.

John T. Lewin, '49, of Silver Spring, Md., received an appointment to the Department of Health, Education and Welfare. He is living at 2400 Colston Drive.

Herbert J. Callister, II, '54, received an appointment in the Department Navy and is living at 920 W. Great Falls St., Falls Church, Va.

In his letter of notification, Mr. Ryder writes "This is indeed an achievement, since the competition is keen, and the number of such appointments is necessarily restricted."

## Entertains Chicago Alumni

Dickinsonians in the Chicago area were the guests of Mrs. Mary Sharp Focht, Trustee of the College, at a very delightful dinner of the Dickinson Club of Chicago at the South Shore Country Club on November 13. One of the guests was her brother, Mr. Richard W. Sharp, of Houston, Tex.

Samuel W. Witwer, Jr., '30, attorney and Trustee of the College, offered the invocation and later opened the speaking program. He told of the narrow defeat of the "Blue Ballot" campaign to amend the Illinois constitution and the need for its adoption.

George Shuman, Jr., and Gilbert Malcolm, were the other speakers. They were introduced by John Leeds Clarkson, '11, who ably served as Master of Ceremonies. John W. Garrett, '19, president of the club, presided.

Paul C. BeHanna, '27, lawyer of Highland Park, Ill., was chairman of the nominating committee. Whitney B. Garrett, '45, was elected vice president of the club to succeed William G. Green, '29, who had moved to Milwaukee to head the YMCA there. Other officers reelected are John W. Garrett, president; Mrs. Elsie Burkhard BeHanna, '27, secretary, and Mrs. Mary Romback Gray, '27, treasurer.

## **Chemistry Department Has New Chairman**

**D**<sup>R.</sup> HORACE E. ROGERS, '24, member of the College faculty for 33 years and the father of two Dickinsonians, became the chairman of the department of chemistry on September 22 upon the resignation of Dr. E. A. Vuilleumier, his long-time associate and former teacher, who died October 6.

Dr. Rogers was first named to the faculty in 1925, one year after he graduated with Phi Beta Kappa honors. He has served continuously since then, save for a period of two years, 1927-1929, to earn his Doctor of Philosophy degree in chemistry at Princeton University.

Dr. Vuilleumier in giving up the chairmanship for reasons of health had expressed the wish that his one-time pupil succeed him. They had been together at Dickinson from 1920 when Dr. Vuilleumier came to the faculty as the one teacher in the chemistry department and Dr. Rogers entered as a freshman planning to major in chemistry.

When Dr. Vuilleumier's health became a matter of concern last summer he looked increasingly to his associate for help in operation of the department, then in the process of moving from the old quarters in Tome into the new Althouse Science Hall.

In the droll way so characteristic of him, Dr. Vuilleumier said not long before his death, "There was a time when I looked upon Horace as a son, then as a brother and for some time now as a father."

The new chairman is 56 years old and a native of Philadelphia. After graduating from Dickinson in 1924 he entered Lafayette College on an Edward Hart research fellowship in physical chemistry and received a master's degree there in 1925. He taught at Dickinson for the next two years and was at Princeton the following two to complete his graduate studies. There he worked under Charles P. Smith, noted authority on dipole moments and molecular struc-



HORACE E. ROGERS

ture, and had as his doctoral thesis "The Dielectric Polarization of Liquids." He was awarded his Ph.D. degree in 1930.

He was again appointed to the College faculty in 1929, as associate professor of chemistry. He was advanced to the rank of full professor in 1941 and was appointed first occupant of the Alfred Victor duPont Chair of Analytical Chemistry in 1952.

Dr. Rogers has done independent research in the viscosity of liquid mixtures and his studies in this field have been reported in the *Journal of the American Chemical Society*, the *Journal of Chemical Education*, the *Journal of Rheology* and others.

Many of his students have gone on to high achievement, among them Dr. Carl C. Chambers, '29, vice-president of the University of Pennsylvania in charge of engineerings affairs, and Dr. Tobias H. Dunkelberger, '30, chairman of the department of chemistry at the University of Pittsburgh.

Dr. Rogers has been a leading Methodist layman and his teaching has been characterized by constant effort to relate it to Christian principles. *The Dickinsonian*, in a Personality Sketch column in 1952, wrote of him "In the church, the classroom, in campus activities, Dr. Rogers is a Christian, a fine scientist and a local Dickinsonian."

He has long been the secretary of the Dickinson chapter of Phi Beta Kappa and was chairman of the Southeastern Pennsylvania Section of the American Chemical Society the past year. He is also a member of Kappa Sigma and Omicron Delta Kappa and his name is listed in Who's Who in America and American Men of Science.

Dr. Rogers married Joy Marie Rommel in 1927 and they have two sons, Philip E., '52, a chemist for the U. S. Rubber Company, and William E., '58, a second lieutenant presently at the Ft. Benning Infantry School.

### **Retires At Purdue**

Professor J. H. McKee, '09, retired in June from the English Department of Purdue University, West Lafayette, Ind., where he had been a member of the faculty since 1921.

Immediately following his graduation, he taught two years at Conway Hall and then for seven years at the Georgia School of Technology. He was then at Case School of Applied Science for two years before joining the faculty at Purdue.

He and Mrs. McKee left for Europe in November and plan to return home next July.

### Two On Del Mar Faculty

Hugh H. Doney, '52, became Chairman of the Department of Geology at Del Mar College, Corpus Christi, Texas, and his wife, the former Ruth Costenbader, '55, instructor of Biology there in September.

Hugh is the son of the late Dr. Paul H. Doney, and is writing his dissertation for his Ph.D. from the University of Texas. He is starting a brand new department at Del Mar. Ruth reecived her M.A. in physiology from the University of Texas last June. She had worked in the Laboratory of Algal Physiology as a Research Scientist doing research for her thesis. The work was concerned with a space project under contract to the U. S. Air Force of Aviation Medicine. She reports that she "had to come to Texas to run into Joseph Priestly again because her work was concerned with a quantitative analysis of some of Joseph Priestly's work, using plants and mice in what is called a photosynthetic gas exchanger."

## Altoona Club Meets

After the lapse of more than a year, the Dickinson Club of Altoona held a dinner with 40 present at Taylor's Drive-In Restaurant on November 19. It was the first time the club met in the fall and because of the success of the occasion, the officers will plan fall dinners hereafter.

Raymond N. Hallman, '30, retiring president, presided and for a time had Vice President Gilbert Malcolm serve as master of ceremonies. He introduced Professor Ralph Schecter, who spoke briefly on some of his experiences as a teacher. Dr. Herbert Wing, Jr., was the principal speaker and he took as his subject "Honors at Dickinson." Dr. Herbert W. Glassco, '22, offered the invocation.

James W. Nelson, '35, served as chairman of the nominating committee and the ensuing election named George K. Cox, '40, president; Mrs. Martha O'Brien Gief, '37, vice president; Thelma Greene, '24, secretary and Robert C. Slutzker, '48, treasurer.

Miss Greene, who succeeded the late Dr. George H. Ketterer, '08, as secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting of the club, which he had prepared.

The Club saluted the oldest and latest classes represented in the presence at the dinner of the former Congressman J. Banks Kurtz, of the Class of 1893 and Mrs. Barbara McMullen Slutzker, '51.

## Death Claims Professor Forrest E. Craver

**F**ORREST E. "CAP" CRAVER, '99, professor emeritus of physical education at the College, who was one of its finest athletes and coaches and a memorable teacher as well, died October 18 in the Carlisle Hospital at the age of 83 years. He retired 12 years ago but continued to live in Carlisle.

The "Grand Old Man" of Dickinson athletics, as Prof. Craver was often referred to, had been in declining health for two years but seriously ill only a short time. Until infirmities set in he took the long daily walks he loved so much and recommended for others.

Captain and end of the 1897 football team and a track star, he graduated with Phi Beta Kappa honors and a desire to coach sports and teach mathematics, Greek and Latin. He never lost this interest in scholarship and physical fitness and it could be said that his long career epitomized the combination of a strong mind in a sound body he ardently wished for all.

Prof. Craver liked to recall that he never missed a day because of illness. Dr. Gilbert Malcolm, vice-president of the College, in a chapel talk apprising students of Prof. Craver's death, said the rugged little man was his own best example of physical fitness.

He gave up coaching in 1937 but continued to teach freshman mathematics until he retired in 1946 with the rank of professor emeritus of physical education. The following year the College conferred upon him the honorary Doctor of Science degree and President Edel told him on that occasion that few men could look back upon a lifetime of such consistent devotion to the high ideal of teaching.

Prof. Craver was appointed to the faculty in 1909 but was coaching football and track at the College at an even earlier date. A keen student of sports, he was one of the first coaches in the East to employ the football shift and he was a scout for Glenn S. "Pop" Warner in



FORREST E. CRAVER

the heyday of football at the old Carlisle Indian School. He also scouted for Dickinson and some other colleges.

Deeply interested in the physical welfare of all students, he was an early advocate of sports for all, and the extensive intramural program he introduced and developed at Dickinson in the late '20's became a model for other colleges.

During the three decades he coached track at the College he turned out 10 undefeated teams—three in a row from 1915-1917 and the last in 1934. He helped organize the Middle Atlantic Track and Field Association and was its president for a number of years.

He was born in Wapwallopen, Pa., and after graduating from Dickinson in 1899 he taught Greek and Latin at Williamsport-Dickinson Seminary. He returned to Carlisle in 1900 to teach the same subjects at Conway Hall. After five years at the hall he taught Latin in the Montclair, N. J., High School until 1909 when he was appointed to the Dickinson faculty as physical director and math teacher.

Prof. Craver left the College in 1917 to teach at the Tome School and the Baltimore Friends School, but returned to Dickinson in 1919 as professor of physical education and remained until his retirement.

He coached track at the College as early as 1901 and football as early as 1904. He coached other football teams in 1916, 1919, 1920 and 1921 and the next year was succeeded by Glen Killinger. He coached track continuously from 1920 until 1938 when he was succeeded by Arthur D. Kahler.

In addition to Phi Beta Kappa, he was a member of Phi Kappa Sigma, the American Mathematical Association and Allison Methodist Church.

Prof. Craver was married in 1905 to Margaret Moore, of Laurel, Del., who survives him. He is also survived by a daughter, Margaret, '29, wife of Prof. John C. M. Grimm, of the College faculty; a son, Forrest, Jr., Gettysburg, Pa.; two sisters, Mrs. Lloyd Hart, Berwick, Pa., and Mrs. William Ayre, Louisville, Ky.; a brother, Dr. Leslie M. Craver, Doylestown, Pa., and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were held in Carlisle and conducted by President Edel and the Rev. J. Artley Leatherman, minister of the Allison Methodist Church. Burial was in Westminster Cemetery, near Carlisle.

### Goes To Afghanistan

A. C. Ransom, football and basketball coach and Director of Athletics at the college from 1952 to 1954, has been appointed Adviser to the Minister of Education of Afghanistan.

He will set up a physical education program for secondary schools and colleges in that country. He will also advise on the building of a gymnasium at the University of Kabul. He had been supervisor of secondary education for Portage County School in Ohio. Mrs. Ransom will receive her master's degree in library science at Carnegie Institute of Technology in June. His daughter will graduate from Winchester-Thurston School for Girls in June also.

## 600 Honor McBride

Dr. William K. McBride, '23, surgeon of Harrisburg, Pa., and chairman of the Dauphin County Commissioners, was the guest of honor at a testimonial dinner attended by some 600 persons in the Penn Harris Hotel on September 30.

Medical, political and business leaders joined in the tribute with Dauphin County Judge R. Dixon Herman acting as toastmaster.

Dr. McBride is a member of the Republican State Committee and has served three terms as city treasurer and one term on the Harrisburg School Board. He was reelected a County Commissioner in November.

Dr. I. S. Ravdin, professor of surgery at the University of Pennsylvania Medical School, was the principal speaker. He lauded Dr. McBride as "an example of the dedicated professional in medicine" and "a patent influence in the University of Pennsylvania."

When he spoke Senator M. Harvey Taylor, president pro tempore of the Pennsylvania Senate, told the diners "no man could have held public office as long as he has if he wasn't an honest and diligent public official. This is a better community because Dr. McBride lives here."

## At Arizona State

Dr. Walter V. Edwards, Jr., '38, served as the delegate of Dickinson College at the inauguration of Dr. J. Lawrence Walkup as president of Arizona State University at Flagstaff on November 14.

Dr. Edwards practices medicine in Phoenix, Ariz. When he first went to Arizona, he spent nine years about 50 miles from Flagstaff and had a good bit of interest in the welfare of the college. As a member of the House of Representatives of the State Legislature, and a member of its public Institutions Committee, he served on an Appraisal Committee of the college in 1953 and 1954.

## **Council Hears Plea for Fund Support**

WINFIELD G. COOK, '32, who was the shortest boy in his class and is now a big man in the industrial field, told the Alumni Council at Homecoming that his job as chairman of the 1959 Annual Giving Fund is "a big job for a little fellow."

He said the task of raising \$200,000 by next July 1 in support of the College can be cut down to size by the loyal giving of all Dickinsonians. He suggested they give themselves and encourage others to give.

"As Dickinsonians we certainly have the inspiration for the job, considering the need for better faculty salaries and better physical plant," he told the Council in his first report since election to the chairmanship last Commencement.

Many class agents and representatives of alumni clubs were present as well as Council members. The program was streamlined to permit all to attend the opening of the new science buildings on the campus. The Council continued its study of a suggestion, made last June by Dr. Gilbert Malcolm, the alumni secretary, that it consider sponsoring courses and lectures at the College for alumni wishing to come back for a weekend or a longer period for cultural and intellectual stimulation. Such programs of education beyond graduation have gained popularity on many campuses.

Dr. Malcolm said the American Alumni Council has been asked to gather information that will help the Alumni Council in its study. Yale University's success with an "alumni college" was described by Dr. Whitfield J. Bell, Jr., '35, an Alumni Trustee, who is living in New Haven, Conn.

The Yale program, he said, offers courses emphasizing new knowledge and the uses to which this is being put; selects lecturers from the faculty for their competence and effectiveness as discussion leaders; requires the persons in the courses to have gone through a reading list of three or four titles before coming to the lectures.

Organization of a Dickinson Club of Rochester, N. Y., is in prospect, the Council was told by George Shuman, Jr., '37, financial vice-president of the College and development director. He said he had just come from a meeting in Rochester attended by 15 alumni, who were hopeful of setting up a club.

Alumni Trustees will be expected to make regular reports to the Council in the future. A motion was passed that the agenda of the Commencement and Homecoming meetings of the Council provide for a report by an Alumni Trustee on issues before the Board of Trustees. Their attendance at Council meetings would also provide the alumni representatives to sound out Council opinion on issues, it was felt.

C. Wendell Holmes, '21, president of the Alumni Association, who presided, appointed the following nominating committee for the Alumni Council and Alumni Trustee elections next Spring: Charles Irwin, Jr., '27; Mrs. Katherine Smith Carpenter, '25; Weston Overholt, '50; William M. Young, '21, and C. Richard Stover, '36.

Council was apprised of the illness of Paul L. Hutchison, '18, a trustee and former president of the Alumni Association, who has undergone two operations for a detached retina since last July. A letter of hope for his speedy recovery was authorized.

## Attends Coe Inauguration

Dr. Eugene L. Grandon, '47, served as the representative of Dickinson College at the inauguration of Dr. Joseph E. McCabe as president of Coe College in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, on December 5.

Dr. Grandon, who graduated from Jefferson Medical School in 1950, is on the staff of the University Hospitals in the Department of Otolaryngology and Maxillofacial Surgery in Iowa City, Iowa.

## New Wilmington School Named For John Dickinson

THE first public announcement that a new high school in Wilmington, Delaware, will be named in honor of John Dickinson was made by Jack H. Caum, 34, at a dinner of the Dickinson Club of Delaware on October 30. He is principal of the Krebs Junior High School.

The Board of Trustees of the Henry C. Conrad High School selected the name of John Dickinson after considering the numerous names submitted, it was reported in a letter from D. F. Long, principal of that school. He concluded a letter, saying: "We of the school administration, staff and Board of Trustees, are extremely pleased and honored to be working towards the establishment of this new school honoring such a noted Delawarean. It is hoped that in time, the graduates of this school will attain a position in Delaware as prominent as that of John Dickinson."

The school site consists of 35 acres located on the heights above Milltown Road, just west of Limestone Road. Grading of the tract has begun and it is anticipated that the building will be completed and opened in September, 1960. It is estimated that the building, grounds and equipment will cost approximately \$4,000,000. It is being designed by Pope and Kruse, architects of Wilmington, Del.

In its initial construction, the school will have a capacity of 800 pupils with planned expansion to a maximum of 1,200. Permanent areas such as the auditorium, gymnasium and cafeteria are being designed and built for the maximum of 1,200.

The school itself will be of modern type architecture with a panel type construction in much of the outside wall area. These panels will be glass in the upper portion and baked-on enamel finish on metal for the lower portion. The structure will be essentially a single story, except for the classroom section which will be two stories. The club dinner was held in the Kent Manor Inn with Jack Caum, retiring president, doing a fine job as Master of Ceremonies. The Rev. Robert S. Hodgson, '16, who though retired is preaching at Kenton, Del., offered the invocation. There were 40 present.

Dr. Herbert Wing, Jr., senior member of the faculty, was the principal speaker. His subject was "Honors and Honorary Societies at Dickinson, Past and Present."

C. Wendell Holmes, President of the General Alumni Association, opened the program and after Dr. Wing spoke, Vice President Gilbert Malcolm finished up.

Arthur W. Koffenberger, Jr., '48, who had been vice president, was elected president for the two-year term. Wayland A. Lucas, '35, attorney of Salem, N. J., became vice-president; Mrs. Donald H. Coxe, the former Julianne Lattomus, '45, secretary, and Robert G. Gardner, '58, treasurer. William E. Matthews, Jr., '19, of Smyrna, Del., served as chairman of the nominating committee.

Mr. Caum read a telegram from the Rev. Ralph L. Minker, '47, signed by him and the other officers of the Southern Del-Mar-Va. Dickinson Club extending an invitation to attend the dinner of that Club to be held in Ocean City, Md., on the first Friday in August 1959.

## Practice Medicine Together

William Gordon Pauley, M.D., '49, and William J. Cauffman, M.D., '50, both graduates of Temple Medical School, are in a medical practice partnership at 3 Palm Lane, Levittown, Pa. In addition to their general practice, they are doing clinical research with Smith, Line and French Laboratories in Philadelphia part time.

Earlier this month they presented a scientific exhibit at the 12th Clinical Meeting of the American Medical Association at Minneapolis, Minn., on "Treatment of Tension States in Young Adults with Trifluoperazine."

## **Eight Become Lifers To Raise Total to 2,092**

**E** IGHT news names have been enrolled as Life Members of the General Alumni Association since the publication of the September number of the magazine, which raises the total to 2,092.

The first check came from Mrs. Elmer H. Hemmerle, of Pittsburgh, Pa., the former Betty Simpson.

G. Edward Bolter, '35, manager of the Harrisburg, Pa. office of Remington Rand was the next enrolled. His wife is the former Marjorie Helms, '36. They live in Camp Hill with their two sons and a daughter, Andrea Helene, who is a Dickinson Sophomore.

A check then came from John V. Hawbecker, '36, who is a food technologist with the C. H. Musselman Company, Biglerville, Pa.

When they came back for Homecoming, Herbert S. Sheidy, '48 and his wife, the former Marian Jane Stephens, '50, both became Lifers. They live in Belleville, N. J. with their two daughters. Herb is legal examiner for the National Association of Securities Dealers and since 1956 his wife has been teacher of English in the Belleville High School.

Charles D. Johnson, '48, also signed up at Homecoming. He resigned a municipal judgeship to run for Freeholder of Gloucester County, N. J. and was unopposed. He practices law in Woodbury, is treasurer of the county bar association, secretary of the Zoning Board of Adjustment and chairman of the board of the Woodbury Friends School.

As a gift from his grandmother, Mrs. Forrest E. Craver the name of Forrest Craver Grimm, '55, was entered as a Lifer. He is a graduate student at the University of Illinois.

The last check came from Agnes H. Bruce, '58, of Havertown, Pa. to raise the 1958 Class total to nineteen.

Life Membership now costs \$50 and may be paid in one sum or as liberally as four annual payments of \$12.50 each. Checks should be made payable to Dickinson College and sent to THE DICKINSON ALUMNUS, Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pa. When a subscription is paid in full a life membership certificate, suitable for framing, is mailed to the Lifer.

Life membership carries a life subscription to THE DICKINSON ALUMNUS, and the right to vote in the annual election of alumni trustees and members of the Alumni Council. The principal is deposited in the Lemuel Towers Life Membership Fund, as part of the permanent of the College and is invested and reinvested by the Finance Committee of the Board of Trustees. The income is paid to the treasurer of the General Alumni Association and is used largely for the costs of printing THE DICKIN-SON ALUMNUS.

### **Attends Two Inaugurations**

Henry Logan, '10, attorney of Brooklyn, N. Y., and trustee of the College, served as the representative of the College at two inaugurations in October.

On October 7, he was at the inauguration of Dr. Robert Fisher Oxnam as president of Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y. Dr. Oxnam is the son of Bishop G. Bromley Axnam, of Washington, who is also a trustee of the College.

On October 22, Mr. Logan was the delegate of the College at the inauguration of Dr. Harold Walker Stoke as president of Queens College, Flushing, N. Y.

## Two At Harvard

James H. Soltow, '48, has received an appointment as Business History Fellow at the Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration. His wife, the former Martha Jane Stough, '46, is working in the Baker Library, the Harvard Business School Library, as head of the Corporation Records Division.

## Antibiotic Expert Seeking Cancer Cure in Molds

THE work of Dr. Paul R. Burkholder, in seeking a cure for cancer in molds gathered over the world was the subject of a feature article written by Murray Schumach and published in the October 5 issue of *The New York Times*. That article in part was as follows:

In a laboratory at the Brooklyn Botanic Garden a possible conqueror of cancer is being sought in test tubes.

Unknown to the thousands who stroll among the trees and plants of this pastoral retreat, Dr. Paul Burkholder is trying to find an antibiotic that will destroy cancer cells, but not the patient.

Dr. Burkholder and his assistants have worked over scores of thousands of experiments, sending the most promising of the antibiotics to Sloan-Kettering Institute for Cancer Research for additional tests.

Dr. C. P. Rhoades, director of Sloan-Kettering, said yesterday that he considered the work of Dr. Burkholder "very important indeed."

Though the research in Brooklyn has not led to a cancer cure, he said, it is the only project of its scope now in existence.

"Dr. Burkholder," said the head of the cancer institute, "has a curious genius at picking up strange organisms that will do strange things."

This reputation was earned by Dr. Burkholder by his discovery of the mold from which chloromycetin was made.

"I was lucky," said Dr. Burkholder. "I found it on the sixty-fifth try. Since then I've done more than 100,000 and I haven't come up with what I want."

The 55-year-old scientist is a small man with alert, gray-blue eyes. His triangular office is so small he is sometimes obscured among the piles of books and filing cabinets. The workshop contains collected samples of earth from many parts of the world in which he is seeking the mold that may produce the cancerkilling antibiotic.



PAUL R. BURKHOLDER

The privilege of working day and night has been sought by Dr. Burkholder during most of his adult life.

The search for more work carried him, after his doctorate at Cornell, in 1929, to Harvard, Columbia, Connecticut College, the University of Missouri, Yale—where he became full professor and head of the botany department of bacteriology. He made his chloromycetin discovery at Yale.

Two years ago he found the best way to increase his work load by taking his present job as director of research at the Brooklyn Botanic Garden.

His private life is part of his work because his wife, Lillian, is also a scientist, working with him on his present project.

### **Heads History Department**

Basil W. Kings, '50, is head of the History Department of Teachers' College in Auckland, New Zealand. Differing from the usage in this country, his position carries the title of Lecturer.

He is hoping to return to this country next year to do graduate studies in methodology and the social sciences.

## **Directs Presbyterian Church School Services**

FTER 15 years of pastoral ministry, A the Rev. Arthur A. Wahmann, '40, has become Director of the Department of Church School Curriculum Services in the General Division of Publication, the United Presbyterian (U. S. A.) Board of Christian Education. In this capacity he seeks to extend the interest, promote the understanding, and increase the more effective use of the Board's periodical materials. This is accomplished largely through area and local church conferences, previews, and clinics conducted by thoroughly trained Publication Division Field Representatives from his department.

Before his appointment, he had, for seven years, been pastor of the large downtown Church of the Messiah, Paterson, N. J. The Christian Education program he introduced there was noted by *Woman's Home Companion* and a story of it was featured in the March, 1956 issue. Before going to Paterson, he was pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Harrison, N. Y., for eight years.

His sermons and articles appear regularly in a number of religious magazines.

Born in Brooklyn, N. Y., on December 24, 1917, he graduated from Jamaica High School and received his A.B. degree from the College in 1940 and a B.D. degree from Union Theological Seminary in 1943. At Dickinson he became a member of the Commons Club, an officer of the Greek Club and of the Belle Lettres Society and a member of the Theological Society.

He married the former Alice Margaret Corduke and they have two sons, Christopher, born May 12, 1943 and Stephen, born September 20, 1945. They are now making their home in Swarthmore, Pa.

## **Reelected To House**

Francis Worley, '41L, attorney of York Springs, Pa., was reelected to the Pennsylvania House of Representatives from Adams County in November.



ARTHUR A. WAHMANN

## **Engages In Burma Project**

Dr. B. V. Antes, '27, physician of Canton, O., and a Methodist, was one of three members of an interdenomination medical team, sponsored by the Baptist World Alliance, which conducted part of a jet-age immunization project in Rangoon, Burma, in August.

In a little more than two hours, three doctors gave anti-typhoid serum to 480 students in five religious training institutions and one grade school.

They used a "press-o-jet" instrument for injections which Dr. R. A. Hingson, a Baptist of Cleveland, helped to perfect. Dr. Antes and Dr. Cleland, an Episcopalian of Portland, Ore., were the other members. *Religious News Service* says the new instrument makes mass immunizations possible by its speed.

## In U S O Post

DeHaven Woodcock, '33, '36L, has become regional campaign director for the United Service Organizations, Inc., for the Chicago area. His offices are at 11 South LaSalle Street, Chicago 3, Ill.

## **Receives Citation At Hood College Anniversary**

**M** ISS LILLIAN O. BROWN, '08, was awarded a citation at the anniversary celebration at Hood College in October in special recognition for her 45 years of service on the faculty there. She went to Hood in 1908 following her Dickinson graduation with Phi Beta Kappa honors and taught until her retirement in 1953.

For more than 30 years she was chairman of the department of mathematics, physics and astronomy and upon her retirement was named Professor Emeritus of Mathematics.

In presenting the award President Andrew G. Truxal said: "For 45 of this college's 65 years you were a distinguished member of her faculty. In addition to teaching mathematics, you were also advisor for many years to the incoming freshman class.

"Consequently," Dr. Truxal continued, "it may be safe to say that of 5,800 graduates and nongraduates, you have had contact with 5,000 of them. However important those contacts may have been, however stimulating your teaching doubtless was, these 5,000 alumnae will remember you for another reason namely the impact of a noble soul upon their lives during their formative years.

"A person like you need have no concern about immortality in the traditional sense." Dr. Truxal said. "You have already achieved it in terms of the influences for good exerted upon the members of the Hood family and those who are to follow them.

"Your niece, (Mrs. Barry Sullivan), came from Beverly Hills, Calif., this evening to share in this occasion because, as she said, 'I love Aunt Lillian.' It is because we all love and respect you that it is a rare privilege for me, representing the far-flung Hood fellowship, to award you this citation for 45 years of unselfish service in the cause of education at Hood College."

Born in Summit Station, Pa., Miss Brown attended Keystone Normal School



LILLIAN O. BROWN

and entered Dickinson in 1905. She received her M.A. degree at Columbia University and has studied at the University of Chicago and Harvard University.

She is a member of the American Association of Science, the Mathematical Association of America, the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics and the A.A.U.P.

## Attends Olivet Inauguration

Dr. Roscoe O. Bonisteel, '12, attorney of Ann Arbor, Mich., and a regent of the University of Michigan, served as the representative of Dickinson College at the inauguration of Gorton Riethmiller as president of Olivet College, Olivet, Mich., on October 26.

## Preaches In Chapel

The Rev. Ralph W. Sockman, minister of the Christ Methodist Church, New York City, an honorary alumnus of the College, preached in the College Chapel on November 4. His sermon topic was "Prisoners of Ourselves" and he holds a Doctor of Laws degree from the college.

## DICKINSON ALUMNUS

## Presents City Hall To Milford, Delaware

**R** UBY R. VALE, '96, and his wife, the former Elizabeth Williams, have presented Milford, Del., with a city hall as a gift "for the love and affection we hold for the city." Mrs. Vale is a native of Milford.

Mr. Vale is a trustee of the College, a member of the Executive Committee, a prominent lawyer with offices in Philadelphia and a widely known author. He offered Milford not only the plot of ground on Walnut Street but also set up a \$150,000 mortgage to cover construction of the new city hall. The Vales said they would pay off the mortgage.

The new municipal headquarters will be built on the site of Mrs. Vale's girlhood home, about two blocks from the present city hall.

The Vales lived there for about 50 years before their home was destroyed by fire in 1952.

The offer was made through Percy Haughey, a member of the City Council and a friend of the Vales.

The new building will be known as the Vale-Williams Memorial City Hall in honor of the couple's daughter, Maria, who died several years ago, and Mrs. Vale's father, Robert H. Williams.

Milford bought a building two years ago for a city hall but sold it soon afterward when the upkeep and repair were deemed too great.

### **Heads Own Business**

After nearly 30 years with City Service, Robert J. Finney, '35, of Riverton, N. J., formed his own company and became president last June of the F-M Oil Company, Lansdale, Pa. He is a distributor for California Oil Company products, selling oils and other such products in the Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey fields.

When he graduated from the college in 1935, he was employed in the chemistry control laboratory of the Crew Levick Co., which was later absorbed by



RUBY R. VALE

City Service. He rose with that company through the refining division to became plant superintendent and later assistant to the vice president, and general manager. He was loaned by his company to the Federal Government in 1949-50 as a refining engineering expert. He has also done graduate work in management at the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania.

Living in Riverton, N. J., with his wife, the former Helen Geiss, a 17-yearold son, Robert J., Jr., and 14-year-old daughter, Barbara Jean, he is a member of the school board, and a trustee of Calvary Presbyterian Church and a Mason. At Dickinson, where he was captain of the track team and a member of the basketball team, he became a member of Sigma Chi Fraternity.

#### **Represents** Dickinson

Dr. Lloyd W. Johnson, '03, trustee of the College, was the representative of Dickinson College at the inauguration of Dr. Richard H. Heindel as president of Wagner College, Staten Island, N. Y., on October 19.

## Makes Fine Addition to Studies in the Humanities

By PROF. CHARLES COLEMAN SELLERS, Librarian

"The Unfortunate Dr. Dodd . . ." by Edwin E. Willoughby, Ph.D., D.Litt., F.R.L.S., in Essays by Divers Hands, being the Transactions of the Royal Society of Literature, London, Oxford University Press, 1958. 15 s.

T IS perhaps not well enough known that Dickinson has among her alumni a small group of scholars in the humanities whose work is of the highest distinction and has become internationally known. They are in different fields, but their contributions are alike of permanent value. One of these is Edwin E. Willoughby, '22, who has recently retired as Chief Bibliographer of the Folger Shakespeare Library in Washington. He will probably be remembered best for the new light he has thrown on the history of the King James Bible, and for his work on Shakespeare's printers. All that comes from his hand, however, has the same finality and charm, and this is abundantly true of his address on "The Unfortunate Dr. Dodd: The Tragedy of an Incurable Optimist," published this year in the Transactions of the Royal Society of Literature.

The paper was written to mark the two hundredth anniversary of the publication of Dodd's Beauties of Shakespeare. an anthology which has had a profound, if somewhat curious, effect on the dramatist's popular reputation, which was republished over a long period and is still reechoed in other similar compilationsreechoed also, as Dr. Willoughby points out with the gentlest sort of humor, in a fountain of Shakespearean quotation which plays continually in the halls of Congress not far from the Folger Library. Dodd made his great fame as a clergyman who was hanged for the crime of forgery. Relatively obscure among the picturesque details of this celebrated case is the fact that his motive in defrauding the Earl of Chesterfield was to acquire capital for the publication of a new edition of the plays. The tragedy of his death, if nothing more, brought about



### EDWIN E. WILLOUGHBY

a reform in the severity of the British penal code.

Dr. Willoughby brings us, as he points out, a story of optimism rather than venality, the story of a moralist gone astray and thereby pointing with greater force than any of his sermons could have done, a moral. We have here a new chapter, in the vast body of Shakespearean literature, brought to us with all of a great scholar's urbanity, humor and enduring authority.

## Appears On T V

Professor Benjamin D. James, '34, Dean of Admissions at the College, and Mrs. Clyde Stallings, Director of Public Relations at Washington College, Chestertown, Md., appeared on the Meet Miss Beachley "College Days" Program over a national network on November 18. The program originated over Channel 6.

## "A Moravian at the Nation's Capital"

THE second Sunday after Trinity on June 15, the Moravian Church used a bulletin with an excellent picture of Old West and one of the Nation's Capital on the front page. The copy which came to the editor of the ALUMNUS through Harry C. Zug, '34, was from the Central Church of Bethlehem, where his sister-in-law is a member.

Benjamin Latrobe, the architect of Old West, was also the architect of the Nation's Capital. Many interesting things are told about him on the back page of the church bulletin. The account given is as follows:

"The vacation wanderer to the Nation's Capital may miss meeting the President, but he should not miss meeting the architectural spirit of a great Moravian, who fashioned the country's Capital buildings.

"Benjamin Henry Latrobe may never have belonged to a Moravian Church in America, but he was the son of one of England's greatest Moravian ministers and the brother of one of Moraviandom's most prolific hymn writers.

"As an aspiring architect, Benjamin Henry Latrobe came to America in 1796, when George Washington was its first President. Within three months of his arrival in Norfolk, Latrobe had met the 'Father of Our Country' at his Mount Vernon, Va., home.

"Then in 1803 he found another President, Thomas Jefferson, calling on him by letter of appointment as the nation's first 'Surveyor of Public Buildings' in the capital city.

"Other architects and builders had begun the work of constructing the nation's Capitol building from the amateur drawings of Dr. William Thornton. But it fell to Latrobe's lot to complete the old north wing of the Capitol, redesign and execute the construction of the old south wing, and finally restore the building after the British had ruined it by fire in 1814.

"Latrobe worked under three national

Presidents: Jefferson, Madison and Monroe. Latrobe assisted Robert Fulton in building some of his famous steamboats. He was drawn as a witness into the trial of the conspirator Aaron Burr. He designed the 'Church of the Presidents' (St. John's Episcopal Church, Washington) as well as Christ Church in the capital city. Certainly his greatest church architectural triumph was the building of the first American Roman Catholic cathedral in Baltimore. He gave the people of Philadelphia their first water system; he died in New Orleans seeking to complete his son's fatal attempt to bring a water supply to that great southern city. His grave lies unmarked and unknown in the Protestant cemetery of New Orleans: Benjamin Henry Latrobe, the Nation's First Architect and Builder."

## Heads Wyoming School

William D. Reese, '39, is principal of Natrona County High School, Casper, Wyo. The school is a three year county senior high school with an enrollment of 1,700 and a staff of 75 faculty members.

Casper is in the approximate geographical center of Wyoming and draws students in a 75 mile radius.

Bill has an M.A. from the University of Wyoming and has done considerable work towards his doctorate. His new post and four children will make it difficult for him to complete that work. His wife is his Dickinson classmate, Elsa D. Bluhm.

### Serves As Delegate

Major William M. Morrow, '31, USAF, served as the representative of the college at the inauguration of Gordon Richard Bennett as president of Mc-Murray College at Abilene, Tex., on November 18.

Major Morrow is serving with Headquarters Squadron 819th Combat Support Group at Dyess Air Force Base.

## **Gridders Enjoy Best Season Since 1949**

THE 1958 Dickinson eleven got off to a horrendous start but unlike its predecessors of recent years, suddenly caught fire in mid-season and finished with a record of four victories and four defeats for the best season at the College since 1949.

The rags-to-riches road over which Coach Don Seibert led the players in his second year at Dickinson found them losing their first three games but not their spirit. Then in a dramatic aboutface they won the next three, becoming the first Red and White eleven to win that many in a row in nine years.

By the final game they were really afire, thrashing Ursinus 34-6 in the finest offensive display by Dickinson since the 42-10 overthrow of W. and J. in 1954. There was no sure explanation for the team's sudden reversal of form. Perhaps it was just suddenly caught up by the winning spirit created by fine teams in other sports at the College in the past two years. Or maybe Coach Sibert's patience and fine coaching were paying off.

The resurgence was led by the passing of David Wachter, quarterback and one of six seniors on the team; the superb running of Robert Worthington who became in the course of the season the best ball carrier at the College in some years, and the stiffened line play of Tom De-Marino, Lee Shipman, Jack Stafford, Barry Dasher and others.

F. and M., as always, was just too much in the opening game at Lancaster, winning as expected, 34-0, but the loss to Haverford, 14-0, the next week on Biddle Field was a surprise. Bad Dickinson errors deep in its territory led to both Ford touchdowns.

The team had one more bad Saturday. Susquehanna, racing unimpeded to a 31-0 half-time lead, won finally, 39-14, at Selinsgrove. The only solace here was that the boys finally broke their scoring drought. Ray Cromer, an end, ran 54 yards with a pass from Wachter for the team's first touchdown of the season. By now Dickinson students had all but forgotten what it was like to cheer on a winning team. No one was expecting the reversal of form that set in against Wagner on Biddle Field. The team scored three times in the first half, then hung on grimly for a 20-18 victory, which was not only the season's first, but also the first in 13 games going back to a 7-6 win over Swarthmore in 1956.

Favored Allegheny was upset the next week, 18-12, on the passing of Wachter, who had another brilliant day against Wilkes in the Homecoming game. The 12-0 score might have been much more decisive but for five Dickinson fumbles.

The team was not in good physical condition for Johns Hopkins the next week at Baltimore and, weakening after a close first half, lost at Baltimore 25-19. Ursinus, back on the schedule after a lapse of three years, was no match in the finale, played at Collegeville. The team scored on advances of 75, 49, 14, 57 and 63 yards.

In addition to David Wachter, one of the finest passers in Dickinson history, graduation will claim Lee Shipman, Thomas DeMarino, Jack Stafford, Robert Faunce and Thomas Moore, all linemen.

## Swimmers Getting Set

Coach Dave Eavenson's Dickinson swimmers, who had an all-conquering season last winter, will meet the same nine opponents again this season but the results could be different. Ed Mulligan, finest of all Dickinson mermen, failed to return to the College in September and may not be back for the Spring semester either.

Lost by graduation were Don O'Neill, Larry Altaker, Bob Brassler and Bob Kline, all consistent point winners. But the presence of Co-captains Willis Coston and Jon Kulp, Bill Thieler, Edward Black, Jay Templeton and others promises another good if not quite so spectacular a season as the last two, which found the team losing only one out of 20 meets.

The schedule: Dec. 13, Delaware, away; Jan. 10, Wilkes, away; 17, P. M. C., away; 31, Lycoming, away; Feb. 4, Gettysburg, away; 11, Swarthmore, home; 19, Drexel, away; 21, F. and M., home; 25, triangular meet with F. and M. and Gettysburg, home.

### **Harriers Win Five Meets**

Led by Howard Maat, a junior, who was undefeated, Dickinson has finished its finest cross-country season with a 5-1 dual meet record. Coach DuCharme's harriers lost the opening meet to Juniata and then bested Albright, Elizabethtown, F. and M., Gettysburg and P. M. C.

Maat set records for the Juniata, Gettysburg and Dickinson courses, was never really extended in any dual meet and established himself as the finest Dickinson distance runner since Frank Bayley, '26. He had great support from teammates Nelson Lebo, Jim Bartoli, Donald Davis, Bill Steckley, Marshall Huey and Norm Keyes.

At season's end the team competed in the Middle Atlantic Conference championships, finishing eighth in a fast field of 18 colleges and universities. Maat was 18th among the more than 120 runners. This was the first time Dickinson ever was represented by a full team in the conference title race.

## Wrestlers Book Ten Meets

Dickinson, which made its bow to intercollegiate wrestling last winter in a brief warmup schedule of five meets, is really plunging into the sport this season. Coach Charles Ream and his enthusiastic 25-member squad have a tough, 10-meet schedule for their second campaign.

All of last year's mainstays are back again and there are some fine frosh prospects. Coach Ream has predicted a winning season and is counting heavily upon Capt. Carey Marcucci, Allen Smeltz, Alan Sackman, Jan Skladany, Gordon Mowrer, Alfred Hoberman and newcomers Dick Ayres and Bill Bashforth.

The 1958-59 schedule: Dec. 9, P. M. C., home; 18, Elizabethtown, home. Jan. 7, Gettysburg, home; 13, Lebanon Valley, away. Feb. 4, Moravian, away; 7, Lehigh Jayvees, away; 13, Western Maryland, home; 18, Lycoming, home; 21, Albright, away.

### Named to Lehigh Post

Dr. James C. Mancuso, '51, has entered on his duties as counselor with the Lehigh University placement and counseling services. He received his Ph.D. degree in psychology from the University of Rochester last June.

At Rochester, he majored in clinical psychology under the auspices of the Veterans Administration psychology training program. While completing the dissertation on the effects of institutionalization on adolescent attitudes, he worked as psychologist to a group of rural schools in Wyoming County, N. Y.

A graduate of the Milton Hershey High School, Hershey, Pa., he received his Dickinson diploma in 1951. He is a member of Phi Kappa Psi, the Society of Sigma Xi and the American Psychological Association.

He married the former Suasn R. Kuca, a graduate of the Meyer Memorial School of Nursing, Buffalo, N. Y. They have two young daughters.

#### Visited Rensselaer

Dr. Horace E. Rogers, '24, member of the college faculty, served as the representative of the college at the inauguration of Richard Gilman Folsom as 12th President of Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy, N.Y. on October 4.

Dr. Rogers is the counsellor for preengineering students at Dickinson College and has had many contacts with Rensselaer.

## Death Claims Member of the Board of Trustees

**D**<sup>R.</sup> WILLIAM C. SAMPSON, '02, member of the Board of Trustees since 1946 and for some years its secretary, died suddenly of a heart attack at his home in Drexel Hill, Pa. on October 21. He was sitting watching television after dinner when he slumped in his chair and died instantly. He is survived by his wife, the former Eva Gordon.

While at Dickinson he became a member of S.A.E. Fraternity and of Raven's Claw. He was a Life Member of the General Alumni Association, a Mason, a Methodist, a member of Rotary, Phi Delta Kappa and the Pennsylvania Schoolmen's Club. He held life memberships in P.S.E.A. and N.E.A. and was a director of the Y.M.C.A. at Upper Darby.

He did graduate work at Columbia and Lehigh universities. A fitting tribute to him was offered by his long time associate, C. Wendell Holmes, '21, in Chapel Exercises in the Upper Darby Senior High School on October 24 which was as follows:

We pause on this day to pay a simple tribute to the memory of Dr. William C. Sampson, Superintendent of Upper Darby Schools from December 1, 1926 to July 1, 1943.

Dr. Sampson was born on February 2, 1881 at Avondale, Chester County. His father, the Reverend James Sampson, was a Methodist clergyman. After attending several elementary schools, he was graduated from Pottsville High School. All of his work as teacher and administrator was in the schools of Pennsylvania. He received his Bachelor's Degree from Dickinson College, Carlisle, and then began teaching at Auburn, later at Fleetwood. He served as Principal at Birdsboro and then at Bethlehem. Before coming to Upper Darby, he was Superintendent of Schools at Columbia and at DuBois.

He came to Upper Darby in the midst of a tremendous increase in school enrollments. His excellent business acumen was evidenced by his foresight in pro-



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jecting a building program to meet the needs of one of the fastest-growing communities in the United States. This he did with a very meager staff. Drexel Hill, Bywood, and Stonehurst Hills Schools were already under construction. During his administration, the Upper Darby (Beverly Hills) Junior High School and the Aronimink School were built. The old Garrettford School was torn down and a much larger building took its place.

During the long and difficult years of the depression, he continually resisted efforts to eliminate and curtail educational programs and services which made Upper Darby Schools outstanding in the state and in the nation. His skill in selecting and organizing his staff, his strict adherence to high moral and ethical practices, and his innate modesty won the confidence and respect of those who knew and worked with him.

As a result of his contribution to education in the Community and the State, Dickinson College awarded him the honorary degree of Doctor of Science in 1934. The Lions Club of Upper Darby honored him with a Distinguished Citizenship Award in 1943. He was elected to the Board of Trustees at Dickinson College and for several years served as its Secretary. He was also a Trustee of the Elwyn Training School and had a very keen interest in the work of this school in helping the mentally handicapped.

He will always be remembered as a man who was friendly in his relationships with people without engendering familiarity. We knew him as a citizen of great moral strength, of keen understanding, and of sound judgment. As an educator, he recognized the full value of fundamental skills and training. As an administrator, he was deeply devoted to the best interests of children, believed that education was a thoroughly sound investment, and always stood firmly for his convictions.

For seventeen years Dr. Sampson guided the educational destinies of the schools of Upper Darby Township. His foresight and wise planning have kept them at a high level of efficiency. The School System, with its splendid buildings and its well-trained staff will continue to perpetuate his memory; but, in a finer way, his memory will live in the mind and hearts of those children and teachers who walked along the way with him and learned his nobility.

His passing "leaves a lonesome place against the sky."

## "Salutes A Good Neighbor"

A fine tribute to C. Wendell Holmes, '21, president of the General Alumni Association and since 1929 Registrar and Guidance Director of the Upper Darby Senior High School in the October 9 issue of the Upper Darby News, by Lit Brothers, Philadelphia department store. The article headed "Salutes A Good Neighbor" and reads as follows:

It would be difficult to find a busier or more versatile man than Mr. Charles Wendell Holmes. For his activities . . . most of them in behalf of others . . . cover a wide range and require many overtime hours. For instance, he is an active member of five educational societies . . . and of the Phi Delta Kappa Society. He was a marine lieutenant during World War I and is today a busy member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. He has been District Director of the Community Fund Drive for Upper Darby Schools since 1950. He has served as Supply Pastor of the Crozerville Methodist Church, of Lenni, Pa., for the past eight years.

And these are only a few of his many interests and responsibilities . . . there are nearly a dozen others! One of his current tasks, as Chairman of the Program Committee of the Upper Darby Lions Club, is to help raise a special fund for the blind. He hopes to accomplish this by selling packages of light bulbs through the membership of the Lion Club.

Lit Brothers-69th St. proudly Salutes a Good Neighbor and a highly respected citizen of the community, Mr. Charles Wendell Holmes.

## Lehigh Converts Building

Lehigh University is converting Lambert Hall into a headquarters for the language departments of the university. The hall was first built in 1907 as the first university commons. It is named for Robert A. Lamberton, Lehigh's president from 1880 to 1893, who graduated from Dickinson College in 1843. He died while serving as president of Lehigh on September 1, 1893.

## Change In Administration

In an administrative change at the college this Fall, Dr. Asa W. Climenhaga, the registrar since 1950, became director of teacher training, succeeding Dr. Edgar M. Finck, who retired in June. The new registrar is Prof. William H. Benson who came to the College in 1955 to teach mathematics following retirement from the U.S. Navy with the rank of captain.

# Pennsylvania Supreme Court Justice Dies

**P**ENNSYLVANIA Supreme Court Justice John C. Arnold, a trustee of the College since 1951 and a trustee of the Dickinson School of Law, died on November 9 at his home in Clearfield, Pa. at the age of 71 years. He broke his hip in a fall at his home on September 23 and spent four weeks in the Clearfield Hospital.

Born in Curwensville, Pa. on March 10, 1887, he received his degree from the University of Pennsylvania Law School in 1909. He began his law career in DuBois and served as City Solicitor there before he was elected Clearfield County District Attorney in 1917. He was appointed to the Superior Court in 1945 by Governor Edward Martin and a year later was elected to a full ten-year term.

In 1952, Justice Arnold was elected to a 21-year term on the Supreme Court Bench. Before his election, he served nearly eight years as a Judge of the State Superior Court and two terms as Clearfield County District Attorney.

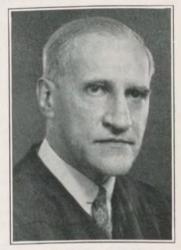
He was a 33° degree Mason and a member of the Board of Managers of the Law Alumni Society of the University of Pennsylvania, a member of the American Bar Association, the Union League of Philadelphia and the Duquesne Club of Pittsburgh.

He is survived by his widow, the former Clare E. Platt, and three children, Mrs. Charles Mann, of Norristown; Dan P. Arnold, of Clearfield, and Mrs. Royal Brandis, of Champaign, Ill. Another son, John C. Arnold, Jr., died in 1953.

Funeral services were held from the Trinity Methodist Church in Clearfield, of which he was a member; and burial was made at Curwensville.

## **Twenty Games In Basketball**

Five lettermen from the team that won 10 games and lost 11 last year are on hand for the 1958-59 basketball sea-



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son. Navy is the only newcomer on the schedule of 20 games.

The transfer of Jay Anglada, last season's fine 6-6 center, to Lehigh has left Coach DuCharme without a single good tall man. Also missing are Ray Weaver, holder of most of the school's individual scoring records, who graduated, and Ralph Chase, another fine scorer, who has left college.

John Valenti, 5-7 guard and playmaker, is the captain. Other lettermen are Joe Elinsky, center, and Bob Shapley, Ray Cromer and Bon Diehl, forwards. Gene Becker, who played on a championship team at York, and Thomas Ferguson are fine freshman prospects.

The schedule: Dec. 3, Swarthmore, home; 6, Albright, away; 9, Navy, away; 15, Wilkes, home; 16, Ursinus, away; 18, Elizabethtown, away. Jan. 8, Lebanon Valley, home; 10, Susquehanna, home; 12, F. and M., home; 14, Gettysburg, away; 17, P. M. C., away; 31, Johns Hopkins, home. Feb. 2, Moravian, home; 9, Juniata, away; 11, Washington Col., away; 14, Lehigh, away; 17, Gettysburg, home; 20, Lycoming, away; 21, Western Maryland, away; 24, F. and M., away.

### New York Alumnae Meet

The Dickinson Alumnae Club of New York met in Summit, N. J., on October 25. After lunching at the Hotel Suburban, the group was invited to the home of Mrs. Mildred Weir Woodward, '20, for its business meeting.

Plans were made for the club's luncheon and theater party which will take place late in the winter. After consideration of several plays, Miss Linette Lee, '09, volunteered to secure theater tickets. Notices of this party will be sent to all dues-paying members of the alumnae club as soon as the tickets are obtained.

The group unanimously voted to send a contribution of \$25 from the treasury to the E. A. Vuilleumier Memorial Fund. It was agreed that the president, Mrs. Elinor Green Spencer, '30, should deliver the check to the campus during Homecoming.

## Writes On Presbyterian Stand

Articles written recently by Dr. Harry L. Stearns, '22, Superintendent of Schools in Englewood, N. J., reveal that he played an important part in the formulation of the 11,000-word statement on "The Church and the Public Schools" which was adopted by the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church a year ago. The document received widespread reading throughout the country by churchmen and educators.

The first issue of Nexus, a publication for professors of Christian Colleges published by the Board of Christian Education of the Persbyterian Church, featured his article on the Church and the Public Schools. The background of this article was the official pronouncement of the Presbyterian Church in support of public education. Dr. Stearns is a member of the Board of Christian Education and was a member of the sub-committee which over a period of three years worked to prepare the statement adopted by the General Assembly. While he denies any claim to authorship, he was one of a group of five who actually wrote the report for the consideration of the General Assembly.

He is also the author of an article in *Presbyterian Life* entitled "Is Your Child In A Good School" which appeared in the November 1957 issue.

In the issue of *Nexus*, the editor writes "Few men are better acquainted with trends in American education than Dr. Harry Stearns. An elder in the First Presbyterian Church, Englewood, N. J., member of the Board of Christian Education, Dr. Stearns is a loyal churchman with a wide understanding of the program of Christian education. His counsel as a member of the Committee on Religion and Public Education was invaluable."

### **Quigley Defeats Stauffer**

James M. Quigley, '42L, unseated S. Walter Stauffer, '12, as Congressman from the 19th District, embracing York, Adams and Cumberland Counties, in the November elections.

Four years ago, Mr. Quigley defeated Mr. Stauffer and served a term in the House of Representatives. Two years ago, he was defeated by Stauffer and regained his seat by a majority of 3,755 votes.

Quigley lost Ádams and Cumberland Counties, but rolled up a lead of 8,607 votes in York County.

Voters in Cumberland County gave Stauffer his best lead, the vote being 21,758 to 17,958 for Quigley, while in Adams County Stauffer was victorious, 9,238 to 8,286.

Recently a suit has been entered in York County contesting voting in some precincts there.

## In New Lafayette Post

M. Charles Seller, '55, has been named Director of Public Information, a newly formed position, at Lafayette College, Easton. His wife and classmate, the former Jane Myers, is a first grade teacher in the public schools of Easton.

## PERSONALS

#### 1904

Ivo V. Otto, R. D. 6, Carlisle, Pa., is chairman of the 55th reunion of the Class of 1904, which will be held at the June, 1959 Commencement. The dates are June 5, 6 and 7.

### 1906

Word has come of the death a few years ago of Mary E. Milburn, sister of John R. Milburn, attorney of Washington, D. C. While not a Dickinsonian, she was the great-granddaughter of William R. Woodward, who graduated from the College in 1838; and, besides an uncle and a number of cousins who were Dickinson graduates, she had a sister who graduated in 1911 and two brothers in 1902 and 1906. Her father, the Rev. Page Milburn, received an honorary degree from the College. She was a graduate of Goucher College and served many years in the Children's Bureau, Washington, D. C.

#### 1909

Dr. Frederick Brown Harris was one of the featured speakers during Religionin-Life Week at the College last month when the topic was "Religion at the Crossroads." He preached at the College Chapel on November 20. Dr. Harris is Chaplain of the United States Senate and retired recently as pastor of Foundry Church in Washington. He and Mrs. Harris spent several days on the campus.

Miss Linette Lee, of 153 College Avenue, New Brunswick, N. J., is chairman of the 50th reunion of the Class of 1909, which will be held during the June, 1959 Commencement. The dates are June 5, 6 and 7. Dr. J. Clair McCullough will be the local committee member and others serving are W. Grier Briner and Ellsworth Mish. Other members of the class will probably be asked to serve on the committee.

#### 1910

Frank G. Mardis is living in Johnstown and was a special agent with Equitable Life Assurance Association until his retirement.

#### 1912

Mrs. Salome Baker Stauffer, wife of Congressman S. Walter Stauffer, died at her home in York, Pa. on November 13 following a stroke. In addition to her husband, she is survived by their daughter, Mrs. Robert E. Skold, Red Bank, N. J., a brother and two grandchildren. 1914

Dr. C. E. Wagner, vice president, has appointed Mrs. L. A. Burkholder, the former Mabel Krall, 251 North 27th Street, Camp Hill, Pa., as chairman of the 45th reunion of the class which will be held at the June, 1959 Commencement. The dates are June 5, 6 and 7. Other members of the Committee are Carlyle R. Earp, Dr. Frank Y. Jaggers and Foster E. Brenneman.

#### 1915

The Committee is at work in the Avon-Grove Area Joint Schools, West Grove, Pa. to create a memorial to Hugh S. Morgan, a former supervising principal of the school there. Mr. Alex H. Weeks, Jr., the present principal, is raising a fund to purchase an organ to be placed in the new auditorium in the high school. Any donation sent to him will be greatly received and acknowledged.

#### 1918

Frank E. Masland, Jr., president of C. H. Masland & Sons, and vice president of the College Board of Trustees, spoke last month to the Allison Methodist Church congregation. He reported on the World Council of Churches Meeting which he attended as a delegate from the United States last June in Evian, France. Presently, he he serving as a member of the Division of Inter-Church Aid Service to Refugees of the World Council of Churches and also as a member of the Methodist Committee for Overseas Relief.

Nell H. Marvil, of Philadelphia, sailed last month aboard the "Caronia" on a cruise to the Caribbean. A month earlier she fell and fractured her ankle but recovered in time to make the trip.

Paul L. Hutchison has been out of his Harrisburg law office since July. In August his left eye was operated upon for the correction of a detached retina and in October a similar operation was performed on his right eye. The operations have been declared successful and Paul is regaining his sight while recovering at his home in Camp Hill, Pa.

Dr. Lester F. Johnson, of R. D. 5, York, Pa., is chairman of the 40th reunion of the Class of 1919 which will be held at the June, 1959 Commencement. The dates are June 5, 6 and 7. He will announce other members of the committee shortly. He and Tom Mills have started work on the reunion.

The Rev. Dr. Ira S. Pimm, who has been Headmaster of Pennington Seminary for some years, became pastor of First Methodist Church, New Brunswick, N. J., last month. He is also Pastor Director of the Wesley Foundation at Rutgers University.

#### 1922

Edwin E. Willoughby was medically retired from the Fogler Shakespeare Library, Washington, D. C., in January, 1958 because of a rare neurological condition. On May 1, 1958, he entered Pennsylvania Hospital, 4401 Market Street, Philadelphia for an extended stay. His mailing address is 414 W. Holly Avenue, Pitman, N.J.

Charles C. Collins died of a heart attack at his home in Hagerstown, Md., on March 20. He was 58 years old and a graduate of the Clearfield High School and a member of Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity. He is survived by his second wife, the former Rosie Smith, and a son and two daughters by a former matriage.

#### 1925

Following his return from a year of preaching in Britain, the Rev. Dr. Lynn Crowding became minister of Shippensburg Methodist Church, Shippensburg, Pa., in July.

#### 1926

Mrs. Lena D. Shissler, wife of Wilhelm E. Shissler, '26, of Harrisburg, Pa., died September 11 in a Harrisburg hospital. She was a member of the Lutheran Church, the Harrisburg Civic Club and the West Shore Rotary Anns. In addition to her husband, she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Lee S. Magness, Baltimore, Md.

In the Democratic landslide in Pennsylvania in November, Judge Robert E. Woodside narrowly missed election as the Republican candidate for a seat on the Pennsylvania Supreme Court. He continues to hold his place on the Superior Court bench.

#### 1927

The Rev. Kenneth R. Perinchief was appointed to the Cape May Court House, N. J. charge on October 1. The parsonage address there is 16 N. Boyd St. He was serving as pastor of the First Methodist Church, Camden, N. J., at the time of his new appointment.

#### 1928

Creedin S. Kruger was elected president of the Carlisle Kiwanis Club. He is personnel director at the Carlisle Tire and Rubber Company. The Rev. Paul A. Friedrich was appointed pastor of First Methodist Church, Ocean City, N. J., at the fall session of the New Jersey Annual Conference. This church is the host to the fall session of the New Jersey Annual Conference and ministers to a large number of summer residents as well as having a full time winter schedule. He succeeded the Rev. Dr. William R. Guffick, '25.

James A. Strite, of 846 East King Street, Chambersburg, Pa., is chairman of the 30th reunion of the class, which will be held at the June, 1959 Commencement. The Commencement dates are June 5, 6 and 7.

#### 1931

John C. Arndt, III, has moved to 1469 Jericho Road, Abington, Pa.

Donald G. Lee has been in Madrid for a little over four years in connection with the Spanish Base Program. He reports "it has been a very interesting although sometimes frustrating experience. However, it has been thoroughly enjoyable."

J. Boyd Landis, Carlisle lawyer and former district attorney of Cumberland County, was elected a director of the Farmers Trust Company, Carlisle, last month. His father, Merkel Landis, '96, was president of the former Carlisle Trust Company for years.

#### 1932

Miss Sarah Chambers Teller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen A. Teller, was married to Edward A. Lottick, of Wyoming, on October 25 in Westminster Presbyterian Church, Wilkes-Barre, Pa. At least nine Dickinsonians were in attendance at the ceremony and reception. Among these were her uncle, Dr. Carl C. Chambers, '29; her uncle and aunt, Dr. Reuben L. Sharp, '22, and Mary Chambers Sharp, '24; her uncle and aunt, Ellsworth Keller and Ruth Chambers Keller, both 1926; Dr. Walter W. Kistler, '15; Victor F. Baiz, '28 and his wife Virginia Blynn Baiz, '30, and a cousin, Gailey Keller, '57L. Her grandfather was the late George Gailey Chambers, '02.

#### 1933

Nathan Sabel is the owner and proprietor of Penway Drugs at 6526 Castor Avenue, Philadelphia 1, Pa.

Samuel B. Reed, Esq., is Secretary of the Connecticut General Life Insurance Company, Hartford, Conn.

David Scott Zug, four-year old son of Mr and Mrs. Thomas V. Zug, of Ardmore, Pa., died of leukemia after six-months struggle on June 26. They have five other children, two sons and three daughters, the last Caroline French Zug, born November 27, 1957.

Frederic W. Ness has been elected to the executive committee of the Eastern Association of College Deans and Advisors of Students.

#### 1934

Duane M. Van Wegen visited the campus in September. His home is in Thornwood, New York, and he is manager of Employee Relations in charge of Safety and Training for the Corporate Offices of the Stauffer Chemical Co. He has been with that firm since his graduation. He is planning to return for the 25th Reunion in June.

Professor Benjamin D. James, Dean of Admissions and Chairman of the Department of Education at the College, was the principal speaker at the dedication of the new Hamilton School Building in Carlisle on October 13. More than 500 people attended the ceremonies.

#### 1935

Dr. Whitfield J. Bell, Jr. addressed the Harvard University Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa on December 11. In November, he attended a dinner and a meeting of the Administrative Board of the Colonial Society of Massachusetts in Boston, of which he has been a member since 1951.

#### 1936

During a class reunion sometime ago several members of the Class of 1936 were concerned over the fact that no one had planned anything nor made any arrangements. As a result of discusions at this reunion, Bill "Waxey" Gordon wrote to me and suggested that a class committee be formed. Since our class officers are pretty well scattered and not in a position to organize activities, the idea seemed to be a good one. Class officers were written and concurred in the plan. I wrote Ed Raffensperger and asked him to chairman the committee, and, because of his active participation in college affairs, to select a committee. The committe selected is listed below.

Bietsch, E. June (Mrs. Paul Leonard White) 580 S. Livingston Ave., Livingston, N. J.

Edwards, H. Lynn, Esq., 270 Longstreet Ct., Falls Church, Va.

Gordon, William D., General Traffic Manager, Pittsburgh Coke and Chemical Co., Grant Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

Gutshall, Evelyn R. (Mrs. John J. Sny-

der), 2801 Derry St., Harrisburg, Pa. Helms, Marjorie E. (Mrs. G. Edward Bolter), Country Club Hills, Camp Hill, Pa.

McDowell, Sherwin T., Esq., 1149 Maplecrest Circle, Gladwyne, Pa.

Porch, Rowland M., Esq., 16 Pitman Ave., Pitman, N. J.

Raffensperger, Edward, C., M.D., 2039 North 2nd St., Harrisburg, Pa.

Reeve, Dorothy Va., Esq., 30 Seward Ave., Toms River, N. J.

Schraedley, Helen J. (Mrs. Howard H. Snyder), 3608 Green St., Harrisburg, Pa.

Spahr, John F., 936 Black Road, Gladwyne, Pa.

Stover, C. Richard, 206 Gibson St., Carlisle, Pa.

Trace, Robert J., Esq., 330 North 27th St., Camp Hill, Pa.

Tentative plans are to hold a meeting of this group in Philadelphia in January.

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Mrs. Harold H. Gearinger, the former Emma L. Pfleuger, has moved from Philadelphia to 402 Oberon Train, Lookout Mountain, Tenn.

Dr. Edward C. Raffensperger, gastroentrologist of Harrisburg, was a member of a panel which discussed pancreatitis in the Scientific Program of the 108th annual session of the Medical Society of Pennsylvania, which was held in Philadelphia in October.

Mrs. Dora S. Raffensperger, the mother of Dr. Edward C. Raffensperger of Harrisburg died at her home in Boiling Springs, Pa. on November 16. She suffered a stroke on September 19 and had been an invalid since then. She is also survived by her husband, Mr. Edward H. Raffensperger.

#### 1938

Elmer F. Kester, father of Mrs. C. E. Eppley, the former Ruth E. Kester, died in the Carlisle Hospital at the age of 72 on October 20. He is survived by another daughter, Mrs. James R. Compton, and his wife. The Kesters have lived in Boiling Springs since 1926.

#### 1939

John M. Mardis is the owner of the Mardis Ford Sales Company in Somerset. He only spent one semester at the college, but after leaving he spent two years at Mercersburg and then attended the University of Pittsburgh until he was drafted in 1941. He was sent to Burma and retired with the rank of Captain. He is married to the former Lenore Dickinson and they have one daughter.

Mrs. J. R. Gross, the former Dorothy Gibbons, of Cranford, N. J., was called home from the Zeta Tau Alpha convention in Colorado last summer by the sudden death of her mother, Mrs. Edith Morss Gibbons.

1940

Mrs. Walter L. Benson, the former Elizabeth Shenton, has moved from Needham Heights, Mass. to 23 Sears Road, Wayland, Mass.

Dr. John J. Bunting, Jr., pastor of the Methodist Church, Newark, Del., is the author of the meditation being used on December 22 by readers of The Upper Room, which has a world-wide circulation of more than three million copies.

#### 1941

James M. Alexander, formerly Instructor in the Marketing Department of the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania accepted the position as Director of Sales Training for the S. S. White Dental Manufacturing Company in September.

#### 1943

Dr. Fred J. Williams, Jr., dentist of Camp Hill, Pa., is now at the San Francisco City Hospital doing two years of residency required for the Oral Surgery board.

Dr. and Mrs. John L. McCormick, of Philadelphia, announced the birth of a daughter, Barbara Anne, on November 11.

#### 1944

Elizabeth S. Roberts was elected president-elect of the Pennsylvania Society of Medical Technologists and Laboratory Technicians at their annual meeting in Philadelphia. At present Betsy is cytotechnologist in charge of the Cytology Laboratory at the Altoona Hospital, Altoona, Pa. This laboratory serves the Blair County area in the Cancer Detection program.

The Rev. Wallace F. Stettler and his family moved into a new parsonage at 510 Williamson Lane, last month. He is the pastor of Covenant Methodist Church, Springfield, Pa.

Dr. Kenneth B. Rose preached in the College Chapel earlier this month when his sermon topic was "What Do You Want Most of All?" He is pastor of Lovely Lane Methodist Church in Baltimore, which was first organized in 1784 and is one of the historical churches of Methodism. He also is the curator of the Museum of the Baltimore Conference Historical Society.

#### 1946

The Rev. and Mrs. Gilbert P. Reichert, of 7413 Perry St., Cincinnati 31, O., announced the birth of a daughter, Tamara Lou, on September 27. They have a year old son, Timothy Lewis. The Rev. Mr. Reichert is pastor of the Mt. Healthy Methodist Church in Cincinnati.

### A Request For Personals

Alumni are requested to send dated newspaper clippings from their home town papers reporting their activities, and also wedding invitations and birth announcements to THE DICKINSON ALUM-NUS, Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pa.

Alumni should also report the winning of graduate degrees, employment and promotions—in fact any information for personals and also the permanent biographical records of the alumni office.

Jack W. Miller has been transferred to the St. Louis area to work as a chemical salesman for Antara Chemicals, a sales division of General Aniline and Film Corp. He is moving his family to 8037 Pilgrim Drive, St. Louis 23, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Johnson, Jr., of Woodbury, N. J., announced the birth of their first child, a son, Richard Edward, on September 12, 1958.

Tom Malia is on the editorial staff of a national trade journal with headquarters in Washington, D. C., and is living at 905 Northwest Drive, Silver Spring, Md. He and Mrs. Malia were on the campus for Homecoming events last month.

#### 1947

Robert C. Gerhard has been elected president of the North Philadelphia Realty Board for the 1959 term.

#### 1948

Mr. and Mrs. John N. Hamilton, Jr. have moved to 7220 Harriet Avenue, S. Minneapolis 23, Minn. John has been made district manager for Timex Watches. His territory covers Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Iowa and Nebraska. Mrs. Hamilton is the former Peggy Yaeger.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hartheimer, of 173 Pine Drive, Emerson, N. J., announced the birth of their third son, Walter Felix, on October 16. Their other two sons are Richard, age 8 years and Fred, age 5 years.

Dr. John H. Harris, Jr., radiologist of Carlisle, read a paper "Cystic Fibrosis of the Pancreas" at the 108th session of the Medical Society of Pennsylvania held at the Bellevue Stratford, Philadelphia in October. Mr. and Mrs. John M. Mest, of Royal Pines, Arden, N. C., announced the birth of a son, John David, on May 12, 1958. Mrs. Mest is the former Miriam Ryder.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Johnson, of 77 Woodland Avenue, Woodbury, N. J., announced the birth of a son, Limm Woodward, on August 4, 1958. They have three daughters, aged four, six and nine. Mrs. Johnson is the former Jeannie Grant.

Cyril R. Bradwell is teaching at the Waitaki Boys High School, Oamaru, South Canterbury, New Zealand.

#### 1949

Edward C. Crowl, Jr. and his wife, Gladys Fry, '48, have moved into a new brick one and a half story house at 513 Kissel Hill Road, Lititz, Pa., just one block from Linden Hall. Gladys writes "All Dickinsonians are welcomed to visit us." She also reports that Jane Mack Lane, '48, her husband and two sons paid them a surprise visit, and they were delighted to see them.

Ellis E. Stern, Jr., of 2420 Kings Highway, Coatesville, Pa., is chairman of the 10th reunion of the Class of 1949, which will be held during the June, 1959 Commencement. The Commencement dates are June 5, 6 and 7.

#### 1950

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Coolidge, of Carlisle, announced the birth of a daughter, Julia Elizabeth, on September 2. They have two other children, Philip, aged seven, and Tommy, aged 4. Mrs. Coolidge is the former Eleanor Uhland.

Mr. and Mrs. Kwang Lim Koh, of 11 Buena Vista Park, Cambridge 40, Mass., announced the arrival of a daughter, Jean Kyongum Koh, on October 16. Mrs. Koh is the former Hesung Chun.

George W. Ahl, Jr., was one of 20 corporation executives invited by the American Management Association to take part in a three-day seminar in New York City last month. He read a paper on the measurement of management performance by the return-on-investment technique. In September he was elected to the board of directors of the Pennsylvania United Fund.

#### 1951

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Hopkins have just returned to the United States from Caracas, Venezuela, where Joe was sent by Proctor and Gamble. Mrs. Hopkins is the former Ann Prescott, '53.

Dr. and Mrs. Norman Jacobs, of Chevy Chase, Md., announced the birth of a daughter, Laurie Beth, on September 30. Mrs. Jacobs is the former Margaret Ayres. Bruce E. Biel has become a registered

representative in the Carlisle office of Eastman Dillon, Union Securities & Co., members of the New York stock exchange. Dr. and Mrs. James C. Mancuso, of

Dr. and Mrs. James C. Mancuso, of Bethlehem, Pa., announced the birth of a daughter, Michele Anne, on September 5. They have a daughter, Renee Claire, born September 24, 1955.

#### 1952

Kenneth A. Rhodes, Jr. and Miss Mary Lammot Belin were matried on September 13 at the home of the bride's parents in Waverly, Pa. The bride is an alumna of Chatham Hall and Swarthmore College. Ken, who is a graduate of the Harvard Law School and served with the Army, is now a foreign service officer with the Department of State.

Rev. and Mrs. Thomas W. Bare, of Spring City, Pa., announced the birth of a daughter, Connie Lou, on April 1, 1958. Their son will be three this month. Mrs. Bare is the former Joan Condon, '54. Tom is pastor of the Bethel Methodist Church, R. D. No. 1, Spring City, Pa.

R. D. No. 1, Spring City, Pa. Mr. and Mrs. William M. Hartzell of Carlisle, announced the birth of a son, Scott Lawrence, on June 10. Mrs. Hartzell is the former Helen M. Minnick.

After serving in Japan, Adrian Zecha has been assigned to India where he is Asian Publishing Representative for Time-Life International at Bombay. His address is Alaknanda, 16-A Nepean Sea Road, Bombay 6, India.

#### 1953

Russell Sasscer is a member of the Unevangelized Fields Mission, and is stationed in Northern Brazil with his wife and family. He is studying Portuguese and expects to do translation and literacy work among South American Indians.

Nobuko Izawa received her M.S.S. degree from Smith College School for Social Work in August. She has accepted a position as a psychiatric caseworker at the Family Service of Greater Boston in Boston, Mass. Her new address is Apt. 5A, 371 Harvard St., Cambridge, Mass.

William R. Rearick was married to Miss Janet Pearson Cox in the Church of the Resurrection, New York City, on September 20. A graduate of Wellesley College, Mrs. Rearick studied abroad under the Fulbright program and held a fellowship from the A.A.U.W. She received her doctorate in fine arts from Harvard University and was instructor of history of art at Wellesley College and a former member of the staff of the Art Institution of Chicago. Bill has done graduate work at New York University and at the Institute of Fine Arts at New York University before assuming a position there as lecturer. He was formerly a member of the teaching staff of the Parsons School of Design and was a fellow of the Woodrow Wilson Foundation. He has done research study at the University of Padua, Italy, and also in Venice. The couple live in New York City and are now lecturers at the Frick Collection.

Dr. H. Robert Gasull, Jr. has completed his internship at Harrisburg Hospital and is now serving as a Captain in the Medical Corps and is stationed at Ireland Army Hospital, Fort Knox, Ky. He is engaged in a two year general practice residency. He and his wife, the former Helen P. Haddock, and family are now living at 4145-A Goffey Heights, Fort Knox, Ky.

Raymond C. Phillips, Jr., has completed his army career and is now completing work for his master's degree in English at Columbia University.

George C. Hering, III, was married to Miss Margaret F. Flinn, of Newark, Del., in the Trinity Episcopal Church, Wilmington, Del., on August 23. She is a graduate of the Friends School, of Wilmington, and the University of Wisconsin and taught two years in the high school at Evanston, III. After serving in the Intelligence Branch of the Army in Germany, George is in his final year at the Dickinson School of Law. The couple now reside in Carlisle.

Mr. Maurice A. Paviol, automobile dealer of Carlisle, died suddenly of a heart attack on November 29. He was the father of James A. Paviol, who was associated with him in business. He is also survived by his wife and a daughter.

Samie A. Alley, who is a graduate of Temple Dental School, has decided to go to medical school. He has been accepted for admission at Hahnemann for the academic year to begin next September.

#### 1954

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer H. Hemmerle, of Pittsburgh, Pa., announced the birth of a daughter, Judith Marie, on August 6. Mrs. Hemmerle is the former Betty Simpson.

J. Kirk Swigert was married to Miss Barbara Ann Buzzell in the Trinity Presbyterian Church, Berwyn, Pa., on September 13. Mrs. Swigert is a graduate of the Conestoga Senior High School and is employed as a secretary at Burrough Research Corp., Paoli. Kirk served three years with the Army in the chemical laboratories at Hanau, Germany. He is also employed with the Burroughs Corp.

George F. Lehmer recently returned to

his home in Dillsburg, Pa. from Saigon, Vietnam, where he spent 18 months as an employee of Capitol Engineering Corp.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold F. Mowery, Jr., of Camp Hill, Pa., announced the birth of their second son, Ted, on July 10. Their first son, Hal, is four years old. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Hauer announced

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Hauer announced the engagement of their daughter, Louise, to Dr. Cyrus M. Greenberg, of Philadelphia. Since her graduation, "Brownie" received a master's degree from Bryn Mawr College and is employed at the Smith, Kline and Franch Laboratories, Philadelphia, where her finance is a senior biochemist. Dr. Greenberg is an alumnus of Temple and received his master's degree from the University of Oregon and his Ph.D. from Rutgers. He served in the Navy during the war.

Jeanette Leavitt returned from Turkey last month and is now living at 248 Merion Road, Merion Station, Pa.

Dr. Glenn E. Jacoby, Jr., who is serving his internship at Delaware Hospital in Wilmington, has accepted an appointment for the post of resident physician in surgery at the Geisinger Memorial Hospital, Danville, Pa. He will begin his work there next July.

Stanley W. Rutkowski has announced the opening of his offices for the general practice of law at Newportville and Bristol-Oxford Valley Roads, Levittown, Pa.

The engagement of Judith Lee Heine, a junior at Dickinson, and George Lehmer has been announced by her parents. George recently returned from Vietnam where he spent 18 months as a representative of the Capitol Construction Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Rensch announced the birth of a son, Lois Elisabeth, on Sept. 24 at the Latin American Hospital, Puebla, Mexico. Mrs. Rensch was Carolyn McMullin.

#### 1955

Mrs. Robert Wilson, the former Jeanne Caretto, of Margaretville, N. Y., received her Master's degree in Education from the New York State Teachers College, Oneonta, N. Y. in June. She has two children, a son, Mark Charles, who is two years old, and Suzanne Agnes, who was born April 8, 1958.

Lt.(jg) Frank D. Lorimer, USNR, and Mrs. Lorimer, the former Jean Izatt, of Norfolk, Va., announced the birth of their second daughter, Margaret Gail, on August 18. Carolyn Jean was born April 29, 1957. Frank is on duty aboard the aircraft carrier U.S.S. Forrestal.

Marlin Neal Brownawell was married to

Miss Eleanor Maria Zimmerman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Zimmerman, of Enola, in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Enola, on October 11. Brownawell is employed by the Pennsylvania Department of Highways. He graduated from Elizabethtown College in June.

Sgt. Donald L. Coover, who is nearing the end of his Army service, met Lt. Charles A. Rietz, Jr. in Bremerhaven, Germany in October.

Herbert B. Norman is in the real estate business in Kew Gardens, Long Island, N. Y. He is with Samuel L. Norman Real Estate Associates, Inc.

#### 1956

Lt. and Mrs. David W. Stephan announced the birth of a son, Karl David, on July 26, at the Naval Air Station, Port Lyautey, Morocco. Mrs. Stephan is the former Patricia Simmons, '57. Their mailing address is Box 23, Navy 214, F.P.O., New York, N. Y.

Frank M. Caswell is attending Cornell University Graduate School, majoring in hospital administration.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Richard Knoblauch, of 501 Parkway Avenue, Trenton, N. J. announced the birth of a daughter, Kathryn Anne, on July 28.

Mrs. George F. Koeher, the former Elise Howland, is now living at R. R. 3, Collins Bay, Ontario.

Robert L. Boyer has moved from Woodbury, N. J. to 205 St. Peter St., Schuylkill Haven, Pa., where he is teaching English in the senior high school.

After two years with the Fisher Scientific Co., Jerry Timen became a salesman in training in the Celite Division of Johns-Manville Corp. in October.

Phyllis L. Fetterman completed requirements for an M.S. degree in bio-chemistry at Pennsylvania State University in September and is now working as a research assistant at the Institute for Cancer Research in Philadelphia. Her address there is 141 W. Harvey St., Philadelphia 44, Pa.

Ingrid Reinhold, who graduated from the Katharine Gibbs School, has a position with an investment banking concern, Buckner and Company in New York.

#### 1957

Jack H. Cassel is a middler at United Theological Seminary, Dayton, O. His wife, the former Linda L. Garman, a graduate of Hershey Junior College, is a bookkeeper with the Church's General Board of Christian Education there. They were married on June 9, 1956.

Shirley A. Lippincott was married on September 6 at the home of her parents to Fritz Griesinger, a graduate of the College of engineering, Drexel Institute of Technology. He is employed as an application engineer with the Worthington Corp. On June 1, Shirley received her B.S. from the College of Home Economics of Drexel. The couple now reside at Apartment 14-M, 250 Mt. Vernon Place, Newark 6, N. J.

Gwen Leidy, a graduate of the Katharine Gibbs School, is in the New York office of the London Daily Mail.

Lt. Charles A. Rietz, Jr., after completing the Fort Lee Officers Course, attended the CBR School in Heidelburg, Germany and the Motor Officers School in Murnau, Germany, before spending three and one half months in Lebanon, where he was Graves Registration Officer and Quartermaster Procurement Officer. He was returned to Germany and is now Class I Officer in Bad Kreuzmach.

Warren B. Swift was married to Miss Patricia Healy in Dumont, N. J. on September 20. He was discharged from the Army late in August and started work for Proctor and Gamble in October. The couple now reside in Hillburn, N. J.

Peggy Anne Neff was married to Paul N. Barna, Jr., '54, in the Congregational Church, Rockville Centre, N. Y. on September 6. After serving two years with the Army Security Agency in Germany, Paul is now a senior at the Dickinson School of Law and the couple reside in Carlisle.

#### 1958

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Shanaman, Jr., of 2820 South 82nd St., Philadelphia 42, Pa., announced the birth of a son, Richard H., III, on April 6. Mrs. Shanaman is the former Joanne Totman, '59. Dick is in his first year at the University of Pennsylvania Dental School.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hansell, Jr., of Swarthmore, Pa., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Susan Mae, to Robert Eugene Shapley of the senior class. Sue completed her college work in the summer and is now teaching at Ridley Park, Pa. A June wedding is planned.

Pearl Little has accepted a two-year position at the American College for Girls in Istanbul, Turkey, where she is teaching math and science. Pearl got her position through the American Association of Colleges in the Near East.

#### 1959

Jane Ellen Reader was married to Thomas E. Weaver, Jr., '58L, on October 1 at the home of her parents, Prof. and Mrs. F. Eugene Reader, "Milestone" Carlisle, Pa. Judge Robert Lee Jacobs, '32, performed the ceremony. The groom attended Mercersburg, Gettysburg College and graduated from the law school in June. He is the son of Thomas E. Weaver, '28L and the former Emma Brenneman, '26. The couple now reside in the Buchanan Park Apartments, Bethlehem, Pa. Derrick McGavic left Dickinson this fall

Derrick McGavic left Dickinson this fall to enroll in the State University of Iowa School of Law where he is now a student. 1960

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis F. Gayner, of

Wheeling, W. Va., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy Lee, to William E. Rogers, '58, son of Dr. and Mrs. Horace E. Rogers, of Carlisle. Bill reported on November 1 for active duty with the Army at Fort Benning, Ga. He is a graduate of the R.O.T.C. program.

#### 1962

Margery Ruth Rittler, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. John M. Rittler, was married to Mr. Gary Grant Neikirk on November 29 at the Dundalk Presbyterian Church, Dundalk, Md.

# OBITUARY

1895—Jacob H. Reiff, well-known attorney in Cumberland, Dauphin and York Counties, died on October 10 at his home in New Cumberland, Pa. He entered the college after his graduation from Kutztown Normal Schol in 1891 and received his A.B. degree from the college and his LL.B. from the Law School at the same commencement in 1895. In 1898, he was awarded the A.M. degree by the college. He was 88 years of age.

He was an organizer of the New Cumberland National Bank and served as its solicitor and director until its merger with the New Cumberland Trust Company. He was also an organizer of the Riverton Consolidated Water Company and served as a director of the old Susquehanna Woolen Mill.

Active in community affairs, he served several terms as a New Cumberland Borough councilman and as a member of the school board.

A member of the Baughman Memorial Methodist Church, he served as a member of the official board and for many years taught in the Sunday School.

His only survivors are nieces and nephews.

1897, 1899L—Francis B. Sellers, Jr., Carlisle lawyer and former member of the faculty of the Dickinson School of Law, died on November 9 following a stroke, at a nursing home in Gettysburg, Pa.

A prominent Episcopalian layman, he was a Life Member of the Vestry of St. John's Episcopal Church and at one time served as church treasurer for a span of 25 years.

Active in the affairs of Beta Theta Pi Fraternity, he was largely responsible for the building of the original Chapter House on the Dickinson campus. He was the first secretary and later president of the Alpha Sigma Chapter House Association.

He was a director and solicitor for the Carlisle Building and Loan Association for 40 years.

Born in Allegheny, Pa., on July 24, 1876, he was a graduate of the Carlisle High School and of the college with Phi Beta Kappa honors in 1897. Two years later, he received his LL.B. degree from the Dickinson School of Law.

He was a member of Cumberland Star Lodge No. 197, F and AM, Carlisle.

His wife, the former Naomi Landis, died in 1956. She was the sister of Merkel Landis, '96. Mr. Sellers was a brother of the late Dr. Montgomery P. Sellers, '93, professor of English and Dean at Dickinson College, and the late Mrs. Martha

### DICKINSON ALUMNUS

Sellers Williams, '92. His only survivors are two nieces, three nephews and two cousins.

1901—Robert S. Loose died October 7 after a brief illness in a hospital at Reading, Pa. He was born in Hamburg, Pa., on June 8, 1880 and graduated from the high school there and from the College in 1901.

After his college course, which included membership in the college orchestra, the Comus Club and the Belle Lettres Society, he returned to his home in Hamburg to share with his father, the founder, the operation of the Hamburg Plow Works, of which he became president in 1912. He was a director and vice president of the Hamburg Savings and Trust Company.

A Presbyterian, he was a Mason, a member of the Odd Fellows, the Berkshire Country Club and Phi Delta Theta Fraternity. He had served as a school director.

He is survived by his widow, the former Daisy M. Kehl, their two children, Samuel and Mrs. Jane L. Pendergast, and six grandchildren.

1904, 1907L—George L. Reed, former Pennsylvania State Senator, retired lawyer and specialist in labor laws, died on October 8 in the Harrisburg Hospital after a prolonged illness. Thirteen months before his death he was invalided by a broken hip and failed to respond after surgery last July.

He was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., on February 4, 1885, when his father, Dr. George Edward Reed, who served as president of the college from 1889 until 1911, was pastor of Hanson Place Methodist Church. While a student at the college, he did a monumental work as editor of the biographical alumni record published in 1905. This is the only complete biographical record which has been published and through the years has proved to be an authoritative document of alumni of the college.

He was a member of the Pennsylvania House of Representatives from 1928 to 1932 and the next four years he served in the Senate as the Dauphin County representative. From 1940 to 1955, he was a Deputy Attorney General, and served as solicitor for the Pennsylvania Labor Relations Board. During that period he was the author of "The Law of Public Relations," a digest of federal statutes and decisions which reportedly has been widely used by attorneys dealing with labor questions.

For many years he served as chairman of the law library committee of the Dauphin County Bar Association and in 1956 he was named to the Law Library staff. Since 1942, he was a member of the State Council for the Blind.

Active in Masonry, he was a 33° degree Mason and was a past commanderin-chief of the Harrisburg Consistory, a past master and warrant member of Euclid Lodge, No. 698.

Until his health failed, he filled many public speaking engagements. He was a Bible scholar and for many years teacher of the Men's Bible Class of Grace Methodist Church and later of the Paxtang Presbyterian Church.

A graduate of the old Preparatory School, he received his A.B. degree from the College in 1904 and his LL.B. degree from the Dickinson Law School in 1907. He was admitted to the Dauphin County Bar on November 9, 1908 and spent nearly 50 years in the practice of law. While in college, he became a member of Phi Kappa Sigma Fraternity, Ravens Claw and played on the college baseball team.

He is survived by his wife, the former Helen Roberta Moorhead, and their son, George E. Reed, II, '35, of New York City.

1905—The Rev. Dr. James Edwin Dunning, distinguished clergyman of Los Angeles, Calif., died after a long illness at his home on September 26. He was ordained in 1907 in the Central Pennsylvania Conference and later held charges in Pittsburgh and Southern California Conferences.

Born in Three Springs, Pa., on January 23, 1886, he was the son of the Rev. Dr. Charles T. Dunning, of the Class of 1872. He graduated from the College with Phi Beta Kappa honors in 1905, received his A.M. degree in 1912 and was the recipient of the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity in 1930. He was one of the founders and a charter member of the Dickinson Chapter of Alpha Chi Rho Fraternity and maintained a lifelong interest in the college. He was a Life Member of the General Alumni Association and an officer of the Dickinson Club of California.

Following his graduation, he was professor of mathematics at Union College for two years. After service in Pennsylvania, he was superintendent of the San Diego-Phoenix District from 1935 to 1939 and from 1939 to 1943 was the executive secretary of the Board of Missions and Church Extension for the Southern California-Arizona Conferences. He was recognized as the father of the present Church-Extension Program which has been copied by many other conferences of the Methodist Church. After service from 1943 to 1950 as associate minister of the First Methodist Church of Los Angeles, he was field secretary of the Southern California-Arizona Conference Endowment Fund. After his retirement date, he became associate minister of the First Church of Downey, Calif., which he was 'serving at the time of his death.

Several times in his career, he served as a delegate to General Conference and was a reserve delegate to the United Conference of Columbus in 1939. He was a delegate to the first General Conference of the Methodist Church in Atlantic City in 1940.

He was a member of the Board of Managers and the Board of Foreign Missions and a trustee of the All Nations Foundation as well as holding membership and trusteeships on various organizations of the church and committees of his Conference. He was also a frequent contributor to the Christian Advocate.

In his honor the James Edwin Dunning Memorial Fund has been established by the All Nations Foundation of Los Angeles. He was a trustee of the Foundation for many years.

He is survived by his wife, the former Daisy Winande Fisher, of Harrisburg, and two sons, Edwin Crever Dunning, an alumnus of the University of Southern California, and Charles Wesley Dunning, who holds bachelor's and master's degrees from that university, who lives in Burbank.

Interment was made in the Inglewood Park Cemetery, Inglewood, Calif.

1909-George Peters, retired official of the Aluminum Company of America, died at his home at Gardners, Pa., on September 25.

Born on March 3, 1884, at Uriah, Pa., he graduated from the Dickinson Preparatory School in 1905 and received his A.B. from the College in 1909. For 40 years he was with Wear-Ever Aluminum Inc., lastly as national sales manager of the hotel and industrial division. He retired in 1949.

He was a member of the Second Presbyterian Church of Carlisle, the Rotary Club and Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity.

He is survived by his wife, the former Marguerite Conn; two sons, George, Jr., in Alexandria, Va., and Richard E., of Richmond, Ind.; two step-sons, Thomas E. Walker, Aurora, Ind., and Richard E. Walker, Mt. Vernon, O.; and by two sisters, Miss Demaris Peters and Mrs. George Hanning, the former Eva Peters, '15, both of Wilmington, Del.

1910-Edwin K. Sisk died of heart failure more than a year ago on July 7, 1957, in Detroit, Mich.

Born in Preston, Md., on August 25, 1888, he first attended Washington College. Following his graduation from the College, he was engaged in the insurance business and was assistant manager of the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co. until 1930 when he was self-employed until the time of his death.

He saw service in World War I and later attended the University of Maryland. He was a member of S. A. E. Fraternity.

He is survived by his wife, the former Grace Noble, a graduate of the Harper Hospital School of Nursing, by a son, Edwin K. Sisk, Jr., of Ferndale, Mich., and a daughter, Sally.

1911-Leviah M. Sherrick died of thrombosis a year ago on December 18, 1957, in Scottdale, Pa. She was a retired public school teacher.

Born on November 2, 1885, at Everson, Pa., she attended Dickinson College 1907-08 and later graduated from Otterbein College, Westerville, Ohio.

A member of the E. U. B. Church, of which she was treasurer for many years, she was also a member of the Order of Eastern Star, the Professional Womens Club and the Book Club, all of Scottdale.

1912-Lewis W. Bell, who for more than 30 years was associated with the schools of Duncannon, Pa., died of pulmonary thrombosis on September 20 in the Harrisburg Hospital.

Born in Newville, Pa., on February 21, 1890, he graduated from Conway Hall and from the College in 1912. He received his master's degree from Teachers College, Columbia University and in 1936 the supervising principal's diploma from that school. Following his graduation, he taught at Dillsburg High School, then at Penbrook High School and became supervising principal of the Duncannon schools in 1920. He took the same position in 1949, when the Duncannon Joint Schools formed and continued until his retirement in 1952.

During World War I, he was an accountant at Cramp's Ship Yard in Philadelphia, and later at the Remington Arms Plant in Bridgeport, Conn., as a government representative.

A member of Christ Lutheran Church of Duncannon, he was a member of the Council and treasurer at the time of his death and also instructor of the Men's Bible Class. He was a Mason and a member of county, state and national teachers associations.

He is survived by his wife, the former Nelle A. McCracken, a graduate of Irving College and Teachers College, Columbia University.

1912-Robert S. Einstein died unexpectedly of a heart attack at his home in Carlisle, Pa., on October 9. He had been hospitalized shortly before his death but seemed to have regained his health.

Born in Carlisle on August 11, 1890, he graduated from the Carlisle High School and from the College in 1912. For some years after his graduation he was the editor of the *Carlisle Evening Herald*. After several years in the securities business with Martin & Co. in Carlisle, he became editorial director of the Pennsylvania News Association, a news and feature syndicate, and served from 1929 to 1937. From 1937

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to 1943, he was administrative officer for the Pennsylvania Agricultural Administration of the U. S. Department of Agriculture at Harrisburg. From 1943 until his death, he was assistant administrator of the Philadelphia Milk Marketing Area. During World War II, he served as executive secretary of Pennsylvania's U. S. D. A. War Board.

He was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity and of the Lutheran Church in Carlisle.

He is survived by his wife, the former Josephine Ritter, a graduate of Metzger College and the Walnut Lane School in Germantown; a daughter, Mrs. William H. Allman, the former Josephine Ritter Einstein, who is now in Singapore, Malaya, and a son, Robert S. Einstein, Jr., of Carlisle. He is also survived by three brothers, Edwin, of Waynesboro; Harry R., of Carlisle and Reed G. Einstein, '16, Brooklyn, N. Y.

1914-Miss E. Grace Brame, retired employe of the United States Veterans Administration, died on October 6 in the Carlisle Hospital.

Born in Carlisle on October 15, 1891, she was graduated from the Carlisle High School in 1910, from the College in 1914 and from Southeastern University Law School in 1924. Following her graduation she taught at Penns Grove, N. J., for three years before entering government service before World War I. She retired in 1949 and returned to Carlisle.

Interested in Dickinson affairs, she was a Life Member of the General Alumni Association, national secretary of the Mary Dickinson Club and past secretary of the Carlisle Mary Dickinson Club.

While in Washington, she was superintendent of the Primary Department of Keller Memorial Lutheran Church for many years and after returning to Carlisle, she taught the Women's Bible Class of the First Lutheran Church. She was a past Worthy Matron and Chaplain of the Warren G. Harding Chapter of Eastern Star of Washington. She was also a member of the Hamilton Library Association, the Carlisle Civic Club and secretary of the Retired Civil Service Employes.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Lucille Deitrich, Camp Hill, and Mrs. John Ulrich, the former Kathryn Brame, '22, of Morrisville, Pa., and two brothers, Luther F. Brame, '18, of New Cumberland, and the Rev. Edward G. Brame, '21, of Fisherville, Pa.

1927—Dr. Thomas J. Blisard, professor of physics at the Newark College of Engineering, Newark, N. J., for the past 12 years, died on January 3. He had a battle with cancer for 10 months, following an operation in March, 1957.

Before going to Newark, from 1938 to 1942 he headed the physics department of Madison College, Va. Prior to that he held positions as teacher and head of department and principal at various high schools. He was director of training for the Civilian Training Administration of the Signal Corps during World War II.

Born in Vineland, N. J., on October 20, 1905, he graduated from the high school there and from the College in 1927. He received his M.S. degree in 1939 from the University of Pennsylvania and his Doctor of Education degree from Columbia University in 1947.

A Methodist, he was a member of the Commons Club of the College, the Rotary Club and a number of professional associations.

He is survived by his wife, the former Ruth E. Chisholm, whom he married in Atlantic City, N. J., in 1933.

## NECROLOGY

Lt. Col. John D. Hartigan died after a heart attack at the Washington Hospital Center on November 21 at the age of 68. He was Commandant of the 32nd College Training Detachment (Air Crew) at the College during the academic year 1943-44.

During World War I, Col. Hartigan was in the aviation section of the Army. Since the end of World War II, he lived at the Army-Navy Club, Washington, D. C. Burial was made in Arlington Cemetery.

Mrs. Mary McUllough Jacobs died on November 29 following major surgery in Orlando, Fla. She was the wife of Horace L. Jacobs, Jr., '13, and the mother of Horace L. Jacobs, III, '43, of Chattanooga, Tenn. Besides them she is survived by a sister, Mrs. Ruth McCullough Maguire, and a daughter, Miss Mary Helen Jacobs, of Orlando, and three grandchildren.

Mrs. Jacobs, who went from DuBois, Pa., as a child to live in Orlando, was formerly very active in Orlando social and civic circles. Her husband is the former president of the Orlando Rotary Club and is the owner of a printing business there.

M. Candler Lazenby, assistant professor of German at Lehigh University since 1946, died following an operation for removal of a brain tumor on October 19. He underwent a similar operation in March, 1954 from which he made a remarkable recovery. He was 49.

He was instructor of German at Dickinson College from 1935 to 1938 when he was on leave for graduate study and returned to the faculty for the 1940-41 academic year. In 1930, he received his A.B. at Birmingham-Southern College, an A.M. at Vanderbilt University in 1933 and his Ph.D. at Johns Hopkins in 1940.

He is survived by his wife, the former Ruth Shawfield, '35; their two sons, Joseph and John; his stepmother and two sisters.

Mrs. John C. Lingle, the wife of John C. Lingle, '19, and the mother of Mrs. O. Roger Hollan, the former Edith Lingle, '44, died in Lancaster, Pa., on September 24.

Mrs. Amy Filler Lutz, sister of former president Mervin Grant Filler, died at her home in Dallastown, Pa., on August 15 at the age of 82. She is survived by her husband, George O. Lutz, three daughters and three sons. She was also a sister of Grace Filler, '10, and Mrs. Ada Filler Kennedy, '07.

The Rev. Dr. Adrian B. Foote, superintendent of the Binghamton, N.Y. district of the Wyoming Conference of the Methodist Church, died on April 29 of a heart ailment in Brooklyn, N.Y. He was 64 years old.

Dr. Foote received the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity from the College at the mid-winter Convocation on January 30, 1944. He was then superintendent in the Wyoming Conference. His son, Calvert, was the first Dickinsonian lost in World War II. He went down with his ship which was sunk in a convoy near Murmanks, Russia. He probably would have graduated from the College at the same Convocation had he lived. Dr. and Mrs. Foote presented the pulpit now in the Bosler Hall Chapel in memory of their son.

Dr. Foote was a life member of the General Alumni Association.

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