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Class Reunions Brighten 144th Commencement

SINCE the rebirth of the Alumni Association and the quickened interest in Commencement activities, there has been a variety of weather on Alumni Day. It has been too hot, too cold and marred by showers. But on Alumni Day of 1927 it was wet. One redeeming feature of the day was that there was no doubt that it was wet and would continue to be wet for some time to come for through the deluge of rain which fell no hope of clearing could be gleaned by any member of the Alumni Day festivities. However, it had been preceded by a beautiful Friday and was followed by a clear Sunday for Baccalaureate and even a brighter Monday and in spite of a rainy Alumni Day the 144th Commencement passed into history on June 6th as the finest of all the many years.

The rain of Alumni Day failed to dull the ardor of classes in reunion and the changed plans were found delightful to the groups which have been meeting from year to year. With most of the program for the day ruined, classes gathered in their own headquarters while other alumni sought corners in the gym and hotel lobbies and spent the hours in reminiscence making most of an opportunity which had not been afforded in recent years with their Commencement programs crowded with activity.

Every one present on Alumni Day amazed in catching glimpses of what had been planned by the Alumni Day Committee and reunion classes could see "what might have been"—if it hadn't rained. The stage was all set for a great Alumni Parade, and while one was held it was only a sample.

Seven of the nine living members of the Class of 1872 were present to celebrate their 55th reunion.

Meeting for the fourth time, the indomitable '76-'86 Group was present in force and active throughout the Commencement.

Thirteen members of 1887 joined to celebrate the 40th anniversary of graduation.

'92 met and formulated a plan for a gift to the College, while '97 met in its 30th reunion.

"Noisy '02" surpassed all predictions in the magnitude of its 25th reunion and '07 equalled the prevailing high standard of 20th anniversaries.

The Classes of 1912, 1917, 1922, 1925 and 1926 were present in full force and in evidence throughout Commencement, while many alumni from

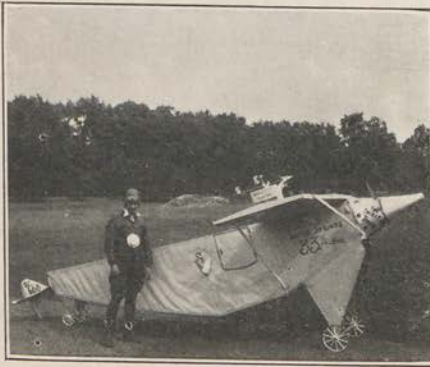
other than reunion groups were back on the campus.

Commencement opened with Open House at all fraternity houses on Thursday, June 3rd, and Class Day was held Friday and the Dramatic Club under the direction of Prof. W. H. Norcross presented Leo Detrichstein's "Are You a Mason"? in Bosler Hall that evening.

Edmund Davison Soper, of the Class of 1898, Vice-President and Dean of the School of Religious Education of Duke University preached the Baccalaureate Sermon, in Allison M. E. Church on Sunday. A Vesper Service was held on the campus in the evening.

Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt, Assistant U. S. Attorney General was the speaker in the Commencement Exercises in Bosler Hall on Monday morning. The college conferred degrees on 98 graduates and presented seven honorary degrees, while 76 graduates of the Law School received their degrees.

Alumni Day opened with a meeting of the Phi Beta Kappa Society and then a large number of alumni met in the Social Rooms of Old West at the annual



THE CHIEF MARSHAL

meeting of the General Alumni Association. Rain having upset the plans for a campus party the Alumni Luncheon was again held in the gymnasium, and there the Classes of '02 and '07 presented their gifts to the College instead of on the campus as had been arranged. Forseeing that the Alumni Parade would probably be impossible reunion groups came

to the luncheon in costume and staged a real celebration there.

With the baseball game cancelled, the fine Kiltie Band brought from Philadelphia by '02 was the center of attraction in the gym for a part of the afternoon. Then a halt of the downpour, made a Parade possible. '02 and '07 quickly summoned their members and led by the Chief Marshal, Frank E. Masland, Jr., in his aeroplane "The Spirit of Temperance" and the '02 Kiltie Band, a parade was held. The procession moved through the '02 gate, down High Street to the Square, counter-marched and returned to the campus where from the '02 headquarters it was greeted with a fireworks barrage such as Carlisle has never heard before or since.

Fraternity and class banquets followed and the Alumni Sing was held in the evening in Bosler Hall for intermittent showers and the condition of the campus precluded staging it there.

Tributes to President Appold Feature Meeting

GLOWING tributes to L. T. Appold, '82, retiring president of the General Alumni Association featured the annual meeting of that body on the morning of Alumni Day in the Social Room of Old West. During the session, Mr. Appold was elected Honorary President of the association for life and announcement was made thirty-two alumni had taken out life membership in his honor and two immediately rose to swell the total, while since the meeting three additional subscriptions have come in to raise the figure to thirty-seven.

Hon. E. M. Biddle, Jr., '86, president judge of the Cumberland County Courts, was elected president of the association at the organization meeting of the Alumni Council immediately following the meeting of the association. Edwin H. Linville, '81, of New York City, was elected vice-president; while Murray H. Spahr, Jr., '12, of Philadelphia, and John M. Rhey, '83, of Car-

lisle, were re-elected secretary and treasurer respectively.

Announcement was made by the Tellers of Election, Rev. J. E. Skillington, '08, making the report of the result of the mail election to the Alumni Council. The following were chosen in that election in which 528 ballots were voted: Rev. Dr. F. F. Bond, '83, of Philadelphia; Judge E. M. Biddle, Jr., '86, of Carlisle; Harry L. Price, '96, of Baltimore; Rev. Dr. Edgar R. Heckman, '97, of Clearfield, and Frank E. Masland, Jr., '18, of Carlisle.

Following the reports of officers of the association, Lewis M. Bacon, Jr., '02, delivered an address advocating the organization of additional alumni clubs and the strengthening of the clubs already in existence.

At the meeting of the Council, the Editors of the DICKINSON ALUMNUS were re-elected. In making his report to the association as Editor, Gilbert Malcolm announced the names of the



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new Life Members who had subscribed in honor of President Appold. He placed three placards bearing the names before the assembly. The thirty-two names were as follows:

Edwin H. Linville, New York City, N. Y., '81.

Peyton Brown, '82—Baltimore, Md.

Dr. M. Gibson Porter, '84—Baltimore, Md.

Brig.-General Frank R. Keefer, '85—Washington, D. C.

Franklin T. Baker, '85—New York City, N. Y.

W. W. Salmon, '86—New York City, N. Y.

Mrs. Alice K. Meloy, '89—Cedar Court, Jockson Heights, N. Y.

Thomas M. Whiteman, '99—Latrobe, Pa.

Josephine B. Meredith, '01—Carlisle, Pa.

Florence Peters Rothermel, '02—Philadelphia, Pa.

Charles S. Evans, '03—Ebensburg, Pa.

Merrill James Haldeman, '03—Detroit, Mich.

D. D. Leib, '03—New London, Conn.

Lemon L. Smith, '04—Johnstown, Pa.

H. Walter Gill, '07—Atlantic City, N. J.

Charles M. Kurtz, '07—Altoona, Pa.

Marjorie L. McIntire, '10—Atlantic City, N. J.

T. B. Miller, '11—Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Karl K. Quimby, '11—Ridgewood, N. J.

Willis K. Glauser, '12—Chester, Pa.

John E. Myers, Esq., '12—Lemoyné, Pa.

J. H. Hargis, '13—Carlisle, Pa.

Joel Claster, '14—Reading, Pa.

Dr. C. E. Wagner, '14—Wilmington, Del.

William R. Mohr, '15—New York City, N. Y.

Everett E. Borton, '15—Wilmington, Del.

Mrs. Amelia W. Blumenfeld, '16—Starkville, Miss.

Frank E. Masland, Jr., '18—Carlisle, Pa.

Donald H. Goodyear, '23—Carlisle, Pa.

Jacob M. Goodyear, '23—Carlisle, Pa.

Anne Lew Bennett, '25—Trenton, N. J.

Helen P. Douglass, '26—Harrisburg, Pa.

Two new Life Members were immediately pledged by Mrs. Mabel Geiger Heckman, '97, of Clearfield, and Mrs. Ruth Heller Bacon, '12, of Baltimore. Since Commencement three more Lifers have been added to this list, namely J. W. Milburn, '06; John D. Brooks, '01, and Rev. Dr. Henry Darlington, '10. This brings the total number of Lifers to 84.

In his report, President Appold reviewed the year's activities. It was as follows:

The year just ending has been one of continued progress for our Alumni Association—not exactly rapid progress; perhaps better described by the phrase "slow but sure."

Our Life membership which a year ago was 35, is now 79 and our total membership, Annual and Life, is now 1044. There are also 104 subscribers to the magazine from the Law School.

One year ago the Life membership fund amounted to \$1291.00. Today it is over \$2500, and this is invested in United States Government bonds.

I am very much gratified to see this Fund steadily growing year by year. It is one of the most important and far-reaching factors in our Association work, and will, as it grows into substantial proportions, make for the strength and permanence of our organization. Those of us who are "Old Grads" cannot hope to see realized our vision of the great usefulness of this growing fund, but those of you who have a longer expectancy of life may in the years to come look back upon this little acorn and say that it was well planted. Such, at least, has been the experience in other colleges, where years ago similar funds were begun, and where now their Alumni Associations have grown comfortably off, so to speak, and are thus able to do with their income many useful things for their college. You can easily see what importance and permanence this gives to an Alumni organization.

In my Report a year ago I stated that

there would shortly be published by our Association an illustrated brochure on the College. This brochure came out last Fall. The edition was fifteen hundred. A copy was sent free to each member of our Association and several hundred copies were given to the College for general distribution. The text was an interesting account of Dickinson's one hundred and forty-three years of academic life, and the illustrations were admirably executed. Many favorable comments were made upon the general appearance of the booklet, and I think you will all agree that it was in every way a handsome publication and one calculated to be of benefit to the College.

The regular Fall meeting of the Alumni Council was held in Harrisburg the evening of November 5th last, with the usual excellent attendance, only two members out of the fifteen being absent. The Editors of the magazine were also present, and Dr. Frank Bond '83 was the guest of the Council.

We have several unwritten laws for these Fall meetings and I hope they may always be faithfully observed. In the first place, solicitation of money for any purpose whatever is not allowed. Then, the dinner is paid for by the Association, and the mileage of those in attendance is refunded to them. As there is but one meeting of this sort in a year the relatively small expense is well worth standing. Lastly, to the President is accorded the privilege of inviting some one alumnus to be the guest of the Council for the evening.

The discussions are informal and take rather a wide range—always, however, to do with the advancement of the College and the welfare of the Alumni Association. I mention here only the more important matters taken up at the meeting last Fall:

It was decided to publish annually hereafter five numbers of THE DICKINSON ALUMNUS instead of the four numbers as heretofore.

Dean Hoffman, '02 Chairman of the Alumni Day Committee at last Commencement, made his report and the Council requested him to serve again for this year. That's the penalty, you know, for doing a job well. Later, because of the pressure of other work, he felt compelled to resign, and Merkel Landis, '96 kindly consented to act in his place as Chairman of this important Committee.

Gilbert Malcolm, Editor of the ALUMNUS, and John Rhey, Treasurer of our Association, each made an excellent report of the work of his office.

It was the sense of the meeting that hereafter, prior to the Fall meeting of the Council, the President of our Association, or several members of the Council, should have a conference with the President of the College in order to ascertain whether he might

desire any matters affecting the College to be brought before the Council for its consideration, and to secure from him any information or advice the Council may desire.

A motion was unanimously carried that in the opinion of the Council a new, modern and adequate Gymnasium is the outstanding physical need of the College, and expressed the hope that the Trustee will find it possible to begin its erection at a very early date.

I may say here that this matter has already received the careful consideration of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees, and an architect is now preparing plans for a really fine Gym on the site of old South College, which, as you can see, is being torn down. When you return a year hence I think you will see a handsome building on the site of the venerable, but unlovely, Old South, where in the days of the '76-'86 group of boys, Doctor Himes, familiarly known to us as "Dutchy" held sway, amongst his retorts and test tubes.

So you see that we have plenty to talk about at these council meetings—interesting things and fruitful things, and things helpful for our old College.

During the past year two additional local Alumni Associations have been organized—one in the Williamsport district, and one in Washington; bringing the number of local clubs in different parts of the country up to nine. There is room for still others, and it is hoped that at least two more local organizations may be formed this coming year.

During the past year Robert H. Richards '95, of Wilmington, Delaware, tendered his resignation as a member of the Alumni Council, because of inability to attend its meetings, and our Executive Committee, acting in accordance with the Constitution, chose Charles K. Zug '80, to fill out his unexpired term, which runs until June 1929.

The election for five members of the Council has just been held, and the Tellers will report the result of the count. About 1000 ballots were mailed and 528 were returned and counted. The Nominating Committee this year John M. Rhey, Merkel Landis and Lewis M. Bacon, Jr., and they gave us probably the best ticket ever put before the Association. I extend a cordial welcome to the new members. It has come to be considered an honor to be elected to membership on this governing body of our Association.

And now, in closing, just a personal word or two. As you know, I am retiring from office after a service of four years. First of all, on behalf of our Association, I want to express to President Morgan our sincere appreciation of the cordial support he has given our efforts throughout these years. And then I want to express my personal appreciation of the help I have invariably

received from all who have been associated with me in the work: To the officers of the Association; to the members of the Alumni Council; to the Nominating Committees; to the Tellers of Election; to the Committee on Alumni Day; and last, but not least, to the Editors of our magazine for their splendid and invaluable contribution to the cause. Without the loyal co-operation of all these fellow workers little could have been accomplished.

I am the less reluctant to retire because I believe rotation in office is a good thing. I shall always feel a lively interest in the work of the Association. Few things have given me as much genuine pleasure as the opportunity to lend a helping hand in this work, for I believe a strong Alumni Association is one of the best assets a College can have, and there is a fine future ahead of our organization—a future of usefulness to our Alma Mater. The foundation is solid; the machinery is in good working order; the interest is manifest.

Sabbatical Years

Trustees at the annual meeting in June endorsed the principle of "sabbatical years" for members of the faculty and authorized the President to put the plan into operation at his discretion. This practice has long been followed by the faculties of many institutions who are given a year's absence once in seven years, the release being usually devoted to further study, often abroad.

The board also authorized the President to pay subsidies to members of the faculty who devote summers to "enriching their professional equipment." An increase in salary for a number of the professors was also authorized.

Dies Two Weeks After Receiving Degree

Two weeks after he received the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity at the last Commencement, the Rev. Arthur Clayton Ryan, D. D., one of the two general secretaries of the American Bible Society, died suddenly June 22, from pneumonia, at his home in Scarsdale, N. Y.

News of Dr. Ryan's death came to the College community with a great shock, for he manifested a great interest in Dickinson and was happy to become a member of the Dickinson family.

Arthur Clayton Ryan was born December 28, 1879, on an Iowa farm. He graduated from Grinnell College in 1909 and from Oberlin Theological Seminary in 1911. Immediately after he sailed for Turkey with his wife, Miss Edith Hoover, whom he married in 1907. He spent the next fourteen years in Asia Minor. During the Italo-Turkish and Balkan wars a great deal of general work was committed to him. In 1913 and 1914 he was agent of the American Red Cross in the rehabilitation of Eastern Thrace. In 1914 when Turkey entered the World War, he was secretary of the Constantinople Chapter

of the American Red Cross and continued in war relief work in that city during the Dardanelles campaign. In 1916, on account of war conditions, he returned to the United States and helped to raise money for the suffering populations of the Near East. From August, 1917 to August, 1919, he was engaged in the Home Promotion Work of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions. This necessitated a great deal of speaking and travelling to raise funds.

After the war, returning to Constantinople, in October, 1920, he became agency secretary of the Levant agency of the American Bible Society. This agency is the oldest of the agencies of the Society. Dr. Ryan succeeded Dr. Marcellus Bowen who had been secretary for thirty years and who died in 1916. On behalf of the American Bible Society Dr. Ryan visited nearly every country in Europe and on February 5, 1925, having returned home for furlough in 1924, was elected general secretary of the American Bible Society in New York.

Dr. Ryan is survived by his wife and a young daughter and son.

Confer Seven Honorary Degrees At Commencement



HONORARY DEGREE GROUP

Left to Right: Edwin Post, '72; D. D. Leib, '03; Edmund D. Soper, '98; Bishop J. H. Darlington; Henry Darlington, '10; Mrs. Willebrandt; President Morgan; the late Arthur C. Ryan, and James M. K. Reiley.

Seven honorary degrees were conferred at the Commencement exercises, four of them to alumni of the College.

The honorary degree of LL.D. was conferred upon Mrs. Walker Willebrandt, Deputy Attorney General of the United States, who was the Commencement orator. In presenting the degree to her, Dr. Morgan spoke as follows:

"Six years since the country was surprised to learn that a woman had been appointed Assistant United States Attorney General, and even more surprised to learn that the woman so appointed had hardly reached mature womanhood by ordinary standards. The search of that woman's record, however, showed that though she was young, it was a record of fine accomplishment, and that too along lines which suggested that there was in her the spirit of the crusader, that she was willing to risk anything for a worthy principle. The country loves loyalty and waited to see what this young crusader would

do with the difficult task set for her, the enforcement in the courts of our liquor and tax laws, and apparently there has been no room for complaint as to the work of this woman. The youthful woman has met any or all of them and has made good, not as a woman or a young woman, but as an able and incorruptible official and lawyer."

Edwin Post of the Class of 1872, who returned to the campus to celebrate his 55th reunion and who is a Professor of DePauw University, also received an honorary LL.D. The presentation was as follows:

"Ten days since a chance glance at a '72-'73 catalogue of the College showed me that Edwin Post had graduated in 1872 Primus inter pares. Forty-nine years since when I began teaching in a New Jersey seminary I found that deep impression had been made there by one Edwin Post, who had been Vice-Principal of the School. Ten years ago out of a gathering of educators in Chicago

two men sought me out to pay their tribute to this College because it had trained Edwin Post, their teacher of Latin in DePauw University.

So Edwin Post—long time Professor of Latin and Dean of DePauw University, always a scholar and always a great teacher—in recognition of your scholarship and your teaching ability—but especially as a great teacher, still *Primus inter pares*, we seek to honor you today."

Edmund Davison Soper, '98, Vice-President of Duke University, and Dean of its School of Religious Education was the third to receive the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Laws. The presentation was as follows:

"Edmund Davison Soper—an alumnus of the College and of Drew Theological Seminary, also an honorary alumnus of the College-born of missionary parentage in a foreign land—always missionary in spirit and studious of the religions of mankind, and now a widely recognized authority on them—a great teacher in several of our great universities, and now engaged in the work of organization of Duke University as Dean of its School of Religious Education. For brilliant service rendered, for truth always bravely spoken your College calls you again to this platform."

Three Degrees of Doctor of Divinity were awarded. Henry V. B. Darlington, '10, son of Bishop James H. Darlington of the Episcopal Church and pastor of the Church of Heavenly Rest of New York received this degree in the following presentation:

"Henry Darlington—son of the rectory, one time student of Dickinson College, though finally a graduate of Columbia University and the Theological Seminary—You are yet younger in years than is usual for those called by the College to honorary degrees. Your service to your Church, however, has been unusual, and you have been called to larger and larger fields of labor, and now serve the Church of the Heavenly Rest, an outstanding church among the great churches of your communion."

Arthur Clayton Ryan, who received the Degree of Doctor of Divinity died two weeks later from pneumonia. He had been Secretary of the American Bible Society. The presentation when the degree was conferred upon him was as follows:

"Arthur Clayton Ryan—Alumnus of Grinnell College and Oberlin Theological Seminary—serving for ten years under the Ameri-

can Board of Foreign Missions, and for five years agent of the American Bible Society in the Near East among the Turks, in which field your service was so outstanding that the great American Bible Society two years since called you to serve as its general secretary, in which position you are now directing the annual output of ten million copies of the Scriptures, scattering abroad the world's best seller—leaves for the healing of the nations. Because of your worth and work, the service you are rendering your kind—we honor you today."

Rev. James McKendree Reiley of the Central Pennsylvania Conference of the M. E. Church received the Degree of Doctor of Divinity. The presentation was as follows:

"James McKendree Reiley, graduate of Drew Seminary, of a long line of faithful and brilliant servants of God and the Church—and worthy of your ancestry as shown by ability to serve that same God and Church in these more difficult times and under these more trying conditions—faithful pastor, forceful preacher, and now wise and tactful leader and administrator of a great district of the church. Dickinson College hereby places upon you the seal of its approval."

David D. Leib, '03, of the Connecticut College for Women, received the Degree of Sc.D. The presentation was as follows:

"David D. Leib—Valedictorian here twenty-four years since—later receiving your doctorate from Johns Hopkins University—teacher at Yale for ten years and later Dean and Professor of Mathematics and chairman of the important Committee on admissions at the Connecticut College for Women. Your College wishes to recognize the high grade of your scholarship and your success as a teacher and administrator."

Movies of Commencement Taken

Movies of all the events of Commencement were taken with one of the recently developed amateur cameras and will be shown at the various Alumni Clubs in coming meetings.

The reels have since been developed and the results, while not perfect because of the inexperience of the operator, are highly gratifying. It will be possible to make up an excellent presentation of the 144th Commencement. This is being done and the completed film will soon be ready.

Free From Denominational Control

Dickinson's unique position as being one of the very few colleges in Pennsylvania free from legal bonds to some church denomination and the steadfastness of the college faculty in adhering to their scholastic standards in the face of temptations to be lenient were two points stressed by President Morgan in his report to the annual meeting of the trustees of the college in June.

"Some of you are so well acquainted" his report reads "with our college history as to make any words on it unnecessary, but others of you may not deem amiss just a few words of outline.

"The College was chartered in 1783, the year in which England conceded by treaty our independence, and its first class graduated in July 1787, while the Constitutional Convention was in Philadelphia formulating our Federal Constitution.

"This college charter was entirely undenominational and has so continued to the present time; for while Presbyterian influence was in control for the first fifty years of its life, it was always declared to be free from denominational control, and after its failure to function in 1831 and closing for two years, it came under the auspices of the Methodist Episcopal Church without any charter change and has so continued to the present time.

"It has interested me that ninety-four years ago, when sectarian bitterness and strife were so much in evidence the college could be thus taken over without any legal denominational bonds. This was done, you must know, at the same time Connecticut Wesleyan was chartered and tied to the adjacent conferences; Lafayette founded and obligated to adjacent Presbyteries; Gettysburg opened with full Lutheran control, and so the list might be called,—Haverford, Allegheny, Washington & Jefferson, of the same general time as

that which saw the transfer of Dickinson without any legal control; and during the next forty years, Swarthmore, Muhlenberg, Ursinus etc., all of them with legal bonds to the churches under whose auspices they came into being.

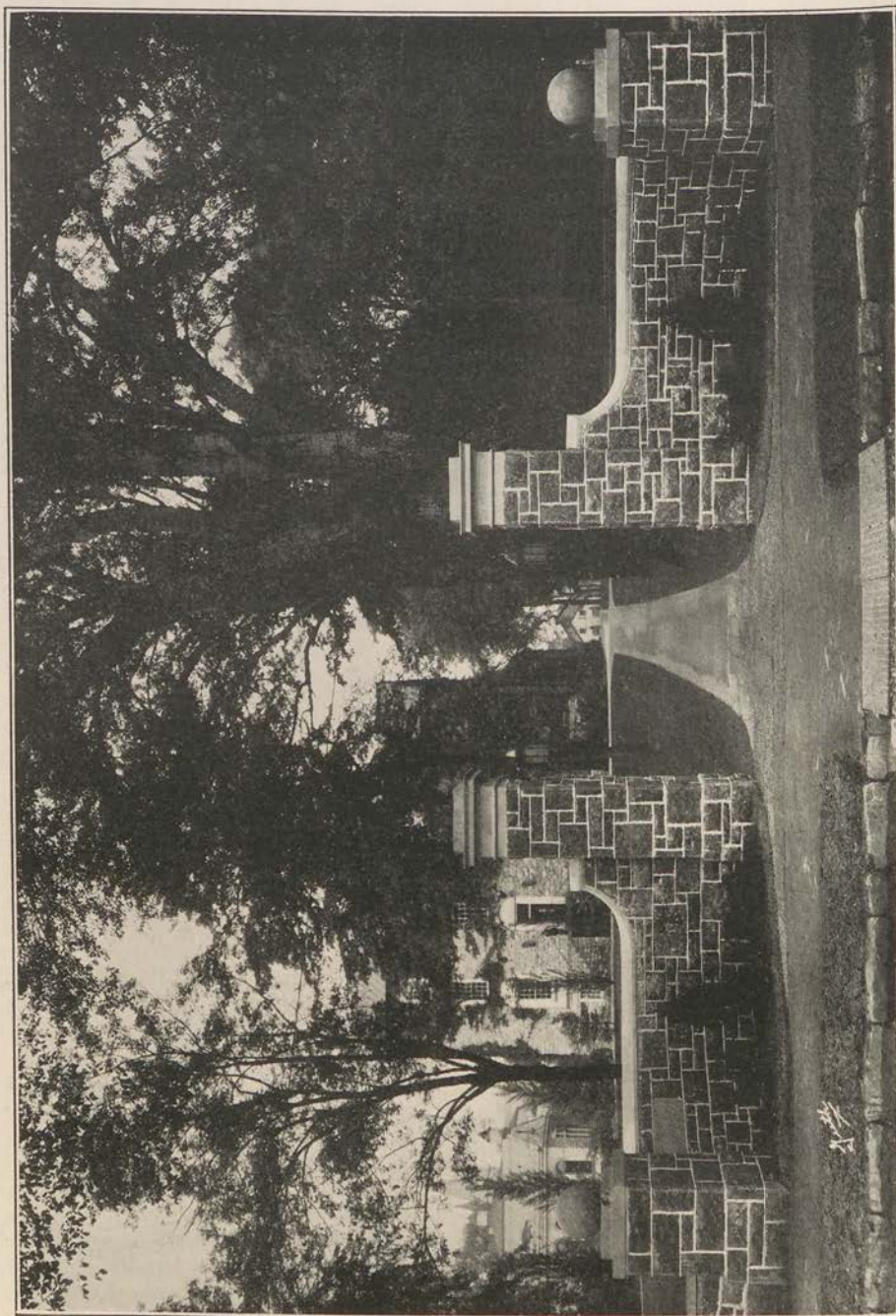
STANDS ALONE.

"Dickinson College stands almost alone among the smaller colleges of the state without legal denominational bonds, possibly with Lehigh alone in like case. These two, the two universities at either end of the state and State College are probably the only colleges in this class free from such formal legal control.

"As I said above, the College closed for lack of resources in 1831 and a paper of 1842 recently recovered shows that a very considerable sum was due each member of the faculty at the close of the college year. During and following the Civil War, the College came near the same fate. At one time, in 1876, it had less than fifty students on its rolls, in its four classes, and for many years was on the 'ragged edge'.

"Of course we all know that practically all its history has been one of financial struggle and the almost numberless scholarships yet in the hands of people are but a reminder of an attempt to realize at once on the income of later years.

"I recall this history with a purpose, recall our college struggles and that fact that might seem that temporalities were our main concern, my purpose being to say as emphatically as I may, that however much it may have seemed that we were so interested in material things, it was not so; for not only you and I, but all our faculty associates as well have steadily fought a good fight to do the real work for which colleges should stand. And I believe I can report to you today that we have had a measure of success, for with something of Spartan courage my



THE 1907 GATE—PRESENTED BY THE CLASS OF 1907 IN 1927

associates were willing to risk much to safeguard the quality of our work.

AN INCIDENT OF 1914.

"An incident in 1914, when students were scarce and the development of the college stood in the balance, may be of interest to you. In September on the opening of my year as acting president, we sacrificed several students who had come through the first three years of college life and had failed during the summer to do the reasonable things we told them they must do in order to be admitted to the senior class for the completion of their course. They protested, but my advisers with me stood like adamant and though students were few and loomed big, we allowed these students to withdraw rather than yield anything of our requirements.

"In 1917 again, when things were beginning to look bright, the war broke upon us and threatened the life of the college. I have said to some of you perhaps in the last ten years that I didn't need anybody to tell me about the rich husbandman who was also a fool. I felt that we were safe, but the Great War struck us and nobody could force the outcome of the college. Even then however we stood by our standards.

"I remember particularly one lad who came to us and when I remonstrated with him on the fact that he was not doing his work, he told me naively that he believed in the associations of college life. I said I did too but we would not allow him to specialize on that alone to the exclusion of the rest. He replied that under war conditions we certainly would not drop students. I told him not to risk it, but he did, and later on he had to go.

FACULTY STANDS PAT.

"These things will show you possibly that even when we were in trouble we stood by our academic guns and I have often felt that our first stand in 1914 in the face of protest of those young fellows was about the best in results of any one thing we did. It settled some things.

"You ought to know that it took courage on the part of your poorly paid faculty thus to risk even their poor living, yet there was never a question on their part. At least none could be seen. Possibly they were scared, as I was at times, but they never wavered. I should never have said this to you but for the fact that I could follow it with the statement that we have won out.

"Our numbers grew, also our reputation. In my own thirteen years, many more students have been admitted and baccalaureate degrees granted than during any like period in the history of the College. Our work also is everywhere acknowledged for we will not keep on our rolls students who will not meet our standards of conduct,—the observance of the requirements of good morals and good citizenship; nor will we continue with us those who will not or cannot do our work. No excellence of conduct or influential connection apart from reasonable success as a student can keep anybody in college.

"Even the 'star' athlete, strange as it may seem to some, finds no academic favors. And, strange again as it may seem, it has finally come to pass that our college generally accepts it all as reasonable and right. We have, I believe, come to the place where scholarship is really respected in the college community. I do not mean of course, that a man is honored for scholarship irrespective of his other qualities, but the man who does his work, does it well and has good academic standing, is honored for that as he might be honored for any other excellence.

"There are other reasons for this, but it is now well that our standards make entrance to professional schools easy for those who have our unqualified endorsement; and our young people are quick to see their advantage and they take pride in it.

HAPPY STUDENT BODY.

"We have had a happy student body, some might say in spite of the fact that we require our students to work; others

may say because of it as I do; for I am persuaded that happy youth are those who are busy and conscious that they are working toward worthy ends. I am fully persuaded that our whole student body is happier than it could possibly be were it allowed to be lazy and undisciplined. At any rate we lose none of our good students to other institutions. There is hardly an exception to this, and those who leave us because they must do so, go very reluctantly for even though we help them enter other and easier colleges they want to stay.

"It may seem to some people a hard-hearted procedure on our part, this elimination of the student who is not making good, but we are administering a public trust, we are training men for service to society and certain things are surely necessary for the right sort of service, good conduct and willingness to work, coupled with ability to accomplish something by that work. If these are lacking in whole or part, I see no

reason why we should spend from \$150 to \$300 a year from trust funds on an unpromising student, why we should fritter away our resources in trying to teach people to think straight who are fundamentally lacking in capacity to do it. Or, putting it in another way, even if under other conditions we might keep these students, if we can get those who promise better, it is our duty to do so, to get the best of the material that seeks admission to the College and to do the best we can with it. To train the best available material in the best possible way is our aim.

"Our exacting policy was hard for us at first, as it might lose us friends, but I am thoroughly convinced that it has improved not only our academic standards but our material condition as well. The right sort of people were drawn to us, spoke good words for us, made us other friends and began to help us materially."

Bob Duffy to Coach 1927 Football Team

Robert Duffy, assistant football coach last season, was elected head coach at a meeting of the Athletic Committee shortly before the close of the school year and he will coach the 1927 eleven. He succeeds S. Marsh Johnson, who served one year as Director of Athletics.

Bob Duffy is a graduate of Lafayette where he was a steller lineman and completed his first year at the Law School in June. He plans to continue his legal studies for the degree in 1928.

The assistant coach or Freshman coach has not yet been named by the Committee. It is likely that Coach Duffy will be aided by a "Board of Strategy" composed of three members of the Athletic Committee, and this will likely consist of Professors Craver, Hitchler and Norcross.

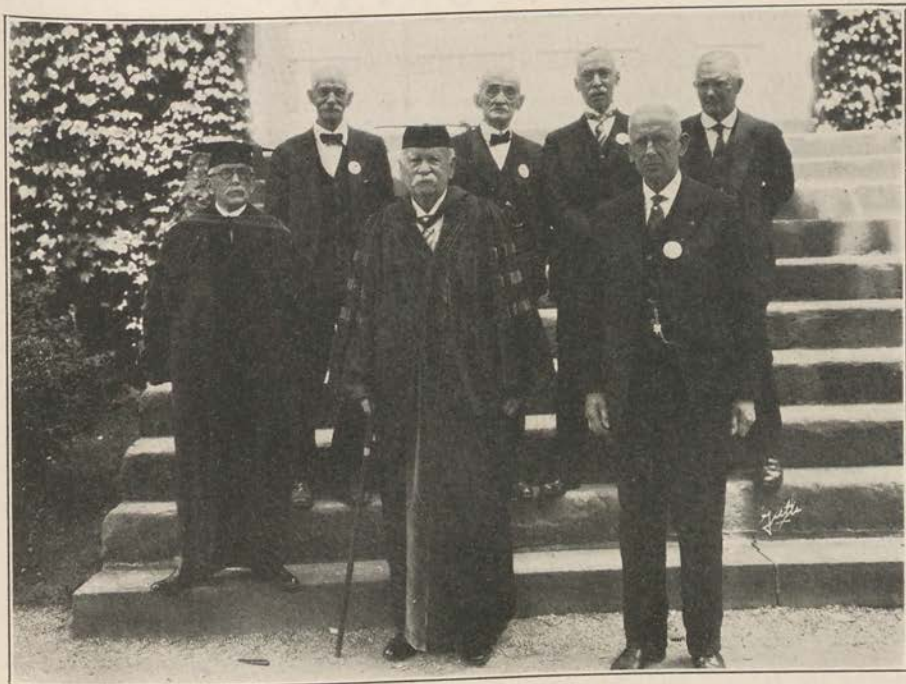
Eight contests, one less than last season, face the new mentor, who will not

be blest with a wealth of material. Present indications are that more athletes will be available for the varsity than was the case last season and a few of last year's Freshmen are expected to add great strength to the eleven.

There will be no preliminary practice and the football call will not sound until College opens. This will place the first practice a few days more than two weeks before the opening game. The 1927 schedule is as follows:

- Oct. 1—Juniata at Carlisle
- Oct. 8—F. & M. at Lancaster
- Oct. 15—Western Maryland at Carlisle
- Oct. 22—Ursinus at Collegeville
- Oct. 29—P. M. C. at Carlisle
- Nov. 5—Gettysburg at Harrisburg
- Nov. 12—Muhlenberg at Allentown
- Nov. 24—Bucknell at Harrisburg

Seven of Nine Return For 55th Reunion



1872 RETURNS FOR COMMENCEMENT

Seven of nine living members of the class of 1872 were present at Commencement. Eighteen of the thirty-five members of the class graduated.

Those present were: Joshua G. Bosley, Robert H. Conlyn, Carlisle, Rev. Charles T. Dunning, D. D., Rev. Daniel W. Hart, David J. Myers, Dr. Edwin Post and Rev. Cornelius W. Prettyman, D. D.

Rev. D. W. Hart travelled more than 3,000 miles to be present at the reunion as he came from Los Angeles, California.

Dr. William P. Hedden and Daniel M. Wooley were not present at the reunion. One of the members, Dr. Edwin Post, Dean of men at University of DePauw, received an honorary degree of L. L. D. from the College in the Commencement exercises.

Dr. Dunning has been an outstanding figure at several recent Commencements and intends to be present annually. Dr. Prettyman is the oldest member of the class and has the distinction of being the only man living who was one of the one hundred and five to organize the Wilmington M. E. Conference in 1869.

Dean Gets First Watch

Members of the Class of 1902 were so prompt in sending in their subscriptions to raise the fund for the 1902 Award that Treasurer Harry Dress was able to earn enough interest to buy a watch this year. With fitting ceremony, J. M. Arthur made the presentation during the class rise to Doubling Gap on Baccalaureate Sunday to Dean M. Hoffman following the unanimous ballot of '02 labelling him as "the best all around Dickinsonian."

EDITORIAL

COMMENCEMENT NO. 144

DICKINSON'S 144th Commencement was notable not for the brand of weather which is so familiar to Carlisle visitors in early June, but to the amazing spirit of the alumni in spite of such a handicap. There was literally a nation-wide acceptance of Alma Mater's invitation to return to the old campus and recharge the batteries of interest and fidelity at the old hearthstone.

More and more each year it is apparent that the back-to-the-commencement-campus movement is gaining a momentum that requires less and less stimulation. Graduates return not merely as class-mates for reunion but as individuals, which is a gratifying significant development.

Half a dozen classes were in reunion, saying nothing of the '76-'86 group which evidently has found the spring Ponce de Leon missed. The commencement luncheon was an inspiration as the men of yesteryear and yesterday mingled and united their voices in homage to Old Dickinson. It was an impressive demonstration of affection and goodwill.

Two more classes made generous and substantial gifts in the college's interest. For the second time the Class of 1902 showed its love for alma mater. Five years ago it presented the gateway at the south entrance to the campus. This year its gift was more spiritual than material, an endowment of \$1200 being made, the income of which will be used to cultivate loyalty and the Dickinson spirit among the undergraduates. The idea is an appealing one for if it accomplishes its purpose, there will be no difficulty about material needs of the college.

The Class of 1907 at its 20th reunion, continued the splendid project of enclosing the campus with the unique colonial walls, broken at intervals by artistic gateways. The Class of 1900 at its 20th reunion presented a gateway and so started the movement which was taken up by 1902 with a wall and gateway two years later, continued by 1906 with its gateway and now further advanced by the ornate and elaborate gateway of 1907 at the West portal of the campus.

These are agreeable additions to the college plant, but they are more agreeable as the symbols of the affection which the graduates and former students have for Old Dickinson. It is this type of support which makes certain the future of any educational institution as the lack thereof portends its doom.

ONCE AGAIN THE WEATHER

ONCE again the weather played ten-pins with many of the plans of commencement. As usual it struck at the most vital spot on the program, Alumni Day. For the third time it was necessary to call off the experiment of a Commencement Luncheon on the campus instead of in the "gym." It interfered cruelly with the costumed "pee-rade" and placed under heavy handicap, even though it did not suppress the spirits of some of the classes in reunion.

Naturally the weather is difficult to control. As Mark Twain said everybody talks and complains about the weather but nobody does anything about it. There is a feeling, however, among those who have gone to much effort and expense to attend Commencements at Dickinson that perhaps if nothing can be done about the weather something might be done about commencement dates.

Foolish suggestion? Perhaps. The weather is fickle. A postponement of a week might easily result in moving from not rain to sunshine but sunshine to rain.

But before the dates are changed and the jump made, it would not be without profit to study the weather chart for the first week in June for as many years as records are available. If such a study reveals that the odds on rain the first week are long and for the second week the odds on rain are short, then it would not be foolhardy to consider the law of probabilities and set the commencement date accordingly.

The recollection of many if not most Dickinson graduates is a rainy commencement. Weather recollections are not always trustworthy, but some gallant soul's study of the June weather chart for forty or fifty years might point the way to more agreeable Commencement weather at Carlisle.

A NEW PILOT

THOUGH the old pilot has not been dropped over the side, the Alumni Association is sailing with a new skipper. With the meeting of the Alumni Council in June, the Hon. E. M. Biddle, Jr., '86, judge of the Cumberland County court, became president in succession to L. T. Appold, '82 who declined a re-election but dared not decline an election as honorary president for life in recognition of his tireless service in the office.

Judge Biddle thus walks the bridge and plots the course, though by his side will be his predecessor ready to lend a hand, if it should be needed, and obviously interested in the well-being of the cruise. The transition in leadership, if it had to be made, is a happy one. The new president from the very beginning, has been an interested, industrious member and officer of the Association. The first three years of its existence he was a member of the Alumni Council, present at its meetings, helpful in his suggestions and jealous ever of the welfare of Dickinson.

His position in civil life gives prestige to the position in which he will serve the interests of the college and the alumni. It is a very gratifying thing for all alumni that if an Appold had to step out a Biddle was there to step in.

COLLEGE BASEBALL

TALK of abolishing baseball as a college sport at Dickinson and other institutions is not likely to thrill the stars of other days. To them the "national game" and the part they played in it are memories worth treasuring and if they can see at all the wisdom of discarding it, it will be with great difficulty.

In more recent years football has become the outstanding college sport. Nothing in campus importance is comparable with it. This was not always so. Baseball was its rival. The situation has changed. Undergraduates take less interest in the diamond. Consequently there are fewer candidates and "nines" are not so flashy as formerly. If prospective students are picked for athletic ability, it is for football or track or basketball and scarcely at all for baseball. The college baseball season is short and staged when the weather as this year virtually wipes out an entire schedule. Baseball has had tough going in the colleges recently.

But the old stars will want to know whether these reasons are adequate for banning the game. They will want to know whether or not baseball as a sport, a physical exercise, does not justify its retention. It will be hard to make them understand that as a sport for college boys baseball is inferior to tennis, boxing, basketball, fencing, lacrosse or marksmanship. And it might be hard to make others understand it.

Before Dickinson and the other colleges eliminate baseball, there is a lot of clear thinking to be done.



"THE SPIRIT OF TEMPERANCE" "DINNA YE HEAR THE PIPES?"



THE KILTIES AND BANNERS OF '02



"HAM" BACON



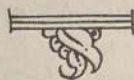
"HERE WE ARE OF 1902"



ARTISTS AND NOISE-MAKERS!



'07 FOLLOWS '02'S LEAD



CLOWNS AFTER 20 YEARS!



'07'S BALLONS & REGALIA



A TRUCKLOAD OF '07 KIDS



J.M. ARTHUR, '02



DEAN M. HOFFMAN, '02



'02 Sets Pace in Lively 25th Reunion

WITH war-whoops, whizz-bangs and the old "Bievo" class yell, 1902 staged its 25th reunion with 49 of its 91 members present. Many of the members were accompanied by wives or members of families with the result that the peak of the reunion was reached at the dinner at the Carlisle Country Club with 72 persons at the table.

The class had its customary tent on the campus near the 1902 Gateway. The program began Friday night with a memory-fest in the tent and a program of lantern slides of the old scenes and personal reminiscences of the green-paint, the posters, the bric-a-brac on the mermaid and other pranks of campus days. Songs of 25 years ago were sung and the party ended with a lunch served in the tent.

Saturday morning's rain jammed the reunion program and the class met informally in the tent until noon when the members assembled in the basement of Old West, and donned their striking artists' costumes for the luncheon. These costumes consisted of light blue smocks trimmed in brown, the combination of class colors and artists' tams in the same colors. The members carried palettes.

With the commencement luncheon well underway in the gym, there was heard the skirling of pipes and the beat of drum and with "Ham" Bacon, class president as marshal, the class trooped into the "gym" behind a band of bagpipers in kilts and tartans brought from Philadelphia for the day by the class.

During the luncheon, J. M. Arthur for the class presented its 25th memorial to be known as the 1902 AWARD, a gift of \$1200 to the college, the income from which for the present shall be used annually for the purchase of a suitably engraved watch for that member of the Junior class who by the vote of his classmates is adjudged "the best all around Dickinsonian." Arthur H. Carver gave the greetings of the class to fellow alumni.

Toward the end of the afternoon, the rain slackened enough to stage the costumed pee-rade, in which the class was joined with that of 1907. The procession was headed by the bagpipers and a streamer reading, "Here We Come, 1902". In the parade marched "Jack" Bacon and Dean Hoffman, II carrying cards "I am a Son-of-a-1902," apples of the eyes of their fathers.

Before the parade countermarched at the Square; the 1902 arsenal in front of South College let go with aerial bombs. As the head of the parade reached High Street in front of the campus a furious fusilade was in progress and traffic gathered so densely that the Carlisle police force had to untangle the skein of motor cars. The bombardment kept up for nearly an hour.

Shortly after the pee-rade the reunion dinner was staged at the Carlisle Country Club, members traveling in class automobiles the tonneaus of the cars draped with large "1902" banners. Bacon presided. Arthur "Called the class roll" by various professional or occupational groups, presenting to each a feather with a meaning all its own.

Adjourning the dinner at 10:30, the class returned to their headquarters in the tent, changed their costumes from the atelier to the Orient and with lighted Japanese lanterns on sticks and still headed by the bagpipers walked single file to the various buildings on the campus by way of greeting, giving their yell at Old West, East, Denny, Bosler and the President's House, while a member of the class following his custom of 25 years ago stole into the belfry and tolled the college bell 19-2; 19-2; 19-2.

During this ceremony the ordnance department in front of South College was firing salutes in such volume and intensity that residents at Mt. Holly Springs eight miles away were reminded that 1902 was celebrating. A little after midnight the electric "'02" sign



"HERE WE ARE 1902"

in front of the tent was darkened and the informal parties began.

Sunday morning the class held its religious services in the basement of Old West with Frank Lawrence preaching the sermon. There was a recess in the program until 2 o'clock when the class motored from the tent to Doubling Gap Spring, retracing the roads of their Senior class ride of a quarter century before. Lunch was served at the Gap during which Arthur, speaking for the class, called Hoffman, class secretary, out of the crowd and announced that it had been determined to make the first 1902 Award to 1902 and that the class secretary had been so chosen.

Present for the reunion were: J. W. Milburn, wife and daughter, Washington; Mrs. Mary C. Love Collins, Cincinnati; Mrs. Myrtle Bushey Green, Mr. Green and son, Harrisburg; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Steever, Harrisburg; Miss Florence Rothermel, Philadelphia; Don L. Wolfinger, Chambersburg; Mr. and Mrs. William D. Burkey, Hamburg; Harry E. Rodgers, Parkersburg, W. Va.; the Rev. Robert H. Comley, Lancaster; the Rev. John C. Bieri, Philadelphia; the Rev. and Mrs. William E. Myers, Tamaqua; David K. McMillan, Chicago; Mrs. Edith Cahoon Bolte and Mr. Bolte, Atlantic City, N. J.; Miss Bertha E. Aberle,

Carlisle; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis M. Bacon and children Jack and Nancy, Baltimore; J. Edward Belt, Carlisle; the Rev. Frank D. Lawrence, Philadelphia; Arthur H. Sloop, Bellefonte; Mr. and Mrs. Daniel R. Pepper, Wilkes-Barre; Mr. and Mrs. R. Max Lewis, Altoona; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dress, Harrisburg; Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Bricker, New York City; Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McCrone, Aldan; Dr. and Mrs. George Gailey Chambers, Lansdowne; William C. Sampson, Upper Darby; Dr. and Mrs. Warren N. Shuman, Jersey Shore; Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Betts, Chadds Ford; Ralph E. Clepper, Pittsburgh; J. M. Arthur and son, Port Deposit, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Carl New and daughter, Baltimore; Mrs. Emma Reeme Appleman and Mr. Appleman, College Park, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Carver, Oak Park, Ill.; the Rev. Walter C. Brewer, Waldwick, N. J.; the Rev. Walter L. Moore, Johnson City, N. Y.; the Rev. Herbert Rhinesmith, Bayonne, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Drayer, Baltimore; Mrs. Kathryn Kerr Williams, Chicago; the Rev. Willis A. Lewis, Doylestown; the Rev. Richard Radcliff, Philadelphia; E. Garfield Gifford, Newark, N. J.; Harry Curran Wilbur, Chicago; Miss Maude Irving, Locust Point, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Sage and daughter, North Haledon, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Nevling, Clearfield; the Rev. James Cunningham, Frackville; D. Walter Morton, Green Cove Springs, Florida; the Rev. W. H. Decker, Trenton, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hoffman and son, Dean II, Harrisburg; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde W. Hoover, Lemoyne.

'76 - '86 In Fourth Annual Celebration

By F. F. BOND, *Secretary*

Thirty-eight of '76-'86 signed up for Commencement 1927; Dudrear, '77; Frantz, '86; Reaney, '82; Boswell, '84; Wagner, '83; Rue, '86; Rhey, '83; Kauffman, '82; Burns, '85; Stull, '82; Porter, '84; Cummings, '85; Linville, '81; Morgan, '78; Longsdorf, '79; Appold, '82; Bond, '77; Harper, '80; Mumper, '79; Perkinpine, '82; Keefer, '85; Biddle, E. M., '86; Graham, '86; Powell, '78; Kleinhenn, '82; Colaw, '82; Wolf, '82; Robinson, '82; Strite, '84; Nicholson, '77; Bond, '83; Leidigh, '83; Kramer, '83; Zug, '80; Nesbitt, '84; Elliott, '78; Conlyn, '78; Bikle, '86.

A few in this list failed to report but evidently their intention was good, and only some serious engagement kept them from joining their fellow colleagues.

Mumper, '79 journeyed six nights from Los Angeles and came direct to Carlisle. That's going some. Kauffman, '82 has attended two out of four of '76-'86 celebrations, and that too amid the pressure of business, coming all the way from Youngstown, Ohio. We like his spirit. Let's have more of it.

Frantz, '86 who attended Dickinson one year, graduating from Syracuse University, was with us this year and last. He puts himself on record as saying, "If I were an alumnus of Dickinson I would never miss a Commencement." Good for Frantz! May some of our alumni take that gospel to heart.

Dudrear, '77 made a supreme effort, under difficulties, to be one of us, and the '76-'86 Secretary who had not met him since he was Professor of Science at Pennington School was delighted to meet him on Dickinson's Campus. Come again soon Professor.

Bilger, '83, St. Petersburg, Florida, with us last year and planning to be with us in 1927, at the last moment was compelled to wire his regrets. Stevick, also, San Francisco, who looked in on us in 1926 wrote hopefully of our meet

next year. We count on both men for the rally in 1928.

There were fourteen men present this year who have attended all four of our '76-'86 celebrations. Of the eleven classes constituting our '76-'86 group every class was represented this year with the single exception of '76. Last year this class had two representatives in Price and Shirk.

The marvel is that so many of our men living at a distance, and in some instances at a very great distance return to Alma Mater, while by far too many living almost under the eaves of Dickinson act as though they had no relation to the College.

The Secretary of '76-'86 is greatly cheered through the year from Commencement to Commencement by the timely suggestions of Linville, Keefer, Appold, Harper and others.

The '76-'86 aggregation take off their hats to Boswell, Zug and Powell for the presence of their wives at our latest meet. We would that we might pay the same honor to Linville, Harper and Appold in 1928.

The fly in the ointment of this year's '76-'86 celebration was the wetness of Commencement Saturday. However the boys responded with commendable vim and at the gym luncheon our representative George C. Stull, '82 put it over with a brevity and snap that was characteristically military. '76-'86 had a fine delegation at the Sunday morning service to listen to the baccalaureate sermon. Since attendance was purely voluntary it looks like an increase of piety over the aforesaid.

We hope with the help of the Alumnus and our loyal and capable assistants to push such a campaign for 1928 as shall marshall a host in the new \$200,000 gym and put in the parade the largest force we have yet mustered.

1928 is our fifth rally. It shall and must be our finest.



1907 REUNIONS GROUP AT '07 GATE

Becomes Superior Court Judge of Connecticut

Carl Foster, attorney of Bridgeport, Conn., will become judge of the Superior Court of that State on October 23, 1927, having been appointed by the Governor to succeed the present incumbent. The new judge is a graduate of the class of 1893.

Judge Foster was born in Waterford, Va., August 28, 1872, the son of Isaac McKendree Foster, a Baptist minister and Civil War veteran, and Julia Mosher Foster. The family lived in Virginia only six months following his birth, returning to Connecticut where their ancestors had resided for more than 300 years.

In 1919, Judge Foster received the degree of P. Sc. D., at New York University where he has been a lecturer on Connecticut practice in the law school since 1911. He received an A. M. from Dickinson in 1896, the year in which he was admitted to the Connecticut bar.

Judge Foster was deputy judge of the Bridgeport city court from 1907 to 1909 and judge of the same court from 1909 to 1913. He is a member of the American Bar Association, the Connecticut Bar Association, the Bridgeport Bar Association, the Mayflower Society, the Sons of the American Revolution, Sons of Veterans, the Sanford Society of America, the Masons, the Red Men, the University and Brooklawn Clubs of Bridgeport, the Yale Graduates Club of New Haven, and the Sigma Chi Club of New York.

On June 29, 1897, Judge Foster was married at Carlisle to Delia J. Norcross.

Dickinsonians at Lausanne

Rev. Edmund J. Kulp, D. D., '93, of Topeka, Kan. and Dr. Edmund D. Soper, '98, Vice-President of Duke University, will be delegates at the World Conference on Faith and Order at Lausanne, Switzerland, this month.

"Bob" Mays '02L a Judge

H. Robert Mays '02L is the latest Dickinsonian to reach the bench. By appointment of Governor Fisher, he was made a judge of the common pleas of Berks County, May 21 to serve until January 1, 1928. He is a candidate for a full term at the primaries next month.

Judge Mays after terms at Albright and Franklin and Marshall, entered the Dickinson School of Law where he became active in school affairs and especially in the Allison Law Society. Immediately after graduation he was admitted to the Berks County Court, the first in that jurisdiction to pass under the State bar examination plan.

His first county office was that of solicitor. He served subsequently as district attorney of Berks County, the conviction of the Wyomissing bank bandits putting a feather in his hat.

Judge Mays was born near Womelsdorf on his father's farm. The knowledge he gained there he is now capitalizing in the conduct of a model farm over which he presides in the suburban districts of Reading known as Jacksonwald. Judge Mays is 44 years old.



JUDGE H. ROBERT MAYS, '02L

Award Baltimore Scholarship

The Dickinson Club of Baltimore Scholarship of \$350 that was announced in the May issue of the DICKINSON ALUMNUS has been awarded to Arthur Charles Holmes of Baltimore. There were seven applicants and the competition for the scholarship was close. Several of the candidates showed exceptional accomplishment in scholarship and in school activities.

The club plans to award this scholarship each spring to a Maryland boy entering Dickinson the following fall with the purpose of exciting increased interest in Dickinson among Baltimore alumni as well as to increase the number of alumni in Maryland.

'87 Celebrates 40th Reunion

Thirteen members of the class of 1887 attended the 40th reunion held at Commencement. Dr. Eugene Chaney came from beyond Chicago to be present. Others present were: D. Bailey Brandt, Dorcey Etchison, S. E. Forman, Percy Hughes, James S. Maddux, Max L. Mitchell, Prof. John Fred Mohler, W. M. Smith, Rev. James B. Stein, Dr. W. B. Stewart, Mode E. Vale, Thos. E. Vale.

On the evening of Alumni Day the class held a dinner at the Hotel Argonne, and Sunday noon they were entertained at dinner by Dr. and Mrs. J. Fred Mohler at their home on College Street.

Dr. S. E. Forman presented each member present at the reunion with one of his latest books, "Our Republic."

Law Alumni Hold Annual Reunion



1927 LAW REUNION

Several innovations featured the annual reunion of the Alumni Association of the Dickinson School of Law which was held June 16 and 17 and was attended by a large delegation of alumni.

For the first time an effort had been made to hold class reunions and at least one class, namely that of 1917, held a class dinner preceding the opening of the association's program.

Instead of having a number of miscellaneous speeches at the annual smoker, Justice John W. Kephart who presided, introduced Prof. Leon C. Prince, an alumnus of the School, who is head of the Department of History of the College, as the speaker. He delivered an exceptional address in his characteristic style which was warmly received by the Alumni present. His subject was "Modern Axes and Ancient

Landmarks." Following this address refreshments were served and the returned Alumni spent the remainder of the evening in an informal smoker.

The business session was held on the morning of the 17th in Trickett Hall following which a luncheon was served with the Alumni as guests of the Association at the Carlisle Country Club. In the business session the Association approved the purchase of a recent photograph artistically framed of Dean William Trickett and presented it to the School.

There was a discussion concerning the advisability of holding the annual Law School reunion concurrent with the College Commencement, and this matter was referred to the Executive Committee with power to act.

Approval of the plan to encourage

class reunions placed the Association as favoring its continuance and the reunions of future years will be urged.

The following officers were re-elected:

President John W. Kephart; First Vice-President Robert Hays Smith; Second Vice-President Fred B. Moser and Secretary-Treasurer Joseph P. McKeehan.

Class of 1912 Holds Fifteenth Annual Reunion

BY ROBERT S. EINSTEIN

With seventeen members of the class present together with a number of guests, wives, and children, 1912 held its fifteenth annual reunion during the recent Commencement week and laid plans for a twentieth reunion which, according to predictions, will be the most stupenduous of its kind ever staged at old Dickinson.

The members of the class started to gather on Friday of Commencement week and were given an old time cordial greeting by the local committee consisting of Helen Burns Norcross, Freed Martin, Glenn Todd, and Bob Einstein. As each stepped on the campus, they received full instructions regarding the reunion program for the week-end.

On Friday evening a general "get-together" was held on the campus. The usual refreshments were served, and many personal questions were asked. "Fan" Perry Metcalf attempted very unsatisfactorily to explain why she was present unaccompanied by her new husband. "Kit" Woodward accounted for her tardiness by explaining that she had just arrived fresh—exceedingly fresh—from Florida.

Elaborate preparations had been made by the committee for the class to appear in the Alumni Parade Saturday afternoon. This event, one of the outstanding features of Commencement, was, as usual, interrupted by a terrific rain. However, the class occupied a conspicuous position at the Alumni Luncheon in the gynasium. On behalf of the class S. Walter Stauffer—familarly known as "Stauf" or "Walt" as the case might be—responded in a very loquacious and creditable speech from the balcony as a rostrum.

Following the luncheon, the real business session of the class was held in

Old West with President Renn in the chair, and the following members answering the roll call: Bessie Kelley Van Auken, Chas. S. Van Auken, Fan Perry Metcalf, Helen Garber Bouton, Helen Burns Norcross, Marguerite Deitrich, J. B. Miller, Carry Smith Hoffman, Carry Woodward, Ruth Heller Bacon, Walter Stauffer, Clinton Bramble, John Meyers, Freed Martin, Clarence Fry, Murray Spahr, Glenn Todd, and Bob Einstein.

The principal items of business were the effecting of a permanent organization and the consideration of a tribute to be given the college by the class at its twentieth anniversary in 1932. The following officers were elected: President, Paul Renn; Secretary, R. S. Einstein; Treasurer, Glenn E. Todd. The president was authorized to appoint an executive committee to act in conjunction with the officers to make complete arrangements for the twentieth reunion.

'17 Holds 10th Reunion

Nineteen members of the class of 1917 attended the 10th reunion held at Commencement.

The class took up headquarters on the balcony during the Alumni luncheon and Ralph C. Basehore told of the doings of the class.

The members present were: Elbert L. Davies, Rev. Fred P. Corson, Robert E. Woodward, Lyman G. Hertzler, Mary Bobb Carns, Max I. Mechanic, Douglas D. Mead, Dr. Roy G. Mohler, Jacob M. Goodyear, George C. Herring, Ruth E. Enslinger, H. Delmar Robinson, Ralph C. Basehore, Robert L. Myers, Jr., Florence Baker Hutchinson, Margaret Reigel, Rev. Joshua McCabe, and Christine Stuart Ritter.

1925 to Hold Annual Reunions

Twenty-five members of the class of 1925 returning for commencement activities made known the fact that the passage of one year had not lessened any of its active interest in Dickinson.

Having served patiently and quietly their apprenticeship of being one-year-outers last year, they broke forth this year with a birthday party. There was a huge white cake surmounted with two tall candles and decorated with gay red roses and Harvey Simmons gave a speech describing the sterling qualities of the class that was a sincere panegyric.

After the luncheon a meeting of the class was held in Old West when it was decided that 1925 will continue its annual reunions. Each one present promised to be back next year. Anna Mary

Makibben acted as chairman of the reunion committee. She was assisted by Mary E. Thomas and Mae Mountz.

The following names appeared on the registration slips in Old West:

R. Mae Mountz, Harrisburg; Marry E. Thomas, Mechanicsburg; Anna M. Makibben, Harrisburg; F. A. Keefer, Washington; W. D. McCahan, Harrisburg; F. A. Mincemoyer, Mechanicsburg; R. L. Mickey, Philadelphia; John Greenawald, Schnecks-ville; A. W. Hutchison, Carlisle; Walter W. Hubley, Warren; Irvine Wiest, Shamokin; John Platt, Haddon Heights, N. J.; J. M. Selby, Cabin John, Md.; Harold Keatly, Fleming; Gladys B. Heim, Mechanicsburg; Betty Knopp, Harrisburg; Dorothy Wilder, Philadelphia; G. Fred Ziegler, Greencastle; Blanche Raine Simmons, Harrisburg; W. L. Crowding, Berwick; A. H. Simmons, Harrisburg; Emporium, and Mary E. Van Camp McKoewen, East Orange, N. J.

PERSONALS

1870

Judge Edward W. Biddle is spending the summer months at his home in Carlisle.

1872

Rev. Dr. C. W. Prettyman is spending the summer at Camp Moosilauke, Pike, N. H., which is operated by his son, Prof. C. W. Prettyman.

1883

Rev. Dr. F. F. Bond, secretary of '76-'86, has a new address. It is 232 West Roosevelt Boulevard, Philadelphia, Pa.

1885

General Frank R. Keefer, assistant surgeon general of the United States Army, delivered the commencement address at the commencement exercises of the Medical Field School, Carlisle, on May 29, when 65 regular army officers were graduated.

1891

Prof. W. W. Landis, of the College faculty, sailed for Rome where he is manager of Temple Tours immediately after Commencement. He will return a few days before College opens in the fall.

1893

Dr. Frederick E. Downes, for eighteen years superintendent of the Harrisburg public schools and since 1923 eastern district manager of the Hockenbury system, was

named superintendent of Beckley College of Harrisburg in June. Beckley College teaches commercial subjects and plans to seek a state charter as an accredited junior college.

Rev. Dr. Edmund J. Kulp, of Topeka, Kan., will attend the World Conference on Faith and Order at Lausanne, Switzerland, this month.

1898

Professor Leon C. Prince is filling many speaking engagements. During the month of August he is occupying the pulpit of Grace M. E. Church, Harrisburg.

1901

Mrs. Josephine B. Meredith, dean of women of the College, sailed for England on June 18. She planned to attend a vacation course in London for British teachers under the auspices of Cambridge, Oxford and the University of London.

Dr. John D. Brooks, head of the Department of Education in Wilson College, Chambersburg, recently became a Life Member in the General Alumni Association.

Dr. A. W. S. Endslow is teaching physics in the high school at Spokane, Wash., and is practicing Optometry there.

Frank C. Daniel is principal of the McKinley High School, Washington, D. C.

1902

Mrs. Marion Bell, widow of Frank T.

Baltimore Notes

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E. Redwood St., Baltimore, Md.*

Marion A. Arthur, the son of J. Melville Arthur, '02, is an honor graduate of this year's class at the Tome School, where his father is a faculty member. Young Mr. Arthur won the John B. Ramsay Science Prize and the Lloyd Andrews Hamilton Prize for scholastic standing at that school.

Lyman G. Hertzler, '17, was appointed recently the resident manager of the Red "C" Oil Company with offices in the Keyser Building, Baltimore. Mrs. Hertzler, who was Janet E. Reiff of the same class, and their family expect to remove to Baltimore in the late summer.

Frederick Brown Harris, '09, of Washington, with his family and parents, sailed on the Berengaria on June 29th to attend a family reunion in Worcester, England.

Harry Evald, '12, has had 32 accessions since Conference in April to Clifton Avenue M. E. Church, of which he is the pastor.

Harry L. Price, '96, who is the President of the Kiwanis in Baltimore, attended the Kiwanis International Convention at Memphis, Tenn. from June 4th to 12th.

William M. Hoffman, '07, who is serving a Methodist pastorate in Washington, D. C., has received much favorable comment from the press and from people on the excellent edition of Baltimore Conference Minutes issued since he was elected Conference Secretary in April.

Bell, was the guest of the class at its annual reunion dinner.

William D. Burkey, Hamburg, is retiring this year after many years of service as president of the school board.

Bertrand L. Chapman, of Upper Montclair, has opened a new advertising agency of his own.

Mary C. Love Collins, of Cincinnati, back to Commencement for her class reunion, was hostess at a luncheon given in honor of Mrs. Mabel C. Willebrandt, Assistant Attorney General of the United States, who was the Commencement Day speaker.

The Rev. Willis A. Lewis, attended Commencement in the additional capacity of conference visitor.

D. Kent McMillan with his two daughters made the trip to Commencement by automobile in two days.

Miss Florence Rothermel, teacher in the West Philadelphia High School, spends her summers on her farm near Kutztown, Pa.

General James G. Stees, chairman of the Alaska Road Commission, who had his tickets and berths for the reunion ride from Juneau to Carlisle, was blocked at the last moment by the Mississippi Flood. Army engineers assigned to Alaska were kept in the States on account of the flood.

The Rev. U. S. G. Wright has been a patient since early spring in the State Sanitarium, Maryland.

E. Garfield Gifford retired in June as chairman of the Republican Committee of Essex County, New Jersey. Mr. Gifford is the county's surrogate.

1904

James E. Carey, superintendent of agencies of the Central West Casualty Co., Detroit, was recently elected a vestryman of St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church, there.

Thomas J. Towers recently purchased the beautiful Daggett home in Kew Gardens, Long Island, N. Y., where he expects to move his family in the fall.

1904L

Lieutenant Governor Arthur James was the Commencement orator at Susquehanna University where he received the degree of Doctor of Laws.

1907

Prof. L. G. Rohrbaugh will occupy the pulpit during August in Oneonta, N. Y., where Rev. J. W. Flynn, '09, usually presides.

1908

While President and Mrs. H. E. Wark are in Europe this summer, Dr. Lewis H. Chrisman, Head of the Department of English, is acting as president of West Virginia Wesleyan College, Buchannon, W. Va.

1909

Elvey S. Bailey, who has been at Waldon, N. Y., goes to Mays Landing, N. J., with the opening of the school year to become a teacher in the high school there.

1910

Rev. W. Earl Ledden, of Rochester, N. Y., until recently pastor at Camden, N. J., received the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity from Syracuse University at the recent Commencement.

Clarence G. Shenton, '16L, gave a course in Municipal Government and Administration at Swarthmore College during the Spring semester.

1911

A daughter, Julia Anne, was born at Clearfield Hospital, Clearfield, Penna., on April 18th, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Donald

Lorenz, of No. 709 Spang Street, Roaring Spring, Penna.

1915

Elliott C. B. Darlington was ordained as an Episcopal priest on June 12, and accepted a call to assist the Rev. Henry Mottet in the Church of the Holy Communion, one of the most famous churches of New York City.

1916

George V. Hoover, Harrisburg attorney, is a Democratic candidate for Commissioner of Dauphin County.

1916L

J. Dress Pannell, attorney of Harrisburg and Steelton, was recently elected chairman of the Democratic Committee of Dauphin County, Pa.

1917L

A daughter, Jean Louise, was born to Mr. and Mrs. James L. Baxter, of Philadelphia, on June 11. The new arrival kept "Jim" from attending the tenth reunion of the class.

J. Douglas M. Royal, of Harrisburg, is a candidate for the nomination for Commissioner of Dauphin County.

1918

Lyda L. Turner won a \$1,000 prize recently in a prize play contest staged by the Penn Publishing Company of Philadelphia. Her work was entitled "Yesterday's Roses."

1919

Edna Marie Myers, of Newville, Pa., was married to Ernest M. Bickell, of Philadelphia, on July 30.

Newspapers of Havana, Cuba, recently chronicled the engagement of Thomas J. ("Duke") Fagan to Miss Mary Fuentes, of New York City, who is visiting relatives in Cuba. Since graduation, Fagan has been in the service of the National City Bank of New York in Argentina and Cuba and is at present manager and attorney of the Cuba branches.

1920

Mr. and Mrs. George Brindle, of Carlisle, recently announced the marriage of their daughter, Mae Brindle, to Betram H. Berg, August 19, 1925.

1921

Sara Kathleen LeFevre and John McCracken Horner, an alumnus of Penn State, were married at the Little Church Around the Corner, New York, on June 21. They now reside at 250 Conway Street, Carlisle.

The engagement of Charles H. Thomas, who is assistant investigator in the Engineering Research at the University of Michigan to Miss Joan Myers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Myers, of Camp Hill, was announced recently. The wedding will be a winter event.

Mary Hering upon her return from Europe this fall will take up her work in the French Department of Bradford Academy and Junior College, Bradford, Mass. After teaching French five years in the high school Haddon Heights, N. J., she studied at Columbia in 1926 and then transferred to the University of Sourbonne, Paris where in June she passed her graduate work in French, thereby receiving her A. M. from Columbia. During the Easter vacation, she toured northern Africa and in June visited Italy.

1922

Ruth M. Dotter, of Carlisle, was married to Stanley Kendall Heilbron, an attorney of Mt. Holly, N. J., at her home by Rev. Dr. A. R. Steck, on June 29. They will be at home in a newly built residence after November 1, at 331 Broad Street, Mt. Holly, N. J.

Dr. Elizabeth Bucke who graduated on June 8, from the Woman's Medical College, Philadelphia, was married June 15, to Dr. Edgar Raymond, resident physician at the University of Maryland Hospital, Baltimore. Rev. J. E. A. Bucke, her father, officiated at the ceremony. The bride, who received her master's degree at Commencement, is now an interne at the Lancaster hospital while her husband is resident physician at the Methodist Hospital, Philadelphia. A year hence, the couple plan to leave for India where they will be medical missionaries.

DeWitt D. Wise was married to Miss Jane Newton, of Portsmouth, N. H. on June 27, by Rev. H. W. Glassco at Ramey, Pa. The couple were teachers in the New Rochelle, N. Y., high school.

Edith Blackburn was married on June 6, to Dr. Thomas H. Hazlehurst, of Charleston, S. C., in Baltimore. After two years at Dickinson, the bride graduated from Earlham College in 1922. The bridegroom is an alumnus of Charleston College and recently received his Ph.D. from Johns Hopkins. They will reside in Bethlehem where Dr. Hazlehurst has a position at Lehigh.

1923

Margaret Eslinger, who has been on the faculty of Athens College, Athens, Ala., has accepted an appointment to Illinois Woman's College, Jacksonville, Ill., for the next academic year.

Maurice E. Boate, of Harrisburg, was married to Miss Helen H. Sheaffer, of Carlisle, on July 19. They will reside at 1311 Walnut Street, Harrisburg.

Morris E. Swartz, Jr., of the editorial staff of the Harrisburg Evening News, and Dorothy E. Buch, '24, of Harrisburg, will be married by the father of the groom, Rev. Dr. M. E. Swartz, '89, at the Grace M. E. Church, Harrisburg, on August 20, at 1

o'clock. Agnes Albright, '22, will be maid of honor.

1924

Stuart Wagner of Harrisburg, was married to Miss Varie Beetem, of Carlisle, on June 25. They now reside at 419 Maclay Street, Harrisburg, Pa.

B. Floyd Rinker, instructor in English at the College, sailed on June 11, on the S. S. Minnesota to tour the British Isles and to attend the summer session at the Palais du Louvre, where he will study art appreciation.

1926

Fred M. Uber has been named graduate assistant of physics at Syracuse University.

1927

Margaret McCrea will teach French at the Oxford High School this year.

Announcement was made at Commencement of the marriage of Merle L. Keim to Miss Eleen J. Bolan, of Oberlin, Pa., on March 26, in New York City.

The engagement of Anne Coover, of New Cumberland, and Robert Thompson, of Cruicible, was announced June 2, when Miss Coover entertained at a luncheon at the Mill Tea House. No date has been set for the wedding.

Kenneth R. Perinchief was married to Miss Mabel M. Nickum of Philadelphia on June 18, at the M. E. Church, Aura, N. J.

OBITUARY

Old Football Idol Passes Away

Edwin C. Amerman, '02, of Scranton one of the leaders of the Lackawanna County bar and a distinguished and active Dickinsonian, died in a private sanitarium at Morristown, N. J., July 31. He was 49 years old and had been in the institution since he was stricken with a nervous collapse in mid-May.

To the members of his class especially his illness and death were a shock because he with Mrs. Amerman had made all arrangements to attend the 25th reunion and had been assigned a part in the festivities. His absence cast a marked gloom over the reunion.

In his college days, Mr. Amerman was one of the football idols having played center on the eleven all of the three years he was in college. He was as an undergraduate as well as subsequently an impressive speaker and debater. His was a massive figure of more than six feet and he possessed a voice of great power and charm. He was active in literary circles. His fraternity was Sigma Chi, having been initiated at Bucknell where he spent his Freshman year.

Mr. Amerman was born in Danville, November 20, 1878, the son of Jesse C. and Margaret Amerman. After attending the district school near his father's farm, he entered and was graduated from Mansfield State Normal School, later spending a year at Bucknell. After his graduation from Dickinson in 1902, in the A. B. course, he spent two years in Dickinson School of Law getting his bachelor's degree there in 1904.

In the autumn of that year he was admitted to the Lackawanna County bar and shortly thereafter became associated with the present Judge George W. Maxey. Mr. Amerman for a time acted as a United States jury commissioner, but generally refused to stand for public office. An effort to have him stand as a Democratic candidate for Mayor failed. He preferred to practice law in which, Scranton newspapers declared, he attained rank among the leaders.

Mr. Amerman's love of sport carried him much and often into the outdoors. Within the last year of his life he was one of a small party which went to Utah to hunt buffalo. As late as March he spent a month hunting in Georgia.

In addition to his law practice in recent years, he became interested and most successfully in coal mining, becoming general manager of the Gibbons Coal Company. He was also an officer of the Town Hall Amusement Company and a

large holder of Scranton real estate. He was a thirty-second degree Mason, a member of Irem Temple of the Shrine and a member of the Scranton Lodge of Elks.

A wife who was Miss Lillian Rechel of Rupert, and a daughter Margaret, survive him. A brother, Charles, resides in Danville.

Largely attended funeral services were held in Scranton, August 2 in charge of the Rev. Oliver Kingman, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church. Burial under Masonic auspices was made in Danville the same day. Joseph Fleitz and Frank P. Benjamin, college-mates, were among the pallbearers.

'74—Word of the death of Reverend Elkanah Hart Conklin on January 13, 1927, has just been received. Rev. Conklin was born at Huntington, Long Island, October 1, 1846. He graduated from Pennington Seminary in 1870 and from the College in 1874, when he was admitted to membership in the Newark M. E. Conference. He served various appointments in that Conference. He was married on July 13, 1876, to Miss Emma Van Duser and they celebrated their golden anniversary last year. His son, Dr. William Conklin, died two years ago and a daughter, wife of Dr. George S. Writer of Nyack, survives. Dr. Elmer E. Pearce, '05, District Superintendent, made an address at the funeral services.

'94—Professor Victor Lenher, a member of the faculty of the University of Wisconsin since 1900, died June 12th. He was born in Belmont, Iowa, July 13, 1873, and after attending Dickinson one year, he went to the University of Pennsylvania, graduating in Chemistry in 1893, received his doctorate from the same institution in 1898. He was assistant in Chemistry in the University of California and Columbia University and was called to Wisconsin as Assistant Professor in Chemistry in 1900. In 1907 he became Professor of Chemistry, in a charge of analytical and inorganic chemistry. For fourteen years he was a member of the Board of Education, Madison, Wis., and for two years a member of the State Board of Health. He served during the war as Major in the Chemical Warfare Service. He was a Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science; member of the American Chemical Society; Washington Academy of Sciences; Wisconsin Academy of Arts, Letters, and Sciences; The Franklin Institute, Sigma Xi; the National Research Council; and a number of honorary and professional fraternities. His publications of the Chemistry of gold, tellurium, and selenium number over sixty, covering a period of twenty-five years. The Industrial and Engineering Chemistry magazine for July makes the statement, "In his chosen field of inorganic chemistry, Professor Lenher occupied a preeminent position. No American chemist has surpassed him in his attainments in this field."

'01—George H. Bonner died in Hot Springs, Arkansas, May 28. He was born November 13, 1873, in Indiana County, Pennsylvania, and attended Dickinson Preparatory School. Following his graduation he taught in the High Schools of Braddock, Pa., and Homestead, Pa. He was one of Dickinson's outstanding football stars. He studied law beginning in 1904 later taking up the practice of law in Pittsburgh. He was a member of Sigma Chi and Phi Beta Kappa. He is survived by his widow, who resides at 125 Broad St., Newark, N. J.

'02—Just as this number of the magazine went to press, word of the death of Rev. Martin Creighton Flegal on July 16th was received. He was a member of the Central Pennsylvania M. E. Conference. He was born at Lick Run

Mills, Pa., November 2, 1871, and prepared for college at the Clarion Normal School and Dickinson Preparatory School. Upon his graduation from college in 1902, he entered the Methodist ministry and has been affiliated with the Central Pennsylvania Conference until his death.

'08—Francis P. Lamphear died in a New York hospital on May 16th following a thyroid operation. Following ten years' service as Educational Director of the 23rd Street Y. M. C. A. of New York City, he had recently become General Secretary of the Malden, Mass., Y. M. C. A. He had just entered in his duties there when he suffered a nervous breakdown from which he never recovered. He was born in Stockton, N. Y., March 20, 1878, and attended the Buffalo State Normal School. He left College to become active in the Y. M. C. A. work and also served as pastor of the Bellemore, N. Y., M. E. Church. He is survived by his wife who was Miss Nan Scudder of Trenton, N. J.

'23L—William T. Reynolds, attorney of Scranton, Pa., died at the Scranton State Hospital from an attack of acute indigestion suffered while attending the theater. He was 38 years old. While in his Senior year at the Law School he was clerk to the committee on mines and mining of the State Senate. He was a member of Sigma Chi Fraternity, F. & A. M., Junior Order United American Mechanics, B. P. O. E., and the Craftsmen's Club of Scranton. He is survived by his mother, a sister and a brother.

NECROLOGY

Mrs. Emma Hansel Bursk, wife of John S. Bursk, former treasurer of the College and mother of Florence H. Bursk, '05, died at her home in Carlisle following a lingering illness on June 20th. She was 76 years of age. Following services at her late home where President J. H. Morgan officiated, interment was made at Ashland Cemetery.

REPORT OF TREASURER

Annual report of the Treasurer of the General Alumni Association for the year ending June 4, 1927.

RECEIPTS

Balance, June 5, 1926,	\$135.39
Personal Subscription,	50.00
From Uninvested Income, Endowment Fund,	61.58
	\$246.97

EXPENDITURES

Dues in Alumni Secretaries Assn.,	\$ 10.00
November Meeting of Alumni Council,	48.00
Members Mileage to above,	64.83
Ballots and Supplies,	35.48
Tellers Mileage,	7.32
Balance, June 4, 1927,	81.34
	\$246.97

ENDOWMENT FUND

During the current year twenty-two subscriptions of \$40.00 each and twenty-

three subscriptions of \$20.00 each for Life Membership in the Association, or a total of \$1,340.00, which sum has been turned over to the Carlisle Bank & Trust Company, Trustee of the Fund, and invested by it, so far as possible, in 4¼ Liberty Loan Bonds.

Total Number of Life Memberships—78.	
Total principal of Endowment Fund invested,	\$1,581.99
Total principal of Endowment Fund uninvested,	1,115.01
	<u>\$2,697.00</u>

All of which is respectively submitted

J. M. RHEY, TREASURER.

THE DICKINSON ALUMNUS FOR 1926-27

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College Subscribers,	965
Life Members,	79
	<u>1,044</u>
College Total,	1,044
Law Subscribers,	104
	<u>1,148</u>
Total Paid Subscribers,	1,148

RECEIPTS

Cash Balance June 5, 1926,		\$ 366.75
From Dues,	\$2,153.00	
From Advertising,	161.30	
Miscellaneous,80	
	<u>2,315.10</u>	
		\$2,681.85

EXPENDITURES

Mailing Four Numbers,		\$ 52.88
Publication:		
Envelopes,	\$ 70.75	
3500 Copies Vol. 4. No. 1.	599.44	
3500 " No. 2.	507.97	
3000 " No. 3.	335.98	
3125 " No. 4.	314.57	
	<u>\$1,828.71</u>	
Membership Campaigns,	\$170.08	
Refund to Life Membership Fund,	60.00	
Refund to Law Assn. for Dues,	80.00	
Miscellaneous,	66.30	
	<u>\$2,257.97</u>	
Cash Balance June 4, 1927,		423.88

