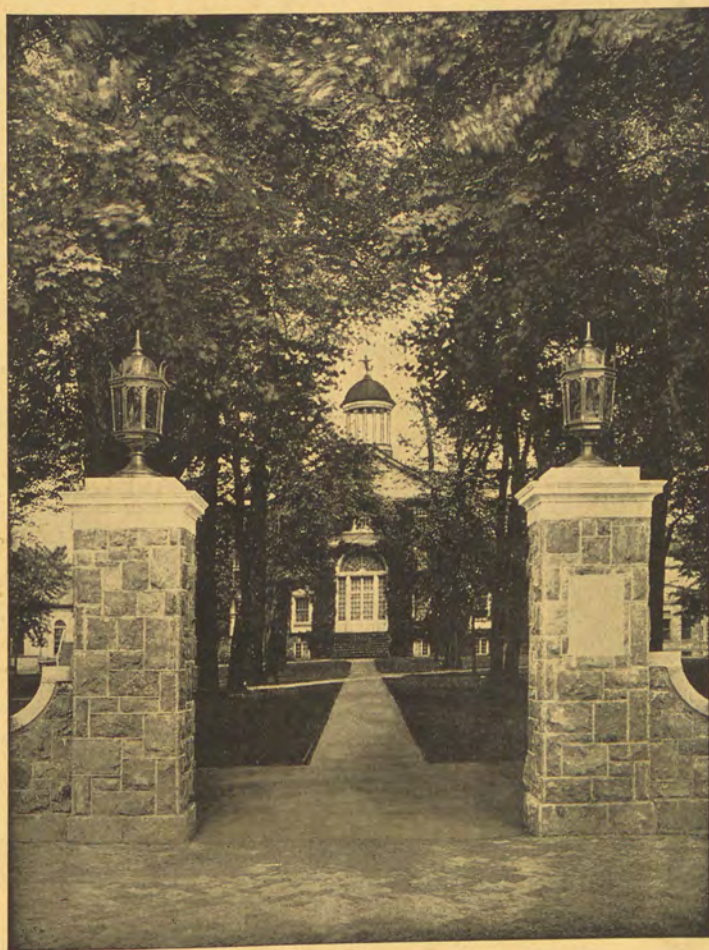


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## Make Many Repairs to College Plant

**E**XTENSIVE alterations and improvements at Metzger Hall, the women's dormitory, were the major work done in the many improvements made to the college plant during the summer. The possibility of doing very much was limited because of the time, as the college buildings were used during the summer vacation for the annual session of the Central Pennsylvania Conference, the Dickinson Summer School and the three day convention of the Knights of Pythias. College workmen also remodelled the former Phi Delta Theta fraternity house which was purchased by the College in June and is to be used by the department of psychology. The addition of several rooms in Denny Hall, some repairs to Tome and the old gymnasium, and Biddle Field, and on the tennis courts.

While Metzger Hall was repaired and painted from cellar to garret, several major repairs were made, principally on the lower floor. A new hardwood floor was laid and all of the pipes which were formerly exposed in the halls and dining room and kitchen were removed. New light fixtures were installed on that floor. In the kitchen a new stove was installed, as well as a combination toaster and broiler, while a new sink, tables and some other kitchen equipment were added. In the scullery new dish washing sinks, tubs and tables were also placed.

New light fixtures were installed in the reception room at Metzger and a drapery purchased from a gift made by the women of the Central Pennsylvania Conference, who stayed there during the convention, was hung in the room. The organ in the girls' social room was rebuilt and put in proper condition.

All of the student rooms were repainted and the floors refinished. All of the mattresses were rebuilt and new covers bought for them. A small type of table-desk and a bridge lamp were provided for each girl living in the Hall.

Only minor repairs were required to adapt the former Phi Delta Theta fraternity house for use as a college building. Plasterers put in two new ceilings and made various repairs in the hall. All of the building was repainted within.

The floors were sanded and refinished and new shades purchased.

Two changes were made in Denny Hall during the summer. One of these provides for the enlargement of the laboratory space used by the department of biology and the other the enlargement of the room used by the women students of the College and especially by those who commute. The latter improvements provided an additional room extending the size of the women's room in the basement to West Street. The space formerly occupied in Denny Hall by the carpenter and painter shop in the northwest corner of the building was used for the enlargement of the biology laboratory. A new concrete floor was laid there and the room properly painted, and new sinks, tables and other equipment installed. The adjacent room, used previously by that department, was repainted and two small student research rooms were built in one corner of the room.

Early in the summer workmen completed repairs to the old gymnasium to make it suitable as a social hall and a meeting room for various organizations of the College. The building was completely painted within and all of the

woodwork painted on the outside. The stove which had been in use at Metzger Hall was moved to the kitchen of the gymnasium and the building was made adaptable for use of banquets and similar functions. The old gymnasium will also be used as a regular meeting room of the band.

Some difficulty having been experienced recently with the outlet of the sinks of the chemical laboratory, new tile terra-cotta drains were placed in the basement of Tome to prevent a recurrence of this trouble. Several laboratory sinks were also added in the chemistry department.

Since the completion of the Alumni

Gymnasium it has become impossible to get the tennis courts back of that building in proper playing condition, though a great deal of work has been done upon them by the college workmen. The courts did not have proper drainage and loam was secured for filling in. It is believed these courts will be in excellent condition early in the fall.

Besides these improvements a new protective covering was placed on the gymnasium floor and necessary repairs were made to the bleachers at Biddle Field.

The main boiler of the central heating plant was relined and all repairs made to put it in excellent condition.

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## Large Entering Class as College Opens

WITH 190 new students, the largest number of new students in any year, college opened for the 149th academic year on September 17 with a total enrollment of 550, the same as last year. Three new students entered the Senior class, six the Junior class, thirteen the Sophomore class and the others the Freshman class.

Three days earlier, the Freshmen reported and spent the time until the formal opening of the year in acquainting themselves with their new surroundings, in conferences with their class dean, college officers and in taking various tests. Evenings were occupied by social activities and a supper was served to all of the new students in the old gymnasium on their second night in Carlisle.

Many students returned to take up residence in new or improved quarters. During the summer, the new Phi Delta Theta Fraternity house was completed and only grading and landscaping remain to be done. The new house is located at Dickinson and West Streets and built at a cost of \$50,000, of native limestone, it is one of the most attractive houses on the campus. The Beta Theta Pi house was renovated at a cost of several thousand dollars and im-

provements were made at several of the other houses. Co-eds returning to Metzger found many improvements in their former abode and additions for their comfort.

Several new faces were to be seen in faculty posts on opening day. Dr. Gerald Barnes, of Flemington, N. J., had been added to the faculty by President Morgan as associate professor of sociology, and in the absence of Dr. G. H. Patterson, Prof. W. H. Norcross was appointed Dean of the Junior Class. J. H. McCormick supplanted P. W. Griffiths as associate professor of physical education and football coach and Miss Janet Sinclair had been made an assistant librarian.

Several of the professor's offices were moved during the summer in the readjustment of using the former Phi Delta Theta house for the Department of Psychology. Prof. Norcross and Associate Professor Thompson moved from Old West to their new quarters there and Prof. C. W. Fink changed from Denny to the vacated space in West. The students also found enlarged laboratory facilities in the department of biology and additional equipment in the chemistry department.

## Enroll Sixty-nine New Students at Law School

WITH sixty-nine new students enrolled, and others likely to be added within a week, the Law School opened for its 97th year September 16 with a total enrollment of 170, which was the same enrollment as that of the last term, Dean W. H. Hitchler announced on opening day when he also announced changes in the faculty.

Sixty-two of the 69 new students are college graduates. Of the remaining seven, two have completed all the work necessary for a college degree, two others will be granted their college degrees upon the completion of one year's work at the Law School, one has completed two years of college work and two have never attended college.

Thirteen of the new students are Dickinson College graduates. One of these is Robert G. Books, '26 former gridiron and diamond star, who has quit teaching and coaching to study law, while another is James K. Nevling, '30, and the remaining eleven from the Class of 1931 are as follows: W. Burg Anstine, Lewellyn R. Bingaman, Henry B. Bishop, Leo F. Dodson, Edwin F. Hann, Harry B. Hogemyer, Jr., Spencer R. Liverant, Edward L. Minnich, Walter Sandercock, John H. Schmidt and Richard Wagner.

Three co-eds in the Junior Class are graduates respectively of Wellesley, Radcliffe and Susquehanna, while among the men students there are graduates of Notre Dame, Princeton, N. Y. U., Pitt, Penn State, Penn, Lehigh, Lafayette, Bucknell, Fordham, V. M. I., Gettysburg, F. & M. and several other colleges.

In making the customary opening day announcements, Dean Hitchler reported that 68 per cent of the Dickinson Law School graduates who took the Pennsylvania State Bar examinations in July were successful.

The resignation of Robert M. Myers, Jr., as a member of the faculty of the Law School and the election of W. Reese Hitchens of Wilmington, Del.,

to the faculty was made. Dean Hitchler announced that Professor Myers had tendered his resignation several days after he announced his candidacy for district attorney of Cumberland County last July, explaining then that his law practice and election campaign would require his entire time. Mr. Myers graduated from the college in 1917 and after his graduation from the Law School taught practice for several years. He is the Democratic nominee for district attorney and will be opposed in general election by F. J. Templeton who graduated from the Law School in 1924.

Professor Joseph P. McKeehan will teach practice in the Law School this year in addition to his other subjects.

Hitchens, the new faculty member, graduated from the College in 1928 and the Law School last June. He will assist in teaching real property and a new course to be known as an introduction to the study of law. He will have general supervision of the law library. Hitchens who is now engaged in the preparation of a new edition of a book on Pennsylvania law, won Phi Beta Kappa recognition while in college and was also active in campus activities. He was president of the senior class, manager of the basketball team in 1927-28 and manager of the Microcosm. He was elected to O.D.K. and was also recognized at Law School last year with election to Woolsack, the most coveted Law School honor. He has had teaching experience, having taught for a year at Wesley Collegiate Institute at Dover, Del.

During the summer a new composition floor was laid in the lobby and main corridors of the first floor of Trickett Hall. The floor is linoleum in an attractive diagonal design, diamond shaped blocks twelve inches square and alternately black and white. The new floor has added beauty and dignity to the spacious corridor and harmonizes with the white woodwork of classical design.

## Judge Biddle Dies Shortly After Resignation

**E**DWARD W. BIDDLE, '70, former judge of the Cumberland County courts and for nineteen years President of the Board of Trustees of the College, died at 11.30 o'clock on the night of July 4, at his home High and College Sts., Carlisle. He was 79 years old.

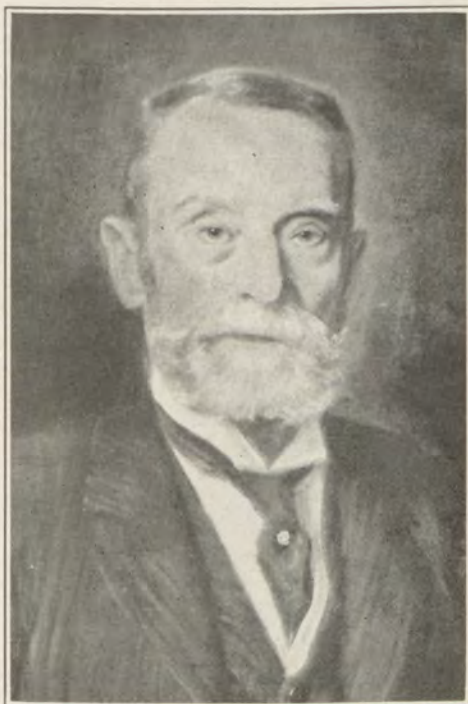
Judge Biddle had been ill for about a year and had resigned his post as President of the Board of Trustees at the annual meeting in June. For some weeks before his death his condition had been serious and two days before his death took a decided turn for the worse.

Born in Carlisle on May 3, 1852, he was the son of Edward M. and Julia Watts Biddle. He attended the Carlisle grammar school and in 1866 entered Dickinson College from which he was graduated in 1870 with the degree of A.B., at the age of 18. Following three years of tutoring under Charles B. Penrose, he was admitted to the Cumberland County bar in 1873, at the age of 21. The same year he received his M.A. degree from the College.

He practiced law in Carlisle until 1895 when he was elected to succeed Judge Wilbur F. Sadler as president judge of the Cumberland County court. He retired upon leaving the bench in 1905, when Judge Sadler was recalled to the bench to succeed him. He became a member of the Board of Trustees of the College in 1898 and in 1912 was named President of the Board.

On February 2, 1882, he married Gertrude D. Bosler, daughter of J. Herman Bosler of Carlisle. He was the father of two children, Herman Bosler Biddle, '03, and Edward Mac-Funn Biddle, '05, now a practicing Philadelphia attorney. It was in honor of his son, Herman, that Judge and Mrs. Biddle presented Biddle Field to the College.

He was a member of the Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity, Phi Beta Kappa fraternity and of U. P. society. For many



HON. EDWARD W. BIDDLE, '70  
PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
1912-1931

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years he had been interested in Cumberland County history, particularly in topics dealing with the town or college. He published judicial opinions of the Court and articles and addresses on local historical subjects.

Two of his most prominent works are "Founders and Founding of Dickinson College," and "The Old College Lot." He also published a small volume on the three signers of the Declaration of Independence who were members of the Cumberland County bar, James Wilson, James Smith and George Ross. Among other publications of his are "The Courts of Cumberland County in the Eighteenth Century" and a brochure, "Governor Joseph Ritner."



He was president of the J. Herman Bosler Memorial Library and of Hamilton Library Association for many years. He was director of the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Baltimore, Maryland.

Funeral services were held from his home on the afternoon of July 7, with the Rev. Dr. Glenn M. Shafer, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, officiating. Burial was made in Ashland Cemetery. The honorary pallbearers were President J. H. Morgan, Dean Montgomery P. Sellers, Professor Wilbur H. Norcross, Judge E. M. Biddle, Jr., J. Montgomery Mahn, General James G. Steese, John M. Rhey and Merkel Landis.

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### Selecting the New President

Progress but no decision has been made by the special committee of the college trustees chosen to select the late President Filler's successor. Starting with a prospect list of approximately fifty, the committee by a series of meetings held in Philadelphia and New York during the summer has whittled the list down to a handful of possibilities.

The committee, it is understood, feels under no pressure to act hastily in view of the fact that Acting President Morgan has given assurances that he is ready to serve until a new President has been chosen. At the same time the committee takes the position that the quicker the office can be filled the more desirable will be the situation.

Members of the committee, obviously are not discussing personalities outside their conferences. It is known, however, that the entire country has been canvassed by the committee in search of the right man for the office. In this list are a number of distinguished and successful executives.

How close to a final decision the committee is, its members naturally decline to reveal, though they admit that the time for final selection is not remote.

### Makes Bequest to College

The will which was probated in July of Judge Edward W. Biddle, '70, former president of the board of trustees, made a bequest of \$4,000 to the Dickinson College Library Guild. Throughout his life the Judge had been intensely interested in the welfare of the college library and his bequest will be added to the permanent endowment fund as a memorial to him.

He also made a bequest of \$6,000 to the J. Herman Bosler Library of Carlisle, of which he was president; \$1,000 to the Hamilton Library Association of Carlisle, of which he was also president; and \$1,000 to the Second Presbyterian Church of which he was a member.

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### Select New Bucknell Head

Announcement was made in June by the board of trustees of Bucknell University of the election of Dr. Homer P. Rainey, president of Franklin College, Franklin, Ind., to the presidency. He succeeds Dr. Emory William Hunt who retired as president of the University in June, and enters his new duties in the Fall.

The new Bucknell head who has been president of Franklin for four years attracted wide attention at the time of his election to the presidency of the Indiana School because he was then the youngest college president in this country.

Dr. Rainey was born in Clarksville, Texas in 1896 and graduated from Austin College where he taught for three years. He then attended the University of Chicago where he received his master's degree in 1924. A year later he went to the University of Oregon where he was a member of the Faculty until 1927, when he was named president of Franklin. He is prominent as an educational lecturer and a writer on public school financial administration.

## Elect Boyd Lee Spahr President of Trustees

**B**OYD LEE SPAHR, '00, for the past three years president of the General Alumni Association, a trustee of the College and member of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees for some years, was elected president of the Trustees to succeed Hon. Edward W. Biddle at the annual meeting in the McCauley Room on June 5th. In the absence of Judge Biddle, L. T. Appold, vice-president, presided. Twenty-four members of the Board were present.

At the outset of the meeting, Judge E. M. Biddle, Jr. presented a letter from Hon. E. W. Biddle which was read by the secretary. It contained the resignation of Judge Biddle who had served as president of the Trustees for nineteen years. By later action a committee was appointed to call on Judge Biddle and tender him an expression of appreciation of the Trustees for his services, as well as to prepare formal resolutions to be placed in the minutes.

The Committee on Trustees presented the names of G. H. Baker, W. J. Couse, Dean Hoffman, L. W. Johnson, Bishop W. F. McDowell, Andrew H. Phelps and General J. G. Steese for reelection to the class of 1935. Dr. J. H. Morgan and Raphael S. Hays were also elected to the term expiring in 1935. Other officers elected by the Trustees were L. T. Appold, vice-president, Dr. E. R. Heckman, secretary, Gilbert Malcolm, treasurer, and Bertha S. Hoffman, assistant treasurer.

Two significant actions were taken by the Trustees which included modification of previous action by the Board to authorize the President to receive 150 female students for the coming college year and that Metzger Hall be filled, and increases in salaries to associate professors and instructors of the Faculty. A year ago the salaries of full professors was raised and at the June meeting other salaries were increased. Instructors C. R. Walter Thomas and Russel



BOYD LEE SPAHR, '00  
PRESIDENT OF THE TRUSTEES

I. Thompson were advanced to associate professors in their respective departments.

A tentative program for the sesquicentennial to be held in October, 1933 was suggested by L. T. Appold, chairman of the committee. His suggestions met with the approval of the Board and he was continued as chairman. Progress was reported by committees on retiring allowances and sabbatical year, while Mr. Spahr, chairman of the committee on presidency also reported progress.

Appropriate action to provide for the purchase of the Phi Delta Theta fraternity chapter house was taken by the Trustees and authorization given to the legal representatives to complete the transfer of title.

By action of the Trustees a bequest of \$10,000, received during the year from Miss Mary Wright of Philadelphia, and a bequest of \$1,000 from the estate of Dr. J. Warren Harper, were

added to the permanent endowment fund of the College.

A motion was adopted, providing that no changes on the campus except for replacement shall be made in the future except with the approval of the Trustees or the Executive Committee. This will mean that any proposal for the erection of class gifts on the campus must first be approved by the Trustees.

Proper action was taken by the Trustees in many routine matters, such as the granting of degrees, and the authorization of various officers to carry out the wishes of the Board.

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### Appoints Trustee Committees

President Boyd Lee Spahr of the Trustees has announced the appointment of four standing committees and five special committees.

The Executive Committee he named is as follows: L. T. Appold, Paul Appenzellar, Judge E. M. Biddle, Jr., J. H. Caldwell, Rev. Dr. John R. Edwards, Merkel Landis, J. M. Rhey, R. F. Rich, Bishop E. G. Richardson and C. H. Ruhl.

The Committee on Trustees: Judge E. M. Biddle, Jr., chairman, Rev. J. W. Colona, M. J. Haldeman, Dr. J. H. Morgan and Ruby R. Vale.

The Committee on Investments: L. T. Appold, chairman; Paul Appenzellar, J. Henry Baker, W. J. Couse and J. M. Rhey.

The Committee on Grounds and Buildings: Raphael Hays, chairman; Dean M. Hoffman, and Robert Y. Stuart.

The Committee on Sabbatical Year: L. W. Johnson, J. H. Caldwell, H. Walter Gill, Rev. Dr. E. R. Heckman and Ruby R. Vale.

The Committee on 150th Anniversary: L. T. Appold, chairman; Lewis M. Bacon, Rev. Heckman and Bishop W. F. McDowell.

The Committee on Retiring Allowances of Professors: Paul Appenzellar,

chairman; H. Walter Gill and M. J. Haldeman.

Two special committees authorized in the June meeting of the Trustees were named as follows: Trustees on Metzger Agreement, Dr. J. H. Morgan, chairman; Judge E. M. Biddle, Jr., and S. Walter Stauffer and Committee on Survey: Dean M. Hoffman, Dr. Morgan, ex officio and B. L. Spahr, ex officio.

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### Receives Unique Honor

A rare honor was conferred upon a youthful graduate of the college and one of the youngest professors of Princeton University when the Class of 1931 of the New Jersey institution voted Dr. Alpheus T. Mason "The Most Inspiring Teacher" on the faculty and dedicated their year book to him. Dr. Mason graduated from Dickinson in 1920 and is professor of politics at Princeton.

The dedicatory page of the year book reads: "To Alpheus Thomas Mason, A.M., Ph.D. A man who has successfully combined those qualities so essential for an eminent educator: An inspiring teacher, a brilliant lecturer, and a talented research scholar, and a man whose willing assistance and friendly personality have been ever a source of invaluable and pleasurable aid, we, the Class of 1931, dedicate this our Year Book."

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### Tablet to Dickinsonian

A bronze table in memory of Capt. Henry M. Stine, '86 has been unveiled by Harrisburg Post of the American Legion, whose home in Front Street, the post occupies. The inscription on the table reads:

"In Memory of Capt. Henry M. Stine, 1862-1925. Veteran, Spanish-American and World Wars, Patriot, Public Official, Legionnaire. Former Owner and Occupant of This Home. "Erected by Harrisburg Post, No. 27, American Legion."

## Harry L. Price Heads General Alumni Association

**H**ARRY L. PRICE, '96, attorney of Baltimore, Md., was elected President of The General Alumni Association at the annual meeting of the Alumni Council held at commencement. Announcement had been made at the meeting of The General Alumni Association held previously that Mr. Price had been one of the five nominees elected to the Council in the annual mail election. He succeeds Boyd Lee Spahr as president of the Association.

Following his election as President of the Board of Trustees, Mr. Spahr resigned as President of The General Alumni Association at the annual meeting of the Council and also as a member of the Council. William M. Curry, '93, of Scranton, Pa., was elected by the Council to fill out his unexpired term as a member of the Council.

Harry E. McWhinney, '08, attorney of Pittsburgh, Pa., was elected vice-president of the Association, while S. Walter Stauffer was reelected secretary and Dr. Harry B. Stock was reelected treasurer. The fall meeting of the Council was scheduled for Friday of Homecoming Week and a luncheon with the Faculty will also be held.

In the annual meeting of the Alumni Association announcement was made that S. Walter Stauffer had been elected alumni trustee in the annual mail election. Professor C. J. Carver, chairman of the tellers who made the report, also stated the election of the Council had resulted in the naming of the following for terms to expire in 1934: Dr. W. Blair Stewart, '87, Atlantic City; Harry L. Price, '96, Baltimore, Md.; F. B. Sellers, '97, Carlisle, Pa.; S. Walter Stauffer, '12, York, Pa., and David W. Wallace, '15, Harrisburg, Pa.

In making his annual report to the alumni, President Spahr paid a glowing tribute to Dr. Filler and outlined the activities of the Association. He spoke



HARRY L. PRICE, '96  
FOURTH PRESIDENT OF THE GENERAL  
ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

of the growth in the roll of life members, the work of the Committee on Athletic Relations and its recommendations, and of the fine attendances at all alumni club dinners held during the year. He recited the formation of two new clubs during the year, one in Trenton, N. J., and one in San Francisco, Cal. and declared that all of these activities visibly portrayed the work of the Association and the greatly increased interest among the alumni.

Reports were made by the Treasurer, Dr. Stock, and the editor of *THE DICKINSON ALUMNUS*.

There was some discussion concerning the type of ballots used in the annual mail election, and a motion was

adopted that these ballots should contain some information concerning the candidate. The matter was referred to the Alumni Council for further action and will be taken up by the Council in the annual fall meeting.

### Plan Bigger Homecoming

Looking forward to the celebration of the sesqui-centennial in the fall of 1933, officers of the Alumni Council plan to place greater stress on the Homecoming program for this and next year. Friday, November 6 and Saturday, November 7 have been slated as the dates for this year's celebration.

The Homecoming program will open as it did last year, with a luncheon tendered by the Alumni Council to the professors of the faculty in the Molly Pitcher Hotel on Friday, November 6, and the annual meeting of the Council will be held that afternoon. In the evening there will be an elaborate pep meeting in Bosler Hall and some social event which will be announced later will be held.

The annual Dickinson-Gettysburg football game will be played on Biddle Field on Saturday afternoon, November 7, at 2 o'clock and will be the big event of the Homecoming program. In the morning of that day there will be special chapel exercises and several speakers will participate. The custom in the past has been to invite Dickinsonians with sons in the College to speak for each of the classes of the College and a representative of the Alumni Council also addresses the student body. After the game some of the fraternities will hold dinners and there will be social events in the evening. Full announcement of the program will be sent out at a later date, and opportunity given for the reservation of seats for the football game. Alumni desiring seats for this contest are urged to send in their requests just as early as possible, because there is always a capacity crowd at the Homecoming game and available reserved seats are limited.

### TWO MORE LIFERS

Albert Berkey, '22, of Bolivar, Pa. and Moredeen Plough, '27, of Carlisle became life members in the General Alumni Association in July. This raised the total number of life members to 123 and continued the record made since the first announcement of life membership. No number of The Dickinson Alumnus has ever appeared since the honor roll started which did not contain announcement of the addition of one or more life members.

Plough is the first member of the class of 1927 to become a "Lifer," while Berkey is the second member of his class.

### Quite a Day for Carl

Yesterday was an eventful day in the family of Carl B. Shelley, lawyer, who resides at Steelton.

Mrs. Shelley was taken to the Harrisburg Hospital at 3.30 o'clock yesterday morning. Two baby girls were born to her shortly after 5 o'clock yesterday morning.

Shelley was admitted to the hospital at 2.25 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and within a few hours underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Shelley and the babies were doing nicely last night, when the condition of Shelley was fair.

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### Receives Doctor's Degree

George R. Stephens, associate professor of English Literature, received his degree of Doctor of Philosophy at the 175th annual commencement exercises at the University of Pennsylvania in June. He is a graduate of Princeton University. In addition to his faculty duties, he is coach of the soccer team.

## Brighter Football Prospects Under New Coach

**F**ORTY candidates reported for football practice on Biddle Field to a new coaching staff three days before the opening of college on September 14, and started the campaign in a new spirit which indicated a brighter season ahead. Joseph H. McCormick assumed his duties on September 1 as associate professor in the department of physical education and head coach of football.

McCormick will have a difficult task of developing a strong team as he will be faced by a scarcity of line material, though he will have a number of good backs. The sophomores will likely predominate in the make-up of the eleven, although several "D" men reported for their old positions.

Graduation and scholastic losses dealt heavy blows and last year's strong sophomore guards, Weidner and Green, have transferred to Lehigh to take engineering there. McCormick will have to build the whole center of the line anew, for Shotwell, last year's freshman star center, left college at the end of the first semester and last year's varsity men were graduated. Zeising who was ineligible last year will probably be seen at one of the tackle posts, and Ted Eichhorn, former scrappy guard, or Ben James from last year's frosh team, will probably play center. Daughtery, Farr, Hildenberger and Joe Myers will be among the candidates for the line positions.

Red Williams will doubtless hold down one of the wings in his senior year, while at the other end Chris Spahr, Vivadelli and Hansel will likely see action.

Edward W. Johnson, captain of the team, will probably be at quarterback, with Eddie Dick at full back and Hughes, both of last year's frosh at one of the halves, with Joe Lipinski and Kennedy, both fleet of foot, alternating at the other half.

Announcement will probably be made shortly of the appointment of George

W. Bogar, last year's Princeton University quarterback, as assistant coach. Professor F. E. Craver, R. H. MacAndrews and Jack Snyder are also assisting McCormick.

Under the conference rules no pre-season training could be planned, but the team had two daily workouts until college opened, which gives but three weeks of practice before the opening game to be played with Juniata on Biddle Field, October 3. Eight strenuous conflicts make up the schedule for the season, which continues in games each Saturday with Ursinus at Collegeville, October 10, Penn State at State College, October 17, P. M. C. in Carlisle on October 24, Swarthmore at Swarthmore on October 31, the Homecoming game with Gettysburg at Biddle Field on November 7 and the annual battle with F. & M. at Lancaster on November 14, and the final game of the season with Muhlenberg at Allentown on November 21.

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### Wins Legion Monthly Prize

James E. Spitznas, '15, of Frostburg, Md., won the third prize of \$200 in The American Legion Monthly \$2,000 achievement contest, according to announcement made in the September issue. There were 2,198 manuscripts entered in the contest.

His prize winning essay was as follows:

"The Secretary of War and the Army officers were amazed. Selecting indiscriminately from ten piles of parts, Eli Whitney put together ten muskets. Thus the inventor of the cotton gin gave to America the idea of the standardization of parts, the principal which is at the bottom of all large scale production. The cotton gin foresaw the rise and fall of a kingdom, but the idea of standardization foreshadowed richer living for the masses."

## Grant Ailing Professor Leave of Absence

**D**R. GAYLORD H. PATTERSON, professor of economics and sociology and dean of the junior class, has been granted a leave of absence by President Morgan because of his ill health. Recurring attacks of asthma have made great inroads on his physical strength and make it essential for him to take a period of rest.

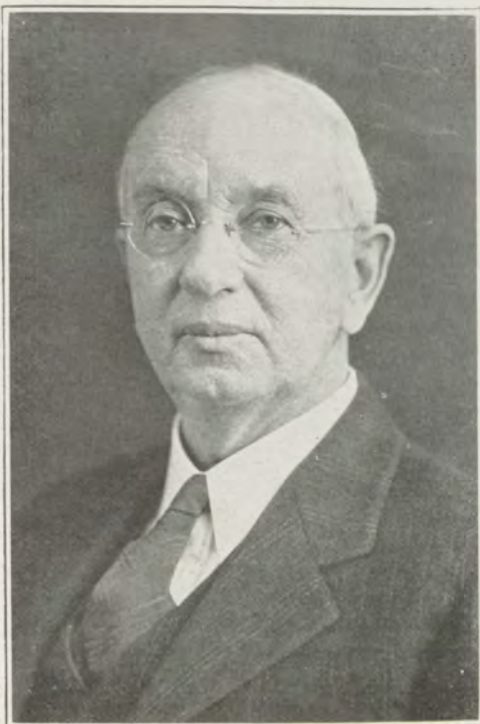
Dr. Patterson has been in poor health for the past year, but refused to give up his college work until the close of the term last June. His condition became worse while on a subsequent trip to Washington and after his return to Carlisle he was confined to his home through most of the summer, because of recurrent illness.

On the advice of his physician, Dr. Patterson accompanied with Mrs. Patterson, plans to spend much of the coming fall and winter in the South, probably in North Carolina or Florida.

Dr. W. H. Norcross, professor of psychology, has been appointed dean of the junior class and Dr. Gerald Barnes has been named associate professor of sociology and will take over much of Professor Patterson's classroom work.

Dr. Patterson became professor of economics and sociology in the College in 1915 and has been dean of the junior class since 1928. He received his bachelor degree from Ohio Wesleyan University in 1888 and his A.M. from Harvard in 1893, and his Ph.D. from Yale in 1890. He was also a fellow in Harvard University and the University of Wisconsin and studied at Allegheny College and Boston University.

Dr. Patterson was professor of history and economics at Williamette University, from 1907 to 1910, and professor of social science there from 1910 to 1914. He is a member of the American Sociological Society and the author of "The Social Significance of the Heaven and Hell of Islam," and "The Chief Aim of High School Education."



PROF. G. H. PATTERSON

## Law School to Get Four Portraits

Four portraits, each the work of Miss Fletcher an artist of Richmond, Va., will be presented to the Law School by Dr. Horace T. Sadler of Carlisle early in the fall. Dr. Sadler was elected to the Board of Incorporators at the annual meeting in June.

Three of the portraits are of members of the Sadler family, and the fourth of the late Dean William Trickett. One is that of the late Judge Wilbur F. Sadler, father of Dr. Sadler, who with Dean Trickett founded the Law School as it is today. The others are of the late brothers of Dr. Sadler, both alumni of the school and long identified with its welfare, Justice S. B. Sadler and the Hon. Lewis S. Sadler.

## Commencement Attendance Sets New Record

**I**DEAL weather, the presence of distinguished men, and ever widening interest in the welfare of the college, a gala program combined to bring more alumni and visitors back for the 148th Commencement held from June 4 to June 8 than in any other year. Annually the number of returning alumni increases though enthusiastic action for the presence of reunion classes had been deadened this year through the losses sustained by the college in a few months before Commencement. This was reflected in the comparative failure of the Alumni Parade and an undercurrent note of sadness even in the midst of Commencement gayety.

Few costumed classes were seen in the Alumni Parade, but the feature provided by the 20th reunion class of 1911 drew the spotlight and made the event interesting. A burlesque Dickinson-Gettysburg football game was staged by the 1911 delegation at Biddle Field after the warriors headed the parade appropriately clad in the football togs of the rival schools. Frank Masland, '18, filled the dual role of grand marshal of the parade and hero of the football game by riding a steed of ancient vintage and in the game catching a forward pass in a peach basket and making a somewhat interrupted and hesitant gallop for the winning touchdown.

As part of the program of the Alumni Luncheon, the Class of 1893 presented an oil portrait of their classmate the late President Mervin G. Filler to the College. Judge Carl Foster, of Bridgeport, Conn., made the presentation address. The portrait has since been placed in the President's gallery in Old West.

Plans for the reunions of classes to be held at forthcoming Commencements and schemes for bringing tangible gifts were made by several groups in various meetings. The Class of 1911 held a hilarious reunion and at the class dinner on Baccalaureate Sunday made definite plans for raising a sum of money for a

future gift. At the same time, the Class of 1926 tackled the same problem and began to look forward definitely to the future.

Considerable improvement in the Alumni Luncheon was experienced when the new amplifiers were used to broadcast the speeches of returning grads. Rev. E. F. Hann made a live-wire toastmaster and filled the difficult task of ringmaster assigned to the 30th reunion class in a professional manner.

One of the features of the Alumni Luncheon was the presentation of a portrait of Chancellor Daniel Moore Pates, '39, of the State of Delaware by his grandson, D. M. Bates, of Philadelphia.

A masterful baccalaureate sermon was preached by the Rt. Rev. James Edward Freeman, Bishop of Washington. Many declared it to be the finest baccalaureate sermon they had ever heard, and similar praise was heard on Monday morning when Justice Owen J. Roberts of the U. S. Supreme Court, delivered a stirring Commencement address.

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### The Name of Dickinson

That many alumni are interested in etymology was clearly demonstrated when a score sent in clippings or copies of an article which apparently appeared in a number of newspapers recently to the editors of this magazine. The item told the story of the derivation of the name of Dickinson.

Many other alumni will be interested in the account "Who Are You?" which appeared in the Philadelphia *Public Ledger* and was written as the "Romance of Your Name" by Ruby Haskins Ellis. It reads as follows:

This name, Dickinson, is classified as a French local name, being the name of the town Caen, France. One who lived there, known by the Christian name of Walter, moved to Yorkshire, England, and was referred to as Walter de Caen,





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meaning simply Walter of Caen. In the course of human events, when Walter's son had to be designated in some way, he was called "de Caen's son," Dickenson naturally being the final outcome.

Walter de Caen was one of the knights in the train of the Conqueror and for his faithful service to his leader was granted the manor which he called Kenson, in Yorkshire. It was not until 1430 that the spelling was changed from Dickenson to Dickinson.

Nathaniel Dickinson was a Pilgrim who came to this country in Governor Winthrop's fleet and settled in Wethersfield, Conn. Another immigrant to New England, representing this family, was Obadiah Dickinson, of Hartford, Conn.

In Pennsylvania, Maryland and Virginia there were a number of early arrivals by this name.

Among the Dickinsons who served in the American Revolution, were Sergeant Joseph and Captain Joel, of Connecticut. Lieutenant Sylvanus, of New York; Major General Philemon and Captain Peter, of New Jersey; Brigadier General John, of Pennsylvania; Captain Edmund, of Virginia, and Lieutenant Benjamin, of South Carolina.

John Dickinson, the "Pennsylvania Farmer," as he was called, was a delegate to the General Congress of 1765. He drafted resolutions passed by this Congress, and to him is accredited the phrase "no taxation without representation" in the bitter contest with England. In 1768, he published his famous "Letters to the Inhabitants of the British Colonies by the Pennsylvania Farmer." In 1783, he was Governor of Pennsylvania. Dickinson College, the second in the State, was named for him.

## EDITORIAL

### Homecoming Day

**J**UST as it develops in other institutions so is Homecoming Day, the fall reunion of alumni, developing at Dickinson. The custom is not very old at Carlisle, but each year has been marked by a larger return of graduates and friends and by a more pretentious program.

This year's event is set for November 6 and 7. Formally it covers two days, the Saturday of the Dickinson-Gettysburg football game and the afternoon and evening preceding it. The schedule of events includes among other things the Alumni Council luncheon in honor of the faculty, a meeting of the Council, itself, a "pep" meeting in chapel, a special chapel service the morning following dominated by alumni speakers, the game itself and the afterglow or the afterglum as the scoreboard may determine. Running through all these events are fraternity and other informal functions, the greetings of old college mates and reunions of other types.

Some years ago the Alumni Association and the Administration set out to make Commencement an attractive season. They have succeeded tremendously. Every alumnus is delighted with the satisfactions available in the current Commencement programs.

In precisely the same fashion Alumni Homecoming Day is being promoted. More and more graduates are finding a great "kick" in returning to alma mater in the autumn and enjoying its associations. This year the prospects are better than ever for an enjoyable time. Every alumnus, who possibly can, ought to circle the Home Coming dates and resolve to keep them.

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### Two New Pilots

**D**ESTINY during the summer chose new leaders for two of the college's most formidable organizations, the Board of Trustees and the General Alumni Association.

The vacancy as president of the board created by the death of former Judge Edward W. Biddle, '70 has been filled with the election of Boyd Lee Spar, '00, Philadelphia. Harry L. Price, '96, Baltimore, succeeds Mr. Spahr as president of the Alumni Council.

Both presidents come by their titles logically. Both are thoroughgoing Dickinsonians, distinguished in their alumni activities as well as in their careers as lawyers.

Mr. Spahr has carried into his alumni status the same virile interest in college affairs he exhibited as an undergraduate. He has been a member of the board of trustees for a score of years and latterly a member of its executive committee. He is well versed in the history and traditions of the institution and years ago wrote a book on the theme "Dickinson Doings." His interest in the college has been more than sentimental. Alone and in concert with others he has been generous in all college enterprises.

His interest in the administrative side of the college has been matched by his activities in alumni organizations. He has been one of the godfathers of the Dickinson Club of Philadelphia, helping a quarter of a century ago to revive that or-

ganization and to keep it virile. He served it as president. He was in at the birth of the general alumni association, serving on its Council and latterly as its president. He takes over the office as president of the trustees admirably equipped.

Mr. Price is built for the post to which his fellow graduates have assigned him. During all his graduate life he has been active in college alumni affairs in Baltimore. He served the club of that city as president, served a term as Alumni Councillor and steps into the presidency of that body with the experience desirable.

In the leadership of Mr. Spahr and Mr. Price, Dickinsonians have been fortunate.

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## A Fine Dickinsonian

**T**HE death of Judge Edward W. Biddle, '70, president of the board of trustees for many years and a distinguished alumnus, is a loss to the college of large dimensions. With it came sorrow for all who knew the man or something of the great things he wrought for the institution he loved with an endlessness and a tenderness that were unique and impressive.

None who love the old college could be familiar with Judge Biddle's devotion to it without loving it more. He was a striking example of a man in high station who finds time, means and satisfaction in service to alma mater.

His outstanding gift to the college was that jointly made by him and Mrs. Biddle, of Biddle Field. This addition to the college plant reflected the interest of the donors in the institution, but Judge Biddle's constant devotion to Dickinson's best interests was a gift of far greater value.

As a son of the college he reflected credit on it. As a lawyer and a judge on the Cumberland County bench, in the social position he occupied in Carlisle and in Philadelphia where he spent his winters and in his historical writings, he measured up to the best traditions of the college.

Father of two Dickinsonian sons, Judge Biddle was himself a thorough Dickinsonian, interested in the welfare of the students and that of the alumni, jealous of the institutions good name, eager to advance its standards still higher, he served admirably as a model of the sort of alumnus Dickinson men should be. The college community could not easily overpay tribute to him.

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## Freshmen Enrollment

**A**N ENROLLMENT of new students in the college of over 190, the largest probably in the history of the institution, and the holding of every inch of ground in the Law School is the gratifying way in which Dickinson meets the business depression this autumn.

This sort of thing is a very happy denouement to the deserved anxieties which college executives shared all over the country and which in some instances did not eventuate so fortunately. Educational institutions which met the emergency as Dickinson has done may well congratulate themselves.

Perhaps it would be hazardous in the absence of all figures to determine just why Dickinson should have outstripped itself in students at the very moment that a decrease in enrollment might have been expected. Many factors might have to be considered, but one thing seems certain, Dickinson was chosen by its matriculants on its merits as an institution of learning.

After all that is what the sons of Dickinson want it to be above all else. The graduates want it to be respectable in other regards. They want representative

athletic teams. They want representative students and forward-looking faculties. They want an adequate physical plant. They want an endowment fund of the right proportions. But above all they want the institution to be and to be known as a place where education is given and taken with the right seriousness and in the correct proportions and where education can be found among its graduates without microscopical tedium.

It is the hope of every Dickinsonian that it is just this thing which explains the gratifying enrollment of entering students this autumn.

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## The Presidential Vacancy

**P**ERHAPS nothing indicates quite so surely the seriousness with which a trustees' committee is seeking a successor to the late President Filler as the time being given to the process. Haste might prove tremendously costly.

It is desirable of course that permanency be injected into the administration of the college as promptly as possible. Perhaps the strongest advocate of this is the acting President, Dr. Morgan, who so graciously has agreed to serve during the interregnum.

Likely the trustees realize this, yet it would be extremely hazardous to be in haste in a matter as important as this. Officered as the institution is today, nobody should become impatient over the necessary time taken to select for the college an executive in every sense worthy of the high honor, and magnificently capable of doing the job.

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## Endowment Gifts

**A**N alert editorial writer of the Middle West has chosen the present industrial depression to emphasize the wisdom of investments in college gifts. He alludes to the fact that during boom times the vast expansion in industrial stocks was accented, though little attention was given to the tremendous expansion that was taking place in college endowments.

The editorial adds:

Figures compiled just recently show that the ten wealthiest colleges and universities in America—excluding the big state and municipal institutions—now have endowment funds totaling more than \$390,000,000. This represents an increase from \$220,000,000 in 1925 and indicates that some, at least, of the gains of the boom area were put away where they could go on working for the welfare of the nation as a whole.

It would, in fact, be difficult to over-estimate the importance of this. The rich men who diverted \$171,000,000 of their profits in the years of prosperity to enrich American educational institutions invested their money very wisely.

Long after the other effects of the "prosperity" years have worn off, this money will still be working, helping to spread the light without which the American democracy cannot survive.

It is very difficult to find fault with this conclusion. A lot of the money that was made during prosperous times has vanished completely and utterly. Its spenders have only regrets. Quite a different reaction comes to those who contributed some of their earnings to college endowments. While the assets of endowment funds may have shrunk as others, the donor of a gift knows that his gift has stuck where he put it and that as the editorial writer observes, "this money will still be working, helping to spread the light without which the American democracy cannot survive."

## Justice Roberts Makes Plea for Greater Culture

**P**LEADING for a more thorough scholarship and a revival of culture in education, Owen J. Roberts, associate justice of the United States Supreme Court, called for intensive rather than extensive training in his masterful Commencement address in June, when he received an honorary degree. High praise for the scope of his address and the value of his message was voiced by his hearers.

But a few days before Commencement, Justice Roberts fell from his horse while riding and carried his arm in a sling under his doctor's gown.

After saluting the members of the graduating class, he strongly and firmly endorsed the college of Dickinson's size because of the opportunity afforded for personal contact between faculty and students.

He contrasted conditions in education today with those of thirty-six years ago when he was graduated from the University of Pennsylvania as valedictorian of the class of 1895. Since then, he said, mass production has crept into education as well as into industry and wherever this condition obtains the advantages of personal contact are lost.

"Whatever may be said for mass production in industry, it must be a priori a failure in education," he declared. "It is the quality of the product and not the amount that is of great importance."

"The principal problem which differentiates colleges of today from the college of 1895 is one of admission," said the speaker. "The recent rapid increase in wealth in the country has resulted in a great influx among institutions of higher learning, often resulting," he said, "in wealth instead of fitness being the entrance qualification."

"Only those who can profit by higher education should be admitted. Indiscriminate admissions result in inequality and injustices to the fit and the unfit.

It is grossly unfair to the unfit to allow them to enter college and have them discover when it is too late they are attempting something for which they are unsuited."

Justice Roberts offered three recommendations: Strengthen education discipline, stress culture and induce more students to interest themselves in governmental affairs.

In urging a strengthening of education discipline he declared that for sometime "we have been going through a period of laissez faire. Too great freedom is allowed students with electives with the result their courses lack coherence and thoroughness and the pattern of their education becomes a crazy quilt."

"The student should do thoroughly whatever he undertakes. It is not how much he attempts but how well he does his work that counts. Intensive rather than extensive study should mark his college career and the range of courses should be narrowed rather than expanded."

Justice Roberts made plain his view that the college's job is to develop character and instill culture. "Engineers are needed as well as qualified men in other fields of industry, but their practical training is a project for the specialized school and not the liberal arts college."

Deploring the "apparent lack of culture of the modern college product," Justice Roberts declared "culture is a way of life, an end in itself." He urged that the college devote its energies to "the impractical, and let the practical receive due attention later on."

He also deplored the fact such a small number of students manifest a real interest in governmental affairs. "More and more the government is falling into the hands of the ignorant with the result the character and tone of government is being correspondingly lowered," he charged.

## Eight Receive Honorary Degrees at Commencement

ONE of the outstanding features of the 148th commencement was the conferring of honorary degrees on eight distinguished men. Three of the eight were Dickinsonians. Prof. C. J. Carver, secretary of the Faculty, called the recipients to the platform where the degrees were conferred by President Morgan and the investiture of hood was made by Dean Sellers.

The three alumni who received degrees were LeRoy McMaster, '01, for the past twenty-five years professor of Chemistry at Washington University, St. Louis, Mo., who was an instructor in the Dickinson department for a time after his graduation; Robert Nelson Spencer, '03, of Kansas City, who became a Bishop of the Episcopal Church in the Spring and Fred P. Corson, '17, Methodist clergyman of Brooklyn, N. Y. who is a District Superintendent of the New York M. E. Conference.

Justice Owen J. Roberts of the Supreme Court of the United States, delivered a masterful commencement address and received the degree of LL.D. In conferring the degree President Morgan said: "Great and renowned lawyer, of a reputation so free from blemish that even captious senators at a time of great political excitement could find no excuse for withholding approval to your elevation to a seat on the highest final judicial court of the world. Therefore . . ."

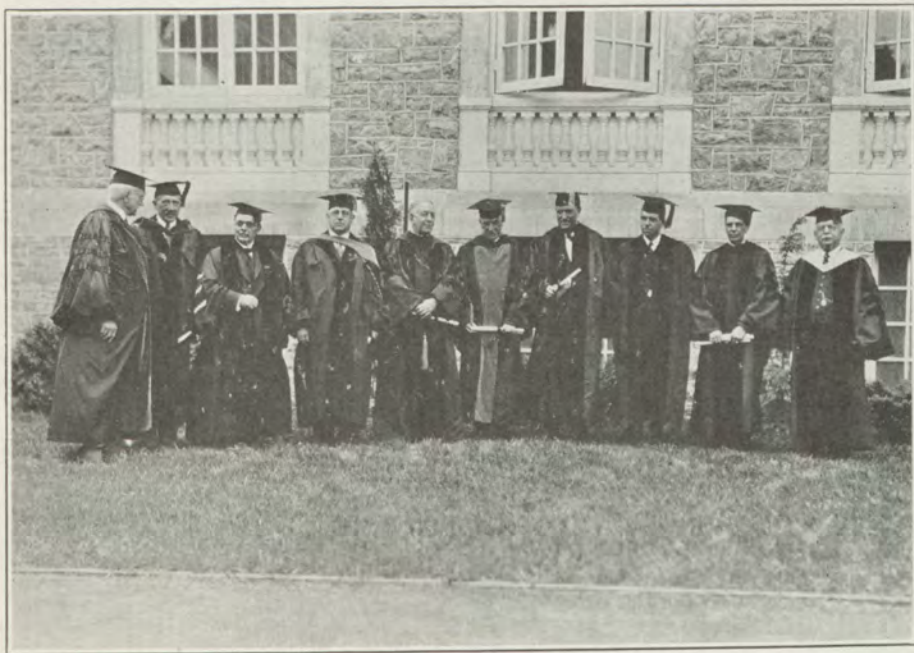
The degree of LL.D. was conferred upon Thomas S. Gates, President of the University of Pennsylvania. In conferring the degree, Dr. Morgan said: "Lawyer, business man, educator, an outstanding member of a class all too few in our country, where men with great liberality give their money, but fail to give themselves to works of uplift. You have turned aside from seductive calls to business opportunities to give yourself as the head of a great educational institution. In recognition of this response to the high call, I therefore . . ."

The Hon. Henry P. Fletcher, former United States Ambassador to Japan, whose home is in Greencastle, received the degree of LL.D. In conferring the degree President Morgan said: "A native of our own quiet Cumberland Valley, trained in our schools, but called to the ends of the earth to represent your country in many capacities to many capitals—Cuba, Chile, China, Mexico, Belgium and Italy, and at home in the State Department, and now chairman of the great Tariff Commission—yours is a shining example of a life given to public service."

Bishop James Edward Freeman of Washington, who preached one of the best baccalaureate sermons ever heard in Allison Church, received the degree of LL.D. In conferring the degree, President Morgan said: "Turning from a business career, with such temptations as would have mastered a weaker man, you have given yourself to the Church and to the great Head of the Church in such service as has won that church's high approval, and at the same time with such catholicity of spirit as has made you the brother of all who follow the Nazarene. In recognition of your great services, on recommendation . . ."

The honorary degree of S.T.D. was conferred upon Rev. Joseph M. M. Gray, pastor of the Central Methodist Church, Detroit, Mich. In conferring the degree, President Morgan said: "Of the breed of the pioneer missionary, early and keenly acquainted with the material privations of the frontier, and yet so responsive to the call of service as to be willing to espouse such sacrifices for yourself, if necessary, to work for humanity, but called in the providence of God and by order of your church to fill great churches in various sections of the country. In recognition of your distinguished service in every field to which you have been called, on recommendation . . ."

Bishop Robert Nelson Spencer, Kan-



## HONORARY DEGREE GROUP

LEFT TO RIGHT: PRESIDENT MORGAN; PRESIDENT THOMAS S. GATES, UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA; REV. JOSEPH M. M. GRAY; PROF. LEROY McMASTER, '01; BISHOP JAMES EDWARD FREEMAN; HON. HENRY P. FLETCHER; JUSTICE OWEN J. ROBERTS; REV. FRED P. CORSON, '17; BISHOP ROBERT NELSON SPENCER, '03 AND DEAN SELLERS

sas City, Mo., member of the Class of 1903, received the degree of Doctor of Divinity. In conferring the degree, Doctor Morgan said: "A son of the College, a devoted minister of the gospel and devoted to its truth. A hater of shams and skillful in exposing them with rapier-like thrusts, recognized by your great Church and called to episcopal leadership. In recognition of your services, on recommendation . . ."

Professor Leroy McMaster, who graduated from the College in 1901 and who is head of the chemistry department at Washington University, St. Louis, Mo., received the degree of Doctor of Science. In conferring the degree, President Morgan said: "A graduate of the College, one-time instructor in its department of chemistry; for a quarter of a century a part of the same department of the great Washington University, and for many years the head of

that department; recently honored in a peculiar way by your fellow-workers in the University on the completion of twenty-five years of service with it, because of your distinguished service, and on recommendation . . ."

Rev. Fred P. Corson, Brooklyn, N. Y., who graduated from the College in 1917, is a District Superintendent of the New York Conference, received the degree of Doctor of Divinity. In conferring the degree, President Morgan said: "One of the younger graduates of the College. You have given yourself faithfully to the ministry and by even these few years of service have shown a developing capacity for big things, so that in the polity of the Church you have been called already to a position of direction in your own great conference. Because of the service you have already rendered and the outlook for yet bigger things, your Alma Mater, on recommendation . . ."

## Earle D. Willey Becomes Judge in Delaware

**D**EPUTY Attorney-General Earle D. Willey, '11, of Dover, Del., was appointed judge of the newly created court of common pleas for Kent County, Delaware, by Governor C. Douglass Buck on July 1st. The new judgeship was created under a bill passed by the 1931 session of the Delaware Legislature.

Judge Willey had been deputy attorney-general of Delaware since 1921, and formerly served as Delaware State Librarian.

Born in Greenwood, Del. July 21, 1889, Judge Willey received his early education there and was graduated from the high school. He received his A.B. degree from Dickinson College in 1911 and the M.A. in 1913. From the fall of 1911 until 1915 Mr. Willey was principal of the Greenwood High School. He then went to Washington as secretary to the then congressman, Thomas W. Miller, and while there

studied law at George Washington University.

In 1917 he returned to Dover and read law in an office there until 1920 when he was admitted to the bar of Delaware, and he opened offices at Dover the same year. In 1921 he was appointed deputy attorney-general and served for ten years, until his appointment to the judgeship.

Judge Willey is a member of the Kent County Bar Association and of the Delaware State Bar Association. He is a member of the Grange and a trustee of the Murphy School for Orphan Children, which is an endowed institution located at Dover. He is a member of the Phi Kappa Psi and Delta Theta Chi fraternities and of the Odd Fellows.

He was married August 12, 1917 to Agnes Gibson of Greenwood, Del. She is now the Delaware State Librarian. They reside on a small farm about a mile east of Dover.

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### General Conference Delegates

Three of the six delegates to the Quadrennial General Conference of the M. E. Church to be held next May in Atlantic City, elected by the Central Pennsylvania Conference at its annual session in June, are Dickinsonians.

Rev. Dr. J. Edgar Skillington, '05, Superintendent of the Altoona District, who will head the delegation for the third successive time, was elected on the first ballot of the Conference by an unprecedented vote of 183 ballots. Dr. M. E. Swartz, '89, of the Sunbury District and Rev. E. R. Heckman, '97, pastor of Allison Church, Carlisle, were also named as delegates.

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### 9,956 Receive Degrees in State

Reports received in June in the Department of Public Instruction of Pennsylvania showed that 9,956 young men

and women were graduated from accredited Pennsylvania degree granting institutions at the June commencement.

Dickinson graduated 124. At some of the other institutions of the State the number of the graduates was as follows: Allegheny, 113; Bucknell, 241; Franklin and Marshall, 147; Gettysburg, 122; Haverford, 58; Lafayette, 198; Lehigh, 268; Muhlenberg, 102; Penn State, 729; Swarthmore, 130; Ursinus, 105; and Villanova, 211.

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### Establishes Conscience Fund

The first contribution to any college conscience fund arrived when an envelope addressed to Dickinson College, bearing a Wilkes-Barre postmark of Sept. 3 was found to contain a fifty cent piece wrapped in quarter page of a newspaper of the coal region city and a simple not reading "For the Athletic Assn. for sneaking in a game."



### Joins College Faculty

Dr. Gerald Barnes has been appointed associate professor in the department of sociology in the College and will teach some of the courses which had been offered by Professor Patterson who is on a leave of absence. He is a graduate of Amherst, received his master's degree at the University of Cincinnati and his Ph.D. at the University of Michigan. He is a man of considerable experience and over three years' travel, study and teaching abroad.

Dr. Barnes spent nearly two years in France during the World War and two summers with Sherwood Eddy's seminar and spent a year teaching in the American University at Beirut. He has visited most of the countries of Europe, including Scandinavia and Russia, North Africa, Turkey and the Near East.

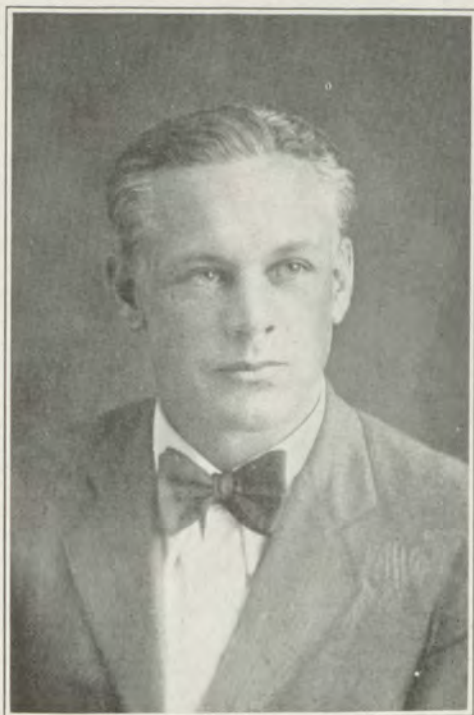
Professor Barnes is a native of New Jersey, and was born in Perth Amboy in 1893. His permanent address is Flemington. He is an athlete and at one time taught physical education in the University of Cincinnati and also in the University of Oregon. Swimming and diving are his hobbies and he has written a book, published by Scribner's, bearing the title "Swimming and Diving." He is also the author of a book, "Reflections of an American in Norway."

He is a member of the American Sociological Society. His wife is a graduate of Vassar.

### Raises Trustee Scholarships

Swamped with requests for aid from incoming students, President Morgan issued an appeal during the late summer to members of the Board of Trustees for a special fund which might be used to assist in financing special cases.

Dr. Morgan pointed out that many of the old students would also need unusual help this year as they had been unable to secure employment during the summer.



DR. GERALD BARNES

### Attend Columbia Session

Many Dickinsonians attended the summer session of Columbia University this year. Those enrolled included Prof. M. M. Stough of the Faculty and the following alumni: Percy L. Vasburgh, '11; Paul Jewells, Sylvan MacHenry, Chas. Warren, Mary Clemens, '25; Clarence Lindeman, LeRoy Greene, Marion Herman, Kathryn Oberholtzer, George Armacost, Dorothy Logan, '26; Merle Keim, Irene Oberholtzer, '27; Dorothy Harpster, Janet Forcey, Lillie Rhoads, Benjamin Nelson, '28; Earle Gunter, Wilbur Zimmerman, Edward Callaway, Violet Williams, Martha Meese, Betsy McCoy, Mary Finley, Warren Templin, Thomas Martin, '29; Frances Comly, Ruth Cain, '30; Fred Brown, '31; Joseph Starinshak, '32.

## College Receives Portrait of Illustrious Alumnus

IN AN appropriate address, Daniel Moore Bates, of Philadelphia, presented an oil portrait of his grandfather, Daniel Moore Bates of the Class of 1839, to the College at the Alumni Luncheon during Commencement. The elder Bates was one of the outstanding early alumni and served as Chancellor of the State of Delaware from 1865 to 1873. Thirty years after his graduation in 1869, the College conferred the honorary degree of LL.D. upon him and for the seventeen years from 1848 to 1865 he was a member of the Board of Trustees. The portrait has been hung in the Dickinsoniana Room in Old West.

An abstract of the "History of Delaware," of which J. Thomas Scharf, LL.D., was the author, was made by Rev. Joseph B. Turner and paints a clear picture of the personal side of Chancellor Bates. In part it reads as follows:

Daniel Moore Bates was born at Laurel, Del., Jan. 28, 1821. He came from a line of pious ancestry, to whom was largely due the nurture and growth of the infant Methodist Church upon this peninsula. Throughout its length and breadth his *grandfather Elzey Moore was known*. Piety and length of days gave him almost saintly repute. His son, the Rev. Jacob Moore, was distinguished by energy, ardent piety and intellectual acumen. With these, unhappily, was combined a frail physique, inherited by the subject of this sketch. In those days a Methodist preacher traveled as ceaselessly as the Apostolic founders of the Church. At a very early age the Rev. Jacob Moore felt the powers of life giving away. His sole anxiety was for his motherless son, then eight years old, the constant companion of his travels. This was relieved by the Hon. Martin W. Bates of Dover, and his wife.

Possessing warm hearts, large hospitality and some means, their home was truly a "Clergy-house" to all who sought its

shelter. Kindly and eagerly this childless couple welcomed the bright, delicate boy to their hearts upon the death of his father. He had been christened Daniel Elzey Moore, but as he grew up he became known by the name of Bates, which was made his legal name by act as Assembly, and to the end of their lives he gave to his adopted parents the deepest filial devotion, counting any sacrifice light which enabled him to be with them, ministering aid and comfort to their declining years. For this end he left Wilmington in 1868, where he had been many years established, and did not quit Dover till the end of his father's life. This devotion was only the natural result of that bestowed upon the adopted son. Encouraged by his intellectual promise and won by his sweetness of disposition, the adopted parents resolved to give him every advantage.

He entered Dickinson College, at the early age of fourteen, graduating thence in 1839. After studying law in Dover he was admitted to the bar three years later, and, as the partner of his father, plunged at once into active practice of his profession.

November 7, 1844, he married Margaret Handy, of Snow Hill, Md., and adopted daughter of her uncle, the late George Handy, of Philadelphia.

So thoroughly assured was his professional standing that, during the period of his active professional life, he appeared in most of the important cases tried in his own county and in the large majority of those from all the counties in the Court of Errors and Appeals.

For four years, from January, 1847, Mr. Bates was Secretary of State, during which time, in 1849, he removed to Wilmington. Though conscientiously discharging the duties of this office, he was, above all things, a lawyer.

In 1849, by resolution of the General Assembly, passed February 28th of that year, he, with the late Chancellor Harrington and the present Chief Justice Comegys, formed a commission to

revise and codify the laws of the State. Of this trust the three jurists acquitted themselves in such manner as to bestow a lasting benefit upon their State and confirm their own legal reputation.

In 1852 Mr. Bates was appointed by President Pierce United States district attorney for Delaware, which office, by reappointment of President Buchanan, he held till the close of his administration. He served as one of the five commissioners sent from Delaware to the Peace Congress at Washington, which, at its outset, sought to avert our Civil War. From this body he was chosen one of the committee of nine to prepare the plan of readjustment submitted to Congress.

In 1865, upon the death of Chancellor Harrington, he was found to be the unanimous choice of the bar of the State as his successor. He was accordingly appointed without demur by Governor Saulsbury, and more than fulfilled the high expectations formed upon his entrance to office.

He returned to Wilmington after the death of his father, in 1869. In October of that year Mrs. Bates died, leaving four children, all of whom still survive. One son had died in infancy. In 1873, the chancellor's rapidly-failing health caused serious alarm. By the imperative advice of his physicians, he resigned his office and went to Europe with his family. For the first time in over thirty years, his mind was free from professional cares and at liberty to seek its own gratifications. It eagerly sought recreation when physical strength permitted, in the best in art and nature which the Old World offered, constantly preparing for fuller enjoyment by assiduous reading. His travels in Hungary were particularly delightful, and his letters from Italy were singularly interesting and reflected the keen intellectual enjoyment which he derived from his sojourn among the masterpieces of art in that country. He returned in the fall of 1875, so benefitted, as his friends hoped, that a fuller and

stronger life lay before him than he had hitherto enjoyed. For a time this was realized. Disdaining idleness, when not enforced, he set about collecting the Chancery Reports of Delaware, till then existing only in mouldering, fragmentary manuscripts. He published two volumes, bringing the decisions up to his own time.

Feeling continued improvement in health and scarcely beyond a man's prime, in 1877, he partially returned to the active practice of his profession, purposing rather to be consulting counsel than active advocate in court.

Being called to Richmond for the argument of an important case in March, 1879, he left home in his usual health, which apparently continued for two weeks, but being taken suddenly ill, he died there on Friday, the 28th of the month. The sense of loss was expressed by the press throughout, and even beyond the State, by its bench and bar, and by personal friends in touchingly sincere tributes of unfeigned sorrow. He was a loss to the church, of which he had been a faultless unswerving member from early childhood. His piety took root in the very fibres of his being. It was gentle, liberal, enlightened. Its only suspicion of lack of charity, its sole rigidity, was directed toward himself. In 1872, he represented Wilmington Conference in the General Convention at Brooklyn. The Delaware Bible Society missed his generous, cordial support, while the Delaware Historical Society lost in him its president, he having succeeded the venerable Judge Hall in both offices. Many young men who studied law in his office looked to him as a safe mentor, whose wise counsels insured their success. His interest in the younger members of the bar was strikingly illustrated in a remark made by him on one occasion upon leaving the bench. After hearing an argument by a very young lawyer he said: "Nothing makes me so happy as to see the young men doing well."

## PERSONALS

**1882**

L. T. Appold spent the month of July at Haddon Hall, Atlantic City.

**1886**

Judge E. M. Biddle, Jr., judge of Cumberland County, is seeking reelection. He is unopposed for the Democratic nomination and will be opposed at the general election by Fred S. Reese of the Law School faculty who is the only Republican candidate.

**1891**

Marking his 35th anniversary as pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church of Carlisle, Rev. Dr. Harry B. Stock was granted a two months' leave of absence by the congregation and was presented with a check for \$100.00. The anniversary program was held in June.

**1892**

Charles C. Greer, prominent attorney of Johnstown, Pa., is a candidate for the office of judge of Cambria County at the Republican primaries to be held on September 15th.

The Rev. Dr. J. H. Price, whose last charge in the ministry was the Ridge Ave. Methodist Church, Harrisburg, has retired. Prior to his leaving for Reading where he will reside, his congregation tendered him a reception. He has been succeeded by the Rev. Resler Shultz, '26, of Tilton, N. H.

**1894**

Mr. and Mrs. C. Grant Cleaver and family left in August for a motor trip to Cape Girardeau, Missouri to visit Mrs. Cleaver's brother, Benson C. Hardesty, '01, and family.

**1895**

Rev. Lewis Hieb, pastor of the Plymouth Congregational Church of Omaha, Neb., was elected president of the Omaha Ministerial Union in May. He has recently been elected a member of the executive committee of the Omaha Council of Churches.

**1896**

Bishop McDowell has appointed Harry L. Price, president of the General Alumni Association, as the lay delegate from the Baltimore Conference to the Ecumenical Conference at Atlanta, Ga. in October.

**1898**

Dr. Edmund D. Soper, president of Ohio Wesleyan, along with former Attorney General George W. Wickersham, Charles Dana

Gibson, artist, and United States Senator Dwight Morrow of New Jersey, was given a degree by Syracuse University in June.

**1902**

Mr. Edward Anwyll Jones announced the marriage of his sister, Miss Agnes Crowell Jones to E. Garfield Gifford on June 20th, 1931 in South Orange, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Gifford will be at home after October 1st at 132 Connett Place, South Orange.

Ethelyn Hardesty Cleaver was one of the speakers at the national convention banquet of the Pi Beta Phi fraternity at the Berkeley-Carteret Hotel at Asbury Park in June.

Jack Read's philosopher, "Harvey Harding Hardy," continues to brighten the pages of "The Financial Age" one of Wall Street's periodicals.

Raymond T. Hutchinson, for many years manager for Armour & Co. at Worcester, Mass. has organized the firm of Lurier & Hutchinson at 262 Franklin Street, that city.

**1903**

Dr. Daniel P. Ray of Johnstown made a European trip early in the summer.

Dr. Edgar S. Everhart, Harrisburg, has been elected president of the Dauphin County Medical Society.

**1904**

Thomas J. Towers has been recommended by the Queens Co. Bar Association of New York City for Judge of the New York Superior Court.

**1904L**

Frederick L. Fleitz, of Wilkes-Barre, and Adrian Jones, '09L of West Hazleton, have been named members of the Board of Assessment and Appeals of Luzerne County.

It's Judge Gaylord R. Wilcox. For some years he has been judge of the 22nd district of Oklahoma with headquarters at Sapulpa. Three counties compose the district.

Foster E. Heller, President Judge of the Orphans' Court of the Eleventh Judicial District of Pennsylvania, is unopposed for the Republican nomination at the September primary. This is tantamount to election in the Wilkes-Barre district.

**1905**

Anna Jean Spears, '05, executive secretary of the Y. W. C. A. at Lancaster, and her sister, Dr. May Spears of Woman's Hospital, Philadelphia, have taken the Great Lakes trip to Duluth. Dr. Spears will do some work at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn.

**1906**

John M. Buckingham is serving as Baltimore manager of the York Safe & Lock Company.

**1907**

Dr. W. H. Norcross will serve as dean of the junior class during the coming academic year.

**1909**

Dr. C. J. Carver of the college faculty made a 21 day Caribbean trip in August. He was also a delegate to the Phi Beta Kappa convention in Providence, R. I. in September.

Mrs. C. W. Liebensberger has moved from Ruherford, N. J. to 1534 Cohasset Ave., Lakewood, Ohio. Her husband has been an Erie Railroad employe for the past fifteen years and in August 1900 employes of the road were moved to new headquarters in Cleveland.

**1909L**

J. Clarence Funk, Harrisburg, is the new executive secretary of the Pennsylvania Public Health Association. Mr. Funk is also chief of the Bureau of Public Health of the Pennsylvania Department of Health.

Adrian Jones and Frederick Fleitz, '04L, have been named members of the Board of Assessment and Appeals of Luzerne County.

**1911**

The effort to locate Goldie Irene Lease has at last been successful. A letter from her husband who is Sherwood Hodson, a realtor of Homestead, Fla., states they were married November 1, 1919 at the First Presbyterian Church, New York and that they have resided in Homestead for the past seven years. They have three children, Elizabeth, age 7, Thomas Sherwood, 5 and Jannas, 3. Mr. Hodson's father was at one time a trustee of the College, and received the honorary degree of LL.D. from Dickinson.

**1913**

Edgar H. Rue conducted his third group to Europe. He sailed in July and expected to be gone two months.

**1914**

George W. Barnitz has entered the political arena and is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for county commissioner of Cumberland County.

**1916**

Reynolds C. Massey is practicing law in Newark, N. J. and is associated with A. T. Vanderbilt, Esq.

John S. Bickley was appointed chief auditor of the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin and accounting consultant of the

Governor. His address is Nakoma, Madison, Wis.

**1917**

Robert L. Myers, Jr., of Camp Hill, a well known member of the Cumberland County Bar, is the Democratic candidate for the office of district attorney. He will be unopposed for the nomination at the September primaries.

Homer M. Respass has severed his connection as settlement officer with the Title Guarantee & Trust Company, Baltimore, in order to accept an appointment as an executive with the Federal Land Bank of Baltimore.

**1919L**

Thomas F. Frailey has been elected vice-president of the national fraternity of Alpha Chi Rho. Prior to his election he was a member of the national council of the fraternity, and was graduate editor of the fraternity journal. He retains the latter position. He is employed as legal consultant on appeals in the United States Veterans' Bureau. He is a member of the bars of Maryland and District of Columbia and has been admitted to practice before the United States Supreme Court.

**1919**

Rev. Charles Ross Wilhide has recently been made pastor of the Clifton M. E. Church of Cincinnati, Ohio. This church is the one attended by most of the Methodist students at the University of Cincinnati. His new home address is 365 Terrace Ave., Cincinnati.

Robert Paul Masland, Carlisle manufacturer, is the Republican candidate in the third ward of Carlisle for council at the primary election to be held on September 15th.

**1920**

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest C. Douglass announce the birth of a daughter, Lorna, on May 1, 1931, in Parkersburg, W. Va.

R. I. Thompson who has been instructor in the department of psychology was elected an associate professor at the annual meeting of the Trustees in June.

**1921**

Dr. Goodell W. G. Stroup of Harrisburg was married on June 27th to Miss Margaret Elizabeth Gallagher of Philadelphia. Both Dr. Stroup and his bride were graduated in June from the University of Pennsylvania medical school. They will make their home in Reading where Dr. Stroup will be a resident physician at the Reading General Hospital.

McKinley H. Stevens is head of the science department of the Upper Darby High School and coaches the tennis teams.

C. Wendell Holmes is the registrar of the Upper Darby High School and is in charge of guidance, records and roster work.

### 1922

Dr. and Mrs. Allen Rieck, 507 South Shore Road, Pleasantville, N. J., stopped in Carlisle when on a motor trip in August to visit the College. Dr. Rieck is practicing medicine in Pleasantville. He is an honor graduate of the Indiana University Medical School.

### 1923

Carl B. Stoner, Harrisburg, Pa., was married to Miss Sara M. Hamer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hamer of Harrisburg, on July 11th in the Grace M. E. Church, with the Rev. Dr. Robert Bagnell and the Rev. Dr. F. Lamont Henninger, '24, of the Danville Trinity M. E. Church, officiating. Rev. Henninger is a brother-in-law of Mr. Stoner.

Dorothy Line of Carlisle, Pa., who for the past four years has been a teacher of Spanish in the John Harris High School, Harrisburg, became the bride of John LaRue Garrett of Williamsport, Pa., at the Little Church Around the Corner in New York City on June 29. Mr. Garrett is a graduate of Penn State and is an engineer for the Bell Telephone Co. in Harrisburg. Their new address is 233 No. 24th St., Camp Hill, Pa.

### 1924

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Sara Elizabeth Crawford of Mechanicsburg to John Kelley Hench, Mechanicsburg, on June 16th in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Esther Riegel has been reelected teacher of French and Science in the Enola High School.

### 1924L

Charles Quinn, Trenton, N. J., has been elected secretary of the Democratic State Committee of New Jersey.

### 1925

Miss Mary E. Clemens completed her sixth year as head of the English department, Hershey High School, Hershey, Pa. She is faculty advisor of the high school newspaper, *The Hershey Broadcaster* and also is the coach of dramatics. She is attending the second summer session of work toward her master of arts degree at Columbia University.

E. Moore Parrish is Manager of Claims of the Liberty Mutual Insurance Company with offices at 488 Broadway, Albany, New York.

Paul Jewells has been a Latin teacher in Tamaqua since his graduation from Dickinson.

Dr. A. Harvey Simmons who received his

medical education at the University of Pennsylvania was named an interne of the Harrisburg Hospital in July.

### 1926

Announcement of the marriage of Dr. Augustus L. Wright to Miss Elizabeth A. Houser of Philadelphia in the Church of the Transfiguration of New York City on July 3rd was made by the parents of the bride. After their return from a wedding trip to Nova Scotia they will reside at the Garden Court Apartments, 47 Pine St., Philadelphia. Dr. Wright, who is a graduate of the dental school of the University of Pennsylvania, is consulting dentist at Girard College.

William G. Ross of Enola, Central Pennsylvania district manager for the L. T. Balfour Company, was married on June 17th in the U. B. Church, Mechanicsburg, to Miss Phyllis Higgins of Mechanicsburg. His bride was graduated from the Pinkerton Academy for Girls and attended Hood College. She had been employed by the Clark R. Robbins Company, Harrisburg jewelers.

### 1927

Mrs. Bessie B. Romach announced the marriage of her daughter, Mary Dailey Romach, to William G. Gray on Saturday, August 15th, at Faux Hall, Chestnut Hill, Pa.

Mary J. Skelly, has been reelected teacher of Latin in the Enola High School.

### 1928

Elizabeth M. Rogers was married to Lawrence Littman on July 25th at Moorestown, N. J.

Rev. William Z. Middleton who graduated in June with first honors from Drew is now serving as pastor of the Norris Square M. E. Church, Philadelphia.

A Dickinson romance culminated on July 11th when F. Fairlee Habbart of Dover, Del. and Robert E. Woodside, Jr., '26-'28L, of Harrisburg and Lewisburg, Pa., were married in Dover, Del. The ceremony was performed by the bride's father, the Rev. William E. Habbart. Dickinsonians in the wedding party included Margaret R. Slaughter, Helen McDonnell, Camilla McWilliams and Martha Jane Green. They are now making their home in Millersburg, Pa.

W. Reese Hitchens of Milford, Del., successfully passed the Pennsylvania State Bar examinations in July. He will teach in Dickinson Law School this year.

Howard G. Stutzman who received his law degree from the University of Pennsylvania in June successfully passed the Pennsylvania State Bar examinations in July. He plans to practice law in Pottsville, Pa.

Rev. Victor B. Hann of Martinsburg, Pa., and Rev. W. A. F. Faus of Osceola Mills,

## BALTIMORE NOTES

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Wallace J. Parks, a member of the class of 1932 at Williams College, has been studying and learning to speak French at the University of Lausanne in Switzerland during this summer session. Young Mr. Parks, who is the son of Isaac T. Parks, Jr., '07, Baltimore attorney, will instruct freshman oratory at Williams during next year.

Alice Iverna Klingstine, the daughter of John H. Klingstine, '07, Baltimore, was married to Ensign Lowell Winfield Williams, U. S. N., at the Naval Academy Chapel at Annapolis on June 4th.

Z. Townsend Parks, Jr., the son of Z. T. Parks, '10, Baltimore, was graduated on June 9th from Johns Hopkins University with the A.B. degree. Young Mr. Parks was the editor-in-chief of the "Hullabaloo," the Hopkins annual.

Monroe H. Hess, '24, accompanied by Mrs. Hess, motored to Minneapolis to attend the annual National Conference of Goodwill Industries, that was held there June 14-20. Mr. Hess, who is president of the local Dickinson Club, is the managing director of the Baltimore Goodwill industries.

The Baltimore *Sun* of June 10th carried the picture and story of the appointment of Cornelius Mundy, L. '25, Baltimore lawyer, to the post of Assistant United States District Attorney. There are two members of the Law Class of 1925 practicing in Baltimore. The other member is H. Rank Bickel, Jr., who has offices in the American Building.

John Wesley Edel, '27, who was graduated from the University of Maryland in June with the degree of M.D., has been appointed interne for the coming year at St. Joseph's Hospital in Baltimore.

The delegation of the Washington Area to the sixth Ecumenical M. E. Conference to be held at Atlanta, Ga., October 16-25, looks almost like a Dickinson alumni roster. In the group are Harry L. Price, '96, John W. Long, '07, J. Horace McFarland, honorary alumnus, Harry H. Nuttle, '06, and as alternates, J. E. Skillington, '05, and C. Price Speer, trustee.

Pa., were both admitted into full membership at the annual session of the Central Pennsylvania Conference in June.

Richard V. Zug, '28, has completed the course of the second year of the University of Pennsylvania Law School with a record that places him within the first quarter of a class of 145 students.

Mary Leinbach spent the summer at West Chester Camp for mothers, Croton Point, N. Y.

Chauncey Depew is still at 445 W. 43rd St., New York City, where he is working for a Wall Street brokerage firm.

DeAlton Perigo, who is employed in the traffic department of the Bell Telephone Company of Harrisburg, was married to Miss Margaret E. Peace of Harrisburg, in the rectory of St. Francis' Catholic Church on June 13th. Their new address is 305 N. Second St., Harrisburg, Pa.

## 1929

James A. Simons married Miss Katherine Pickering June 17th at Trevorton, Pa. The bride is a graduate of Bloomsburg State Teachers College, '24. The ceremony was performed by Howard Bare, '24. Simons is a senior at Boston University School of Theology and the pastor of the Trinitarian Congregational Church, Scituate, Mass.

Announcement has been made that four members of the class successfully passed the Pennsylvania State Bar examinations in July. They are William H. Gerlach, Hazleton, Henry E. Harner, Harrisburg, J. A. Strite, Chambersburg and R. Wallace White of Scranton, Pa.

R. T. Mentzer completed his third summer at the Penn State Physical Education School. He will teach physical education at the Haverford High School this year where he will also coach the backfield football squad and will be head coach of basketball.

Martha Meese will start her second year at Nesquehoning, her home.

Robert Steventon will teach at Nesquehoning, Pa.

E. A. Calloway will start his second year of teaching at Tamaqua, teaching Algebra and English.

Announcement has been made that James Morgan Read was elected from thirty-two applicants and granted Alexander von Humboldt stipend of 1500 marks and tuition in the University of Marburg, Germany. Only two fellowships are granted by the University annually and one of these was given to Read. He will continue to study in Germany another year.

## 1930

Miriam Kathleen Horst and Rev. William Z. Middleton, '28, were married on June 13th

in the First Presbyterian Church, Ambler. Rev. Joseph M. Ewing, the pastor, officiated, assisted by Dr. Albert M. Witwer, '00, Philadelphia, District Superintendent of the M. E. Church. The maid of honor was Jeanette Holzhu, Lonaconing, Md. The groomsmen were Evans Smith of Williamsport, the bridesmaids were Elizabeth Tipton, Hampstead, Md., Ruth Cain, Staten Island, N. Y., Florence Shaw, Trenton, N. J., and Priscilla McConnel of Philadelphia. The ushers were Chris Baiz, Gilbert Schappert of Wilkes-Barre, Douglas Milbury, Wyoming, Del. and Wilson McIntire of Ambler. Rev. and Mrs. Middleton will reside in Philadelphia where he is pastor of the Norris Square M. E. Church.

Evelyn N. Greevy, Williamsport, Pa., visited the college early in August with her brother, Charles Greevy, who will enter college in September.

A Dickinson romance culminated in the marriage of Elsie Stark Ferris of Madison, N. J. and John Theodore Shuman, '28, of Harrisburg, Pa. They will make their home in Williamsport where the bridegroom is teacher of English and industrial economics in the vocational high school.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ashenfelter of Carlisle have announced the marriage of their daughter, Thelma, to William L. Johns of Vandling on March 12 in Lebanon. The ceremony was performed by a Dickinsonian, the Rev. A. B. Goudie, '13.

Helen M. Wynn of New Cumberland and William S. Black, 3rd of Lemoyne, Pa., were married on September 4 in the Lemoyne Calvary U. B. Church. After their return from a wedding trip, they will be at home at 48 No. 9th St., Lemoyne, Pa. The bride has been substituting in the public schools of Harrisburg and recently has been associated with the Harrisburg Credit Exchange. The bridegroom is employed with the American Telephone and Telegraph Co. in Harrisburg.

## 1931

William Doyle is assistant at comparative anatomy at Johns Hopkins University, where he is studying for his Ph. D.

George B. Elliot is connected with the central office of the Fidelity Mutual Life Insurance Co., of Philadelphia.

Edward O. Glasper received one of the two teaching fellowships at Tufts College.

Patience K. Hartman is psychiatrist at the Atlantic County Hospital, Atlantic City, N. J.

August L. Lorey who came to Dickinson as an exchange student from the University of Frankfurt, Germany, has received a fellowship in history at Syracuse University.

Robert T. Patterson has a research position in the Congressional Library at Washington, D. C.

Howard L. Rubendall has an English fellowship in the American University at Cairo, Egypt.

T. Guy Steffan has a teaching fellowship at University of Wisconsin.

J. Howard Bare has been elected as a teacher of science in the High School at Enola, Pa.

William J. Hines has secured employment in the Danville State Hospital, Danville, Pa.

Herbert Baron will sail for Switzerland in late September to enter the University of Berne Medical School.

Frank Dughi will do graduate work in history at Harvard University.

Robert F. LaVanture will teach history and coach athletics in Blair Academy, Blairs-town, N. J.

Sherwood Bonney will teach French in the Hill School, Pottstown, Pa.

Joseph W. Dodge will teach in Kiski Academy.

R. L. Davidson will teach in Clifton High School, Clifton, N. J.

Robert A. Fero is working in his father's paper box factory in Pottstown.

Robert Rupp is teaching mathematics and algebra in the Carlisle High School.

## O B I T U A R Y

1898—Rev. Frank Mack, a member of the Philadelphia Annual Conference of the M. E. Church since 1898 died at his late home in Portland, Pa. on August 7th after several months illness following a paralytic stroke. Ill health had caused him to request a supernumerary at the session of the Conference in March, 1930, after he had given many effective years of service to the ministry and the Conference.

Born on September 15, 1868, in Richmond, Pa., he prepared for college at Pennington Seminary and Easton Academy. He received his Ph.B. from the College in 1898 and the same year he became a member of the Philadelphia Conference.



Funeral services were in charge of Rev. Albert M. Witwer, D.D., '00, district superintendent of the North District of the Philadelphia Conference, and the sermon was preached by Rev. A. Lincoln Shalkops, '98, a classmate and life-long friend. Other ministers assisted in the service. Many ministers were present and a host of former parishioners who honored their former pastor. The services were held in the Portland M. E. Church which he served as pastor in 1920-24. Interment was made in Bangor, Pa.

Rev. Mack is survived by his widow, Mrs. Ruth Lamb Mack, and four year old daughter, Jane Elizabeth.

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1903L—Archibal M. Hoagland, who served his city of Williamsport, Pa. as mayor and solicitor for the school district, as well as district attorney of Lycoming County, died in the Williamsport Hospital, July 21, following an operation. He had submitted to a more serious operation some years ago and was thought to have been restored to full health. At the time of his death he was a formidable candidate for county judge. Mr. Hoagland was born June 17, 1879 and entered Law School after finishing high school. With a splendid singing voice, easily recalled by his college mates, he soon became prominent in Williamsport's musical life. He was president of the Williamsport Consistory choir and for thirty years a member of Trinity Church choir. His appointment as mayor came in 1917 after terms as school district solicitor and district attorney and was followed by his election by the people. He served as delegate to the Republican state convention in 1912 and in 1929 was chosen by the Supreme Court as a member of the board of Governors. In 1921-22 he served as president of the League of Third Class cities. He was a Mason, a Rotarian and a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon. He is survived by a widow, two sons, a daughter, his parents, four sisters and a brother. During recent years he was a member of the Board of Incorporators of the Law School.

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1915—Robert B. Kistler died of heart disease on August 2, 1931. Born in Wilkes-Barre on June 18, 1894, he graduated from the Minersville High School in 1911, entered the College in the fall of that year. He was graduated with the Ph.B. degree in 1915 and received the Phi Beta Kappa key. He taught at Minersville High School for awhile after his graduation and subsequently entered Hahnemann Medical College. He graduated there with first honors in 1921. For a time he taught in the Hahnemann Medical School and then at Brown Preparatory School and the Upper Darby High School. At college he was a member of the Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity and served as editor-in-chief of "*The Dickinsonian*" during the year 1914-15 and also as editor-in-chief of "*The Microcosm*." He is survived by his wife and ten year old daughter, Ruth, as well as by his twin brother, Dr. Walter W. Kistler, '15, and his father, Dr. Douglas S. Kistler, both of Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

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1920—Glenn L. Bretz died on June 15th at his home in Boiling Springs, Pa. after an illness of about two years. He was 33 years old. He is survived by his wife, a six year old daughter, his mother and four brothers.

He entered Dickinson from the Boiling Springs High School and left at the end of his freshman year. He was a barber and worked in several of the Carlisle shops until about a year ago.

1931-L—Miss Julia S. Siegrist, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene C. Siegrist, of Hathaway Park, Lebanon, Pa., died suddenly following a heart attack at the Sunny Rest Sanatorium on August 24th. Close application to her studies had resulted in a collapse which was believed to be only temporary and she had been a patient at the White Haven Sanitarium for a few weeks. She was 23 years of age.

Miss Siegrist was a graduate of the Lebanon High School, Wilson College and Dickinson Law School.

## NECROLOGY

Mrs. Sadie Eckels Bullock, mother of Miss Hazel Jane Bullock, former associate professor of romance languages and of Percy T. Bullock, '25, of Los Angeles, died at the home of her daughter in Syracuse, N. Y. on June 18th. She was in her 75th year.

Mrs. Bullock was the daughter of the Rev. John and Caroline Eckels. Her father was a member of the Erie M. E. Conference. She was the wife of Azra R. Bullock of Cambridge Springs who died in 1926.

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Mrs. Marion F. Cass, mother of George W. Cass, '05, and Eva Cass Jahn, '07, who lived in Carlisle while her children were in school and was well known to the students of those years, died in her home in Mansfield, Pa. on July 2, 1931.

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Miss Sarah Kate Ege, one of the founders and former president of Metzger College, which is now used as the women's dormitory of the college, died at her Carlisle home on August 27th. She was in her 83rd year and passed away after a lingering illness.

Two years ago on her birthday, alumnae of Metzger journeyed from far and near to honor Miss Ege. They presented her with a reclining chair and a radio set and a memorial poem written by Mrs. J. C. Bucher, of Boiling Springs.

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Mrs. Mary Dinsmore Wells Hoover, mother of four Dickinsonians, died at her home in Wellsville, Pa., on September 1 in her 77th year. She had been in failing health for some time.

She is survived by one sister and her four children, Walter Wells Hoover, '00; Donald Dinsmore Hoover, '05; Dorothy Hoover, '07; and Mrs. Charles Salter, '07, of Toronto, Canada.

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