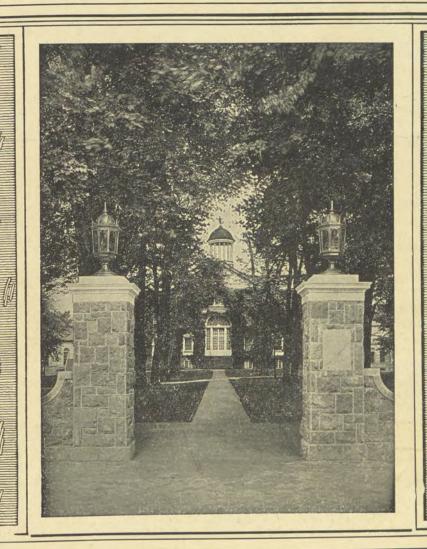
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# THE DICKINSON ALUMNUS

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# Gala Program Planned for Alumni Day

A N ADDRESS by Boyd Lee Spahr, '00, president of the Board of Trustees of the College, will be the principal feature of the Alumni Day luncheon on Commencement week-end on June 3-4. Celebrating the 50th anniversary of his graduation, Mr. Spahr has been asked to speak on the College as he has known it through more than half a century and as it can be in the future.

Other highlights of the annual Commencement program are the presentation of portraits of President William W. Edel, by his classmates of the Class of 1915, and of the late Professor Montgomery Porter Sellers, '93, by the Class of 1925. The Senior Class of the College will also make a gift to the College at the luncheon.

The Commencement program follows the schedule of years past. The traditional exercises on the Passing of the Old Stone Steps, with the presentation of the 1902 Award and the induction of the seniors into the Alumni Association, will take place on the afternoon of Friday, June 2. A special feature of the day is a tea given in Memorial Hall by the Dean of Women to all senior women and their parents.

The Alumni Council will hold its annual dinner meeting Friday evening at six o'clock. Dr. Rowland R. Lehman, '23, president of the Alumni Association, will preside. That evening the Board of Trustees will meet in Memorial Hall and the Commencement Ball will be held in the Alumni Gymnasium, with Howard Gale, '36, and his orchestra providing the music.

Because the annual Alumni Day baseball game with Gettysburg has been scheduled for the morning of June 3,

### Register in Old West

Immediately upon arrival on the campus for Commencement, all alumni and visitors should register in Old West. Tickets for the Alumni Luncheon, and for any events for which tickets are needed, will be available there.

Information can also be secured there of hotel or other room vacancies. If you have a question, go to the Registration Room.

only the Phi Beta Kappa meeting will take place on Saturday morning. The alumni luncheon is scheduled for 12:30 p.m. After the luncheon Bosler Hall will be open for an organ recital by Victoria Hann, of the graduating class, and an exhibit of paintings by Mrs. Anna B. Bennethum, '25, in the third floor gallery. The President's reception will be held at the President's House from 3 to 4:30 p.m., instead of at 5 o'clock, as in former years.

Fraternity banquets will be held in the several fraternity houses and in the Commons at 6 o'clock, while President Edel's class will have a special reunion at the President's House at 7 o'clock.

Both portraits which will be presented to the College are the work of Wilbur Fiske Noyes, of Boston, who has done many of the College portraits. Clyde E. Williamson, '25, is chairman of the committee of his class which is presenting the portrait of Professor Sellers.

As in former years the 50-year class will be seated on the platform during the luncheon.

# DICKINSON COLLEGE

# 177th Commencement Program

Daylight Saving Time

Senior Day-Friday, June 2

2.45 DM	Paren's Clay Tanning Coromony
2:45 P.M. 3:00 P.M.	Raven's Claw Tapping Ceremony Passing of the Old Stone Steps
5.00 P.M.	Presentation of The 1902 Award
	Ivy Oration
	Senior Induction
4:00 P.M.	The Dean of Women's Tea
	Honoring Senior Women
5:30 P.M.	Memorial Hall
6:00 P.M.	Dinner of Alumni Council, College Commons
8:00 P.M.	Meeting of Board of Trustees, Memorial Hall
9:00 P.M.	Commencement Ball, Alumni Gymnasium
to	Music by Howard Gale, '36, and His Orchestra
1:00 A.M.	No charge to students or alumni
	Alumni Day-Saturday, June 3
9:00 A.M.	Phi Beta Kappa Meeting, Memorial Hall
10:00 A.M.	Baseball, Dickinson vs. Gettysburg, Biddle Field
12:30 P.M.	Alumni Luncheon, Alumni Gymnasium. Tickets 50c
2:00 P.M.	Art Exhibit, Bosler Hall Galleries
2.00 1.11.	Organ Recital Bosler Hall
	By Victoria Hann, '50, College Organist
3:00 P.M.	The President's Reception
to	At the President's House
4:30 P.M.	
6:00 P.M.	Fraternity Banquets
7:00 P.M.	Class of 1915 Reunion at the President's House
9:00 P.M.	Alumni Prom on Campus
	Concert by the Carlisle Band
	Commencement Day-Sunday, June 4
10:00 A.M.	Academic Procession, West College
10:30 A.M.	Baccalaureate Service, Alumni Gymnasium
10.50 11.1.1.	Sermon by Capt. Francis Lee Albert, ChC., U. S. Navy
12:00 A.M.	Class Reunion Dinners
12.00 11.1.1.	50th Anniversary Dinner, Class of 1900, Prettyman Room
	Dinner to Honorary Degree Group, College Commons
2:30 P.M.	Academic Procession, West College
3:00 P.M.	Commencement Exercises, Alumni Gymnasium
2100 11111	Address by Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam, New York
	Area, Methodist Church

# "Bulwark of Liberty"

A COLLECTION of historical essays under the title of Bulwark of Liberty was published by the College this month in honor of Boyd Lee Spahr, '00, president of the Board of Trustees, on the occasion of the 50th anniversary of his graduation from Dickinson. The essays are principally lectures delivered in the last three years as the Boyd Lee Spahr lectures on Americana.

The first copy which came from the press of the publishers, Fleming Revell Company of New York City, was presented to Mr. Spahr in Philadelphia early this month. At the Alumni Luncheon on June 3 he will receive the formal presentation of the verber of

entation of the volume.

Plans for the volume were made last fall and were presented in December to the Board of Trustees by President Edel, after Mr. Spahr had left the meeting room. The Board enthusiastically approved the project and a number of members of the Board underwrote a portion of the costs of printing the book.

Dedicated to Mr. Spahr, with a brief appreciation of his life and contributions to the College, *Bulwark of Liberty* is a dignified volume of 175 pages in handsome format. The seven historical essays tell in interesting detail some of the aspects of the early history of the College. The book's title is taken from a free translation of the College seal, "character and learning are the bulwark of liberty."

More than three years ago Miss May Morris, '09, librarian, and Dr. Whitfield J. Bell, Jr., '35, of the department of history, conceived the idea of establishing a series of lectures devoted to the history of the College and of American culture, and, with Mr. Spahr's consent, named the series for him because of his great interest in the history of Dickinson. Each year two lectures are given; these lectures, with several historical papers given on other occasions, now appear in Bulwark of Liberty.

The first historical paper in the book,



BOYD LEE SPAHR

which is also the first Spahr lecture, delivered on March 7, 1947, is entitled Benjamin Rush and John and Mary's College Over Susquehanna, by Lyman H. Butterfield, associate editor of The Papers of Thomas Jefferson at Princeton University. This is a pleasant and informative account of Rush's efforts in behalf

of the College.

A paper which Mr. Spahr himself read as a Founders' Day address in 1946 is also included. It is a sketch of the life and character of Dr. Charles Nisbet, the first president of the College. Professor Joseph B. Smith, of the department of history, is the author of A Frontier Experiment with Higher Education, an account of the College's tribulations on the Pennsylvania frontier which hardly believed in the aristocratic type of higher education which President Nisbet dispensed.

The remnants of the original college library, including many of the books which John Dickinson gave the College in 1784, provided the basis for a paper on that subject by James W. Phillips, formerly curator of Dickinsoniana at the College and now a graduate student at

### Bulwark of Liberty

Copies of the Boyd Lee Spahr Lectures may be ordered of George Shuman, Jr., Treasurer, Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pa. The pre-publication price is \$2.75 a copy until June 4; after that date the regular price of \$3.50 will be charged.

Trinity College, Dublin. President Edel is the author of a paper on the building of West College; based on recently discovered manuscripts, it tells in dramatic fashion the thrilling story of how Judge Hugh Brackenridge, a trustee, galloped 60 miles from Easton to Philadelphia to persuade Benjamin Latrobe to prepare a plan for the rebuilding of West College, which had just been destroyed by fire.

Two prominent early alumni of the College are discussed in the volume. Dr. Carl B. Swisher, of Johns Hopkins University, biographer of Roger B. Taney, has written a paper on Taney's education and early training; while Dr. Roy F. Nichols, of the University of Pennsylvania, a Pulitzer prize-winner in history, is the author of an estimate of the political career of James Buchanan.

The Spahr lectures are usually delivered in the Dickinsoniana room in Bosler Hall. Here are kept such well-known relics of the College's history as the Priestley burning lens as well as thousands of manuscripts of all kinds relating to the history of the College. There are about 200 Buchanan items and probably all the records of the Belles Lettres Literary Society, which survived the Denny Hall fire in 1904.

Mr. Spahr, in whose honor the lecture series was named and to whom this first volume is dedicated, was born in Mechanicsburg, Pa., on April 18, 1880. He prepared for College at the old Dickinson Preparatory School and entered Dickinson in 1896. As an undergraduate he was a member of the inter-collegiate

debating team, editor of *The Dickinsonian*, a member of Raven's Claw, and a member of Phi Kappa Sigma. While a student he wrote a series of stories about college life and Dickinson history which were published shortly after his graduation under the title of *Dickinson Doings*.

After a year as instructor in the Preparatory School, he entered the Law School of the University of Pennsylvania and was admitted to the bar in 1904. He is now the senior partner of the law firm of Ballard, Spahr, Andrews, and Ingersoll.

Within a few years of his graduation he began to take a very active interest in the affairs of his fraternity and in those of the College. He held several offices in the national Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity, serving as president in 1921-22. He was elected a trustee of Dickinson College in 1908, became president of the General Alumni Association in 1928, and succeeded the late Judge Edward W. Biddle, '70, as president of the Board of Trustees in 1931.

Always a generous benefactor of the College, he has contributed to every college campaign for funds, his most recent gift being the endowment of a professorship in American history. Meanwhile, he had become interested in the College history and for more than ten years has contributed many books, letters, pictures, and other pieces of Dickinsoniana to the College library.

# New York Alumnae Meet

The Dickinson Alumnae Club of New York City held a luncheon and theatre party on February 4. During a business session, the members of the Club voted to make a contribution of \$15.00 to the Alumni Fund.

The luncheon was held at the Cortile Restaurant on West 43rd Street and the group then attended the matinee of "I Know My Love," featuring the Lunts at the Shubert Theatre. The next meeting of the Club is scheduled for May 6.

# Boyd Lee Spahr Puts a Cupola on South College



NEW CUPOLA ADORNS SOUTH COLLEGE

Through a gift of \$2,750 from Boyd Lee Spahr, '00, president of the Board of Trustees, a cupola has been erected on the new South College in recent weeks.

The addition of the cupola is a fine adornment and changes the barrack-like appearance of the building to bring it into harmony with other structures on the campus.

The cupola corresponds to the ones on Old West and the Alumni Gymnasium and is topped with a weather vane. It was designed by John K. Bixler, Boiling Springs architect.

## Heads Blossom Festival

H. Delmer Robinson, '17, is president of the organization for the 23rd annual Shenandoah Apple Blossom Festival which was held in Winchester, Va., April 27 and 28.

# For National Security

Two trustees of the College are serving on the Non-Metallic Minerals Industry Advisory Committee of the Munitions Board.

Dr. Andrew H. Phelps, honorary alumnus and vice-president of the Westinghouse Electric Corporation, is chairman of this important committee working on planning for industrial mobilization for a future war emergency.

Charles E. Pettinos, '92, president of Charles Pettinos, Inc., in New York, is chairman of a sub-committee composed of members engaged in the graphite industry.

This advisory committee of the Munitions Board was formed in January, 1947, "to advise the Munitions Board in the development of features of the industrial mobilization plan related to non-metallic minerals."

# Largest Graduating Class to Receive Diplomas



G. BROMLEY OXNAM



S. S. KRESGE

A CLASS of possibly 260, the greatest number of graduates in the history of the college, will receive their diplomas at the 177th Commencement Exercises in the Alumni Gymnasium on Sunday afternoon, June 4, at 3 o'clock. Eight honorary degrees will be conferred.

Of greatest interest to Dickinsonians will be the awarding of the degree of Doctor of Civil Law to Boyd Lee Spahr, president of the Board of Trustees, who some years ago received an LL.D. degree from Lafayette College. In his recommendation for this degree President Edel said "The Commencement of 1950 marks the 50th Anniversary of the graduation of Mr. Spahr. His services to the College are beyond all computation, and the recommendation of his name is made in spite of the general policy not to consider members of the Board of Trustees for honorary degrees, because it seems that the highest honor in the gift of the College is appropriate at this time for Mr. Spahr."

The degree of Doctor of Laws will be conferred upon Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam, who will be the Commencement speaker. He is Bishop of the New York area of the Methodist Church. He is a graduate of the University of Southern California with graduate degrees from a number of institutions. He served as Professor of Social Ethics on the faculty of the University of Southern California. as Professor of Practical Theology at the Boston University School of Theology and was President of DePauw University from 1928 to 1936, at which time he was elected a Bishop of the Methodist Church. He has been President of the Federal Council of Churches and of the World Council of Churches and is the author of many books.

Two will receive the degree of Doctor of Humane Letters, Sebastian S. Kresge and Capt. Francis Lee Albert, who will preach the sermon at the Baccalaureate Exercises in the Alumni Gymnasium on Sunday morning, June 4. Mr. Kresge is the well known merchant and philanthropist.

Mr. Kresge was born at Bald Mount, Pa., and graduated from the Polytechnic Institute of Gilbert, Pa., and the Eastman Business College of Poughkeepsie, N. Y.



FRANCIS LEE ALBERT



CATHERINE DRINKER BOWEN

Beginning in 1897 he developed the 5&10c store business and is now the sole owner of the S. S. Kresge Company, operating some 700 stores in the United States and Canada. Mr. Kresge is the founder and donor of the Kresge Foundation of Detroit through which his extensive philanthropies have been administered. He has pioneered in the philanthropic support of hospitals, colleges and universities, children's homes, homes for the aged, and a wide range of social and educational projects. Mr. Kresge is also a prominent Methodist layman whose home is in the Philadelphia area.

Capt. Albert, ChC., U. S. Navy, was born at Elma, Iowa, attended George Washington University, with graduate work at the Union Theological Seminary at Richmond, Va., and the University of Chicago Divinity School. He is a Bachelor of Sacred Theology from the Cedar Valley Seminary of the Baptist Church. Appointed a Chaplain in the Navy during the First World War, Captain Albert has served with distinction since that time, making a reputation for himself as one of the ablest and most effective Navy Chaplains. He was at one time Superintendent of Education to the Government of Samoa and at another time Secretary

for Education in the Cabinet of the Government of Guam. He has an outstanding combat record and during the Second World War served as Fleet Chaplain of the 7th Fleet and the Philippine Sea Frontier. For this service he was awarded the Legion of Merit. He is now District Chaplain of the Fourth Naval District with Headquarters in Philadelphia.

A prominent author will be honored by the conferment of the degree of Doctor of Literature upon Catherine Drinker Bowen, who was born at Haverford and now lives at Bryn Mawr, Pa. She was a student at the Peabody Institute and for years an instructor in Music and Art. She has written many books, including a Biography of Tchaikowsky and Yankee from Olympus, a life of Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes. For the past five years she has been working on a biography, John Adams and the American Revolution, which has been chosen Book of the Month and will appear in June.

Returning to the campus for his 35th reunion, George Floyd Zimmermann, clergyman and educator, will receive the degree of Doctor of Sacred Theology.

Dr. Zimmermann was born in Montoursville, Pa., and was graduated from Dickinson College in the Class of 1915.



G. FLOYD ZIMMERMANN



S. CARROLL COALE

He has the Degree of Master of Arts from Dickinson, Bachelor of Sacred Theology from the Boston University School of Theology and Master of Religious Education from the Boston University School of Religious Education. He served as Head of the Department of Economics and Finance of Albion College, Head of the Department of Economics of Atlanta University, as Dean and Head of the Department of Religious Education of Atlanta Theological Seminary and as Dean and Professor of Philosophy and Religious Education of Temple University School of Theology. He is at present Dean of Humanities of Florida Southern College and occupies the Chair of Democracy in that institution. He served as a Methodist Chaplain in the First World War and was awarded the Purple Heart.

Two other Dickinsonians will receive the degree of Doctor of Divinity, the Rev. S. Carroll Coale, '08, and Dr. Jacob A. Long, '25, who will be on the campus for his 25th reunion.

The Rev. Mr. Coale graduated from the college in 1908, received his Master's degree in 1911, the year he graduated from Drew Theological Seminary with a B.D. degree. He has served 40 years in the Methodist ministry in the Baltimore Conference and is pastor of one of the prominent churches in the City of Baltimore. He has long been active in alumni affairs and was recently elected president of the Dickinson Club of Baltimore. His son, Dr. Robert N. Coale, graduated from the college in 1939, and is practicing medicine in Washington, D. C.

Dr. Long graduated in 1925. He received the degree of Bachelor of Divinity from Princeton Theological Seminary and the degree of Doctor of Philosophy from Columbia University. After a successful career as a pastor he became a Secretary of the Presbyterian Board of National Missions with special responsibility for city and industrial work. After six years of distinguished service in this capacity he was called to the Chair of Christian Social Ethics in the San Francisco Theological Seminary of the Presbyterian Church located at San Anselmo, Calif.

# Attends Inauguration

Dr. John B. Stoops, '94, of Grinnell. Iowa, served as the representative of Dickinson College at the inauguration of John Raymond Chadwick as president of Iowa Wesleyan College in Mount Pleasant on May 11.



JACOB A. LONG

# Alumni Meet in Reading

After a lapse of some years, the Dickinson Club of Reading-Berks held a dinner on May 15 in the Walnut Room of the Hotel Berkshire in Reading and laid plans for the reactivation of that unit in the alumni club chain.

W. Richard Eshelman, '41, '47L, was elected president, while John B. Stevens, Jr., '42L, was named vice-president, and Mrs. Sidney D. Kline, '27, the former Leona C. Barkalow, was chosen secretary-treasurer as new officers were placed in each post.

Sidney D. Kline, husband of the new secretary-treasurer and a trustee of the College, acted as toastmaster in the absence of the former president, Robert H. Stewart, '27, who moved to Camp Hill some time ago. The Rev. Harry E. Crow, '01, offered the invocation.

Speakers at the dinner were Dr. Rowland R. Lehman, George Shuman, Jr., Dean W. H. Hitchler, President Edel and Vice-President Malcolm. William L. Eshelman, '15, spoke extemporaneously and called on Judge H. Robert Mays, '03L, whose remarks added much to the program.

### Treasury Head at Dinner

The Honorable John W. Snyder, Secretary of the Treasury, who received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws at the last Commencement, was the principal speaker at the annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of Washington held in the Hotel Hamilton on April 17.

Other honored guests were Lieutenant General Stanley D. Embick, '97, and Brigadier General Frank R. Keefer, '85, a former president of the Club.

G. Harold Keatley, '27, club president, acted as toastmaster. There was no election of officers as the Washington Club officers carry on for a two-year term. Dr. Frank Jaggers, '14, lead group singing with Professor Merle I. Protzman, '18, at the piano. Dr. C. Leslie Glenn, an honorary alumnus, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church in Washington, offered the invocation.

J. Fred Laise, '06, chairman of the Scholarship Committee for the Club, made his annual report and stated that the Club planned to continue offering a scholarship of \$150 annually to a student entering the College from the nation's capitol.

Before the Secretary spoke, short addresses were made by Dr. Rowland R. Lehman, president of the General Alumni Association, Vice-President Gilbert Malcolm, and President William W. Edel. Dr. Edmund G. Latch, '21, pronounced the benediction.

# Inaugurate John Pearson

Dr. John M. Pearson, '18, was inaugurated as the ninth president of Drew Seminary for Young Women, Carmel, N. Y., at the exercises held on April 29. Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam, of the Methodist Church and President Fred G. Holloway of Drew University, were the speakers at the ceremonies.

Dr. A. B. Horlacher, Dean of Men, was the representative of Dickinson College.

# Honor Mohler Family at Founders' Day Exercises

THE College paid tribute to two members of a distinguished Dickinson family when on Founders' Day, May 4, it conferred the honorary degree of doctor of science on Dr. Nora M. Mohler, '17, chairman of the department of physics at Smith College, and honored the memory of her father, the late Dr. John F. Mohler, '87, physicist and member of the faculty for 34 years, who was hailed "a teacher in the great tradition." Former Judge Dorothy Kenyon of New York was the speaker.

President William W. Edel conferred the degree at a special convocation in Bosler Hall before a large audience. Dr. Mohler was presented for the degree by Dr. Wellington A. Parlin who has been head of the physics department at the College since the death of her father in 1930. In the citation President Edel noted that Dr. Nora Mohler was the daughter of a great physicist who was one of the most loved faculty members of his day, that she was in her own right a physicist of wide reputation and a sister of other outstanding Dickinsonians.

Dr. Fred L. Mohler, '14, head of the physics sections of the National Bureau of Standards, who received an honorary degree from the College in 1944, and Dr. Samuel L. Mohler, '14, professor of Latin at Franklin and Marshall College, are her brothers.

Dr. Nora Mohler after graduating from Dickinson continued her studies at Bryn Mawr and Radcliffe. She taught science at the Brearley School and the Choate School before joining the faculty of Smith College in 1927. While teaching at Smith she also did graduate work there and received her doctorate from that college in 1934. She did research at the Cavendish Laboratory, Cambridge University, England, in 1937-38. From 1944 to 1946 she was a technical aide to the Radar Division, National Defense Research Committee. She has been head



NORA M. MOHLER

of the department of physics at Smith since 1946.

The tribute to the father was led by Dr. E. A. Vuilleumier. Dr. John F. Mohler, valedictorian of the Class of 1887, after taking his doctorate at Johns Hopkins, joined the faculty in 1896. "Thus began," noted Dr. Vuilleumier in a quotation from Morgan's history of the College, "a career of 34 years of a great scholar and teacher, and an equally great man. No man during these years taught better or exercised a finer personal influence upon the young people with whom he came in contact."

Dr. Vuilleumier referred to this excerpt from an editorial in The DICKINSON ALUMNUS following Dr. Mohler's death: "He gave to the department of physics a brilliant scholarship and leadership easily recognized far beyond campus limits. To his post on the faculty and to his alma mater he was superlatively loyal, a good and able man whose influence in Carlisle will linger long."

Dr. Mohler's children shared his love of learning. Like their father, all three won Phi Beta Kappa honors, became doctors of philosophy and have had careers of real achievement, noted Dr. Vuilleumier.

Three granddaughters also are Dickinsonians, Mary B. Mohler, '41; Mrs. Sarah Mohler Stojowski, '42, and Emily Moh-

ler, member of the junior class.

In her address, Judge Kenyon, who for three years was the United States delegate to the UN commission on the status of women and who has received numerous "Woman of the Year" awards, said that in today's world the great goal of education must be to train youth for living as good members of society, not alone on the community and national levels, but in the world as well. Education that divides the world into "watertight compartments" must be avoided, she said.

She held that in a democracy everyone has a right to "a basic minimum education in which we will be taught to think for ourselves by professors who are uncontrolled and unafraid."

Judge Kenyon also spoke at the Founders' Day tea in the library and in the evening addressed the second annual dinner of the Dickinson chapter of the American Association of University Professors.

A significant Founders' Day custom was continued when students, led by Dr. A. B. Horlacher, dean of men, placed a wreath on the grave of Dr. Charles Nisbet, the first president, who is buried in the Old Graveyard, five blocks from the campus.

# Bequests and Gifts Aid Library Guild Growth

THE Dickinson College Library Guild, which began nearly half a century ago as an idea in the mind of the late Professor Bradford O. McIntire, this year crossed the \$50,000 mark, and before another year passes, the Guild Endowment will probably reach \$70,000.

This great increase will be the result of a bequest of the late John M. Rhey, '83, a trustee of the College, vice-president and one of the founders of the Library Guild. He left a quarter of his residuary estate to the College for the use of the Library, and this amount, which is estimated at a figure in excess of \$16,000, will go to the Library Guild endowment.

The design of the Library Guild is to supplement the library appropriation from general college funds. When Dr. McIntire made his proposal at the annual Washington Birthday dinner in 1903, the College library was a starveling. The College appropriated only a tiny sum annually for the purchase of books. It was Dr. McIntire's dream that, as the Guild endowment grew, the amount of money available for the purchase of books would increase. Thus, if the College appropriated only \$1,000 annually from its general funds, the income from another

\$1,000 in the Guild would give the Library a total of about \$1,050 to spend.

Annual subscriptions to the Guild carried its endowment to over \$25,000 in the mid-thirties, when the annual Alumni Fund was instituted. At that time it was agreed that not less than \$750 from the Alumni Fund would be added each year to the Guild Endowment. Nearly \$10,000 has been added to the Guild fund by this means.

Meanwhile alumni and friends of the College have made specific gifts to the Library Guild. Robert H. Richards, '95, a member of the Board of Trustees, has made two gifts to the Guild in the past year; and Mrs. Vance McCormick of Harrisburg gave the Library Guild \$5,000 this year. The total increase in the Library Guild endowment in 1948-49 was \$6,165, and the total Guild endowment at the end of the last fiscal year stood at \$50,208.84.

Income from the Guild fund enabled the Library to purchase books to the amount of \$2,068, with several hundred dollars unspent at the time the audit was made. Purchases from the general college funds amounted to \$6,746 in the

same year.

# Life Membership Roster Lists 911 Names

WITH the addition of 16 subscriptions since the publication of the last number of THE DICKINSON ALUMNUS, and a gain of 94 Lifers since May 1949, the largest number in any year, a total of 911 names are listed in the roster of Life Members in the General Alumni Association published in this issue by direction of the Alumni Council. The greatest gain in any previous year was in 1933-34 when 79 became Lifers.

As it should be, the newest class led all classes for the greatest number of additions in a year when nine members of 1949 subscribed, but the total of 11 is far below other classes. Five classes added five Lifers during the year, 1929,

1933, 1934, 1935 and 1948.

The Class of 1939, which will meet in a belated reunion this year by celebrating an 11th anniversary at Commencement, maintained its position when three new Lifers sent its total to 29 to lead all classes in the greatest number. With the addition of five new names the Class of 1934 moved into second place with a total of 28, passing the Class of 1926, which added two, and dropped to the third slot with 26. Close on the heels of these leaders are the Classes of 1930, 1933 and 1941 which have 25 each, and right behind them are four classes with 24 each, the Class of 1902, long the leader, and the classes of 1927, 1935 and

Sixteen new subscriptions have been received since the February number of the magazine was published.

The first subscription in the new series came from Miss Catherine S. Eitemiller, '46, of 7 Aintree Road, Baltimore 4, Md.

The next subscriber was Theodore Rodman, '49, whose home is in Atlantic City and who is now a student at the University of Pennsylvania Medical School.

On March 11, checks arrived from two former coeds. One of these was the payment of Mrs. James P. Coho, of Glen-

# Between Operations

Gene Beck, '49, who is a patient in the Naval Hospital, Philadelphia, mailed a \$40.00 check for Life Membership the day before he was to be operated upon there. A few weeks before, he underwent a major operation.

Gene is paralyzed from the waist down following an injury to his spinal cord last summer while saving some children from drowning at Atlantic City where he was

serving as a life guard.

more Circle, R. D. 3, Lancaster, Pa., the former Helene Boetzel, '45. The other came from Gladys J. Fry, '48, who since her graduation has been a chemist for the Wilbur-Suchard Chocolate Company, Inc., and who lives at 519 East Main Street, Lititz, Pa.

When he visited the College over the Inter-Fraternity Weekend, Gordon S. Fell, who graduated from the College last June, became Lifer No. 900 when he made a subscription to Life Membership. He lives in Trenton, N. J., and he is a student in the Law School of Rutgers University.

Later in the month, a check of \$40 arrived from Dr. Harry J. Fryer, '40, physician, of 724 Cypress Street, Yeadon,

Pa.

The first subscription in April came from Blaine E. Capehart, '29, attorney of Camden, N. J.

A few days later, two subscriptions were received. One was from Dr. Jacob A. Long, of the Class of 1925, vice-president of San Francisco Theological Seminary in San Anselmo, Calif. The other came from Fred J. Williams, Jr., '43, of Philadelphia.

At the annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of New York on April 14, Ralph R. Decker, '37, wrote his check for Life Membership. He is engaged in advertising and sales promotion with the Federal Advertising Agency, Inc., of New York.

The next subscription came from Dickinson's only All-American football great, Francis A. Dunn, '14, '17L, who practices law in Johnstown, Pa.

A few days later, a \$40 check arrived from Rosannah G. Blair, '10, of Charlotte, N. C.

The next day, a subscription arrived from a former coed when Mrs. George

L. Reynolds, of Camden, N. J., the former Barbara J. Rynk, '34, sent in her \$40 check.

The last subscription was that of Mary Louise Loy, '31, of Carlisle, who is a laboratory technician in the Carlisle Hospital.

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# Named to Boyd Lee Spahr Chair of History

**D**R. WHITFIELD J. BELL, JR., associate professor of history since 1945, was promoted to the rank of professor and named first occupant of the newly-endowed Boyd Lee Spahr chair of American History on May 1. Announcement of the establishment of the professorship was made last year.

The new professorship was endowed by Boyd Lee Spahr, '00, president of the Board of Trustees of the College, as his contribution to the Ten-Year Development Program of the College. Mr. Spahr designated that the chair be in American history, which is his principal nonprofessional interest.

A graduate of the College in 1935, Dr. Bell's first appointment to the faculty came in the winter of 1937, when, on the sudden death of Professor Leon C. Prince, '98, he was named instructor in history to complete Dr. Prince's work. Dr. Bell was at that time attending the graduate school of the University of Pennsylvania. He was an instructor in history at the College in 1938-39 and again in 1941-43, when he resigned for war service. Returning to the College in 1945, he was named associate professor.

Dr. Bell received the degree of master of arts from the University of Pennsylvania in 1938 and the degree of doctor of philosophy in 1947. The title of his doctoral dissertation was "Science and Humanity in Philadelphia," a study of the Enlightenment in eighteenth century America. During years that he was at the University, he was awarded scholarships, and he was an assistant instructor in the department there in 1940-41.

Professor Bell is the author of more than 25 articles principally in the early history of American culture and medicine. He is now completing a biography of Dr. John Morgan, founder of the first American medical school at the University of Pennsylvania in 1765. Last summer he was in England and Scotland searching for materials on Dr. Morgan



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and other American medical students; and this summer he will return to Scotland for purposes of research. On June 25 he will read a paper to the Scottish Society of the History of Medicine at its meeting in Edinburgh.

Born at Newburgh, N. Y., in 1914, Dr. Bell was graduated from Lower Merion High School, Ardmore, Pa., and entered Dickinson in 1931. He was graduated from the College with Phi Beta Kappa honors and special departmental honors in history. As an undergraduate he was editor of the Dickinsonian, president of the Inter-fraternity Council, and a member of Omicron Delta Kappa and of Phi Kappa Sigma. During the war he served with the American Field Service attached to the British Eighth Army in Africa, Italy, and Germany.

He is a member of a number of historical societies, chairman of committees of the Pennsylvania Historical Association and the American Association of the History of Medicine, and a library research associate of the American Philosophical Society of Philadelphia.

# Northern New Jersey Club Sets Attendance Record

WITH 106 present, the largest attendance in its history, and one of the best marks of any alumni club, the Dickinson Club of Northern New Jersey held its annual dinner in the William Pitt Inn at Chatham on May 2. Included in the group were parents of students enrolled as new students for the coming academic year.

The fine attendance rewarded the efforts of Mrs. Thomas R. Gallagher, the former Helen Douglas, '26, and her committee, which included her husband who was graduated a year later than his wife. They have a daughter who is a member of the present Freshman Class at the college. Mrs. Gallagher acted as toastmaster and will have a second year in the president's chair. The Rev. Dr. Elmer E. Pearce, '05, offered the invocation.

Fittingly Mrs. Gallagher introduced 10 alumni, who were present, who hold prominent places in the schools of New Jersey. They were E. Laurence Springer. 24. Head Master of the Pingry School at Elisabeth; Dr. John P. Milligan, '26, superintendent of the Glen Ridge schools; Raymond E. Hearn, '24, principal of West Orange High School and a member of his faculty and football coach there Edward E. Johnson, Jr., '32; Roy S. Claycomb, '18, Head Master of Cartaret Academy; Robert E. Faddis, '24, principal of the Milburn High School; Robert E. Woodward, Jr., '17, principal of the Summit Junior High School; E. P. Lawrence, '20, principal of the Irvington Junior High School; Victor H. Boell, '11, of the Orange High School and Prof. Herbert Richards, '41, of the faculty of Drew Theological Seminary.

Speakers at the dinner were Dr. Rowland R. Lehman, president of the General Alumni Association; George Shuman, Jr., treasurer of the college; President Edel and Vice-President Malcolm.

# Named Dean's Assistant

Prof. Roy R. Kuebler, Jr., '33, associate professor of mathematics, was appointed assistant to the dean by President Edel in March. He took up the tasks of Dean Russell I. Thompson, who became ill, and will hold the post to the end of the academic year.

After several weeks at the Carlisle Hospital, Dean Thompson has been convalescing at his home and plans to spend several weeks at the shore before resuming his work.

With the exception of four war years as an officer in the Army and occasional absence for graduate study, Prof. Kuebler has been at the College as administrator and teacher since graduating in 1933. He was library assistant for two years, then was superintendent of grounds and buildings and assistant treasurer for six. Since the war he had devoted all of his time to teaching. He will continue to teach.

Dr. Kuebler has a Master's degree in

mathematics from the University of Pennsylvania. He has also done graduate work at Columbia. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa, the American Mathematical Society, the Mathematical Association of America and the Institute of Mathematical Statistics.

He will be on leave of absence for the 1950-51 academic year, having been appointed to a research fellowship for graduate study at Columbia University.

# Named to Athletic Board

Robert Paul Masland, '19, has been appointed to the Dickinson College Athletic Board of Control to succeed the late George E. Lloyd, '01. The appointment was made by Boyd Lee Spahr, President of the Board of Trustees.

Mr. Masland is treasurer of C. H. Masland and Sons and was a member of the college's only undefeated and untied football team in 1917.

# To Become Assistant to President in June

THE Rev. Dr. Rowland R. Lehman, 23, who has been serving this year as president of the General Alumni Association, has been appointed assistant to the president of the College and will enter upon his duties in June, it has been announced by President William W. Edel.

In his work, Dr. Lehman will be assigned to general duties in connection with the Development Program.

For the past two years, Dr. Lehman has been the executive director of the \$550,000 campaign in the Central Pennsylvania Conference of the Methodist Church for a ministerial pension fund. This effort, now nearing completion, has been successful, and final reports will probably show the goal exceeded in subscriptions. Prior to undertaking this work, Dr. Lehman was superintendent of the Harrisburg District.

Formerly, he was pastor of churches in Millersburg for four years, Northumberland from 1929 to 1936 and Trinity, Clearfield from 1936 to 1942. He is a trustee of the Methodist Home for Children at Shiremanstown, director of the training camp at New Hamilton and a member of Kappa Sigma Fraternity. A graduate of Drew Theological Seminary in 1925, he received the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity from the College in 1943.

From 1933 to 1937, he was chairman of the Emergency Relief Board of Northumberland County and later executive director of a five-county relief area.

He is married to the former Miriam Gouldy. They live in New Cumberland and have two children, Rowland R., Jr., and Miriam.

# Joins American Waterways

Yates Catlin, '19, was appointed Director of Public Relations for the American Waterways Operators, Inc., Washington, D. C., in April. He had been executive secretary of the Upper Alle-



ROWLAND R. LEHMAN

gheny Improvement Association. During the war he was on the information staff of the War Food Administration and National Field Information Coordinator for the Office of Price Administration.

Prior to entering the public relations field in the national capital in 1942 he was Chief of the Division of Information, Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture, and press agent for the Pennsylvania State Farm Show, the largest mid-winter farm show in the world. He has done publicity work for several Pennsylvania industrial, transportation, and agricultural associations. Among these clients was Transcontinental and Western Air.

Catlin's newspaper experience includes reporting and editing for the Harrisburg (Pa.) Evening News and Patriot, Beaver Falls (Pa.) Tribune, and New Castle (Pa.) Herald, editorial writing for the Reid Editorial Service and service as Central Pennsylvania correspondent for the old Philadelphia Press and Baltimore (Md.) News.

He is a member of the American Public Relations Association and of the Propeller Club of the United States.

# Builds a Church Early in His Career

In the March, 1950 issue of Bostonia, the Boston University alumni magazine, tribute is paid to the work of the Rev. Marion S. Michael, '39, who received his B.D. degree there in 1942. That article is reprinted here and the cuts were furnished by the editor of that magazine. The article follows:

#### Theology Grad Helps Build Church

Something new has been added to the town of Silver Springs, Md., something new, inspiring and beautiful. It is the Marvin Memorial Methodist Church, early American in architecture, situated on a hill that looks down on the nearby community.

A Boston University graduate was in a large way responsible for the building of this new church. His name is Marion Sylvester Michael, T'42, who has served the community in Silver Springs since 1945. He was the first full-time pastor the church had ever known, and in four years the membership has risen from 175 to over 700 active members of the congregation.

Rev. Mr. Michael, in returning his information sheet to the Alumni office, was too modest in telling the story of the new church. All we could glean from the information he provided is that the new church cost \$120,000 and is only the first building in a series that will result in an educational building, a chapel and parsonage.

This 33-year-old minister has shown rare ability and noteworthy ambition. The father of two boys, his management has been so successful that the educational building will be started in the coming summer. He has a happy complaint: the church school has outgrown itself, with a record enrollment of over 800 pupils.

The church seats, including the balcony, over 400 people. The interior is early American. It has a Möller two



MARION S. MICHAEL

manual pipe organ, a gift from the old Marvin Methodist Church.

Ground breaking ceremonies were held on November 4, 1945, with Judge Charles W. Woodward of Rockville, Md., as principal speaker. Bishop Charles Wesley Flint laid the cornerstone on Palm Sunday, 1946.

Rev. Mr. Michael is very grateful for the help received from the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension of the Methodist Church at Philadelphia.



CHURCH INTERIOR AT SILVER SPRING, MD.

# Worship in New Prayer Chapel in Old West



FACULTY AND STUDENTS AT WORSHIP SERVICE IN NEW CHAPEL IN OLD WEST

A LUMNI returning for Commencement will see a small chapel which has been built at a cost of approximately \$5,000 in the first floor of Old West. Of Colonial design, it is fully equipped with altar furnishings, comfortable pews and has an asphalt tile floor.

Mid-Day Services have been held there five days a week, Monday through Friday, since the opening of the College in September. While attendance is voluntary, there have been as many as 50 students and faculty members present at a service, and the average attendance throughout the year would probably be between 20 and 25, if any record had been kept.

Envisioned by President William W. Edel, he supervised every detail of the construction carried out by George Shuman, Jr., superintendent of grounds and buildings.

A memorial doorway now has four stained glass medallions, and additional ones will be added from time to time. One is the College seal and another the Mariner's Cross, which was designed by President Edel during his days in the Navy and which was adopted by the services.

Dr. William D. Gould, professor of philosophy and religion, is in charge of the chapel services. These have varied according to the preference of the faculty member in charge, and have covered many subjects. Usually a faculty member is assigned for a week, and he reads passage of scripture, offers prayer and makes some comments on the reading. Time is also allowed for silent meditation and the service started at 1:15 is adjourned promptly in 15 minutes.

# EDITORIAL

# A Living Memorial

BY THE TERMS of his will the Dickinson College Library Guild will receive more than \$16,000 from the estate of John M. Rhey, '83, for 30 years a trustee of the College and one of the principal founders and supports of the Guild for nearly half a century. The John M. Rhey Library Guild Fund—it is the College which will designate it thus—will form a living memorial to a man who himself epitomized the gentleman and scholar and who understood that the heart of any

college or university is its library.

What John Rhey did several others before him had done. There are other funds set apart within the Library Guild itself in honor and memory of other persons. To many prospective benefactors cold stone and bronze have an appeal; there is something solid and lasting about a building or a statue. But to others the endowment of the library will be even more attractive. Each gift, however small, yields its annual dividends, and each year new books are purchased with that income which enrich new

generations of students.

The Library Guild operates very simply. All contributions made to it are set aside in its special fund, and the income is used for the purchase of books only. The Guild income, of course, is not large enough to pay for all the books purchased each year. From its undesignated funds the College annually appropriates a fixed sum. But, as the Library Guild increases slowly, the amount of money which it provides for the purchase of books increases a little each year. And that means, that even if the general College appropriation remains unchanged, there will be more money each year for books.

# Make It a Thousand

A STHIS ISSUE goes to press there are 911 life members of the General Alumni Association. That is 94 more than a year ago—the largest annual increase since life membership was established more than 20 years ago. The nearest com-

parable year was 1943-44, when 79 alumni sent in their \$40 checks.

This is impressive as a record of Alumni Association membership; it is also, indirectly, a tribute to the far-sightedness of the late Lemuel T. Appold, '82, who, when he was elected president of the then moribund Alumni Association, resolved that it should come alive. One of the ideas he presented was that of annual and life membership; and it is therefore fitting that all life membership fees are designated a part of the Lemuel Towers Appold Life Membership Fund.

Alumni officers are incapable of amazement; for ten years they have been stunned by the ceaseless tide of life memberships. No effort has ever been made to get these memberships except for two or three letters in the last ten years and the quarterly report on new members. That one out of every six alumni, graduates and nongraduates together, should, unsolicited, join the ranks of life members is a remarkable

performance at least.

Once 250 seemed an impossible goal; then 500 was beyond conception; but when that figure was passed we predicted that 1,000 would be reached one day. We hardly believed it would come so soon. For we can have 1,000 Lifers by June 1951. It will

take only 89 more.

# Two Football Coaches Accept Other Posts

THE College lost two of its football coaches this Spring. Prof. Ralph R. "Dutch" Ricker, assistant professor of political science and head coach since 1946, resigned in March to accept an offer from Lebanon Valley College where he will succeed Andy Kerr, '00, who announced last winter that he was retiring after a long and brilliant coaching career, including the three-year- "tapering off" stint at Lebanon Valley.

David H. Kirk, physical education instructor and assistant coach, who came to Dickinson in 1947 on graduating from West Chester State Teachers College, resigned in April to go to Friends Central School, Philadelphia, as head of its health education program and football and basketball coach. At Dickinson he coached varsity baseball and freshman basketball besides serving as backfield coach in football.

Ricker's over all record in four seasons at Dickinson was a good one, showing 18 wins, 10 defeats and three ties. The team lost only one game in his first season, 1946. His last team, which in some respects was his best, ran out the schedule with five straight victories after two defeats and a tie. He always substituted freely and it was not unusual for 80 per cent or more of his players to win varsity letters in a season. A great Penn State guard in the late '20s, he was the assistant coach for 10 years at West Chester State Teachers College before coming to Dickinson. Both he and Kirk will continue at Dickinson until the end of the present term.

On the screening committee set up by the Board of Athletic Control to interview applicants for the head coach position are Dr. Walter H. Hitchler, chairman, Charles "Chick" Kennedy, George Shuman, Jr., and Benjamin D. James. They hope to have an announcement before the end of the month.



RALPH R. RICKER

### Harrisburg Club Meets

Fourteen members of the college glee club put on a 40-minute preview of "Out of the Red," the 1950 edition of the Dickinson Follies as the feature of the annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of Harrisburg held in the West Shore Country Club, Camp Hill, on May 4.

Dorothy H. Hoy, '41, was elected president, succeeding Robert J. Trace, '36, '41L, who acted as toastmaster. Raymond A. Wert, '32, was re-elected vice-president while LeRoy W. Householder, '28, was named to that post for the first time. Arthur R. Mangan, '37, was chosen as secretary-treasurer.

Dr. Rowland R. Lehman, president of the General Alumni Association, opened the speaking program after a short introduction by Paul L. Hutchison, past president. He was followed by Dean Walter H. Hitchler, of the Law School; President Edel and Gilbert Malcolm. The Rev. Victor B. Hann, '28, superintendent of the Methodist Home for Children at Shiremanstown, offered the invocation.

# Club Seeks Restoration of Dickinson Mansion

A resolution to support a movement to restore the John Dickinson mansion near Dover, Del., was adopted at the annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of Delaware held in the Grill Room of the Hotel DuPont in Wilmington on April 21. The action followed an address by Robert H. Richards, '95, member of the Board of Trustees and prominent attorney, who is also a student of history.

It was stated that Senator J. Allen Frear is urging a plan for the National Park Service to make the Dickinson mansion a historic site. Members of the club planned to write him indicating their interest in the project.

Dr. C. E. Wagner, '14, retiring president, acted as toastmaster at the dinner

and the Rev. Dr. Walter A. Hearn, '14, offered the invocation. Other speakers were President Edel and Vice-President Malcolm. At the opening of the program, tribute was paid to the memory of Earl D. Willey, '13, long active in Dickinson affairs, who died on March 17.

Jack H. Caum, '34, was named as the new president, and three vice-presidents were elected: Howard L. Williams, '40; Dr. John H. Shilling, '08; and George T. Macklin, '11. Mrs. E. J. Heck, '15, was chosen secretary and Walter F. From, '49, treasurer.

After the dinner, Dr. Shilling in talking with the new officers proposed that consideration be given to holding the dinner of the Delaware club in Dover in some future year.

#### Meet in Altoona

After a two year lapse the Dickinson Club of Altoona set a new attendance record when 64 attended the dinner held in the Penn Alto Hotel on May 10.

The dinner was held during work on the Ten Year Development campaign in that area. Park H. Loose, '27, chairman for that effort reported that a goal of \$35,000 had been passed and that he could report a total of \$39,186 contributed with many prospects still to be seen.

Donald M. Geesey, Jr., '40, '42L, presided as toastmaster and was elected president of the club. Dr. J. Merrill Williams, '08, offered the invocation and also led the group singing. For some of the songs, Benj. Hinchman, Jr., '05, was at the piano. He was the composer of a number of the college songs.

Robert C. Slutzker, '48, and Mrs. Anna Greene Stultz, '33, were chosen vice-presidents and Dr. George H. Ketterer, '08, and John M. Klepser, '22,

was re-elected secretary and treasurer, respectively.

Speakers at the dinner were Dr. Rowland R. Lehman, George Shuman, Jr., Miss Phoebe G. Follmer, Dean W. H. Hitchler and Vice-President Gilbert Malcolm.

# Club Meets in Trenton

The annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of Central New Jersey was held in the Stacy-Trent Hotel, Trenton, on May 8 with 40 present. The Rev. William R. Guffick, '25, president of the club, acted as toastmaster and Harold W. Keller, '23, returned thanks.

As officers are elected for two year terms and were chosen in 1949, no election was held.

Five representatives of the college staff attended the dinner and were the speakers. They were George Shuman, Jr., treasurer; Miss Phoebe G. Follmer, Dean of Women; John F. Bacon, Director of the Development Program; President Edel and Vice-President Malcolm.

# To Become Registrar of College in June



ASA W. CLIMENHAGA



RAYMOND P. G. BOWMAN

**D**R. ASA W. CLIMENHAGA, teacher and administrator for 30 years, will become registrar of the College on June 1. Dr. Raymond P. G. Bowman, the registrar since 1945, who is also assistant professor of psychology, will devote fulltime to teaching in the department of education and psychology.

Dr. Climenhaga was dean of Messiah Bible College, Grantham, Pa., where he also devoted 23 years to registration work. He is a member of the Eastern Association of College Deans and of the American Association of Collegiate Registrars. He was president of the Pennsylvania Association of Junior Colleges in 1946 and a member of its executive committee for the next three years.

After the war he served on the Governor's committee to study Pennsylvania's needs for area colleges for veterans. He set up the large Harrisburg area college and was its directing head for the two years it operated. During that time he worked with many Dickinson faculty members who taught evening classes at the area school. Dr. Climenhaga also served on the Governor's advisory committee on higher education. He has as-

sisted with many high school evaluations and has done follow-up study of junior college graduates for the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

A graduate of Taylor University, he holds an M.A. in psychology and guidance from Wittenburg and a Doctor of Education from Syracuse. He has studied at Columbia and Pennsylvania.

Dr. Bowman joined the faculty in 1941. He became assistant registrar in 1944 and the registrar the following year. He taught some classes along with his administrative work.

# Studies Europe's Slums

M. P. Potamkin, '32, an official of the Orleans Construction Company of Philadelphia, recently returned from a six weeks survey tour of Europe. "Patsy" was accompanied by his wife and visited slum clearance projects and rehabilitated areas in the Netherlands, Italy, France, Belgium, Great Britain and Scandinavian countries.

A graduate of the college, he has a master's degree in education and social work from Temple University.

# Basketball Players Set Five New Records

The basketball team established five new all-time Dickinson scoring standards last season, although its won-lost record was but a modest 11 and 6, a duplicate of the previous season.

It scored a total of 1,159 points, a one-season record, and yielded 1,149. It averaged 68.1 points per game, also a new record, as against 67.5 by opponents.

Richard Zilling, sophomore star and leading individual scorer, averaged 20 points per game, a Dickinson record. He totaled 320 points and had he not missed a contest because of illness might have surpassed the record of 329 points set three years ago by Johnny Hopper.

Weston Overholt, captain and the only senior on the starting team, contributed two individual records in running his total for three years to 857 (Hopper held the old mark of 768) and for four years (he played as a freshman under wartime rules) to 989 points. Overholt set two other records in his junior year that still stand-most points in a single game in the Alumni Gymnasium, 39, and most foul conversions in one season, 95. Observers of the local basketball scene bracket this slim 6-1, straight A student and campus leader with such Dickinson all-time court greats as Fred Sweely, Tom Foley, Jack Nieman and Hopper.

This record-breaking team also contributed a couple of records in reverse. The 100 points it yielded to Albright at Reading are the most ever given up by a Dickinson team. It yielded 95 in the first Gettysburg game for a new high watermark by either institution in this

long rivalry.

Most satisfactory victory was the 66-51 triumph over Gettysburg in the return game. Biggest disappointment was a 51-65 loss to F. and M. team at Lancaster. Results of other games too late in the season for publication in the last issue of the magazine were losses at Elizabethtown 77-79, and at Albright, 74-100, and the 80-69 victory over Bucknell in the finale.

The 11 and 6 record gives Coach "Chick" Kennedy an over-all mark of 36 victories, 15 defeats for his three seasons at the helm. Jack Slike and Elwood Long, juniors, will co-captain next season's team.

The strong freshman team won 11 games and produced two players of certain varsity calibre, William Stark, Camden, N. J., who led the team in scoring with a 21-point average, and Jerome Bloch, Philadelphia.

### Club Holds Dinner-Dance

The 56th annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of Baltimore was held on April 28 in the Park Plaza Hotel with 80 present. A dance was held following the dinner with music by Rivers Chambers.

Austin W. Brizendine, '39, retiring president was master of ceremonies and made the welcoming address and the Rev. Dr. Frank Steelman, '10, offered the invocation.

Dr. Whitfield J. Bell, Jr., college historian, was the principal speaker on the subject "Dickinson and Its Future—One Man's View." Other speakers were President Edel, Vice-President Malcalm and Dr. R. R. Lehman, president of the General Alumni Association.

The Rev. S. Carroll Coale, '08, who will be awarded the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity at Commencement, was elected president of the club. C. Blair Kerchner, '40, was re-elected vice-president while W. Gibbs McKenney, Jr., '39, who had been treasurer, was also elected a vice-president changing places with J. Pearce Davenport, '40. Catherine S. Eitemiller, '46, was reelected secretary.

The committee for the dinner-dance was composed of Lewis M. Bacon, '02; J. Henry Baker, '93; Rev. S. Carroll Coale, '08; William F. Depp, '40; S. M. Drayer, '02; Irene Yeager Duncan, '40, and Henry B. Suter, '31.

# Trustee of College and Law School Dies

GEORGE E. LLOYD, '01, '03L, lawyer and banker, trustee of the College and of the Law School, died of heart disease in the Carlisle Hospital on March 18. He was a former district attorney of Cumberland County.

A trustee of the College, he was a member of the Finance Committee and also a member of the Dickinson College Board of Athletic Control. He was vicepresident of the Law School's Board of Trustees.

Until his retirement in 1945, he was trust officer of the Pennsylvania Company, Philadelphia. He became associated with the Federal Reserve Bank in Philadelphia in 1923 and was later an official of the Colonial Trust Company which subsequently merged with the Pennsylvania Company.

Admitted to the Cumberland County Bar following his graduation from the Law School in 1903, he maintained offices in Mechanicsburg and Carlisle until the time of his death. From 1916 to 1920, he was district attorney of Cumberland County. He gave lecture courses on wills and trusts at the Dickinson School of Law, Temple University Law School, and the American Institute of Banking. He also served as chairman of the Committee on Legislation of the Corporate Fiduciaries Association of Philadelphia. During World War I, Mr. Lloyd was director of the War Savings and Liberty Loan Campaign for Cumberland County and also in Philadelphia.

He was a director of the First Bank and Trust Company in Mechanicsburg for many years and was secretary of the Allen and East Pennsboro Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

A member of Beta Theta Pi and Delta Chi Fraternities, he was a Mason, a member of the Elks, the Knights of Pythias, the Carlisle Country Club, and the Art Club of Philadelphia. He held memberships in the American Bar Association,



GEORGE E. LLOYD

the Pennsylvania Bar Association, and the Lawyers' Club of Philadelphia. He was a member of St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Mechanicsburg.

He was a member of the Board of Directors of the State Hospital in Harrisburg and also was a member of the Board of Directors at the Carlisle Hospital and Seidle Memorial Hospital in Mechanicsburg.

Born in Mechanicsburg on October 16, 1878, he was the son of the late Colonel William Penn and Anna Boyer Lloyd. He was a graduate of the Dickinson Preparatory School in 1897, received his Ph.B. from the College in 1901 and an A.M. in 1903 when he graduated from the Law School with an LL.B. degree. On June 12, 1912, he married Miriam S. Eberly, of Harrisburg, who, with the exception of nieces and nephews, is the only survivor.

The College held a memorial chapel program on May 16 at which Mr. Lloyd was eulogized by Dr. Walter H. Hitchler, dean of the law school, for "unfailing loyalty" to all institutions with which he was associated.

# Author Appeals To All To Read The Bible

IN HIS first book, Let's Read the Bible, the Rev. Kenneth Clinton, '37, pastor of the First Congregational Church, Wakefield, Mass., appeals to all to read the Bible. The review published below was written by the Rev. J. Wesley Robb, instructor of philosophy and religion in the college.

On the fly leaf of the copy the Rev. Mr. Clinton sent for the college library, he wrote "To Dickinson College—in gratitude for many things—in particular, the freshman rhetoric course by Professor Ralph Schecter, a course which casts a long shadow down my life and work."

The book is the result of a life-time of Bible reading on the part of the author, begun in his childhood home in Ireland, and continued through his busy pastoral ministry in America.

Born on February 23, 1911, in Cookstown, County Tyrone, North Ireland, he is the son of the Rev. James Robert Clinton, now serving Congregational churches in America. Following his graduation from the college in 1937, he entered Andover Newton Theological School and received his B.D. in 1940. While a student there he served the Second Congregation Church in West Boxford, Mass., and upon graduation became pastor of the Union Congregational Church in West Palm Beach, Fla., serving there until 1946 when he was chosen associate pastor of the large church in Columbus, Ohio. Last year he became pastor of the First Congregation Church in Wakefield, Mass.

A member of Kappa Sigma Fraternity, he is an honorary member of the Mark Twain Society and a member of the National Association of Biblical Instructors.

He married Jean H. Fowell in Newark, Del., on July 28, 1934, while he was a college student. They have four children, David Ernest, Desmond Kenneth, Dennis Corr and Katrina Folwell, ranging in age from 12 to four years.



KENNETH CLINTON

Clinton, Kenneth, Let's Read the Bible. (N. Y.: The Macmillan Company, 1950) \$2.00.

Let's Read the Bible is a timely appeal to rediscover the rich depth and value of the Bible. After realistically facing the fact that the Bible is not the influential force it once was in American life, the author proceeds to point out the relevance of the Bible to contemporary need. The value of the book, at this point, is its clarity and wisely chosen references to Biblical characters and stories. The author does not leave the reader in ambiguous suspension, but freely uses the Bible to make clear the way in which it is applicable and meaningful to our time. Obviously this involves an interpretation of ancient stories to fit modern eyes, but such interpretation serves only to enhance the value of the book rather than detract from it.

The reader will find the practical suggestions for home and individual study of the Bible particularly helpful. These appear in the closing chapters of the book.

The strength of the volume resides in

its simplicity and practicality. In a day when the dearth of intelligent Biblical study is most apparent, a book, such as this, designed for laymen is most appropriate and should be a helpful instrument in leading men back to those universal truths in the "Book of Books."

J. WESLEY ROBB.

#### New York Club Plans Next Dinner

Finding that a springtime date results in a poor attendance, the Dickinson Club of New York set Friday, December 1, 1950, for the next dinner meeting at the annual function held in the Hotel Russell on April 14.

Henry Logan, '10, attorney of Brooklyn, who has long been active in the club's affairs, was elected president to succeed Dr. Irving A. Marsland, '14. Dr. Marsland, who is a dentist in Mamaroneck, N. Y., is also a lay preacher and is serving as pastor of the Methodist Church in Georgetown, Conn., which has one of the oldest edifices in America.

John J. Snyder, '33, vice-president of John Wiley & Sons, Inc., publishers of books, was elected vice-president, and Harold G. Oerther, '27, was re-elected secretary-treasurer. Mervin G. Eppley, '17, Thomas R. Gallagher, '27, and Alta M. Kimmel, '23, were named to the executive committee.

Dr. Elmer E. Pearce, '05, offered the invocation, and the speakers were Dr. Rowland R. Lehman, president of the General Alumni Association, President Edel and Vice-President Malcolm.

# Philadelphia Club Meets

With 66 present, the annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of Philadelphia was held in the Robert Morris Hotel on February 24. A feature of the program was presented by members of the college glee club under the direction of John S. Steckbeck, director.

Dr. Joel Claster, '14, retiring presi-

dent, acted as toastmaster, and the Rev. Dr. William H. Ford, '94, offered the invocation.

Thomas V. Zug, '33, attorney of Philadelphia, was elected president, while Dr. J. Watson Pedlow, '29, and Nell H. Marvil, '18, were chosen as vice-presidents. C. Wendell Holmes, '21, who is also secretary of the General Alumni Association, was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

The speakers were Dr. Rowland R. Lehman, president of the General Alumni Association; Miss Phoebe G. Follmer, Dean of Women; Boyd Lee Spahr, president of the Board of Trustees, President Edel and Vice-President Malcolm.

# Trying Out Lacrosse

Lacrosse, introduced to the campus this season on a trial basis, provided the only undefeated team at the College this spring on an all-sports calendar of 48 contests.

Overcoming inexperience with sheer enthusiasm, the informal lacrosse team played two matches with the Penn State Harrisburg Center and one with the F. and M. jayvees and won all by one-sided scores. Prof. Francis Warlow served as coach-advisor. If student interest is sustained over a three-year trial period the rugged sport may be put on a permanent basis, the Athletic Board ruled.

The baseball team has victories over Moravian, F. and M. and Elizabethtown, has lost to Susquehanna, Gettysburg, Temple and Juniata. The track team balanced dual meet defeats at the hands of Johns Hopkins and Bucknell with victories over Juniata and Albright, finished second to F. and M. in a triangular meet in which Gettysburg was the third entry and placed fourth and sixth in two races at the Penn relays. The strong tennis team has a five and two record and the golfers have one victory in seven matches.

# Writes Volume On Religious Philosophies

PR. VINCENT A. McCROSSEN, '30, professor of romance languages at Boston College, is the author of *The New Renaissance of the Spirit* which is reviewed below by the Rev. J. Wesley Robb, instructor of philosophy and religion at the college.

Before going to Boston College, Dr. McCrossen was a member of the faculty at Marietta College in Ohio. He has written many educational studies. A graduate of Dickinson College in 1930 with Phi Beta Kappa honors, he received his Ph.D. from the University of Pittsburgh. During the war, he taught Russian at the Navy School of Oriental Languages in the University of Colorado.

McCrossen, Vincent A., The New Renaissance of the Spirit. (N. Y.: Philosophical Library, 1949) \$3.00.

Christians everywhere agree that western man has lost his faith in God and that the inroads of secularism upon western life threaten those values for which our civilization has been noted historically. It is to this problem Professor McCrossen addresses himself in this volume.

Although the reader may disagree with the thesis that the new renaissance of the spirit is assured in the spiritual leadership of Italy and France, the author's optimistic outlook for the future is a breath of air amidst the pessimism of a Spenglerian philosophy of history. The striking parallel between the decadence of Roman civilization and the birth of Christianity and between the sensate character of our day and the new day now emerging will be of particular interest to the reader. This is no new insight as the author acknowledges, but his assurance of the ultimate collapse of any civilization built upon the shoddy foundation of materialism is a desirable emphasis for our

However, the distinctive feature of the



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volume is disclosed in the author's faith in the truths of the Christian religion. Although the writer's tendency to equate the Christian faith with Roman Christianity is not acceptable to the Protestant mind, the continuous appeal for the reclamation of our civilization upon the principles of Christ is of great value. For this appropriate emphasis the author deserves credit and acclaim. This emphasis is made clear in his primary appeal, ". . . we must return to Christianity, we must return to Christ and live by His norms, we must build again a Christian civilization." (p. 216) He believes the central emphasis in this appeal must be upon the Love of God for all men and in this concept he discovers a principle that transcends all theological divisions within the Christian church. "Presbyterian may differ," he states, "with Anglican and Lutheran with Catholic and Orthodox with Uniate, and these differences are serious before God. He sorrows for His one fold again in Christendom. But in our time we so terribly need to stress also what we have in common. And all of us emphasize the Love of God as surpassing all things." (p. 246)

Professor McCrossen shows a remarkable acquaintance with the ancient civilizations of Greece and Rome and his use of history as a descriptive instrument is particularly commendable. The careful reader will find the book stimulating and provocative.

J. WESLEY ROBB.

### In True Detective

The fame of Dr. Milton W. Eddy, head of the department of biology, for his work in the micro-photography of hair is mentioned in the April issue of True Detective.

In telling the story of "The Strangling at Brown's Creek," which occurred in 1945, it is reported that Dr. W. L. Lanyon, pathologist of the Nesbitt Hospital, Kingston, Pa., told the police "I'd suggest that you consult Dr. Milton Walker Eddy. He is one of the country's leading authorities on the classification of hair and fibers."

The story goes on to tell how Dr. Eddy's work helped to identify the strangler, brought about his confession and a sentence to life imprisonment.

# At Crozer Inauguration

The Rev. Woodrow W. Kern, '38, pastor of the Upland Methodist Church. was the delegate of Dickinson College at the inauguration of Dr. Sankey Lee Blanton as president of Crozer Theological Seminary in Chester, Pa., on May 8. For the past three years, the Rev. Mr. Kern has been auditing a course at Crozer each semester.

In April, he conducted a three-day institute on temperance at Coatesville, Pa., when he addressed the nineteen hundred students in the junior and senior high schools there. On April 16, his sermon in the Olivet Methodist Church was broadcast over Station WCOI of Coatesville.

# Sells Picture Rights

Motion picture rights to "Brother Van," an Abingdon-Cokesbury book, published in 1948, have been sold by the author, the Rev. Alson J. Smith, '30, to Republic Pictures, Inc. This story of the home missionary activities of the late Rev. William W. Van Orsdel throughout the state of Montana is to be dramatized as a full-length feature picture in a series on pioneers who have helped to build America's social and religious structure.

The Rev. Mr. Smith is a member of the New York East Conference and serves churches near Stamford, Conn. His latest book, "A Faith to Live By," was published by Doubleday in 1949. Mr. Smith has written on religious subjects for many popular magazines.

#### Receive Memorial Gift

Bishop W. Earl Ledden, '10, resident bishop of the Syracuse Area of the Methodist Church, and Mrs. Ledden have received from ministers and laymen of that area \$1,000 as a gift of love and sympathy to be used as a living memorial to their son, Prof. Joseph Earl Ledden, who died just a year ago. The Leddens announced they will send it to missionary leaders for a boys dormitory at Minga, in the African Congo, where Bishop Ledden visited recently. The dormitory is to be known as Joseph Earl Ledden Memorial Hall. Prof. Ledden died suddenly last May while his father was in the midst of Annual Conference sessions. He was an assistant professor of philosophy at Mount Holyoke College.

# Named Hospital Chief

Dr. George E. Mark, Jr., '32, was named chief of the department of medicine at Frankford Hospital last month. He is assistant professor of medicine at Temple University Medical School.

A graduate of Temple, he served his internship at Temple Hospital and held residencies at Temple and the Hospital

of the University of Michigan.

# Three Students Die in Auto Accident

Three Dickinsonians—two of them students in the College and one a June, 1949, graduate attending the Dickinson School of Law—lost their lives the night of March 18 when their automobile was struck by another car and plunged into a deep roadside quarry near Hanover, Pa.

One of the victims was William T. Long, Jr., the son of Dickinsonians, William T. Long, '20, and Mildred Masonheimer Long, '21, of Westfield, N. J. An only child, he was 19 years old and a sophomore pre-medical student.

His companions on the fatal ride were Thomas H. Cornell, a junior and son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Talbot Cornell, of Lock Haven, Pa., and Hugh Alexander Lawhead, Jr., '49, second semester student at the Law School and son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lawhead, of Hyde, near Clearfield, Pa.

The tragedy left the campus and community stunned. The boys had been highly thought of and had good records as students. The funeral services on the same day in the respective homes of the boys were attended by officials of the College. All three of the students were members of Sigma Alpha Epsilon. Sorrowing fraternity brothers, dividing themselves into three groups, attended the services.

The next day a memorial service was held in Memorial Hall Old West. President Edel spoke. Representatives of the fraternity, Student Senate and the faculty took active part. The College Choir sang.

The tragedy had occurred at midnight, a half hour and more after the boys left the campus in Cornell's car on a trip to Baltimore. It was believed that they died instantly in the 125-foot plunge of the car into the quarry. There had been no indication at first that a second car was involved. After a day of investigation Pennsylvania State Police arrested a motorist in Maryland who admitted that his car, emerging from a side road, had

collided with the boys' vehicle, sending it out of control into the quarry. The motorist fled from the scene without notifying the authorities of the accident. He was sentenced to four months in prison by the Adams County court.

# Heads Dental Clinic

Dr. Alfred F. Morin, '43, who is practicing dentistry in West Warwick, R. I., was appointed in March director of the Joseph Samuels Dental Clinic for Children at the Rhode Island Hospital in Providence. He will continue his private practice. A graduate of Tufts College Dental School, Dr. Morin served a six months internship in oral surgery at Rhode Island State Hospital in Howard. Following Army service and before entering dental school, he taught hygiene and physical education in the West Warwick Senior High School for two seasons.

# Heads Rotary District

W. E. Shissler, '26, '28L, was elected governor of the 289th Rotary International District at the annual conference held at Hershey last month.

A resident of New Cumberland and a member of the Cumberland County Bar, Mr. Shissler is a past president of the West Shore Rotary Club.

# **Becomes Chief Justice**

James B. Drew, of Pittsburgh, became Chief Justice of the Pennsylvania Supreme Court in March.

Justice Drew, who has been a member of the court since 1931, received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from the College in 1939, the year his son, John A. Drew, graduated from the Law School.

# PERSONALS

#### 1899

Dr. Thomas M. West has moved from Williamsport, Pa., to Toms River, N. J., where his address is Route 3, Box 511.

#### 1900

Howard E. Gansworth has changed his address from Buffalo, N. Y., to 35 Campus Drive, East, Snyder 21, N. Y.

For the past three years, Dr. Albert M. Witwer has been serving as field secretary of the Endowment Campaign of the Preachers' Air Society of the Philadelphia Conference. With a goal of \$1,000,000, the campaign has now passed the \$875,000 mark and Dr. Witwer will continue in the effort for at least

another year.

Following the tradition of the years, 1900 as the 50th Reunion Class will have the place of honor and will sit on the platform at the Alumni Luncheon on Alumni Day, Saturday, June 3 in the Alumni Gymnasium. Dr. Boyd Lee Spahr will speak at the luncheon. The members of the class will also be the guests of the college at dinner in the Prettyman Room of the College Commons on Sunday, June 4.

#### 1901

Mrs. Josephine B. Meredith, former Dean of Women, spent most of the winter in Florida and returned last month to the home of her daughter in Urbana, Ill. While south, she visited Georgia M. Cranston, '06.

Dr. Daniel P. Ray, urology specialist of Johnstown, Pa., became medical director of the Johnstown Regional Blood Center last month.

#### 1905

The 45th Reunion of 1905 will be held

during Commencement.

The Rev. Dr. Elmer E. Pearce is vice-president of the Board of Trustees of Centenary Junior College, Hackettstown, N. J.

#### 1906

Mrs. Delora Armstrong Pitman is supervisor of nurses in the Children's Hospital, Hollywood, California. Her husband, the Rev. Frank Pitman, who was pastor of the First Congregational Church, Belfast, Maine, died over a year ago.

1907

H. P. Swain has been principal of the North High School in Columbus, Ohio, since May, 1934. The school has more than 1500 students with a faculty of 65.

At a recent conference of his Rotary District, Professor L. Guy Rohrbaugh, of the College faculty, was hailed for an unbroken attendance record at Rotary meetings of 18 years.

#### 1908

Mrs. J. Thompson Henry, the former Ethel R. Carothers, has completed her term as president of the Women's Missionary Society of the Presbytery of Huntingdon and presided over the two day session of the society held in Altoona, April 25 and 26.

Dr. J. Merrill Williams is at present acting as the stated supply pastor of the Evangelical Reformed Church of Roaring Spring.

William McIndoe, of Roanoke, Virginia, was the representative of Dickinson College at the inauguration of Dr. H. Sherman Oberly as president of Roanoke College in Salem, Virginia, on April 14.

Lin Hartzell is making plans for the 40th Reunion of 1910 to be held during Com-

mencement, June 2, 3 and 4.

#### 1915

Mr. and Mrs. Foster H. Fanseen will go to Chapel Hill, N. C., to attend the University of North Carolina commencement on June 5 when their son, James, will be one of the graduates.

The Rev. Dr. Howard B. Warren is pastor of the East Avenue Methodist Church, East Norwalk, Conn.

The Class of 1915 will present the portrait of President William W. Edel at the Alumni Luncheon on June 3. The Class dinner will be held in the President's House that night at 7 o'clock.

### 1917

At the observance of the tenth anniversary of the Medical Service Association of Pennsylvania on March 30, a plaque was presented to Dr. Roy W. Mohler, surgeon of Philadel-phia and trustee of the College. The plaque bore the inscription, "In sincere appreciation and gratitude to the outstanding leadership and service he has given in behalf of the subscribers and physicians of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania through his association with this organization as a member of the Board of Directors for six years." One of the signatures on the plaque was that of Dr. E. Roger Samuel, '10, president of the Pennsylvania Medical Society.

Dr. E. David Weinberg and his brother, Dr. J. Arthur Weinberg, '21, have announced the removal of their offices to The Latrobe, N. E. corner of Charles Street at Read, Baltimore 2, Md. They formerly had their offices at Eutaw Place.

#### 1918

An article "Musical Scales and Their Classification" by Dr. J. Murray Barbour, of the music department of Michigan State College, appeared in The Journal of the Accoustical Society of America last November.

Bob Beaver, the son of Paul E. Beaver, lawyer of Altoona, was recently named on the second team of the Associated Press All-Star Pennsylvania Scholastic Basketball Players. Bob, who will enter the College next September is also an outstanding baseball player.

#### 1919L

Colonel Thomas J. Frailey, who retired from the U.S. Government Service after 32 years of civilian and military duty, is teaching law in the Business Administration Department of his Alma Mater, Mount Saint Mary's College, Emmitsburg, Md. He was recently elected vice president of the Farmers State Bank, Emmitsburg, Md.

For years, the class list in the biographical directories have carried the name of Mary Davis as unmarried. It has just been learned that she was married June 29, 1922, to Fred H. Shockey and was divorced in 1940. She had six children, two sons and four daughters, and is now living at 116 North Street, Myersdale, Pa. One of her sons, John W. Shockey, served in the Navy in World War II. Three of her daughters and one of her sons are married and she has six grandchildren.

Charles A. Auker, attorney of Altoona, is a candidate for re-election on the Republican ballot for the Pennsylvania House of Repre-

sentatives from his district.

Dean Russell I. Thompson is improving steadily and should be on deck for the class reunion at Commencement. Carl Obermiller has stepped into the breach and is carrying out the planning for the reunion.

#### 1921

Anna E. Oakes has moved from Roslyn, Pa., to 5117 North Thirteenth Street, Phila-

delphia 41, Pa.

Phillips Brooks Scott, after some weeks as a patient in Harrisburg Hospital, is seriously ill at his home, 100 South Arlington Avenue, Colonial Park, Harrisburg, Pa.

Mrs. M. B. Payne, the former Xenna Mac-Lean, of Westfield, Pa., reports her first grandchild and that her oldest daughter is a nurse in New Orleans.

Mary R. Learned, of the faculty of Wells College, is on sabbatical leave and is spending

a year in Paris.

#### 1922

Mrs. Tula Spangler, widow of Elmer J. Spangler, died on April 30 at Carlisle Hospital of a heart attack. She was the mother of Lloyd E. Spangler, member of the faculty of the Atlantic City High School.

Helen M. Wehrle is superintendent of rural work for Cook County, Tenn. She conducted a series of work shops for handicraft there

last winter.

#### 1923

Edith G. Hoover will serve as the representative of Dickinson College on May 27 at the inauguration of Dr. John H. Fray as president of Marion College, where she is head of the department of social studies and chairman of the academic committee. She was the delegate of Marion College at the inauguration of Dr. H. Sherman Oberly as president of Roanoke College in Salem, Va., on April 14.

Mrs. Katherine Spotts Line, mother of Mary K. Line, died on March 31 at her home in She would have been 97 years of

age had she lived to this May.

The address of the Rev. Dr. Alexander K. Smith is now 27 Simpson Road, Ardmore, Pa., where he is pastor of the Methodist Church after serving as district superintendent.

#### 1925

W. D. McCahan, who is serving with the Army in the Pacific Theatre, has been promoted from major to lieutenant colonel.

Karl W. Fischer, member of the editorial staff of the Indianapolis News, served as the representative of the College at the inauguration of Harold Wellington Richardson as tenth president of Franklin College in Franklin, Ind., on April 29.

The Class will present the portrait of the late Dean Montgomery P. Sellers at the Alumni Luncheon on Saturday, June 3. Plans for the 25th reunion are well arranged and it appears that many members of the class will be back for Commencement.

Mrs. Robert Stuckenrath, the former Carola Learned, is in charge of the Mifflin County

Library, Mifflintown, Pa.

#### 1926

Ralph Wallis has been appointed associate editor of Press, publication of the White House News Photographers Association. He went to the Washington AP photo desk, having been transferred from Philadelphia last summer. He joined the Associated Press from the staff of the *Harrisburg Patriot*, where he worked on the Capital Hill Staff until 1944.

#### 1928

James G. Haggerty, a member of the Mechanicsburg High School faculty for the past twenty-three years, and principal for the past six years, was granted a Sabbatical leave of absence for the 1950-51 school term at a meeting of the Board of Education held May 9.

Lawrence D. Dibble has given up his practice of law in Chicago to accept a position with the Federal Government and his address is now 711 Fourteenth Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

#### 1930

Mr. and Mrs. James Edward Nolen, 129 Walnut Street, Carlisle, announced the birth of a son, James Hartman Nolen, on March 9. The 20th Reunion of 1930 will be held

during Commencement, June 2, 3 and 4.

#### 1931

Mr. and Mrs. William H. McCrea, Jr., of Newville, Pa., announce the birth of a son on April 16.

Leonard J. Timms has been made general superintendent of mines for a large Bluefield, W. Va., coal company and is residing at 1323 White Thorn Street there.

Chaplain George R. McCahan, who was base chaplain at the Greenville Army Air Base, S. C., is stationed now at the Olmstead Air Force Base, Middletown, Pa.

### 1932

Robert D. Stover is director of the Civil Service Department at the State of Minnesota with offices in St. Paul.

Lt. Col. C. R. Revie has been transferred to OQMG, Pentagon Building, Washington, D. C., from the Canal Zone.

William J. Taylor has been appointed principal of the high school at Barnesboro, Pa.

#### 1933

Mr. and Mrs. Hilburt Slosburg of 1701 Sixteenth Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., announce the birth of a daughter, Lynn Alison, on March 22. Mr. Slosburg has been a Federal Government lawyer for the past eleven years, including five years in uniform, and is located with the Housing and Home Finance Agency.

Dr. and Mrs. Jesse J. Hymes, of 30 East Fortieth Street, New York City, announce the birth of a son, Leonard Curtis, on April 6.

Hugo Vivadelli, who had been teaching at Barnesboro, Pa., is the new principal of the high school at Spangler, in western Pennsylvania.

Jack B. Daugherty, who had been teaching at Barnesboro, Pa., is studying for his Ph.D. in physical education at New York University and in the Fall will take a position with Indiana University, Bloomington.

#### 1934

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Fowler, Jr., of Albion Point, Carlisle, Pa., announced the birth of a daughter, Jean Fletcher, on March 9.

John C. Nebo is consultant of the Visiting Counsel Program and is working as State Consultant with the school social workers in the State of Illinois. At present he is located at the Bloom Township High School, Chicago Heights, Ill.

#### 1935

Dr. R. Edward Steele has announced the opening of his office at 122 Walnut Street, Harrisburg, Pa., in a practice limited to general surgery.

On June 1, the new address of Mrs. Donald MacCampbell, the former Kathleen Rickenbaugh, will be 214 Hubbard Avenue, Stamford, Conn. Her old address was in Greenwich, Conn.

The 15th Reunion of 1935 will be held during Commencement, June 2, 3 and 4. A good local committee is making fine plans for the occasion.

William K. Spangler became manager of the consumer credit department of the Carlisle Trust Company in January. He had been with the Carlisle office of the Personal Finance Company.

#### 1936

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Snyder Longanecker. of Gettysburg, announce the birth of a daughter, February 28. The baby has been named Helen Joanna, after her maternal grandmother, the late Mrs. John Stenena, and her maternal great-grandmother, Mrs. Robert L. Myers, of Camp Hill, who is the mother of two Dickinsonians and the grandmother of five. The Longaneckers have two sons, Edwin, 5, and John, 4. Mrs. Longanecker is the former Mary Richards Stenena.

John H. James, flight dispatcher with the American Overseas Airlines, has been transferred from Shannon, Ireland, to Stockholm. His new address: Sandstensuäges 16, Alster, Stockholm, Sweden.

Professor William E. Kerstetter, of the Department of Philosophy at Baldwin-Wallace College, Berea, Ohio, was the delegate of Dickinon College at the inauguration of Dr. John Lowden Knight as president of Baldwin-Wallace on May 12.

C. Richard Stover was chairman of the city

division of the Red Cross fund drive in Carlisle in March.

#### 1937

William J. Rickert, the husband of the former Floyde J. Williams, was accidentally killed on December 21 while at his work in the railroad shops in Altoona. Mrs. Rickert is living with their six-year-old daughter, Gayle, at R. D. 2, Box 154, Altoona, Pa.

Edward J. McClain, attorney of Beaver, Pa., served as the delegate of Dickinson College at the inauguration of Charles Marston Lee as president of Geneva College at Beaver

Falls, Pa., on April 20.

#### 1938

Dr. and Mrs. Harold E. Adams, of Akron, Ohio, announced the birth of a son, Harold Elwood Adams, Jr., on March 2. Mrs. Adams is the former Caroline Goodyear.

Dr. and Mrs. G. Winfield Yarnall of Harrisburg have announced the birth of a daughter, Elizabeth Morgan, on April 16. Mrs. Yarnall is the former Janet M. Persun.

#### 1939

Charles H. McLaughlin, Jr., has closed his practice of law in Greencastle, Pa., and is now associated with the central Pennsylvania agency of the Provident Mutual Life Insurance Company of Philadelphia in Harrisburg. He will specialize in estate analysis, business insurance and pension planning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harter, of 237 South Maple Avenue, Mt. Carmel, Pa., announce the birth of a daughter, Ann Rheys Harter, on March 4, 1950. Mrs. Harter is the former

Ann Rheys.

#### 1940

Dr. Paul L. Gorsuch has resigned from the military service and is now engaged in the private practice of medicine with offices at 1024 Nix Professional Building, San Antonio, Tex.

Samuel F. Hepford was married five years ago on May 16, 1945, to Bernita A. Duke, of Columbus, Ohio, who served in the Marine

Corps.

Fred Fry is living in Newport, Pa., and is employed in the order department of the col-

lege library at Pennsylvania State College.
Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Williams, of
Wilmington, Del., announce the birth of a
son, David Howard Williams, on April 17.

Mrs. Edwin C. Marotte, the former Dorothy E. Wright, has this new address: 1800 Rhodes

Haverty Building, Atlanta, Ga. Rev. Herbert W. Stroup, Jr., husband of the former Barbara Kirkpatrick, pastor of St. John's Lutheran Church, Mercersburg, Pa., since May, 1943, became pastor of Holy Trinity Church in Raleigh, N. C., on May 1. Her new address is 622 Hillsboro Street, Raleigh, N. C.

#### 1942

Angela F. Hull was married March 25 to First Lieutenant Charles E. Jacobs at Fort Bragg Army Chapel. Lieutenant Jacobs attended Mercer University, Macon, Ga., and he is from Harrisburg, Pa. Mrs. Jacobs is the Adult Club Director of the Y. W. C. A. in Harrisburg. Until September, 1950, their address will be 3023 North Second Street, Harrisburg.

J. Frank Gayman passed the Pennsylvania Bar Examinations and is in Harrisburg.

#### 1943

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Price Graham, Jr., of 533 South Wayne Street, Lewistown, Pa., announce the birth of a son, Clifford Price Graham, 3rd, on March 10. They have two other children, both daughters, Margaret, aged 6, and Rebecca, aged 3. Mrs. Graham is the former Jeannette H. Eddy. Cliff graduated from the College in 1947 and two years later from the Law School and is now practicing law in Lewistown.

Meta Chadwick Smith is working in the Chamber of Commerce office at Lock Haven, Pa., as secretary to the executive secretary. Her husband, James Thomas Smith, '48L, is practicing law in Lock Haven. They reside

at 307 Vesper Street.

Miss Dolores Jean Unangst, teacher of music in the elementary schools of Bloomsburg, has revealed her engagement to the Rev. Victor K. Meredith, Jr., pastor of the Methodist Church in Hastings, Pa. Miss Unangst is a West Chester State Teachers College graduate.

#### 1944

Lorraine Harris, whose marriage to James R. Humer took place December 31, 1949, in the Allison Methodist Church, Carlisle, is a graduate of the Johns Hopkins Hospital School of Nursing and is employed as Carlisle Visiting Nurse. Mr. Humer, '41, '47L, is practicing law in the office of Fred Templeton, 18 North Court House Avenue, Carlisle, Their home address is 128 South Hanover Street, Carlisle, Pa.

Dr. and Mrs. Richard Foulk, of 520 Chester

Street, Norfolk 3, Va., announced the birth of a son, Richard Foulk, Jr., on February 13.

Dr. and Mrs. James H. Tisdel, of 9365
Otsego Street, Detroit 4, Mich., announced the birth of a daughter, Rebecca Jean, on

April 16.

After months as a patient in Harrisburg hospitals, Ralph W. Schecter, who was stricken with polio last October, has been taken to the foundation at Warm Springs, Ga., for treatment.

#### 1945

Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Bright, Jr., of "Laurelwood," Dulaney Valley Road, Glenarm P. O., Md., announced the birth of a daughter, Priscilla Davidson Bright, March 26. Mrs. Bright is the former Marjorie Humpheys, the sister of Dick Humphreys, '45, '49L. Jay graduated from Harvard Law School last June and is now associated with the law firm of Cross and Shriver with offices in the Mercantile Trust Company, Baltimore.

Dr. Robert D. Rector and Dorothy M. Hitchon, of Germantown, Pa., will be married in July. Bob, who has completed his internship, plans to begin the practice of medicine in the Fall. A lieutenant in the Medical Corps of the U. S. Naval Reserve, he will complete late this month an active tour of duty on the destroyer USS Compton. His home is in Mechanicsburg, Pa. Miss Hitchon is a graduate of the Germantown Dispensary and Hospital School of Nursing.

Harriet Line Thompson returned to Carlisle in April to appear as pianist in a joint recital with Esther Royer Smith at the Musical Arts Club's annual Spring Festival. Mrs. Thompson is a member of the faculty of the College of Music, Boston University. She received a bachelor of music degree from

Syracuse University in 1947.

#### 1946

On June 1, Roger A. Woltjen will move from Belmont, Mass., to Panther, Pike County, Pa.

## 1947

Mr. and Mrs. William McInroy, of 81 West Union Street, Canton, Pa., announce the birth of their second daughter, Gertrude King, on February 5. Mrs. McInroy is the former Joan W. Thatcher.

Walter C. Benner, who is a member of the faculty of the Trenton, N. J. High School, will receive his M.A. in education at Rutgers

University in June.

#### 1948

William D. Nash became associated with the North Carolina Board of Public Health on March 15, and his address is now Apartment 4, 316 Jackson Park Road, Kannapols, N. C.

Miriam Elizabeth Ryder announced in February her engagement to John M. Mest, of Harrisburg, who is a junior at Pennsylvania State College. Miriam has a position in the laboratory of Aircraft-Marine Products, Inc., Harrisburg.

Harrisburg.

Jouko J. Voutilainen, received his master's degree in economics from the Ohio State

University last September and is now with the Research and Planning Division of the Economic Commission for Europe in Geneva, Switzerland.

After graduation from Ohio State, Voutilainen made a quick trip to the West Coast and then returned home to Helsinki, Finland, where he planned to stay for some time. But less than two months after reaching home he received a Rockefeller research fellowship for work with the Economic Commission for Europe and in January flew to Geneva.

#### 1949

Bonnie Dale Larzelere and Mahlon M. Thompson were married on June 18, 1949, in the Church of Our Savior, Jenkintown, Pa. They now reside at 75 Anderson Avenue, Bergenfield, N. J., and Mrs. Thompson is employed by the Whitehall Pharmacal Company of Elkhart, Ind., in their Bergenfield office, while Thompson is studying to be a mortician and serving his apprenticeship in Bergenfield. Next fall he plans to attend a school of embalming.

Charles A. Langner, Jr., was married to Miss Sally Smith, a graduate of Wilson College in the class of 1949, on February 4. Bob Slutzger was best man while Samuel McCartney and Bill Keown were ushers. The marriage took place at the Ventnor Community Church, Ventnor, N. J., and the couple now reside at 109B Haddon Hills, Haddonfield, N. J. The groom is now in charge of the Casualty Renewal Department of the Indemnity Insurance Company of North America in the offices at Sixth and Chestnut Streets, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Rippey T. Shearer, of Carlisle, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Helen Paige Shearer, to Francis C. Gerber, '51, on March 11 at Summit Hill, Pa. Mrs. Gerber is script writer for the Carlisle Radio Station and her husband is a student of the College. They are residing at 6 West Pomfret Street.

Eleanor Jane Slaybaugh was married to Henry Walton Jones in St. Stephens Lutheran Church, Wilmington, Del., on April 29. Ruth Hober, '48, and Lois Proster, '49, were bridesmaids. Mrs. Jones is a graduate of Washington College and is a refrigeration engineer, operating his own business in Wilmington. The couple now reside at 1522 Montgomery Road, Willow Run, Wilmington, Del.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alan McGill have announced the birth of a son, Douglas Reed, on March 27. Mr. McGill is an instructor in English at Westminster College, New Wilmington, Pa.

W. William Lantz is teaching English at

Camp Curtin Junior High School in Harrisburg.

A few months ago, Chet Stover had four paintings on exhibition at Union Theological Seminary, where he is a student. It is reported that for his courses he occasionally writes a paper in free verse and seems to get away with it.

"Nate" Greenway, who has been operating the Atlantic Service Station across from Metzger Hall, has decided to give up his business there and return to College next September.

John N. Royer is in the Harrisburg, Pa., office of the Insurance Company of North America.

Marilyn Frances DeVoe and Warren Wesley Moxley, who attended Lafayette College and is now a first-year student at the Dickinson School of Law, will be married on June 3 at 8 p. m. in the Methodist Church of Washington, N. J. The reception will be in the Hotel Clarendon, Hackettstown, N. J.

#### 1950

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bretz, of Carlisle, have announced the engagement of their daughter, D. Maxine Bretz, to William T. Phillipy, III. Phillipy is employed as examiner at the Veterans Compensation Bureau and Miss Bretz, who is a graduate of the Carlisle High School is a legal secretary.

Harry B. Towe, of Tenafly, N. J., was married to Miss Helen V. Jordan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Frederick Jordan, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., in St. Thomas Protestant Episcopal Church, New York City, on March 11. Mrs. Towe is a graduate of Vassar College. The bridegroom, who will receive his diploma from the College in June, is with the Prudential Life Insurance Company in Newark, N. J. The couple now reside in Tenafly.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas S. Maxwell, of 2501 Queens Chapel Road, Mt. Rainer, Md., announced the birth of a daughter, Ann Marie, on February 14. Mrs. Maxwell is the former Rieta C. Latch.

Grant Smith, who completed his requirements for graduation in February, has been touring the British Isles and the continent of Europe since then. He will be back for graduation in June.

Frederick Gorsira has been admitted to the Department of Physiology at Jefferson Medical College as a Research Associate. His term of service begins June 15.

Donald A. Bubb is in the Harrisburg Service Office of the Insurance Company of North America. Joyce Ziegler, of Limerick, Pa., was accepted for admission by the medical schools of the University of Pennsylvania, Temple, and Johns Hopkins. She has decided to attend Johns Hopkins.

Royal T. Farrow, of Riverton, N. J., and Guy Holcombe, of Oxford, Pa., have been accepted by the University of Pennsylvania Medical School.

Dorson S. Mills, of Elmer, N. J., will enter Hahnemann Medical College next fall.

Lynn S. Cressler, of Newville, Pa., Donald H. Foster, of Pitman, N. J., and Jacob C. Stacks, Jr., of Pittsburgh, Pa., have been accepted and will attend Jefferson Medical College beginning in September.

Joseph H. Cooper, of Halifax, Pa., Charles L. Eater, Jr., of Camp Hill, Pa., and Walther T. Weylman, of Vineland, N. J., have been accepted and are registered at the Medical School of Temple University.

Twenty-four members of the class have been accepted as students for next year in the Dickinson School of Law.

#### 1950L

Miss Sophie Bekas, of Harrisburg, and George J. Alexis were married in Holy Trinity Orthodox Church there in February and are residing now at 2012 Swatara Street, Harrisburg. George is with the Pennsylvania Compensation Bureau.

Helen Anne Schmidt, of Bellevue Park, Harrisburg, and Robert H. Maurer were married April 29 in the rectory of St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Carlisle, by the bride's uncle, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Joseph Schmidt. The bride is a graduate of Rosemont College. Robert, member of the February class at the Law School, served his clerkship in the Pottsville office of Edgar Downey. He and his bride are living in Chestnut Hill.

George Wright Gillespie, of Pittsburgh, was married on February 11 to Miss Barbara Jean Richardson, daughter of Maj. and Mrs. F. Edward Richardson, of Camp Gordon, Ga., in the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church, New York City. An alumna of the University of Illinois, Mrs. Gillespie is a radio script editor of the Voice of America. She was at one time a correspondent for Reuters, Ltd., and the United Press.

#### 1951

President and Mrs. William W. Edel have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Wilma Wilcox Edel, to Kenneth J. McGrath, of Hurley, N. Y., in The President's House on May 28.

# **OBITUARY**

1894L—Edward W. Shoemaker, one of the oldest members of the Schuylkill County Bar, died at his home in Shenandoah, Pa., on March 23. He was 78 years of age.

A native of Buckhorn, Columbia County, Pa., he was a graduate of the Shenan-

doah High School and the Dickinson School of Law.

Surviving are a son, Donald F. Shoemaker, '34L, an attorney of Shenandoah, and a brother, Sanford W. Shoemaker, of Lebanon, Ky.

1896L-Edmund J. Bennett, oldest practicing attorney in Montgomery County,

died at his home in Lansdale, Pa., at the age of 79 on April 11.

For forty years, he was a director and solicitory of the Lansdale Building and Loan Association. He was a charter member of the Lansdale Rotary Club and its treasurer for many years, and a director of the Lansdale Thrift Corporation.

Two years ago, he was given a testimonial dinner on his 50th anniversary by

the Montgomery Bar Association.

He was a native of Cape May Court House, N. J., and graduated from the Kutztown State Normal School. His wife, Cora V. Bennett, died in 1936. Surviving is a son, Edmund V. Bennett, of 1742 Cloverleaf St., Bethlehem, who is a metallurgical engineer for the Bethlehem Steel Company.

1896—Dr. Charles E. Ziegler, one of the nation's leading obstetricians, a writer, teacher, and inventor, died in the Magee Hospital, Pittsburgh, on April 26, after an illness of some months. Dickinson College conferred the honorary degree of Doctor of Science upon him at the May, 1938, Commencement.

He was the inventor of the umbilical cord clamp which bears his name, and for a number of years was chief obstetrician at the hospital where he died. He was

Professor of Obstetrics at the University of Pittsburgh Medical School.

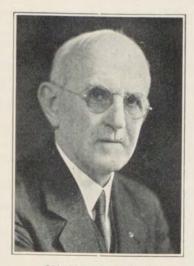
Born March 23, 1871, on a farm in Middlesex Township, Cumberland County, Pa., Dr. Ziegler attended the local schools and then entered Millersburg State Normal School from which he graduated in 1891. He entered Dickinson in 1892 and graduated with Phi Beta Kappa honors in 1896 when he entered the University of Pennsylvania Medical School from which he received his M.D. degree in 1900. Following his internship, he spent several years abroad studying at the University of Berlin and other clinics devoted to obstetrics and gynecology.

He financed his European studies by inventing the percolator coffee pot and selling his patent to the Aluminum Company of America. He was the first to head

the cooking utensil department of the Company at the turn of the century.

Upon his return to this country, he was for three years assistant gynecologist at the Allegheny General Hospital and from 1905 to 1909 was obstetrician to the Columbia Hospital, Wilkinsburg, Pa. In 1909, he became Professor Obstetrics in the University of Pittsburgh and in 1912 medical director and obstetrician-in-chief to the Elizabeth Steel Magee Hospital.

Dr. Ziegler was a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons and a member of Alpha Omega Alpha, medical scholarship society. He held memberships in a



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number of medical associations and societies. He was a life member of the General Association of Dickinson College.

He is survived by his widow, the former Mary A. Bucher, of Carlisle, and three daughters, Mrs. Lawrence B. Whit, of Westport, Conn.; Mrs. E. Alexander Hill, of Boxlyn Farms, Pa.; and Mrs. Samuel W. Varner, of Miami, Fla. He is also survived by three sisters, Miss Florence Ziegler, a retired Carlisle school teacher, Miss Bessie Ziegler, also of Carlisle, and Mrs. Elizabeth Lesher, of Middlesex.

1897—The Rev. Dr. Leon Chamberlain, retired member of the New Jersey Methodist Conference, died on Palm Sunday, April 2, in Salem, N. J., the day after he had been taken to the hospital there.

The father of Dorothy E. Chamberlain, '28, he was awarded the honorary

degree of Doctor of Divinity at the June, 1937, Commencement.

He was born in Lanoka Harbor, N. J., of colonial ancestry. He graduated from the Asbury Park High School and in 1893 entered Dickinson College, which granted him the degree of Ph.B. in 1897 and an A.M. in 1900. He entered Drew Theological Seminary in 1897 and graduated in 1900 with the B.D. degree. In 1902, he received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy from Arkansas State College.

He received his appointment to the New Jersey Conference in 1901 and served various charges in the Conference. He was superintendent of the Trenton and New Brunswick Districts and upon his retirement, acted as a supply preacher.

He was a member of Excelsior Lodge, No. 54, F. and A. M., and a 32nd Degree Mason. He was the first president of the Exchange Club of Salem, N. J., and a Life Member of the General Alumni Association of Dickinson College.

He is survived by his wife, the former Miss Reba Gayner, and by two daughters, Miss Violet E. Chamberlain and Dorothy E. Chamberlain, '28, both of Somerville, and also by four brothers.

Following funeral services in Broadway Methodist Church in Salem, interment was made in Riverside Cemetery, Toms River, N. J.

1900—Cyrille S. Frank, retired language teacher, died after a lingering illness on April 21 in the Carlisle Hospital.

She was a native of Carlisle, the daughter of the late Theron and Clara

Waidley Frank. Her father was a druggist.

A graduate of the Carlisle High School and the Normal School at Framingham, Mass., she was principal of the Schleigh Academy in Philadelphia from 1895 to 1897 and principal of the Schofield School in Aiken, S. C., the following year, before her admission to the College in 1898. Two years later, she received her A.B. degree and the following year, her A.M., degree.

For two years following her graduation, she was an instructor at Metzger College

and then taught in private schools until her retirement.

She is survived by a sister, Getrude E., the wife of the Rev. Henry E. Walhey, '00, of Germantown, Pa.

Burial was made in the family plot in Ashland Cemetery.

1905—Edward M. Biddle, former trustee of the College and retired vicepresident and general counsel of the Insurance Company of North America, died on March 13 of a heart attack while on business near his home in Ardmore, Pa.

He had been associated with the insurance company for 26 years before he retired a year ago because of poor health. He was named vice-president in 1942

and held that post until his retirement.

Born in Carlisle on May 29, 1886, he was the son of the late Judge Edward W. Biddle and Mrs. Gertrude Bosler Biddle. For a number of years, his father was president of the Board of Trustees of the College. After graduating from the Dickinson Preparatory School and being a student of the College for three years, he transferred to Yale University where he received his A.B. in 1906. Three years later, he received the LL.B. degree from the University of Pennsylvania Law School. He was admitted to the Pennsylvania Bar in 1909 and was engaged in the general practice of law until 1921 when he became associated with the insurance company.

At Dickinson College, he became a member of Phi Kappa Sigma Fraternity. He was a founder and first president of the Yale Club of Philadelphia. He was a member of the American and Pennsylvania Bar Associations and Merion Cricket, University Barge, Racquet, and Philadelphia Clubs. He was on the board of directors of the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland and also of the Agnes Irwin School, of Wynnewood. In 1939, he was a first vice-president of the Scotch-Irish Society of Pennsylvania.

During World War I, he was commissioned a first lieutenant in the Ordinance

Corps and served in the Field Artillery.

His first marriage to the former Anna Hope Dale ended in divorce in 1933. In December, 1948, he married Mary Comtesse de Borchgrave d'Altena, of Groombridge, England. They separated last year.

In addition to his mother, who made her home with him, he is survived by three children by his first marriage, Edward M. Biddle, 3rd, Richard C. D. Biddle, and Mrs. Lydia Biddle Allen, all of Ardmore.

1908—Dr. John D. Kistler, Pittsburgh physician, died of a pistol wound in his head on April 21 in the Shadyside Hospital, where he had been a member of the staff since 1910. He had been in ill health for some time.

Born in Shenandoah, Pa., on March 18, 1886, he graduated from the high school

there, and received his M.D. from Hahnemann Medical College in Philadelphia. A member of the Methodist Church, he was also a member of the American Medical Association.

1909—Clarence D. MacGregor, attorney and one of the few men who received two degrees in cursu from the College, died in the Carlisle Hospital on March 27 after a lingering illness. Upon his graduation from the College in 1909, he received a Ph.B. degree and after teaching for some years, returned to the students to earn the B.S. degree in 1916. He then entered the Law School and received his LL.B. degree in 1918.

A veteran of World War I, he was wounded in action while serving with the 37th Division of the AEF. He was an active member of the American Legion

and VFW.

Born on February 21, 1887, he was the son of the late Louis J. MacGregor, who died in 1910, and Martha A. MacGregor, with whom he resided. His aged mother survives and also two brothers, Bruce, of Mechanicsburg, and Louis J., of Bethlehem. Another brother, Thomas W. MacGregor, '16, died some months ago.

Before entering Dickinson Preparatory School, he taught in rural schools in Pennsylvania and then following his graduation, he taught in New Jersey and also in South Carolina. Following his admission to the Bar, he taught in the College of Business Administration at Lehigh University and in the Carlisle High School from 1928 to 1930. He served as an assistant district attorney and was also a former justice of the peace.

A member of Allison Methodist Church, he held offices in various veterans' organizations and was a member of the Odd Fellows, Elks, and the American Fraternity at Dickinson College, and Phi Delta Phi Fraternity at Yale University.

Academy of Political and Social Sciences.

1911—R. Donald Lorenz died suddenly on the morning of March 30 while standing in the post office at Roaring Spring, Pa., where he was a prominent attorney and solicitor for the borough school board. Born there on September 8, 1889, he graduated from the local high school and Dickinson Seminary. He received a Ph.B. degree upon his graduation from the College in 1911 and an M.A. degree in 1913, the year he graduated with an LL.B. from the Yale University Law School.

For a time, he was engaged in the insurance business with his father and when he was admitted to the bar, entered upon the practice of law. He was a justice of the peace for six years. During World War I, he was secretary of the Blair County Legal Advisory Board and head of the Military Entertainment Committee.

A member of the American, Pennsylvania, and Blair County Bar Associations, he was a member of Theta Pi Pi Fraternity at Dickinson Seminary, Phi Delta Theta Fraternity at Dickinson College, and Phi Delta Phi Fraternity at Yale University.

A member of the Methodist Church and solicitor for the Roaring Spring Bank, he was one of the organizers and first president of the Roaring Spring Rotary Club. He was also a member of the Odd Fellows, P. O. S. of A., the Elks, and the Blairmont Country Club.

He was married on August 7, 1923, to Ethel Loretta Minds, who survives, along with a daughter, Julia Anne, librarian at the University of Pennsylvania, and

a brother, Walter.

Funeral services were held at the home with his pastor, Rev. H. C. Stenger, Jr., and the Rev. J. Walter Skillington, '08, officiating. Interment was at Ramey, Pa.

1913—Earle D. Willey, attorney, who served as U. S. representative and secretary of state for Delaware, died suddenly of heart attack at his home near Dover, Delaware, on March 17. He died before a physician could reach his home.

He resumed his private law practice just a year ago when he completed a fouryear term after he had been appointed by Governor Walter W. Bacon in 1945 as head of the Delaware Legislative Bureau. In 1941, he was appointed secretary of state for Delaware by Governor Bacon and served in that post until his election to

Congress in November, 1942.

Born in Greenwood, Delaware, on July 21, 1889, he became principal of the high school there following his graduation from the College and served until 1915 when he entered the law school at George Washington University. He was admitted to the Delaware Bar in 1920 and the next year was named deputy attorney general for Kent County, serving ten years until 1931 when he was appointed Judge of the Court of Common Pleas for Kent County, an office he held until July of 1939. He was the Republican candidate for lieutenant governor in 1940.

Last year, Mr. Willey was honored by the Department of Delaware of the American Legion, when he was presented with the first citizenship award of the Legionnaires in recognition of his services to the community, state, and nation.

A member of Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity, he was a Rotarian, a member of the Capital Grange of Dover, and the Odd Fellows. He was a trustee of the University of Delaware and of the Elizabeth W. Murphey School for Orphan Children at Dover. He was also a former member of the Board of Trustees of the Delaware State College at Dover.

He was married on August 3, 1917, to the former Miss Agnes B. Gibson, of Greenwood, who survives, along with one brother, Lawrence Willey, of Wilmington.

Interment was made St. Johnstown Cemetery, Greenwood.

1914—J. Earl Jacobs, who served fifteen years as a minister in the Central Pennsylvania Methodist Conference and then devoted seventeen years to a business career, died suddenly of a coronary occlusion on March 11 in Baltimore. From 1933 to the time of his death, he had been president of the Baynesville Coal Company and had also been a wholesale lumber dealer.

After serving as a student preacher, he was ordained on March 22, 1915, and assigned to Port Matilda, where he rebuilt the church edifice and Sunday School room. He was ordained March 26, 1917, and assigned to Avis, where he conducted a successful campaign to refurnish the parsonage and four years later, he went to South Williamsport, where a new church was built during his pastorate.

Born on August 3, 1888, in Shirleysburg, Pa., he graduated from Dickinson Seminary and the College in 1914. He was a member of Beta Theta Pi Fraternity.

He is survived by his wife, the former Mary Belle Thompson, a daughter, Joyce Elizabeth, and four sons, Samuel J., J. Earl, Jr., Gerald D., and Clayton A. Interment was made at Williamsport, Pa.

1917—Elmer E. Trego, outstanding football player of Conway Hall and the College, died after a long illness at his home in Carlisle on March 8. "Coonie," as he was known to Dickinsonians, was one of the finest punters and pass-receivers ever to play on the College team.

For 25 years, he was employed by the Pennsylvania Department of Highways and for the past several years was the chief engineer for the Pennsylvania Turnpike. Born in Centerville, Pa., on June 11, 1891, he graduated from Conway Hall in

1913. He was a member of Sigma Chi Fraternity and the First Lutheran Church, of Carlisle.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Veda McCarter Trego; two sons, James P. Trego, of Carlisle, and John Kent Trego, '45, of Carlisle; and a brother, William C. Trego, of R. D. 5, Carlisle.

Burial was made in Westminster Cemetery.

1924—Monroe Howard Hess, who was associated with Goodwill Industries for a quarter of a century, died of aplastic anemia on January 31 in the Stanford University Hospital, San Francisco.

At a board meeting of the Goodwill Industries of San Francisco following his death, it was decided that the beautiful chapel at the center of the Goodwill Building be called the Monroe H. Hess Memorial Chapel.

Two years after his graduation from the college, he became business manager of Baltimore Goodwill Industries serving there from 1926 to 1933 when he went to San Francisco as executive director, the position he held until the time of his death. He was a member of the Board of Directors of Goodwill Industries of America from 1939 to 1950. He was also a member of the Governing Board of California Associations for Social Welfare, a member and past treasurer of the Board of Trustees of the California Annual Conference of the Methodist Church, and a member of the San Francisco Chapter of the National Rehabilitation Association. He was a registered social worker in California.

A member of Kappa Sigma Fraternity, he also held memberships in the Association of Church Social Workers, Commonwealth Club of California, and the National Association of Social Workers.

Born in Philadelphia on October 4, 1893, he worked as an assistant office manager of the Philadelphia branch of the Crucible Steel Company of America until he entered Dickinson Seminary in 1914. He spent a year at Wesleyan University and then transferred to Dickinson College and received his degree in 1924.

He is survived by his widow, the former S. Elma Gallagher, whom he married in Philadelphia on October 3, 1925, and a son, Monroe H. Hess, Jr., born March 24, 1927.

1925L—Russell K. "Bull" Behman, former football star, died suddenly on March 24. He was 50 years of age.

For the past four years, he had been employed as a guard at the Dauphin County Prison in Harrisburg. While attempting to subdue a psychopathic prisoner, he was suddenly stricken and death was instantaneous.

A graduate of the Steelton High School, he played football for a year at Lebanon Valley College and then entered the Law School, where he was an outstanding performer. His ability as a lineman won him a contract with the famed Frankford Yellow-jackets and during his professional career, he was named to the league's all-star eleven.

He was a veteran of World War I and a member of the Zion Lutheran Church of Harrisburg. He also belonged to the Old-Timers Athletic Association and the Moose Lodge.

He is survived by his wife, Ada, of 927 North Second Street, Harrisburg; a step-daughter, Georgia Ann Free; three sisters and a brother.

1929-John Strain died of injuries received in an accident in the York Hospital,

York, Pa., on January 27.

Born in Port Royal, Pa., on July 12, 1905, he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Strain. He was a graduate of Littlestown High School and Dickinson Seminary and had been employed as a machinist. After leaving Dickinson College, he attended George Washington University. He was a member of the Methodist Church and S. A. E. Fraternity.

He is survived by his widow, the former Margaret K. Oberlander, of York, whom

he married on July 18, 1942, and a son, Donald Strain, by a former marriage.

1931—David T. Davis, Jr., attorney of Luzerne County, died on February 19 in Nesbitt Memorial Hospital, Wilkes-Barre, following a six weeks' illness of heart disease.

Born on April 18, 1909, at Taylor, Pa., he was a graduate of Coughlin High School, Wilkes-Barre, Dickinson College in 1931 with Phi Beta Kappa honors, and he received his LL.B. degree from the Harvard Law School in 1934. He was admitted to the Luzerne County Bar that year and practiced law until his death, with offices in the Miners National Bank Building, Wilkes-Barre.

While a student in the grade schools, he began a career of scholarship for there he won the American Legion Award of Honor and in high school was the president of his graduating class. At the time of his death, he was president of the Coughlin

High School Chapter of the National Honorary Society.

At Dickinson, he became a member of Phi Kappa Sigma Fraternity. While maintaining a high scholastic average, also was active in the YMCA, a member of the Debate Team, departmental editor of the *Microcosm*, treasurer of the senior class, and active in the affairs of Belles Lettres Literary Society.

A member of the Methodist Church, he was also a member of Tau Kappa Alpha Fraternity, the Luzerne County Bar Association, the Pennsylvania Bar Association, and

the American Bar Association.

On October 4, 1941, he married Miss Jessie Elizabeth Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Williams, of Scranton. She survives him and also a seven-year-old daughter, Doreen Carol Davis. He is also survived by his father, David T. Davis, of Forty Fort, a sister and four brothers.

The Reverend Edgar Singer, pastor of Forty Fort Methodist Church, officiated at

the funeral services and interment was made in Rippletown Cemetery, Alberts, Pa.

# **NECROLOGY**

Major Oscar Burkard, father of two Dickinsonians, veteran of three wars and Congressional Medal of Honor holder, died suddenly in Rome, N. Y., at the age of

72 years on February 18.

He was the father of Elsie Burkard Behanna, '27, of Highland Park, Ill., the wife of Paul C. Behanna, and Katherine Burkard Shea, Mrs. Thomas Shea, '30, of Rome, N. Y. During the 1920's, Major Burkard was stationed for several years at the Medical Field Service School at Carlisle. He earned his Congressional Medal of Honor at Leach Lake, Minn., in January, 1899, in what has been called "Our Last Indian War." Then a Medical Corps private, he was with a small party of soldiers sent to teach an

Indian chief the "meaning" of subpoenas which the Indian chief had repeatedly ignored. When the group landed on Bear Island, the Indians opened fire and the youthful soldier was decorated for his heroism in caring for the wounded. He retired in October, 1930, after thirty-two and a half years' service with the army.

Mrs. Attie Dean Moore Conover, mother of two Dickinsonians and wife of the late Samuel S. Conover, of Swedesboro, N. J., died on January 24 shortly after her

93d birthday.

She was the mother of the Reverend Dr. Elbert M. Conover, '08, Director of the Inter-denominational Bureau of Architecture, New York City, and Dr. Milton Conover, '13, legal seminarian at Columbia University and lecturer at Seton Hall College, Newark, N. J. She is survived by two other children, Mrs. Ellen C. Kirby, wife of Amos Kirby, and Mrs. Annabel C. Foster, wife of Professor Ronald M. Foster, of Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute.

Harry Edward Harnish, father of two Dickinsonians, died at the Carlisle Hospital on April 9. For more than 50 years, he conducted a tailor and merchant's shop

on Pomfret Street.

He is survived by three children, L. B. Harnish and Edna Mae Harnish, '16, of Carlisle, and Walter Edward Harnish, '20, of Oak Park, Ill. He is also survived by two brothers, John and Charles Harnish, of Mechanicsburg. He was a member of the Grace Evangelical United Brethren Church and the Men's Bible Class.

The Rev. Dr. Edwin T. Mowbray died in St. Petersburg, Fla., on March 19, 1948. He received the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity from the College at Commencement in June, 1926, when he was serving as superintendent of the Frederick District of the Baltimore Methodist Conference.

He is survived by his widow, who resides in St. Petersburg. Interment was made

in Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Baltimore, Md.

Colonel Sir Vivian Gabriel, honorary alumnus of the College, who died February 13 at Antigua, British West Indies, had given a number of interesting papers and documents to the College in recent years. He received the honorary degree of Doctor of Civil Laws and made the address at a convocation at the College in September, 1943.

Among his gifts are two indentures, one dated 1578, the other made out in the reign of Edward VI; two other legal documents, in Latin, dated 1663 and the reign of Charles II, and a manuscript, made in 1793, of the plate belonging to the Priory, now the Cathedral of Worchester, at the time of its spoilation in 1540. Of quite different nature is a richly gold lettered invitation to Sir Vivian from the Rajah of Bundelkhand to the wedding of his daughter. It is printed in Hindi.

Sir Vivian had been gentleman-in-waiting to George V, Edward VII and George VI. For many years he was a British government official in India. From 1940 to

1946 he was a member of the British Air Commission in the United States.

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