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Dickinson Women Form Mary Dickinson Club

D ICKINSON women now have an organization of their own with which to work together for the future of the College—the Mary Dickinson Club, named for the wife of the Colonial statesman whose distinguished name the College bears, John Dickinson, president of the first board of trustees.

The Mary Dickinson Club came into being in February out of a series of meetings of President Edel with women of the faculty, wives of faculty and trustee members and co-ed representatives. Mrs. Russell I. Thompson, wife of the dean of the College, was elected president.

From its promising beginnings on the campus the Club is reaching out now for a membership of hundreds of alumnae, wives and mothers and sisters of students and alumni, wives of faculty and trustees and all other women interested for any reason in Dickinson's welfare. In time branch clubs will be set up in all parts of the country where there are concentrations of Dickinson women.

The purpose of the Club is to aid and support the College and to bring Dickinson and its services, needs and aspirations to as wide a constituency as possible. Many other colleges, including some that are not coeducational, have thriving women's auxiliaries or guilds. It is fitting that Dickinson, to whom the loyalty of women has meant so much, should have as fine a one as any in the country.

The by-laws provide for two meetings a year—at Commencement in June and Parents Day in the fall. The first of these will be held on Alumni Day, Saturday, June 2, at 2 p.m. in Bosler Hall, and all women returning to the campus for Commencement are urged to be present. The Club hopes to build up a large membership in its current campaign which runs through Commencement. Mrs. Henry E. Smith, membership chairman, announced that the list of charter memberships will remain open until then.

There are five classes of membership: regular, \$1; contributing, \$5; sustaining, \$10; patron, \$20; life, \$100. President Edel became the first patron and Mrs. Mary Kurtz Smith, of Jarrettsville, Md., the 85-year-old mother of Prof. Henry E. Smith, '11, of the faculty, was the first to take out a life membership.

First officers of the Club with Mrs. Thompson, president, are: Mrs. F. E. Masland, Jr., first vice-president; Mrs. George Shuman, Jr., second vice-president; Mrs. Horace E. Rogers, recording secretary; Miss Charlotte A. Wilson, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Frank Ayres, Jr., treasurer, and Miss Rachel A. Smith, assistant treasurer.

Committee chairmen are: Mrs. Masland, program; Mrs. Shuman, ways and means; Mrs. Smith, membership; Mrs. Benjamin D. James, student promotion; Mrs. Bertram H. Davis, publicity; Miss Joyce C. Ingham, student interest; Mrs. John C. M. Grimm, scholarship, and Mrs. Mulford Stough, student aid.

Serves As Delegate

Mrs. Alvin B. Biscoe, the former Helen Bowser, '27, was the representative of Dickinson College at the inauguration of Omer Clyde Aderhold, as president of the University of Georgia on May 9. Her husband, Dr. Alvin B. Biscoe, '27, who is Dean of the Faculties of the University of Georgia, presided over the ceremonies.

178th Commencement Program DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME

Senior Day-Friday, June 1

2:45 P.M.	Ravens Claw Tapping, Old Stone Steps
3:00 P.M.	Ivy Oration
	Passing of the Old Stone Steps
	Presentation of the 1902 Award
	Senior Class Induction, Campus Flag Pole
4:00 P.M.	The Dean of Women's Tea, South College
to	Honoring Senior Women
5:30 P.M.	
6:00 P.M.	Dinner of Alumni Council, College Commons
8:00 P.M.	Meeting of Board of Trustees, Tome Building
9:00 P.M.	Commencement Ball, Alumni Gymnasium
to	Music by Les Michener's Orchestra
1:00 A.M.	tickets \$1.00 per person
	Alumni Day—Saturday, June 2
9:00 A.M.	Register in Old West
9:30 A.M.	Phi Beta Kappa Meeting, Memorial Hall
11:00 A.M.	Noah Pinkney Tablet Unveiling, Gooding Gate
12:00 M.	Alumni Luncheon-Alumni Cumpari
2:00 P.M.	Alumni Luncheon—Alumni Gymnasium tickets 50 cents per person Meeting of Mary Dickinson Club, Bosler Hall
	Art Exhibits, Bosler Hall Gallery
	Exhibits of New Dickinsoniana, Barly
2:30 P.M.	Exhibits of New Dickinsoniana, Boyd Lee Spahr Room Baseball, Dickinson vs. Gettysburg, Biddle Field
4:00 P.M.	The President's Reception, President's Home
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5:30 P.M.	
6:00 P.M.	Fraternity Banquets
9:00 P.M.	Alumni Prom and Band Concert, Main Campus
9:15 P.M.	Dedication New Campus Lights, Class of 1950
10:30 P.M.	Ravens Claw Reunion, College Commons
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	Commencement Day-Sunday, June 3
10:00 A.M.	Academic Procession, Old West
10:30 A.M.	Baccalaureate Service, Alumni Gymnasium
	Sermon by Bishop John Samuel Stamm, of the Evangelical
	United Brethren Church
12.00 M.	Class Reunion Dinners
12.00	50th Reunion Dinner, Class of '01, Prettyman Room
	Dinner to Honorary Degree Group, College Commons
2:30 P.M.	Academic Procession, Old West
3:00 P.M.	Commencement Exercises, Alumni Gymnasium
9.00 F.M.	Address by Harold E. Stassen, President, University of Penn-
	sylvania



Two Dormitories Rising on Rush Campus

LAYING CORNERSTONE OF NEW DORMITORY FOR WOMEN

CONSTRUCTION of the new dormitory for women, the cornerstone of which was laid March 8 with appropriate ceremony under sunny skies, moves along on schedule and should be ready for September use if weather this summer is favorable.

By the end of April all of the heavy steel for the four-story, fire-resistant stone structure was in place and masonry work of the first and second stories completed. Concrete for the basement and first two floors was poured in mid-May and masons began raising third floor walls.

Good progress is also being made on the Law School's \$500,000 brick dormitory, which was started in February by the same firm that is building the women's dormitory, Potteiger Company, Inc., Reading, Pa. Commencement visitors will want to see both buildings, which will be far enough along by then to provide a good idea of what the completed jobs will be like.

President Edel, presiding at the March 8 cornerstone ceremony, saw the fast-rising building as further evidence that "nothing is impossible for Dickinson while we work together." He spoke with gratitude and admiration of the united manner in which all groups have worked in the nearly five years since he assumed the presidency.

Boyd Lee Spahr, president of the Trustees, said that the College always had been able to attract superior women students and that completion of the dormitory would give them "as fine a woman's dormitory as any in the country."

The ceremony very appropriately marked the first public role for the new Mary Dickinson Club following organization in February. The president, Mrs. Russell I, Thompson, wife of the dean of the College, pledged club support of every good undertaking for Dickinson.

"Dickinson women are coming into their own in the knowledge that this handsome new structure is going up just for them," said Mrs. Thompson, adding the hope that it would contribute to the highest scholarship.

Merle W. Allen, Trustee and chairman of the building committee, said that the dorm is the first project of the Development Program and that it would meet one of the most pressing building needs at Dickinson.

The prayer of dedication was offered by Bishop Walter Earl Ledden, '10, resident head of the Syracuse Area of the Methodist Church. The actual laying of the cornerstone was done by President Edel, Mr. Spahr, Mr. Allen and George

Receives American Legion Award of Merit

D^{R.} KATHERINE LODER, '34, a high school teacher in her native town of Bridgeton, N. J., has received the American Legion Award of Merit for distinguished service in 1950 to that community of 18,000 persons. The presentation was made last March 4.

Dr. Loder's outstanding contribution, the award committee found, was her untiring work in integrating into respected and well-adjusted minorities the new racial groups in the community, notably Japanese-Americans, Estonians and the Southern Negroes.

When Estonian children unable to speak English began entering the local schools, Dr. Loder devised an English-Estonian dictionary of basic terms for them. She organized trips to Independence Hall, Philadelphia, to give foreignborn children a better knowledge of America.

She was recognized also for her work on the Governor's Committee on Youth Problems. She had been appointed chairman of the committee for her county and had been selected to attend the White House Conference on Youth Problems which was held in December Shuman, Jr., superintendent of buildings and grounds, with the expert help of James Casey, master mason on the project.

Mrs. Mary Margaret Kellogg, acting Dean of Women, and Dr. Whitfield J. Bell, Jr., historian of the College, placed the following items in the 24-inch square cornerstone: Morgan's history of the College, Bulwark of Liberty, THE ALUM-NUS, copies of the Dickinsonian, Bronze Tablet and the Carlisle Sentinel, 1950 catalogue and student handbook, constitution of the Mary Dickinson Club and regulations of the Pan-Hellenic Council.

Dr. Rowland R. Lehman, assistant to the president, gave the invocation. The College Choir and Band participated. The brief but impressive ceremony closed with the singing of Noble Dickinsonia and the benediction by Bishop Ledden.

in Washington.

Now head of the English department and curriculum coordinator, Dr. Loder began teaching at the Bridgeton High School on graduating from Dickinson with Phi Beta Kappa honors in 1934. She received her Ph.D. from the University of Pennsylvania and has studied also at the Sorbonne in Paris. She resides at 67 Washington Street, Bridgeton, with her father, an attorney and former judge.

To Hold Bi-Centennial

Carlisle will stage a week-long celebration, June 17 to 23, to observe the 200th anniversary of its founding. A historical pageant, "Thy Name is Glory," with a cast of 750, will be presented five nights on Biddle Field. Dr. Whitfield J. Bell, Jr., and Dr. Milton E. Flower of the College faculty helped the local committee write the pageant. An industrial exposition and displays of early American antiques and old photographs will be held in buildings of the College, which has given the bicentennial planners every possible cooperation.

Effect Binary Program With Rensselaer

D ICKINSON COLLEGE, which in February entered into a cooperative agreement with the Case Institute of Technology, Cleveland, O., making a five-year combined liberal arts-engineering course available to students, effected a similar program in March with another great scientific institution, the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, N. Y.

As in the binary plan with Case, the arrangements with Rensselaer make it possible for a student planning a career in any branch of engineering to combine a broad general education with engineering or science study and save time in the process—as much as a year and a half if summer work is included.

Students will take three years of liberal arts with science emphasis at Dickinson, then transfer to either Case or Rensselaer for two years of technical study. At the end of five years they will receive

Fine Attendance Marks Harrisburg Club Dinner

LEADING other alumni clubs, for the time at least, there were 110 persons present at the annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of Harrisburg held in the American Legion Hall on South Front Street on April 12.

Another feature of the dinner was the presentation of several scenes from the Dickinson Follies by members of the cast which staged the play late in April in Carlisle.

Dorothy H. Hoy, '41, retiring president, presided and served as an able toastmistress. Dr. Rowland R. Lehman, Assistant to the President of the College, offered the invocation.

LeRoy W. Householder, former vicepresident, was elected to succeed Miss Hoy as president. Raymond A. Wert, '32, was re-elected a vice-president and Arthur R. Mangan, '37, former secretarytreasurer, also was elected vice-president while Mrs. Sara R. Goldie, '32, was Bachelor of Arts degrees from Dickinson and the Bachelor of Engineering from Case or Rensselaer.

Founded in 1824, Rensselaer is one of the great engineering schools of America. It is proud of its claim that it is the first school, now in existence, to be established in any English-speaking country primarily for the purpose of teaching science and engineering. Situated on a rolling plateau overlooking the Hudson River, it is in the midst of a great industrial area. It has a student body of 4,460, a faculty of 384 and an endowment of \$12,970,000. It is one of the few colleges having Army, Navy and Air Force R. O. T. C. units on the campus.

Rensselaer offers degrees in aeronautical, chemical, civil, management, electrical, mechanical and metallurgical engineering; architecture, biology, chemistry, fuel resources and physics. 12 in all.

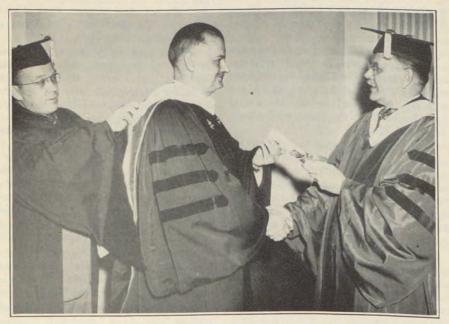
elected secretary-treasurer. I. Emanuel Myers and Mrs. Harold Fredericks were named to the executive committee.

Charlotte Wilson, '49, assistant to the dean of women at the College, spoke briefly in presenting the plans of the newly formed Mary Dickinson Club. Other speakers were George Shuman, Jr., Treasurer of the College; Dean W. H. Hitchler; C. Wendell Holmes, President of the General Alumni Association; President William W. Edel; and Vice-President Gilbert Malcolm.

Becomes Hospital Trustee

Samuel W. Witwer, Jr., '30, trustee of the College, has been elected a member of the Board of Trustees of the Wesley Memorial Hospital in Chicago, where he is an attorney. This hospital is a Methodist institution and one of the largest Chicago hospitals,

Bestow Honors and Tributes on Founders Day



RECEIVES DEGREE ON FOUNDERS DAY Prof. Whitfield J. Bell, Jr., the sponsor; Dr. Clarence Cook Little and President William W. Edel.

D^{R. E. A. VUILLEUMIER and Dr. spectively, first occupants of the newlyendowed C. Scott Althouse and Alfred Victor duPont Chairs of Chemistry at the Founders Day convocation May 1 when the College conferred an honorary degree upon the noted cancer research scientist, Clarence Cook Little, former president of the Universities of Maine and Michigan.}

Announcement of the establishment of the chairs was made in December by President Edel. The Althouse professorship is named for C. Scott Althouse, Reading, Pa., chemist-industrialist and Dickinson trustee, in recognition of his chemical achievements in the textile industry and services to the College. Irenee duPont, of Wilmington, Del., endowed the duPont Chair which is named for his grandfather, Alfred Victor duPont, a student at the College in 1814, who became one of the early presidents of the vast duPont enterprises.

Dr. Vuilleumier came to Dickinson in 1920 as associate professor and head of the chemistry department. He was advanced to professor in 1924. From 1933 to 1947 he was dean of the College while continuing to teach. A fellow of the American Institute of Chemists, he was president of the Pennsylvania Academy of Science in 1941 and just recently was elected President of the Southeastern Pennsylvania Section of the American Chemical Society.

The author of more than 40 articles on scientific subjects, Dr. Vuilleumier is the inventor of the Dickinson Alchometer and Solids-Hydrometer and coinventor of the Contractometer. He re-

ceived the Bachelor of Science in chemistry at the University of Pennsylvania in 1914 and after some graduate work there went to the University of Berne in Switzerland where he received his doctorate, magna cum laude, in 1913. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa. Indicative of the affection in which he is held by his former students, his portrait was presented to the College two years ago by the Class of 1924. It hangs in the foyer of Bosler Hall.

Dr. Rogers, occupant of the duPont Chair, is professor of analytical chemistry. He graduated from the College with Phi Beta Kappa honors in 1924 and except for brief periods for graduate study has been on the faculty since 1925. He received the master's in chemistry in 1925 at Lafayette and the Ph.D. in 1930 at Princeton. He has also done work at Cornell. He has written articles for the Journal of the American Chemical Society and other publications and has done extensive research in the viscosity of liquid mixtures. He is a member of the American Chemical Society. His college fraternity is Kappa Sigma. A son, Philip, is a student at Dickinson.

President Edel, presiding at the Founders Day convacation, conferred the honorary degree of doctor of humane letters on Dr. Little, since 1924 the head of the Jackson Memorial Laboratory, famed cancer research center in Maine, and a former managing director of the American Cancer Society. "Dickinson is proud to honor you," Dr. Edel told Dr. Little, "because you personify the liberal ideal of the scholar in service of the community." Dr. Little, who was presented for the degree by Dr. Whitfield J. Bell, Jr., gave the address, "Democracy and the Search for Truth." Dr. Bell spoke briefly on "The Scholar in Action."

In a tribute to all founders and early teachers of the College, students went to the Old Graveyard in Carlisle to lay a wreath on the grave of Prof. James Ross, great Latin scholar and first member of the faculty.



PROFESSOR HORACE E. ROGERS, '24 AND PROFESSOR E. A. VUILLEUMIER

Honored at Hood College

Awards in recognition of outstanding achievement and services in various fields which reflect honor upon the Evangelical and Reformed Church and their home communities were presented to twenty outstanding lay members of the church in Maryland, Pennsylvania, and Virginia by Hood College during a three-day convocation in April.

One of those to whom an award was conferred was Charles R. Todd, '08, of Carlisle.

Inaugurated at Pennington

The Reverend Dr. Ira S. Pimm, '19, was inaugurated as the fifteenth headmaster of the Pennington School in exercises on April 10.

Dr. Rowland R. Lehman, assistant to the president, served as the representative of Dickinson College on that occasion.

Appointed Attorney General of Pennsylvania

R OBERT E. WOODSIDE, '26, '28L, who was then in his ninth year as Judge of Dauphin County, Pennsylvania, was appointed Attorney General of Pennsylvania by Governor John S. Fine, '14L, in March. He will receive the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws at the Commencement Exercises in June, when he will be celebrating his 25th reunion year.

The new Attorney General served an equal number of years in the judicial and legislative forms of government. From 1933 to 1942 he was a representative in the Pennsylvania General Assembly and in 1939 and again in 1941 was floor leader. In his boyhood, he had been a page in the Legislature.

After his graduation from the Law School in 1928 and his admission to the bar, he practiced in his native Millersburg and also in Harrisburg. From 1935 until his elevation to the bench in 1942, he was a partner in a Harrisburg law firm with Paul L. Hutchison, '18, and the late Phillips Brooks Scott, '21.

He married F. Fairlee Habbart, '28, in Dover, Del., on July 11, 1931. They have two sons and a daughter. Their eldest, William Edward, is now a student in the college and is 18. Robert Hames is 15 while their daughter Jane Fairlee will be five on July 15. The family home is at 276 North Street, Millersburg.

An active fraternity man in his college days, he was a member of Raven's Claw and has maintained his interests in Phi Kappa Sigma and Tau Kappa Alpha. He is a 33° Mason, a past master of his lodge and is active in the work of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania as a member of the Committee on Masonic Homes. He is also a member of the Red Men and the Royal Arcanum.

His professional memberships include the Dauphin County, Pennsylvania and American Bar Associations.

He is president of the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Industrial School and former chairman of the Penn-



ROBERT E. WOODSIDE

sylvania Council of Juvenile Court Judges.

To Present Portrait

The Corpus Juris Society of the Dickinson School of Law is establishing a fund for an oil portrait of Joseph P. McKeehan, '97, '02L, and a scholarship in his memory. The portrait will be hung in the foyer of Trickett Hall. The fund will be administered by the School. Gifts should be sent to the Corpus Juris Society. A brilliant legal scholar, Mr. Mc-Keehan taught at the Law School from 1902 until his death last June 28.

Serves as Representative

Once again, Herbert S. Reisler, '16, of Toledo, Ohio, has served as a representative of the College on an important occasion.

On May 9, he was the delegate at the inauguration of Asa Smallidge Knowles, as the ninth president of Toledo University.

Another Alumnus On Dauphin County Bench

G OVERNOR John S. Fine, '14L, named his Dickinson Law School classmate, Walter R. Sohn, of Harrisburg, in March to the vacancy on the Dauphin County bench resulting from the Governor's earlier appointment of another Dickinsonian, Judge Robert E. Woodside, '26, '28L, as Attorney General of Pennsylvania.

Sohn's was the first judicial appointment made by the Governor since taking office in January, and Fine told the press, "Mr. Sohn and I were graduated from the Dickinson School of Law in the same class and I am very happy that my first appointment to a bench is a former classmate who long has been worthy of highest honors. I have followed his career as a citizen and a lawyer with admiration. He has had the type of practice which especially qualifies him for the position of judge."

In 35 years at the bar Judge Sohn had tried civil, criminal, equity, divorce and Orphans Court cases by the hundreds and besides his large private practice he served as Dauphin County solicitor for 25 years. He was a member of the legal firm of Braddock and Sohn.

Three of Judge Sohn's four associates on the bench are Dickinsonians. They are Judge J. Paul Rupp, '25L, the president judge, who administered the oath of office on April 2; Judge Karl E. Richards, '10, '11L, and Judge Paul G. Smith, '08L.

Born November 15, 1890, in Harrisburg, the son of a banker, Judge Sohn attended the Harrisburg public schools, graduated from Dickinson College in 1912, from the Law School in 1914 and the next year was admitted to the Dauphin County Bar. In 1916 he married Anne Louise Norris, of Clearfield, Pa. They have no children.

Judge Sohn is a member of the county and state bar associations, the Westminster Presbyterian Church of Harrisburg, Euclid Lodge, No. 698, F. and A. M., Zembo Shrine, Harrisburg Con-



WALTER R. SOHN

sistory, the Elks Lodge, I. O. O. F. and the Harrisburg Republican Club. At college his fraternity was Alpha Chi Rho.

Becomes City Solicitor

Ralph H. Griesemer, '32, '34L, was unanimously elected city solicitor by the city council of Allentown, Pa., in February. Affiliation with the city's legal bureau is not new to him for he served as assistant city solicitor from the time that post was established in May 1940 until May 1944.

Admitted to the bar in 1937, he maintains offices in the Commonwealth Building in Allentown.

His wife is the former Katharine E. Keller and they have two children, Betty Kay, 7, and Judy Lynn, who is 4 years of age.

Announces for District Attorney

Markin R. Knight, '41, of Williamsport, was the first aspirant for the post of District Attorney in Lycoming County when he announced his candidacy on the Republican ticket in March.

Serving As Chaplain



BENJAMIN F. HUGHES

Lieut. Benjamin F. Hughes, '40, Chaplain Corps, USN, has just been transferred from the aircraft carrier Palau, where he served as chaplain for 20 months, to the U. S. Naval Receiving Station in Charleston, S. C. Charleston is the headquarters of the Sixth Naval District which includes the seven southeastern states.

Lieut. Hughes, whose home is in Lewistown, Pa., will serve as chaplain for the hundreds of men entering and returning to the service and being processed through the Charleston Receiving Station as well as to the many assigned to the various ships being reactivated from the Charleston Group of the Atlantic Reserve Fleet.

After graduation from Dickinson, Lieut. Hughes attended Yale Divinity School for four years and served as pastor of the Epworth Methodist Church in Whitestone, N. Y., prior to entering the Navy. He has had chaplain duty also in Navy hospitals, at a submarine base in Pearl Harbor, at Navy service schools in Great Lakes, Ill., and aboard a transport at the close of the war during the Magic Carpet operation.

Writes Another Book

The Rev. Alson J. Smith, '30, of Stamford, Conn., may properly be termed a prolific writer. His articles have appeared in many magazines including *Harper's, American Mercury* and *New Republic.* Not long ago, there was a review in this magazine of his book ''Faith to Live By,'' a vigorous book on the practical aspects of an enlightened faith for solving daily problems. Shortly before that he wrote ''Brother Van,'' a biography.

His latest book "Religion and the New Psychology" is reviewed by Prof. Walter T. James, '41, assistant professor of philosophy and religion.

Reverend Smith after his graduation at Dickinson studied at Garrett Biblical Institute and Yale University. He is pastor of Roxbury Methodist Church in Stamford.

Alson J. Smith, Religion and the New Psychology (Doubleday and Co., Inc.: Garden City, N. Y., 1951) \$2.50

In his latest volume Dr. Smith has written an interesting account of the development of parapsychology from its origin in folklore to its contemporary status as a recognized area of research. Most of us are familiar with the famous experiments of Dr. J. B. Rhine at Duke in the field of "extra-sensory perception" but Dr. Smith stresses the much broader scope of the work now being done. He is particularly concerned, as the title suggests, with interpreting the implications of this "Psychological Revolution" for science, philosophy, and religion. The new perspectives on the power of the mind which the science of parapsychology reveals will prove to be, Dr. Smith believes, "the greatest victory for man since the birth of the Founder of Christianity." Certainly the fascinating material in this wide-ranging volume will provoke many readers to a new consideration of the basis of their own convictions.

Becomes Superintendent in New Jersey Conference

THE Reverend William R. Guffick, '25, who is completing ten years as pastor of St. Paul Methodist Church in Trenton, was appointed superintendent of the Trenton District of the New Jersey Conference by Bishop Fred Pierce Corson, '17, in February.

He was named to succeed Dr. Ira S. Pimm, '19, who had been elected headmaster of the Pennington School and who was serving as superintendent of the Trenton District at the time of his election.

Prior to his ten-year pastorate at the St. Paul Church, the Reverend Mr. Guffick served five years in Absecon and a year at the Broad Street Park Church in Trenton.

Always active in Dickinson affairs, he is president of the Dickinson Club of Trenton. He married Henrietta Bardo, '24, and they have a son, William, who is seventeen years of age.

Born in England on April 12, 1903, he came to this country in his youth with his parents and graduated from Germantown High School. He graduated from the College in 1925 and later received his B.D. and M.A. degrees from Drew Theological Seminary. He is a member of Kappa Sigma Fraternity and a Mason.

To Conduct Student Tour

Professor Milton E. Flower, '31, will conduct a student tour for the Guild of Student Travel during the summer. The 41-day tour party will sail from New York on June 12 and return on July 23. The itinerary includes England during the festival of Britain, a grand motor tour of Holland and Belgium, and down into Switzerland, and then to Venice, Florence, and Italy before returning by way of the French Riviera to Paris during the Bastille Day celebrations.

The party will include students from colleges and universities in various parts of the country. The inclusive rate for the trip is \$885.



WILLIAM R. GUFFICK

Delaware Club Meets

The annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of Delaware was held on April 19 at the Hob Tea Room in Wilmington. There were 58 in attendance. President Jack H. Caum, '34, presided as toastmaster. Dr. Rowland R. Lehman, assistant to the president, offered the invocation.

Dr. Herbert Wing, Jr., head of the Department of History, was the principal speaker and was delightfully received by his audience. The other speakers were C. Wendell Holmes, president of the General Alumni Association, Treasurer George Shuman, Jr., Dean W. H. Hitchler, and President William W. Edel.

A fine program was rendered by a quartet from the Orpheus Club following the dinner and before the opening of the speaking program.

Dr. John Shilling, '08, who had been a vice-president, was elected president of the Club, and the following officers were re-elected: Ernest H. Sellers, '12, vicepresident; Mrs. Phyllis Mason Heck, '15, secretary; and Walter F. From, '49, treasurer.

Roster Lists 1,025 Names of Life Members

THROUGH the receipt of 20 additional subscriptions since the publication of the February number of THE DICKINSON ALUMNUS, to make a gain of 114 Lifers since May, 1950, there are 1,025 names listed in the roster of Life Members in the General Alumni Association published in this issue by direction of the Alumni Council.

In 1949-50, there was a gain of 94 Lifers as reported a year ago, which surpassed 1933-34, the highest previous year. when 79 new names were added. The jump to 114 this year is largely accounted for by the Class of 1950, which now leads all the classes with a total of 40 Lifers.

Last year's leader, the Class of 1939 added three during the year and is in second place with 32. From that spot, many of the classes are bunched and a scramble for honors could easily be developed by class officers.

Twenty new subscriptions have been received since the February number was issued.

Two subscriptions came in the same mail to open the new series of Lifers. The first was from Anna M. Bacon, '10, of Meadow Dale Farm, Sparks, Md., and the other from Albert E. Smigel, '35, who is Eastern Division Manager of Fromm and Sichel, Inc., of New York City.

Two more subscriptions arrived the next day. The one was from Earl A. Gunter, '29, teacher of North Plainfield, N. J., and the other from John E. Peters, '39, district accountant in the Office of Price Stabilization, the Economic Stabilization Agency in Birmingham, Ala.

After the February number of the ALUMNUS went into the mails, three subscriptions arrived on one morning. The first of these was from Elmer T. McCready, '07, of Summit Hill, Pa., the second from Dr. Hartford D. Grugan, '39, physician of Williamsport, Pa., and the third from Dorothy

The Ten T	op Classes
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The Class of 1950 moved another notch ahead when a subscription was received from Harvey S. Leedom, of Camp Hill, Pa.

The next day, a forty-dollar check was received from Anna J. Spears, of 601 East Manoa Road, Havertown, Pa. who graduated from the College in 1905.

A few days later, a forty-dollar check arrived from Robert H. Cassel, '44, formerly of Vineland, N. J., but who now lives at 1046 DeKalb Street, Norristown, Pa.

The next day a similar check arrived from Gardner B. Miller, '49, of 20 Prospect Avenue, Montclair, N. J.

Another former coed became a Life Member when a forty-dollar check arrived from Roxana M. Garman, '20, of 4810 Jonestown Road, Harrisburg, Pa.

The next check arrived from William M. Beard, '12, attorney and bank president, of Westfield, N. J.

Samuel J. Friedberg, '48, who is now in his third year at the University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine was the next subscriber.

On the last day of March, a fortydollar check arrived from Herman J. Shuey, '17, of 1424 Massachusetts Avenue, S. E., Washington 3, D. C.

The first subscription in April came from Robert P. Nugent, '39, a teacher of 726 South Boulevard, Lakeland, Fla.

A few days later, a forty-dollar check was received from Mrs. Ruth Ely Nicholson, '27, of Brunswick, Md.

Two more members of the Class of

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To Confer Nine Honorary Degrees at Commencement



HAROLD E. STASSEN

A COLLEGE class of nearly 200 and about 80 Law School seniors, one of the largest Law School classes in years, will receive their diplomas at the 178th Commencement Exercises in the Alumni Gymnasium at 3 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, June 3, when nine honorary degrees will be conferred. Four of the nine are Dickinsonians. The academic procession will start at 2:30 o'clock for the traditional march from Old West.

The Honorable Harold E. Stassen, prominent national figure, president of the University of Pennsylvania, former Governor of Minnesota, will be the speaker and will be awarded the degree of Doctor of Laws. That degree will also be conferred upon Pennsylvania's Governor John S. Fine, '14L, and Robert E. Woodside, '26, '28L, Attorney General of Pennsylvania.

The degree of Doctor of Sacred Theology will be conferred upon Bishop John S. Stamm, of the Evangelical United Brethren Church, who will deliver the sermon at the Baccalaureate Exercises on Sunday morning, June 3, at 10:30 o'clock in the Alumni Gymnasium. A graduate



JOHN S. FINE

of North Central College Academy, Naperville, Ill., and of Evangelical Theological Seminary, Naperville, Ill., which also awarded him a D.D. in 1910, Bishop Stamm received an LL.D. from Albright College in 1935 and an L.H.D. from North Central College in 1949.

Dr. William N. Parkinson, dean of the Medical School of Temple University, will receive the honorary degree of Doctor of Science. A native of Philadelphia, Dr. Parkinson received his B.S. from Villanova College in 1907 and his M.D. degree from Temple University in 1911. He also holds an M.S. degree in medicine from the University of Pennsylvania in 1925. Villanova conferred an LL.D. degree upon him in 1932 and Pennsylvania Military College awarded him an Sc.D. two years ago. He has been associated with Temple University since 1928 and dean of the Medical Department since then. Besides memberships in professional associations, he is a member of Phi Chi Fraternity, a Baptist, a member of the Philadelphia Country Club, Union League, and Rotary. He is unmarried.

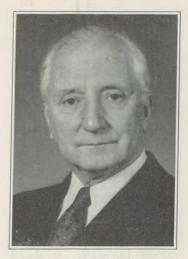


JOHN S. STAMM

The degree of Doctor of Letters will be conferred upon two men of prominence in the historical societies of Pennsylvania and New York. One is Robert William Glenroie Vail, director of the New York Historical Society, and the other, Richard Norris Williams, 2d, director of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania.

Mr. Vail is an alumnus of Cornell University and did graduate work in the Library School of the New York Public Library, Columbia University, and the University of Michigan. He has been director of the New York Historical Society since 1944 and in 1945-46, was Rosenbach fellow in bibliography at the University of Pennsylvania. A year ago, he was associate in history at Columbia University. He is a writer of monographs and booklets and has written a number of bibliographies and historical works. He has also edited and compiled many historical volumes and biographies.

Mr. Williams, who will also receive the degree of Doctor of Letters, graduated from Harvard in 1916. He is editorin-chief of the *Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography* and has been administrative director of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania with offices in



WILLIAM N. PARKINSON

Philadelphia since 1942. He edited the *Guide to the Manuscript Collections of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania*, which was published in December 1949. After being on the Council of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania for some years, he was appointed director in 1943. In 1946, he was appointed editor of the *Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography*. He is a member of the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission and on the Council of the Pennsylvania Historical Association.

Mr. Williams was born in Geneva, Switzerland, of American parents in 1892 and had most of his schooling in France, Switzerland, and Germany. He was on board the Titanic in 1912 when that ship sank in the Atlantic when he was picked up after six hours in below freezing water. During World War I, he was a field artillery officer with the AEF and received the French Legion of Honor and the Croix de Guerre with Star and was discharged as a captain. Many alumni will remember that for many years he was active in tennis. He won the singles championship of the United States twice, the doubles championship of the United States twice, and was on seven winning Davis Cup teams,



ROY T. HENWOOD

Two alumni will receive the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity. The Rev. Roy T. Henwood, '26, and the Rev. John A. McElroy, '35.

The Rev. Mr. Henwood attended Syracuse University following his graduation from the College and has an M.A. degree from Boston University. From 1926 to 1934, he taught in the Technical High School at Scranton and then entered the ministry. He has been district superintendent of the Oneonta District of the Methodist Church since 1948 and has been elected a delegate to the 1952 General Conference to be held in San Francisco in April. He is a member of Alpha Chi Rho Fraternity and a Mason. In 1927, he married Helen A. Emery, of Dunmore, Pa., and they have three daughters, Jean Shirley, Carolyn Ruth, and Dorothy Elba.

The Rev. Mr. McElroy graduated from the College in 1935 and from Drew in 1938 when he received his B.D. degree. In 1947, he received an S.T.M. from Temple University School of Theology. He is pastor of the Arch Street Methodist Church in Philadelphia. He is a member of various boards of the Philadelphia Conference of the Methodist Church. He is a member of the Commons Club, a



JOHN A. MCELROY

Mason, and chaplain of his Blue Lodge. In 1938, he married Grace Shorter, of Woodbury, N. J., and they have three daughters, Barbara Grace, Mary Ruth, and Joan Alexandra.

Receive Degrees at State

At least six Dickinsonians received Master's degrees at the summer session commencement of Pennsylvania State College on August 12.

Four were awarded the degree of Master of Education, namely, Dorothy H. Hoy, '41, president of the Dickinson Club of Harrisburg; Robert H. Fleck, '42; Austin W. Bittle, '39; and John Frank Smith, of the Law School.

Gertrude Klemm, '29, received the M.A. degree in speech, and William Wilson Betts, Jr., '49, an M.A. in English literature.

Re-elected Regent

Roscoe O. Bonisteel, '12, attorney of Ann Arbor, easily won re-election to the Board of Regents of the University of Michigan following a vigorous pre-election campaign during the GOP sweep in that state in April.



R. W. G. VAIL

Dine in Nation's Capital

The annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of Washington was held at the Burlington Hotel in Washington, D. C., on April 23. There were fifty-two present and G. Harold Keatley, '27, president of the club presided and acted as toastmaster. The invocation was offered by the Reverend Dr. Edward G. Latch, '21.

A musical group from the College, consisting of Mary Ann Spence, John Shumaker, and Professor and Mrs. John Steckbeck, provided musical entertainment for part of the program.

Dr. Whitfield J. Bell, Jr., Boyd Lee Spahr of American History, was the principal speaker.

Dr. Karl T. Waugh, former president of the College, attended the banquet and spoke briefly.

Other speakers were C. Wendell Holmes, president of the General Alumni Association; George Shuman, Jr., Treasurer of the College; and Dr. Rowland R. Lehman, Assistant to the President.

Francis Estol Simmons, '23, was elected as the new president, while H. Lynn Edwards, '36, and Maude E. Wilson,



R. N. WILLIAMS, 2ND

'14, were re-elected vice-president and secretary respectively. John Springer, '44, was named treasurer.

A feature of the business session was the election of a second vice-president, Lawrence D. Dibble, '28, who before moving from Chicago to Washington not long ago was president of the Dickinson Club of Chicago.

Altoona Club Meets

The annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of Altoona was held in the Penn-Alto Hotel there on May 4 with approximately forty present.

D. M. Geesey, Jr., '40, '42L, retiring president acted as toastmaster, and the Rev. Dr. George H. Ketterer offered the invocation.

Robert C. Slutzker, '48, was elected president and Mrs. Marietta H. Stitzel, '19, and Robert Potter, '49, were elected first and second vice-president respectively. Dr. Ketterer was re-elected secretary and John M. Klepser, '22, was re-elected treasurer.

The speakers were Dean W. H. Hitchler, Professor Benjamin D. James, President William W. Edel, and Dr. Rowland R. Lehman.

Reviewers Acclaim "My Heart Remembers"

A WARM, inspirational story about the distaff side of a Methodist parish, the first novel of a man who has passed the allotted three score years and ten, is being acclaimed by reviewers. The book *My Heart Remembers* is from the pen of Col. William A. Ganoe, '02.

A writer for over 30 years, he is the author of History of the United States Army and Soldiers Unmasked, as well as a contributor to American Yearbook, Dictionary of American Biography, Encyclopaedia Britannica, and Atlantic Monthly.

The son of a Pennsylvania Methodist minister, "Billie" Ganoe grew up in the section of the country described in My Heart Remembers. His novel is based on the people, events and minutia of his own boyhood and is the story of a preacher's family. Commenting on this Mildred Walker in the Chicago Tribune wrote "There have been so many books about parents who seem remarkable to their children, and so many about life in a parsonage that another book on either of these subjects has to be good to joggle the line already ahead of it. This one is good."

After graduation from the College in 1902, Col. Ganoe attended the United States Military Academy, received the commission of second lieutenant, infantry, U. S. Army in 1907. In addition to a distinguished military career, he has achieved an enviable reputation in the educational field. From 1916 to 1918, he served as assistant professor of English at the U. S. Military Academy; and was later appointed head of the history section of the U. S. Infantry School. He was professor of military science and tactics at Boston University from 1930- to 1936 and later commandant of the units at the University of Michigan.

Now retired, Col. Ganoe has finally found time to pursue his favorite hobby —fishing—at Shoestring Manor, the waterfront home in Sarasota, Fla., which he and his wife have recently built.



WILLIAM A. GANOE

William Addleman Ganoe, My Heart Remembers (Thomas Y. Crowell Company, N. Y., 1951) \$3.00.

My Heart Remembers is a strikingly warm and human story of the varied life of a parsonage family living in the Susquehanna Valley in the 1880's. The author was a member of that family.

The narrative is centered around the forceful and attractive personality of the author's mother as she labors unreservedly for the community, church and her family. The typical woes of parish life are dramatically portrayed-the L's of the congregation-the leeches, leaners and learners, the Ladies' Aid Society, the Official Board, the proverbial church split, the gossip about the preacher's family etc. However, through it all the author displays the attitude of fundamental respect for the church and the work of the ministry in particular. The book is so human in its development that it frequently tugs at the heart strings of the reader.

Though the novel was not written as an ethical or moral treatise, its greatest value resides in the implications of the attitudes and reactions of its leading characters. This is particularly true of the leading figure, the mother, as seen through the eyes of a child and remembered in the mind of maturity. Here is a truly mature and spiritually discerning woman who sees through and beyond the side issues of a problem to its core and with a firm conviction insists that every decision be made with the spirit of Christ clearly in view. Obviously such a frame of reference and its insistent demand causes some embarrassment and uneasiness but she always wins out in the end because of the essential rightness of her position. This does not mean that she withdraws from the worldly scene. On the contrary, she is most human as illustrated in her extraordinary concern for human need, yet she achieves a level of spiritual maturity that transcends criticism.

Here is a book that not only entertains the reader but also challenges him to reexamine his religious life. It is very pertinent to the spiritual needs of our day and brings us back to the source of the Christian faith, Jesus of Nazareth.

J. WESLEY ROBB

Writes for Advocate

A guest editorial "Science and Reli-gion," by Dr. Horace E. Rogers, '24, of the chemistry department at the College, appeared in a March issue of the Christian Advocate, widely-read Methodist weekly magazine. It was a scientist's affirmation of faith in God as creator of the universe and an appeal to church laymen "in a sick world" to lay hold on a deeper Christian faith. Dr. Rogers wrote: "One cannot make a study, as we do in chemistry, of the structure of matter and the primary units of matter which constitute the building stones of the universe without being challenged by the belief in a Supreme Intelligence back of it all."

Meet in Boston

The Dickinson Alumni of Boston and vicinity were guests at a Buffet Supper given by Mr. and Mrs. Howard Selby at their home, 219 Chestnut Street, West Newton, Massachusetts, on the evening of May 6, 1951. Wives and husbands, who are not Dickinsonians, were also guests. Mr. Selby, '13, is not only an alumnus of the College, but also is a member of the Board of Trustees. Mrs. Selby, nee Ethel Wagg, is a member of the class of 1915.

Approximately forty persons were present. Dr. Zatae Longsdorf Straw '87 the first woman graduate of Dickinson College, was present. Dr. Straw now lives at Manchester, N. H. During the evening she spoke briefly concerning her enthusiasm for Dickinson and referred to numerous members of her family who are graduates of the college.

Dr. William W. Edel, President of the College, and Dr. Rowland R. Lehman, Assistant to the President, were present at the meeting to represent the college. Dr. Edel addressed the group on the theme, "The State of the College." He discussed in detail the achievements of recent years and the on-going program which characterizes the activity of the College. Dr. Lehman spoke concerning the program of the General Alumni Association and of the Development Program. Until now, the Development Program has not been promoted in the Boston Area. During the coming summer, Dr. Lehman will direct an intensive program in this Area.

Promoted to Captain

The Rev. Albert M. Witwer, Jr., '24, pastor of Siloam Methodist Church, West Philadelphia, was recently promoted to captain in the U. S. Naval Reserves. He was the only inactive reserve chaplain of commander rank to be recommended for promotion to the grade of captain by the Selection Board. He is the son of the late Dr. Albert M. Witwer, '00.

Wins Recognition for Work in Art

Fortune magazine in its March issue referred to Lemuel B. Lines '39, Philadelphia artist, as "one of the finest technicians in the commercial-art field" and then illustrated its point by running an eigh-page spread of his painting of a 30-car freight train under the title "A Portfolio of Paintings of Modern Rolling Stock."

The freight cars—box, flat, tank, hopper, gondola, refrigerator and the rest—are drawn with relentless precision and in their startling exactness look at first glance more like a photograph than a painting.

A painting of an American eagle by Line appeared in the February issue of *Fortune*, which liked the eagle so well that it was chosen for the cover of a booklet *Fortune* is preparing for publication soon.

Line, a free-lance commercial, advertising and illustration artist, has many nationally known firms among his clients, such as American Airlines, North American Insurance Company, Webster Cigar, Waltham Watch, Plymouth Car Corp., Telechrone Clock, Yardley Cosmetics, Sealtest, Pioneer Belt, Dole Pineapple, Regal Stores and many others.

His skill has brought him steadily increasing recognition. A Red Cross cover he designed for *The Shuttle*, a magazine published by C. H. Masland and Sons, Inc., was awarded an international prize by the Red Cross. A billboard for the Plymouth Car Corporation took an award at the Chicago Poster Exhibit and Joyce Shoe ads have won prizes at the San Francisco Art Exhibit, New York Art Directors Show and the Philadelphia Art Directors Club Exhibit.

After college, Line studied for two years at the Philadelphia Museum School of Art, then spent five war years in the Army which used his talents to make training films, film strips and field manuals. After the war, from which he emerged as a first lieutenant, he spent another year at art school. Line now is director of exhibitions at the Philadelphia Museum School of Art.

In December, 1946, the artist married Marion "Sandi" Clowes, '48, and they have two sons, Bruce Roberts and Charles Farnham. They reside at 318 S. Esiminger Street, Philadelphia, where Line also has his studio.

The artist, who was known variously as Lem, Brennie and Barney while at College, comes of a strong Dickinson family. His father, the late J. Harvey Line, was a member of the Class of '96. A brother, Henry, was in the Class of '38, and another brother, Robert, and a sister, Mrs. Sydnor Thompson, the former Harriet Line, were in the '45 Class. Mrs. Glenn E. Todd, '23, the former Mary K. Line, is an aunt.

Named Deputy Attorney General

Robert L. Rubendall, who graduated from the Law School in September 1947, was appointed a Pennsylvania Deputy Attorney General by Attorney General Robert E. Woodside, '26, '28L, in March. He is associated with the law firm of Hull, Leiby and Metzger, of Harrisburg. Prior to entering the practice of law, he was law clerk for Judge Woodside for about three years.

A graduate of Colgate University, where he was an honor student, Mr. Rubendall served in the Navy during World War II and participated in the invasion of Casablanca. He was valedictorian of his law school class.

He is married and the father of two children and makes his home in Paxtang, Pa.

Publishes Paper

A paper written by Professor E. C. Herber, of the Department of Biology, has been published in the proceedings of the Pennsylvania Academy of Science. It is titled "Studies on the Biochemistry of Cyst Envelopes of the Fluke, Notocotylus Urbanensis."



More Honors Come to Bishop Fred P. Corson

BISHOP CORSON BECOMES A KENTUCKY COLONEL

T WO widely divergent honors have come recently to Bishop Fred P. Corson, '17, president of the College 1934-44 and now head of the Philadelphia Area of the Methodist Church.

He has been elected vice-president of the Board of Bishops of the Methodist Church on the one hand and commissioned a Kentucky Colonel on the other.

As vice-president of the Board of Bishops heading the 72 bishops of the Methodist Church he has been placed in one of the most important positions in Methodism.

During the May 2 annual meeting of the Board of Education of the Methodist Church, of which Bishop Corson is president, he received a commission signed by Governor Lawrence W. Wetherby, making him a Kentucky Colonel. Judge Osso W. Stanley of Frankfort, Ky., a lay member of the Methodist Board, represented the Governor in the ceremony. He is shown at the right of Bishop Corson in the photograph above.

The Board of Education, with headquarters in Nashville, Tenn., supervises the Christian education of 6,000,000 Methodist Sunday School members and integrates 120 Methodist related universities, schools and colleges.

Readers of THE DICKINSON ALUMNUS will remember that earlier this year he was named Kappa Sigma Man of the Year, and also that he has recently been elevated to the 33° in Free Masonry.

Becomes Sales Manager

International Business Machines Corporation has announced the appointment of Lewis M. Sterner, '37, as manager of all IBM sales and services in the York area. He was previously a sales representative in Philadelphia.

Stough Library Fund

Since the death of Professor Mulford Stough was announced in the February issue of the ALUM-NUS, several of his former students have sent small gifts to the College Librarian, Miss May Morris, for the purchase of books in the field of Professor Stough's interest. Books bought with such gifts or gifts of books will be inscribed as a "in memory of Professor Mulford Stough" before being placed on the library shelves.

Philadelphia Club Meets

With 76 present, the annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of Philadelphia was held at the Merion Cricket Club on April 5. Thomas V. Zug, '33, retiring president, served as toastmaster and Dr. Rowland R. Lehman, Assistant to the President of the College, offered the invocation.

Dr. J. Watson Pedlow, '29, of Chester, was elected president, while Christian C. F. Spahr, '33, and Mrs. Geraldine C. Obermiller, '20, were elected vice-presidents. C. Wendell Holmes, '21, President of the General Alumni Association, was re-elected secretary-treasurer of the Club.

The toastmaster presented Francis Lois Willoughby, '27, the first woman medical officer to receive the permanent rank of commander in the U. S. Navy. He then introduced three of the trustees who were present, Dr. Roy W. Mohler, '17, Dr. William C. Sampson, '02, and Dr. Boyd Lee Spahr, President of the Board, who spoke briefly.

The dinner speakers were Professor Benjamin D. James, of the Faculty, and Vice President Gilbert Malcolm. Besides these and Dr. Lehman, George Shuman, Jr., Treasurer of the College, was also present at the dinner.

North Jersey Club Meets

With 108 present, one of the largest attendances at an alumni club gathering, the Dickinson Club of Northern New Jersey held its annual dinner on May 8 at the William Pitt Inn, Chatham, N. J. The fine attendance rewarded the officers who had carried on with a committee a telephone campaign to better attendance.

Mrs. Helen D. Gallagher, '26, retiring president and secretary of the General Alumni Association presided. The invocation was offered by the Reverend Dr. Elmer E. Pearce, '05.

Lewis E. Young, '38, former vicepresident was elected president of the Club and Mrs. William Smethurst, the former Helen Wiener, '25, was named vice-president. Fred H. Green, '35, was elected secretary-treasurer.

The speakers included C. Wendell Holmes, George Shuman, Jr. Professor Benjamin D. James, Director of Admissions at the College, Professor Whitfield J. Bell, Jr., President W. W. Edel, and Dr. Rowland R. Lehman.

Club Meets In Reading

With fifty-five present, the annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of Reading-Berks was held in the Hotel Berkshire, Reading, Pa., on April 9. W. Richard Eshelman, '41, '47L, president of the club, acted as toastmaster and Dr. Rowland R. Lehman, Assistant to the President, offered the invocation.

The officers of the club were reelected in a short business session. These are Mr. Eshelman, president, John B. Stevens, Jr., '42L, vice-president, and Mrs. Sidney D. Kline, '27, secretarytreasurer.

The speaking program included C. Wendell Holmes, president of the General Alumni Association, Treasurer George Shuman, Jr., Dr. Lehman, Dean Walter H. Hitchler, and Vice-President Gilbert Malcolm.

Few Reserves Hamper Basketball Team

A good starting team but a short bench fairly accurately describes last winter's basketball quintet which wound up a strong schedule with a record of seven victories and 12 defeats, scoring 1173 points to 1336 for all opponents and bringing Prof. Charles "Chick" Kennedy's four-year record as head coach to 43 wins, 27 losses.

Richard Zilling, a junior, who missed the last game because of a shoulder dislocation, was the scoring leader for the second straight year with 312 points. A brilliant sophomore record was made by William Stark who was second high scorer on 297 points. They had strong support from Bill Kinsella, junior, and the senior trio of Co-Captains John Slike and Elwood Long and Marvin Zucker.

To Receive Doctorate

Walter T. James, '41, assistant professor of philosophy and religion at the College, will receive the degree of doctor of philosophy from Columbia University in June.

A member of the faculty since 1946, he was on leave from 1948 to 1950 for graduate work at Columbia. He wrote his thesis on the philosophy of Noah Porter, great 19th century American educator and dictionary editor.

Prof. James received a bachelor's degree in theology from Drew University in 1944 and a master's in sociology from Columbia in 1946. He was pastor of the Woodycrest Methodist Church, N. Y. C., from 1944 to 1946 while studying for his master's. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa.

On Attorney General's Staff

Perrin C. Hamilton, '43, '48L, has been appointed a Deputy Attorney General of Pennsylvania to serve in the Grand Jury investigations now being conducted in Philadelphia. He has his offices in the Packard Building, Philadelphia. Early season injuries that kept Slike and Kinsella out of the first few games contributed to a slow start and in the first seven games the team defeated only Western Maryland and Lebanon Valley. But the boys finished strong, winning four of the last seven including a thrilling two-point victory over powerful Bucknell in the finale.

Gettysburg took two from the Red Devils who split even with their other old rivals, F. and M. Albright and Elizabethtown claimed two victories apiece. Games were dropped to two newcomers, Trinity and Upsala, and to Carnegie Tech, back on the schedule after a long lapse. The game with Trinity at Hartford was the first appearance of any Dickinson team in Connecticut.

Receives Honorary Degree

Dr. George H. Armacost, '26, president of the University of Redlands, was awarded the honorary degree of Doctor of Humane Letters at the Commencement Exercises of the Los Angeles College of Chiropractic, Glendale, Calif., on April 20. He delivered the principal address at the exercises.

Form Law Firm

Harold R. Prowell and Elmer E. Harter, Jr., '27, announced the formation of a partnership for the general practice of law under the firm name of Prowell and Harter with Robert E. Horner, '50L, as an associate. Their offices are in Suite 300, Blackstone Building, Harrisburg, Pa.

To Seek Judgeship

Charles F. Greevy, '35, attorney of Williamsport, Pa., has announced his candidacy for judge of the Lycoming County Courts on both Republican and Democratic tickets.

A graduate of the College and Law School, he is a veteran of World War II, having served 22 months in the Navy.

On Defense Board

Mrs. Katherine S. Carpenter, '25, was appointed to the State Council of Civil Defense by Governor John S. Fine, of Pennsylvania in March. Her nomination was immediately approved by the State Senate.

A graduate of the College and Law School and wife of Clyde E. Carpenter, '26, she is an attorney of Jersey Shore, Pa., and vice-chairman of the Lycoming County Republican Committee.

Writes Textbook Manual

The Spring Issue of the *Publishers'* Weekly carries an announcement of the publication in May, 1951, of a textbook manual, *The Research Paper*, by Dr. Florence M. A. Hilbish, '23. This book simplifies the process of research, designed primarily for the freshman, but equally helpful for the upper level undergraduate as well as the graduate student.

Dr. Hilbish is a member of the faculty of Taylor University, Upland, Ind.

PERSONALS

1885

Mrs. Emilie Kip Baker, widow of Dr. Franklin T. Baker, professor emeritus of English at Teacher's College, Columbia University, died on March 3 in St. Joseph's Hospital, Yonkers, N. Y., after an illness of several days at the age of 77. She was the author of several anthologies of poetry for children. Surviving are a son and two daughters, Lawrence Kip Baker and Mrs. Clarence A. Rundall, both of Louisville, Ky., and Mrs. Joseph L. Holmes, of New York City.

1899

While he and his wife were spending the winter in Florida, Professor Forrest E. Craver became seriously ill and underwent a major prostate operation in a Jacksonville hospital. He has been recuperating at the home of his son in Gettysburg but will be in Carlisle by Commencement.

1900

The Rev. M. Mosser Smyser, missionary in Yokote, Japan, was married on December 21 to Miss Nellie Ethel Hoag in Tokyo. Before going to Japan, Mrs. Smyser was for some years engaged in the work in a Japanese Church in Seattle, Wash.

Elbert V. Brown recently suffered a heart attack and is a patient in the Carlisle Hospital.

1901

With Dr. Henry M. Lawrence, acting as chairman, plans are being completed for the fiftieth reunion of the class at the coming Commencement. On Saturday, June 2, the class will occupy the place of honor on the platform at the Alumni Luncheon. The class dinner will be held in the Prettyman Room of the College Commons on Sunday at noon, June 3, after the Baccalaureate Services. A number of members of the class have already made their room reservations and are planning to be present in June.

1902

Clark D. Lamberton, Western Reserve University, joined in a recent testimonial dinner honoring Professor Charles R. Morey, retired, of Princeton University, held at the Princeton Inn. As part of the same celebration he also contributed a scientific paper to the Bulletin of the College Art Association devoted entirely to articles by the former students of Professor Morey.

In the April 22 issue of the New York Times, there was a reproduction of a new 52-foot cruiser, "The Skipper Bill," a Wheeler promenade deck yacht, delivered to Mr. and Mrs. William D. Burkey, of Hamburg, Pa. The boat was then on a shakedown cruise to Fort Lauderdale, skippered by the Burkey's sons, Bill and Charlie. It is powered by twin Packard eights and is capable of a speed of sixteen to eighteen miles an hour. "The Skipper Bill" will have her home port at Georgetown, Md., in the Sassafras River area of Chesapeake Bay.

1903

Dr. and Mrs. J. Roy Strock have moved from Ventnor, N. J., to Midway, Tenn.

1905

The Rev. Dr. Edwin C. Keboch is associate pastor of Riverside Park Methodist Church, Jacksonville, Fla., and is in charge of religious education. The church has a membership of 2,200. He organized a Methodist Leadership Training School at the church and after three years, there are registrations of nearly 1200, which makes it one of the largest schools of this type in the country.

1906

The forty-fifth reunion of the class will be held at Commencement with members of the class gathering for the first time at the Alumni Luncheon on Saturday, June 2.

1910

The resignation of Lina M. Hartzell, art supervisor of the Carlisle Schools since 1914, was accepted with regret by the Carlisle School Board last month. Her resignation will become effective at the end of the school term on June 8.

Wilbur Fiske Noyes, artist of Boston, is completing the portrait of Dr. William Lambert Gooding, which will be presented by the class at the Alumni Luncheon on Saturday, June 2.

1911

Dr. Karl K. Quimby, secretary of the mission and church extension board of the Methodist Church, was the speaker in the College Chapel on March 6.

J. Ernest Crane, James P. Hopkins, and Professor H. E. Smith have completed plans for the fortieth reunion of the class to be held at Commencement.

1915

Mrs. Mabel Fite, the widow of the Reverend Dr. Alonzo S. Fite, was appointed assistant house director at Old East, now one of the women's dormitories, by President William W. Edel in February.

1916

The thirty-fifth reunion of the class will be held at Commencement, June 2 and 3. The class will sit together at the Alumni Luncheon on Saturday, June 2.

1917

Jacob M. Goodyear, attorney of Carlisle, read a paper, "The G.A.R. Posts of Cumberland County," at the meeting of the Cumberland County Historical Association on January 18.

Dr. and Mrs. Edwin David Weinberg have announced the marriage of their daughter, Alice Ann, to Mr. Lawrence Joseph Davidson on April 13 at Pikesville, Md.

1919

Mark E. Garber, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark E. Garber, of Carlisle, was married to Miss Anna Baker Wiggins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Wiggins, of Hartsdale, N. Y., in the Chapel of Duke University, Durham, N. C., on March 24. They are both students of Duke University.

1921

The Reverend Edward G. Brame, pastor of the Lutheran Church of Mount Union, Pa., has been appointed a member of the board of directors of the Allegheny Lutheran Home for the Aged at Hollidaysburg, Pa.

To date, there has been an excellent response from the members of the class in making their contributions to the fund to be presented to the College at the Alumni Luncheon on Saturday, June 2. Plans have also been completed for a breakfast to be held on Sunday morning, June 3.

1924

Arthur G. Logan has moved from 300 Delaware Street, New Castle, Del., to Barley Mill Road, Greenville, Del.

1926

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wallis, of 3258 Martha Custis Drive, Alexandria, Va., announced the birth of their first baby, Michael Jeffry, on March 2. Wallis is news photo editor of the Associated Press bureau in Washington, D. C. His wife is the former Miss Erma Myers of Steelton, Pa.

The Class will hold its 25th reunion at Commencement, June 1-3. Robert Woodside, the Attorney General of Pennsylvania, will be the Class spokesman at the Alumni Luncheon. The reunion breakfast, Sunday, June 3, at 9:30 o'clock, will take place in the Molly Pitcher Hotel.

Earl Schroeder was stricken ill in March while on a business trip to Pittsburgh and for six weeks was critically ill in the University Hospital, Philadelphia. He has been home since April 22 and faces a long convalescence but hopes to be well enough along to attend the 25th reunion at Commencement. He lives at 537 Prescott Road, Merion Park, Merion, Pa.

Two members of the class will be among those to receive honorary degrees at the Commencement Exercises on Sunday afternoon, June 3. Robert E. Woodside, Attorney General of Pennsylvania, will receive the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws, while the Reverend Roy T. Henwood will receive the degree of Doctor of Divinity.

1927

Miss Barbara Jayne Stearns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brewster B. Stearns, of Carlisle, was married to Ross Roderick Raffensperger in the Grace United Brethren Church on April 14.

1928

Professor Raymond M. Bell, of the faculty of Washington and Jefferson College, Washington, Pa., has started the ball rolling for the 25th anniversary of the class to be held at Commencement in 1953.

The Rev. Victor B. Hann has been chosen chairman of the Citizens Advisory Committee to the Mechanicsburg School District. He is superintendent of the Methodist Home for Children, near Mechanicsburg, Pa.

1929

Since last September, Dr. John W. Mc-Connell, of the faculty of Cornell University, has been in Washington conducting research on pension programs. He is a research director of study of pensions for the aged, a part of the Twentieth Century Fund of New York.

Frank G. McCrea was chosen in March as chairman for Cumberland County of the United States Treasury Savings Bond Division. He is a member of the firm of J. P. Bixler and Sons, Inc., of Carlisle.

Goodman Bowes, 15-year-old Winter Park, Florida, High School student and son Winter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee M. Bowes, of 140 Kings Way, Winter Park, died on March 25 at an Orlando hospital after an illness of several months of leukemia. A football and basketball player, he had held several offices in his school class and was also active in the work of young peoples' groups at All Saints Episcopal Church. When in the eighth grade, he was awarded the American Legion Good Citizenship Award. He moved to Winter Park in 1947 with his parents and his younger brother, Lynn.

1931

Sherwood M. Bonney is vice-president of the Beta Theta Pi Club of New York.

At the 100th Session of the Wyoming Conference, Bishop Fred P. Corson appointed the Reverend Wilton J. Dubrick as pastor of the Firwood Methodist Church in Wilkes-Barre, Pa. He had been serving the First Methodist Church in Waverly, N.Y., for the past five years.

1934

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Faller, Jr., R. D. Carlisle, announced the birth of a son, John Dysert Faller, 3rd, on March 24. Mrs. Faller is the former Elizabeth Billow.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Fowler, Jr., of Albion Point, sailed to Bermuda in April and after ten days there returned by air.

Dr. Henry Marcus Weitzel, husband of Emma Kathryn Wentzel, dentist of Shippensburg, Pa., died suddenly on April 25 of a heart attack. In addition to his wife, he is survived by a daughter and his mother.

1935

Ray Kaufman is working at the NBTL, 7 Philadelphia Naval Base, and is in charge/ of a section with the task of writing reports, /// Kinzie Lamar, on February 8. Mrs. Weimer analyses, agendas, letters, etc.

The fifteenth reunion of the class will be held at Commencement and the class will sit together at the Alumni Luncheon on Saturday, June 2.

1937

Richard N. Boulton has been advanced to sales promotion supervisor in the Hartford, Conn., office of the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Company. He spent several years in newspaper and advertising work before joining the company in 1947. He has developed several of the company's recent sales contests and is the originator of "Parade," a prospecting monthly which has proven popular throughout the field. During World War II, he served for five years as an infantry officer and later as intelligence officer attached to the Filippino guerrilla army.

1938

Harry J. Nuttle has moved to 51 Hinchman Avenue, Haddonfield, N. J.

John F. Bacon has been promoted from the rank of Lieutenant Commander to Commander and after a tour of duty in Okinawa and the Philippine Islands, he is stationed in Japan. His wife, the former Phoebe Follmer, Dean of Women, has recovered from an attack of pneumonia and a month's stay in the hospital.

1939

John E. Peters has been in the employment of the Federal Government for the past eight years. From 1943 to 1948, he was senior auditor with the Reconstruction Finance Corporation in Chicago. Then in 1948, he became chief of the Fiscal Division of the Birmingham Loan Agency of R. S. C. in Birmingham, Ala. This year, he was appointed district accountant in the Office of Price Stabilization there. His wife, a graduate of the University of Alabama, and he live at 5020 South Eighth Terrace, Birmingham 6, Ala., with their three sons and two daughters, whose ages range from eight years to one year.

Dr. Robert N. Coale, physician of Takoma Park, Md., who was in the Army Reserve Corps, has been called back to active service. His wife is the former Mary H. Horn, '40.

1940

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Scheuer, Jr., of 1800 Waverly Street, Philadelphia 46, Pa., announced the birth of a daughter, Betsy Ann, on December 23. Mrs. Scheuer is the former Jane Gilmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Weimer, of Carlisle, announced the birth of a son, is the former Marion H. Englander.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth F. Tyson, of Pottstown, Pa., a daughter, Beverly Estelle, on March 23, 1951. Mrs. Tyson is the former Margaret A. Mumford.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Raymond Young, of Coatesville, Pa., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Suzanne Arnold, to Norwood Wilson Watts, son of Mrs. Henry F. Watts, of Suffern, N. Y., and the late Rev. Watts. Miss Young has received her Master's degree in elementary education from Columbia University. Mr. Watts was graduated from Princeton University and received his Master's degree in public administration from Harvard University. He is with the Department of State, Washington, D. C.

1941

Major C. Paul Burtner, Jr., of the Air Force Reserve, has been recalled to active duty and is stationed at the Olmsted Air Base, Middletown, Pa.

Carl T. Sieg has accepted a position as personnel officer at Headquarters USAF in Washington, D. C., and has moved from Utica, N. Y., to Apartment 1A, 3414 Tenth Place, S. E., Washington 20, D. C.

Mrs. Ruth Leavitt Shinn, formerly of Milford, Pa., is living at 509 Mary Lane, El Paso, Tex.

Ardythe LeFevre Frey is now living at 14328 Piedmont Road, Grosse Point, Detroit 23, Mich.

Richard W. Hopkins is associated with the law firm of White, Williams and Scott with offices in the Land Title Building, Philadelphia.

1942

Captain and Mrs. Charles E. Jacobs, of T. H. 329 C. Butner Court, Fort Bragg, N. C., announce the birth of a son, Charles Hull Jacobs, on February 6. Mrs. Jacobs is the former Angela F. Hull.

Captain and Mrs. Albert E. Andrews, Jr., announce the birth of a son, Albert E. Andrews, III, at Great Lakes Naval Hospital, Chicago, Ill., on March 2. Mrs. Andrews and her infant son are now living at 146 West High Street, Carlisle, Pa. Captain Andrews is now serving overseas in the Army with the Far Eastern Command.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace L. Jacobs, III, have moved from Orlando, Fla., to Apartment 37, Building E, Lake Morton Apartments, Lakeland, Fla. Rusty has been named assistant manager of the J. C. Penney Company store there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry F. Ruth, Jr., 26 Parker Street, Carlisle, announced the birth of a son, Robert Dennis, on October 9, 1950. They have a son, Harry F., III, 21/2 years old.

1943

Dr. and Mrs. Robert A. Grugan, of 51 Lafayette Street, Milton 86, Mass., announce the birth of a daughter, Barbara Jean Grugan, on Valentine's Day, February 14. Mrs. Grugan is the former Marion E. Van Auken, '41.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward I. Knapp, of 157 South Arlington Ave., East Orange, N. J., announced the birth of a daughter, Nancy Knapp, on February 19. Mrs. Knapp is the former Marcia Mathews.

Dr. John L. McCormick was married to Miss Ruth Groves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Groves, of Crucible, Pa., in the St. Patrick Rectory, Carlisle, on February 24. Mrs. McCormick attended Waynesburg College and is a graduate of Jefferson Medical School of Nursing and was a member of the nursing staff at Jefferson Hospital. Dr. McCormick is a graduate of Jefferson Medical College and is a resident in surgery at Jefferson Hospital. The couple now reside at 1510 Pine Street, Philadelphia.

A daughter, Susan Elizabeth, was born to Mr. and Mrs. James S. Steele, of 26 Crossland Avenue, Salem, N. J., on September 11, 1950.

Myra DePalma was married on April 7 to William E. Reimer at the United Presbyterian Church, Drexel Hill, Pa. Mr. Reimer is a graduate of Penn State and is associated with the Provident Mutual Life Insurance Company at their Philadelphia office. The couple now reside at 247 Long Lane, Upper Darby, Pa.

1944

Robert C. Rundall is serving as a technical sergeant with the Public Information Office at Keesler Air Field Base, Biloxi, Miss.

Arline D. Mills has moved from Basking Ridge, N. J., to Main Street, Gladstone, N. J.

Margaret C. McElfish is now living at

1027 Trenton Place, Wilmington, Del. Captain Robert Saunderson is serving with the Student Detachment Number I, AMSEX-Army Medical Center, Washington 12, D. C., and is doing pediatrics.

Dr. James H. Tisdel has completed his residency in a Detroit hospital and is now engaged in the practice of medicine in Port Huron, Mich.

1945

Rev. George W. Harrison is assistant minister of Arlington Methodist Church, Glebe Road at South Eighth Street, Arlington, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Thompson, of London, England, have announced the birth of a daughter on March 26. Mrs. Thompson is the former Harriette Line, of Carlisle.

1946

Dr. Weir L. King is serving his internship in St. Joseph's Hospital, Reading, Pa. He is planning to do his residency in surgery there.

1947

Martha Ann Strickhouser was married on November 2, 1950, to William Jessop Cowley, Jr., of Darlington, Md. Prior to her marriage Mrs. Cowley was employed at the Western National Bank. Mr. Cowley, an air force veteran of World War II, is employed as assistant engineer of the Whiteford Packing Company and is manager of the Henry Clay Farm Company, of Whiteford, Md., where the couple now reside.

1948

Marjorie Birs was married to Daniel Novotny in the Lutheran Church, Wyandanck, N. Y., on January 22, 1949.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Fadem, of New Rochelle, N. Y., announced the birth of a son, Stephen Scott Fadem on January 23. Mrs. Fadem is the former Edna Mae Raizen. She was married September 12, 1948.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Bernard, of 585 Lake Park Avenue, Oakland 10, Calif., announced the birth of a son, Kenneth Robert, on February 2. Mrs. Bernard is the former Patricia Herzig.

A son, Richard Scott, was born June 12, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Geoffroy, of 131 Hampton Way, Fresno, Calif. Mrs. Geoffroy is the former Jeanne McIntyre who was married in 1949 to O. C. Geoffroy, of Linden, Calif. Her husband, a graduate of the College of the Pacific, also attended the University of Utah School of Law and is now associated with the Basalt Rock Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Blumberg, of 1616 Beverly Road, Brooklyn 26, N. Y., announced the birth of a son, Neil Howard Blumberg, on April 10.

1949

John H. Phillips was discharged from the Army the last week in February and has returned to his home at 1046 Biltmore Avenue, Pittsburgh 16, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent J. Schafmeister, Jr., of R. D., Bradford, R. I., announced the birth of a daughter, Linda Elizabeth, on March 6. Mrs. Schafmeister is the former Lucille E. Sweet.

Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon M. Thompson have moved from Bergenfield, N. J., to 27 Colonial Avenue, Trenton, N. J. Mr. Thompson has accepted a position with the Poulson and Van Hise Funeral Home in Trenton. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Carrigan, of Lansdale, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Ruth Carrigan, to Elwood Wakefield Stitzel, son of Dr. and Mrs. Elwood W. Stitzel, of Altoona. Miss Carrigan is a graduate of Drexel Institute of Technology and is now employed by the Pennsylvania State College as Home Economics Extension Representative in Lycoming County. Wakefield is associated with the Petroleum Engineering Division of the Atlantic Refining Company in Dallas, Tex.

I. Dwight Fickes resigned as business manager of Pennington Seminary on April 15 to become associated with Ward, Wells, Dreshman & Reinhardt, well-known fund raising firm, with offices in Rockefeller Center, New York City.

2nd Lt. George W. Smith, of the Marine Corps, has moved from Fort Knox, Ky., to Second Tank Battalion, Second Marine Division, Camp Lejuene, N. C.

Charles Langner, Jr. is now with the insurance brokerage firm of Walter O. Dilks at Fifth and Walnut Streets in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hunt, of 250 F Street, Carlisle, announced the birth of a son, David Kenneth, on March 27.

1950

Richard W. Teele has moved from 28 Hawthorne Avenue, Bloomfield, N. J., to 125 Gates Avenue, Montclair, N. J.

William L. Bamberger recently attended the Army General School at Fort Riley, Kan. In February, he was promoted to the rank of corporal and is serving with the Intelligence Unit with 28th Division Headquarters at Camp Atterbury, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl P. Obermiller, Philadelphia, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Ann Louise Obermiller, to Cadet Philip Neill Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Neill Reed, of Heber Springs, Ark. The couple will be married in the Cadet Chapel at West Point on June 7. Before entering the military academy, Cadet Reed graduated from Millard School and attended Hendricks College.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Beth McAfee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. McAfee, of Newark, N. J., to David M. Reddig, son of Colonel and Mrs. Clarence M. Reddig, of Carlisle Barracks. The couple will be married on June 16 in Newark, N. J. Miss McAfee is a registered nurse and is night supervisor at St. Joseph's Hospital in Ann Arbor, Mich., and is studying for her master's degree in Public Health Nursing at the University of Michigan. E. Minerva Adams, who has been the dental assistant in the office of Dr. Robert Rearick in Carlisle for the past two years, took a three weeks's course in April in the training laboratory at the Wayne School, Chicago.

Russell Foster Eakin was married to Miss Margaret Elizabeth Zimmerman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Zimmerman, of Mechanicsburg, in the First Evangelical United Brethren Church there on March 18. The couple now reside at 107 West Coover Street, Mechanicsburg. Mrs. Eakin is a graduate of Mechanicsburg High School is employed in the offices of Snelbaker Manufacturing Company while the groom is employed as a chemist with Andrew McCreath and Son, of Harrisburg.

Arthur S. Helm, who is with the Statistics and Research Division, G. P. O. Staff in Wellington, New Zealand, plans to complete his work for his master's degree by November. He has been selected for inclusion in the latest issue of "Who's Who in New Zealand," being one of the youngest members of that list.

Edward W. Orton, who transferred to the University of Oklahoma, received his B.S. degree in geology there last June and is now completing work for his M.S. degree at Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, La., where his address is 3331 Carlotta Street.

Thomas Graham Chew was married to Miss Jessie Wilcox Gilbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Gray Gilbert, of Swarthmore, in the Swarthmore Presbyterian Church on April 14. Four of the ushers were Dickinsonians, James P. Hopkins, Jr., Joseph A. Hopkins, G. Kenneth Bishop, and Paul R. Paxton. The bride attended Swarthmore High School and Pennsylvania College for Women. The groom is a member of Alpha Chi Rho Fraternity, served with the Second Marine Division for two and a half years, and is now with the Insurance Company of North America. The couple reside at 323 Park Avenue, Swarthmore, Pa. Mrs. W. D. Armstrong, Jr., the former Dorothy Mae Sipler, is passenger representative in the Philadelphia office of the French Line at 1700 Walnut Street. Thomas H. McEntee left his home in

Thomas H. McEntee left his home in Garden City, N. Y., on March 13 and is now serving as a private with Company C, 172nd Infantry Regiment, 43rd Division, Camp Pickett, Va.

Gerald L. Miller, 209 West Market Street, Lewistown, Pa., is now associated with the *Lewistown Sentinel* as sports editor.

Ronald Dietz Saypol, son of Irving H. Saypol, United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York, and Mrs. Saypol, was married on March 19 to Miss Cynthia Otis, daughter of Mrs. Harold Brandalcome, of New York, in the Hotel Ambassador by Justice Albert Cohn, of the New York State Supreme Court. His twin brother, Roger Saypol, also a member of the Senior Class, was best man. The couple made a wedding trip to Bermuda during the spring vacation.

Robert Searight Stuart is now serving as a private in the Air Force and attached to the 3750th Supply Squadron, Sheppard Air Force Base, Tex.

1952

Ronald J. Leach is now head cashier with Eastern Mortgage Service Company of Philadelphia. He plans to do part-time study in business administration at the University of Pennsylvania next fall.

Harry B. Roth was married in September to Miss Shirley Louise Lawyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Lawyer of Highspire, Pa. Mrs. Roth graduated from Highspire High School and is employed by the Farm Bureau Mutual Automobile Insurance Company, Harrisburg.

1953

John E. Laudermilch, a seaman in the Navy, is playing with the Recruit Training Command Band at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

OBITUARY

1898-The Rev. Harry P. Grim, retired member of the New Jersey Methodist Conference, died at Cooper Hospital, Camden, N. J., on November 4.

Born in Bridgeton, N. J., on May 18, 1873, he prepared for college at the South Jersey Institute there. He was a student of the College for two years and entered the New Jersey Annual Conference in 1901 and retired in 1945. He served the Auburn Church after his retirement. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Rachel Harris Grim, and three children, Mrs. Louise Pace, of Baltimore; Mrs. Christine Carslaw, of Springfield, Pa.; and Harris Donald Grim, of Berlin, N. J.

Services were held at the Auburn Methodist Church, with District Superintendent Rev. W. Neal Raver officiating. The Rev. Dr. Albert L. Baner, '23, pastor of the First Methodist Church, Syracuse, N. Y., gave the address.

1900—The Rev. Dr. Albert M. Witwer, field secretary of the Preachers' Aid Society of the Methodist Church and a former district superintendent of the Philadelphia Conference, father of two Dickinsonians and related to several others, died at his home in Philadelphia on February 28 at the age of 74 years.

Dr. Witwer retired in May 1948, after serving 48 years in the Philadelphia Conference, during which he served two terms as a district superintendent. After his retirement, he continued as field secretary of the Preachers' Aid Society, charged with raising funds for pensions for retired clergymen and he had been remarkably successful in that effort.

Dr. Witwer served a six-year term as superintendent of the west district of the Philadelphia Conference, from 1931 to 1937, and another term as superintendent of the north district, from 1941 to 1947. He also had been a delegate for the Philadelphia Conference to many church conferences, including the Ecumenical Conference in Atlanta, Ga., in 1931.

During the First World War, he served as a YMCA divisional secretary with the AEF in France and following the war was superintendent of Methodist missions in France for two years.

Born in Lancaster County on March 3, 1876, he attended Franklin and Marshall Academy and the Dickinson Preparatory School. He received his A.B. from the College in 1900 and a Master's degree in 1905. The College awarded him the degree of Doctor of Divinity in 1932. He became a member of the Philadelphia Conference upon his graduation from the College and during his ministry he served many of the larger charges.

He was a member of Sigma Chi Fraternity, a Mason, and a clerical member of the Union League, Philadelphia.

His wife, the former Emma Gorsuch, died in 1947. Surviving are three sons, the Rev. Albert M. Witwer, Jr., '24, pastor of Siloam Methodist Church, Philadelphia; Charles B. Witwer, '26, of Merchantville, N. J.; and Commander Russell G. Witwer, USNMC, stationed at the Marine Air Station, Cherry Point, N. C.; and a brother, Charles S. Witwer, of New York City.

1901—The Rev. Dr. John Casper Bieri, retired minister of the Philadelphia Conference of the Methodist Church, who gained renown for his work among leber colonies in many parts of the world and for his use of magic in teaching religion, died on March 31 in Methodist Hospital, Philadelphia, of coronary thrombosis.

Dr. Bieri visited 52 countries in the interests of missions and of leper colonies. After his retirement from the active ministry in 1940, he spent several years in Central and South American colonies for lepers.

An accomplished magician, Dr. Bieri used this talent in drawing object lessons for children. He would illustrate washing away sin, for example, by placing a red silk handkerchief in a velvet bag, waving the bag about and bringing forth a handkerchief white as snow. He was a member of Philadelphia Ring No. 6, International Brotherhood of Magicians. The author of a number of works, including *Columns of Granite* and *Rhyming Over the Andes*, Dr. Bieri also wrote many gospel hymns and young people's recreation songs.

Born in Philadelphia on November 13, 1873, he was a graduate of Pennington Seminary, Dickinson College, and Drew Theological Seminary. He received the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity in 1922 from Taylor University.

He first served churches in Millerstown and Easton, and joined the Philadelphia Conference in 1902 and served various charges in that Conference until his retirement in 1940. In 1928, he was a conference evangelist. At one time, he was chaplain of Methodist Hospital in Philadelphia.

A Mason, he was a member of Beta Theta Pi Fraternity and the Union Philosophical Society.

He is survived by two sons, Dr. John W. Bieri, '34, member of the staff of Polyclinic Hospital, Harrisburg, Pa.; a son, Walter Bieri, of Dallastown, Pa.; a daughter, Miss Kathryne J. Bieri; and a sister.

1901—Benson Cahoon Hardesty, attorney and civic leader of Cape Girardeau, Mo., for a half century, died on February 7 of static pneumonia which followed a stroke.

Born November 15, 1877, at Harrington, Del., he graduated from the high school in Felton and from the College in 1901 with Phi Beta Kappa honors. That year, he went to Cape Girardeau as a teacher of physics and elocution in the State Teachers College there. While teaching, he read law and in 1903 and 1904, studied at the Washington University Law School, St. Louis, receiving the LL.B. degree in 1904. He lost his sight in 1939, but continued his law practice through the assistance of his wife, who read to him and carried out his office procedure.

Active in the affairs of Centenary Methodist Church, he was in his fiftieth year as a member of the Board of Stewards and was superintendent of the Sunday School for 14 years.

Active in community activities, he was a charter member of the Rotary Club, an organizer of the Chamber of Commerce, and worked diligently for the preservation of historical sites. He served as a committee member in the erection of historical markers in various parts of the state.

He was a member of the Water Resources and Flood Control Committee of the Mississippi Valley Association, and chairman of the committee for the celebration of Missouri Day.

He was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity, the Missouri and American Bar Associations.

He is survived by his wife, the former Miss Maude Montgomery, of St. Louis, and a daughter, Miss Helen Chenault Hardesty, of Cape Girardeau. He was a brother of the late Mrs. C. Grant Cleaver, who was Ethelyn M. Hardesty.

1901L—William Tilden Stauffer, prominent Virginia Synod layman and former member of the United Lutheran Church's Executive Board, died at his home in Newport News, Va., on February 11 at the age of 74.

Born in Pennsylvania, following his graduation from the Law School, he taught in the New Jersey school system for four years before moving to Virginia just prior to World War I. As a Newport News attorney, he served his local government and was abstractor of title for the U. S. Government for a time.

He was a representative at 32 conventions of the Lutheran Synod of Virginia

and was a delegate from the Virginia Synod to 16 biennial conventions of the United Lutheran Church in America. He was the author of the Virginia Synodical Constitution, and served that group for many years on its executive council. He also served the ULCA Boards of Education and Ministerial Pensions and Relief and was a member of the board of directors of Southern Seminary.

Surviving is a sister, Miss Laura Estelia Stauffer, of Hazleton, Pa. Burial was made in Hazleton.

1904—Dr. James A. Betts, founder of Betts Hospital, Easton, Pa., died in his sleep on April 2 at his home, 124 East Wayne Avenue, Easton. He headed the private hospital bearing his name from its establishment shortly after the first World War until it was sold in 1947.

Born at Ocean View, Del., on September 28, 1875, he was a graduate of Wilmington Conference Academy and received his Ph.B. degree from the College in 1904. He graduated from Jefferson Medical College in 1909 and did graduate work at New York Postgraduate Hospital and at Johns Hopkins University.

He began his practice in Bloomsbury but shortly moved to Easton. He was a member of Kappa Sigma Fraternity, of the First Methodist Church, of Easton, and the Northampton County and Pennsylvania Medical Societies and of the American Medical Association.

He is survived by his wife, the former Vanetta Rickards; four sons, James A., of Summit, N. J.; Brooks, of Easton; John R., of New Orleans, La.; and Robert V. Betts, of Bedford Hills, N. Y.; and three grandchildren.

1905L—Arthur L. Reeser, Baltimore Pike and Saxer Avenue, Springfield, Pa., died on March 9 in the Delaware County Hospital at the age of 69 years.

Born in Williamsport, Pa., he attended the York Academy and upon his graduation from the Law School in 1905 was admitted to the Cumberland County Bar. He was a member of the law firm of Lutz, Ervin, Reeser and Fronefield. For many years, he specialized in municipal and school law and in appellate court practice.

He was a member of the United Evangelical Church and of the Delaware County, Pennsylvania, and American Bar Associations.

He is survived by his wife, Clarabel S. Reeser, two sons, James R., of East Cleveland, Ohio, and Alfred L., of Springfield, and a daughter, Mrs. David Miles, of Summit, N. J.

1907—Dr. William Earl Kistler, a physician for more than 40 years in Swarthmore, Pa., died at his home there on April 24. He was 66 years of age.

Born in Shenandoah, Pa., he graduated from the high school there and after two years at Dickinson College entered Hahnemann Medical College where he received his M.D. degree. He was a member of the staff of Crozer Hospital, Chester, Pa., and for 35 years had served on the staffs of Children's Hospital and Hahnemann Hospital.

He was a member and steward of Swarthmore Methodist Church and a director of the Swarthmore National Bank. He was a 32d degree Mason and a member of Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity at Dickinson, and the Phi Alpha Gamma Medical Fraternity at Hahnemann. He was also a member of the American Medical Association and the Pennsylvania Medical Association.

Surviving are his wife, the former Harriet Flanagan; a son, Lieutenant John S.

Kistler, USN, stationed in Hawaii, and two daughters, Mrs. Oliver G. Browne, of Media, and Mrs. James H. Connor, of Earle, N. J.

1909—Charles E. Whitehead, who worked his way from salesman to president of the Tattersall Company, a fuel and building supply business in Trenton, N. J., died suddenly on February 26 of a heart attack in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. He and his wife, Mrs. Nellie Hall Whitehead, had been on vacation there.

A lifelong resident of Trenton, he was active in civic, business and club affairs. He was an outstanding tennis player for many years and was considered by many the unofficial dean of tennis in Trenton. He played in many New York and Florida tournaments.

Born in Trenton on April 10, 1886, he attended the Dickinson Preparatory School and in 1908 became a salesman for the Tattersall Company. He remained with this firm for the rest of his life, was named president in 1932, and served until 1949, when he became chairman of the board of directors. He served several terms as president of the Fuel Merchants Association of New Jersey and in 1943 was named to a regional anthracite advisory committee by the national fuels administrator.

A member of Phi Kappa Sigma Fraternity, he was also a member of the Trenton Rotary Club and the Carteret Club. He served as president of both of these clubs. For several years, he was a member of the Trenton Zoning Board of Adjustment and was at one time president of the Mercer County Health League. He also was a member of the board of directors of the Rescue Mission for many years.

Surviving, in addition to his wife, are his son, Harlan H. Whitehead, of Washington, D. C.; and two sisters, Mrs. Stella Paddock, of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Maybelle Carpenter, of New York.

1910L—Charles E. Hower, the only attorney in Mount Union, Pa., died in the Lewistown Hospital on April 9. He had been in failing health for more than a year when he was injured in an auto accident near Lewistown in which his wife was killed.

Born in Northumberland County on June 21, 1875, he received his A.B. degree from Franklin and Marshall College in 1897. After teaching school for a time, he entered Illinois Wesleyan University where he received his Master's degree in 1904 and a Ph.D. degree in 1908. He then entered the Dickinson School of Law and was graduated in 1910. Upon his graduation, he became principal of the Mount Union High School and was admitted to the Huntingdon County Bar a year later and began the practice of law in Mount Union.

He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Mount Union and a charter member and Past Master of Mount Union Lodge No. 688, F. and A. M. He was also a member and Past Master of Shirleysburg Grange. One of his five children is Mrs. Earl W. Cronican, '21, of Carlisle. The others are Mrs. Ernest Hartz, of Bethesda, Md.; Miss Alice Hower, of Philadelphia; Edgar Hower, of Allenport; and Joseph Hower, of Wilkes-Barre.

1916, 1918L—Charles Henry Harman died of coronary thrombosis after an illness of five years at his home in Youngwood, Pa., on March 6. For years prior to his illness, he was a prominent attorney with offices in Greensburg, Pa.

Born at Irwin, Pa.; on January 26, 1894, he was a graduate of the Greensburg High School and graduated from the College in 1916 and from the Law School in 1918. That year, he was admitted to the bar and a year later became an assistant district attorney of Westmoreland County. He was a director and treasurer and also the solicitor of the Penn Valley Coal Mining Company; a director and solicitor of the Savings and Trust Company of Youngwood; and a director and solicitor of the Building Loan Association of Youngwood; and was also solicitor of the Borough of Youngwood.

A member of S. A. E. Fraternity, he was a prominent undergraduate, having served as vice-president of the freshman class and was a member of Belles Letters Society. He was a member of Skitch-A-Genee, Skull and Key, and Ravens Claw, and at the Law School a member of Corpus Juris. He was a 32d degree Mason, a Shriner, and a member of the Tall Cedars of Lebanon. For a number of years, he was treasurer of the Westmoreland County Bar Association, a member of the Pennsylvania Association, and the Fraternal Order of Police.

During World War I, he served as a seaman in the Naval Reserves and was later active in the affairs of the American Legion.

He never married and is survived by his father, George A. Harman, and a sister, Miss Hazel Harman, both of Youngwood, and another sister, Mrs. Olive Orner, of Johnstown

1928L—Henry Weiss, an attorney of 2750 North Forty-Sixth Street, Philadelphia, died on April 19 after a brief illness in University Hospital, Philadelphia. He was 48 years of age.

He was a graduate of South Philadelphia High School for Boys and the Dickinson Law School. He was a member of the Philadelphia Bar Association, the Woodcrest Country Club and the Beth David Reformed Congregation.

He is survived by his wife, Blanche; two sons, Robert and David, and a brother, Rudolph.

NECROLOGY

Malcolm M. Follmer, president of the J. S. Folmer Company, a wholesale drug firm, died on April 17 in the Williamsport Hospital. He was the father of Mrs. John F. Bacon, the former Phoebe Follmer, Dean of Women, who is now in Guam where her husband is serving in the Navy as a commander. He is also survived by his wife and a brother, Judge Frederick V. Follmer, of the Federal Middle District Court of Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Helene Morgan Fine, wife of John S. Fine, '14L, Governor of Pennsylvania, died on April 23 following a second major cranial operation in the University Hospital, Philadelphia. She was 42.

Mrs. Fine underwent her first brain operation February 15 and was released three weeks later after her apparent recovery. She was readmitted to the hospital on April 7.

Governor and Mrs. Fine were married December 9, 1939, at the "Little Church Around the Corner" in New York City. A former social worker in the anthracite region, she had served as a probation officer in the Luzerne County Court when her husband was judge there.

In addition to the Governor, she is survived by two sons, John S., Jr., 10, and Donald, 7.

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