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College Opens 179th Academic Year

THE College opened for the 179th academic year on September 18 with another unusually large freshman class but a slightly smaller all-college enrollment. While final figures are not yet available, it appears that the student body will number 835 at least, a less-than-five-per-cent drop reflecting the further decrease in the number of GI's.

The freshman class of 257 is exceeded only by last year's incoming class of 262. Including transfers, the total number of new students is around 300. They come from 15 states and four foreign countries—Jordan, Japan, Holland and Germany. An extensive five-day orientation period before classes began was conducted for the freshmen by a joint faculty-student committee who had all newcomers well settled and feeling very much at home before the formal opening of the term. For the first time a reading test was required of frosh who also were given personality, vocational aptitude, English and foreign language tests.

To accommodate a slight increase in the number of women students living on campus, Biddle House, at High and College Streets, a men's dormitory, has been assigned for the present to co-eds. Total co-ed enrollment exclusive of the handful of day students is 228. Upperclass women impatiently await the completion of the new residence hall, which will be ready for occupancy by the start of the second semester in February if present calculations hold up.

Returning students found workmen in the midst of installing ornamental light standards as the modern replacements for the familiar old overhead lights. With 20 standards to go up on deep-set concrete

bases and connected by 3,000 feet of underground cable, the job is proving a big one. It is hoped that the lights will be ready by Parents Day, Saturday, October 13.

Students also found that two administrative offices had been changed over the summer. Director of Admissions Benjamin D. James had taken a new and larger suite on the second floor of Old West and Mrs. Mary Margaret Kellogg, acting dean of women, whose office had been in Denny Hall, took over James' old suite off the Hall of the Presidents, main floor of Old West. The change places in close proximity the offices of the dean of the college, dean of men and dean of women and, overhead, the director of admissions and the registrar.

Hold Summer Session

Approximately 160 students, all but of few of them regularly enrolled in the College, attended the first Summer Session at Dickinson since 1947. The 12-week session closed September 8. Dr. J. Clair McCullough, acting dean of the College, was the director, and the instructional staff was drawn from the faculty on a volunteer basis.

Eight seniors completed all graduation requirements at the session and will receive their diplomas at Commencement next June. They are: Clarence H. Hess, Akron, Pa.; Richard A. Silhol, Pittsburgh; Paul L. Strickler, Boiling Springs, Pa.; Wallace C. Wilson, Chambersburg; Richard W. Lins, Jr., Bedford, Pa.; John Fischer, Clifton Heights, Pa.; John D. Mathewson, Jr., Altoona, Pa., and Mrs. Jean Deimler Johnson, Middletown, Pa.

Meets Royal Princess At Carlisle Festival



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THE PRESIDENT MEETS PRINCESS MARGARET

Dr. William W. Edel, the President of the College, shaking hands with Princess Margaret in Carlisle, England, following their introduction by Mr. George H. Routledge, the Right Worshipful Mayor of Carlisle.

A MEETING with a member of the Royal Family and participation in a service in the centuries old Carlisle Cathedral were among the many memorable highlights of President Edel's trip of 12 weeks to the British Isles this summer.

He returned to the campus on September 6 directly from Oxford where he attended the Methodist Ecumenical Conference as one of the delegates from the United States. He described his trip as "one of the most enjoyable summers of my life."

English papers carried pictures of Dr. Edel shaking hands with Princess Margaret. The meeting took place in Carlisle, near the Scottish border, while both were official guests of that city of 70,000 during its Historical Pageant Week, one of the big British Festival events in Northern England in mid-August. A "most gracious and intelligent young woman" whose keen interest in and knowledge of British industries as indicated during their tour of an industrial exhibition amazed Dr. Edel.



A YANKEE BARGAIN

President Edel exchanges his sombrero for a Carrick hat made in Carlisle, England. The Mayor, Mr. Routledge, tries the President's cowboy on the Town Clerk, Mr. H. D. Robertson, for size.

He was the civic guest from Carlisle, Pa., representing Burgess James H. Hargis, '13, and the Borough Council. He reported that his back bent with the weight of the welcome he received in the English Carlisle where a 10-day stay was crowded with receptions, speeches, tours and dinners. His pearl-grey broad-brimmed American hat was noticed by the cordial Carlislers wherever he went and became a source of amusement on every turn. They thought it was a cowboy hat. As a joke Dr. Edel promised he'd leave the hat for the city museum when he left. They took him up on it and on his departure he received a famous Carrick homberg in exchange for the "sombrero."

He became the first American ever to take part in a service in the 1,000-year-old Carlisle Cathedral when he read the Second Lesson during a special service marking the opening of the pageant, a great spectacle with a cast of 5,000 per-

sons. Dr. Edel found himself fascinated by the historical background of the ancient city that dates its origin to the invasion by the Romans in the second century. He devoted a day to a tour of the 80-mile long Roman Wall with Mr. Charles Roberts, chairman of the County Council of the County of Cumberland and with the Curator of Roman Antiquities in the Carlisle city museum.

The President had a memorable week at Stratford-on-Avon where he saw the cycle of the Bard's historical plays. He visited the great universities in England, Scotland and Ireland—Oxford, Cambridge, London, Glasgow, Edinburgh, Belfast and Trinity in Dublin. At New College, Edinburgh, he was greeted by Principal John Baillie, who was the speaker at Dickinson's sesquicentennial in 1933. He saw again at Cheshunt College, Cambridge, President A. Victor Murray, who received an honorary degree from Dickinson last year. In Dublin, Dr. Edel

was the guest of Beverly Ussher, father of the Irish philosopher and poet, Armand Ussher. He was a weekend guest of Sir Graham Larmor at his home in the Mountains of Morne, outside of Belfast, and was entertained by Mr. John Wedgewood, owner of the famous potteries at Stoke-on-Trent, near Manchester.

Dr. Edel spoke in many churches. At Brighton 2,500 Methodists greeted him in the auditorium of "The Dome," a great auditorium that once stabled the horses of George IV. He also preached at St. Margaret's Gardens Methodist

Church there and the First Methodist Church of Ryde, on the Isle of Wight. He enjoyed close and personal contact with hundreds of Britishers in the course of a trip that took him into the very heart of the people, their homes, their institutions.

He found that the British were not nearly as apprehensive as Americans over the possibility of a third world war, that they were making gains in their economy and that conditions generally were much better than he remembered them on his last visit in 1949.

Consider Change to Association Constitution

ACTION looking to the possibly broadening of representation on the Alumni Council, governing body of the General Alumni Association, was initiated at the annual meeting of the Council in June. C. Wendell Holmes, '21, was reelected president for a second one-year term.

It was announced that Dr. J. Watson Pedlow, '29, Chester Heights, an executive of the American Viscose Corporation, had been elected Alumni Trustee in the same mail balloting in which the following persons were named to the Council for terms expiring in 1954; Lina M. Hartzell, '10, and Hyman Goldstein, '15, both of Carlisle; Harry J. Nuttle, '38, Haddonfield, N. J.; James Morgan McElfish, '43, Pittsburgh, and Holmes.

Mrs. Helen D. Gallagher, '26, was reelected secretary, and William Young, '21, Harrisburg, was elected vice-president, succeeding Russell R. McWhinney, '15. Hyman Goldstein one of Dickinson's football greats, succeeded Glenn E. Todd, '12, as treasurer. Todd, an Alumni Trustee, had been treasurer since 1946.

A number of recommendations for broadening and strengthening the structure of the General Alumni Association was made by the committee on revision of the constitution and by-laws, Young chairman. The committee proposed that the alumni clubs and classes in reunion

years be privileged to have non-voting "delegates" at meetings of the Council. Other recommendations were (1) that Council members be eligible to succeed themselves for a second term (with the exception of the officers, members are not now eligible for re-election until after the expiration of one year) and (2) that, in the annual mail election for Council members, the voter be permitted five write-ins if not wishing to vote for the candidates on the printed ballot.

Action on the recommendations was placed on the agenda of the fall meeting of the Council on Homecoming Day, November 10. A committee was created to confer with officials of the College on the matter of widening the College's publicity and public relations program. W. Richard Eshelman, '41, Urie D. Lutz, '19, and H. Lynn Edwards, '36, were appointed to this committee, which was requested to make a report at the fall meeting.

Heads Hamline Department

Dr. William E. Kerstetter, '36, went to Hamline University, St. Paul, Minn., this fall as chairman of the department of philosophy and religion after four years at Baldwin-Wallace College where he was one of the youngest men ever to hold the rank of full professor.

Twenty-seven More Lifers Raise Total to 1,052

IN THE receipt of 27 new subscriptions to Life Membership in the General Alumni Association since the publication of 1,025 names in the May number the total has reached 1,052.

In the same period a year ago, a greater gain of 42 was reported largely because 24 members of the Class of 1950 had become Lifers. That class marched steadily on to lead all classes with 40 by last May. In this same period, only six members of 1951 have sent in their checks.

The Class of 1939 continues in second place with 33, having gained one since May and though another came for 1927 that class has 31 because Mason Watson was erroneously listed there instead of 1937. The Class of 1926 stays in contention with 30 Lifers.

The first subscription of the new series came from Kenneth S. Jones, '26, of 24 Colton Lane, Shrewsbury, Mass. He is the distributor of Fisk tires and auto supplies for Worcester County and his firm name is Ken Jones, Inc., with offices at 73 Chandler Street, Worcester 2, Mass.

Later that same day, George M. Briner, '07, of Carlisle, called at the College offices, opened his wallet and took out \$40.00 for Life Membership.

A few days later, a check of \$80.00 covered the Life Membership subscriptions of David E. Lutz, '47, and his wife, June Burkholder Lutz, '48, of Carlisle. Ted is associated with his father in the business of the Daily Motor Express with headquarters in Carlisle.

Prevented from returning to her 50th Reunion, Elizabeth M. Craighead, '01, of 18 Oread St., Worcester, Mass., sent in her \$40 check to become a Lifer.

A subscription mailed in India in March arrived late in May from T. Edward Munce, Jr., '39, '50L, who is with the Department of State in the office American Consulate General in Bombay.

An \$80 check then arrived to cover the subscriptions of classmates of the Class of 1912, Charles S. VanAuken, at-

torney, and his wife, the former Bessie C. Kelley, of 726 East 27th St., Paterson, 4, N. J. The same day, Mildred E. Hull, '28, formerly of Wilkes-Barre and now living in Atglen, Pa., became a Lifer.

While attending Commencement, two other members of the Class of 1912 became Lifers when Clarence A. Fry, attorney of Pittsburgh and George M. Raines, coal broker of Philipsburg, Pa., came to the office with their \$40 checks. The same day two Carlislens were enrolled when subscriptions were made by Jean H. Uhland, '47, instructor of economics on the college faculty and the Rev. D. Frederick Wertz, '37, pastor of Allison Methodist Church.

The names of five members of the Class of 1951 were then entered in the roster, James K. Arnold, Paul L. Stricker, Donald E. Piper, Theodore L. Miller and William A. Jordan.

Albert C. Shuck, '11, county superintendent of schools in Salem, N. J., came back for his 40th Reunion and appropriately carried with him a \$40 check for Life Membership.

Some days later a \$40 check arrived from John F. Walters, '18, of Bedford, Ohio.

A week later a \$40 check came from Dr. Glenn W. Zeiders, '27, physician of Canton, Ohio.

Then in a few days a \$40 check was received from Nicholas Nayko, '36, of Nesquehoning, Pa.

Near the end of June, Joseph G. Hildenberger, '33, attorney of Bethlehem, Pa., was enrolled as a Lifer when his \$40 check arrived.

After a lull until the middle of July a \$40 check came from Mrs. John K. Hench, the former Elizabeth Crawford, '24, who now lives in R. D. No. 1, Hightstown, N. J.

Near the end of August a subscription came from Dr. Jesse O. Small, Jr., '48, graduate of the University of Pennsylvania School of Dentistry, who is now

interning at the Delaware Hospital, Wilmington, Del. He is the son of J. Ohrum Small, '15.

The last two subscriptions came on the same day early this month. The one was from Miriam E. Koontz, '47, of the faculty of Monticello College, Alton, Ill., and the other from Elwood J. Long, Jr., of Norristown, Pa., who graduated from the college last June.

Life membership costs \$40 and may be paid if so desired in \$10 or \$20 annual installments. Checks should be made payable to Dickinson College and sent to THE DICKINSON ALUMNUS, West College, Carlisle, Pa.

Meet In Tokyo

In a letter written in May, Commander John F. Bacon, Jr., '38, who earlier had been promoted from the grade of Lt. Commander and with his wife, the former Phoebe Follmer, dean of women have "spent ten days in Japan on temporary duty and held there the first meeting of the Tokyo Alumni Club."

He continues "on my very first day, I ran into Bill Barclay in the elevator of the Navy Headquarters Building where he is on the staff of Com Nav FE as a communicator. Matter of fact, it was my very first trip up in the elevator, a trip that was duplicated many times during my ten days, but had I missed him that first day we probably never would have met. He told me that Tom Bietsch was in the same building in operations, so we stopped into see him. Needless to say we met several times later, and one evening drank a toast to Dickinson at the British Club in Tokyo."

Recently Tom Bietsch has been discharged and has returned to his practice of law in Carlisle.

Bacon's letter then continues "knowing in advance of my trip that George Macklin and his wife were stationed in Japan, I bummed an airplane ride with RADM. Henderson to a Marine airfield at Itami. There George and Scotty met me and took

me to their home in Kyoto where I spent the night. Following day, after an eight hour train ride back to Tokyo, I found Dick Ellis sitting the lobby of the hotel where I was billeted. It developed he too had been under the same roof all week, but as he was awaiting friends and I had to pack and get out to Haneda for the flight back, our visit was short. Small world, eh?"

Commander and Mrs. Bacon are stationed on Guam and Mrs. Bacon is working for Pan-American Airways. She has fully recovered from an attack of pneumonia, which she suffered early this year.

Plans For Homecoming

With the constantly increasing number of alumni returning each year for Homecoming, plans are being made to entertain another banner through this year on Saturday, November 10.

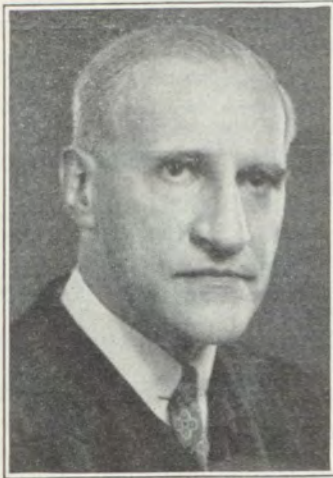
The high-light of the day will be the football game with John Hopkins on Biddle Field at 2 o'clock. Dickinson took an unexpected thumping from the Blue Jays last season in Baltimore and will be smarting for revenge in this year's conflict.

The game will immediately follow the big Alumni Luncheon in the Alumni Gymnasium at noon and will be followed by a faculty reception and the traditional buffet suppers in the fraternity houses. There will be the annual competition among the fraternities for the best decorated houses, and other events to interest alumni and students.

Among other things, returning alumni will want to see the handsome new campus lights, the gift of the Class of 1950 to the College and the progress being made in the erection of the new dormitory for women students on the Rush Campus.

Alumni are urged to order tickets for the football game at once. Reserved seats are \$2.40 each and should be ordered from George Shuman, Jr., Treasurer, Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pa.

Seat New Trustees At June Meeting



JOHN C. ARNOLD



J. WATSON PEDLOW

TWO new Trustees, Judge John C. Arnold and Dr. J. Watson Pedlow, '29, were seated at the June meeting of the Board, and S. Walter Stauffer, '12, who had served several terms as an Alumni Trustee, was elected a member of the 1953 group. All officers of the Board were re-elected at that meeting.

Since 1945, Judge Arnold has been on the bench of the Superior Court of Pennsylvania, after practicing law in Clearfield, Pa., from the time of his graduation in 1909 from the University of Pennsylvania Law School. He was district attorney of Clearfield County 1917-24. He was president of the Pennsylvania Bar Association 1942-43.

Active in the work of the Methodist Church, Judge Arnold is trustee of his church and a teacher in the Sunday School.

A 33° Mason, he is a member of Delta Chi fraternity, the Duquesne Club of Pittsburgh, the Union League of Philadelphia and the Socialegal Club of Philadelphia. He is also a trustee of the Dickinson School of Law.

Judge Arnold was married in 1913 to

Clare E. Platt, of DuBois, Pa., a graduate of Edinboro Teachers' College. They have two sons, John C. Arnold, Jr., and Dan P. Arnold, and two daughters, Mrs. Jane Arnold Mann and Mrs. Mary Arnold Brandis.

In the annual election of the General Alumni Association, Dr. J. Watson Pedlow, '29, was elected an Alumni trustee for a four-year term. Following his graduation from the College, he was one of Dickinson's first exchange students when he went to Germany and got his Ph.D. in chemistry from the University of Munich. He is associated with the American Viscose Corporation at Marcus Hook, Pa., as a chemist and technical coordinator in the development department.

The son of the late George W. Pedlow, '01, and Mary Watson Pedlow, he was born in Upland, Pa., August 7, 1908. Like his father, he became a member of Sigma Chi fraternity at Dickinson. He is Clerk of Vestry of St. John's Episcopal Church of Concord, Pa., a member of the Kiwanis Club of Chester, the Delaware County Chamber of Commerce and the American Chemical Society. In World

War II, he served as a Lt. (USNR) in the Bureau of Aeronautics.

In 1943, Dr. Pedlow was the recipient of the Sir Samuel Salvage Award of the American Viscose Corporation.

He was married on October 15, 1943, to Mrs. Marion Wick Kelly, and they have three children, Colin P. Kelly, III; John Watson Pedlow, Jr., and Gregory Wick Pedlow.

Four Faculty Members Receive Promotions

FOUR members of the faculty received promotions in June by action of the Trustees on recommendation of President Edel. Mary B. Taintor, Dr. J. Clair McCullough and Dr. Friedrich Sandels were made full professors and Bertram H. Davis was advanced to assistant professor.

Miss Taintor has been in the romance languages department at Dickinson since 1928 and a teacher since 1912. She was at Ripon College for eight years as head of the French department and had prior teaching experience at Stanford University, Milwaukee State Normal School and Venice (Calif.) Polytechnic High School.

A graduate of Ripon, Miss Taintor obtained master of arts degrees from that college and Stanford. She studied at Columbia and the University of Chicago and did work abroad at Oxford, the American Classical School in Rome, University of Grenoble and the Sorbonne. Only two other women have held full professorships at Dickinson—Mrs. Josephine B. Meredith, retired since 1948, and May Morris, the College librarian.

Dr. McCullough had a long career in public school teaching and administration before coming to the College in 1947 as assistant professor of education and psychology. He became the acting dean in June, 1950, to serve during the convalescence of Dean Russell I. Thompson, and was director of the 1951 Summer Session. A 1909 Dickinson graduate, he holds a Ph.D. from New York University. He also has done graduate work at Columbia, Pennsylvania and Penn State.

Dr. Sandels, German-born scholar, came to the College in 1946 as an associate professor of modern languages. After fleeing Germany in 1941, he taught

in Havana, Cuba, for two years and then at the Putney School in Vermont for two. He was educated at the Universities of Griefswald, Berlin and Giessen, receiving his doctorate at Giessen in 1912. He taught languages and history in Germany before the war.

One of the youngest faculty members, Davis has taught English at the College since 1948. A graduate of Phillips Academy, he attended Hamilton College and graduated in 1941 from Columbia which gave him a master's in English in 1946. While doing his graduate work he taught at Hunter College.

Baltimore Club Dinner

The annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of Baltimore was held on May 11 at the Candle Light Lodge, Catonsville, Md., with 54 in attendance.

In the absence of the president, Dr. S. Carroll Coale, '08, C. Blair Kerchner, '40, who was then vice-president and later in the evening was elected president, acted as toastmaster.

The other officers elected were W. Gibbs McKenney, Jr., '39, and J. Harold Passmore, '39, vice-presidents; and H. Chance Davis, Jr., '50, treasurer. Catherine S. Eitemiller, '46, was re-elected secretary.

The speakers for the evening were George Shuman, Jr., treasurer of the college; Professor Benjamin D. James, dean of the freshman class and director of admissions, and President William W. Edel.

Musical entertainment was provided by Prof. John S. Steckbeck, Mrs. Steckbeck and two students, Mary Ann Spence and John L. Shumaker, Jr.

Sudden Death Overtakes "Chick" Kennedy

CHARLES H. B. "CHICK" KENNEDY, '34, head of the physical education department, director of athletics and basketball and golf coach, died with shocking suddenness on August 31 at his home near Boiling Springs, victim of a stroke at the age of 41.

Kennedy, who had suffered from malignant hypertension for years, was forced in mid-August to rest in bed for several days. But this seemed to have been but a temporary setback, for he improved steadily and had engaged in his usual activities up to the day before he was stricken. He suffered a cerebral hemorrhage at 7:30 a.m. and died five hours later. His wife, the former Dorothy Carl, '33, who had been his college sweetheart, was at his bedside. There are four children, the youngest 18 months and the eldest 11-year-old "Chick Jr."

Kennedy—always "Chick" to all who knew him—held the faculty rank of associate professor. He came to the College in 1942 to teach physical education and assist with coaching. He became head basketball coach in 1947 on the retirement of Richard MacAndrews and was named head of the physical education department the next year, succeeding Dr. Forrest "Pop" Craver.

As a basketball coach he maintained Dickinson's reputation for strong teams. In the four years he was at the helm he had only one losing season and his overall record was 43 victories, 27 defeats. His 1947-48 team, one of the strongest in Dickinson history, had a 14 and 3 record.

A native of New York City, where he was born May 10, 1910, Kennedy's athletic prowess at Evander Childs High School there and Berkley-Irving Preparatory School preceded him at Dickinson where he was a varsity performer in football, baseball and basketball. He captained the '33-'34 basketball team and in that season contributed a never-to-be-forgotten play when he made a field goal from the center of the floor in the very



CHARLES H. B. KENNEDY

last second of play to defeat Lebanon Valley, 35-34.

Kennedy studied physical education at West Chester (Pa.) State Teachers College in 1936 and that year took a position as coach and teacher at Boiling Springs High School which he continued to serve until called to Dickinson in 1942. He received a master's degree in education from Pennsylvania State College in 1941.

Widely respected in intercollegiate sports circles, he was a member of the executive committee of the Middle Atlantic Football Association and served on the national committee on the Football Hall of Fame. At the College he was a member of Beta Theta Pi, Ravens Claw and Omicron Delta Kappa. He was a Mason, a member of the Cumberland Star Lodge No. 197, St. Johns Royal Arch Chapter No. 8, both of Carlisle, and a member of the Otterbein United Brethren Church, of Boiling Springs, Pa.

Many of his teammates of college days and the boys he coached in later years attended the funeral service, which was held in the Shulenberg Funeral Home, Carlisle, with burial in the nearby Mt.

Zion Cemetery. Pallbearers were Kennedy's associates at the College, Frank Maze, John Steckbeck, Benjamin Coren, Benjamin D. James, who was also a classmate, George Shuman, Jr., and Weston Overholt.

Besides his wife he is survived by four

children, Charles, aged 11; Marjorie Ann, 6 years; James, 4 years, and Michael, 18 months, and a brother, George H. Kennedy, of New York City. Mrs. John R. Graham, Williamsport, the former Helen R. Carl, '36, is a sister of Mrs. Kennedy.

Becomes Head of Confederate Veterans

YANKEE lawyer and Dickinsonian, William M. Beard, a city magistrate of Westfield, N. J., became titular head of all Confederates when he was elected commander-in-chief of the Sons of Confederate Veterans in June at Norfolk, Va.

The meeting had special significance, for it took place at the final convention of the United Confederate Veterans, a dwindley group, whose annual reunion hereafter will be held in connection with conventions of the Sons.

Judge Beard's election marked the first time that the SCV had gone north of the Mason-Dixon for a leader. But it had no fear that it was getting a Carpet-bagger. A native of Williamsport, Md., Judge Beard's ancestors on both sides of the family fought with Maryland regiments in the Confederate Army. At Little Rock a year ago he told Confederate veterans that the principals for which they fought had vital importance for the world today. It was the most popular address at the reunion.

Judge Beard had been judge-advocate of the Sons for three terms. For four terms he had been commander of the New York City joint camp of the Confederate Veterans and Sons. He is a student of the life of Robert E. Lee and a popular speaker at Confederate meetings over the country.

After graduating from Dickinson in 1912 and receiving a master's from Penn State College in 1913 he spent the next six years teaching in Westfield and Newark, N. J. He turned to law and public life in 1919 when he was elected re-

corder of Westfield and got a degree from the New Jersey Law School. He has had a term as mayor of Westfield and for 12 years was president of the Westfield Trust Company which he now serves as attorney. He is also attorney for the Westfield and Scotch Plains Boards of Education and the Borough of Fanwood. He represents several large insurance companies and fiduciaries in North Jersey and New York.

Hold Dinner in Trenton

With 40 present the annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of Central New Jersey was held at the Carteret Club in Trenton on May 15.

The invocation was offered by Dr. Ira S. Pimm, '19, headmaster of the Pennington School and the Rev. William R. Guffick, '25, district superintendent, president of the Club presided.

Leon M. Robinson, '39, who had been vice-president, was elected president and Royce V. Haines, '30, former secretary and treasurer, was named vice-president. Mrs. Albert F. Winkler, the former Helen M. Laird, '29, was elected secretary-treasurer.

The addresses at the dinner were given by Dr. William W. Edel, president of the College and Dr. Rowland R. Lehman, assistant to the president. C. Wendell Holmes, '21, president of the General Alumni Association, was present and spoke concerning the activities of the association.

Death Claims Distinguished Trustee

ROBERT H. RICHARDS, '95, former attorney general of Delaware, a past president of the Delaware Bar Association, historian and distinguished trustee of the College, died in the Delaware Hospital, Wilmington, Del., on August 27. He had been a patient for 10 days due to a heart condition.

Elected a trustee in 1935, he was a member of the Executive Committee and Finance Committees of the Board at the time of his death. Through the years he served on all important committees of the Board. A Life Member of the General Alumni Association, he was interested in alumni activities and a regular attendant and speaker at the annual dinners of the Dickinson Club of Delaware. He was also a trustee of Delaware University.

A life long student of history, he was the vice-president of the Historical Society of Delaware, a member of the American Historical Association, a former governor of the Society of Colonial Wars in the state of Delaware and a former president of the Delaware chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution.

Admitted to the Delaware bar in 1897, he was the founder of the law firm of Richards, Layton, and Finger, which maintained offices in the DuPont Building in Wilmington. Four years after his admission to the bar he was named a deputy attorney general, serving in that position until 1905 when he was elected attorney general of the state. He served as council for the state of Delaware in the original suit brought in the Supreme Court of the United States by the state of New Jersey against Delaware in 1905 to determine the boundary of the two states, and was a member of the commission representing Delaware which negotiated a boundary compact between the two states.

In later years he was closely associated with the late T. Coleman duPont for a number of years in handling the legal



ROBERT H. RICHARDS

work and otherwise assisting with the building of the DuPont Highway, Delaware.

A strong advocate of state's rights, Mr. Richards was a member of the executive committee of the Sentinels of the Republic, a national organization formed in the 1920's to combat centralization and bureaucracy in the federal government. More recently, he was a forceful advocate of reforms for the state judicial organization and shared much of the credit for the establishment, after many years of effort, of the new Delaware Supreme Court.

Born in Georgetown, Del., on November 15, 1873, he was the son of Charles Fleming Richards and Mary C. Sudler Richards. His father, veteran of the Civil War, was a prominent Delaware attorney. The Richards family, one of the state's oldest, first settled in Sussex County in 1675.

He graduated from Dickinson Preparatory School and in 1895 from the College with Phi Beta Kappa honors. The College awarded him the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws in 1923 and Delaware Uni-

versity also conferred that degree upon him in 1947. He was a member of Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity.

He was a member of the American Academy of Political and Social Science, the Union League of Philadelphia, the Bankers Club of New York, and the Wilmington Country Club. He was also a member and a former director of the Wilmington Society of Fine Arts and had been a member of the Wilmington Club since 1899, longer than any other member of the organization.

Also having wide business interests, Mr. Richards was chairman of the Board of Directors of the *News-Journal* Company, president of the J. A. Montgomery Insurance Company, and a director of the Wilmington Trust Company, the Pusey and Jones Corporation, the Joseph Bancroft Sons Co., Continental American Life Insurance Co., and the Electric Hose

and Rubber Company.

He is survived by his wife, the former Lydia Newshan Haddock of Carlisle, who is a graduate of Metzger Seminary; by a daughter, Mrs. William A. Worth; by his son, Charles Fleming Richards, Esq., who is associated with his father's law firm; and Robert H. Richards, Jr., Esq., attorney for the Delaware Memorial Bridge Commission bond issue and a former member of the Department of Public Safety. He is also survived by a brother, President Judge Charles S. Richards of Georgetown, former Chief Justice, and two sisters, Mrs. Frank M. Jones of Georgetown, and Mrs. Walker Mifflin of Dover. He was a brother of the late Laura S. Richards of Georgetown, who died a year ago.

Among the honorary pallbearers were Boyd Lee Spahr, '00, Paul Appenzellar, '95, and Raphael S. Hays, '94.

A. A. U. W. Offers Fellowships

Twenty-five fellowships are offered by the American Association of University Women to American women for advanced study or research during the academic year 1952-1953.

In general, the \$1,500 fellowships are awarded to young women who have completed two years of residence work for the Ph.D. degree or who have already received the degree; the \$2,000-\$2,200 awards to more advanced students or those who may need to study abroad; the \$3,000 awards to more mature scholars who need a year of uninterrupted work for writing and research. Unless otherwise specified, the fellowships are unrestricted as to subject and place of study.

Applications and supporting materials must reach the office in Washington by December 15, 1951. For detailed information concerning these fellowships and instructions for applying, address the Secretary, Committee on Fellowship Awards, American Association of University Women, 1634 Eye Street, N. W., Washington 6, D. C.

Becomes School Principal

C. Melvin Shields, '30, is serving in the newly created position of principal of the St. Thomas Township High School, St. Thomas, Pa.

Upon his graduation from the college he entered the employ of the St. Thomas school district he taught in the elementary school until 1939, when he was transferred to the principalship of the Williamson elementary school. He entered the navy in 1943 and when he returned in 1946 was assigned as a member of the high school faculty. He will continue to teach the social studies and English while serving as principal.

Attend Convention

Dr. Herbert Wing, Jr., and Dr. Horace E. Rogers represented the Dickinson Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa at the annual meeting of the Middle Atlantic District of the United Chapters at Columbia University at the end of May. Dr. Wing is Chapter and district vice-president, while Dr. Rogers is Chapter secretary.

Two Win Places on Dauphin County Bench



WALTER R. SOHN



HOMER L. KREIDER

LEADING the judicial ticket by a wide margin, the first time he was a candidate for any public office, Homer L. Kreider, '21, '24L, won both the Republican and Democratic nominations for Judge of Dauphin County, while Judge Walter Sohn, '14L, also won a place in the Pennsylvania primaries in July.

Judge Sohn was appointed to the bench last March by Governor John S. Fine to succeed Robert E. Woodside, '26, '28L, who was appointed Attorney General of the state. His nomination was contested and it was not until after a recount of the ballots that President Judge J. Paul Rupp, '25L, was found to be the loser.

The story of Homer Kreider could be written dramatically in the theme "From newsboy to Judge of the Common Pleas." Born in Harrisburg on April 14, 1898, as is the son of Dr. J. H. Kreider, former corner of Dauphin County and Alice Lentz Kreider. He and his father both served in World War I after his graduation from Central High School in Harrisburg. At the college he became a mem-

ber of Theta Chi Fraternity and at the Law School he was elected the Woolsack Honorary Scholastic Society. For 27 years he has had an active practice of law and is a past president of the Dauphin County Bar Association.

He has been in demand as a lecturer and has frequently given addresses on "Our Constitution—Today," "Abraham Lincoln," "Our American Heritage," and "The War-Making Powers of Congress and the President." He also taught business law and political science in the Beckley Business College, Harrisburg and history and civil government in the Norristown High School.

A member of the United Brethren Church, Judge Kreider is a member of the Dauphin County Pennsylvania and the American Bar Associations and the American Judicature Society. He is a past president of the Dauphin County Bar Association. He has served as President of the Historical Society of Dauphin County and he is also in the Executives Club of Harrisburg. He is also a member of Keystone Historical Society, the Pennsylvania Historical Society, the Har-

risburg Natural History Society, the Academy of Political Science, and the Torch Club of Harrisburg.

Active in fraternal and service affairs, he is a past Grand Regent of Pennsylvania of the Royal Arcanum and a member of its Law Committee for the United

States and Canada. He is a Mason; an Elk, a member of the Moose, and the Kiwanis Club.

His wife, the former Nita Spangler Kreider, was a teacher in the Harrisburg schools prior to their marriage. They have a daughter, Helen, age 15 years.

Dedicate Memorial to Uncle Noah Pinkney

TO the great number of memorials at the College honoring its founders, noted teachers and benefactors has been added a simple bronze tablet in memory of a one-time Negro slave, Uncle Noah Pinkney, the "fresh-pretzel man" to nearly 50 years of Dickinsonians, who had become a campus institution by the time of his death in 1923.

President Edel, one of Old Pink's best customers years ago, led unveiling exercises on Alumni Day of the 1951 Commencement. There were other old customers and friends on hand. Forrest E. "Pop" Craver, '99, and Col. Thomas A. Frailey, '19L, referred to Pinkney as "a real Christian gentleman," "a friend every student loved." Judge John M. Wilson, '94L, unveiled the tablet and Dr. George H. Ketterer, '08, made the closing prayer.

The exercises took place at the East College Gate where Uncle Noah, big basket on arm, always stood to do business in cakes and fat pretzels with hungry students on their way to and from Denny.

Spirituals and hymns Pinkney loved were sung by a chorus of young men from the church he attended. Elderly negroes of town who remembered him were there to witness the tribute. Some had placed garden flowers on the new tablet.

President Edel termed the occasion "a warm and human hour" symbolizing "the extension over racial lines for which Christian education stands." He read an amusing poem about Pinkney which he had composed as a freshman for the Microcosm of that year. He quoted from

a chapter on the old darkey in Boyd Lee Spahr's little volume *Dickinson Doings*, written in 1900.

When Noah died at the age of 77, the Dickinson Alumnus carried his picture and a full-page obituary which said of him, "Loyal to Dickinson ever, loving it with his whole heart, he was faithful to the end."

The bronze tablet is affixed to the campus wall beside a concrete bench at the East College Gate. The inscription on it follows:

"Rest here awhile, Dickinsonians, near the East College Gate where for more than 40 years Noah Pinkney, former slave and Christian gentleman, sold pretzels and gave lavishly of friendship. 'Fine as silk, sah, fine as silk.' To many generations of Dickinsonians 'Pink' was as much a part of the College as The Mermaid on Old West. Born in 1846, he passed over Jordan on August 6, 1923, and all the trumpets sounded for him on the other side'."

Makes Gifts To College

From his vast collection of valuable autographs, C. Gilbert Beetem, '04, Carlisle rug manufacturer, has presented to the College original signatures of three kings of England, Georges I, II and III. Two of these are affixed to official documents, the third is on a small piece of parchment which may have been clipped at one time from a royal decree. Mr. Beetem has also given to the College rare photostatic copies of the Charter of Carlisle, the Act creating Cumberland County and an Act defining boundaries of York and Cumberland Counties.

Wins Nominations of Both Parties for Judgeship

JOHAN M. KLEPSEK, '22-24L, received nomination for the office of judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Blair County, on both the Republican and Democratic parties at the July Pennsylvania primaries. His election as judge will be automatic at the November general election.

For 10 years he was assistant district attorney of Blair County, having been first appointed by the late Richard H. Gilbert, '08. He resigned the office some years ago to continue in his own general practice of law.

Born at Martinsburg, Pa., on May 20, 1896, he graduated from the Altoona High School in 1916 and was president of the senior class. He entered the College that year but left to enlist for service in World War I. He served with the 20th Field Artillery as a lieutenant. At the close of the war he returned to the College and graduated with the class of 1922, then from the Dickinson School of Law in 1924. He was admitted to practice in Blair County and before the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania in 1925. While in college he was a member of the Inter Fraternity Council, the Skull and Key, Raven's Claw and business manager of the Microcosm. He is a member of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity and of the Corpus Juris Honorary Society of the Law School.

Active in church affairs, he taught Sunday School classes many years both at Altoona Broad Avenue Presbyterian Church and the Hollidaysburg Presbyterian Church. At the present time, he is a member of the board of elders of the Hollidaysburg Presbyterian Church and superintendent of the Sunday School.

He took an early interest in Republican party politics, having served as secretary to the Blair County Republican Club and was elected a member of the Republican State Committee in 1938 and was successively elected to this office to the present time.



JOHN M. KLEPSEK

He is also taking an active part in municipal government under the sponsorship of the Department of Public Instruction of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. He taught a school for the training of borough officers and a school for assessors. During World War II, he served as legal advisor to registrants in the Selective Service System. He is a charter member and past president of the Hollidaysburg Rotary Club.

A Life Member of the General Alumni Association, he has always been active in Dickinson affairs. He is now the treasurer of the Dickinson Club of Altoona and a regular visitor to the campus.

In 1924 he married Miss Mary Adele Snyder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Snyder, Carlisle. They have four sons, John M. Klepser, Jr., 24; Frederick L., 19; Eric A., 14, and Alan W., 11. John M. Klepser, Jr., served in the Second World War in the U. S. Navy in the submarine Odax. He will graduate from the College in 1952.

Election Victory Assures Full Term on Bench

ROBERT M. MORRIS, '27L, president judge of Jefferson County, Pennsylvania, who was first appointed by Governor Duff, received the Republican and Democratic nominations at the July Pennsylvania primary assuring him a full term.

Judge Morris was born in Punxsutawney on July 20, 1901. A son of Dr. J. B. and Ella Means Morris. Dr. Morris is living and is now over 90 years of age. The mother of Judge Morris died in 1936. The Morris family is one of the oldest pioneer families, having settled in Jefferson County about 1819.

Judge Morris was graduated from Gettysburg College with the degree of bachelor of science in 1924 and from the Dickinson School of Law in 1927. He was admitted to the Bar of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania and Jefferson County Courts in 1927.

He was elected District attorney of Jefferson County in 1933 and held the office for two terms or until January 1941. He began practicing law in the firm of Mitchell and Morris and continued as an associate of that firm until 1930 when he entered into a partnership with his brother, Walter E. Morris, which firm has been engaged in a general practice of law as Morris and Morris since that date.

He married Nancy Johns Morris of Durham, N. C., and they are the parents of two children, David Walter Morris, age 10 and Robert John Morris, who died at the age of 18 years on September 25, 1950. At the time of his death, he was a sophomore at Duke University. Mr. Morris and the members of his family are members of the Presbyterian Church.

Chicago Club Meets

The annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of Chicago was held in the dining



ROBERT M. MORRIS

room of the Chicago Board of Trade on May 17.

Paul C. BeHanna, '27, who had been vice-president and was elected president for the ensuing year, acted as toastmaster. The Reverend Alson J. Smith, '25, who was visiting in Chicago, offered the invocation and also spoke briefly. Other impromptu remarks were made by Mr. Thomas Creigh, descendant of one of the founders of the college, Dr. Frank R. Manlove, '34, and Samuel W. Witwer, Jr., '30, trustee of the college.

The guest of honor and principal speaker was Professor Josephine D. Meredith, '01, former dean of women. The other speaker was Vice-President Gilbert Malcolm.

Other officers elected by the club were John W. Garrett, Jr., '19, vice-president, and Mrs. William G. Gray, '27, who had been serving as secretary-treasurer to a vice-presidency. Mrs. Elsie D. BeHanna, '27, secretary, and W. D. Gordon, '36, treasurer. J. Leeds Clarkson, '11, the Reverend Alson J. Smith and Samuel W. Woodward were elected to the executive committee.

Breaks Tradition In Winning Nominations

CHARLES F. GREEVY, of Williamsport, '35, '38L, won both Democratic and Republican nominations for Judge of the Court of Common Pleas at the primary election in Lycoming County July 24.

A Democrat, he was unopposed on the Democratic ticket and won the Republican nomination in a race among four candidates. It was the first time since 1899 that a Democrat had been nominated by both parties for Judge in Lycoming County.

Mr. Greevy is the senior partner in the law firm of Greevy, Greevy & Knittle, which has offices in Williamsport and Montoursville. He is associated with his brother, Lester L. Greevy, and Daniel F. Knittle, both of whom also are graduates of the Dickinson School of Law.

Son of a former district attorney of Lycoming County, Mr. Greevy worked in his father's law office during his high school, college, and law school days, and later worked in the offices of two Williamsport attorneys. In April, 1939, he was admitted to practice before the Lycoming County Court.

In the Second World War, Mr. Greevy volunteered for service with the Navy, serving 28 months, 22 of which were active sea duty in the Atlantic and Pacific and attaining the rank of lieutenant.

He is now serving his fourth term as president of the congregation of Immanuel Evangelical Lutheran Church in Williamsport, is a member of the Board of the Phebe Home at Allentown, Pa., and is a member of numerous civic and fraternal organizations.

A member of Theta Chi Fraternity, during his college days he was on both the *Microcosm* and *Dickinsonian* staffs.

Mr. Greevy is married to the former Eleanor Seitzer, of Williamsport. They are the parents of three children.



CHARLES F. GREEVY

Advocates Liberal Arts Study

Harry C. Zug, '34, writing in the August issue of *The Journal of Accountancy*, makes a strong appeal for liberal arts education for accountants.

In an article "Rigid Courses of Study for CPA Certificates Are Opposed," Zug holds that emphasis on general education is necessary if young men entering the profession are to achieve the breadth of understanding and maturity of judgment their duties to their clients will require.

The trend in this direction is running strongly among educators and should be encouraged by the profession, the writer points out, and says that legislation which tends to specify what courses accounting students must take should be opposed by the profession.

Zug, a CPA with Lybrand, Ross Bros. and Montgomery, Philadelphia, is an active member of the committee on education of the Pennsylvania Institute of CPAs and was recently elected vice chairman of the Philadelphia chapter of the Institute.

First Wedding in New Prayer Chapel



JUNE GRADUATES MARRY IN OLD WEST

Eugene M. Oyler, who is now in the armed service, and his bride, A. Diana Williams, in Prayer Chapel.

A. Diana Williams and Eugene M. Oyler were married on June 3, a few hours after both received diplomas in the annual Commencement exercises, in the first wedding to be held in the College Prayer Chapel in West College.

The small chapel was lighted by candles and the altar was decorated with flowers. Classmates of the bride and groom, who had themselves just graduated, served as organist, soloists and attendants. "Sweetheart" songs of the fraternity and sorority of the couple were sung by the soloists.

The ceremony was conducted by Rev. Dr. J. Merrill Williams, '08, uncle of the bride, assisted by J. Carl Williams, '50, brother of the bride. A reception was held afterward in Memorial Hall of West College. The bride's father is Carl H. Williams, '26.

Host To National Council

Close to 125 college teachers and administrators from all sections of the country were on the campus August 24-30 for the annual conference of fellows of the National Council on Religion in Higher Education. They liked the Dickinson hospitality so much that they elected to return for their 1952 session. The Council, which has headquarters in New Haven, Conn., was founded in 1922 to advance the concern for religion in liberal education. Each year it gives financial help to selected graduate students concerned with a religious approach to life and committed to professional callings as teachers or administrators in higher education. Victor L. Butterfield, president of Wesleyan University, is president of the Council.

Chronicles the Stories of the "Fabulous Redmen"

ADD to the swelling list of authors on the Dickinson faculty the name of John Steckbeck, assistant professor of physical education, whose book, *Fabulous Redmen*, a history of football at the old Carlisle Indian School, has become a sports best seller since release in June by the J. Horace McFarland Company.

The 150-page volume, first complete record of Indian School football, is illustrated with pictures of great Indian teams, coaches and individual stars and is packed with descriptions of games and famous plays, records, schedules and anecdotes. Steckbeck was nine years in gathering his material.

It is interesting reading for any sports fan. Dickinsonians whose college years were in the quarter-century (1894-1918) when football flourished at the famous school so near the College campus will find it absorbingly fascinating, stirring memories of those rugged mid-week scrimmages between the College teams and the Indians and bringing back a flood of personal recollections of such greats as Thorpe, Bemus Pierce, Wheelock, Calac, American Horse, Burd and, of course, the two who became Dickinsonians—Gus Welch and the late Frank Mt. Pleasant.

Dickinson figures prominently in the book, which points out that a game between the College and the Indians back in 1890, when football was still on an intramural basis at the school, was the first gridiron contest ever played between white men and red. Novices then, the Indians were to thrill the country with their gridiron accomplishments in the years that followed.

The book has thrilled and delighted old students of the school and has resulted in the author being adopted by the Ogala Sioux Tribe which gave him the name of "Chief Swallow-Eagle" in a traditional ceremony at Deadwood, S. D., last August. Some of the present tribal chiefs attended the school.



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It has been well received by sports columnists and has led to demands on the author for many interviews, radio appearances and speeches, including a scheduled appearance before the Touchdown Club of America on October 16 in New York.

Two other persons connected with the College helped contribute to the book's success. The cover drawing and illustrations were made by Frank Maze, head football coach and a talented painter, and some of the photos are from the collection of Hyman Goldstein, '15, '17L, who played many a game against the Indians as quarterback of the College teams of 1911 and 1912.

The author, who has been at Dickinson since 1942, graduated from West Chester (Pa.) Teachers College in 1936 and holds a master's degree in education from the University of Pennsylvania. Besides his teaching chores at the College, he is head track coach, assistant football coach, athletic trainer and, himself an unusually fine singer, directs the College Choir.

The book can be purchased at the Dickinson College bookstore or at any bookstand at \$3.50 per copy.

Large Squad Opens Football Practice

THE squad for Dickinson's 66th football season of eight attractive games is one of the largest in Red and White history and while it is also one of the youngest and least experienced, it has a sufficient number of veterans to raise the hope for a good campaign.

The 60-man squad is top-heavy with sophomores and freshmen, a situation brought about by a big graduation loss, an unusually large sophomore contingent and the eligibility of freshmen for varsity play for the first time since 1947. So much young blood may spell a year of gridiron reconstruction at Dickinson.

The hard core of this squad are the 16 lettermen and five other players with varsity experience, and they will have to carry the burden until Frank Maze, starting his second season as head coach, and his assistants, John Steckbeck and Benedict Coren, with Dick MacAndrews in advisory capacity, can bring along reinforcements as the newcomers develop.

The squad, which reported September 10, had a full week of two-a-day practices before the term opened. The coaches ordered hard contact work by the third day and by the end of the second week the players had scrimmages with Albright and Millersburg Teachers under their belts. These intersquad tests, in which Dickinson held its own, were big help to the coaches in picking the 30 players for the trip to Hartford, Conn., where the season opens September 29 with Trinity a new opponent, which has lost only one game in two seasons and is a small-college powerhouse in New England.

The running attack has been built again around two seniors—Wilbur Gobrecht, who was the second highest scorer among Pennsylvania college players last season, and Clement Jablonski, his running mate at halfback. They are a fast and elusive pair backed up in reserve by George Slingland, junior, and Sophomores Andrew Padjen (brother of

1951 Football Schedule

Sept. 29	Trinity	away
Oct. 6	F. and M.	away
Oct. 13	Ursinus (Parents Day)	home
Oct. 20	Western Maryland	home
Oct. 27	Drexel	away
Nov. 3	Gettysburg	away
Nov. 10	Johns Hopkins (Homecoming)	home
Nov. 17	Allegheny	home

Steve, '49, and Sammy, '39) and Bruce Sciotto.

Owen Kertland, 195-pound junior and the squad's biggest back, has stepped into the shoes of John Mathewson, ace passer and T quarterback for the past three seasons, who erased his remaining year of athletic eligibility when he qualified for graduation by attending the 1951 Summer Session. Sophomores Bob Jones and Dick DiGuardi are other good quarterback-passer prospects.

Maze has not been so fortunate in finding capable shoe-fillers for such 1950 luminaries as John Lyter, outstanding blocking back and line backer; Bill Falen, topnotch defensive end, and Larry Stevens and Ted Starry, the starting tackles, all of whom were lost by graduation. Jack Smith, rugged junior, is the No. 1 full-back prospect, with other good material for this position in Gordon Haney and Don Bush, sophomore, and Ralph Nord, freshman.

Dick Johe, 6-4 sophomore end and an exceptional pass receiver, figures to make the varsity on his first bid. Stewart Harkness and Bob Ulbricht are good holdover ends. Ray Phillips, 190-pound tackle, is the only experienced player at that position but may get competent help from Ed Martin, junior, who has been converted from guard; Bill Hostetter, junior,

and Sophomores Paul Tarr and Ron Goldberg. All of the tackle material is light.

The team is at guard where there are such tried stalwarts as Norm Kranzdorf, the heaviest man on the squad at 201 pounds, Bob Jones and Dan Dombroski, plus Joe Kunda, an unusually fine frosh prospect. Dick Placey and Ted Adourian, holdovers, should give steadiness at center.

Maze is using the split T offensive again and plans to employ offensive and defensive platoons to the fullest extent permitted by the squad.

"With so many young players on hand we should get better as the season goes along," says Coach Maze. All of which should mean a team at its best for the big Homecoming game with Johns Hopkins on November 10, next to the last date on the schedule.

Make Changes on Faculty of College

FIVE members of the faculty are on leave of absence for the 1951-52 term, four of them in foreign countries to teach or to do research or graduate work, while an emigre German scholar, Dr. Rose Bartsch, formerly of the University of Hamburg, is one of new teachers at the College this term.

Dr. Eric W. Barnes, Thomas Beaver Professor of English literature and department chairman, is guest professor at the Free University of Berlin under a grant of the Carl Shurz Foundation, established 20 years ago to improve cultural and economic relations between the U. S. and Germany. He will lecture on American literature and civilization.

Dr. Barnes, who has been at Dickinson since 1946, was educated in Europe, holds his doctorate from the University of Paris where he also taught. With him for the year in Germany are Mrs. Barnes and their two young sons. Dr. William Sloane is acting head of the department in Dr. Barnes' absence.

In Austria is Dr. Harold W. Weigel, '30, associate professor of German, who was one of four Americans chosen by the State Department in July to teach there this term under the Fulbright program. He will be assigned to a school late this month following a week of orientation in Vienna. This is the first year for operation in Austria of the teaching aspect of the Fulbright program. With Dr. Weigel are his wife and two of their three children.

Dr. Thelma Smith, associate professor of English, who received a study award from the American Council of Learned Societies in July, is spending a year's leave in France, collaborating with her husband, Dr. Ward Miner, formerly of Temple University, in a survey of the influence of Faulkner, Steinbeck and other American writers on French literature and thought. Paris is their headquarters for the winter. They will travel extensively in Europe next summer before returning to the States in the fall. In 1945 Dr. Smith was the first woman to receive the degree of doctor of philosophy in American civilization from the University of Pennsylvania.

Stacey B. Eaton, associate professor of romance languages, who has a master's degree from Harvard, is on leave for further graduate work at the University of Laval, in Quebec, and J. Wesley Robb, assistant professor of philosophy and religion, entered in June on a year's residency at the Graduate School of Philosophy, University of Southern California, to complete research on his doctoral dissertation under a faculty fellowship from the Fund for the Advancement of Education. Southern California awarded him a master's in 1945.

Dr. Rose Bartsch, one of the new faculty members, is a refugee scholar-linguist from Germany where she lived until this summer when she came to America under sponsorship of the American Committee for Emigre Scholars,

Writers and Artists. She wants to obtain United States citizenship.

A native of Hamburg, Dr. Bartsch received the degree of doctor of philosophy and letters from the University of Hamburg in 1949 and spent the next two years there as an instructor in Spanish. She speaks or writes nine languages. Her husband, who was a physician, was the victim of Nazi persecution and her only son lost his life in the war in service with the German army.

Thayer A. Westlake, who this year received a master's from the University of Pennsylvania, has been appointed an instructor in English. He has completed all course work at Penn for a doctorate in American civilization. A 1939 graduate of Wheaton College, he received a Th.B. at Westminster Theological Seminary in 1942 and the following year was ordained in the United Presbyterian Church. He taught five years in Philadelphia high schools and for the past two years, while studying at Penn, served as assistant pastor of the First United Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia. He plans a career in teaching.

Galen S. Alexander, new assistant librarian in charge of circulation, graduated from Pennsylvania State College in 1947 and received a master's in library science at Columbia this year. He has had 18 months experience in the circulation department of the University of Pennsylvania. Downingtown, Pa., is his home.

Miss Marian R. Memory has been appointed instructor of physical education for women. She attended Ohio Wesleyan University and graduated from Pennsylvania State College in 1948 with a B.S. in physical education. She taught that subject at Wellsboro, Pa., High School for the past three years. Miss Memory is an expert swimmer and has devoted her summers to leadership work at Girl Scout camps in several states.

In June, the trustees granted an additional year's leave of absence to Dr. William Lonsdale Tayler, head of the



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political science department, who is serving as dean of the overseas department of the American International College; Donald Ray Morrison, assistant professor of psychology, and William W. Kirk, assistant professor of modern languages, who are doing advanced graduate work, and Mrs. Phoebe Follmer Bacon, dean of women.

A number of faculty members have resigned—Bob Lee Mowery, catalogue librarian, to become librarian at Murray State College, Kentucky; Walter H. Neihoff, of the political science department, to do educational work with the armed forces; Paul A. Corcoran, instructor in economics, to study for the ministry; Daniel A. Zaret, Russian teacher; Eric J. Josephson and Jean H. Uhland, '47, instructor in sociology; Robert E. Montgomery, instructor in mathematics, and Dorothy C. Yates, of the library staff.

Form Law Partnership

Wellford H. Ware, '43, and Frank L. Johnson, Jr., '46, announced in June that they had formed a partnership for the general practice of law under the firm name of Ware and Johnson, with offices at 27 Cooper Street, Woodbury, N. J.

Honored Upon Retirement

Appreciation of the kind most teachers deserve but few receive when they end their active careers was showered upon Elizabeth M. Craighead, '01, of Worcester, Mass., when she retired after a full half-century as a public school teacher.

Miss Craighead, who had taught in the Commerce High School, Worcester, for the past 36 years after earlier teaching experience in her native Pennsylvania, received two honors for her "work for the common good," notably in the field of racial cooperation.

The National Council of Christians and Jews presented her with its Humanitarian Award. A \$500 annual scholarship created by the Worcester Inter-Racial Council was named for her. She had been president of the Council for 15 years. Members, friends and former pupils contributed to the fund.

Miss Craighead entered the teaching profession immediately on graduating from Dickinson with Phi Beta Kappa honors in 1901. A year at Sunny-side School, Ambler, Pa., was followed by two years as the assistant principal of Bellefonte (Pa.) High School and after a long period of teaching in Harrisburg, Pa., Miss Craighead went to Worcester. Her sister, Hettie W. Craighead, '10, lives in nearby Springfield, Mass.

Becomes Assistant Dean

Victoria Hann, who received her master of arts degree in college personnel counseling last June at Columbia University Teachers College, has been appointed assistant to the dean of women at Colorado College, Colorado Springs, Colo. She will also serve there as resident head of Picknor Hall.

She is the daughter of Rev. Victor Hann, '28, and Mrs. Hann of the Methodist Home for Children, Shiremans-town, Pa.

Receives His Doctorate



WALTER T. JAMES

Walter T. James, '41, assistant professor of philosophy and religion, received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy from Columbia University in June.

A member of the faculty since 1946, Professor James was on leave of absence from 1948-1950 for graduate work at Columbia. He wrote his dissertation on the philosophy of Noah Porter, great 19th century American educator and editor.

Professor James graduated from the College with Phi Beta Kappa honors in 1941, received a bachelor's degree in theology from Drew University in 1944 and a master's in sociology from Columbia University in 1946.

In Korea Seven Months

Major Lavere A. Dodson, '26, visited the campus in July when he returned from Korea after seven months of duty there, most of it in the battle zones. He has been in the Chaplains Corps of the Army since 1943. He served with the 351st Highway Transport Group GP.

He is now on duty at Fort Dix, N. J.

EDITORIAL

MUCH has been, and is being, said and written about the news which came out of West Point in August. To this time no better comment has been made than appeared on the editorial page of *The Christian Science Monitor*, of Boston in the issue of August 23, 1951. It was brought to the attention of the editor by Howard W. Selby, '12, president of the Dickinson Club of Boston and a Trustee of the College, and is reprinted below:

Let Them Choose—and Be Chosen

The now-famous case of the West Point 90 has been a shock to the American people and a tragedy for their great national military academy. But it promises to be truly the shot heard round the campuses of the country that may set off the needed wave of reform.

Ten years ago denunciations of commercialized college athletics, save in a few citadels of journalistic and academic probity, met with smiles of pained tolerance. "That's the way it is," or "The public wants it," or "Why shouldn't a young man use his athletic prowess to get a college education?" Today a chorus of editorial and individual indignation is shouting, "This thing has gone too far."

Perhaps there had to be the Madison Square Garden basketball scandals to show what can happen when commercialism approaches its ultimate. Perhaps the West Point tragedy has been necessary to bring home the fact that such a blight could reach into one of the nation's finest symbols of integrity—the 134-year-old West Point honor system.

One nationally known sports writer exclaims that intercollegiate sport is rotten to the core and that only the educators can cure it. Such forthright condemnation from the sports page fraternity is courageous and heartening. To many such writers big-time collegiate athletics have meant bread and butter and professional distinction. But the charge needs a bit of qualification on one count and definition on the other.

For not all big universities have gone in for stadium sports. And where they have it is not the educators, strictly speaking, who are to blame.

Probably no universities stand higher in their respective fields than do Chicago and Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Yet they have done without "big league" teams for many years. There are others, too, and scores of fine little liberal arts colleges throughout the country whose teams win or lose with boys who have entered their gates for reasons considerably more valid than athletic scholarships.

As to who must cure this blight: The very bigness of today's institutions of higher education has brought forth a new type of man for the prexy's chair. College and university presidents average high in ability and integrity. But many of them are executives whose talents for promotion and management are more in demand than their capacity as educators. Academics they leave to the deans and the faculties.

It is not surprising that such men and the boards behind them should be vulnerable to the pressures of competition in money raising and enrollment and from the two really root sources of the difficulty: the alumnus-who-never-grows-up (everywhere) and local business groups (in some places). It is, however, right to expect that henceforth these pressures will be resisted more sturdily.

For the valley of decision is here. Colleges can no longer carry on their sports under shabby pretenses of education and amateurism. The mask is off. They must

be either centers of learning which include athletics among their educational tools. Or they must as frankly hire athletes for advertising purposes as do some merchants and manufacturers. Let them choose. And then let thinking Americans choose between them.

Becomes President of Wesley Junior College

DR. J. Paul Slaybaugh, '21, whose long career in the field of education began even before he went to college, was elected president of Wesley Junior College, Dover, Del., in July. He had been the director of admissions at Westminster College, Fulton, Mo.

For 25 years, 1924 to 1949, he was the headmaster of West Nottingham Academy, Colora, Md., and before that taught at Mercersburg Academy and in the public schools of his native Franklin County, Pa.

Born in Mont Alto, where his father was a teacher, Dr. Slaybaugh graduated from Quincy Township High School and taught for two years before entering

Dickinson in 1916. He withdrew to be principal of the Ronzerville schools for a year and then served as a second lieutenant in the first World War.

Graduating from Dickinson in 1921, he went to Mercersburg Academy as a mathematics teacher. His long service to West Nottingham Academy began in 1924. He received a master of arts degree from the University of Pennsylvania in 1933. He is a Mason and a member of Alpha Chi Rho, Phi Delta Kappa, and Pi Gamma Mu.

Dr. Slaybaugh married Gertrude Lynch, of Saint Clairsville, O., in 1924. Their daughter, Eleanor Jane, graduated from the College in 1948.

In Wilkes College Post

J. Ernest Crane, '11, veteran New Jersey public school administrator, has been named head of a new program in elementary education at Wilkes College, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

He was principal of the high school in Newark, N. J., when he retired in 1949, after having served as principal and supervising principal in South Amboy and Butler, N. J.

Following his graduation from the College, Mr. Crane did graduate work and procured his master's degree in sociology at New York University. He has also done graduate work at Columbia University.

At one time he was president of the Newark Public School Principals' Association, president of the Newark Public School Athletic Association, and for five years was a member of the executive committee of the New Jersey Education Association. He has long been active in Dickinson Alumni affairs, having served

as a member of the Alumni Council and also as an officer of the Dickinson Club of New York and the Dickinson Club of Northern New Jersey.

Prepares Conference Memorial

William H. Cheesman, '04, of Riverdale, Md., prepared a memorial in June for submission to the General Conference of the Methodist Church proposing authorization of an index of the responsive readings in Church Calendar order.

The memorial proposed the insertion of appropriate scripture passages in the Book of Worship of the Psalter and other Responsive Readings, arranged in the order of the Church Calendar.

An Associate Member of the Order of St. Luke, Mr. Cheesman has long served on committees on music, worship and literature. He has been a choir director and active in all phases of church work in the Sunday School, Epworth League and official boards.

Writes "Applied Science for Drycleaners"

GEORGE P. FULTON, '31, whose new, technical book *Applied Science for Drycleaners* is reviewed here by Dr. E. A. Vuilleumier, one of the author's former teachers at the College, is research director of the National Institute of Cleaning and Dyeing and widely known to its membership across the country through his appearance on state and national programs.

A native of Mechanicsburg, Pa., Fulton graduated from Dickinson in 1931 with a B.S. and a chemistry major and in 1933 received a master's in chemistry from Pennsylvania State College. He has taken many graduate courses at the University of Maryland.

Except for the war years in which his duties as a naval officer included research on textiles, he has been with the NICD since 1934 and director of research since 1939. For a number of years he was also principal of its school in Maryland.



GEORGE P. FULTON

APPLIED SCIENCE FOR DRYCLEANERS, by George P. Fulton, '31.

Here is an impressive, attractive, solid volume of 400 pages, containing over 100 well-chosen photographic illustrations and high-spirited animated drawings. Its author is director of research of the National Institute of Cleaning and Dyeing (NICD), which operates for the industry at Silver Spring, Md., a flourishing training school and research center. The author, who specialized in textiles at Penn State after being graduated from Dickinson College, has been a NICD chemist for 17 years, engaged in teaching and research.

Mr. T. E. Milholland, president of the NICD, says in the foreword, "The thousands of Institute graduates, the students who will attend future classes at the NICD, the trades who manufacture the products used in the industry, and the workers in drycleaning plants who have become skilled in their pro-

fession through years of practical experience, will find this book a welcome and valuable contribution to the literature of the industry."

The book parallels the lecture course in applied science of the Institute's general course. The chapter headings read: fundamentals of chemistry, acids and alkalies, organic chemistry, soaps, detergent action in water, hard water, synthetic detergents, heat and some principles of engineering, relative humidity and the natural moisture in textiles, bleaching and stripping, light and color, drycleaning solvents from petroleum, chlorinated hydrocarbon solvents, textile fibers, drycleaning soaps and detergents, care of the solvent, enzymes.

Especially worthy of citation are the problems at the ends of the chapters. The chapter on Textile Fibers alone concludes with 117 study-questions, many of them indeed soul-searching.

While the drycleaner who has never had a chemistry course can perhaps digest the tome if he is in the higher I. Q. brackets, the author's survey of chemistry will serve particularly as a salubrious and perhaps needful refresher for him who

has, in his season, absolved Chemistry 11-12, or a reasonable facsimile thereof.

Finally, be it known to all men by these presents that Author Fulton is no punch-puller, that chemistry in the raw is rarely mild, and cannot be so when it reaches into the brambled tangles of contemporary drycleaning. We the people are fortunate that there are those in growing numbers who are able and willing to subject themselves to the rigorous basic and advanced training now required in this art-science-profession, and that for them there is available this excellent treatise.

E. A. Vuilleumier.

Add To Dickinsoniana

The textbooks and exercises and composition books, together with other memorabilia of the college life of a student who graduated from Dickinson a century ago have been presented to the College. The student was William Charles Ford Reed, Class of 1851.

The unusual gift from his sons, Charles E. Reed, Philadelphia, and John C. Reed, Steelton, Pa., comprises 100-odd items, all in perfect condition. All were on display in the foyer of Bosler Hall during the Commencement weekend.

"A most welcome and valued addition to Dickinsoniana," is the manner in which the gift was described by Charles Coleman Sellers, the college curator of historical documents and records.

Gets Early Promotion

Although only four years out of college, Marvin E. Wolfgang, '47, is fulfilling his early promise of ability and usefulness.

He has been appointed chairman of the department of sociology of Lebanon Valley College, according to an announcement made this month by Dr. Frederic K. Miller, president of the Annville, Pa., institution.

Trustee at Work in Norway



REVELLE W. BROWN

Following his retirement as president of the Reading Company on September 1, Revelle W. Brown, LL.D., trustee of the College and an honorary alumnus, agreed to accept a two-month assignment by the ECA as consultant to the Norwegian Government on railroad operating improvements. Among factors which he will advise upon are the use of Diesel-electric locomotives, use of centralized traffic control, railroad administration and cost accounting. He expects to spend October and November in Norway.

Become District Superintendents

Two alumni have recently been named district superintendents of the Methodist Church.

The Rev. Dr. J. Luther Neff, '15, who was serving as pastor at Annapolis, Md., was appointed to that office in the Baltimore Conference.

In May, the Rev. Dr. Charles F. Berkeimer, '18, who was pastor of Pine Street Methodist Church, Williamsport, Pa., became a district superintendent in the Central Pennsylvania Conference.

Writes Source Book

Another volume, *The Psychic Source Book* from the prolific pen of the Rev. Alson J. Smith, '25, was recently published by Creative Press, Inc., of New York.

Earlier this year his *Religion and the New Psychology* appeared closely following his 1950 *Faith to Live By*. In 1949, his *Brother Van* was published.

The jacket says that his latest book "explains just how far scientific experimentation in extrasensory perception has gone, what has been proved as tangible fact and what results may be expected in the near future of a subject which, albeit fascinating, has too long and too often been veiled in mysticism, hocus-pokus, and plain old fashioned nonsense and fraud."

A review by Dr. Walter J. James, '41, Assistant Professor of Religion and Philosophy, follows:

Alson Smith, *The Psychic Source Book* (New York: Creative Age Press, 1951), \$4.00

Those who have read Alson J. Smith's *Religion and the New Psychology* will appreciate the value of his latest volume. *The Psychic Source Book* is a broad supplement to the earlier work which supplies varied and useful readings in the field. In his rather appreciative introduction the noted Harvard scholar, Dr. Pitirim Sorokin, points to the parallel development of interest in the field of parapsychology and the sociocultural movement which he projects as the shift from "sensate" to "ideational" culture. The selections in this book cover a wide field and are derived from the writings, experiences, and experiments of such individuals as Swedenborg, McDougall, Myers, the Earl of Balfour, and Sir Oliver Lodge. Of particular interest is an exchange of letters between Prof. J. B. Rhine and Prof. Sorokin concerning certain broad areas of agreement.

—W. T. JAMES

With Petroleum Administration

Howard F. Spering, of '29, was named in June as Special Assistant to the Director of the Refining Division of the Petroleum Administration for Defense, Washington, D. C. He is in charge of negotiation of government contracts with the petroleum industry for the procurement of aviation gasoline and other petroleum products for the armed services. He is also in charge of the Economics Section of the Refining Division which analyzes and evaluates the economics and technical aspects of refining operations for the production of critical petroleum products.

At the request of the administration, he was granted a temporary leave of absence from Texaco Development Corporation of which, for the last four years, he had been Assistant to the Vice-President, with offices in the Chrysler Building, New York. Prior to his work with Texaco, he spent four and a half years during World War II as assistant chief counsel for the Office of Rubber Reserve for the Reconstruction Finance Corp.

Following his graduation from Yale University Law School with the class of 1932, he was actively engaged in the practice of law in Philadelphia until 1942. He graduated from the College with Phi Beta Kappa honors in 1929.

This fall he and Mrs. Spering and their three children, Lynda, Somers and Nancy, will move to Chevy Chase, Md., where they will make their home.

Lectures To Criminologists

Dr. Milton W. Eddy, chairman of the biology department at the College and the leading authority on hair analysis, was a featured lecturer at the 36th conference of the International Association for Identification held in July at Philadelphia. He described for noted criminologists from all over the world his methods of identification of persons by analysis of hair specimens, a field in which Dr. Eddy has become the recognized authority.

Awarded Bronze Star

Lt. Cmdr. Richard Lindsey, '36, Supply Corps, USN, has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service as supply officer of the cruiser USS Rochester during operations against the enemy in the Korean theater. Vice Admiral A. D. Struble made the award in a ceremony at the Mare Island Naval Shipyard, Vallejo, Calif., after the big cruiser returned from nine months in Far Eastern waters. Lindsey is married to the former Mary Handshaw, '35. They have their home in Oak Park, Ill.

Candidate For City Treasurer

William D. Yeagley, '29, is the Republican candidate for city treasurer of York, Pa.

Pennsylvania law requires that the city treasurer be a competent accountant. Yeagley will base his record on 17 years' experience, both in public and private accounting as a bookkeeper and an accountant.

After his graduation from the college, he attended the Wharton School and then for two years was employed as a bookkeeper for the Anderson Grain and Feed Company and for 13 years as bookkeeper and credit manager at Andrews Paper House. For four years, he was manager of the Yeagley Paper Division of the Quaker City Paper Company and last year became manager of W. B. Killhour and Sons, Division of the Hubbs Corporation, wholesale paper merchants.

He is a veteran of World War II, a member of the official board of the First Methodist Church of York; a member of the University Club, Lafayette Club, and the Y. M. C. A., where he has been a Bible study teacher for more than ten years.

He married the former Miss Louisa Rudisill, and they have two sons, William and John, and reside at 334 Creston Road, York. His brother, Dr. John D. Yeagley, '24, is a former city health director.

Makes Hole In One

On June 26, amateur golfer Richard U. Bashor, '30, using a No. 7 iron at the 8th tee of the Georgetown Preparatory School Golf Course, Washington, D. C., made a hole-in-one.

Writes On Teaching

Dr. Lewis H. Chrisman, '08, head of the Department of English of West Virginia Wesleyan University, is the author of a paper "Religion in the Teaching of Literature," which has been widely circulated.

A note by Dr. Myron F. Wicke, of the Department of Higher Education of the Division of Educational Institutions of the Methodist Board of Education, explains that the paper was written upon invitation and says: "Dr. Chrisman has been an inspiring teacher for many years. He has to his credit many articles on religion, literature and education. He writes as a teacher. We hope many teachers will read this article. One question meriting careful attention is this: How do the teacher's religious experiences influence his teaching of works which are naturalistic or at least agnostic in attitude?"

Plan Two Alumni Clubs

Tentative plans have been made for the organization of two new alumni clubs in the State of Maryland. One will be the Del-Mar-Va Club with a meeting place in Salisbury, while the other may be formed with headquarters in Hagerstown.

Since a visit in August by Gilbert Malcolm, Dr. Harry T. Smith, '26, dentist of Salisbury, is surveying the possibilities in that area.

Another member of 1926, H. Monroe Ridgely has everything about ready for the formation of a club at Hagerstown. A meeting there will probably be held this fall.

Present Portraits at Commencement



Portrait of Dr. William Lambert Gooding presented by the Class of 1910. His daughter, Lydia M. Gooding, at the left and Arthur J. Latham, the presenter at the right.

Named Law Alumni Secretary

The appointment of Henry M. Otto, of Reading, Pa., as the first alumni secretary in the history of the Dickinson School of Law and the retirement of Prof. A. J. White Hutton after 49 years on the faculty were announced by Dean Walter H. Hitchler before the School opened September 19 for the new term. The enrollment of 210 students included a first-year class of 80.

Succeeding Prof. Hutton, who will remain with the School as a special lecturer, is M. Paul Smith, member of the Norris-town, Pa., law firm of Smith and Taxis. A native of Bloomsburg, Pa., Smith graduated from Lafayette College in 1927 and received the degree of Juris Doctor from Michigan Law School in 1931. He is widely known to the bench and bar of Pennsylvania as the editor of the *Fidu-*

ciary Review and *Fiduciary Reporter*. His work with the Joint State Government Commission of Pennsylvania in preparation of a revision of the law of wills and decedents' estates has brought him universal recognition as an authority on these fields.

As the new alumni secretary Mr. Otto will serve also as public relations officer and director of the \$500,000 dormitory campaign. One of his first tasks will be the publication of the Law School's first alumni directory since 1928. A graduate of Marysville College in Tennessee, he was assistant general secretary of the Central Y. M. C. A., Reading, Pa., for the past six years. During the last war he was a USO worker and spent over a year as director of the Carlisle USO Center. He is married and the father of a 10-year-old daughter.



Portrait of Dean Josephine B. Meredith, the gift of the alumnae. Mrs. Elizabeth B. Faller and Dr. Elizabeth B. Miller at the left and Mrs. Meredith at the right.

Alumnae To Meet

Mrs. Roy B. Karn, '22, of South Orange, will entertain the Dickinson Alumnae Club of New York at her home on the third Saturday of October, the 18th.

The annual luncheon and spring meeting of the Club was held on May 5 in the Wanamaker Club Service Board Room. At that meeting, the Club voted to send \$15 to the Meredith Portrait Fund.

The officers were re-elected for another year, consisting of Mrs. Horace B. Hand, '20, president; L. Esther Cauffman, '19, vice-president; and Mrs. C. W. Liebensberger, '29, of 220 Union Avenue, Rutherford, N. J., secretary-treasurer.

Directs Flood Relief

Robert M. Pierpont, '31, of Baltimore, considered by the Red Cross to be one of its foremost disaster experts, has been heading that organization's group relief

and rehabilitation operations in Kansas City and Jackson County since the flood struck that area in July.

He is a veteran of Red Cross service in the Ohio-Mississippi flood of 1937.

More than 20,000 families sought assistance from the Red Cross in the four-state area affected by the July disaster. Immediate relief was given by the Red Cross and also plans made for permanent rehabilitation.

Heads Anville Schools

Merle L. Keim, '27, became head of the Anville, Pa., schools in July after 17 years in Mercersburg, Pa., where he made an outstanding public school record. During 15 years as supervising principal of the Mercersburg schools he introduced many new courses and techniques. Two years ago he helped to set up and was named superintendent of a jointure comprising Mercersburg and three surrounding districts.

PERSONALS

1902

E. Garfield Gifford has changed his law offices from 810 Broad Street to 45 Branford Place, Newark, 2, N. J.

1905

After a service of 50 years in the active ministry, the Rev. J. Edgar Skillington, D.D. was retired at the May session of the Central Pennsylvania Methodist Conference. He has moved to a farm he owns at Martinsburg, Pa., and temporarily is serving a church nearby.

1907

Mrs. Florence Ralston Belt retired as a teacher in the schools of Harrisburg, Pa. as of Sept. 4.

Harry P. Swaim has retired as principal of North High School, Columbus, Ohio. He continues to make his residence in Columbus but spends the winters in Florida, the summers in Michigan.

1909 Law

Arthur B. Johnson, vice-president in charge of real estate and industrial development of the Erie Railroad at Cleveland, retired in June after 36 years in its land and tax department. Admitted to the New York bar in 1910, he entered railroad service on April 26, 1915, as district land and tax agent of the Erie at New York, subsequently serving the system at Cleveland. He was appointed vice-president in charge of real estate and industrial development in June 1946.

1910

Harriet S. (Mrs. J. C.) Poffenberger has moved to Colony Courts, Apt. 106, 2830 South Moreland Boulevard, Cleveland 20, Ohio.

Henry Logan has been elected a Director of Income Foundation Fund, Inc., of Baltimore, Maryland. He and Mrs. Logan visited Alaska during their summer vacation.

1911

Gordon Arch Williams, a minister of the Central Pennsylvania Annual Conference of the Methodist Church, is Campaign Director for the Wesley Foundation Development program at Pennsylvania State College, and is at present engaged in a campaign to secure funds for the erection of a new building for the Foundation, the present call being for \$175,000 from the Central Pennsylvania Conference.

Clara Bell Smith was married to Rev.

William F. Dodd, a member of the New York East Conference on July 28th in the Methodist Church at Cos Cob, Conn., where the Rev. Philip H. Dodd officiated. The couple now reside at Galyordsford, Conn. In writing to the editor about it she said "of course, not even one celebrates their 40th class by being married."

After 37 years of ministry in the West without a break, the Rev. Ray S. Dunn suffered a serious illness last winter while serving as pastor of the First Methodist Church, Boise, Idaho. This compelled him to ask for a retired relationship at the annual Conference in June and he now lives at Manzanita, Oregon. Another Dickinsonian, the Rev. Herbert E. Richards, Jr., '41, left the faculty of Drew Theological Seminary to succeed him as pastor.

1912

Mrs. Wilbur H. Norcross of Carlisle, toured the Pacific Northwest, California, the Southwestern states and Mexico during the early part of the summer.

S. Walter Stauffer of York, Pa., member of the Board of Trustees, is Vice President and chairman of the executive committee of the York County Gas Company.

1914

J. Edwin Barnitz, son of Mrs. Marie Niessley Barnitz and the late George W. Barnitz, was married on June 23 to Miss Virginia Helen Straits, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Straits, of Camp Hill, Pa. He is a graduate of Penn State and served two and a half years in the Pacific theatre with the Army Air Force in World War II.

1915

J. Ohrum Small has been elected Vice President of the Delaware State Board of Education. One of his sons, Joseph W. Small, enters the college as a freshman next month, while his other son, Dr. J. O. Small, Jr., who is recently graduated from Dental School is serving his internship at the Delaware Hospital, Wilmington.

1917

Jacob M. Goodyear and Robert L. Myers have agreed to serve as co-chairman for the 35th Reunion of the Class which will be held at the next Commencement, June 6, 7 and 8, 1952.

Bishop Fred P. Corson was one of the speakers at the Ecumenical Conference of the Methodist Church held in Oxford, England

late in August. He and Mrs. Corson sailed for Europe in July on a trip which for the Bishop included a restudy of the territory he covered for the Secretary of War in 1947.

1918

Frank R. Adams is superintendent of schools at St. Johnsbury, Vermont.

Frank E. Masland, Jr., president of C. H. Masland & Sons, of Carlisle and College Trustee, was one of a party, which included several distinguished scientists who spent eight weeks this summer on a cruise of discovery from Panama to the Galapagos Islands.

1919

Jimmy George, son of Mrs. Ruth Kruger George and Duff George, prominent Carlisle florist, graduated from the college in June. In his senior year, he was elected to membership in Omicron Delta Kappa, honor fraternity.

1921

Mrs. Marion M. Cronican was the winner of a first prize of \$1000 in the first limerick contest sponsored by a New York City daily newspaper in June.

1922

The Reverend J. Wesley Grande former pastor at Highland, California became pastor of St. Paul's Community Methodist Church, El Monte and Freer Avenues, Temple City, California in July. His address now is: 5221 North El Monte Avenue, Temple City, California.

1926

Irva Zimmerman has resigned as a teacher of foreign languages and dean of girls at Mechanicsburg (Pa.) High School. Her home is near Carlisle.

1927

Moordeen Plough, who lives in Louisville, Kentucky, is the organist of several churches there and is a consultant with Baldwin's organ and piano manufacturers. Marking his 25th Reunion, he will be the organist at the 1952 Commencement.

Dr. Blanchard V. Antes and Dr. Glenn E. Zeiders are practicing medicine in Canton, Ohio. Dr. Antes specializes in the field of obstetrics and Dr. Zeiders is surgeon at the Canton General Hospital.

James A. Aultz is in charge of one of the engineering testing departments at Dayton, Ohio for the Frigidaire Company. His is one of the largest Frigidaire plants in the country.

The Rev. Edgar A. Henry was appointed pastor of the First Methodist Church, York, Pa., in May. He succeeded Dr. J. Edgar

Skillington, '05, who retired at the annual conference session.

Park H. Loose, attorney of Altoona, Pennsylvania, won the Republican nomination for District Attorney in the July primaries of Pennsylvania.

1928

Robert P. Smith is the supervising agent for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in the Cincinnati Division. He has lived in Cincinnati for the past several years.

1929

Benjamin D. Koch, father of the Reverend Harold Koch, pastor of the Methodist Church, Bristol, Pennsylvania, died after a long illness at the age of 76 years in Norristown, Pennsylvania on July 22. He is also survived by his wife and two other sons.

Dr. E. Blaine Hays has closed his Carlisle office for three years to study obstetrics and gynecology at the graduate school of medicine of the University of Pennsylvania and to take additional training in these fields at Fitzgerald Mercy Hospital, Darby, Pa. Dr. Hays graduated from Pennsylvania Medical School in 1933 plans to limit his practice upon his return to Carlisle.

W. LeRoy Slivinske is with one of the governmental agencies in Cleveland but he is residing in Canfield, Ohio.

1931

Lt. Col. Robert C. Rupp, AGC, was graduated from the Command and General Staff College on June 1, at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. He is now on duty at Headquarters, First Army, Governor's Island, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred B. Merrick have moved from North Carolina to Rutledge Road, Valhalla, New York. Mr. Merrick has been named Vice President and Managing Director of Roger Smith Hotels Corp.; with executive offices at 151 East 50th Street, New York City. Mrs. Merrick was the former Marjorie Elkholtz.

Ernest Burbage operates the Burbage and Powell Department Store in Berlin, New Jersey, where he also resides.

Robert D. Killam, D.D., is now pastor of the First Lutheran Church of Cleveland. He has had pastorates in Lebanon, Vermont, Utica, New York, and Springfield, Massachusetts. St. Laurence University Theological School gave him the honorary doctor of divinity degree in 1946.

1932

Dr. A. Ramos Oller visited the College in July with his wife and three of their four children. He practices medicine in San Juan, Puerto Rico, specializing in the surgery of

children. He graduated from Jefferson Medical College in 1936 and has done post-graduate work in children's surgery at Boston University Medical School.

1933

Mrs. H. I. Dietz, the former Elizabeth Hasbrouck, has moved from Wilkes-Barre to 116 East Linn Street, Bellefonte, Pennsylvania.

Carl L. Seitz has been promoted to Process Engineer at SKF Industries, Inc., Ball and Roller Bearing manufacturers, Philadelphia, where he has worked for the past 16 years. For the past 9 years he has been Tool Expeditor in the Tool Making Department. In 1937 he married Ruth Pulman, an accomplished musician; they have 2 children; Virginia, aged nine and Carl T. (Butch) aged six. They reside at 5920 Bingham Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

George M. Sleichter is professor of chemistry at the Cincinnati College of Embalming. He also is doing graduate work in chemistry at the University of Cincinnati and hopes to have completed all work for a Ph.D. by 1953.

Robert E. Syster is living in Marion, Ohio, where he is the plant auditor for the Central Soya Company, Inc., one of the largest soya processing firms in the country.

1933 Law

Miss Florence Catherine Albertini, of Mount Carmel, and Carleton M. Strouss were married on July 11th in St. Francis Chapel, Eagles Mere, Pennsylvania. They are living in Mount Carmel where Strouss is practicing law.

1934

The Reverend Nelson Frank, who had been pastor at Northumberland, Pennsylvania for some years, was appointed pastor of the Methodist Church at Chambersburg, Pa., in May and his address there is 216 East Queen Street.

Ralph T. Wolfrom, Shippensburg, Pennsylvania, editor and publisher of the *News-Chronicle*, father of Richard R. Wolfrom, died on August 17. He founded the *News-Chronicle* Company, of which Richard is the president.

Karl Ringer is living at 125 Brinkerhoff Avenue, Mansfield, Ohio. He recently returned to the United States after spending some time at his former home in Germany.

Lester Etter, member of the faculty of the Carlisle High School, has been elected organist of the First Reformed Church of Carlisle.

1935

Fred H. Green, Jr., received the degree of master of education in June from Rutgers University. He lives in Plainfield, New Jersey.

George E. Reed, former Harrisburg news-

paperman, was recently named Publicity Director in the Pittsburgh office of the National Association of Manufacturers, for the regional area including Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland and West Virginia. Prior to this assignment, he had served for three years as Executive Secretary of Pennsylvania Pitt's Partners, the Pittsburgh civic organization conducting the city's cleanup and beautification program. His address is 304 South Craig Street, Pittsburgh 13, Pennsylvania.

1936

While his legal residence is Spottswood, N. J., Peter Sivess is located in Washington, D. C., in government employment. Pete is now a family man with a son, George Peter, born January 21, 1949. The Sivess family live in Apt. 203, 2800 74th Ave., Kent Village, Hyattsville, Md.

Kenneth C. Spengler is the Executive Secretary of the American Meteorological Society. Ken came from Harrisburg but now lives at 3 Joy Street, Boston 8, Mass. On August 7-9, members of the society from all parts of the country, even Texas, California, and Alaska, met at Penn State for the 112th annual meeting. Important and interesting papers were read and discussed. The secretary had everything moving smoothly.

1937

George L. Briner, Carlisle, Pennsylvania, is now a representative for Johnson, Keffer and Trout, paper distributors of Harrisburg, Penna. His territory includes sections of Pennsylvania, Maryland and West Virginia.

The Rev. William H. Vastine resigned as pastor of the Trinity Methodist Church, Windsor, Conn. on July 15 to accept appointment as director of Inter Group Education of the Commission on Christian Education of the National Council of Churches of Christ in the U.S.A. His office is at 79 East Adams Street, Chicago 3, Illinois.

George Shuman, Jr., treasurer of the College, was a panel speaker at the eighth annual Institute of Higher Education held at Scarritt College, Nashville, Tennessee, in July for college administrators. He spoke on Budget Preparation and Control.

1938

Dr. Arthur B. Shaul, physician, has moved to 1711 Walnut Boulevard, Ashtabula, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Rice and children are now occupying the home they purchased in July at 521 West South Street, Carlisle, Pa. It was the former home of Donald H. Goodyear, '23.

J. William Bailey received the degree of Doctor of Dental Surgery at the Commencement Exercises at the University of Pittsburgh

in June and is now practicing at Greensburg, Pennsylvania.

After a four year pastorate at the Upland Methodist Church, the Rev. Woodrow W. Kern was appointed to the Narberth Methodist Church at the May session of the Philadelphia Annual Conference. His address is 314 North Essex Avenue, Narberth, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. William Raiman, who have been living in Boiling Springs are now occupying a house which they purchased at 37 G Street, Carlisle.

J. William Bailey, Jr., who graduated from the University of Pittsburgh's Dental School in June, passes the State Board examinations later in the summer and is now practicing in Greensburg.

Robert Chilton became a member of the Carlisle Rotary Club in July. He is an official of the Federal Equipment Company, Carlisle, which makes equipment and furnishings for post offices.

Arthur A. Mermelstein, formerly of Cleveland, is now engaged in business in Pittsburgh, where his address is 5518 Fourth Street.

Dr. Paul B. Shaul, Jr., who practiced medicine for a number of years in Parma, Ohio moved recently to Ashtabula, Ohio.

Lt. Commander Jack Frederick is stationed at the Mine Warfare School, Yorktown, Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett J. Chalmers, of North Adams, Mass., announced the birth of a daughter, Sheryl Ann, in October 1950. Mr. Chalmers is the former Jeanie Deans.

1939

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brumbaugh announced the marriage of their daughter, Esther Jane, to Charles H. McLaughlin, Jr., on June 24 in the Washington Cathedral, Washington, D. C.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert M. Chew, of 1203 East Nawada St., Appleton, Wis., announced the birth of their third child, Paul Benjamin, on July 17. Mrs. Chew is the former Alice Eastlake.

Austin W. Brizendine, of Baltimore, was recalled to active service with the U. S. Navy in May. He is serving as a Lieutenant on the U.S.S. Fremont, A.P.A. troop carrier in the Atlantic.

Robert Craig is Vice-President of the Federal Equipment Company, Carlisle and is in charge of sales. In June he has become a member of the Carlisle Rotary Club.

Robert H. Royer was appointed public relations director of the Pennsylvania Society for Crippled Children and Adults in July with offices at 1107 North Front St., Harrisburg. For a year and a half before that he worked in public relations for the Pennsylvania Motor Truck Association at their Harrisburg Headquarters office.

Martin H. Lock was appointed Assistant District Attorney of Dauphin County, Penna., by Carl B. Shelley, '17, District Attorney of the county in May. Lock has law offices at 203 Keystone Building, Harrisburg, Penna.

Robert Craig, Jr., became a member of the Rotary Club of Carlisle in June. He is vice president in charge of sales at the Federal Equipment Company.

George E. Thomas who is serving as the chaplain aboard the aircraft carrier, U.S.S. Mindoro based at Norfolk has recently been promoted to the rank of Lt. Comdr.

1940

At the end of June, Dr. and Mrs. George H. Jones, Jr., returned to Danville, Pa. Dr. Jones has been appointed assistant in the Urology Department at the Geisinger Memorial Hospital and Foss Clinic. Prior to this appointment, he completed special studies at Boston.

Lt. Comdr. William E. Thomas, U.S.N., has completed a two year period as an assistant professor of Naval Science at the University of Pennsylvania and is now attached to the Fleet Air Electronics Training Unit in charge of Anti-Submarine Warfare Training for aircraft units of the Atlantic Fleet. His New Address is FAETU, Building U-69, Naval Air Station, Norfolk, Virginia.

Russell S. Crago is living now at 100½ North 21st Street, Newark, Ohio. He is connected with a construction firm there.

1941

Dr. Walter T. James of the College faculty was the guest minister at the Methodist church, Floral Park, Long Island, for the month of July. He received his Ph.D. at Columbia in June.

A daughter, who has been named Mary Ann, was born on May 19, 1951 to Mr. and Mrs. W. Richard Eshelman, of Mohnton, Pennsylvania. Mrs. Eshelman is the former Mary Prudence Machie, '43. The grandfather is William L. Eshelman of '15, a trustee of the College.

E. Bayne Snyder, early in the summer entered the employment of the Plantations Division of the United States Rubber Company for a period of three years. He and his wife and their three children now have as their address: c/o P.R.D., H.A.P.M., Kisaran, Sumatra, E. C., Indonesia.

Ralph E. Boyer received the degree of Master of Laws at the June Commencement Exercises at the University of Michigan and he has been appointed as associate professor of law at the University of Miami, Coral Gables, Florida.

After six months tour of duty with the

U.S. Navy, Tom Bietsch returned to Carlisle early this month and resumed his practice of law with Harold S. Irwin in the Sentinel Building. An officer in the United States Naval Reserve he served six months on the staff of Vice Admiral C. T. Joy, Commander of the Naval forces in the Far East. He was discharged with the rank of Lieutenant commander.

Markin R. Knight, attorney of Williamsport, Pa., won the Republican nomination for district attorney of Lycoming County. On the day before the election a son was born to his wife in the Williamsport Hospital.

1942

Capt. and Mrs. Charles E. Jacobs will have as their address, Student Detachment, Army Language School, Monterey, California. Mrs. Jacobs is the former Angela Hull. They have a seven months old son. Her husband is studying Arabic for a year at the school.

James D. Flower became a member of the Carlisle Rotary Club in July. He is practicing law.

1943

Paul Denlinger, an Episcopal minister, is seeing a good deal of the world. He spent last winter in Europe while enroute home from Central China where he taught in a church high school for four years. Loaned by his church to the U. S. Military Government as a language specialist, he was sent to Tokio last July and expects to be there for 12 months. He was on the campus at commencement to see his brother graduate with the Class of 1951.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Heritage, of 515 Jackson Street, Magnolia, New Jersey, announce the birth of their second son, Benjamin C., on May 6. Mrs. Heritage is the former H. Louise Thompson, '43.

Donald D. Deans, who is sales manager of the Renton Baking Company, North Adams, Mass., visited the college in June. He told how he had served as an instructor with the Air Force and as a pilot during World War II. He was married in Wilkes-Barre on May 23, 1942 to Miss Jean Elizabeth Zimmerman who graduated from Wilson College in 1941. They have two daughters, Donna Jean who was born June 22, 1943 and Christine Ellen who was born September 7, 1947.

Dr. Frederick J. Williams, Jr., and his family have moved from Wyoming, Pa., to 2809 Market Street, Camp Hill, Pa. Fred got his D.D.S. at Temple University School of Dentistry. He is married to the former Marjorie Kemper, a registered nurse, and they have two children, Linda Louise and Sandra Kay.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Edith Elisabeth Worcester,

daughter of Mrs. Ira D. Worcester of North Braddock, Pa., and the late Mr. Worcester, to James McElfish. Miss Worcester graduated from the University of Pittsburgh.

1944

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph M. Mitchell, of 99 Youmans Avenue, Washington, N. J., announced the birth of a daughter, Nancy Jean, on July 16. Mrs. Mitchell is the former Betty Hummer, '45.

At the last session of the Philadelphia Annual Conference, Rev. William A. Sharp was transferred from the Lima Methodist Church to the Upland Methodist Church. With his wife and two daughters, July 3½ years old and Lois 1 year old last July, he now resides at 205 Eighth Street, Upland, Pennsylvania.

Dr. John R. Bowen, who was practicing medicine in Margate City, New Jersey, is back in the service in the Medical Corp of the Navy, serving as a Lt. (j.g.) on the U.S.S. Rehoboth, AGS 60, c/o Fleet Post Office, New York, New York. He left behind his wife, the former Emily Scott of Margate City, an alumni of Wilson College, and their two year old son, John Scott Bowen.

Donald W. Meals taught psychology classes for six weeks at the Dickinson Summer Session and has now resumed his studies at the University of Pennsylvania for a Ph.D. in psychology. He has been doing parttime teaching at the University.

Mrs. R. T. Hemsley (Winifred S. Edwards) is living at 1004 Midland Drive, Fairborn, Ohio, having moved recently from Dayton, Ohio.

The Rev. Robert L. Curry, member of the Philadelphia Conference of the Methodist Church, served as Chaplain of the Pennsylvania State Senate during the month of May.

1945

Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Tighe, Jr., of 826 Highland Avenue, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, announce the birth of a daughter, Kathryn Louise, on March 28. They have a son, Nicholas John, 2½ years old. Dr. Tighe is at present serving as a Lt. (j.g.) in the U.S.N.R. and is stationed at Bainbridge, Maryland. Mrs. Tighe is the former Margaret Schaeffer.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Trego, of Butler, Pennsylvania announced the birth of a daughter on May 12.

John F. Hagen is principal of the West High School in Akron, Ohio, and is quite active in civic work there.

1946

Lt. and Mrs. Frank T. Parish, of Baltimore, announced the birth of a son, Frank Theodore Parish, Jr., on May 29. Mrs. Parish is the

former Margaret Ann Marsh. In August she joined her husband at Castle AFB, Merced, California.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Read Alexander announced the marriage of their daughter, Helen Elizabeth, to the Reverend Neal D. Bachman, '48, on June 12 at Christ Lutheran Church, Elizabethtown, Pennsylvania.

At the May session the Central Pennsylvania Conference, the Rev. Robert S. Wagner was transferred from the Dudley Charge to the Mapleton-Hill Creek charge and he is now living at Mapleton Depot, Pennsylvania.

Jane E. Breneman was married to Mr. Harry R. Kulp on June 2nd in Lancaster, Pennsylvania. The couple now reside at 1676 New Holland Pike, Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Erle Fairfield, of Wilkensburg, Pa., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Doris Fairfield to Dr. James B. Jamison, II, of Beaver Falls, Pa. Miss Fairfield is a graduate of Pennsylvania College for Women. Dr. Jamison graduated in 1950 from Jefferson Medical College.

Barbara Jane Mulford was married to Albert Jones, Jr., of Lake Wales, Florida, on July 22 in Bridgeton, N. J., and Mrs. William S. English, Jr., the former Ann E. Gates, was the bride's only attendant. The Rev. K. R. Perinchief, '27, officiated. Mr. Jones is associated with Florida Citrus Cannery Cooperative in Lake Wales, where the couple reside in the Marvin Apartments.

1947

Capt. and Mrs. Robert W. Saunderson, Jr., announced the birth of their second daughter, Carol Anne, on May 24. Ellen Jean is three years old. Dr. Saunderson visited the college in July after his graduation from Part I of the course in military medicine at the Army Medical Center, Washington, D. C. He was then en route to Fort Sam Houston to take part two of that course until next February.

Charles W. Benner, Jr., received the degree of Master of Education in June from Rutgers University. He lives in Trenton, N. J.

R. Dean Coddington received his Doctor of Medicine degree on June 12th from the University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry. On July 1st he started his internship at the Temple University Hospital in Philadelphia. He and his wife (Jane Hill Coddington '48) moved to Philadelphia in June 1, became the Officer in Charge of U. S. Mott Way, Lynnewood Gardens, Elkins Park, Penna.

Lieut. Comdr. Frank M. Romanick, as of June 1, became the Officer in Charge of U. S. Naval School, Explosive Ordnance Disposal.

The Rev. and Mrs. John H. Gibson announced the birth of a son, Kent Lee Gibson, on May 1. Mrs. Gibson is the former Margaret

A. Botwright, '49. On August 1, the Rev. Mr. Gibson became minister of Christian education of the Plymouth Congregational Church, in Seattle, Washington. It is a church with a membership of 1900. He had been serving as pastor of the First Congregational Church of Stoughton, Mass. He is a graduate of the theological school of the university of Boston and has his master's degree in religious education.

An eight pound, three ounce baby boy was born at the Benson Sanatorium, Philipsburg, Pennsylvania on Tuesday, April 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McDowell Williams, of 8 Cemetery Road, Clearfield, Pennsylvania. Mr. Williams is Assistant District Materials Engineer, Department of Highways, District No. 2, State of Pennsylvania, with headquarters in the Clearfield Trust Building. Mrs. Williams is the former Helen Allison, of Kerrmorr, Pennsylvania.

During the summer, Dr. Stanley G. Wilson, Jr. announced the opening of his office for the general practice of medicine at 2663 Main Street, Lawrenceville, New Jersey.

Doris Jean Krise received her Master of Arts Degree in Education at the Bucknell University Commencement in August. She also received a certificate in Guidance. She has been an instructor in Spanish and English at the New Cumberland High School as well as Dean of women students.

Reverend Ralph L. Minker, Jr., and Miss Peggy Ann Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cyril A. Reynolds of Kennett Square were married on August 4 in the Ridgeview Community Presbyterian Church, West Orange, New Jersey. The ceremony was performed by the minister of the church, assisted by the bridegroom's father, the Reverend Ralph L. Minker, '20. Mrs. Minker is a graduate of Greenbrier Junior College in West Virginia, graduated in June from Emerson College in Boston. The Rev. Mr. Minker graduated also in June from the Boston University of Theology. The couple now reside in Fruitland, Maryland where the groom will begin his pastorate at the St. John's Methodist Church.

Elizabeth A. Roulston is now an assistant editor of Chemical Abstracts, key to literature of the chemical work. Most of her writings are in the field of organic chemistry. She lives in Columbus, Ohio, and her office is located at Ohio State University.

Jane Guinivan, whose home is in Arlington, Virginia, received a master of arts degree in library science from Kent State University in August.

Robert Cello received the degree of doctor of veterinary medicine from Cornell University last spring and is now teaching veterinary medicine at the University of Cali-

fornia. He did outstanding work at Cornell where he received prizes totaling \$100 for his scholastic work and a case report published in "Veterinary News," professional magazine. He is married and the father of two sons, Robert Christopher and Phillip.

1948

Nelson Bennett and Edgar C. Hersh received the bachelor of Divinity degree from Drew University in June. Hersh was graduated cum laude.

Lt. Arthur Allan Pendleton, of New York City was married on June 1 to Miss Adelaide Conlon, daughter of Mrs. Robert T. Conlon in St. Mark the Evangelist Church, West Hartford, Connecticut. Mrs. Pendleton is a graduate of Skidmore College. During the war Lt. Pendleton served with the 101st Airborne Division and is now with the 43rd Division.

Edgar L. Owens was married to Miss Patricia Anne Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard D. Wright in the First Presbyterian Church, Mechanicsville, New York on June 16.

Francis Xavier Daly of Belvidere, New Jersey, received the Degree of Bachelor of Laws at the June Commencement of St. John's University of Brooklyn, New York.

Robert VanDusen Finnesey, of Chatham, New Jersey, was married to Miss Anne T. Dowling, daughter of Mrs. John J. Dowling, of Morristown, New Jersey, in the rectory of the Church of the Assumption on July 11. Mrs. Finnesey is a graduate of the Oak Knoll School, Summit, New Jersey and the Berkeley Secretarial School of East Orange. Finnesey is now a senior at Jefferson Medical College.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Craine Slutzker announce the birth of a daughter, Cynthia Adair, on May 1st. Mrs. Slutzker is the former Barbara McMullen, '51.

J. O. Small, Jr., graduated from the University of Pennsylvania School of Dentistry in June and is now interning in Delaware Hospital, 14th and Washington Streets, Wilmington, Delaware.

Richard F. Staar completed his residency at the University of Michigan in June, has nearly completed work on his Ph.D. Since June has been in Washington where he accepted an appointment as Intelligence Research Analyst in the Department of State. With his family he now lives at Apartment 202, 4029 Benton Street, N.W., Washington 7, D. C.

Nancy Anne Watkins was married to J. Parlin Lucas on June 17, 1950 at Grace Methodist Church in Harrisburg. Last June her husband graduated with a degree of Bachelor of Science in Architecture from Pennsylvania State College and the couple are now in Harrisburg where he is in the

office of Lawrie and Green, Architects and Engineers.

Eugene D. Zagorsky has been appointed vice principal in charge of the senior high school of the Fort Plains Central School District, Fort Plain, New York. For the past two years he has been director of guidance for the Montgomery County Vocational Education Board. He received his masters degree from Bucknell University in 1949. He and his wife and their two sons reside at 36 Center Street, Fort Plain, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. William S. Bateman of Harrisburg, announced in August the engagement of their daughter, Jeanne, to Robert K. Hafer. Bob is a junior at the Philadelphia College of Osteopathy and lives in Harrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. William W. Caldwell, II, are now living in an apartment at 2320 Boas St., Harrisburg, Pa. Bill graduated from Dickinson School of Law in June and is now in the law office of his father, Thomas D. Caldwell, '22L, in Harrisburg.

Joanna Helen Norris and John A. Roe were married on August 18 in the Market Square Presbyterian Church, Harrisburg. The bride, a Lebanon Valley College graduate, is teaching in the Lower Allen Township schools and John, who graduated from Dickinson Law School last June is the law clerk for Judge Karl E. Richards of the Dauphin County Court in Harrisburg. They are living at 233 South Fifth Street, Lemoyne, Pa.

Patricia Anne Wright and Edgar L. Owens were married on June 16 in the First Presbyterian Church, Mechanicsville, New York.

1948 Law

Mr. and Mrs. John Earle Surrick of Media and Ruxton, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Suzanne Crawford Surrick, to John Franklin Cramp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Charles Cramp, of Clearwater, Florida. Miss Surrick is a graduate of St. Mary's College, Raleigh, North Carolina. Mr. Cramp was admitted to the Pennsylvania Bar in 1949.

1949

William A. Parks was awarded the Degree of Master of Arts at the June Commencement Exercises of the University of Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley F. Victor, of 3903 North Fifth Street, Wallington, Virginia, announced the birth of a son, Stanley Francis, on April 28.

Lt. William Irvin was called back to active duty and is now serving with the army air force. He is continuing to use his home address 1934 Locust Street, Philadelphia 3, Pennsylvania.

William W. Betts, Jr., and Jane Buckley Jackson were married on June 29 in the Beverly Heights United Presbyterian Church,

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Mrs. John E. Holroyd, Jamestown, New York, was matron of honor, while Lt. David A. Bett was best man and Wesley B. Davis and Robert M. Mead of Clearfield were ushers. It was a double wedding. The couple is now residing in Greenwood, Del., where Bill is teaching English at High School. The bride's sister, Miss Ruth B. Jackson was married to David William Coate, a graduate of Carnegie Institute of Technology.

Gene Evans was elected basketball coach and assistant football coach at the Carlisle High School at the June meeting of the Carlisle School Board. He has been junior varsity basketball coach since his graduation from the college and did the football scouting last year when the Carlisle team won its first Southern Pennsylvania Conference title in 20 years.

Stephen Szezekly began this month his second year as a member of the faculty of Mercersburg Academy where he is teaching German and Spanish and is debate coach.

Robert E. Linkins and Rose Marie Bier were married on May 5, 1951, in the Duke Street Methodist Church, York, Pennsylvania. Mrs. Fred DiCosino, the former Anne Schlobohm, was matron of honor, while Russell McWhinney served as best man. The couple reside at 5506 Groveland Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland.

Mary Ellen Dykstra, '52, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Dykstra was married to Hampton P. Corson, son of Bishop and Mrs. Fred P. Corson, of Philadelphia, in the Westminster Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, on July 16. The ceremony was performed by Bishop Corson and the Rev. Dr. John W. Christie. Dorothy Dykstra, '54 was maid of honor while other Dickinsonians in the wedding party included, Joan Davison, Sally Haddock, James Abbott, Eugene Evans, Frank Shelly, Weston Overholt, Fred Wilson and James Wian. Michael Cassimatis was the soloist. The couple now reside in Philadelphia where the bridegroom is a student at Jefferson Medical College.

1949 Law

Mark G. Holtzman was admitted to the Dauphin County Bar on August 14 and is now associated with Alton W. Lick in the practice of law in Harrisburg. Holtzman had been law clerk to Judge Karl Richards of the Dauphin County Bar.

1950

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Gable, of Harrisburg, announce the birth of a son, Gregory Allen, on April 22, 1951. Mrs. Gable was Miss Winifred M. Walters, of Mechanics-

burg, where Bill conducts a dry cleaning business.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Thompson, Trenton, New Jersey, on May 15, 1951, a daughter who has been named Bonnie Dale Thompson. Mrs. Thompson is the former Bonnie Dale Larzelere, '49.

George A. Line received the degree of Doctor of Veterinary medicine from the University of Pennsylvania Veterinary School when he graduated with honors. With his wife, the former Jeannette Uhler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Earl Uhler, and their two children, Jeffrey and Jennifer, he lives in his new home on the Mt. Holly Pike, where he has also built a small animal hospital.

Harry A. Howell is now a special agent with the F.B.I. and is located in Seattle, Washington. His address is: F.B.I., 1015 Second Avenue, Seattle, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse F. Bodine, of Deepwater, New Jersey, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Margaret Jean Bodine, to Dorson S. Mills of Elmer, New Jersey. Miss Bodine is a graduate of the Penns Grove Regional High School and of Goldey College. Mills is a student at Hahnemann Medical College.

Mr. and Mrs. David A. Ripley announce the birth of a son, David A. Ripley, Jr., on April 29. Mrs. Ripley is the former Edna Ferguson and her husband is a member of the class of 1952. They were married in Hagerstown, Maryland on May 18, 1949 and now reside at 144 North Bedford Street, Carlisle.

Ann Louise Obermiller was married to Lt. Philip Neill Reed in the Cadet Chapel at West Point, New York, on June 7, immediately following the graduation of her husband from West Point Military Academy. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Neill Reed, of Heber Springs, Arkansas. Her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Carl P. Obermiller, both graduated in the class of 1920. Lt. Reed is now stationed at Fort Benning, Ga.

Elmo Lee Mentzer became principal and a teacher at the Oakville Consolidated School, Oakville, Pennsylvania on August 27th and is now living at his newly purchased home at 34 Broad Street, Newville, Pennsylvania.

Donald A. Olewine was inducted into the army in July and sent to Camp Meade, Maryland and classified under scientific and professional men. He is now stationed at Indiantown Gap undergoing his basic training as a member of Company K, 11th Infantry Regiment of the 5th Division.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Buttloph of 106 Cranford Avenue, Cranford, New Jersey, announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy Irene, to Mr. John Paul Simon,

son of Mrs. M. Simon of Rosemont, West Virginia.

Edwin S. Gault, Jr., who is a Theological Student at Yale Divinity School, served as summer minister of the First Methodist Church, Rochester, Minnesota during the past summer.

Master Sergeant and Mrs. Warren Coolidge announce the birth of a son, Philip Warren, on September 2nd at the Carlisle Station Hospital. Mrs. Coolidge is the former Eleanor Uhland.

Sara Louise Miller on September 1, 1951 was married to Dean W. Strong. The couple now reside at 136 North Main Street, Sayville, New York.

Dr. and Mrs. Maurice Heck have announced the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy, to Norman L. Houlberg. The couple will be married next June. Mr. Houlberg was in the Air Force three years, took his A.B. at Swarthmore, A.M. at the University of Mexico and has partially completed his Ph.D. at Columbia. He is serving as a Spanish instructor at the University of Rochester. Dottie is with an exporting firm, Woodward and Dickerson, Phila. Her address is: Room 1904, Y. M. C. A., 1421 Arch Street, Philadelphia 2, Pennsylvania.

Marilynn L. Eby is living at 232 South 21st Street, Philadelphia. She is engaged in translation work with the foreign department of the Philadelphia National Bank.

Tamia Maniadaki, formerly of Athens, Greece, and Daniel Richards, 3rd, were married in Chambersburg shortly before the bride graduated from Wilson College last June. Dan is stationed with the army at Fort Knox, Kentucky.

Mary Lee Emler and James P. Hopkins, Jr., '49, were married in the Ardmore Methodist Church on May 12. Dorothy A. Heck was the bride's only attendant. H. Warren Hopkins was best man while the ushers included, Joseph A. Hopkins, Thomas Chew, and W. Lehman Smith, G. Kenneth Bishop. The couple reside in Washington while Hopkins is serving with the Second Division of the U. S. Marines, having been recalled to the service.

William B. Harlan has attended the Maxwell School of Syracuse University for the past year doing work on Citizenship and will receive his A.M. upon the completion of his thesis.

Fred Gorsira is now a student in Jefferson Medical College.

1950 Law

Mr. and Mrs. George K. Bistline of Carlisle have announced the engagement of their

daughter, Lois E., to Edward M. Kosik of Dupont, Penna. Miss Bistline is employed at C. H. Masland and Sons.

1951

Emily Gilbert Mohler and Dewey Marion Stowers, Jr., were married on June 30 in All Saints' Episcopal Church, Chevy Chase, Maryland. The father of the bride, Dr. Fred L. Mohler graduated from the college in 1914.

Nancy Bartoli was married to Robert Harold Hays, June 11 at St. Patrick's Church in Carlisle. Mr. Hays graduated in June from Shippensburg State Teachers College and has been elected a teacher in the Dallastown High School.

Major Joseph T. Davis is serving with the army and his present address is: Box 42, Fort Kobbe, Canal Zone.

Henry Berkheimer has entered Bucknell University as a candidate for a Masters Degree in Chemistry.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Gertz have announced the marriage of their daughter, Nan Radcliffe to Lewis Eugene Stover, June 6 at Palmerton, Pennsylvania.

Ralph A. Masten, Jr. has been accepted by the graduate school of chemistry at Pennsylvania State College as a candidate there for the Master of Science degree with a major in chemistry.

Hesung Chun, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hang Sup Chun of Pusan, Korea, formerly of Seoul was married to Kwang Lim Koh on June 16 in the Church of the Epiphany, Washington, D. C. Mr. Koh graduated from Rutgers University in June and attended a summer session there. The couple will now live in Boston where they will both continue their studies at Boston University.

Margaret Ayres, entered the Fine Arts School of the Boston Museum this month.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lovell, of Coalport, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Nora June Lovell, to Paul M. Gamble, '50, who is a graduate student in accounting at Temple University.

The address of Lucille Dyer is now 337 Fulton Street, San Francisco, Calif.

A son, Paul Nixon, was born to Nelson and Jane Lehmer Alexander on July 20. They are living at Mount Joy, which is close to Lancaster, Pennsylvania, where Nelson is associated with a law firm.

Alice June Brown was married to Lt. Robert J. Avey of Bedford, Iowa in the Division Artillery Chapel at Fort Hood, Texas on July 4. Their present address is General Delivery, Killeen, Texas, though in October, Lt. Avey is scheduled to attend a fifteen week school at Fort Sill where their address will be General Delivery, Lawton, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. John Valentine Scott have announced the marriage of their daughter, Frances Louise, to John William Raiford on March 25, 1951 at Atlantic City, New Jersey. Raiford is now a student in Jefferson Medical College.

Mary P. Vickery has been appointed a teaching assistant in Zoology at the New Jersey College for Women of Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey.

Norman R. Bricker, Jr. and Janet Louise Bowers were married September 16 in the First Evangelical United Brethren Church, Chambersburg, Pa. Norman is with the Equitable Life Insurance Company in Harrisburg. His bride attended Shippensburg State Teachers College and has a position with a real estate agency.

Scymour Z. Goldblatt has been accepted to Jefferson Medical College for the year to begin in September 1952. He will probably do some graduate or other studies until that time.

Sally Ann Spangenburg announced her engagement to Lewis W. Small in August, a senior at the college. Sally is a physical science aide at the Quartermaster Depot in Phila.

The engagement of Margaret Stover and Charles Cook was made known in August. Charles plans to enter the Fletcher Graduate School of Diplomacy this fall.

Paul E. Miller was married to Miss Madeline Frances Stum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stum, R. D. No. 4, Carlisle at Grace Evangelical United Brethren Church on August 26. They will make their home in Denver, Colorado where Miller is stationed with the U. S. Army.

Betty Lou Fahs accepted an appointment earlier this month and is teaching in one of the rural schools of Cumberland County.

Virginia Parlin was the winner in a week long voting contest sponsored by the *Evening Sentinel* and the Carlisle Theater for the title "Miss Carlisle" for the world Premiere of the movie "Jim Thorpe, the All American," which was held in Carlisle on August 23.

Nancy Lou Bain and Bruce Rehe, '50, were married on July 21 in Chevey Chase, Md. Dickinsonians in the wedding party were Jo Stafford, '50; Mrs. Holly Balch Wing, '51, and John Rehr, '41, Bruce's brother. Bruce, who entered the service last December, is a PFC stationed at the Pentagon in Washington and Nancy is working in the advertising and promotion department of the Bureau of National Affairs. They are living in Apartment 475, Colonial Village Apartments, 1806 Key Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia.

Louise Lohr and David P. Wentzel were married last June in the Bower Memorial Evangelical United Brethren Church, Ber-

wick, Pa. Dickinsonians in the wedding party were Donald Olewine; best man; Nelson Chitterling, Richard Ammerman and Owen Kertland. The bride is a teacher in the Catawissa High School.

Joan Kline and Ralph Gingrich, '48, were married last May 12 in St. James Evangelical and Reformed Church, West Reading, Pennsylvania. They are living in Philadelphia where Ralph is in his third year at Jefferson Medical College.

Six members of the class are attending Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia, namely Robert E. Berry, Robert D. Eppley, Richard E. Hicks, Wilbur H. Miller, Jr., John William Raiford, and Raymond Wiss.

Five members of the class are in Temple Medical College, namely, Donald E. Piper, Lois A. Price, Melvin A. Stockbine, Philip E. Kistler, and William J. Zapic.

Richard Gette is attending the University of Pennsylvania Dental School while W. Robert VanZandt is now at the Temple University Dental School.

1952

James A. Delancey, II of Carlisle entered the U. S. Navy last December and is now stationed at the training school at Memphis, Tennessee.

Donald Charles Taylor and Miss Dorcas Jean Gehman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gehman of Wilmington, were married on July 7th in the McCabe Methodist Church, Wilmington, Delaware. Mrs. Taylor is a graduate of Centenary Junior College, Hackettstown, New Jersey. The couple will reside in Carlisle while Ducky completes his course in the college and the law school.

Martha Elizabeth Hogan and Joseph Timlin were married June 24, 1950 in the Lansdowne Methodist Church. Their marriage had not been reported previously in the *Alumnus*. Joe has a position in the U. S. Navy Yard as a Metallurgist *GS-4. They now reside in an apartment at Lansdowne, Pennsylvania.

1953

Rodgers P. Bressi enlisted in the Air Force in July and was accepted for officer training. His address is 3669 Training Squadron, 3660 B. M. T. G., Sampson Air Force Base, New York.

Grace L. Shambaugh, daughter of Mrs. Maude L. Shambaugh and the late Mr. Shambaugh of Carlisle, was married to Bruce C. Long, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin F. Long of Carlisle in St. Matthew Evangelical United Brethren Church, Hagerstown on June 15. Mrs. Long has been at Wenger's Ladies Apparel store. Her husband is attending Carlisle Commercial College.

OBITUARY

1893—The Reverend Thomas H. Evans, D.D., who retired from the Philadelphia Methodist Conference in 1934 after forty-one years of service to churches in Philadelphia and eastern Pennsylvania, died on July 19th in Allentown, Pa., at the age of 84 years.

He received the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity from the College at the June 1925 Commencement, when he was then serving as District Superintendent in the Philadelphia Conference. His reputation as one of the early greats in Dickinson's football history and the fine facets of his character were extolled by President James Henry Morgan in conferring the degree when he made the following citation:

"THOMAS HART EVANS, of the Philadelphia Conference of the class of 1893, affectionately called "Tommy Evans" by your generation of college men, who trusted and loved you for the sturdy strength and fighting spirit you always showed on the football field. It has seemed to me that the same force and spirit which you showed on the gridiron has characterized you in your profession of the Christian ministry to which you have given devoted service these thirty years. You have advanced the ball. These later years have been spent in a long, long pastorate of a great church, and while you were just beginning another pastorate promising equal success and duration, you were called to service of another kind, called to head a great District in your great Conference. In recognition of your good service, therefore, on recommendation of the Faculty and by authority of the Board of Trustees of Dickinson College, I hereby confer upon you the degree of Doctor of "Divinities."

Born on September 27, 1866 in Mahanoy City, Pa., he graduated from Wisconsin High School and the Dickinson Preparatory School. He received his A.B. from the College in 1893 and an A.M. in 1896. He entered the Philadelphia Conference upon his graduation and served churches in that Conference until his retirement in 1934 except for a six year period, as Superintendent of the North District. He is a member of Phi Delta Theta Fraternity and the Belles Lettres Literary Society.

Following his retirement Dr. Evans and his wife, the former Alberta Patterson, lived for eight-years in Norristown. Mrs. Evans died in 1942, and Dr. Evans then moved to Allentown to live with a son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Rothenberger. Besides Mrs. Rothenberger, he is survived by another daughter, Mrs. Raymond M. Bechtel, of Wyomissing; a brother, Benjamin F. Evans of Norristown and four grandchildren.

Interment was made in Riverside Cemetery in Norristown.

1898L—Martin F. Duffy, who for 20 years was a member of the District Attorney's office and a solicitor for the Central Building and Loan Association, died at his home 11 North 6th Street, Pottsville, Pa., on July 29 after an illness of a few weeks. He was 70 years of age.

A native of St. Clair, he served during World War I as Secretary of the Knights of Columbus unit. He was a member of St. Patrick's Church and the Schuylkill County Bar Association.

He is survived by his wife, the former Anne Short, a sister, Miss Anne Duffy, two brothers, John and Joseph, all of Pottsville.

Following a requiem high mass, burial was made in Calvary Cemetery, Pottsville, Pa.

1900—Harvey E. Runkel, retired insurance agent, died on August 16 at his home 1429 Walnut Street, Harrisburg, Pa.

Born in Harrisburg on July 3, 1876, he prepared for college at the Dickinson Preparatory School. He received his A.B. in 1900 when he entered the grocery business. For twenty-five years, he was an agent of the Prudential Insurance Company and for a short time after his retirement worked for the Y. M. C. A.

He was a member of the Official Board of Stevens Memorial Methodist Church and of S. A. E. Fraternity.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Mary C. Runkel; two sons, Donald and Paul, and a daughter, Mary L. Runkel, all of Harrisburg.

1902—David Kent McMillan died suddenly while on a visit to his native Gettysburg on July 26. He was born there on July 3, 1874.

After 25 years with Vaughn's Seed Company of Chicago he retired in 1949. At one time he taught science in the Huntingdon High School until he became assistant State Zoologist of Pennsylvania. He later taught sciences in the Austin High School in Chicago.

He attended Dickinson Preparatory School, entered the college in 1898 and graduated with the Degree of Bachelor of Philosophy in 1902 with Phi Beta Kappa honors.

Throughout his life he was a loyal alumnus and a regular attendant at meetings of the Dickinson Club of Chicago and when he could he returned to the campus for commencement and reunions of the class of 1902. Shortly before his death he offered to assist in plans for the 50th reunion of the class of 1902 to be held next June.

His wife, the former Rebecca Hamilton of Cassville, Pa., died some years ago. He is survived by three daughters, Martha, Mrs. Miriam Doerr, and Mrs. Jean Hageboeck.

1903—Dr. Curvin H. Gingrich, professor of astronomy and mathematics at Carleton College, Northfield, Minn., died on June 17 at the age of 70 of a heart attack.

Dr. Gingrich joined the Carleton staff as instructor of astronomy and mathematics in 1909. In 1912 he was advanced to the professorship and had been chairman of the mathematics department since 1926. He was the senior professor of the faculty at the time of his death. He was acting dean of the college in 1914-1917, and assistant to the president and registrar in 1917-1919.

He had been associated with the magazine *Popular Astronomy* since 1910 and served as its editor for the last 25 years prior to his death. He was the author of many scientific papers in the field of mathematics and astronomy, and had lectured at the Adler Planetarium in Chicago during the Century of Progress Exposition in 1933-34.

Born in York, Pa., in 1882, Dr. Gingrich received his bachelors degree from the college in 1903 and his masters degree two years later. He took his doctorate at the University of Chicago in 1912 and at the 1941 Commencement the college conferred upon him the honorary degree of Doctor of Science.

From his graduation in 1903 through 1909, when he joined the faculty of Carleton College, Professor Gingrich taught at Maryville Seminary, Missouri, Northwest Missouri College, Albany, Mo., and Baker University, Baldwin, Kan. In 1929-30 he was in charge of the courses in astronomy offered during the Columbia University's summer session, and in the summer of 1935, was a research assistant at McCormick Observatory. Last year he was elected to honorary membership in the American Association Variable Star Observers in recognition of his support of the group as an astronomer and editor.

He was a member of the Astronomical Society, the Mathematical Association of America, Phi Beta Kappa, Sigma Xi, and Kappa Sigma.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Mary A. Gingrich, and a daughter, Mrs. Robert M. Feather of Morgantown, W. Va.

1904—Walter Singer Fishel died on August 25 at the Hagerstown, Md., Hospital.

Born in Millersburg, Pa., on May 15, 1882, he graduated from Harrisburg High School and after a year as a student of the college withdrew to enter Postal Service. At the time of his death he was engaged in the insurance business in Boonsboro, Md., and he had also been manager of the Boonsboro branch of the Hagerstown Water Company.

In 1907 he married Frances Feeman of Harrisburg and they had three children. A son Robert Fishel and two daughters, Zoe and Joy A.

1904L—Colonel Thomas S. Lanard, Philadelphia attorney and former commander of the State Fencibles Infantry battalion, died May 29 of a heart attack. He was 72.

Mr. Lanard, who maintained law offices in the Bailey Building for more than 40 years, joined the Fencibles in 1905. A year later he became adjutant of the battalion and, in 1913, commander.

He held that post, with rank of major, then colonel, until 1943. Two years ago he retired from the organization. He was the author of several books on the history of the unit, oldest infantry command in the state. It was founded in 1813.

Mr. Lanard also was active in the Philadelphia Flag Day Association.

He was a graduate of Brown University and the Dickinson School of Law. He was admitted to the bar in 1904.

Surviving are two sisters and three brothers.

1907—Frank D. Livermore, sheriff of Bergen County, New Jersey, since 1945, died on August 16th at Patterson General Hospital of uremic poisoning. He was 64 years of age.

Before his election as sheriff, he had served as mayor of the village of Ridgewood from 1935 to 1939 and from 1943 until 1945. He had also served as a Village Commissioner from 1931 until 1945.

Born in Millville, N. J., he became a civil engineer and moved to Ridgewood, N. J., in 1915. He was a former president of the Bergen County Mayors Association, a former president of the Bergen County Engineering Society, and former vice-president of the New Jersey State League of Municipalities.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Alice Livermore, and two daughters, Mrs. Jean L. VanWierden and Mrs. Ruth L. Boutelle.

1907—Thomas Collins Stevenson Keller, retired banker who for a period of thirty-two years was connected with the Carlisle Deposit Bank and Trust Company, died on June 24 at the Carlisle Hospital. He had been ill for a number of years and retired because of ill health in 1946.

Born in Carlisle on July 2, 1884, he was the son of Adam Keller, who for many years was cashier of the Deposit Bank. He attended Dickinson Preparatory School and was a student of the College for two years. He was a member of Phi Delta Theta Fraternity.

Throughout his life he was an active member of St. John's Episcopal Church, he served as junior warden and was a Life Member of the Vestry.

Two of his children attended the College. His daughter, ElFrieda, a member of the class of 1935, is the wife of George A. Hansell, Jr., '34, of Swarthmore. His son, Gilbert Mumper Keller, '39, lives in Schenectady, N. Y. These survived and also his wife, Mrs. Sophie Mae Mumper Keller; his son, Charles Willard Keller of Ho-Ho-Kus, N. J., and two other sons, Adam Keller, Carlisle, R. D. No. 1, and Thomas C. S. Keller of Swarthmore. Interment was made in the Old Grave Yard, Carlisle.

1915—William Edgar Cooper, retired school teacher of Harrisburg, Pa., died on July 6 at the Lewistown Hospital eight hours after suffering a cerebral hemorrhage while driving his automobile. He was taken to the hospital from a gasoline service station where he had stopped and collapsed.

Born in Halifax, Pa., on December 19, 1891 he attended the high school there and graduated from Harrisburg Academy. Following his graduation at the College he taught at Royersford and in Upper Darby before becoming a member of the Camp Curtin Junior High Faculty in Harrisburg. He had not been in good health for some years and retired and spent a good bit of his time in Florida.

He was a member of the S. A. E. Fraternity, the Methodist Church, and Melita Lodge, No. 295 F. & A. M. of Philadelphia.

He married Miss Jumata B. Heikes in Chicago on August 15, 1933. They had no children and she survives. Burial was made in Halifax Cemetery.

1922, 1924L—James C. Hennen, trust officer of the Central Trust Company, died on September 5 at the Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn., shortly after he had been admitted for treatment there. He had been in failing health for sometime and earlier had been a patient at Jefferson Hospital, Philadelphia.

If Dickinson had a hall of fame for baseball players, his name could be listed as one of the great pitchers in the annals of that sport at the college. Throughout his life he was actively interested in sports and was an ardent fisherman, being a member of the Spruce Creek Rod and Gun Club.

He had been associated with the Central Trust Company since 1929 and from 1923 until 1929 had served in the legal department of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. He entered that position after he graduated from the Law School, passed his bar examinations and been admitted to the Blair County Bar.

Born in Altoona on March 5, 1896, he graduated from the High School there. His course at the college was interrupted by service in World War I. He enlisted in the Army Ordnance department and was discharged shortly after the Armistice in 1918 when he returned to college. He received his degree from the college in 1920 and from the Law School in 1922.

He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Altoona, where he had

served as trustee. He was a member of the American Legion, a member and former treasurer of Blair Voiture, 40 et 8 and a member of the Altoona Lodge of the Elks. At college he was a member of Alpha Chi Rho fraternity.

He was also a former president of the Corporate Fiduciaries Association and a member of the Pennsylvania Bankers Association committee on cooperation with the bar association.

He is survived only by his wife, the former Miss Edna Gates, of Bellville and several cousins.

1923—Dr. Edgar Ham, dentist of New Cumberland, Pa., and president of the New Cumberland Board of Health, died on June 14 at the Harrisburg Hospital.

Born on August 23, 1897 in Williamsport, Pa., he was the son of the Rev. and Mrs. Samuel Ham. He graduated from the York, Pa., High School and the University of Maryland Dental College. He was a member of the Baughman Memorial Methodist Church, the American Legion, and was a veteran of service with the AEF during World War I.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Gertrude Ham; two sisters, Mrs. Zack Law of Philadelphia and Mrs. Charles Frank of Center City, Calif. Burial was made in Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

1924—The Reverend Howard D. Bare, pastor of St. Paul's Methodist Church, Lancaster, Pa., and husband of the former Mary B. Peterman, '23, died suddenly while talking with his wife and friends in his summer cottage at Gordonville, Pa., on August 30. He had undergone an operation in June, but recovered to take a long vacation trip through the West from which he had returned about ten days before his death which was caused by a coronary occlusion.

Born in Lancaster on March 12, 1901, he was the son of the Reverend Theodore Westley Bare and Hettie Eby Bare. He attended Frankford High School in Philadelphia where he spent most of his boyhood and the Brown Preparatory School. He received his AB degree from the College in 1924 and an AM in 1927 when he graduated from Drew Theological Seminary. He served various pastorates of the Philadelphia Conference from 1922 until the time of his death including Phoenixville, Siloam Church, West Philadelphia, and the Falls Church in Philadelphia until 1946 when he began his pastorate at St. Paul's in Lancaster.

He was a member of the Commons Club, the Lancaster Ministerial Association, the Lancaster City and County Methodist Ministerium and served on committees of the Philadelphia Conference.

He wrote a number of articles on religious subjects some of which appeared in *Church Management*, *The Christian Advocate*, *The Upper Room*, and *The Pastor's Journal*.

In addition to his wife he is survived by a brother, Lt. Col. Paul Westerly Bare, who is serving in the Army as a Chaplain in Japan.

1924—N. Eugene Triebles, insurance company executive, died suddenly on August 13 at his home, 412 Olympia Road, Chatham Village, Pittsburgh.

He had been in charge of the Pittsburgh claim office of the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland since 1932. Prior to that he had been with the company at Richmond, Va., as an adjuster.

Born October 24, 1899, in Jersey Shore, he was the son of Nelson and Margaret Buckley Tribbles. After graduating from Dickinson he entered George Washington University School of Law where he obtained an LL.B. in 1927. Dickinson gave him a master's degree the same year.

He was a member of Kappa Sigma, Phi Delta Phi legal fraternity and the Masons. He served with the Engineers in World War I as a battalion sergeant major.

He leaves a widow, the former Margaret Mansfield; a 4½-year-old son, Philip, and a brother, Lee, of Riverside, N. J. Burial was in Jersey Shore.

1927—1929L—W. Hudson R. Unger, attorney, banker and business leader of Shamokin, Pa., died unexpectedly with a heart condition while on vacation at Rehoboth, Del., on July 22. He was 46 years of age.

President of the Market Street National Bank of Shamokin, he was serving his second term as secretary-treasurer of Group 4 of the Pennsylvania Bankers Association. He made his home in the Hotel Penn-Lee, of which he was general manager and part owner. Following his admission to the bar, he began the practice of law with his late father, William H. Unger, and his brother, Marlin S. Unger, '19, and his brother-in-law, Francis F. Reamer. At one time he served as assistant district attorney, when the present Judge Robert M. Fortney was district attorney of Northumberland County.

Two years after his graduation from the law school, he was elected a director of Market Street National Bank and six years later, in 1937 he succeeded his father as president of the bank. He was then one of the youngest bank presidents in the state.

He was a member of the Methodist Church, the Elks, the Shamokin Valley Country Club, Phi Delta Theta Fraternity.

He was born in Shamokin March 29, 1905, graduated from the High School there, from the college in 1927 and the law school in 1929.

He is survived by his wife, the former Sara Jane Tritt of Newville, whom he married on January 29, 1927 and a son, W. Hudson Unger, born April 17, 1932 and also by two brothers and two sisters.

1948—Ralph Eugene Fox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph M. Fox of 110 North Madison Street, Colonial Park, Pa., died in the Harrisburg Hospital on June 14.

Born on August 7, 1927 he was 23 years of age and a graduate of the Lower Paxton High School. He was to have received his masters degree in Political Science this month.

He was a member of the Evangelical and Reformed Church; Harrisburg Lodge No. 629, F. & A. M.; Harrisburg Consistory; majority member of the Pilgrim Chapter, Order of DeMolay, past master councilor and Chevalier.

He was also a member of the American Academy of Political and Social Science; an active member of the Dauphin County Young Republican Club, and was employed by the Pennsylvania State School Authority.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by four sisters, Mrs. Dortha Walter of Progress, Mrs. Marion Miller of Linglestown, and Mrs. Catharine Gingrich and Miss Patricia Fox both at home.

He was accorded a Masonic funeral service and interment was made in Shoop's Cemetery.

NECROLOGY

Mrs. Miriam Sheppard Davidson died in Bryn Mawr Hospital on March 17, 1951 after an illness of about three years. She was the widow of J. Milton Davidson, Editor and Publisher of *The Delaware State News*, of Dover, Del., who died in 1914.

She was the mother of Dr. Robert L. D. Davidson, '31, and J. Milton Davidson, '33. Her other Dickinson ties include the fact that she was the niece of Rev. John Dashiell who graduated from the college in 1840 and the Rev. Dr. Robert L. Dashiell who graduated from the college in 1846 and was President of the College from 1868-72. She was also a sister-in-law of Edwin Gardner, '92.

She was born on April 13, 1874 at Bethel, Md., where her father, the Rev. Charles F. Sheppard was pastor. She was a concert singer of some prominence, a teacher of voice and associated with the Swarthmore Chatauqua for many years.

Two other children, Charles S. Davidson of Clayton, N. J., and Mrs. Harold H. Beebe of Pitman, N. J., and seven grandchildren survive.

Harry G. Hackman, father of two Dickinsonians, died on March 17, 1951, at his home in Carlisle at the age of 83 years and eight months, following a brief illness.

He is survived by his widow and four daughters: Mrs. G. Robert Martin, the former Helen E. Hackman, '28, Alice E. Hackman, '30, both at home, Mrs. R. B. Clark, Allentown, and Mrs. J. H. Knode, Chambersburg.

Mr. Hackman was an employee of the Pennsylvania Railroad for fifty years, serving as clerk and agent at Waynesboro, Chambersburg, and Carlisle.

Lord Inverchapel, who received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws at the 175th Convocation Exercises in April 1948, former British Ambassador to the United States, died on July 5 in Greenock, Scotland.

He was Sir Archibald Clark Keer until raised to the peerage in 1946, when he took his title from the name of his family estate in Scotland.

He served as ambassador to the United States from early in 1946 until May 1948, when he retired after forty years of diplomatic service.

Mrs. Katherine B. Richards, wife of Judge Karl B. Richards, '10, and mother of Karl M. Richards, '39, of Lampeter, Pa., died at her home in Harrisburg on August 31 after an illness of two months. Judge Richards is the Dauphin County Orphans Court judge, a Trustee of the College and former president of the General Alumni Association. She is also survived by two daughters, Mrs. John J. Andujar, of Fort Worth, Texas, and Mrs. William H. McGowan of York Haven, Pa., and six grandchildren.

Mrs. Richards was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Elder Beetem, of Carlisle and a native of Philadelphia. She graduated from the former Central High School there.

Judge and Mrs. Richards were married November 29, 1911. For more than 25 years she was president of the Ladies' Bible Class of Market Square Presbyterian Church where funeral services were held. She also was a member of the Harrisburg Symphony Society, the Harrisburg Civic Club and the Wednesday Club.

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