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INTRODUCING THE ALUMNUS

In the Bowdoin family of publications there is venerable age and vigorous youth. The Bugle celebrates its 70th birthday next year; the Orient, first published in 1871, is 56 years old; the Quill, youngest of all, is 30 years old this year. The Bear Skin, a precocious infant which was never popular with its elders, died of malnutrition a few weeks ago and is mourned by few. With this issue of the Bowdoin Alumnus, an introductory copy of which is being sent to all academic and medical graduates, we present the new baby of the family.

The Alumnus will be published quarterly. It is not designed to be solely a news magazine, a literary quarterly, a journal of opinion, an instrument of propaganda, a petty gossip sheet or a funny paper. It may perhaps be a little of all these. Its form and contents may differ widely in the future from those of the first issue. It is to be, in short, what the alumni wish it to be, and is to be shaped by the will of those for whom it is primarily intended, the alumni. The editors will be glad to receive suggestions, criticisms and contributions from readers and will reserve only the right to weigh what is sent in, according to their best collective judgment.

Almost all colleges of standing have alumni quarterlies, which try to furnish campus news as well as matters of purely alumni interest. For a time, at least, the Alumnus will differ from other quarterlies in this respect: the subscription price will cover both the Orient and the Alumnus. Subscribers will therefore get the campus newspaper week by week and the alumni magazine quarterly. They will be better informed than graduates of most colleges on current news of the College and the Alumnus can serve more truly as an alumni publication.

This combination has been effected partly because it is believed that every alumnus should see the undergraduate paper regularly to keep in touch with the Bowdoin of today, and partly because the Alumnus could probably not be established at the present time without the financial support of the Bowdoin Publishing Company, publishers of the Orient and the Quill.

The advisory editorial board includes ten alumni, two of whom are faculty members, and one undergraduate, soon to be an alumnus. The alumni are Arthur G. Staples '82, editor of the Lewiston Journal, William M. Emery '89, for many years editor of the Fall River News and now on the editorial staff of the Boston Transcript, John Clair Minot '96, literary editor of the Boston Herald, Wallace M. Powers '04 of the Transcript, Prof. Robert D. Leigh '14 of Williams, Dwight H. Sayward '16 of Portland, Bela W. Norton '18 of New York, former city editor of a New York daily, and Edward B. Ham '22, now a Rhodes Scholar at Oxford. The faculty members are Prof. Wilmot B. Mitchell '00 and Prof. Philip W. Meserve '11. The undergraduate is Walter F. Whittier '27, who has recently retired as editor of the Orient.

The Alumnus is edited by the alumni secretary, Austin H. MacCormick '15. J. Rayner Whipple '28, former managing editor of the Orient, is managing editor.
Classes Plan Reunions--122nd Commencement

The baccalaureate address by President Sills on Sunday, June 19, will mark the beginning of Commencement Week. Tuesday will be Class Day, Wednesday Alumni Day, and Thursday, June 23, Commencement Day.

Special features of the Commencement program, copies of which have been sent to all the alumni, are the Dedicatory Recital on the new Chapel organ at 3 P. M. on Wednesday, June 22, and the Memorial Service for the late President Hyde at 6 P. M. on Wednesday in the Chapel.

The special committee of the Alumni Council which has Alumni Day in charge is headed by Roland E. Clark '01 of Portland. There will probably be no variation from the usual program of Wednesday of Commencement Week, but the committee hopes to make things more pleasant for the non-reunion classes by providing headquarters for the "Class of 1794" in one of the fraternity houses. The headquarters when chosen will be marked by a conspicuous sign. The shore dinner and sing will again be held at 6:30 P.M. on Wednesday, near the Observatory if the weather is fair, or in the Gymnasium if it is stormy.

The annual baseball game will be between the 'varsity and the 1922 'varsity, which included three of the best pitchers Bowdoin has had in recent years: Captain "Pete" Flinn, Fred Walker, and Rupert Johnson. Among other well known members of the team were the Morrell brothers.

Competition at Commencement for the Snow Reunion Trophy promises to be brisk, with several of the younger classes registering larger numbers than usual and the older classes showing their usual high percentages of returning members. The oldest living alumnus in point of class, Mr. Daniel Crosby of the Class of 1855, is not expected to be present, as he lives in Topeka, Kansas. The oldest reunion class, 1857, has only three living members. Rev. Ebenezer Bean of Urbana, Ill., the oldest alumnus in point of years, is a member of this class. The Class of 1857 and the Class of 1862, which also has three members, may not be represented at Commencement, and the attendance from 1867 and 1872 is likely to be slight. Of the fifteen members of 1857, 1862, 1867 and 1872, seven live in the middle West or far West, and only three in New England.

1877

Mr. Samuel A. Melcher of Brunswick is making the local arrangements for the reunion of the Fifty Year Class. None of the class officers are alive and no secretary has been elected since the death of the beloved John Chapman. Among the members of the class is Hon. William T. Cobb, former Governor of Maine and now Vice-President of the Board of Trustees of the College.

1882

Of the thirteen members of 1882 eleven live in New England and a large attendance is expected. Professor Moody is making arrangements for the reunion, with headquarters of the class at the College Dining Club, 15 Cleaveland Street.

1887

No headquarters have been chosen for the Forty Year Class, as responses have been coming in slowly to John V. Lane of Augusta, the unofficial secretary of the class since the death of C. B. Burleigh. Austin Cary and Freeman Dearth were the first to express their intention to return.

1892

No news has been received of the reunion plans of 1892, seventeen of whose twenty-one members live in New England. The class claims among its members the speaker and the chaplain of the Massachusetts House of Representatives.

1897

The Thirty Year Class will have its head-
quarters in 17 Maine Hall. Reuel W. Smith of Auburn has been one of the active members of the class in arranging for the reunion. The class has fifty-two members.

1902

Dr. Harold Webb is president and Lyman Cousins is secretary of the class which celebrates its 25th reunion, with headquarters in Hyde Hall. The reunion committee is headed by George E. Fogg and includes Ben Barker, Harold B. Eastman, Philip H. Cobb, George R. Walker and William E. Wing. Members wishing to secure rooms for their wives outside of Hyde Hall should notify George Fogg or the Alumni Secretary.

1907

According to the plans announced by 1907 for its 20th, the class will make the Donnysbrook Fair look as tame as an Easter egg-rolling on the White House lawn. The committee is headed by William S. Linnell and has as its executive secretary Maine's versatile publicity man, Phil Shorey. Other members of the committee are Otis, Craigie, Holt, Roberts, Kingsley, Joe and Wadleigh Drummond, Allen and Burton. Headquarters will be at the home of Herbert Merryman, 86 Federal Street. The class will be strikingly costumed.

1912

An ingenious publicity scheme executed by Ned Morss, consisting of a series of letters getting progressively larger until they reach the size of a freshman proclamation, has aroused great interest in the class for its 15th reunion. The Boston members of the class are acting as a reunion committee under the leadership of Jack Hurley, the class president. The Boston group includes also Bill MacCormick, class secretary, Bud Brooks, Shurt Hathaway, Ned Morss, John Joy and Walter Fuller. Headquarters will be on Cleaveland Street opposite an unmistakable class sign.

1917

The class that won the war will celebrate its 10th reunion with headquarters at the home of one of its members, Professor Noel C. Little, on College Street. The class dinner will be at Mrs. Witherby's, Dingley's Island, on Wednesday evening. The members of the committee are Carl Ross, chairman, Ken Stone, Harvey Miller and Noel Little. Costumes have been arranged for.

1922

The youngest reunion class expects to have fifty or more of its members back for Commencement. All the details of costume, banquet and stunts are being kept dark, but it has been announced that headquarters will be in a large and not inconspicuous tent on the campus. The members of the reunion committee are Al Morrell, George Partridge, Jack Pickard, Eben Tileston, Bruce White, Roly Woodbury, the class president, and Carroll Towle, class secretary-treasurer.

**FACULTY HONORS HUTCHINS**

On May 17th the faculty gave a dinner at the Hotel Eagle in honor of Professor Charles C. Hutchins, who will retire in June as professor emeritus of Physics after forty-two years of service. Professor Mitchell acted as toastmaster and the speakers of the evening were Professor Edward H. Hall '75 of Harvard, Mr. MacCormick, President Sills, and Professor Hutchins. In his speech Professor Hutchins spoke of his early life and education and left with his hearers one of the most memorable bits of reminiscence that they had ever listened to. Robert Frost, the poet, was also a guest at the dinner.

Two Rhodes Scholars from Maine will be named this fall. Candidates should apply to Robert Hale, Esq., First National Bank Building, Portland, not later than October 22nd. Bowdoin men who are candidates for the scholarships should notify Dean Paul Nixon well in advance of October 22nd. Candidates must be between the ages of nineteen and twenty-five.
Several Units of the New Athletic Field, the Land for Which Was Given by Frederick W. Pickard '94, Are Being Completed Through Gifts of Alumni
Editorial Tribute to Edward Page Mitchell

When Edward Page Mitchell of the Class of 1871—"Mitchell of the Sun"—died on January 22, 1927, the press of the country paid him high tribute as one of the greatest editorial writers of all times. It would be unfitting for any Bowdoin publication to fail to pay him its tribute. We have chosen to republish extracts from an editorial in the New York Sun of January 24, 1927, as the most discriminating of the many which appeared after his death. It was headed simply "Mr. Mitchell."

It is with a sorrow not to be expressed in formal phrase that we record the passing of one whose life, more closely than that of any other man, was entwined with The Sun. Edward Page Mitchell is dead in his seventy-fifth year. Two-thirds of his long span was spent in the service of this newspaper. Nor was it time alone that made the association so remarkable. Never were a man and a newspaper tied with bonds of greater affection. To him The Sun was something to be loved, in his own words, "like a creature of flesh and blood and living intelligence and human virtues and failings." His devotion lasted more than half a century. It was as unflagging in 1926, when he wrote his last article for this page, as it had been in 1875, when Mr. Dana brought him from Maine. It was a complete devotion. Except for his recently published "Memoirs of an Editor" and a few short stories and magazine articles of distinction, all the writing of Mr. Mitchell went into The Sun and the door of anonymity closed upon its authorship. It did not matter to him that the world might not associate him with his work. His pride was in the paper, not in himself. If he, as the most brilliant editorial writer in America, made The Sun shine with exceptional splendor, that was enough.

There was nothing of the excited journalist about Mr. Mitchell. He could not be disturbed by trivial events or trivial men. Life was a flowing stream into which he gazed with calm philosophy. He found there the "human virtues and failings" and treated them humanly. If he found it necessary to pillory a scoundrel or chastise a fool, his hand was ready; but he was never impatient, never scolding the world for its failures. No pen was more incisive than his when a balloon of vanity was to be punctured, yet none was readier to rise in salute to some foeman of yesterday who did a praiseworthy deed.

Much of Mr. Mitchell's editorial activities was devoted to political matters. Personally, how-

ever, he was free from the slightest partisan bias. Politicians were to him as butterflies are to an entomologist—creatures to be examined, classified and described. He usually found the lesser more interesting than the great. He delighted to ridicule the pompous, to expose the hollow pretender. But it was all done with the touch of the artist, not of the party supporter.

The political quarter was the smallest zone of his interests. His field was all of life. He traveled widely and knew his fellows, whether they were in front of City Hall or at the end of the Street called Straight. His curiosity was as broad as the earth. He would explore Rhode Island for a new vestige of King Philip or cross the Caribbean to see the house where some South American dictator lay dying in exile. He could identify the rarest Turkish carpet or trace to its beginning a classic yarn of the Nantucket whaling ships. He could guide the inquirer to the finest Corot in America or direct him to the best omelette soufflée to be had on the Breton coast. Never for him the academic air of the cloistered scholar; his subject was Man and Man's background.

In substance and style the articles with which Mr. Mitchell adorned The Sun for half a century were unequaled by any contemporary. Substance was assured, for he never wrote anything merely to say something. Under Mr. Dana and Mr. Mitchell—and their control of the editorial page of The Sun lasted almost without interruption from 1868, when Mr. Dana bought the paper, until 1920, when Mr. Mitchell retired from everyday labors—the readers were treated to the richest offerings that these two masters of journalism could furnish. These two, above all others, were responsible for the quality and fame of the page. Mr. Mitchell lacked Mr. Dana's personal interest in politics, but he excelled Mr. Dana in style and color and had the advantage of a wider and more human view of life.

To touch upon Mr. Mitchell's personal attributes is to invite the superlatives. Kindness, thoughtfulness, courtesy, forbearance, charm, humor, companionship—how cold the words look on paper and yet how each must bring memories trooping to those who knew Edward P. Mitchell! He had comfort for the downcast, an excuse for the erring, reassurance for the timid, a smile and a friendly word for the least of those about him, an open hand for the needy, the patience of Job with offenders and an ineffable grace which enslaved all who came within the magic circle of his presence. If he had never written a word he would still be immortal to those who loved him: immortal as the possessor of all the virtues that make a gentleman.
EXPLORERS HEAD NORTH

Commander Donald B. MacMillan will sail on Saturday, June 25, from Wiscasset for a fifteen months' trip, as the beginning of a five year program of scientific work for the Field Museum of Chicago. The Bowdoin will be accompanied by the Radio, a former Gloucester fishing schooner, which will carry building material for a scientific station to be erected near Nain, in northern Labrador. The Bowdoin will be frozen in and Commander MacMillan with a small group of scientists, will spend the winter at the new station. Among his companions will be Charles S. Sewall '97 of Wiscasset, a member of last summer's expedition to Labrador and Greenland.

Robert E. Peary, Jr., '95 will again go North this summer as a member of the Putnam Baffin Land Expedition directed by George Palmer Putnam, the publisher, who headed an expedition last summer to North Greenland. The schooner Morrissey, which was almost wrecked last year, will again carry the expedition. The Morrissey is commanded by Captain Bob Bartlett, who was Admiral Peary's captain and who received the honorary degree of A.M. from Bowdoin in 1920.

BOWDOIN MEN LEAD IN MAINE GOVERNMENT

It is a matter of tradition that Bowdoin men shall play a prominent part in the government of Maine and the number of alumni who now hold important offices in the State is, as usual, large. In the governor's chair, where he succeeded Percival P. Baxter '98, Ralph O. Brewster '09 is now serving his second term. His defeat by a narrow margin of Frank G. Farrington '94 of Augusta, former president of the Maine Senate, in the Republican primary of 1924, followed one of the most exciting contests ever held in Maine. Mr. Farrington is now being urged to be a candidate in the next election.

William S. Linnell '07 of Portland is chairman of the Governor's Council and Blaine S. Viles '02 of Augusta is one of the most influential members of the Council. Judge Sanford L. Fogg '89 is deputy attorney general and Philip D. Stubbs '95 is assistant attorney general. Henry E. Dunnack '89 has served for many years as State librarian, Dr. Clarence F. Kendall '98 is commissioner of health, and A. M. G. Soule '03 is chief deputy of the Department of Agriculture.

In the more important positions in the judicial branch are John A. Morrill '76, active retired justice of the Supreme Court, Guy H. Sturgis '96, justice of the Supreme Court, and Arthur Chapman '94, justice of the Superior Court for Cumberland County. In this connection it is worthy of note that the Federal judgeships in Maine are all held by Bowdoin men: Judge Charles F. Johnson '79 of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, and Judges Clarence Hale '69 and John A. Peters '85 of the United States District Court.

In the last legislature eight Bowdoin men were representatives and one was a senator. The latter, Herbert E. Holmes '95 of Lewiston, was the lone Democrat in the Senate. In the House there was promise of a lively contest for the Speakership between two classmates, Burleigh Martin of Augusta and Robert Hale of Portland, both members of the class of 1910. Mr. Hale withdrew in favor of Mr. Martin. It is generally conceded that Mr. Hale, who is the Republican floor leader, will be the speaker at the next session. One of the youngest members of the legislature was Glenn R. McIntyre '25 of Norway. The other Bowdoin men in the lower house were Herbert J. Dudley '05 of Calais, Walter J. Sargent '98 of Brewer, Charles P. Kinsman '07 of Augusta, Earl L. Wing '10 of Kingfield, and Hiram S. Cole '21 of South Portland. The clerk of the House was Clyde R. Chapman '12 of Belfast, who has held that position for several sessions.
New Swimming Pool to Adjoin Gymnasium

Work is progressing rapidly on the foundation of the new swimming pool and it is expected that it will be dedicated next fall. The building will be 130 feet by 60 feet and the pool itself will be 75 feet in length and 30 feet in width. A gallery around the pool will accommodate 600 spectators and the building connecting the pool with the gymnasium will supply ample room for showers and offices. The fund of $300,000 which Mr. Curtis gave for the pool is sufficient not only to build as fine a pool as the College could wish but to pay for its maintenance, heating and lighting, and even for swimming instruction.

THE INSTITUTE OF ART

The Institute of Art, the third of the series of biennial Institutes at the College, was held from May 2 to May 13, and aroused local and general interest far beyond the expectations of those who planned it. Large audiences greeted most of the lecturers, people coming from considerable distances just as they did for the former institutes.

In making up the program the faculty committee, headed by Professor Henry E. Andrews, brought together eleven lecturers representing a number of the most important fields of art. The lectures were open to the public but the round table conference held by each lecturer was open only to undergraduates. The distinctive feature of the Bowdoin Institutes is that they are held while the College is in session and are planned primarily to serve and interest the undergraduates.

There was only one change in the program announced in the Explorer. Dr. Frank Weitenkampf, director of prints of the New York Public Library, lectured on "Prints and Print Makers" in place of Mr. Ivins, who was suddenly called to Europe.

At the close of the Institute President Sills announced that the next Institute, to be held in 1929, might possibly be an Institute of Science and that the Institute of 1931 would without doubt be a second Institute of Literature.

The most complete and interesting accounts of the lectures available may be found in the Lewiston Journal, the Christian Science Monitor and the Orient.
NEW COLLEGE PHYSICIAN

Dr. Henry L. Johnson of Westerly, R. I., a former member of the Bowdoin class of 1907, has been appointed college physician and will take up his duties next fall. Dr. Johnson is a graduate of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, the medical school of Columbia University. He has served as interne at the Rhode Island Hos-

pital in Providence and the Bellevue Hospital in New York and has taken various special courses. In addition to his practice at Westerly he has built up a successful practice in the exclusive summer colony at Watch Hill, R. I. He will continue his summer practice after coming to Bowdoin.

COFFIN PROLIFIC WRITER

Probably no Bowdoin man is publishing more steadily than Prof. Robert P. T. Coffin '13 of Wells College. "Dew and Bronze," his second volume of verse, which has recently appeared from the press of A. and C. Boni, is described as a happy mingling of Oxford culture and New England simplicity. It is dedicated to "Mary C. Ham, Lover of Poetry, Artist in Living and My Friend." Mrs. Ham is the wife of Professor Ham of Bowdoin and the mother of Edward B. Ham '22.

Professor Coffin had previously published a volume of poems, "Christchurch," and a volume of essays on English and Oxonian things called "Book of Crowns and Cottages." The latter was published by the Yale University Press and is illustrated by pen-and-ink and water-color sketches done by the author in England while a Rhodes Scholar.

He has also written some fifty essays and articles for such magazines as The North American Review, The Forum, The Outlook, The Yale Review, and The Bookman. He contributed a chapter on social life at Oxford to the Aydelotte and Crosby (Bowdoin '13) "Oxford of Today." Many of Professor Coffin's essays have been reprinted in periodicals and anthologized in essay collections.

Sixty-odd poems from his pen have appeared in such magazines as Century, The Bookman, Harper's, The Saturday Review of Literature, The Forum, and The Nation. Many of these poems have been anthologized in Braithwaite's, Strong's, and other collections.

Professor Coffin is also a facile artist and has contributed forty or fifty sketches and linoleum cuts to leading magazines. Some of these have been reproduced in other periodicals, such as the Times Literary Supplement.

In his teaching he has made a significant contribution to American education. At Wells, where he has been for six years and is now a full professor of English, he has developed the Oxford idea in the study of English Literature for the better students and has acted "the Don of Oxon" to the most brilliant students. He took his B.Litt. (advanced degree) at Oxford in 1921.
Morrell to Head Athletic Department

Malcolm E. Morrell

The resignation of John M. Cates, director of athletics, who goes to Yale next year as graduate manager of athletics, caused general regret. The appointment of Malcolm E. Morrell ’24 as acting director of athletics, acting graduate manager, and head football coach has met with widespread approval, especially among the undergraduates, who have acquired great confidence in Mr. Morrell during his two years as assistant to Professor Cates. Morrell came to Bowdoin after two years’ service in the army, during which he served overseas as a second lieutenant of infantry. He was catcher and second baseman on the nine for four years, a varsity football man for three years, and football captain in 1923.

Donovan D. Lancaster ’27 of Old Town has been appointed freshman coach for the coming year. He will be on the physical education staff throughout the year, assisting in swimming instruction and in intramural athletics. Lancaster has been a varsity football man for two years and has been on the baseball and football squads throughout his course.

Those who remember the havoc which Paul “Ginger” Fraser played with opposing teams while he was wearing the Colby uniform from 1911 to 1915 will be interested in his appointment as assistant football coach at Bowdoin for the coming year.
PLUMMER SHIPPING EXPERT

It is consistent with the old Maine deep-sea shipping tradition that a Maine and Bowdoin man, Edward C. Plummer '87, should be one of the leading authorities on shipping in the country today. Mr. Plummer, whose home was in Bath, was appointed a member of the United States Shipping Board in 1921, and since 1923 he has been vice-chairman of the Board. In 1926 he represented the United States at the International Shipping Conference in London, and in March of this year he visited the leading ports of Brazil, Uruguay and Argentina in the interest of American commerce and shipping, making seven addresses.

Mr. Plummer fitted for Bowdoin at the North Yarmouth Academy, and last year he published his "Reminiscences of a Yarmouth Schoolboy." In the same year a volume of his addresses on merchant shipping was published under the title, "Shipping Sense." His first interest in shipping came during his life in Bath, where he entered newspaper work the year following his graduation from Bowdoin. As early as 1892 he visited European shipyards, studying the shipping problem. In 1900 he became attorney for the Atlantic Carriers Association and held that position until his appointment to the Shipping Board. He has written many articles and delivered scores of addresses throughout the country, explaining the purposes of and the necessity for an adequate merchant marine.

ALUMNI WORK REVIEWED

Having completed six years of service as alumni secretary, Mr. MacCormick will be granted sabbatical leave for the coming year. He will spend the year making a survey of all the prisons in the United States for the National Society of Penal Information, of whose last Handbook of American Prisons he was joint author and editor. He will also make a special study of educational work in prisons for the Carnegie Foundation. His successor for the year will be announced at Commencement. Mr. MacCormick reviews briefly for the Alumnus the past six years in alumni work.

"When I came on the job in July 1921, I found the most pressing duty that of helping to complete the Alumni Fund. With one year to go there was still $271,000 to be raised in cash or pledges in order to complete the $450,000 necessary to secure $150,000 from the General Education Board. That last year was a scramble, but the generous response of alumni and friends of the College to appeals made by the directors of the Fund, regional committees, class agents and the Society of Bowdoin Women resulted in the successful completion of the Fund and an over-subscription of about $50,000. By September 30, 1925, most of the pledges had been paid and the General Education Board had made the final payment on its pledge.

"Today the Fund has grown still larger and the total added to the Endowment of the College is $701,082.54. In this figure the largest item outside of the General Education Board gift is not the Munsey gift of $100,000, but the Class of 1875 Fund, now amounting to $119,792.73.

"Since the completion of the Endowment Fund campaign the directors have swung back to the original purpose of the Fund: to add to the income of the College by a large number of annual gifts for its current needs. In spite of the difficulty of convincing alumni of the power of small gifts, over $82,000 has been contributed to Income since 1919. We now have about 500 subscribers giving nearly $10,000 annually to Income. This is the equivalent of the interest on an invested fund of $200,000.

"I must admit that my one keen disappointment during the past six years has come from the slow growth of gifts to Income. With all regard for the very generous and loyal interest which I know our alumni have in the College, I cannot read
the history of the steady and rapid growth of gifts to Income at Amherst, for example, without feeling chagrin and disappointment. It is not so much the comparison of amounts that hurts, as the comparison of numbers and percentages participating.

"Perhaps our conservative, non-driving policy has been wrong, but I cannot believe that an aggressive policy is fitting for a college like Bowdoin. Our policy is to acquaint the alumni with what the College is doing and to show them that its work is worthy of their support. We believe in loyalty and pride that has a firm basis in knowledge of the facts. We do not believe in a 'go-getter' policy, but we wish very often that alumni would more generally become sharers — even if very modest ones — in the work of the College.

"Other aspects of my work I can only touch on briefly. Attendance at a long series of alumni gatherings from Aroostook to Tacoma has been an altogether delightful experience. For such duty no alumni secretary should expect to be paid a salary. I have only one conclusion to offer regarding alumni dinners: that the larger associations sometimes have too long a list of speakers, and that the meetings of the smaller associations sometimes lack enthusiasm because of the small number present. For the latter I suggest the Philadelphia experiment: inviting wives, daughters, fathers and mothers of undergraduates, and so on.

"The practice of many associations of inviting preparatory school men to their dinners is an invaluable aid to the College. The custom of the Bowdoin Club of Portland of having one meeting each year at which President Sills is the only speaker, giving those present a frank, clear-cut picture of what the College is doing, is worthy of special commendation.

"The efforts of the Alumni Council in recent years to make Commencement more interesting and to increase attendance are perhaps not necessary, as both attendance and interest seem to have increased steadily for no one particular reason. There is no question, however, that attention to non-reunion classes and the establishment of the 'Class of 1794' have played their part in the growth of interest in Commencement.

"The establishment of a Fall Alumni Day, and of a Vocational Guidance Day for undergraduates, have been among the most progressive steps taken by recent Alumni Councils. From members of the Council, as from members of the Governing Boards and all alumni organizations, the College has received the highest type of service, and I cannot speak too warmly of the unselfishness with which it has been rendered.

"The publicity work of the College, which is one of the duties of the alumni secretary, has not been well done, except on such special occasions as the Institutes of Literature and Art. It is a hopeful sign, however, that it is probably better done than it was two or three years ago. The College has for many years received a fair amount of 'earned' publicity, not of its own seeking. As for alumni publicity, an agency for promoting it for which we have long waited is the alumni quarterly, of which this is the first issue. It is hoped that it will serve not only to bring news of the College to the alumni but as a channel through which their ideas can come back to the College.

"As a general conclusion, I wish to say a few things with flowers. After six years of contact with Bowdoin undergraduates and alumni, my admiration for both is boundless. I would even with confidence invite Sinclair Lewis to write a book on the College. I believe the Bowdoin of today is a better Bowdoin than it has ever been before in its history, and that the alumni have played a large part in making it so."

A record made by the Musical Clubs in the New York studio of the Brunswick Co., is now on sale by agents of the company.
The undergraduates not only had a successful year in intercollegiate athletic competition but have developed the program of intramural sports to a greater extent than ever before. Early in the year an anonymous alumnus presented a beautiful trophy for intramural sports in memory of Howard R. Ives '98. This trophy will be the temporary possession of the fraternity winning the greatest number of points in all branches of intramural competition. This year the trophy has been won by Sigma Nu. Various smaller trophies for the individual sports, some of which were presented by alumni, are also awarded.

Among the readers of the College Entrance Examination Board, who assemble in New York the last ten days in June to mark examination books of students in preparatory schools all over the United States, are the following Bowdoin men: Frederick H. Dole '97, English; Harry M. Varrell '97, History; Francis L. Lavertu '99, French; Islay F. MacCormick '00, Mathematics; Clyde F. Grant '04, French; Ralph M. Small '07, Latin; Merrill C. Hill '10, French; Clifton O. Page '13, English; Evan A. Nason '14, Mathematics; Robert E. Bodurtha '15, French; and Prof. Edward S. Hammond of the faculty, Mathematics. Donald E. MacCormick '03 is examiner in Mathematics.

Robert Frost, the poet, who received the degree of Litt.D. from Bowdoin in 1926, was the guest of the College for a whole week in May. He held numerous informal conferences with students interested in writing, and gave a public reading of his poems.
WITH THE ALUMNI

Hugh A. Mitchell, secretary of the New York Alumni Association, asks all alumni living in New York City and vicinity to send him their names and addresses so that notices of meetings may be sent to all. His address is c-o H. K. McCann Co., 285 Madison Ave.

1857

The second oldest graduate of the College, Rev. Granville C. Waterman, died at Laconia, N. H., on April 21 at the age of 92. He was born in Boothbay, Maine, and was educated in the towns of Phillips, Unity, and Litchfield. After graduating from Bowdoin he taught at academies in New York State for fourteen years. In 1869 he was ordained to the Free Baptist ministry and held pastorates in Lowville, N. Y., Dover, N. H., Laconia, N. H., Littleton, N. H., Providence, R. I., St. Johnsbury, Vt., and Hampton, N. H. He was first editor of the Sunday School Quarterly published by his denomination and was a frequent contributor to religious and secular papers.

1860

Hon. William Widgery Thomas, former Minister to Sweden, founder of New Sweden and other colonies of Swedes in Maine, died April 26 at his home in Portland at the age of 87. Mr. Thomas entered the diplomatic service soon after graduation from Bowdoin and was soon appointed consul at Gothenburg, Sweden, by President Lincoln. It was this appointment which paved the way for his greatest life accomplishment, the founding of prosperous colonies of Swedish immigrants along the St. John River in Aroostook County, Maine. The first group of eleven came over with Mr. Thomas in 1870 and fully 2,000 are believed to have come to Maine eventually as a result of his first venture. Mr. Thomas was appointed Minister to Sweden in 1883 and in 1889 was appointed Envoy-Extraordinary and Minister-Plenipotentiary to Sweden and Norway. He also held other public offices: commissioner of public lands in Maine, commissioner of immigration, member of the Maine House, and speaker of the House. In 1913 Bowdoin conferred on him the degree of LL.D.

1873

More than 200 members of the Free Church Parish of Andover, Mass., were present at a reception tendered Dr. and Mrs. Frederick A. Wilson of Andover, Mass., in honor of Dr. Wilson’s 75th birthday April 23. Dr. Wilson is pastor emeritus of the church and was for more than 30 years its pastor.

1875

Albert G. Bowie died of pneumonia on the 8th of February in Jacksonville, Fla., where he was a builder and real estate dealer. Although a non-graduate, he was a faithful attendant at class reunions and a lifelong admirer of the College.

Rev. George C. Cressy has sailed for England as a representative of the American Unitarian Association at a gathering of members of the English Unitarian Churches, and to visit old friends about London, where he held a pastorate until fourteen years ago in Brixton.

Lincoln A. Rogers has retired after many years of educational work in Maine, Illinois, Connecticut, and New Jersey. He was principal of the Patterson, N. J., Military School for a period of 14 years. Under appointment of the Quartermaster General of the United States, he was superintendent, in 1904 and 1905, of the government pier at the foot of Wall Street, in the Quartermaster’s Department, U.S.A.T. During the world war he was a member of the legal advisory board of Sagadahoc County. He recently published a Sketch of the Activities of the Auxiliary Cruiser Yale, U.S.N., in Cuban Waters during the Spanish-American War. His brother, Capt. Charles J. Rogers, was executive officer of the Yale. Mr. Rogers now lives at the old homestead in Topsham.

1876

Arthur T. Parker, class secretary, sends interesting statistics on ’76, which graduated 45 men. At its 25th reunion, 42, or 93.3% were living. Ten years later, 80% were living, and at its 50th reunion in 1926, 53% were living. Since last June, three members have died.—Charles D. Jameson, George Parsons, and Dr. William H. G. Rowe, leaving 46.6% still living. Two members, Franklin C. Payson and John A. Morrill, are members of the Board of Trustees, and two, Charles T. Hawes and Alpheus Sanford, are members of the Board of Overseers. Mr. Hawes is president of the Board of Overseers and Mr. Sanford is president of the General Alumni Association.

1879

Dr. Oscar S. C. Davies died in Augusta on Feb. 18, 1927, after only a few hours’ illness. He graduated from the Bowdoin Medical School in 1883. After post graduate work in New York and Vienna he practiced in New York City. In 1895 he moved to Augusta where he had a large practice at his death. He was one of the chief movers in establishing the Augusta General Hospital.

1881

Edgar O. Achorn recently delivered an address on the Church and the Citizen, at a dinner tendered him by the Unitarian Church at Charleston, S. C., one of the historic churches of the South. The mayor of the city and a distinguished
representation from other denominations were present.

Retirement of Rev. Henry Goddard from the active work of St. Paul's Cathedral, Boston, took effect on March 15, 1927. Dean Philemon F. Sturges of the Cathedral, in announcing Mr. Goddard's retirement, said, "Mr. Goddard has exercised a ministry peculiar for its tenderness and help among many in the Cathedral family who needed the personal visitation of the clergy most." Mr. Goddard had been with the Cathedral nearly 12 years. His present address is 94 Near Street, Portland.

1883
Edward F. Holden has retired after teaching 36 years in Boston schools.

1886
Mr. and Mrs. Walter V. Wentworth have recently returned to their home in Great Works, Maine, after a winter in the South and in the tropics. Mr. Wentworth returned completely recovered from his recent illness.

1888
Jim Spurling, Trawler, the fourth volume of Albert W. Tolman's Jim Spurling series, will be published by Harper & Brothers the fall of the year.

1889
An article in the Boston Transcript of May 15, 1926, describes the work of Rev. and Mrs. Charles F. Hersey during the past thirty-two years as city missionaries in New Bedford, Mass. Their work at the Dennison Memorial Settlement House among the poor of New Bedford received many testimonials when they retired last May.

1890
Rev. Daniel Evans, professor of Christian Theology at Andover Theological Seminary, now on a year's leave of absence, has been teaching in the Divinity School of the University of Chicago for the past three years. He will return again for the coming summer quarter. During the year he has written several articles and book reviews for religious journals and has edited the Phillips Brooks House Lectures on Religion and Modern Life, as well as contributing a chapter to the volume.

1892
Hon. John C. Hull was again speaker of the Massachusetts House of Representatives at the last session.

Rev. Harry W. Kimball has served as chaplain of the Massachusetts House for the third year.

Prof. Thomas F. Nichols is a structural engineer of the Bureau of Bridges of the State of New York and is at present working on bridge design. Until 1906, he was professor of mathematics at Hamilton College. He has been highway engineer of the State of New York, for four years a mining engineer, and has been an engineer for the State of Arizona, and from 1921 to 1926 has been highway engineer in the Department of Agriculture. His address is now 352 State Street, Albany, N. Y.

1893
Prof. George S. Chapin is head of the modern language department at Marietta College.

1894
Rev. George A. Merrill has been in the Congregational ministry since 1897, in which year he was graduated from Andover Theological Seminary. His pastorates have been New Sharon and Farmington Falls, Me., Foxcroft, Me., Taunton, Mass., and Littleton, N. H. He is moderator of the Coos and Essex Association of Congregational Churches and a trustee of the New Hampshire Congregational Conference.

1896
Sterling Fessenden, chairman of the Shanghai Municipal Council, was very much in the limelight during the worst of the Chinese trouble. He went to Shanghai in 1903 and eventually became head of one of the leading law firms and dean of all the lawyers there. He was chosen president of the Far Eastern Bar Association and later chairman of the Council, which is the governing body of the international settlement at Shanghai.

Ralph W. Leighton has been registrar of the probate court of Kennebec County, Me., since 1909. He is the author of Maine Probate Law and Practice, the standard reference work on Maine probate law. He is secretary-treasurer of the Maine State Bar Association, treasurer of the Kennebec Law Library Association, and secretary of the Board of Trustees of Lithgow Public Library of Augusta.

Robert O. Small, head of the Vocational Education Department of the Massachusetts Department of Education, will be on the faculty of the University of Washington summer school this summer, with courses in vocational education.

1897
James E. Rhodes, 2nd, is lecturer on insurance compensation at Trinity College, Hartford, Conn. He is the author of authoritative books on the subject and is on the legal staff of the Travelers Insurance Co.

1898
Harlan M. Bisbee is a member of the New Hampshire Educational Council and is working on a course of study in Latin for the coming revision of the program of studies in New Hampshire secondary schools. He has written a chapter on character education in high school for the state program of studies recently published. Last summer Mr. Bisbee taught courses in character education at the University of New Hampshire Summer School.
Thomas L. Pierce has recently been elected president of the Providence National Bank of Providence, R. I., the oldest bank in the United States under national charter.

Frank H. Swan, as chairman of a committee of the Rhode Island Bar Association, drafted the act creating a State Judicial Council. The bill has just been passed by the legislature and signed by the governor.

1899

Henry W. Lancy is receiving the sympathy of his friends and classmates for the death of his wife, January 22, 1927.

Col. Roy L. Marston was elected First Vice-President of the Board of Managers of the National Homes for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers at the annual meeting of the Board in March.

1901

Harold L. Berry spent the winter in Egypt and the south of France.

During the present year Austin P. Larrabee has been visiting Professor of Biology at Carleton College under leave of absence from Yankton College. In February, 1927, he received the degree of Ph.D. from the University of Iowa.

John A. Pierce spent the winter in Corsica and Ajaccio.

Dr. George O. Pratt, Bowdoin’s star pitcher of 25 years ago, occasionally twirls a game in the Farmington (Maine) Twilight League.

Walter L. Sanborn is publisher and editor of the North Penn Reporter of Lansdale, Penn., an every-other-evening paper devoted strictly to the news of the Borough of Lansdale and its environs.

The story of the development of Lakewood Park, near Skowhegan, by Herbert L. Swett is the subject of an article in the June American Magazine entitled The Broadway Theatre in the Maine Woods.

1902

Dr. Nat B. T. Barker is now practicing medicine at Daytona Beach, Fla. His address is 312 South Wild Olive St.

George E. Fogg is colonel of the 240th Coast Artillery, Maine National Guard.

George C. Hamblet, a member of the class a little over a year, died suddenly in Portland last November. He was the manager of the Hamblet Brick Company in Portland. He is survived by a wife and three sons.

1903

Edward F. Merrill was chief legislative counsel for the Central Maine Power Company during the past session of the Maine Legislature, and was generally credited with being the author of the Smith-Wyman Power Bill.

Benjamin H. Sanborn and Company of Boston, of which Scott C. W. Simpson is vice-president, will publish next season a school reader featuring the Eskimos in print and illustrations. The manuscript for this reader is written by Donald B. MacMillan.

1904

Samuel T. Dana represented the United States Department of Agriculture at the General Assembly of the International Institute of Agriculture and at the World Forestry Congress, both of which were held in Rome, Italy. Following these meetings, he visited the forest experiment stations in Italy, Austria, Czechoslovakia, Germany, Finland, and Sweden. During the past two years he has been president of the Society of American Foresters, the only international organization of professional foresters in the country.

1905

Raymond Davis is United States Consul in Paris.

Edwin L. Harvey, formerly executive secretary of the National Security League, is now with Fox News, 800 Tenth Ave., New York City.

Major Harold E. Marr, F.A., U.S.A., completes a course of training at officers’ school at Fort Leavenworth in June.

Professor Ray W. Pettengill of Skidmore College has started a travel service to help people find what they really want among the tours and cruises offered the public and to make reservations for individual travel anywhere.

In August, Major Wallace C. Philoon will change station for the twentieth time in his army service, this time to go to the Fifth Infantry at Portland Harbor.

John W. Riley has succeeded the late Barrett Potter as Secretary of the Board of Trustees of the College.

The “class baby,” John W. Riley, Jr., is now a freshman at Bowdoin. The next oldest class son, Stanley D. Pinkham, of Syracuse, N. Y., will represent 1905 in next year’s freshman class.

Louis D. H. Weld, formerly manager of the commercial research department of Swift & Co., at Chicago, is now associated with the H. K. McCann Co., advertising agency, New York City.

The class secretary (Prof. Stanley P. Chase) would like to have the present addresses of Benjamin S. Haggert, Rupert M. Much, Winfield I. Norcross and Carl W. Rundlett.

1906

Mr. and Mrs. Chester S. Bavis are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Patricia, born March 17, 1927.

The sudden death, on April 16th, of Charles L. Fawinger, prominent Boston lawyer and president of the Bowdoin Alumni Association of Boston, shocked his many friends and professional associates. He was regarded as one of the most prominent members of the Massachusetts Bar. As counsel for the First National Bank of Boston he was successful in many cases. He was a
member of the law firm of Blodgett, Jones and Burnham.

1907

Philip R. Shorey is publicity director for the State of Maine, working under the auspices of the State of Maine Publicity Bureau, State Chamber of Commerce and Agricultural League, Maine Development Association, Associated Industries, the Governor and Council and various State Departments. His headquarters are at the State of Maine Publicity Bureau, 6 Longfellow Square, Portland. Mr. Shorey was 15 years on the editorial staff of the New York Evening World, three years news editor of the International Moving Picture news reel, Fox News of New York City, and one year with the Hearst organization in New York.

Malon P. Whipple is treasurer and general manager of the Wales Co., engaged in the manufacture and sale of high grade jams, jellies and marmalades. His address is 9 Cedar St., Newton Centre, Mass.

1908

The April issue of American Education, published by the Expression Co. for the faculty of the School of Education, Boston University, contains an article by Ridgley C. Clark entitled Modest Attempts at Educational Guidance in Curriculum Construction. Mr. Clark has recently been re-elected superintendent of schools in Seymour, Conn., for the 11th year.

David T. Parker has moved to 4249 Drexel Boulevard, Chicago, Ill.

1909

Harold H. Burton is practicing law in Cleveland, O., with the new firm of Cull, Burton & Laughlin. He is chairman of the County Council of the American Legion and is President of the First Universalist Church of Cleveland.

Harold M. Smith is an attorney in Portsmouth, N. H. He has served three terms in the New Hampshire legislature.

1910

Dr. Clyde L. Deming is Associate Professor of Clinical Surgery at Yale University and is in charge of the Urological Department at New Haven Hospital and Dispensary. Dr. Deming married Miss Evelyn Kimball of Littleton, Mass., April 4, 1923. Herbert Everett Deming, born May 29, 1926, already shows characteristics of a pole-vaulter.

John L. Crosby has recently been transferred from Boston to the Worcester district of the New England Telephone Co.

E. Curtis Matthews, Jr., has recently been elected president of the Piscataqua Savings Bank of Portsmouth, N. H. He is believed to be the youngest bank president in New Hampshire.

William H. Sanborn is manager of the Toy Town Tavern, Winchendon, Mass.

Ralph L. Thompson has recently resigned as chief of the loan division of Ohio State Library to become chief of the order division of the Washington Public Library.

1911

William H. Callahan has recently been appointed assistant auditor of receipts of the New York Telephone Company.

Dr. Arthur H. Cole of Harvard will have an article on the American Rice Growing Industry in the next number of the quarterly Journal of Economics. He is also to publish a book soon containing the industrial and commercial correspondence of Alexander Hamilton. He is the author of numerous articles in economic journals and of the section on tariff history in the new Encyclopedia Britannica.

Walter N. Emerson has turned a hobby into a business and since last November has been buying and selling postage stamps for collectors. During the summer he plans an extensive stamp-hunting tour of the eastern states.

1912

G. Clark Brooks is with the investment department of the Old Colony Corporation, 52 Temple Place, Boston.


A daughter, Molly, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Seward J. Marsh, November 9, 1926.

John A. Mitchell has received his M.A. from Ohio State University and is now working for his Ph.D. through research in educational theory and practice. He has published The Problem of the Negro Child in the Light of Intelligence and Educational Tests and An Analytical Study of Nine Land Grant Colleges.

George Nichols of the Rand Kardex Service Corporation in the Chicago district in a seven months' sales contest has won a trip to Europe with full expenses for himself and wife. The trip will consume about five weeks and will enable Mr. and Mrs. Nichols to visit Belgium, France and England. Mary Ellen Nichols, a recent arrival in the home, will evidently not accompany them.

Earl L. Russell is serving his fourth term as member of the Portland School Board and has been responsible for many constructive ideas introduced in the schools of the city.

H. P. Vannah, whose hobby is studying tropical crops, has been made the director of a research group to study the Florida Everglades agriculture.

Carle O. Warren is New York manager of the Fiske Teachers' Agency.

George "Squanto" Wilson will manage the Augusta Millionaires this summer. He took over the management of the Portland baseball team last year when its standing was very low and quickly raised the morale of the club and its position in the New England League.
1913

Manning H. Busfield is now in Lewiston as chemist at the Lewiston Bleachery.

Frank I. Cowan is recorder of the Portland Municipal Court. His address is 102 Exchange St.

Willis E. Dodge is now teaching at Great Neck, N. Y. His address is 51 Red Brook Road.

Stanley F. Dole, who is an executive in the Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company, has been transferred from Boston to New York.

Paul H. Douglas, who is Professor of Economics at the University of Chicago and visiting professor at Amherst, will spend the summer in Central America studying the political situation there. The report recently circulated that Professor Douglas had been appointed arbitrator for the garment workers organizations is not correct. He has, however, acted several times as chairman of the National Board of Arbitration in the newspaper printing industry. Professor Douglas is recognized as one of the leading authorities in America on wages.

Harold D. Gilbert has spent the winter in Farmington, Me., recovering from his serious illness of last fall.

Lieut.-Col. Winthrop S. Greene, who was on the general staff of the army, resigned in 1924 to enter the diplomatic service. He stood second on the list of successful applicants as the result of examinations taken at his entrance into the service. After service in the United States Consulate at Queenstown, Ireland, and as secretary of the United States Embassy in Madrid, he is now secretary of the Embassy at Santiago, Chile. He was married last fall to Miss Jacqueline Barker of England.

Charles B. Haskell is headmaster of the Abbott School at Farmington, Me. His son, David Charles, was born in December, 1925.


Clifton O. Page is a master at the Lawrenceville School.

Sumner T. Pike has recently been appointed secretary of the following fire insurance companies: Continental Insurance, Fidelity-Phenix, American Eagle, First American. All are at 80 Maiden Lane, New York. He is also managing director of the Security Management Co., 24 Broad St., New York.

Henry Rowe is with the Bangor office of Richardson, Hill & Co., investment brokers.

Lester B. Shackford, who has been representing the Ault-Williamson Shoe Company of Auburn, Me., in St. Louis, has returned to Auburn.

Professor Alfred H. Sweet is teaching History at Washington and Jefferson College, Washington, Pa.

1914

Warren D. Eddy was recently appointed a member of the Portland (Me.) board of assessors.

Elroy O. LaCasce has been principal of Fryeburg Academy for five years. During the summer, Mr. and Mrs. LaCasce conduct a large girls' camp at Sebago Lake.

Philip H. Pope is still a patient at the U. S. Veterans' Hospital, Walla Walla, Washington. Since graduation he has published several significant papers in the field of Zoology. His wife was Miss Louise Smith of the Smith College Zoology Department. They have a four year old daughter.

Clifford L. Russell is assistant vice-president of G. L. Ohrstrom & Co., in charge of the Boston office, 30 Federal St.

Earle S. Thompson is treasurer of the American Water Works and Electric Company, one of the largest corporations in the public utility field. He has recently been elected a director of the Big Brother Movement, Inc., of New York City.

1915

George W. Bacon is Bursar of the Alexander Hamilton Institute of New York and is also lecturer on the law of contract and the law of wills, Fordham University School of Law.

William T. Livingston is commodity analyst of the Alexander Hamilton Institute of New York.

Clarence M. Minott is Bangor representative of the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Boston.

Vernon P. Woodbury has purchased a toy and furniture manufacturing plant near Leominster, Mass.

1916

J. Scott Brackett is owner and manager of the Printcraft Shop, Roxbury, Mass.

George D. Grierson is head of the mathematics department at Winthrop (Mass.) High School.

Lawrence J. Hart is secretary of the Gloucester (Mass.) Chamber of Commerce.

Edward C. Hawes is with the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co., 140 South Dearborn St., Chicago, III.

William M. B. Lord is manager of the York Utilities Co., with offices in Kennebunk, Me.

Leroy A. Ramsdell has been since 1923 chairman of the committee on rural social work of the American Country Life Association. This year he has been chairman of the special committee of the Association engaged in studying courses in social welfare administration in schools of social work. He is serving as president of the alumni association of the New York School of Social Work. His recent publications include “Contribution of Social Case Work” and “What is a Social Worker?” in Rural America for February and April, 1927, and “Rural Social Work” in the Handbook of Rural Social Resources, 1926. His address is New York School of Social Work, 105 East 22nd St., New York.

Earle R. Stratton, who is employed by Scovell Wellington and Company, accountants and engi-
neers, recently handled the professional work in connection with the installation of the general and cost accounting system for the Indiana Lime- stone Company, one of the largest corporations in the country.

John G. Winter is head of the French department, Pelham Memorial High School, Pelham, N. Y.

Henry G. Wood is one of the assistants of the chief Senate legislative counsel in Washington. The function of this department is to pass on all the bills and resolutions introduced into the Senate to ensure that they are technically correct and, in some cases, to draft bills outright. After graduating in law from Columbia he specialized for two years in the field of administrative law, the second year being spent in Paris under one of the five Cutting Fellowships awarded each year to Columbia graduates.

1917
Edward Humphrey is assistant business manager of the Portland Maine Publishing Co., publishers of the Portland Press Herald and Portland Evening Express.

Col. Sherman N. Shumway was the counsel of the special committee of the Maine Legislature appointed at the last session to investigate the State Highway Commission. He is receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Forrest N., in March.

Dr. Winfield E. Wight is practicing medicine at Thomaston, Conn. He is assistant surgeon on the attending staff at Waterbury, Conn., and lecturer in surgery at Waterbury Hospital Training School for Nurses. He is chairman of the Thomaston School Committee.

1918
Hugh W. Blanchard is Rhode Island and southern Massachusetts representative of the Rand, McNally Co. of New York.

Whitney Coombs received the degree of Ph.D. from Columbia University in June, 1926. He published a few months ago The Wages of Unskilled Labor in Manufacturing Industries in the United States, 1890-1924, Columbia University Press, and, with Albert R. Ellingwood, The Government and Labor, A. W. Shaw Co. Dr. Coombs is now making for the Federal Bureau of Agricultural Economics a study of farm taxation in various states. This work will involve visits to practically all the states, as well as extensive work on records available in Washington.

A son, John B., Jr., was born April 2, 1927, to Mr. and Mrs. John B. Freese of Framingham, Mass.

Bell W. Norton, who was formerly city editor of one of the Munsey New York dailies, has joined the staff of Ivy Lee and Associates, consultants and advisors in public relations. This is one of the most influential publicity organizations in the country.

Roland H. Peacock has law offices at Freeport, Me., and at 443 Congress St., Portland.

Percy S. Ridlon is principal of Gorham (Me.) Junior High School.

Robert C. Rounds received the degree of LL.B. from Harvard in 1924 and has been admitted to the Maine and Massachusetts bars. He has been practicing the past three years at 31 Milk St., Boston. He was married June 20, 1925, to Miss Marjorie Snow of Cambridge, Mass. They have one daughter, Sarah, born July 16, 1926.

Richard T. Schlosberg is first lieutenant in the United States Army. He is at present stationed at Ann Arbor, Mich., instructor of military science at the University of Michigan.

John B. Sloggett is marine and waterfront reporter for the Portland Press Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. Manfred L. Warren of Brunswick are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Diana Dean Warren, born April 5, 1927.

1919
William W. Blanchard is with the New York Life Insurance Co. His address is 213 Third St., Newburgh, N. Y.

John McClave, assistant executive manager of the NujoI Department of the Standard Oil Company, is now making an extensive trip to Australia.

Rev. Milton M. McGorrill is now studying for his Ph.D. in the University of Chicago. He has been for the past four years pastor of the Normal Park Baptist Church of Chicago.

Dr. Stephen I. Perkins is practicing medicine at Bartlett, N. H. He is a member of the Massachusetts Medical Society and the New England Surgical Society.

Andrew M. Rollins is with the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Boston, in charge of all group business in New York.

Dr. James E. Vance is practicing medicine at Natick, Mass., and is on the staff of the Natick hospital.

1920
Myron H. Avery is admiralty attorney for the United States Shipping Board at Washington.

Elmer I. Boardman and Miss Olive Hadley were married at Brookline, Mass., April 16, 1927.

Philip D. Crockett is studying investment conditions in France and Italy.

William W. Curtis, Jr., is with the Sayles Finishing Plants, Inc., Saylesville, R. I.

Craig S. Houston is practicing medicine at Providence, R. I. His address is 1636 Broad St.

Frederic G. Kileski is with the Dayton, O., office of the Travelers Insurance Co.

Dr. Henry W. Lamb of Portland and Miss Sallie Crittenden of New York City were married April 18, 1927. Dr. Lamb is assistant orthopedic surgeon at the Maine General Hospital and assistant orthopedic surgeon at the Children’s Hospital in Portland.
Rev. Harold E. Lemay and Mrs. Lemay, who are representatives of the Williston Church of Portland in the Chinese mission field, were forced to leave the Shaowu Station with their four children and found refuge at Formosa. They have been in China since 1923, two of their children being born there.

1921

Norman W. Haines and Miss Blanche Lawless were married at Auburn, Me., April 16, 1927. Mr. Haines is practicing law at 68 Devonshire St., Boston.

At the completion of the present school year, Hugh Nixon, who has been two years principal of the high school at Avon, Mass., will leave teaching to go with the sales force of the Equitable Life Assurance Society.

Frank A. St. Clair is machine switching equipment engineer in the New Jersey territory of the New York Telephone Co.

Merritt L. Wilson was recently admitted to the New York bar.

1922

Arthur C. Bartlett, who is on the staff of the Boston Herald, has been the author of frequent signed articles in that paper. He is the author of “Spunk, Leader of the Dog Team,” a book published last winter.

Ralph E. Battison is with the San Francisco branch of the H. K. McCann Advertising Co., 451 Montgomery St.

Clyde T. Congdon is group assistant with the Portland office of the Travelers Insurance Co.

Edward W. Lewis is a special reporter for the United Press Association with headquarters in St. Louis. He has been following the Mississippi flood during the past weeks.

Rev. Harold G. McCann, for the last four years pastor of the Congress Street Church in Portland, was recently appointed district superintendent of the Bangor district of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Mitchell of Bangor are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Anne.

Roderick F. Perkins is studying law.

John C. Pickard is with the London office of the DuPont interests.

Eben G. Tileston is steward of the Lord Jeffery Inn, Amherst, Mass.

Carroll S. Towle is on the Yale faculty as a teaching assistant while working for his Ph.D. He was married last June to Miss Dorothy Siemens of Austin, Texas.

Robley C. Wilson is instructor of French, Spanish and German at Holderness School, Plymouth, N. H.

Rolston C. Woodbury and Miss Eleanor Russell of Portland were married March 10, 1927. Mr. Woodbury is assistant treasurer of the Textile Banking Co., Inc., 50 Union Square, New York.

1923

Gunnar Bergenstrahle was married on April 9 to Ebba de Besche in Stockholm.

Harvey P. Bishop is at present in South Africa in the export department of the Royal Baking Powder Company. He will leave soon for the United States.

George T. Davis is a copy reader on the Portland Press Herald. He has recently married.

A daughter, Carolyn, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Stuart R. Dudgeon on April 26 at Fall River, Mass.

Emerson W. Hunt is on the city staff of the Boston Herald.

Richard S. Small is practicing law in the office of Clement F. Robinson '03, 85 Exchange St., Portland.

Karl R. Philbrick is assistant secretary of the Eastern Trust & Banking Co. of Bangor.

George H. Quinby is studying dramatic production at the University Theater, New Haven, Conn.

Walter R. Whitney, formerly managing editor of Everybody's, is now assistant editor of Success Magazine, with offices in the Greybar Building, New York City.

1924

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Aldred are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter. Mr. Aldred is athletic director at Reading (Mass.) High School. Mrs. Aldred was Miss Elizabeth Purinton of Topsham.

F. E. “Red” Cousins is now city editor of the Portland Press Herald.

Jack Watson, who was formerly with the Press Herald, is now working on the New York American. He has recently married.

George Tobey Davis has been two years at the Episcopal Academy, City Line and Berwick Road, Overbrook, Pa., and will return next fall as instructor in Latin. In 1925 he received the degree of A.M. from Wesleyan for graduate work in Latin and Greek. On Sept. 3, 1926, Mr. Davis married Miss Alice Goodridge of Augusta.

Frederick R. Hamilton is a bank clerk at Havana, Cuba, with the First National Bank of Boston.

John L. Margesson, a former member of the class, has recently announced his engagement to Miss Mary E. Cairns of Portland, formerly of Brunswick. He is employed by the United Fruit Company in Honduras.

Arthur J. Miguel is in Buenos Aires, Argentina. His address is in care of the United States Chamber of Commerce, B. Mitre 367. He is manager of the Chamber with the special function of adjusting relations between local importers and foreign business interests.

Clarence D. Rouillard has an appointment as instructor in French at Amherst for next year. He is finishing his third year of graduate work at
Harvard and for two years has been an instructor in French there. This summer he will make his second trip to France.

Since leaving college Douglas W. Young has been employed by the Warren Brothers Company of Cambridge as a resident inspector for their pavement construction. He has been, for the most part, in the south, from Virginia to Oklahoma.

1925

Malcolm S. Bishop and Miss Louise Studley were married at Portland April 30, 1925.

Edwin C. Burnard is reporting court and police news for the Portland Press Herald. He was married during the past year.

A. Donald Cummings is doing graduate work in rubber chemistry at University of Akron. He will enter the employ of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. in July. His address is 286 Carroll St., Akron, O.

The engagement of Philip Daggett to Miss F. Laverne Ingalls of Portland was announced recently. Daggett is a teacher at the Country Day School in Portland.

Thomas N. Fasso is attending Columbia Law School.

Edward G. Fletcher, who received his A.M. at Harvard in 1926, has been appointed an instructor in English at Carnegie Institute of Technology.

William H. Gulliver, a student at the Harvard Law School, recently received his first legal fee, which he forwarded immediately to the Alumni Fund.

1926

Albert Abrahamson, who is doing graduate work in economics at Columbia University, was recently appointed Garth Fellow there for the coming academic year. His fellowship is one of the largest and most important at the university.

A. Carleton Andrews is teaching fellow in Latin at the University of Pennsylvania.

William F. G. Bell is with the Viking Press, New York City.

James Berry is with the Olds division of General Motors. His address is 222 West Kalamazoo St., Lansing, Mich.

Joseph I. Borneman is connected with the New York office of the Aetna Life Insurance Co.

Charles S. Bradeen is assistant secretary of the Zeta Psi fraternity office of North America, with offices at 31 East 50th St., New York City.

Harold L. Chaffey is instructor in English at Thornton Academy, Saco, Me. He has recently published a volume of verse.

Theodore D. Clark is instructor in chemistry at Colby College.

Nathan A. Cobb was recently awarded one of the most important scholarships at Harvard Law School.

George V. Craighead, Jr., is with the American Aluminum Co.

Milton B. Davis is instructor in French at the Choate School.

Edmund J. Fanning is with the New York office of the American Telephone & Telegraph Co.

Lloyd W. Fowles is teaching and coaching at Loomis School, Windsor, Conn.

Elton A. Gray is with the Hazzard-Beck Shoe Co., New York City.

Charles Griffin, who was forced to leave Harvard Law School on account of his health, is recuperating at St. Margaret's Hospital, Dorchester, Mass.

Carl K. Hersey, who has been doing graduate work at Harvard as the Longfellow Scholar, has received an appointment as instructor in Fine Arts at Williams.

H. Lincoln Houghton left for Singapore last January, on the purchasing staff of a leading chewing gum manufacturer.

Leland W. Hovey is with James Lees & Sons Co., Bridgeport, Pa.

Harold G. Littlefield is Maine representative of the North American Cement Corporation. His residence address is Brunswick.

Edmund M. McCloskey is on the faculty of Worcester Academy, Worcester, Mass.

Edward B. Nealley is with the Hincks Coal Co., Bangor, Me.

Philip M. Palmer is at the Harvard Graduate School of Arts and Sciences and has accepted an appointment as instructor in German at Harvard for next year.

Raoul d'Esté Palmieri is with the Yale & Towne Manufacturing Co., Stamford, Conn.

Robert W. Pitman and Harry Robinson are with the New York office of the National Credit Office, 45 East 12th St., and Lawrence M. Read is with the Chicago branch of the same concern.

Alan F. Small is studying horticulture at Massachusetts Agricultural College.

Theodore Smith is doing graduate work in English at Harvard.

Hugh B. Snow is doing graduate work at Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Wayne Sibley and Leon L. Spinney are at Boston University Law School.

John W. Tarbell is teaching and coaching at Deerfield Academy, Deerfield, Mass.

Edward H. Tevriz is doing graduate work in history at Harvard.

Joseph S. Thomas is instructor in chemistry at Middlebury College.

G. Stanley Robinson, Jr., and Porter Thompson are at Harvard Law School.

Frank L. Tucker is with the International Securities Acceptance Corporation, New York City.

Lloyd M. True is in Manila, P. I., with the International Banking Corporation.

Donald B. Warren is with Green Bros. chain store system in Dallas, Tex.

Gordon Bucknam, Charles N. Cutter, Gordon C. Gentner and John A. Lamprey are at Harvard School of Business Administration.
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