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BY ROBERT E. PROCTOR

One of the difficulties facing those of us who teach in colleges and universities today is that we are often unable to agree upon what we should teach and why. This is especially true for those disciplines included under the rubric “humanities.” No one today knows what the humanities are. The National Endowment for the Humanities doesn’t define them; it merely lists the disciplines Congress has empowered it to fund. And while the 1980 report of the Commission on the Humanities, The Humanities in American Life, issues a clarion call for everyone to support the humanities, it never tells us what it is we’re supposed to support. “Our meetings have confirmed,” the report notes, “how difficult it is for any committee to discuss the humanities.” Even Newsweek, describing the new High School of the Humanities which opened a few months ago on the west side of Manhattan, observes that “there is confusion about just what the humanities are,” and goes on to quote William Bennett, chairman of the National Endowment for the Humanities: “‘There is hardly anything that has not been called humanities or humanistic something or other.’”

The phrase “the humanities” warms almost everyone’s heart. But why can’t we define them? Because the original humanities are dead, and we have found nothing to replace them. The Oxford English Dictionary still provides a definition that suggests what the humanities used to be: “Learning or literature concerned with human culture, especially the ancient Latin and Greek classics.” It goes on to point out that the word “humanity,” in the singular,
is still used in Scottish universities to mean “the study of the Latin language and literature.” Does this definition of the humanities surprise you? If it does, then you have just experienced the profound change that has taken place in our educational system over the past hundred years. When you mention the humanities today, it is not the Greeks and the Romans that come to mind, but, ironically science and technology: most people are able to think about the humanities only in terms of their opposites, the sciences. While the sciences limit themselves to studying that which is objective and quantifiable, the humanities, so this line of reasoning goes, have as their proper domain of inquiry the subjective and qualitative dimensions of human life and culture. Physics and chemistry are sciences; ethics and aesthetics are humanities.

But the original humanities were not just a non-scientific or even a “pre-scientific” way of looking at man; they had a precise content: the *studia humanitatis*, as they were originally called, began in 15th-century Italy as a cultural revolution calling for the imitation of classical, as opposed to medieval, Latin, and for the study of Greek, and especially Roman literature, history, and moral philosophy as guides for individual and collective behavior. The humanists named and created the Renaissance: the same passion that led Brunelleschi, Donatello, and later Michelangelo to Rome to study ancient buildings and statues had already sent Petrarch (1304-74) and his followers searching through the monastery and cathedral libraries of Europe for lost manuscripts of Cicero, Vergil, Livy, and other Roman writers. In the 1400’s the humanists founded new secondary schools in Mantova and Ferrara, and from there a new curriculum, later to be called “classical education,” spread throughout Europe. Humanist textbooks gradually replaced the old medieval grammar books, and the study of Greek and Roman authors in the original became the foundation of secondary and, to a large extent, university education in the West for the next five centuries.

The great strength of the old classical education, Nietzsche once observed, was that it taught “Greek and Roman antiquity as the incarnate categorical imperatives of all culture.” One way of understanding the current “crisis of the humanities” is to see it as the void created at the very center of our curriculum by the disappearance of the Greeks and the Romans. We have simply found no unifying focus to replace the one they provided. Classical education, by the very dialogue it attempted to establish with an anterior civilization, had a unity of content which we no longer enjoy today. And the absence from our classrooms of universally acknowledged “classics”—Homer, Vergil, Cicero, etc.—explains why it is much easier to say what the original humanities were than to describe what has become of them today. If you want to talk about the original *studia humanitatis*, you can talk about the specific books and authors the humanists studied and emulated; but if you try to discuss the humanities today, chances are you won’t talk about specific books and authors at all, but will spend your time debating questions of methodology.

In considering the role which a concern for methodology plays in our educational system today, I find a striking similarity between our own times and the period in which the humanities emerged. The intellectual culture of the great medieval universities of the 12th and 13th centuries, much like the intellectual culture of our universities today, was characterized by a fervid interest in the *techniques* of research, interpretation, and discourse. One made a career, and hopefully a name for oneself, at the universities of Paris or Bologna by showing how well one could apply the formal, syllogistic reasoning of Aristotelian logic and metaphysics to the study of theology or law. But the ability to “play” with Aristotelian syllogisms inevitably became an end in itself. The *studia humanitatis* began, in part, as a revolt against this obsession with the techniques of ratiocination. “Pride has turned Theology into Dialectic,” Petrarch complains in one of his letters. Today, the accolades and the prestigious careers often go to those who seem most adept in inventing new techniques of analysis and research. In literary studies we have gone from the New Criticism in the 1950’s to French structuralism and Russian formalism in the 60’s to post-structuralism and deconstructionism in the 70’s, and now there are some who speak of “post-deconstructionism.”

This obsession with methodology, I should add, is not limited to the humanities; it affects all the disciplines of the modern university. Consider the vogue for “quantitative reasoning” in the social sciences. Several years ago the Nobel Prize-winning economist Wassily Leontief complained that more and more articles in a prestigious American journal of economics were devoted to the elaboration of internally coherent mathematical models based on little or no empirical data: the ability to put together an econometric model had become an end in itself. And a friend who teaches sociology tells me that the journals in his field are full of articles presenting “statistical research and models with quantifiable variables which have lost touch with morally significant issues—which is what the social sciences are really about.”

The message to the graduate student preparing for a university career is clear: if you want to get ahead and publish quickly, don’t waste your time reading and thinking: learn a technique and show how brilliantly you can use it.

This obsession with methodological fads, while it may keep a good number of specialized journals and university presses in business, and may offer some teachers and scholars the only deep intellectual stimulation they can now find in the academic world, simply does not address the problem of what, in terms of substantive content, we should be teaching our students, unless we’re content to argue, as some are, that the essence of education is exposure to different methodologies and disciplinary perspectives.

The early humanists had an answer to this dilemma. Unhappy with a primarily technical approach to education and to life, they condemned the excessive use of logic, and encouraged instead the study of classical poetry, rhetoric, moral philosophy, and history. In a similar fashion those who decry the deforming limitations of a purely “technological society” today often evoke the humanities as champions of the “human” dimension of life. But here the parallel ends. The original humanists knew what the humanities were; they wrote educational treatises stating explicitly what
authors and subjects to study, and which to avoid. We can do nothing of the sort today.

Not everyone is bothered by this lack of focus in our curriculum; some see it as a sign of healthy pluralism. But it bothers me. And so for the past several years I have been studying the origins of the humanities in the hope of discovering why the early humanists were able to create a coherent curriculum, while we are not. But one of the unexpected results of my research has been to force me to change my understanding of the original humanities. The humanists, I have come to see, grew out of a particular and historically understood conception of human existence which we no longer share today. And this discovery leads me to conclude that we cannot solve the current "crisis of the humanities" simply by trying to re-institutionalize earlier humanistic educational ideals.

It is not immediately clear why Petrarch's early followers, Coluccio Salutati (1331-1406) and Leonardo Bruni (1370-1444), chose the term *studia humanitatis* to describe the new pedagogy they advocated. The phrase can be found in Cicero and in other Roman writers, but it has a very different meaning in the Renaissance from what it had in classical antiquity. The least we can say is that the phrase, in addition to denoting a new attitude towards, and a new way of teaching, the Greek and Latin classics, suggests a radically new meaning of "humanity" (*humanitatis*). The writings of Petrarch show clearly, I believe, that by the 1300's, if not before, a sharp break was occurring in Western Europe with ancient Graeco-Roman and more recent medieval conceptions of what it means to be human.

The cosmos, for Cicero, is perfect; it is synonymous with God. A human being is part of the cosmos, and by contemplating the cosmos and imitating it, he participates in its perfection (*De natura deorum*, 1.14; *Cato Maior*, XXI, 77). For Dante, man is a worm born to become an angelic butterfly which flies home to God (*Purgatorio* X, 124-126). Despite the profound differences in philosophy and world outlook which separate them, both Cicero and Dante share a sense that the "center," the goal or final resting place, of a human being lies outside of himself, in the perfect, eternal, and unchanging heavens, which according to a geocentric conception of the universe as old as Pythagoras, begin above the "circle of the moon." Beneath the moon's sphere lie the earth and the four elements. This sublunar world is a world of continual generation and corruption, of ceaseless change and mutability. It was often described as the realm of "Lady Fortune." Cicero's wise man escapes the realm of Fortune by rising in contemplation above the circle of the moon. Dante's Christian pilgrim makes a similar journey, though with the aid of grace from God. Petrarch, however, prefers not to contemplate the eternal heavens at all; he tries to find a center and a resting place within himself. In one of his letters he states that he knows, as Cicero said, that our life is a journey toward the heavens, but believes that one can look down on human miseries and reflect the light of celestial happiness while still standing here below.

This was more of a hope, however, than a reality. Petrarch lived in constant fear and anxiety. He kept his gaze on the earth, on Fortune's realm—and found himself overwhelmed by his awareness of change and contingency. The humanities emerge, in part, out of Petrarch's attempt to do what Cicero and Dante would have never conceived of doing: triumph over contingency ("chance," "Fate," "Fortune") by distancing himself from it in his inner life. Petrarch tried to fill his mind with the biographies of ancient Roman heroes in order to strengthen his own soul by comparing his courage to theirs. That their battles were real physical ones while his were, for the most part, psychological, made no difference to Petrarch: he wanted to be able to withstand the blows of adverse Fortune by emulating what he believed was the inner strength of his ancient heroes. The original *studia humanitatis*, as a program of primarily literary studies formulated by Petrarch's followers, contain this ideal of forming, shaping, molding one's inner self through the study of other human lives, especially the ancient Romans. And concomitant with this goal of education as the shaping of character is a conception of an autonomous "personal self," which was a Renaissance creation, and which was foreign to the ancient experience of what it meant to be human, even if Petrarch and his followers believed they had indeed discovered an inner self in the ancients.

Long before the scientific revolution, then, long before Galileo mathematized movement and change in the physical universe and discovered, with his telescope, that the world above the circle of the moon was just like the world beneath it, the early humanists, especially Petrarch, had already experienced the psychological con-sequences of living in a world without rest, stability, permanence, or peace, and had found a refuge, of sorts, in the new "humanities."

The eminent literary critic Lionel Trilling once used the German word *Bildung* to describe the arduous, at times ordeal-like, shaping and disciplining of the self which the original humanities fostered, and he observed that this concept of education went hand-in-hand with two ideas which until quite recently were prevalent in our culture: the idea of "making a life," and the idea of "making a self": one thought of his life, and of his self, as works of art to be carefully shaped, perfected, and completed (in the 1400's Leonardo Bruni wrote that the new studies "are called the *studia humanitatis* because they perfect and adorn a man [*hominem*]". Both the ideal and the practice of consciously shaping one's "self" through the study of (mostly classical) literature, history, and moral philosophy have all but disappeared from our schools. There are fascinating reasons for this great change, but it is not my intention to discuss them here. Suffice it to say that the *studia humanitatis* arose along with an awareness of a new "personal self"—and that their disappearance is related, in part, at least, to a changing experience of the "self."

The Harvard paleontologist Stephen Jay Gould, whose revision of Darwin continues to cause such a stir, has argued that for the human species, biological evolution ceased thousands of years ago: as far as our brain capacities and intellectual abilities are concerned, we are Cro Magnon man. For Gould, human evolution occurs now only at the level of culture. I like Gould's iconoclasm: it places the responsibility for the future of the human race squarely on our shoulders, and not on Nature. As the history of the rise and decline of the *studia humanitatis* vividly shows, there is no biologically predetermined experience of what it means to be "human"; "humanity" is a cultural and historical experience. The challenge facing us today is to rethink and define what we mean by the word "human," a task which demands, I believe, questioning the usefulness of the concept of an exclusively personal, inner-directed "self."

I have argued in this article that the tradition of classical education, which began in the Renaissance and flourished in Europe and America until the end of the last century, is gone now. How should we react to the death of this tradition? We can either mourn it, and try to hold on to it, or we can...
see its passing as a liberation, and as an opportunity for us to appropriate the past in new ways. I prefer the latter. The challenge facing us now, it seems to me, is to question who we are and who we would like to be by re-examining the entire history of the West in light of the death of the original humanities. I would thus propose, as one solution to the current "crisis of the humanities," and as one way of adding depth and focus to our education, that we place at the core of any future humanities curriculum a series of courses on the Renaissance's problematic relationship to classical antiquity, and on our own increasingly problematic relationship to the Renaissance. I would focus this inquiry on the concept of a "personal self," on its absence from the classical experience of the human, on its appearance in the Renaissance, and on the limitations it may impose on human experience today. Ironically, in searching for a new, "post-Renaissance" understanding of the human, we may find that we have no sooner let the Greeks and the Romans slip back into their ancient tombs, than we need to call them forth again—but this time in search of answers to questions Petrarch and the early humanists would have never been able to ask.
THE ENDOWMENT STORY, THEN AND NOW

THE HARD TRUTH IS THAT CONNECTICUT NEEDS A MUCH LARGER ENDOWMENT IF IT IS TO PRESERVE ITS STRENGTH IN THE FUTURE.

BY WILLIAM J. KELLY
CAMPAIGN STAFF WRITER
New Londoners responded generously in 1911 to the College's first appeal for money. The College hopes to inspire the same responsiveness in alumni, parents and friends as the Campaign for Connecticut College strives to add $11.4 million to Connecticut's small, inadequate endowment.

The need for endowment resources is no less urgent now than it was back in 1911. The difference is that now, Connecticut College needs endowment support to continue its tradition of excellence; in 1911, it needed money to begin that tradition.

The challenge came from the Board of Incorporators on January 14, 1911. New London would be the site of the women's college being planned—a prize 20 other Connecticut towns had set their caps for—provided the city could contribute $100,000 toward costs. When Wesleyan University decided to stop admitting women after the fall of 1909, leaving the state with no college open to women, Elizabeth C. Wright and the Hartford College Club promptly began planning a new women's college for Connecticut.

Could New Londoners raise the $100,000 challenge? Darn tootin' they could! This was 1911, still the era of untarnished optimism. And so the very next month, rallying behind such slogans as "What Other Cities Have Done New London Can Do . . . And More!" the community launched Connecticut College's first fund-raising campaign. It had turn-of-the-century razzamatazz—rallies, uplifting appeals from pulpits, banners, free sandwiches for volunteers, and bandwagons for one and all—man, woman and child. Gertrude E. Noyes '25 describes the campaign in A History of Connecticut College:

In front of The Day building a huge clock with a face 25 feet wide was set up with midnight marked $100,000; and on the First Church Green a 30-foot thermometer appeared, the highest tempera-
ture being $100,000. Every afternoon at two o'clock all business came to a standstill, as everyone listened to the fire alarm reporting by its blasts how many thousands had been collected during the preceding 24 hours.

The high-spirited campaign ran for ten days, gathering contributions from almost 6,000 individuals, which in those days meant nearly one out of every three citizens. By March 1, the campaign deadline, the effort had raised not $100,000 but $134,824, thanks largely to an eleventh-hour donation of $25,000 from Morton F. Plant.

Their buttons “busting” with pride, New Londoners staged a Victory Parade which began at Headquarters on Main Street and wound its way up State and down Washington to the Armory, while the band from Fort Wright played “There’ll Be a Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight.” An observer noted that “the mayor thoughtfully had the streets washed so that ladies marching would not soil their dresses or shoes.”

It was a beginning, but only that. The funds collected were sufficient to pay for land and buildings but more money was needed to ensure the future of the institution. Then, as now, Connecticut College needed a sizeable endowment. Once again Morton Plant demonstrated his generosity and civic-mindedness, giving the College $1 million in securities, the income only to be
available for “running expenses.” The press called his gift the “splendid act of a splendid man” and hailed him as “the true founder of the college.”

The remarkable gift from Morton Plant has grown over the years (see figure 1). In 1982-83 the value of the endowment portfolio climbed from $15.25 million to $20 million through a combination of new gifts and market appreciation. Nevertheless, the hard truth is that Connecticut needs substantially greater endowment resources if it is to preserve its strength in the future. A major goal of the Campaign for Connecticut College is to increase the endowment by $11.4 million.

The $5 million jump in value of the endowment is gratifying, surely, but it can be misleading. “This is not a great windfall that carries us almost halfway to our $11.4 million campaign goal,” says Roy Knight, treasurer of the College.

Why?

“The principal is not expendible. It is the wherewithal used to generate income. So while I am intensely happy that the market is higher, what we get to spend depends on dividends and the interest the portfolio earns,” he explains. Moreover, not all of the earned income can be allocated as college officials see fit. Much of it is restricted to specific uses—scholarships, for instance—stipulated by donors of endowment resources. In 1983, in fact, income from $11.4 million of the endowment was restricted as to use, whereas income from only $3.9 million of the endowment and $5.4 million of quasi-endowment resources (monies from bequests and other sources, unrestricted as to use, but designated by Trustees to function as endowment funds) was available for unrestricted allocation.

Inflation must be reckoned with, too. The challenge for the Investment Committee of the Board of Trustees is to “maintain the purchasing power of the endowment,” explains Committee Chairman Jack Regan. “Our first purpose is to be sure that $20 million remains $20 million in real dollars.” The College has earned an endowment return of 15 percent per annum compounded over two and one-half years—an excellent record of growth by all relevant indices. But the difficulty here is to maintain that return in an unpredictable investment market and to do more than simply keep pace with inflation. Though obviously important, successful money management is not enough. As Regan sees it, Connecticut “would be in about the right state if it had $50 million in endowment.”

All things considered, Connecticut’s $20 million endowment is hardly adequate to meet the College’s needs. One way to put that endowment in perspective is to compare it with those of schools Connecticut competes with (see figure 2). In terms of endowment dollars per student, Connecticut ranks last among ten peer institutions.

Top-ranked Amherst, for instance, has $72,589 endowment dollars more per student than Connecticut has, while fifth-ranked Middlebury exceeds Connecticut in the same category by $42,958.

The $11.4 million in new endowments targeted by the Campaign for Connecticut College obviously would not push endowment resources to the $50 million level, but it would significantly help the College meet pressing needs.

Five million dollars of new endowment would be earmarked for faculty support. Average faculty salaries at Connecticut are uncomfortably low compared to those at other institutions. Trinity, Wesleyan, Colby and Wheaton, for example, pay more and are thus in a stronger position to compete for outstanding teachers. Put another way, a five percent return on $5 million in new endowments would provide salaries for seven of Connecticut’s full professors, or nine of its associate professors, or twelve of its assistant professors.

Four million dollars would be channeled into student aid. In 1983, Connecticut awarded $1,941,686 in scholarships to 618 students, and loans totalling $203,200 to another 166 students. Lack of funds, however, forces the College each year to tell between 75 and 90 applicants who need financial aid that they are accepted, but that the College has run out of aid. If we are to continue encouraging the best qualified students to choose Connecticut, we must have adequate financial aid for those who cannot come here without it.

Another $2.4 million would bolster the unrestricted endowment, providing income to support such areas as professional development for faculty, a wider range of extracurricular activities for students, acquisitions of additional books for the library, purchase and maintenance of the latest scientific equipment for laboratories, and expansion of the computer center’s capacity. A portion of gifts to the College would be placed in cash reserves to earn income for current expenses and to give the College flexibility to meet unanticipated needs without invading endowment principal.

To reach its endowment goal, the Campaign needs many gifts and pledges, large and small. Special recognition with a named endowment fund can be given for donations of $25,000 or more. Some examples of such funds: a college professorship—$1 million; a departmental professorship—$800,000; a junior faculty chair—$400,000; a scholarship—$50,000; a departmental support fund—$50,000.

In 1911 36 individuals responded to the call for substantial donations, each of them giving $500 or more. Necessary and welcome though such gifts were, it was the giving of thousands of smaller donations that enabled New Londoners to top their goal. As it was then, so it is now, and it seems appropriate to conclude this case for the endowment by turning once more to A History of Connecticut College for its account of the many who helped build the College.

The contributors included such “varied groups as: the Western Union Messenger Boys; the Waiters’ Social Club; the Employees of the Groton Ferry; all the fire companies; the Portuguese and Scandinavian Clubs; the American Association of Masters, Mates and Pilots; the Wizards; the Niantic Menhaden Oil and Guano Company; and the Green Stamp Trading Company. A bookbinder contributed his day’s earnings, and the mayor threw in his year’s salary ($800). A washerwoman gave her hard-earned dollar, saying, “I’m giving all I can because I have little girls who may go there someday.”

Let it be now as it was then.
THERE WERE SOME INFRINGEMENTS SO WICKED THAT HONOR COURT WAS BYPASSED AND PUNISHMENT CAME LIKE LIGHTNING FROM THE HIGHEST ADULT AUTHORITIES.

BY DIANA ALTMAN '63
In the olden days when I did my time in college, girls would not have dared to describe themselves as women. Girls were what we were and what we hoped to remain until the final gong of graduation. Then, the lucky ones would marry and the rest of us with no big diamond to show off would be cast adrift to study drab social work or teaching. The president of the college, once a year, lected our fathers. She read them a prepared speech to remind them that they weren’t wasting their money educating daughters—men die before women and a study of the liberal arts would prepare them for the joys of reading with serious intent when we found ourselves alone in widowhood.

In those long ago days, Connecticut College was a reservation of white girls where discipline was maintained by an Honor Code backed by tattletales. If we did wrong, we were supposed to report ourselves to the Honor Court, a body of our peers who set themselves up to judge their own classmates. Staying out after ten at night was an Honor Court offense, as was running away during reading week before exams when no one was supposed to go off campus. If we caught someone doing wrong we were supposed to admonish them, which meant we had to remind them to report themselves. Those who did not admonish a wrong-doer were considered as guilty as those who committed the crime. There were some infringements so wicked that Honor Court was bypassed and punishment came like lightning from the highest adult authorities. Drinking, for instance, got you kicked out on the spot. Boys were not allowed in our rooms or even upstairs.

Girls who were intimate with men teachers on campus never seemed to report themselves for sneaking out after ten nor were they ever caught and admonished. Admonish! Admonish! I can’t hear the word.

Just as the music was about to start up and I was going to have to choose any old person, I spied a boy who looked like Paul Newman. Yes, I remember his first words: “I was hoping someone would ask me.”

We met boys our own age by attending dances known as mixers. To the strains of lindy music, boys could judge girls entirely on looks. Tradition dictated that girls could have the upper hand once during the evening in a ritual known as the Sadie Hawkins dance. Tables turned, and boys squirmed while girls got to choose a partner. Choosing was as exasperating as being chosen but a boldness came upon me one night at the Coast Guard Academy and I decided not to turn to the nearest boy to get it over with but to scout, instead, for the handsomest boy in the room. In a sea of cadets all dressed identically in blue uniforms with brass buttons, hair cut too short, complexions smooth and noses midwestern, none of them too tall nor too short, it was difficult to locate someone distinguished. Just as the music was about to start up and I was going to have to choose any old person, I spied a boy who looked like Paul Newman. Yes, I remember his first words: “I was hoping someone would ask me.”

I’m old enough now to have a daughter the age I was then but, heaven help me, I still remember how my knees buckled just at the smell of him. Through layers of uniform and starch, despite the shower he took before venturing to the dance, there emanated the pure, powerful, unadulterated perfume of virility. He used no interfering odor from a store. This was direct. His hands, to mention the other essential, were large, strong, and held me close with just the right amount of hesitant authority. One hand took up most of my shoulder blade.

Every day after that, he walked across the New London highway that separated all-boys from all-girls and came to fetch me from my stone dorm. We took strolls, kicking fall leaves as we went, talking about our teachers and God. I knew it was declassé not to be going out with boys from Harvard or Yale but when I met them they seemed so conceited and there never was enough muscle in their sleeves. My Coastie was a track star and could explain vectors, which helped me pass my freshman requirement in physical science.

Older Sister, at a coed college out west, told me on the phone that she had changed her mind about waiting for marriage so I decided to copy her. It was September and Sophomore year was two weeks away. My Coastie, already engulled in the study of engineering at his military academy, invited me to New London for a football weekend. From my childhood house in the suburbs of New York, I took a train to the Mohegan Hotel.

When the weekend was over, my father must have been surprised by the glowing creature that floated down from the train onto the suburban station platform, held a dreamy face out for a kiss, and walked to the car without touching the ground.

At college in those days before the building boom, there were forests behind the dormitories. Mossy boulders, trees opulent with autumn leaves, shrubbery and ferns could hide my secrets. During one of our walks, my cadet and I came upon a discarded refrigerator carton in pristine condition. We dragged it to a secluded spot in the woods and crawled inside. Later, we furnished it with pillows, blankets, and cookies. Hidden away each day, comfortably staring at our cardboards ceiling, we lay for as long as our class schedules would allow and listened to the sounds of birds and squirrels and spoke softly of exams and our parents. But the rains of November wilted our cozy box and the snows of December left it a soggy mess and us without a place of our own.

We had no car. We had no friend’s apartment. All we had was a forever increasing urgency. One winter’s night after a forlorn cup of cocoa in the brightly lit snack shop across from my dorm, we noticed a darkened staircase leading up to a darkened second floor. Gym teachers had their busy offices up there during the day, but it was night. Without a word, my cadet and I joined hands and ascended the staircase. There wasn’t even a janitor in sight. The blackened corridors were long and narrow. We tried one locked door after another. At last, a door opened. We flicked the light switch and a tidy little office was revealed. We exchanged a look, listened for intruders, closed the door, switched off the light, and kindled ourselves. We did not hear the door open and only knew we were caught.

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when the light blasted on. A gym teacher, aghast in a pleated plaid skirt, stood there. Oh, then the terrible rush of clothing yanked up and grabbed close, ecstasy turned to scramble.

Was I supposed to report this to the Honor Court? How would I describe with pen and ink what I'd done? The gym teacher, I was sure, wouldn't tell on me not only because she was too prudish to say what she saw but because if she could report me what was the sense of having an honor code? An Honor Code was an Honor Code, to me. And, if I felt like keeping mum about the whole thing that was part of the Honor Code, too I would suffer guilt in silence and no one would admonish me because no one would ever know it happened.

The next day a pink slip in my mailbox announced that the highest authorities had been contacted. I was summoned to appear before the Dean.

Gertrude Noyes was a tall, dignified woman, a gray-haired scholar with a sweet voice and face. In the vastness of my youth, I asked myself: What could I possibly say to such a person about his smell and his hands? I couldn't be like her, immune. Grousing across campus to her office, all confidence gone, it seemed that I was always out of step, always in need of a scolding. Why couldn't I be a good girl? I planned my strategy. I would say nothing. I would stand before her mute, head bowed, lips sealed. Let her expel me. Let her phone my parents. Let her call me cheap. No defense would I give her the honor of making me say. I would conquer her with silence rant and rave though she may.

I knocked on her august door. Her quiet office seemed grand in natural woods and maroon. She sat across the room before a huge window and behind a large desk. When she saw the task before her she said, "Close the door." Head down, mouth shut, I examined my loafers and kept my thought focused on the colors of shoe polish, cordovan, ox blood, and plain brown. Then, I examined the design of the oriental rug. It was woven of blue, burgundy and gold threads, leaves and flowers and tiny horsemen and it began to dawn on me that the air was too full of silence. How come she wasn't saying anything? When the silence became too noisy and curiosity replaced sullenness, I looked up. I saw in her eyes such a deep compassion for my poor dilemma that I blushed to have been the cause of her blushing. We both sighed. "Well," she said, "I guess you won't do THAT again."
When I made my decision to go to Grenada to study medicine at St. George's University School of Medicine, I was looking forward to the challenge of living on a tropical island as well as pursuing my dream of becoming a physician. I was hardly disappointed. Each day was a test of my adaptability, sense of humor, and sensitivity.

I was apprehensive about being in a foreign country for the first time and I really didn't know what to expect when I first arrived on the island at the end of August. I was immediately struck by the beautiful and lush vegetation and the friendliness of the Grenadian people. The tranquility of that first hour calmed my fears somewhat. Then I arrived at True Blue Campus, my home for the next few months. Nothing could have prepared me for the frequent electricity and water shortages or my roommates—six-inch centipedes, rodents, flying roaches, and assorted other tropical creatures. I wondered how I could ever live here, let alone concentrate on my medical studies. I then realized that many other St. George's students had survived their first semester on True Blue and that I would somehow survive mine as well.

Having overcome my initial culture shock, I was able to focus on academics, balanced by a healthy dose of tropical sunshine and the beautiful Caribbean waters. As a 1983 graduate majoring in child development, I was determined to continue my involvement with children while living and learning in Grenada. I joined a group of 12 medical students who visited the Kennedy Home for physically and emotionally handicapped children once a week. I looked forward to my visits with the children as much as the children anticipated our arrival. One "matron" supervised about 20 children and those children who could function assisted those who were less able. The standard of living for these children was very different from the American standard, yet laughter, play, and love were...
quite abundant. Although I cried after every visit, I was also more inspired to dedicate myself to helping children and others. Knowing that this special group of people had absolutely nothing but each other made the inconveniences of True Blue seem insignificant.

Just as I was settling into a routine, adjusting to the rigors of academia and tropical living, I noticed the political unrest that was growing around me. As a first semester student sheltered on True Blue Campus, I was hardly aware of the Communist government except for the propaganda billboards that were scattered around the town. On October 19, I was taking a gross anatomy exam when the professors informed us that Prime Minister Bishop had been shot. Our exam was canceled and rescheduled about five times before it was finally given as planned. I will never forget my emotions and the events that followed in the next few days.

The island was placed on a four-day "shoot on sight" curfew and we, at True Blue, were confined to the boundaries of the campus. Our food was rationed, our water supply was virtually nonexistent and we had to fend for ourselves to survive. Although we were all frightened about what was going to happen, the 139 students at True Blue organized various committees for survival—cooking, library duty, security, telephone duty, and even a latrine building committee! We conserved precious water by showering outside in the rain as the rainwater poured off the roofs of the dorms. During the curfew, I felt unsettled and afraid. My feelings stemmed from not knowing what was happening and what was going to happen to the Grenadian people and to our lives once the curfew was lifted. During this period students were voluntarily deciding whether to take a temporary leave of absence from school or to stay and continue their education. At this time, a United States official was negotiating arrangements for our departure with the military government of Grenada. Despite assurances from the medical school's administration that we were in no "imminent danger," I, along with a majority of the medical students, preferred to leave. It seemed clear to me that there would be great political unrest among the Grenadian people due to the change of government. I did not want to be around when trouble among the people erupted.

On the following Tuesday, at 5:40 a.m., I awoke to the sounds of machine gun fire. Apparently our voluntary departure could not be negotiated with the Grenadian military government. President Reagan had sent the American military to Grenada to evacuate the American citizens and to restore political order to the island. Although people have criticized President Reagan for militarily intervening in this situation, I believe his actions were justified. By the third day of the curfew I was seriously contemplating the plight of the Iranian hostages and I started to compare our situation to theirs. The military government was regulating our food and water supply, we couldn't leave the island if we wanted to, and no one knew what sanctions the government would impose on us once the curfew was lifted. We, at True Blue, were hostages in a sense and I was frightened. The United States, along with other Caribbean nations, was trying to avoid another hostage crisis as well as attempting to restore political order to Grenada. Had the U.S. not intervened in this situation, leaving the Caribbean nations to restore order to this troubled island on their own, our lives would have been even more endangered. I, along with many other Americans living on Grenada, did not feel safe trusting my life to the people who were assuring our safety yet at the same time executing and/or imposing strict sanctions on those who disagreed with their political views. Furthermore, many of the local Grenadians seemed to welcome the American presence and were quite blatant in discussing their views with American citizens on the island.

As I look back on my life as a medical student in Grenada I can't help but laugh at all the adaptations I had to make to survive. The challenge of medical school on Grenada has given me a different perspective on many things. Though my education was temporarily disrupted by the recent course of events, it is with determination that order is being restored back to my life. The first semester students are temporarily studying in Piscataway, New Jersey, at the University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey. Every day is a new challenge.

BY MICHAEL E. KIMMEL 'B1-

"There is no easy path leading out of life, and few are the easy ones that lie within it," W.S. Landor wrote in 1925. My initial failure to enter medical school accelerated appreciation of this axiom. Life is not without alternatives, and I chose to enter a graduate program in molecular biology at Temple University in Philadelphia. My dissatisfaction with graduate studies grew from my desire to pursue clinical medicine. It was through an introduction initiated by a dear friend, future colleague and fellow alumnus that I first learned of Grenada.

Graduating in 1981, with a double major
in anthropology and biochemistry, I had the academic qualifications to survive the rigors of an M.D. program. Few American medical schools have reason to question an individual's devotion to study, willingness for personal sacrifice or perseverance—qualities necessary for survival in a third world tropical environment.

I was initially elated with my acceptance into St. George's University School of Medicine. Apprehension and doubt soon followed. Would a liberal arts anthropology background provide the necessary prerequisites to cope successfully in a foreign culture? What has transpired is an adventure in both life and learning, an experience that could not be duplicated anywhere.

On my arrival, my first impression of the Grenada landscape was obscured by incomprehensible darkness. The shadowy shore of the New River, which was about a mile from the officers' quarters, was the first glimpse into the Grenadian way of life. The dawn of the next day, however, revealed a reality that was quite different. True Blue campus arose from the desert of darkness like an oasis. The reality of the next 18 weeks is a study in adaptive prowess: little or no running water for several weeks, daily power outages, exotic oversized insects and our accommodations were being threatened. The press has sufficiently recounted the events prior to the evacuation of Americans from Grenada. Certain points need be reiterated because they reflect the emotional turmoil experienced by the students.

While Prime Minister Maurice Bishop was being detained under house arrest, business continued as usual with the hope that the new government would serve the desires and necessities of the Grenadian people. It became increasingly clear as I conversed with many native-born Grenadians that popular support for Bishop would not go unchallenged. When on October 19 Bishop was broken free from detention, few predicted that his demise was being orchestrated by the new military government. Over 9,000 people gathered in protest of Bishop's detention; hundreds were injured or killed as professional soldiers, unlike any we had previously seen in the People's Revolutionary Army, fired on the unarmed mass of men, women and schoolchildren.

Grenadians gathered in the square at Fort Rupert were soon faced with the alternatives of an incendiary mortar placed in their midst with incredible accuracy, or a jump onto rocks below the 40-foot wall while being gunned down by soldiers in the streets. The medical school's administration seemed willing to accept assurances for our safety from such ruthless murderers, but we students felt the social responsibility of physicians in Grenada was threatened. The majority of us, in spite of the school's insistence that they would remain, preferred to leave. A 24-hour, four-day long shoot-to-kill curfew prevented congregations of Grenadians. Concurrently, potential leaders were arrested, and some were executed. Foreign governments demanded justice and restoration of politics supported by the people.

The Grenada story represents a first in American foreign policy: an episode where those seeking Communist expansion into the free world were told that it would not be tolerated unless sponsored by the people. Few recall the recent lessons from World War II; had the Allied powers faced Nazi Germany's imperialism with more haste, a holocaust could have been prevented. We have experienced a turnaround in politics—it is the conservatives who now support American intervention in world affairs while the liberals cry out for isolation and domestic introversion. Though our exact democratic structure is impotent outside the United States, I believe it is our responsibility as a leader in the international community to secure the right of free peoples to peace, self determination.

For me life is resuming as a medical student—temporarily in Brooklyn, New York, at Long Island University. The nature of the social responsibility of physicians (and future physicians) is to work toward the general health of a population, the status of which is dependent upon many variables—physical, mental and emotional. None should forget the oft misquoted George Santayana: "Those who do not remember the past are condemned to relive it."
Student Government and College Voice lock horns

Questions of constitutional law are no longer confined to Professor Bill Cibes's Government 232 class. Constitutions—note the plural—now dominate campus conversations ad nauseam, and have made Connecticut College the subject of articles in The New York Times, the Washington Post, the Hartford Courant, and the New London Day.

The debate erupted on December 7, when the Student Government Association (SGA) voted to revoke funding of the school newspaper, the College Voice. At issue were conflicting clauses in the student government constitution and the constitution of the College Voice. The discrepancy has fueled a bitter tug-of-war between the editor of the paper, Rob Mahoney '84, and the President of SGA, William Kane '84.

Mr. Kane, responding in late November to a complaint by Voice staff member Karen Weldon '84, asked the Voice to conduct a vote of confidence to ensure staff support of Mr. Mahoney as editor-in-chief. Mr. Mahoney conducted the vote among his five-member editorial board, in compliance with the Voice constitution, but refused to follow SGA's demand that a Judiciary Board member conduct the vote in the presence of the entire Voice staff.

In response to Mr. Mahoney's refusal, SGA voted to revoke funding. "The Voice editors were given a legislative act which they refused to uphold," said SGA president Will Kane. According to Mr. Kane, SGA found the Voice policy of a five-member vote to be inconsistent with the SGA constitution.

"Five people are not representative of all the people who work on the newspaper," Mr. Kane said. "No one can argue the fact that an editor should be on the editorial board." Although the Voice now lists 12 editorial positions on its masthead, only five existed in 1977 when the Voice constitution was last reviewed, and only those five are considered members of the editorial board.

Mr. Mahoney and his editors have conceded that their constitution needs revision. They dispute, however, SGA's right to revoke funding of an organization it approved. "The Voice is being penalized for SGA's mistake at the beginning of the year," said editor Rob Mahoney. News editor Suzanne Bohan '84 has submitted a compromise proposal which six of the Voice editors have signed and which SGA endorsed, but Mr. Mahoney and five other editors have refused to sign because they view the compromise as submitting to, and therefore condoning, SGA's mandate.

Should the other editors relent and sign the proposal, Mr. Mahoney says he will resign. "I can't be editor if the other editors are willing to recognize the power of SGA over them, so I'll resign on the free press principle," Mr. Mahoney said. "It's just a matter of what kind of paper it is. Is it an individual paper or an SGA paper; is it a paper within the student government association or a paper published by SGA?"

Although the conflict reached an emotional peak in December, tension had been building throughout the semester. The Voice ran many articles critical of student government, and of the college administration as well. Some students perceived the paper as not only reporting on, but as also seeking or even creating controversy.

In the Nov. 30 issue, the Voice ran a letter from Professor of History Richard Birdsall. "I notice that you have devoted nearly one quarter of the space in the last four issues of the College Voice to attacks and innuendos against the college administration," wrote Professor Birdsall. He suggested that the editors rotate the targets of their attack each week, to increase "the charm and readability" of the journal.

In that same issue, the lead story concerned a critique of the student government issued by Voice Editor Rob Mahoney, Associate Editor Lisa Battalia, and Norah Martin, a student unconnected with the paper. The critique, issued independently of the Voice but distributed the same day, contended that certain Judiciary Board rules might violate the U. S. Constitution.

Ostensibly, these previous grievances are unrelated to the decision to revoke funds, but observers agree that personal animosity has blurred the legal issues. Just as critics have charged that the authors of the critique did not clearly disassociate themselves from the paper, so Voice defenders argue that the speed and severity of SGA's actions stem partially from SGA's desire to assert its questioned authority.

"It's gotten so out of proportion, it's really frustrating," said SGA Parliamentarian John Sharon '86, echoing the despair many controversy-surfeited students expressed. An 11-member Constitutional Review Committee has been appointed to re-evaluate SGA's constitution and those of other clubs as well.

—Joanne Furtak '84

Editor's note: As we went to press, Mr. Mahoney did, in fact, resign, and will be replaced by sophomore William Walter. SGA has voted to reinstate Voice funding for the remainder of the year.
Minority celebration planned for June

The Alumni Association will sponsor a weekend celebration for minority alumni this summer, as a result of the work of a new Executive Board committee on minority alumni.

The summer celebration will bring together Connecticut's more than 300 minority alumni for the first time, giving alumni from all classes the opportunity to meet, to renew their ties to the college, and to recognize their collective achievements. Aurelia Younger-Walker '73 and Brenda Lindsey '74, who serve on the committee, are masterminding the event and have sent letters to all minority alumni describing their plans. The celebration is set for Saturday and Sunday, June 23 and 24.

Established by the Executive Board to examine the involvement of minority alumni in the Association, the Committee on Minority Alumni is co-chaired by Maarten Terry '82 of New Haven (who also chairs the Committee on Undergraduate/Young Alumni Relations), and Vivian Segall '73 of Noank, Connecticut, editor of the Alumni Magazine. Besides initiating the summer weekend, the committee is looking at admissions, networking, career internships, and other areas that might tap the talents of more of Connecticut's minority alumni. The committee also plans to suggest programs the Association might sponsor for minority alumni.

In addition to the co-chairmen, committee members include: Rick McLellan '78 of New London, director of Unity House and the Office of Volunteers for Community Service at Connecticut; Anthony Carr '76 and Carol Ramsey '74 of Boston; Janet Foster '80 of Ballston Lake, New York, and Ms. Lindsey and Ms. Younger-Walker, both of New Haven.

Publisher verifying directory information

Many alumni have already received telephone calls from the Harris Publishing Company, publishers of our official Connecticut College alumni directory. The purpose of the telephone contact is to verify the information that alumni provided on the directory questionnaires and the current information held on alumni records.

At the same time, the telephone representatives of the publishing company are inviting alumni to purchase personal copies of the directory.

The directory is tentatively scheduled for release in July 1984. If you are interested in ordering a copy and have not heard from the publisher, you may contact the publisher directly at the following address: Dooreen Luff, Customer Service Representative, Bernard C. Harris Publishing Company, Inc., 3 Barker Avenue, White Plains, New York 10601.

Dean needs help

Dean Emeritus Alice Johnson, a/k/a D.J., is planning to write her memoirs of Connecticut College. If anyone has entertaining reminiscences they think she might have forgotten, she will be happy to hear from them. Please contact Dean Johnson at Box 1404, Connecticut College, New London, CT 06320.

Connecticut begins varsity women's soccer

Half a dozen women are stationed in front of a soccer goal, methodically juggling, dribbling and shooting balls toward the net. Suddenly a man in a dark blue sweat-suit whizzes by and toes the ball with enough force to send it right through to the waiting net. As it booms to its upper corner destination, he throws up his arms in victory and laughs, "Score!"

The man is head coach Fran Shields, mentor for the first intercollegiate varsity women's soccer team in Connecticut College's history. The inaugural season for the 25-member team was full of ups and downs; their final record was 3-5. Mr. Shields said the experience the young team received was invaluable and that it should help to continue the tradition of strong soccer that was begun this fall.

"We've also got a great deal of high school experience on the team," Mr. Shields noted. "That points to a strong future."

Connecticut's competitors were Amherst, Trinity, Rhode Island, Wellesley and Springfield Colleges, the University of Hartford (played twice), and Wesleyan University. After a tough bout with the experienced Amherst team, the Camels bounced back to beat the University of Hartford and Rhode Island College, outscoring their opponents 10-0 in the two games. The third win came at the season's rematch with Hartford. One of the most exciting games was the Homecoming contest against the Wesleyan University women—a strong, aggressive team. The Camels dominated play 1-0 until the Cardinals scored the equalizer with one minute left in the game. The outcome was a heartbreaking 2-1 loss in double overtime.

Women's soccer had existed at Connecticut for two years at the club level, coached by G. Putnam Goodwin '82 (who is also known for his abilities as a cartoonist) and assisted by Tom Skeehan '84. The two continued as assistant coaches during Fran Shields' first year of coaching women. Mr. Shields, a 1979 graduate of St. Lawrence University who has been at the helm of the men's lacrosse team for four years, has been an instructor at Connecticut's Youth Soccer Program and has worked with the men's varsity soccer team. "Fran is really a motivator," sophomore starter Deborah Link said, "and he was always open to our ideas."

The Shields/Goodwin staff began the season stressing physical fitness and endurance. They then instated basic skill drills in dribbling, passing, and shooting. Later, more complex drills involving shifts of four or five players on offense or defense, as well as scrimmages teaching game strategy, were used to prepare the women for their season. Of course, the requisite full and half-field sprints were also a daily part of
practice. The plan worked well for the 13 returning players and the new ones; Shields credits the Camels' second-half shutout over Trinity to the team's conditioning.

The goalkeeper was senior class president Sheryl Edwards until a broken wrist forced her to move to the midfield. Junior Leslie Freund, who had been a goalie in high school, took over the keeper's position mid-season and was an aggressive force to contend with. Another outstanding player was freshman halfback Nicola Weiker, who led the Camels in scoring with four points.

To go along with their new varsity status, the women's soccer team participated in the fall sports banquet in November and honored three outstanding players. The Most Valuable Player was Veronica Halpine '85 of Milford, Connecticut; the Most Improved Player was Daisy Smith '84 of Carmel, California; and the Unsung Hero was Leslie Freund '85 of San Francisco. Letters and awards from Coach Shields were received with shy smiles and hurried handshakes from the players. Back at the long banquet table, champagne toasts were given and mortarboards were put away.

The team looks forward to a 12-game schedule against other New England Small College Athletic Conference (NESCAC) schools next fall. At the beginning of the season, Coach Shields had said, "The key now is the transition from club to varsity. We have to start somewhere. All I can do now is ask them to do their best." That start, to be sure, has been made.

—Rosemary Battles '85

**In Memoriam**

**Robert W. Jordan**

Robert W. Jordan came to Connecticut College in the fall of 1963 as professor of philosophy. He served as chairman of the department of philosophy from 1963 to 1974, and he retired in the spring of 1981. His graduate and undergraduate degrees were from Harvard, and he taught previously at the University of New Hampshire and the University of the South.

In his years at Connecticut College he taught courses in Plato, Aristotle, ancient philosophy, modern philosophy, medieval philosophy, philosophy of religion, philosophy of art, and philosophy in literature.

He contributed lectures in the arts, philosophy, and the humanities to the *De Litteris* series, and sermons and prayers to the liturgy of College Chapel services. His writings include: *Time and Contingency in St. Augustine. Christianity and Psychology, and Excellence: The Virtue of Scholarship*. He was a member of the American Philosophical Association, the Metaphysical Society of America, the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, and he served as president of the Association for Realistic Philosophy and the Guild of Scholars of the Episcopal Church.

Bob Jordan would want to be remembered by his colleagues, friends, and students at Connecticut College for what he loved. His life and his work were a chronicle of all the various things and persons that touched him deeply, that nourished his spirit and moved his soul. These included: Plato, St. Augustine, Shakespeare, cats, dogs, cigarettes, girls, sportscars from a Studebaker Grand Turismo Hawk in the 1960's to a Datsun-Z in the 1980's, England, the Anglican liturgy, C.S. Lewis, Austin Farrer, English country churches, John Wayne movies, billiards, Vivaldi, physics, photography, any and all kinds of gadgets, theology, poetry, books, mathematics, art, Athens and Jerusalem, his students, and his wife, Jane.

He was both a philosopher and a Christian. As a philosopher, he loved wisdom and goodness in all their forms. As a Christian he loved God in all His forms. He pursued them both passionately and without hesitation because for him they were the same thing.

In his teaching he was very much the matchmaker, arranging a love affair between his students and philosophy, and a Socratic midwife assisting his students in giving birth mainly to themselves. As a Christian he embodied Jesus' first commandment: "Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind." His love for God made him a very good friend for anyone to have. In the company of his friends he would talk about anything from Fran Tarkenton's performance as a quarterback for the New York Giants to Plato's doctrine of the blending of the Forms, from the best dessert wine in Connecticut to the cognitive nature of art, from W.C. Fields to St. Thomas' analogy of being. Those who were in his company during those conversations knew well that his talking about all those things was his way of showing his friendship and his love for them.

We mourn his death but celebrate his life. And we say to him and to ourselves: "Semper veritas, amicus, et semper amor Dei." If there is anyone who does not understand the meaning of that Latin sentence and had asked Bob Jordan about it, Bob would have responded by saying so very characteristically, "You've got to be kidding!"

—Lester J. Reiss

Professor of Philosophy
Alumni Association
Slate of officers

The Nominating Committee presents the 1984 slate of candidates for Alumni Association offices. The slate was chosen carefully from suggestions made by alumni across the nation. A ballot will be mailed to all alumni in April. Nominations by petition are explained below.

For Alumni Trustee
1984-1989

Jay B. Levin '73
New London, Connecticut

Jay B. Levin '73, a partner in the law firm of Dupont and Tobin, is also a newly elected member of the New London City Council, where he serves as chairman of the Economic Development Committee.

Before joining Dupont and Tobin in 1980, Mr. Levin spent three years as assistant state’s attorney in the New London area. During 1976, he was an assistant to then Congressman Christopher J. Dodd and served as Mr. Dodd’s campaign manager that year. When Patricia Thall Hendel '53 of New London ran for Secretary of State in 1982, Jay Levin was her campaign manager.

Beside practicing law and serving as a city councilor, Mr. Levin has extensive experience as a volunteer. He chaired 1982 and 1983 campaigns for the Federated Jewish Appeal in the New London area, serves on the Executive Committee of the Jewish Federation of Eastern Connecticut, the National Young Leadership Cabinet of the United Jewish Appeal and is a board member of the American Cancer Society’s local branch. Mr. Levin also chaired the 1981 New London Charter Revision Commission, has been vice-chairman of the New London Zoning Board of Appeals, and was on the New London Planning and Zoning Commission last year. He is a member of the New London Democratic Town Committee.

As an undergraduate at Connecticut, Jay Levin was twice elected president of the Student Government Association. His contributions as the Alumni Association’s legal advisor (he has served since 1977) were recognized at reunion last year when Mr. Levin was awarded the Goss Award for representing the Association in matters involving the United States Post Office and the Internal Revenue Service. A Charles A. Dana Scholar at college, Jay Levin graduated magna cum laude with a self-designed major in Social Structure and Social Change. He is a graduate of the University of Connecticut Law School and is married to Susan Clark Levin.

For Chairman of the Nominating Committee
1984-1987

Helen Reynolds ’68
Dallas, Texas

Helen Reynolds ’68

Besides her teaching responsibilities, Dr. Reynolds has served on numerous committees for both the whole university and for the School of Social Science. She has been a board member of the USA Film Festival since 1975, and was on the board of the Urban Services YMCA from 1972 to 1974.

Helen Reynolds was elected president of her Connecticut College class during reunion last summer, and she has also resumed her volunteer work as a Connecticut admissions aide—she first served as an aide from 1970 to 1974.

For Director
1984-1987

George F. Hulme ’77
Framingham, Massachusetts

George F. Hulme ’77, an economics major at Connecticut, is vice president of Fitts Insurance Agency, Inc., in Framingham, Massachusetts. He is a chartered property and casualty underwriter and a certified insurance counselor and has been active in several professional organizations. Mr. Hulme is past president of the Independent Insurance Agents of South Middlesex, a former director of the Associated Risk Managers of Massachusetts, and is active in St. Andrew’s Episcopal Church.

An assistant professor of economics and political economy at the University of Texas at Dallas since 1977, Helen Reynolds ’68 won the 1983 Amoco Teaching Award for Outstanding Undergraduate Teaching at the university. Dr. Reynolds has written extensively on the economics of criminal law and justice, is the author of The Economics of Prostitution, and is working on a textbook about the economics of education. Her master's and doctoral degrees are from Southern Methodist University, and she was a visiting researcher at the University Library of Cambridge University in England in 1980.

Jay B. Levin '73
Since 1982, Mr. Hulme has been a director of the Alumni Association. A member of the Association's Executive Board, he is serving this year as chairman of classes, with responsibility for planning the 1984 reunion. As chairman of the college's 35 Massachusetts admissions aides since 1979, he has interviewed prospective students for the college, represented Connecticut at high school "college nights," and made sure that every applicant from Massachusetts receives a personal letter.

George Hulme (a former college rower) is also a member of the Connecticut Rowing and Boating Society (CRABS), a group of alumni that rows competitively at events like the Head of Charles. He and his wife, Pam Sharpe Hulme '77, have a six-month-old son, Nathaniel.

For Vice President
1984-1987

Susan Black Mitchell '74
Norwalk, Connecticut

Susan Black Mitchell '74 has been vice president of Hill and Knowlton, Inc., a Manhattan public relations firm, since 1981. Prior to joining Hill and Knowlton, Ms. Mitchell was manager of communications for General Signal Corporation (1978-1981), a public affairs officer for Citibank, N.A. for two years, and an assistant editor at the Continental Corporation. She majored in English at Connecticut.

Ms. Mitchell, who is a member of the National Investor Relations Institute and of Women in Communications, Inc., serves on the National Advisory Council on Connecticut College Public Relations. She is married to Thomas J. Mitchell '75.

The following paragraphs from Article III of the Connecticut College Alumni Association bylaws explain the procedure for nomination by petition.

A. Nominations
i. By Nominating Committee
For all offices to which candidates are to be elected by vote of the Association a single slate shall be prepared by the Nominating Committee.

ii. By Petition
Nomination for any elective office may be made by petition signed by at least twenty-five (25) active members of the Association, such petition to be received by the Nominating Committee by April 15 in any given year.

### CONNECTICUT COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
#### COMPARISON OF ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL EXPENDITURES
For The Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1983

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### SUMMARY OF SAVINGS FUNDS

- General Savings Fund—(Capital Account) | $88,728 |
- Special Savings Fund—(Equipment Fund) | 11,035 |
- Club Accounts                           | 1,100 |
- **Total**                                | **$100,863**

The above figures are part of the financial statements for the year ended June 30, 1983. Copies of the complete statements, and the audit report thereon, are available at the Association Office in the Sykes Alumni Center (Box 1624, Connecticut College, New London, CT 06320).

Doherty, Beals & Banks, P.C., Certified Public Accountants
20 Maud Carpenter Dustin, in spite of poor eyesight and her lameness from arthritis, fulfills quite comfortably her household duties and takes care of her husband. Dorothy Doane Wheeler, crippled with arthritis, is otherwise as fit as a fiddle. She enjoyed a long telephone call from Alice Horrax Schell in the spring. Dorothy Higgins, 84, is taking everything at a slower pace but keeps abreast of the times by reading The New York Times daily.

Alice Horrax Schell represented the early classes in a nativity play at the Norwich Community Church last Sunday as part of the 1982 reunion. Alumni from all over the US were hooked up by telephone and discussed for a hour and a half the fine academic quality of the college, needed facilities, academic salaries, etc. It was the finest academic quality of the college, needed facilities, academic salaries, etc. It was fine academic quality of the college, needed facilities, academic salaries, etc.

22 Lucy McDonnell attended reunion and reported that she and Mary Thomson-Shepard and her daughter Nellie attended the functions together. Mary and Nellie enjoyed the '82 reunion so much, they were eager to get back this year. Later in the summer they attended their 11th annual Bible conference in NH.

Amy Peck Yale's daughter, Amy, was also at reunion and reported that Amy was well and gave a party for four great-grandchildren recently. Amy was the winner of the Agnes B. Leahy award in 1972 at our 50th.

Dorothy Wheeler Pietrallo writes: "Too many bridal showers, weddings, graduations, baby showers." She and Tony spent a few weeks at their camp in VT and Dorothy called on Alice Hagar Schiffstall who now lives in E. Dorset near her son Peter. His family send in dinner each day but she gets her other meals.

Miriam Taylor Beadle's granddaughter Margaret had problems deciding which college to attend but finally settled on Wesleyan. M. P. didn't want to pressure her but had hoped it would be CC. She also reports a wonderful visit with Constance Hill Hathaway in Strafford at Connie's daughter's house in Noank and is now at Stratford. She was going to AZ for a visit at that time.

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A few, like Esther Penfield Fryer, find their professions "too interesting to consider retiring." Esther is still doing real estate title searching, aided since his retirement by husband George. Esther and George also share an involvement with historical societies in their spare time, and their unique hobby is building grandfather clocks.

Chesley and Barbara Brooks Bixby spent a lovely spring and early summer. Babs reports a "nice countryside" time in FL, in March, with Stanford and Unicothy Brooks Cobb among those present. In April, Babs and Chet attended the wedding, in Ann Arbor, of Chet's young cousin. In May, they took a Theatre Guild cruise in the Caribbean, again through the Panama Canal to LA, where they visited two granddaughters before flying home to ME. In June, they celebrated their 55th anniversary by attending Chet's 60th Dartmouth reunion. Later that month news from Babs tells of lunching with Helen Hood Diedendorf at Lake Winnipesaukee, NH, and of several pleasant phone visits with Imogen Hostetler Thompson.

Amy Wakefield and I also do a visit via the telephone nowadays, as neither of us enjoy driving as much as before. Amy continues her hospital and church work with her sister Helen.

Her husband, C. Delbert Warner, who was cruising in the Erie Canal, thence to the Boston area, since then through the Panama Canal to LA, where they visited two granddaughters before flying home to ME. In June, they celebrated their 55th anniversary by attending Chet's 60th Dartmouth reunion. Later that month news from Babs tells of lunching with Helen Hood Diedendorf at Lake Winnipesaukee, NH, and of several pleasant phone visits with Imogen Hostetler Thompson.

Helen Sufferon de Forest delighted in a visit with her daughter and granddaughter in VT, and at an added dividend, the peak of the color season.

Edna (Kelley) Kelley writes from the Northeast Kingdom of VT, "I hasten to tell you that I have broken record. Did I even have time to consider retiring this year nor bears—or moose—only a bat and a beautiful skunk, both of whom behaved themselves." Kelley is addicted to country auctions: people, fun, and VT. "Nothing I've experienced compares with the meals put on by these VT ladies."

Mildred (Mildie) Ropoff Angier and sister Ann (24) delighted in a week of CC's Elderhostel, enjoying both food and people. Mildie is still teaching at Adelphi, is helping to organize a Women's Studies major, is auditing a course on: "Women in TV and Film" plus being active in "The Five Town Forum." Her daughters and trunk regularly. Julie is on her 16th novel and Janie has opened her own "School for Direct Instruction."

Merriso (Molly) Hawley Smith saw a grandson graduate. Also, she enjoyed an Aug. visit with daughter Sylvia and 12-year-old Susan, who is the Jr. Olympic Swim Team and has won several gold medals.

Abbie Kelsey Baker still plays golf, but worse instead of better and is still enthusiastic about living at Rossmoor. Instead of spending Christmas with the daughters and combined families (both live in upstate NY now), her sister-in-law arrived from Sarasota, FL two weeks later. As they are planning to celebrate together on Nov. 11 Dec. 25, we will all enjoy a trip to Barbados followed by three months in Sarasota, FL.

Roba Bigwood Wiersma, our Class President, went to Alumni Council, attended the Campaign dinner and the workshops. Earlier she received a "beautifully calligraphed card, stating that a special book will be given to the library inscribed to our class—all because of the increase in giving from 64 percent to 68 percent. Roberta, our Class Agent, writes, "Thank you and all," her summer was brimming. A regional convention in Scranton, PA was on her to-do list. Her daughter, Elizabeth (Belty) Gordon Staelin and Dick visited Elizabeth (Belty) Gordon Staelin and Dick visited England daughters and families before returning to TX. Later Dot suffered a disc problem which sent her to the hospital where Charlotte Sweet Morrat, deceased. Roberta's husband Bert had quadruple bypass surgery in Aug. and is making a good but slow recovery. Concluding this message, Roberta shouts, "I have not retired from St. John's Church in Mystic. (Old organizers never die—they just fall off the bench.)"

Dorothy (Dot) Davenport Voorhees a 1000 Island phoned that she is at home, said both Voorhees regretted missing the 55th. It was a family gathering at a wedding of one of their granddaughters, last year. She had offered a day for a class reunion at the hospital for an operation. At the same time, Ralph was hospitalized with pneumonia. Both are fine now and are planning to attend the last visit with their three New England daughters and son-in-law. They live in TX.

Sarah Emily (Say) Brown Schoenhaut spent the usual beautiful VT summer—full of friends and cousins, enjoyment of summer offerings at Dartmouth, all interrelated with various miseries which come and go.

It is with sadness we report that four classmates have left us, Lotta Hess Ackerman, who died in April, 1983, leaves her husband Sheldon to whom the Class extends its sympathy.

Alice Boyden died in June 1983. Evelyn Davis Ferrell died in November 1983. They have no known relatives, but to their friends the Class extends its sympathy.

Elizabeth Hart Collins, sister of Edith Hart Lister who died in December, '83.

30 Ruth Jackson Webb started her summer activity July 1 when her son arrived from England, followed by a group of his English friends. Ruth goes to the mountains near Denver. Their trip ended the next day and she came to the site of her niece from FL and on their heels her brother and sister-in-law arrived from Sarasota, FL—two months of non-stop activity. At the end of August came Yarn and enjoyable days in August.

A short note from Frances "Kelly" Carrington reports having to cancel plans for a trip to Italy as both
she and her husband have not been well. Fran is now using a cane as walking has become very painful.

Louisa Kent claims this past summer at her summer home on the Cape was the best ever. She entertained several generations of cousins as houseguests, including exciting white water rafting on the Mendenhall River and government activities. Her activities include the making ready for exhibits. Kay says her dog is great company.

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Isabelle Bartlett Hogue keeps busy with her real estate in Sarasota. An active CC Club member, she had a wonderful reunion with her granddaughter Patti Woodson Simons. Also enjoyed a bit of the Musical Festival in Aspen. Lillian is already looking forward to '85 and our 55th reunion.

Dorothy Quigley has been to IN twice this year to see her brother in Madison, CT. then to England in the summer to visit her daughter and family. She went to Austin and then spent a week in San Antonio where Betty attended a CC Club dinner and met Harriet Smith Harris and her daughter, Harriet Harris '60. They had their usual vacation at the Cape this summer.

Mabel Barnes Knauff drove to Oswego, NY, with a friend in Sept. to attend our 55th high school reunion. We enjoyed seeing old friends. In early Oct. drove to Westerly, NH, to visit family. The class extends sympathy to the family of Deborah Roud Cutter who died in November, '82, and to Beatrice Baum Kohn and Alice Smith McCusker whose husbands also died in the fall. Elizabeth Root Johnson and Ken visited their grandchild to a European trip. She had a ball in France, Germany and Holland with three. Now looks forward to next year when she will treat a newly arrived grandson.

Ludie Austin Cutler hasn't been on campus since 1935, but plans on seeing it in June, especially if Alice McKee Tooper and Virginia Stephenson are there.

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Virginia Stephenson had a trip to England and Scotland last fall with Katherine (Kay) Cooksey Simons. She made her annual winter trip to FL. This summer she stayed home and made much needed repairs to her apartment.

Betty Patterson Travis and Ev spent three months in FL last winter. They drove to Wheaton, IL, for a grandchild's high school graduation before heading on to Wisconsin Rapids for a grandson's wedding. A joyous family reunion.

Katherine Cooksey Simons spent a week attending her late husband's Naval Academy reunion in San Diego with friends from DC. In April she drove to Clearwater, FL, and back visiting friends along the way. This summer a wedding in Emiria, NY, and one in New Brunswick, NJ, has kept her busy, but she has also been painting, getting ready for exhibits. Kay says her dog is great company.

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ria in February. Her accomplishments include improved clinical care, extended town library, a new and safe water pump in her area.

Serena Bledgett Mowry spent the summer having "medical adventures," and having testing done "known only to Readers' Digest and me." Marion Bogart Holtzman's recently graduated CG ensign granddaughter married a classmate in October. First duty station will be Astoria, OR—incidentally Budge and George's first duty station. George had 50th reunion at CGA in '93.

Rose Bresl and her zippy mother visited me in Sept. We two "old nurses" had delightful "in those days we did this" chat.

Robert Van Arx reports a grandmum entering Lafayette this fall makes it a third generation admission.

Anna Frances Burke has retired to her old stamping grounds in Rochester, MN, where she is happily surrounded by retired medical librarians.

Winifred Burroughs Southwick and Bill have been going through all sorts of maneuvers so they can be on campus June 1, 2.

Edith Canestrari Jacques treated our Reunion Committee to a gourmet lobster salad luncheon at our planning meeting in June. She and Bob entertained two German teenagers for a month. Their granddaughter celebrated her second birthday at Magonk Pt.

Elizabeth Casset Chayet writes from Paris that her 12-year-old granddaughter may be a future CC applicant. Betty is planning to see us in June.

May Dixon Berger had a visit from Ernestine Herman Katz's Morris. After Ernie died he scattered her ashes in her favorite spot in Italy.

Jean Dauby Schwartz spent Oct. and Nov. in Turkey, then on to FL.

Marie Dibble Vosius' Army son Capt. John and family visited en route to new post in MI. Navy Cmdr. son Robert is responsible for naval intelligence in the Mediterranean. Dib has retired from library job and is the "go-to" during husband's convalescence.

Elizabeth Flanders McNellis spent March in Indonesia, and left in October for Australia, New Zealand and Tahiti.

Helen Frey Sorenson and husband "lead a quiet and happy life." Occasionally she goes to CC Lunch for West Coast Club.

Alice Galante Greco and Carm are kicking up their heels in Sarasota. "Good life for Carm," a busy social life at home it's not worth going off on trips. Galley enjoys her hospital auxiliary work.

Bernice Griswold Ellis and Ted keep busy with their home "closeted in a "good neighbor," helping many who need it." Ted has retired as treasurer and director for their Longboat Key condominium.

Mary Louise Hays Ferguson was among the missing in our class through a P.O. address fluke. Luckily we found her, alive and well, busy helping put grandchildren through college.

Betty Hershey Lutz treated me with a phone call in answer to plea for news. She is busy with Jr. League, American Lung Assn., winters in FL. Her godchild (Jane Alexander Van Nostrand's daughter) Pamela Newton '50, broadcasts all about organic gardening on Nova Scotia radio.

Louise Hill Corliss and Clark visited Eleanor Hine Kranz at "Chop Chop" en route to Elderhostel at Stonehill College. Let's heed Loo's call for 100 percent participation in AAGP.

Ellen Irene Kranz is busy editing our Reunion Booklet. Your response to questionnaire was great. Elly. Dody Merrill Doran and Emma Howe Waddington attended the workshops at Alumni Council in Oct.

Emma Howe Waddington, reunion chairman, is skillfully putting into place all the details that will make our 50th fantasy classmate, went to China, then to Ireland, the latter trip with Eleanor Sauer '33. Grandchildren, 10 and 7, "growing like weeds," are both avid readers.

Carolyn Hoston Hudson toured USA in August via Amtrak, retracing a trip she took by auto in 1936. She returned to busy fall teaching schedule. Will be at reunion.

Harriet Ikerwood Power and Burt had a jam packed summer when his 96-year-old mother visited from Kansas City—inviting reunion of three daughters, seven of nine grandchildren, and others. Son-in-law, Bob Scobie, is commander of USCG cutter Reliance, stationed at Cape Canaveral.

Mary Huntington Braman, another peripatetic
Alison Rush Roberts and Bill spent June 10 Sept. driving across USA and back (never again)—spent two months in trailer... Hubbarton. VT.

and travels extensively. She loves retirement.
Ellen Grant France, also says retirement is wonderful.

She often travels between Seattle and Houston so "her Copenhagen-then she was off to England and home.

Oak Pt. is sold out—ideas now brewing for a second paper work. They took a small vacation in spring-

reunion.

New Zealand in fall. In April visited family in Atlanta with friend—a bit disillusioned with Amtrak.

Yes. Yes" for attendance at reunion

Roger started as sabbatical year in Sept.—six months at—six months at

Gladys Russell Munroe and Lamar flew around the southwest visiting various family members—took it in the hot balloon festival in Albuquerque, then a trip to Alamosa to view 13th grandchild.

Margaret (Perley) Seabury visited with Lorena and with Jean Vanderbilt Swartz in May while in Baltimore.

Margaret (Peg) Burgess Hoy went to CA, through the western states, spent a month in MA and finally ended up in MA and ME before returning to FL.

Priscilla (Pete) Spalding Scott and Doug enjoyed a trip to Hong Kong, Sri Lanka, and Singapore. From there they flew back to Australia and took the trans-continental train to Adelaide. Then they flew to New Zealand and visited sheep stations.

Frances Ernst Costello keeps in touch with Jane Wyckoff Buntun. She loves her hobby and major, gardening. Already she has given over 60 baskets of flowers and vegetables to "relatives, friends, and our milk man, garbage man, servants, etc.

Dorothy Harkness reports she has been very much while visiting, they bought land, sold their home of 23 years, "took all our good junk and stuff we couldn't sell or give away and drove back to TX. That was two cars, me and Jerry and dog." Their temporary address is in Kerrville, TX, until their new home is ready.

Jeanette (Jay) Brower Goodrich enjoyed a three-week trip to the Mediterranean, including Italy, Greece, and Egypt. They saw the complete King Tut exhibit in the Sphinx and pyramids, then on to Israel and Turkey, and Yugoslavia.

Elizabeth (Betty) Bindloss Johnson devoted her life to Greece, Istanbul, Turkey, the Greek Islands, and Venice. She writes, "We made several botanical trips aboard with a shipmate botanist as guide. The whole area is the original source of many of our bulbs." Ray has been a horticulturist all his life. They have over 100 varieties of irises and their minor collection is in Kerrville, TX.

Frances Warren Weir had a truly nerving week driving across the Cabot Trail on Cape Breton Island—sea soup fog all the way.

Olga Wester Russell was in London in June—then on to central Europe in Sept. "All new countries to me, except a stop in Vienna." Olga says she has a role in an art film not yet shot.

Emily Witz Charshar's June recital program comes just at reunion time — she sends regrets and all best wishes to us attending.

Margaret Worthy medall's Jack is building a 4'x 4' table that "he plans to pretend to be a gardener"—severe arthritis has hampered ordinary gardening. Peg is busy designing a quilt based on pattern developed by great-grandma. She sees Edith Mitchell occasionally.

Miriam Young Bowman has found marvelous relief from allergies at Scripps Clinic in La Jolla. In general life "consists of another grandchild, visits from children, a bit of travel.

Glen King goes from classmates to Marjorie Austin Rodgers, Barbara Johnson Stearns and Jane Petruin Hucken, who recently lost his husbands, and to the family of Virginia Best Linden, who died in June.

36 Alletta Deming Crane held a May 19 mini-reunion for class members within traveling distance of her Riverside, CT, home. It was great to see Sheila Caffrey Braucher. Barbara (Bobbie) Cairns (McNeil) and her husband, John, and sister, Nellie. Mary Beth Davis Pierson, Dariel Foltz, Tina D. Murrill, Josephine (Jody) Bygate Rolfe, and Andrew spent the weekend in NH where they stayed at the Farmhouse Inn (Mim) Everett MacLeod and Elizabeth Parsons Lehman. Writers find them in Vero Beach. Bunny Dorman visits them.

Jean Clark Lay and George returned in October from a trip to Canada and back in their minimo home.

Ruth Chittum Eufemia and Frank enjoyed four days with Virginia Bowin Wilcox and Joseph at their summer home in NH, visiting sights in the White Mountains.

It is with sadness I report the death of Frances D. Vivian Hughes May 9, 1983. An expression of sympathy from the class secretary was sent. The class also extends its sympathy to the family of Elisabeth Beals Steyaart, who died Nov. 1, 1983.

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38 Our 45th reunion was a great success and we look forward to our 50th. Plans are In the making. Class members will tour Europe and visit New York City to make it a memorable experience.

To all those who plan to attend the reunion, we hope you will enjoy the festivities and the company of old friends.

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ful. Her son, at G.M:s Technical Center, Warren, M L
has two sons and a daughter, and her daughter has one
son and three stepsons.

Jean Young Pierce has five children and six grand-
children. Her volunteer work is now down to one board
meeting and Garden Club of America. She shoots trap,
gardens and continues to take college classes.

Esther Gabler Robinson has five grandchildren.
They go to Lake George summers and FL in the winter.
She is in Jr. League, Garden Club and does church work.

Margaret Ann Mulock Bastian has five grandchildren.
They vacation in summer at Okoboji—Blue Lake in
Iowa.

Janette Austin Steane has four grandchildren and one
granddaughter. In the last 10 years she has traveled
extensively in this country and abroad.

Bettie Fairbank Swayne now has two grandchildren
and two greatgrandchildren.

Selma Silverman Swatsburg and husband's ambition
is to travel as much of the world as possible. Selma will
be on hand to help with 50th reunion plans and is part of
the Reunion Committee.

May Nelson, your newly elected vice-president, does
oil painting and shows at galleries in the New London
area.

Margaret (Meem) McGourty Blair does volunteer
work in Adult Probation in New London during the
winter and summers in NY.

Marion (Dotty) Klink Cameron goes to FL in winter.
Her hobbies are gardening, flower arranging, tennis
and upholstery.

Helen Maxwell Schuster plays golf and bridge,
which is involved in church work, Historical Society,
Pioneer Museum and politics.

Elinor (Kitty) Guy King has six grandchildren. She
lives near the water (Kilmarnock, VA) where she swims,
fishes and goes crabbing. She does lots of volunteer
work for Hospice, Christmas Church and Mary Bale Wash-
ington Museum. Her hobbies are golf and bridge.

Jane Kreps Wheeler's son, John, is VP at the Japane-
se Society in NY, is married to a Japanese woman, and
they have three children. Jane has a summer and
weekend home on Long Island and spends a few
months each winter at Delray Beach. She is very active
in church work.

Constance (Connie) Leavitt Scott attended her high
school reunion in Hawaii.

Martha Cahill Frield summers in Bath, ME, where she
is a member of the Maine Maritime Museum. Winter
months find her in Chestertown, MD. She enjoys knit-
ging and gardening, and is a member of the Historical
Society, Art League and the Performing Arts.

Anne (Nance) Darling Hwoschicken does crossword
puzzles, and is involved in revitalizing the parks in
Buffalo.

Carol Moore Kepler is busy as a “half baked farmer”
and is again taking writing courses. She and M.P. both
attended school reunions in Mt. Desert Island.

M.P. Hanson Navidi still teaches chemistry at
Queens College, travels wherever there are mountains.
One of her sons is a college professor.

Bessie Morehouse Kellogg’s two married sons live
nearby in VT. She has two grandchildren.

Doris Bacon Ormsby has retired from teaching, loves
taveling and volunteers at the Art Museum in Nassau
County.

Anne Chazen Allen substitutes high school teaching,
plays golf and does spinning. She and Leo came to the
Reunion dinner.

Emily Armstrong Lewis Wieland retired in 1971 after
working as a “spy” for the CIA.

Frances Walker Chace is a semi-retired resident of
London, having purchased the maisonette that has
been her home for 13 years. She is a consultant to
Schools in the Child Guidance of the Inner London
Education Authority. In April she came to the states to
visit her daughter, Liza, (CC class of '66) in NJ. From
there she went on to Acton, MA, to be with her son and
await the birth of the baby. The baby arrived and Fran
came able to return with us.

Bill and I get involved in many town activities, namely
Historical Society, Art Association, town meet-
ings, school, and the Community Council through
which we are reactivating an outreach program
for recently widowed persons. We are active in the
Senior Center and belong to a social club that makes a
bus trip or two to points of interest.

We regret to report the death of Greta Anderson

Correspondent: Mrs. William L. Sweet (M.C. Jenks), 361 West Street, Newfield, ME 04104

40 MARRIED: Elizabeth (Betty) Morton to Dick
Jordan, 10/82; Breck Benbow to Robert M.
Duncan, 5/82

Bettie Morton sent word of her marriage to Dick
Jordan. Her address in Oak Park remains the same.

Breck Benbow happily announced his marriage to
Robert D. Clarke, and he has left the U of MI. They spent four months in Europe,
including two in Spain, returning in Jan. ’83. “We now
have six children between us—life is certainly looking
up for me.”

Ethel Failey Holts left GA after one year and has lived
in FL ever since. She has two degrees from the U of
Miami, A.B. and M.Ed., and has worked as public
school librarian in Miami. She now has a degree in
library science and is university librarian at U of Sara-
sota. Her son lives in Gainesville and works at U of FL.
She and her daughter live in Sarasota.

Pauline (Billy) Carroll Carter gives her news in a
nutshell. She lives part time in Worcester, Harwich-
port, on a sailboat and in Naples, FL. Daughter Toni,
CC '66, is a lawyer in DC and has two boys.
Daughter Sally lives in NH and has two sons and a
daughter. Son Joe lives in Dover, MA.

Calista Jayne Hillman lives in Falls Church, VA,
with retired husband, Roose, Col. USA, in her 24th
years of retirement. She has been laid up with a broken
hip from a fall on the tennis court. Her son lives in VA and her daugh-
ter is employed in Boston by Systems Div. Corp.
Calista does a bit of genealogy and lots of reading.

Frances Baratz (Nell) Neuman has lived for 10 years in the
southern AZ mountains and is volunteer worker for
the Nature Conservancy, is on the Bd. of Directors of Hua-
cludion Society and TROA (The Retired Offi-
cers’ Association of America) in Spanish Fork, UT. She
includes birds and butterfly counts, viewing stars from Kip Peak National Observa-
tory, raising British Call ducks in a backyard pond as
well as beagles and Quetta pines. Other interests are:
Common Cause, Great Decisions and League of
Women Voters.

Sylvia Lubow Rindskopf and husband celebrated his
45th reunion from the Naval Academy in San Diego in
April. They have been married for 49 years and have
three grandchildren and 2nd son’s wife there, Franny
who has lived in Sydney four yrs. Tecto loved the
Eastern European trip for Sept, ’83. (R)

Rosemary (Rosey) Welts Lang is retired from her
career as a substitute teacher since 1975 in Spanish.
She has an English degree from Howard University
and an M.A. in Education from George Washington
University. Rose is involved in church work.

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Loulse (Phoebe) Lefeber Norton was recovering
from a wonderful family reunion at the farm with chil-
dren, spouses, eight grandchildren, and Phoebe’s mother.
All of them lived in Delray Beach.

Lucretia (Teeto) Lincoln Stanley and her husband
visited Australia in Feb. to attend wedding of son Garry
who has lived in Sydney four yrs. Teeto loved the
country and would hesitate to leave the three U.S.
children.

Lena Hirschman Reiss has grandchild, and husband
Pore has five and children and five grandchildren.
Flo has been a substitute teacher since 1975 in Spanish.

Jean Leinbach Breitinger’s grandson entered Penn
State in the Fall of 1983. She has been concentrating on
a German conversation course prior to a trip to Ger-
many to study YMCAs as a delegate from Reading, PA.

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Margaret (Peggy) Carpenter Evans is still enjoying
VT and is struggling with her biography of Rosamond
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Susan Marquis Ewing's husband John retired in '82 so they are traveling and visiting their five grandchildren.

Ruth L. Hine, after 34 years with the WI Dept. of Natural Resources and publishing research reports, will start on new tack in Jan. She will work half time for DNR and half time for Lutheran Outdoor Ministries. She will be organizing programs to arouse awareness of God's stewardship of natural resources.

Almeda Fager Wallace's husband Bill sold his company and started a new company the same day, operating out of home—such is retirement. Oldest daughter, husband and two children from Spain spent summer with them. Al still teaches pre-school blind children, does volunteer hospital work, and plays golf three times a week.

Doris Campbell Safford's son Charlie was married in Holliston, MA, in Aug. on the closest, clearest day of summer.

Mariana Parcells Wagner survived the sqlizing summer in air-cooled Aetna or by playing golf or by enjoying visits with children and seven grandchildren. She is spending many happy hours with recently acquired baby grand piano. (R)

Alice Atwood Brennan retired in '82 after 27 years of teaching elementary school. Now has time for golf with Jim and travel to see children and grandchildren in GA and PA. "Son Jim is a cardiologist in LaGrange, GA, who writes computer programs for his practice and for his two daughters. Daughter Barbara and her son and daughter spent a summer month with us—a much needed vacation from restaurant business near Reading, PA."

Suzanne (Suzie) Harbert Boice is staying well and busy in Central FL. Taking Sept. sabbatical to get away from heat for three weeks exploring Italy. (R)

Margaret Roe Fischer's family spent the summer in Brunswick, ME and PA. She and Jack were anticipating cruising Penobscot Bay in Sept. Daughter Megand Peg needed vacation from restaurant business near Read
ing, PA.

Mary (Kenny) Hewitt Norton's big news is of "the fantastic birthday Jerry and my three kids and their spouses gave me. He hired a boat that sailed up the Severn River with music, balloons, champagne, old beloved friends and wild stories about my life." After a year spent studying anatomy, physiology, kinesiology, Kenny is now a certified massage therapist as well as a Trager Practitioner. "All that means is that I am integrating Body, Mind, Spirit in my work and my life. What it has done is reclaim the dancers in me and wonder of wonders I am dancing my life and getting others to do the same."

Mary Lewis Wang's son Randy married Elisa Nunnally, a Havard School classmate. In Aug. Son Tom got his M.D. from Columbia in June and is interning at Barnes Hospital in St. Louis. Daughter Penny is a reporter-researcher for NewswEEK

Barbara (Barby) Barlow Kelley is still circulation librarian at the Orange Public Library. Number five out of the nest, son Scott was graduated from Northeastern in June. "Peter-the-Great a senior at Amity High School keeps us as the oldest living members of the PTA." (R)

Caroline Towlely von Mayrhauser wrote from Kansas City of hellishly hot and dry summer. Now it already feels like winter on Sept. (R)

Son Barbara Plohl Bynside's daughter Lee and her two girls visited from McLean, VA, where Lee teaches full time at Madeira. Son Craig, wife and two daughters are still in FL. Beepie hopes to have them closer to NC soon. (R)

Elinor (Ellie) Houston O'Brien's husband Dave had a lung tumor removed. No chemotherapy needed—back to work, golf. Ellie misses her Dad, who died in May. We spent a week in Arizona. A daughter-in-law was recovering from a serious illness. Ellie is fine and looking forward to reunion. (R)

Virginia Weber Marion and Virginia (Pussy) Passavant Henderson have a mutual grand daughter, Herta Virginia Marion. Punch is working hard, never will retire. They travel a lot, spend several months in FL. Children all in CT.

Karla Yevpon Copithorn and her husband left Long Island to buy a 62-acre Christmas tree plantation in upstate NY—beautiful country, constant work. Both sons and two grandsons live close, one in Sherrill working in solar, one in Canavonia in environmental engineering. Daughter and Norwegian husband are in Darien, CT. (R)

Norma Pike Taft enjoys her many religious and community associations as well as the writing she does for them: Kaleidoscope, local Westchester TV show for which she is producer, writer, host is doing well. Nat, as group VP of NY Life, is involved with industry and gov't in insurance legislation in Albany.

Elizabeth (Libby) Massey Ballinger and Monty will be in Kaosing, Taiwan, for three to six months. He will be a consultant with the China Shipbuilding Co. Back in time for reunion. (R)

Susan (Sue) Balderston Pettigill's youngest daughter was married in July to a young lawyer whose brother is married to Sue's niece. Sue's husband are FL residents now, six months in Naples, six on Cape Cod. Elizabeth (Libby) Cochran Kemper also lives in Naples so Sue sees her often, as well as Mary (Mac) Cox Walker. Has visits from France (Smith Minshall), Karla Yevpon Copithorn, and Sue Marquis Ewing. (R)

Nancy Groovenor English and Chet love their new home with the Charles River at the back for canoeing and Audubon land opposite for bird watching. They are working on landscaping and are starting a perennial garden. (R)

Ethel Spool Felts says life in Miami continues to be a mixture of exciting challenges, mostly with the United Nations Assn., and the Coalition for Arms Limitation and Survival interspersed with beautiful evening sails on Biscayne Bay. In summer visited three children, six grandchildren in CA, IN, and Ontario. Saw Helen Crawford Tracey and Bill in South Laguna and wished she could have visited others. (R)

Phyllis (Pky) Custer and Angela enjoyed a great New England cruise. Neil and Ellie (Ellie) Abrahms Josephson and Jean Buck Brenner made their own voyage party gala. (R)

Peg Kubinietzel will be thinking of us at reunion. Regret! she can't make it.

Connie Garraghay Adams enjoyed the company of Mary (Mimi) Griffith Reed and Duke lunching and sightseeing in SF in July. "Heaven Mimi since I dropped in on her over 25 years ago at their NJ home with our whole brood in tow. They are such an enjoyable couple—really lifted my spirits."

Georgann Haase Walter was voted Teacher-Of-the-Year in the Brea Olinda (CA) School District, where she has taught for 25 years. She has been an outstanding teacher of English and math, has directed chorus, has been an advisor to journalism and has organized astronomy and stamp clubs. For the last five years, Gigi has taught art, her college major. "She has taught everything with enthusiasm for both her students and her subjects," according to People, the publication of the Brea Olinda School District.

Jenne Jacques Kleinschmidt still works as a med tech and loves it. Retired husband says that she will miss many trips if she doesn't retire also. Three daughters have given them seven grandchildren—latest two are Whitney Ellen and Thea Alexis in March and April. She and Roger plan a fall European trip through Spain.
Anne Keay is visiting her sister in Wayland, MA, after the death of their father. She plans to return to Philadelphia and enter a church-run nursing home of her choice. Louis Hankon Ward and her son Mark visited Ken's closest relative in Houston after touring a state that seems most unusual to New Englanders—snow in the desert, for instance. She does volunteer tourist coordinating and had returned from a Canadian Rockies and Seattle trip with a group. She has that to gather her courage to tour alone—a tour to London and Scandinavia is planned. (R)

Elise (Ellie) Abrahams Josephson says her news is a mixed bag. "In spite of surgery for both of us, Neil's bypass and my reattached retina, we are happy in Neil's retirement, and in our four children who are all well, happy, self-supporting and doing good things with their group. She is a judge. "Alas, not true," she says, but she does practice law. She spent last September bicycling in China.

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Our other daughter has a home in NH. Both places we like. There seems most unusual to New Englanders—snow in the desert, for instance. She does volunteer tourist coordinating and had returned from a Canadian Rockies and Seattle trip with a group. She has that to gather her courage to tour alone—a tour to London and Scandinavia is planned. (R)

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BOOKS

DIFFICULTY SWALLOWING: A MEDICAL CHRONICLE

BY MATTHEW GELLER '76
NEW YORK WORKS PRESS

BY DAVID J. ROBB

This is a brutal book. And also a very tender one. It is about dying in America, and also about living with dying in America. The author, Matthew Geller '76, calls it "a medical chronicle." And that, at least in part, is what, relentlessly, this book is all about. It is a chronicle, a day by day account of the death of one young woman named Elley, rendered in agonizing detail by all of the formal documents filed each day by the battery of attending physicians, nurses, hospital administrators, even the dietician. All this arcane, antiseptic, and minutely detailed medical jargon, the very heartblood of modern health care, whose purpose is to describe precisely, to isolate symptoms, and to prescribe action—all this recedes like so much background music before the singular fact of the chronicle, the fact that no one, including the subject herself, can grasp until the very end: the slow, inexorable movement from life to death of one single human being.

What little narrative there is, suffices. For the author is Elley's closest friend. And the little fragments from their daily encounters are enough to place the human face of this story in clear relief. Geller's documentary style is affecting. It constantly juxtaposes the personal and the impersonal, the particular and the general, the relevant and the irrelevant. He forces us to follow Elley's story from both without and within, as if we are both observer and observed.

The modern hospital is a beehive of activity, an extraordinary merging of medical specialization, high-tech apparatus, and bureaucratic organization all dedicated to the same purpose: the defeat of death. When it works it all seems so heroic, a modern miracle. When it does not, as in Elley's case, it seems like so much bluster before the awesome mystery.

Geller begins with Elley's admission to the hospital in mid-March for chemotherapy to arrest what she has just discovered to be a case of acute myelogenous leukemia. Barely five weeks later she is dead. In the interval we follow her ordeal through the bifocal lens of the daily documents and the narrator's journal. The former overwhelms us with furious activity. This is war. Troops and materiel must be mobilized. From the beginning Geller sniffs out this metaphor of battle:

"Elley is the boss: she has the final say. But the doctors are the strategists, the generals. Dr. Weissburg is the commander in chief. The residents are colonels; the interns are lieutenants; the head nurse is serjeant, and the other nurses are corporals. The nurses' aides, janitors and kitchen staff are privates. Elley's body is the battle ground. She can choose to leave the hospital at any time. But both of us know that leaving is not a real alternative."

From the narrative and the documents I counted the following number of people attendant upon the patient in the course of her treatment: 25 physicians/specialists, 17 nurses, one dietician, one social worker, and one chaplain. Slowly, after one treatment after another fails, hope slips away, and Elley herself decides to curtail treatment, so also the activity and attendants fade away.

"Many of the nurses' attitudes changed after Elley decided against further treatment. Some of the nurses stopped talking to me and stopped coming to the room to visit. Many of them seemed to withdraw from the situation. Others shifted their concern from Elly to me."

One is reminded of Oliver Wendell Holmes' exasperated cry, "For God's sake, doctor, don't just do something. Stand there!" But modern medicine is oriented around cure, not care, and when the acolytes cannot do anything they are at a loss. It is as if when Elley decides to forego further treatment she has betrayed them. She has made a pact with the enemy. Their work is done.

There is yet one surprising benediction: In the early evening I turned out the lights and lit a candle. Later as I sat next to Elley while she slept, an old heavy black woman wearing a blue janitor's uniform came into the room. She entered quietly without knocking and stood at the edge of the room watching Elley. At first I didn't like her being there and staring at Elley. I asked if I could help her and she said, "I work here and wanted to see the young woman." These words made her coming seem like an appropriate gesture in what now felt like a sanctuary.

In the end what affects us are the simple things: the daily ritual of tearing the day off the calendar, making plans for the future, walking Elley to the commode, or bathing her, photographs of her mugging in clownish wigs after her hair falls out. These are acts of courage and love. At last, exhausted, Elley cries "I've had enough. I'm sorry." Matthew gives her permission to die, contemplates a mercy killing, decides against it, and in the end simply stays by her side.

Milton Mayeroff wrote, "In the sense in which a man can ever be said to be at home in the world, he is at home not through dominating or explaining, or appreciating, but through caring and being cared for." Matthew Geller's Difficulty Swallowing is a remarkable evocation of the truth of Mayeroff's statement. The very act of sharing this story with us is itself a witness to its truth, and I am deeply grateful to him for having the courage and grace to have done it.

David Robb is chaplain and associate professor of religious studies. Among the courses he teaches in the religious studies department is a class in biomedical ethics.
company to set up health promotion programs for industry.

Mary Hartman Herndon and Dudley, a consultant in DC, visited the Orient in connection with Dudley's teaching job for the Navy. Son: Dudley is a mortgage banker in CA and Randy is a lawyer in DE.

Nancy Tomes Nee, who has been out of the country for a six-week European trip on reunion weekend. Nancy reports that Polly Amren has been warmly welcomed in Shenyang, China, where she is teaching.

Eleanor Barber Malmedof has begun her 11th year as school librarian in Storrs, CT, working evenings in same capacities in Windsor. Ellie was one of 30 who recreated the 120-mile trek from Dorchester, MA to Windsor for Windsor's 350th anniversary celebra-

tion. Daughter, Ashley, was married last summer.

Patricia Dole Pearl's book, after five years of work, has been published. Entitled Religious Books for Children, it is a bibliography of children's books. Husband Jim manufactures grandfather clocks. Son Pete is an attorney and daughter Deirdre is an assistant buyer.

Carolyn Blocker Lanes's postcard from me got stuck to Judy Booth's, going out to AR and back. Cal is teaching a course in writing fiction for children at a community college in Poughkeepsie.

Marilyn Sullivan Mahoney's youngest daughter is a fresh face on the campus. That familiar spot that where Sue spent her CC weekends is visiting Jack. Their oldest of six finished medical school last June. He will make three generations of orthopedic surgeons, a first at Columbia Presbyterian.

Pauline (Polly) Summers Le Pore and her husband welcomed their first granddaughter on July 12. Brooke, Elizabeth, born to her Elizabeth and Jimmy. The class sends congratulations to Polly upon the loss of her mother and only sister June.

We also extend sympathy to Joan Dinnis LeMote, whose husband, Ted, died unexpectedly in October '82. Jo reported the death of Elizabeth Lewis Marx, who died June 5 of cancer. The class extends heartfelt sympathy to the husband, Howard, and to her family.

My husband, Edwin Winter Mead, lost his brave battle with cancer July 27. Correspondent: Mrs. Edwin W. Mead (Edith Le Win), Decon Granum Farm, Norfolk, CT, 06058.

Anita Manasevit Perlman celebrated the fifth year of the career counseling center she established and admits that balancing all that the roles creates constant pressure. Daughters Lisa, a lawyer with a public relations firm in Andraea, and with a mortgage brokerage, live in NYC. Julie is a senior at CC and loves it. Antinous and Roderic have plans for our 35th reunion, special events to stimulate our minds and palates.

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Carolyn (Cal) Smith Hutchison began another year as a teacher in E. Longmeadow and has loved them all. They have had some nice trips, but Cal feels that she and husband, Hutch, are happiest having coffee at their own kitchen table. The best week of the year? The time they spent alone with their grandchildren.

Alison Porritt Smith of Canton Center, CT, finds life serene with her husband John retired. They have traveled extensively with the Antique Arms Society and Alison is involved in the Antique Arms and Glass Society on the Coast. Peter, lives in Providence, daughter Alison is at Yale and son Alex is married and sells and services computers.

Marcia Dorfman Katz has been a writer "all my life including being an editor with Seventeen after college." Marcia currently is writing scripts for PBS Auctions. She and her husband live in NYC and go to Italy twice a year. Most recently to the lake country and Milan and always Rome.

Ann MacWilliam Dilley in Grand Rapids, finds life full and exciting, but it is difficult to get her family together once a week. She and partner, Bob, operate three specialty gift shops. July 27.

Allison Nee, who has been in the work force. Kathy is a PhD candidate at Brandeis. Ben is a junior at WPI and Vickie is a high school junior.

and miles.

Nors and I moved to a smaller home then added on, with the result that I walk more, have more kitchen, more yard, less basement and one less bedroom. A condo is next, as Norris is beginning a good-sized project now. As soon as I am done, I am going to start addressing 250 wedding invitations. Our Episcopal priest daughter Noel will be married to W. Joseph Dehner, an attorney, in November.

I have extended the sympathy of our class to Naomi Harburg Levy on the death of her son Daniel, 27, who died last summer in a rafting accident in CA. Correspondent: Marilyn Wanker Janes, 99 Redbird Lane, Terrace Park, OH 45174.

52 Correspondents: Mrs. Edwin W. Bleecker (Suzanne Mink), 791 Rhind Road, Road–

minton, PA 16010; Janet B. Kellock, 246 Broadway, Peaunville, NY 10570.

54 Cynthia Fenning Rehm has had a mini-reunion at her home in Fennville, CT, beach house this fall with Lasca Huse Lilly, Sally Stecher Holland, Marylee Matheson Larsen and Ann Dygett Brady. Lasca and husband Richard have lived in Copenhagen since Jan-

uary. Their daughter is at Wesleyan. and their high school senior. Sally came from Shaker Heights, OH. Her youngest child started college this fall. Marylee operates a decorating business, "A Better Arrange-

ment," from her Bronxville home. Marlene moved to the historic area of Hoboken, NJ. She is now on Peter Jennings' ABC–NYC staff.

Janet Rowe Dugan's daughter graduated from Dartmouth and is at the U of VA Graduate School of architecture. Son Sean is at Franklin College in Lugaro, Switzerland. Janet was nominated a magis-trate by the governor of MA.

Dorle Knap has started her son's youngest son started at Phila-


56 Sally Smith La Pointe and Mort have moved off the Bowdoin campus to a smaller home since their three boys are on their own.

Sheila Walsh Rankhead has moved to Jacksonville, leaving her job as music and art librarian. Henry is a Stanford sophomore and Jennifer is selling real estate.

Diana Dow Farrell, at this writing, was in remission in her struggle with acute leukemia.

Deborah Gutman Feferbear is teaching another AP history course, Kraziti is a senior at Brown and Andy is accepting his third year of medical school.

Geneva Grimes deLaby's daughter Lorraine received her master's degree in clinical psychology at U of Hartford and was married in her mother's wedding dress in the same church where Geneva married. Paul is at U of CO.

Patricia Legge Foran has been acting vice president of William & Mary Alumni Society at the same time she held down her job as account officer. Four of five children are on their own, and she and Jack find they can talk in complete sentences again.

Jo Milton Williams and her new husband Carl work in the drug and alcohol abuse field in Raleigh. Her three children are a stockbroker, actress, and PhD candidate.

Helen Carey Whitney and Irma Levine Alperin both redecorated their homes and orchestrated weddings for their daughters last summer. Irma has taken up jogging.

Helen's daughter Lorraine is a senior at Pacific Lutheran U. Son Ken has his MBA from Berkley and has joined the real world of business. David is a high school senior.

Gloria MacArthur VanDyne has two married children and two new grandchildren. Two daughters are at Hope College. Two daughters, three dogs, four cats, and five horses are still at home. Skip owns and operates three specialty gift shops.

Victoria Teddyk Bakker has one daughter, Alice in the work force. Kathy is a PhD candidate at Brandeis; Ben is a junior at WPI and Vickie is a high school junior.
Camilla Tyson Hall shipped her girls off to Denison and Gettysburg with the help of UPS. Jay is in high school.

Paula Cooper Porter has been rehired as a teacher of 2nd grade. John is at the U of W in Eau Claire and Wendy is a high school junior. Cynny does less chauffeuring and more car providing.

As of this writing, Camilla is no longer a teacher but has instead developed a new method for determining the nutrient status of trees. She has presented several papers at national scientific meetings.

Angela Arcudi McKelvey’s daughter Paula will be in France for her junior year when Angie is there on her annual high school exchange trip. Jeannie is a management trainee and Peter is a sophomore at Williams.

Esther Pickard Wachtel and Tom have major roles preparing for the summer Olympics. Roger is at Harvard Business School, Wendy a legislative analyst, and Peter is at Berkeley.

Suzanne Rosenhirsch Oppenheim and four children are touring France. Suzi was elected to her 4th term as mayor of Mamaroneck. Two children are at Yale and two at home.

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Sue Moat Borton has submitted her first communication since graduation. She has been married to Robert Borton since 1967 but kids didn’t come along until much later. Now at age 40 she has two boys aged 2 and 4! The Boronts live in Berkeley, CA, and enjoy hiking in the Sierra. Sue devotes spare hours to working with patients in a nearby hospice.

Another recent addition to the column is Carol Wehner Arch. Carol is married and living well in Menlo Park, CA. In 1978, Carol “retreaded” herself and received her MBA from Tuck School at Dartmouth. She works for Coopers & Lybrand where she is a CPA specializing in tax and personal financial planning.

The woman voted Most Athletic in the Class of 1964, Catherine (Cathy) Layne Frank, came through with flying colors as she won six gold medals and set six New England records for her age group (40-44) while competing in the New England Masters Short Course Swimming Championships. Cathy lives in the middle of New England with her husband, Lonny, who works in data base integration for his company’s corporate computer system. Jane also manages three teenage boys. The Powell family enjoys sailing together.

From Cape Kennedy, FL, Janet Fisher Powell reports that the space program is doing well: Jane helped assist the crew on the rescue mission of the space shuttle. Mary is in 6th grade.

Correspondents: Eder Chaile Fenimore, 1209 Glenwood Ave., Concord, MA. She lives in Newton with her husband William and their two boys.
Mary-Dinnis Stearns Taylor and husband Mark have returned to Williamstown, MA, after his sabbatical in Chapel Hill, NC. Dinnis is a programmer/analyst at the Williams Graduate School.

Sailor Tattoos Damashke is enjoying raising Laurel Jane and is anticipating a move to Baltimore, where husband Marc has taken a job with the Space Telescope Science Institute.

Mary Richardson Kidder, with husband Bill and sons Will 10 and Patti 7, live on a 10-acre 1770 farm in New London, NH, with sheep, pigs, three dogs, one cat, and one goat. Bill runs the local bank, New London Trust, and Marilyn works in real estate.

Charity Young-Vitale keeps busy with mothering two children, helping at her daughter's Montessori school, and working as the assistant director for "Parent's Concerns," in Evanston, IL. Her husband David practices emergency medicine.

Donna Tolli Madigan lives in Potomac, MD, with her husband Michael, Molly 11 and Shana 6. She is assistant manager at a small credit union.

Melva Goodwin teaches in and coordinates the English-as-a-Second-Language program at the FL State branch in Panama. She is president of the Friends of the West Indian Museum and was designing Christmas cards for an annual fund raising effort that last year sold over 16,000 cards.

Mary Ellen Saffold is busy "with all the things kids do" with her crew of four, ages 14, 13, one and one. She says that nothing much of the ordinary has happened in the last year but that just trying to keep up is her major goal.

Susan Rankin Davies has moved to DC for a year while her husband, CDR Jonathan F. Davies, US Naval Dental Corps, completes a postgraduate program at Bethesda Naval Hospital. In addition to caring for Joshua and Daniel, she works in Joshua's preschool co-op, plays tennis, and is relearning to ski after four years in Hawaii.

Donna Matthews and her husband Kevin attended the 15th reunion with their daughter Heather 13 and son Brandon, one. She reports that Heather stayed in Hamilton, her mother's old dorm, and stayed up until the final football game, just as "I did 20 years ago."

Joyce Newman Marcus is a TV executive in charge of productions for Consumer Reports in Mt. Vernon, NY. She also directs policy research and education programs for the Consumers' Union Foundation. She lives with husband David, a Bible professor, and sons Jacob 6 and Noah 3, in New Rochelle.

Burt Fresco and his wife Sharon have lived in an 1840 Cape in Hallowell, ME, for 10 years. They have a white oak tree.

Bette Appenzeller returned to Melrose, MA 02176.

Patricia Allen Shellard keeps busy with Elizabeth 6 and John 4. She recently retired after 17 years as a clerk-typist in the Office of the President of the University of Southern Maine.

Katherine Dempster was invited back to campus in June for reunion activities. She was succeeded in her position by Ellen Gibson '74: "I will be happy to see you," she says, "and look forward to an even better time in two years, and would welcome suggestions and ideas for reunion, at 304 Lamont Place, Alexandria, VA, 22314. She serves on Alexandria's cable TV advisory commission and does research for a consulting firm, in addition to caring for Emily 5 and Gillian 2.

Martha Berardino finished her master's in pharmacology at Northeastern U. She reports, "I took one year and six hours but during that time I also had two kidney stones, broken ankles and two babies." She and husband Bob bought a 113-year-old hankie's special in New Rochelle. As they spend much time scraping and sanding, but finally have enough room for themselves and their kids. Bob is a guidance counselor in Marlborough and Martha does medical research at Beth Israel Hospital.

Samantha Giddon and Seth Abrams, 9/16/80 and Elinor Stone (Nell), 8/28/83; to Richard Edwards and Dianne Zwicker, Morris Plains, 11/22/80; to Peter and Lyn Landis Beardsley, Jeffrey, 7/1/82; to Capodilupo Taylor, Erin Elizabeth, 8/10/83; to Bill and Valerie Zucker Holt, Rachel Elizabeth, 8/2/83; and Sally White Walker, Wirt Alexander, 11/29/80; to Tony Cappe, 5/23/83.

Jane Biro Snodgrass and her husband, Richard, are putting the finishing touches on their house in Arlington, VA. They have a 2-year-old son, Judah, and a 5-month-old daughter, Liv. They met in the Oval Office at Harvard Business School, and quickly fell in love.

Mary-Dinnis Stearns Taylor and husband Mark have returned to Williamstown, MA, after his sabbatical in Chapel Hill, NC. Dinnis is a programmer/analyst at the Williams Graduate School. Dr. Robert spent July 4 with Shiffrin's New Year's Eve family and family.

Cheryl Shepley Deane-Maniello is teaching fifth grade in Oyster Bay, NY, directing plays and coaching field hockey. She is doing research for a publication on 19th century ME wall stenciling and playing in a recorder consort.

Katherine Stendeloff Talmage has worked for the past two years as one of three writers producing elementary language arts texts on assignment for various publishers. She co-authored Boxborough: A Portrait of a Town, a bicentennial history project for Boxborough, MA, where she lives with husband Jeff and Becky, 12.

The book, which took two years to do, combined data from written documents and records, photographs, and over 150 personal interviews and questionnaires. Katharine published an article in the Sept., 1983 issue of Cobblesstone, and has two puppies, Willy Mays and Liza Minnelli.

Jane Finn Kurukuru is an attending half-time at Bunker Hill Community College in Charlestown, MA, where my husband Philip is professor of history. We are kept busy by Elizabeth 3 and Mary I and a multitude of community and cultural activities.

Bunting, 10/8/83.

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MARRIED: Tena Williams and Christopher Wilkes, 9/8/78; to John and Mary Montori Stafford, Luke Quinlin, 4/13/81; Benjamin Bryant 2, 10/83; to Richard and Sharon Cashman Truxx, Tessa Breen 11/13/83; to Michael and Karen Kjell Rothman, Julie Iris, 5/7/82; to Anthony B. and Susan Jones Bravo, Christina, 5/14/83; to Troy and Diana M. Capodilupo Taylor, Erin Elizabeth, 8/10/83; to Bill and Sally White Walker, Wirt Alexander, 11/29/80; to Bill and Lynne Melville Gregory, Alice Christie, 8/28/83; to Christine McFarlane, Catriona, 7/24/82; to Andrew Ellens, Abigail Anne, 4/22/82; and Andrew Ellis 11/20/82; to Peter and Lyn Landis Beardsley, Jeffrey, 7/1/82; to Daniel and Terry Lee Quinlin, Margaret, Abigail, 6/12/83; to Dave and Nancy Lauer Kielat, Devon 8/82; to Richard Edwards and Dianne Zwickler, Morgan Zwickler, 2/25/82; to Bob and Alison Stone Ament, Seth Abrams, 9/16/80 and Elinor Stone (Nell), 6/12/83; to Bill and Valerie Zucker Holt, Rachel Elizabeth, 5/23/83.

Frances Abodeley Hollquist was promoted to assistant, vp of Kiplaniom Children's Medical Center in Honolulu, HI in 1983. The office is now 14 months old.

Patricia Allen Shellard keeps busy with Elizabeth 6 and David 3, silk flower arranging, sewing and various volunteer activities at church and in the Junior Women's Club. Husband Bob is director of planning and administration for the Affiliate Relations Division of CBS.

Cheryl Astrophil Crane moved from CT to Woodbridge, VA, and teaches nursery school. Husband Dick, a LCDR in the Coast Guard, is stationed in DC, and they take the children there frequently to see the sights. Children Christine 9 and Tom 7 are involved in after-school sports, and Cheryl spends free time volunteering for their teachers and other organizations.

Sally (Terry) Appenzeller returned to DC after a four-week trip to England to see her aunt, Elizabeth Appenzeller Parsons 31, and also visited Denmark and Ireland. She finds her job at the Justice Dept., expand-
Jill Ekberg Ryan is in private group practice with two psychiatrists and one social worker in Conrad, MA. She and husband Ken just bought a beautiful 172-acre salbox in the center of Concord, which will surely see a lot of work, as restoration is one of her passions.

Ginger Engel Bennifer is a clinical psychologist in private practice in Concord, and finds it an inspiring and challenging to work with individuals of all ages, couples and families. Husband Brian is in film and TV production and writing. Their children are Brooke 5 and Adam 2.

Alana Flamer Fodeman, husband Alan, son Morris 11 and daughter Cydney Alice in Fairfield, where Alana does volunteer work for Audubon and Hill River Conservancy, has fun teaching children ecology. They spend much time at their FL home.

Janice Foster Gilmour resigned from the marketing dept at NE Telephone to be home with Nicole 3 and Adam 1. Husband Michael is an engineer at Mitre Corp in Bedford, MA.

Now feeling at home in Nashville, Elaine Frey Hester is busy with Jonathan 2, tennis league and lessons, garden club, antique tour group, and New Neighbors League. Her family had a late spring vacation in St. Simons Island. They traveled in August to WI to visit friends and enjoy relatively cool summer days in Door County.

Nancy Gilbert Brenner is a part-time attorney with a Manhattan law firm. She and husband Stephen live in Chappaqua with children Jordy 5 and Tracy 2.

Jean Glancy Vaughn keeps busy with Jenny 2 and consulting work for a hospital. They have moved to a larger home in Norwell, MA.

Mary Grall Barbera, husband Andre and boys Ben 10 and Tony 4, moved to South Bend, IN in 1982, and are back at work after a summer vacation in ME where they saw Betty Bacchiocchi Landsman-Libby and Barb (Barb) Keshen. Mary teaches at IU-South Bend, working in early childhood education and mainstreaming handicapped children. Andre teaches music at Notre Dame.

Marina (Mimi) Griswold Geer graduated from law school in 1992. She decided on a career change, so she is studying for her MBA at Georgetown. Children are Jennifer 14, John 11, and Carlin, nearly 7. Carolyn says “completed a semester of business school in under.”

Marjorie Jones McBride enjoys being back in New England after 11 years absence. She keeps busy putting around the house and teaching quilting. Husband Jay is stationed at the USCG Rio in Newport, and three of the ship's wives are CC grads so they get together frequently. Traacy graduated from college in May and teaches 1st grade. Marjorie visited with Claire Sekulski Bosen 69 and family, and also spent some time with her sister Patricia Jones Iglehle and her family during one of their trips back from Nigeria. She visited the CC campus this year and liked what she saw.

Rodell (Rudy) Josephson is legislative counsel for the AK and state legislatures, drafting legislation and doing other legal work. In his spare time he is fixing up a duplex in Douglas, across Gastineau Channel from Juneau. Rudy visited Boston this summer and saw Patricia Bernstein. Other activities include whale- and eagle-watching, fishing and enjoying the beach.

B. Pocha (Janey) Palmer lives in Santa Fe with her husband, since leaving CT, she has two duties of duty in Hawaii, one at U. AZ and two years in Madrid. They celebrated his retirement from the Navy in Jan, 1980 by entering law school at U. of NM, from which they both graduated cum laude. They currently enjoy interest Albuquerque law firms while awaiting Bar results. Once admitted, they plan to be

Pamela (P.J.) Knapp and husband Chuck Mashowske bought a three-story Victorian commercial building in Hammondport, NY, in the Finger Lakes, which they are restoring, and have opened “Browsers,” a bookstore and art gallery which she manages. They plan to use a few more rooms for a Bed & Breakfast type inn later on. Chuck works for Ingersoll Rand as export credit manager in charge of Latin American and Pacific areas.

Dorothy Krueger Smith received a degree in library science in 1975 and has been head librarian in Middlefield, CT, for eight years. She is now completing a home study course in antiques a appraisals through Southampton (LI) College. Her family has all grown and gone, so she travels to Houston and San Antonio to visit some, and plans to visit Phoenix next spring for her daughter's graduation from ASU.

Karen Kuskin-Smith spent the 1981-82 school year as the counselor at an American school in Rome, and is now coordinator for Support Services at Brookline, MA, high school.

Marlyn Landis Beardsey teaches French and husband Peter teaches special ed at the junior high level. She is back at work this year after a year's leave for Jeffrey's birth; she describes him as "an unparalleled joy." They live on a beautiful lake in South Salem, NY, but enjoy traveling and vacationed in CA this summer.

Nancy Lauren Perez teaches junior high, runs in races, and cooks for the Bermuda Bay Pups. She takes care of Anne 3 and Katharine, 8 months. Husband Jose is building a new passive solar home in Chappaqua, NY, designed by neighbor Philip Chau, who was also the architect of the new CC library.

Nancy Lauter Klatell completed her doctorate at BU in early childhood education last spring, and is job hunting while teaching part-time at WheeLock College and BU. Her children are Jenna 5 and Devon 1.

Susan Lee is moving back to Chicago after a year in NYC. She still works for Northern Trust, a Chicago bank, in charge of an 80-person business unit in the operations department.

Diane Levy Jacobson, husband Paul and sons Nathaniel 10 and Benjamin 7 moved to St. Paul, where Diane is asst. professor of Old Testament at Lutheran-Western Seminary. Paul is a freelance musician in early music and plays and builds Renaissance and Baroque flutes and recorders. Diane continues work on her dissertation.

Sally Lieb completed her MA in management and graduated with distinction in 1982. She rewarded herself by taking four months off and traveling the US in a truck camper, doing a total of 13,000 miles and visiting friends along the way, including Erika Lehninger White more '69 in Boston and Linda Jensen Goodman '71 in CT. She also visited the CC campus and enjoyed seeing the new additions. She is now an account executive for UBS-IV in Prescott, AZ.

Susan Locke Soffer has worked for the city of Austin, TX, since 1977 and is supervisor of the community services unit in the Human Services Dept. Her husband received his PhD from UT in 1980 and works with the TX Education Agency. They keep busy decorating their new home and caring for Justin 3.

Bette Macieko Maynard moved from NH to Dothan, AL, due to health, and found not only a warmer climate but a husband. Ernie is a marine engineer and professional becker, and travels extensively. Their wedding was attended by Lisa Rowe and Medivle Gregory who serves as a temporary registration coordinator for American Cyanamid Co. an exciting challenge, but her frequent business travel to DC will be curtailed for some time by the arrival of daughter Alicea. Husband Bill enjoys the fast pace of Wall St.

Toni Mendelson Thompson finished her PhD in special ed, and three weeks later gave birth to Erin, Son Douglas 4. She works part-time writing grants, and finds Chapel Hill “heaven.”

Mary Montori Stafford and John still work in their bookstore and tune pianos. They also are restoring their year-old home.

Constance Morhardt M tornows and Dave live in Stur bridge with their two girls, now 5 and 3. Constance teaches at Trinity College (Hartford) and Dave works for NU in Worcester.

Sara Murphy McReynolds and Larry have returned to MA after living in England, TX, AZ, and Saudi Arabia. Larry has a new job at New England Biolabs and they bought the house that Sara grew up in. They have two children, Elizabeth 3 and Andrew Ellis 1.

Virginia Nelson received her MA in industrial and organizational psychology at U. New Haven in 1981 and has worked as the training programs administrator at Blue Cross Blue Shield of CT. Her recent marriage to William Hathaway, a buyer at Electric Boat, was held in Harkness Chapel, with a reception in the newly restored Lighthouse Inn.

Karen Nielsen Beran changed from advertising sales work at Barron's to the same field at the Wall Street Journal, both part of Dow Jones. She and husband Stuart spent their vacation at his family's home on the beach in RI. They are both active in the Blue Hill Troupe, an amateur Gilbert & Sullivan company in NYC.

Jerry (Janny) Palmer Stout lives in the WI countryside 35 miles east of Minneapolis with husband Dick and children Weezie, Allie, and Willy. Currently a full-time mom, she sees Kathy Doar, also of Miami, who has helped her on her own law firm.

Doris Benner Palmer completed her 6th year in school psychology at U. Hartford in May, and is on
sabbatical this year to do an internship in school psychology. She and her husband became grandparents this spring. Son Carl graduated UPenn in May and works at Grumman in RI.

Nancy Piersce as an assistant director of the Northern VA Fine Arts Association in Alexandria, and loves being in DC after 10 years in rural NC. Daughter Laura 11 babysits for Mary Jane Atwater's girls, and son John is involved in soccer in local league.

Mary (Molly) Hall Prokop is a health physical therapist in Fairfax County, VA. After driving for work and kids' soccer practices, she enjoys gardening, painting and crafts, and also runs. She finished the Bonnie Bell 10K in less than an hour, "not great, but fun," she reports. Her family vacationed in Ocean Isle, NC, this summer.

Jane Richman Cohen and husband Marvin recently moved into a new home in Highland Park, IL, just one mile from Christine Hellman Bakalar. Jane is a part-time clinical social worker and a full-time mother to Jenny 7 and Becca 3.

Lisa Richter is a research assistant at Fleishman, Hillard, Inc., selling, designing and executing marketing research and opinion surveys. Her territory includes St. Louis, Kansas City, NY and LA. She and husband Robert Mai have two children, Ellen 4 and Vanessa 1. Robert is manager of client services for Marlit, Inc.

Randall Robinson is in private practice in psychotherapy and enjoys her 30-hour-per-week schedule as it allows her lots of time with Casey 4 and Whitney 18 months. She is frequently seen running racecar festivals, clubs and races, and understands the dynamics of her young patients.

Dale Ross Wali retired from career counseling and besides caring for Gregory 3 and Jeffrey 6, is co-chairwoman of the local UJA Women's Campaign. She frequently sees Laurie Schaffer Disick and Nancy Gilbert Brenner, and just returned from two weeks in the English countryside where she and husband Peter spoke with Carol Brennan Stevens.

Carolyne Griffith's husband and son still live on their farm in Harvard, MA, and enjoy it though it takes up much time. Their children, Jason 4 and Ted 3 use the rest. Carolyn works at Digital Equipment as MIS manager for the corporation's stamp plant.

Lisa Rowe is manager of market research and planning for a chemical company in NJ. She spends her spare time painting, sewing and reading, keeps in touch with Lynne Melville Gregory, concerns in NY, and doing "impulse" things like driving to Betty Macielock Maynard's wedding in AL.

Suzanne Ruckman McBride is pursuing a PhD in educational studies at UF. Her dissertation is on the cognitive processes in children's learning to program computers, using a version of the LOGO language she developed for the PLATO system at UF.

Melissa Ryan Groenke volunteers at her children's schools and in the community. Husband Ted started a heavy equipment business in their new town of Winter Park, FL, which Melissa says they love, but "please send a copy of this article to their school." Bonnie Rynar Walker, husband Bill and daughters Jennifer, 9 and Elena 3 moved to Livingston, NJ, after 10 years in Memphis. They enjoy the northeast and keep very busy. Bonnie would love to hear from classmates.

Laurie Schaffer Disick and Ellis live in Scarsdale with sons Grant 8 and Evan 7. They keep busy with the boys, community groups, tennis and exercise, and recently returned to the Conn campus for the first time since graduation and says it looked beautiful. Laurie and her family spent their vacation this year with Peter and Elaine Woodman in Vermont and will travel to Boston and usually sees Lynn Robinson Taff.

Pauline Schwede Assenza is production control supervisor for National Semiconductor and is working on a master's dissertation in organizational psychology at U. New Haven. She lives in Woodbury, CT, where her hobbies are photography and horses.

Katherine O'Sullivan See was just promoted with tenure at NI State U., where she teaches in the residential honors college, James Madison College. She heads the field dealing with minority and women's issues. She continues to write about ethnic conflict in Northern Ireland, and says her research is treading on thin ice. She is completing a book comparing nationalist separatist movements in Ulster and Quebec. Katie was married in 1982 to Lens Isaacs, a fellow MSU faculty member and molecular biologist specializing in ethics, science and society.

Rachael Sherbourne Cooney lives in Sudbury, MA, with husband Bob and children Daniel Eric 2 and Eron Lee 4. Rachael started an intern placement program at the Center for Better Living in Marlboro, and is beginning a postgraduate externship at the Institute for Family Therapy. She keeps in touch with Mary Kelly and Patricia Diggs.

Nancy Simon Fulton is a full-time mother since Katie's birth, two years ago, and before that worked at the Union of Concerned Scientists. Husband David is a pediatric care center director. They live in Brookline along with their older daughter Julie 6.

Martha Sloan Felch is senior development analyst for Saddlebrook Corp., a banking software firm, and is responsible for clients in OH, Philadelphia and Hawaii. She serves on the Newton, MA, board of the CC Club, along with Carolyn Ollman, (sec'y). She and husband Allan are responsible for their 16-room Victorian house in Newton.

Georgia Spiro Schweitzer is publication sales director for Bank Administration Institute, a research and education center. She and husband Bob, senior VP with Wachovia and head of their Midwest division, love living in Chicago. Sons are Scott 6 and Craig 3.

Barbara Johnson and her husband Bill are restoring their 16-room Victorian house in Harwich, MA, and enjoy it though it takes up much time. Their children, Scott 6 and Craig 3.

Janet Rome George received her Ed.D in counseling psychology in May and directs a residential program for disturbed boys, community groups, tennis and exercise, and rest. Carolyn works at Digital Equipment as MIS manager, and keeps busy with the boys, community groups, tennis and exercise, and coming home for the weekend.

Laura 11 babysits for Mary Jane Atwater's girls, and finds Linda Monte Dresch 68 a dear neighbor and friend. She misses Jane Gilbert Snyder'71 and Nancy James Pavlik 71, whose husbands were transferred.

Your correspondent, Barbara Jane Knowlton, has moved again this time only a mile away but still as much work. I am advisor to the 12- and 13-year-old girls at church, teaching a weekly lesson on Sundays and being involved in many mobile activities, as well as enjoying my new home computer, a Kaypro II, on which the class notes were composed, and attended a weekend reunion of former Yellowstone employees in Wyoming in July.

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BRN: To Amy Lewis Tabor and Bob, Adam, 5/29/83; to Meredith Morton Davis and Brian, Jessica Morton, 5/27/83, to Lucy Boswell Siegel and Henry, Daniel Alan, 5/7/83; to Nancy Ziegler Vonder Porten and Gabor Kodros, 12/26/82; to Martha Sorrentino and Ed, Christopher Michael, 2/1/83; to Wendy Weissell Mellon and Rick, John, 11/23/81; to Jennifer Ward Angus and Andy, Edward Ward, 11/26/82; to Ann Taylor and Bruce Charles, Mary Ann Lewis, 6/17/83; to Daniel and Deborah Dickson Shapiro, Suzanne Elizabeth, 6/10/82; to Lawrence and Catherine Young Cloough, Andrew, 1/21/82; to Dan Limata and Nancy Newman Limata, Christina Marie, 10/2/81; to Ted and Barbara White Morse, Christopher Brooks, 7/9/83; to JoAnn Giordano Everson and husband, Richard George, 2/16/83; to Kathleen Keffer Krane and John, Peter, 4/17/83; to Nancy Kyle Fraser and husband, Cameron Kyle, 10/5/82; to Peggy Kocabker Shiffman and David, Laura Rachel, 7/15/83; to Carol Blake Boyd and Peter, Michael Stewart, 8/1/83.

John Myers became an RN two years ago and recently was promoted to shift supervisor at his hospital. He and his new wife Sarah (also an RN) are living in New Rochelle, FL.

Candace Thorson received an MBA from CA State-Long Branch in May. Last year she was promoted to assistant vp of Scudder Realty Advisors.

Hannah Scheckaysko teaches high school English and husband Dan practices law in Wellsville, NY. Jason 8 has ventured into the world of soccer, Cub Scouts and piano lessons. Sarah 5 started kindergarten. Hannah's parents were appointed to the board of their community hospital.

Deborah Mathieu is finishing her dissertation for a PhD in Tucson, AZ. Husband Alan is a philosophy professor at the U of AZ.
Robert Wallack Murph', husband George and Brad Z live in Mantoloking, NJ. George is a partner in a law firm and Roberta is in the marketing department of NJ Bell.

Amy Lewis Tabor graduated in Dec. from CW Post with an MS in accounting after six years of studying at night. She plans to work in the accounting field.

Meredith Morton Davis received her MFA from MA College of Art in 1980. She works seasonally as a farmstand manager at a local organic vegetable farm and in winter is busy with sculpture and environmental art. Brian teaches, coaches and is director of athletics at Middlesex School in Concord.

Karen Rutherford Furnans has had more time for tennis, with Jordan in first grade and Joanna in nursery school. She is a part-time psychiatric social worker.

Margo Reynolds Steiner spent 10 days in the Soviet Union last year with a group of alumni directors from other universities, scouting out the possibilities of a trip there for alumni of Northeastern U., where she works in the alumni office. This year she traveled in Germany and Italy.

Amy Savage Beckley and her husband have bought a home on Martha's Vineyard. Kory & Scott live in the city.

Stephanie Levine is in her 12th year of teaching high school English at Cambridge Rindge and Latin. She has announced her plans to retire in June, and may just take up golf. She and Barbara Zacecke Shattuck are neighbors on Amelia Island, FL. Barbara left Goldman & Sachs & Co. last year and founded an investment banking company with two other ex-WPs from Salomon Bros. Called Cain Bros. Shattuck and Co., it's located in NYC.

Linda Howe exhibited at a wildlife art exhibition in Bucks County, PA, in Dec. and had two shows in Jan. She's also doing a public speaking tour on Adventures in the Imagination. Husband Samuel launched a video and computer consulting business. Justin is 4.

Elizabeth Meiklejohn Helming, David, Sarah 4, and Andrew 2 live in Bath, ME, where Betsy teaches music and science and David is in the insurance business.

Linda Weisheit Melton is a full-time mother to Michael 6, Ricky 4, and John 2. Home is a renovated farmhouse for which husband Rick developed the park plan and is the resident naturalist. Wendy counsels breastfeeding mothers.

Gale Siepckel Fitzgerald is a branch manager for IBM in Connecticut. Her husband and daughter live in CT. She and her husband spend their vacations in the woods.

Elizabeth Hitchcock is in her 12th year of teaching art at the Rodgers and Hammerstein organization in New York City, supervising and teaching part-time at the School of the Art Institute.

Barbara O. Stevens is one of a group of members of the Rodgers and Hammerstein organization in New York City, supervising and teaching part-time at the School of the Art Institute.

Susan Walker Kowen is back at her law practice located in NYC. She recently graduated from the University of New England Conservatory and was soloist in Brahms's Clarinet Quintet.

Leesa Leibacher Ward, David and Sarah (in kindergarten) have moved from CT to Chicago where David is director of operations for the Chicago Symphony. Susan is finishing her dissertation at Brown in art history and teaching part-time at the School of the Art Institute.

Adam born in May. Amy is also busy fund raising for her new brother. Husband Ted opened a personal computer store in May.
JoAnn Giordano Everson is busy in Chapel Hill, NC, caring for her two sons and being general contractor for the new home they are building. She is a member of the Chapel Hill Service League, and plays tennis for the C.H. Tennis Club.

After a two-month maternity leave, Nancy Kyle Fraser returned to work at Morgan Guaranty as head of international investments.

Peggy Kohacker Shiffrin lives in DC and is an attorney with Kaslon, Pfeiffer, Woodard, Quinn. Ross, practicing communications law. Husband David Shiffrin is an attorney with Linowes and Blocher. David's brother and sister-in-law, Rob and Nancy Weden Shiffrin are '74 graduates of Conn.

Karen DuRulf is at South Barney spending most of her time with the municipal bond trading departments. Karen sees Connie Vigneri Grew and Randy, and Cynthia Scio and husband Bob.

Susan Kimbard Jones lives in VA with husband Bruce, and Amanda 8, and Nathaniel 6. Bruce is an attorney, and Susan works in his office. Besides the children's activities, she enjoys volunteer work and music classes.

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74 MARRIED: Pamela Gleason, M.D., to Dr. Swearingen, 9/83; Elisa Goldweitz to Michael Baly, III, 5/14/83; Carol Fitzie to Joe Godfrey, III, 10/16/83; Polly Tompsett to Michael J. Walsh, 5/20/83.

BORN: to Polly Haight Frawley and Al, Alfred, 1/26/83; to Cathy Menges Zagunis and Robert, Marten, 10/13/83; to Catherine Platen Mueller, Sarah Catalina, 4/17/83; to Rick (75) and Katharine Powell Cohn, Erica Annetie, 5/11/83; to Richard and Lisa McCullough, William, 7/30/83; to Robert and Anita Perry Laughlin, Nathaniel, 1/83.

Bruce K. Garnant, wife Elizabeth and daughter Vanessa, 3, have moved from DC to C. Beuces, is still with Saturn Construction Co., and has opened their new DC office. He is working on the completion of seven buildings in the S. Government.

Ellen Gibson and husband moved to VT where they have bought an 1840s colonial cape which they intend to restore. Ellen plans to seek employment at a nearby museum.

Pamela Gleason Swearingen is enjoying her work as a pediatrician at the Lahey Clinic in Arlington, MA. She and her husband, a psychiatrist, live in Cambridge. Pam recently saw Helen Ditto Reilly who lives in Brookline.

Jonathan Gold is a real estate developer in Santa Fe, NM.

Elisa Goldweitz Baly and Michael are living in a 143-year-old house in Old Town, Alexandria, VA. Elisa practices law with Hopkins and Sutter in DC. Michael is VP, government relations of the American Gas Assn in Arlington.

Karen Gordon works at the Health Services at Princeton and teaches at Teachers' College, Columbia. She is half way through her doctorate at Columbia.

E. Brooks Gottsch Workman and Rey had a second honeymoon this June touring the Orient for four weeks with a stop in Hawaii. Brooks serves on the executive committee of Hospice Care, Inc. and cares for Roy IV 5, Nathaniel 4, and Alice 1.

Leilie Goulet is director of occupational and physical therapies and has a private practice working with physically handicapped infants and toddlers in NH.

Sharon Greene is doing heart research at the U of VT Medical School while her husband completes his MD.

Amy Guss Ha has an insurance agency in Fullerton, CA. Husband Francis has a real estate brokerage and management co.

Polly Haight Frawley and Al are living in N. Yarmouth, ME, and practicing law at different offices. Polly practices in Portland, Al in Yarmouth with his son.

Kathy Hanagan Fimmel is busy with her three children, Antje 5, Katrinka 3, and Jonathan 2. She has been doing some writing and took a newswriting course at the U of Bridgeport. Kathy and Nathaniel training and running New York races.

Sophie Hantzis Mass was promoted to account supervisor at Sieber and McIntyre. She keeps in touch with Margaret Hamilton Turkewich, Sophia and Jeff excelling in their work.

Jill Katzenberg has joined HGM Hilltop Reapers (Cleveland's largest) and enjoys her work as a sales agent.

Carol Leffert is reference librarian at the Cabot Science Library at Harvard. She is working towards a second master's, this one in biology at Harvard.

Ellen Lipp has a PhD in anthropology from American U. She is on the faculty of Empire State U in Emporia, K. Husband Leo M. Pedrettis teaches data processing.

Susi Majekia is with Prime Computer working on development of automation software. She has visited with Dora DeBlasi and Pat Whitehead Vishi. She keeps busy with her job, house, and aerobics.

Elisa Menges Zagunis will be returning to work as an RN after her maternity leave. She was manager for the Women's Rowing Team for the Pan Am Games in Caracas in Aug. 83. She is with Anita DeFrances, who will be an Olympic Village director for the 84 games.

Andy Miller is practicing law in SF and still dancing.

Wendy and daughter Little are doing fine.

Marion Miller Vokey had an exciting summer studying photography in San Miguel d'Allende, Mexico, visiting relatives in Seattle and Vancouver, and attending a counseling seminar in Las Vegas.

She is college counselor at St. John's School in Houston.

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Nancy Bellantone received an MA in dance with a major emphasis in videodance in June '82 from OH State U. She and husband Peter Galipault have formed Movieda, in Boston, to document performing arts groups on videotape and to service dance companies by producing promotional tapes and reportage, and public service announcements.

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Rick Allen and his wife, Louise, have returned to Minneapolis. They are going to practice law. Louise grew up in Miami and Rick went to law school there. Rick is now practicing litigation and Louise is a tax lawyer.

David Anderson is an importer and exporter with P. I. Trade, a New York corporation. Wife Coleen O'Shea Anderson is a senior editor with Asum Books, a division of the Harcourt Corp.

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In Boston: Meg Prost is assistant director of development at Pine Manor College. She is chairwoman of College's Young Alumni Gift Program, which enables her to return to CC occasionally. She has heard from Betsy Davis Banks, living in Chicago and working as a buyer for Casual Corner; and Marcy Connolly Gookin, who has moved to NJ.

Paul Sanford has received his master's in political science from BC. He enjoys his work for MA Fair Share as a political organizer, and requests that no more applications for roommates be sent, as he already has filled a quota of three women.
Ann Drouilhet has received her MSW from the U of Chicago. Ann is a family therapist at Madison Park High School and is training with the Kan- fer Institute Family. She and Karen Haas Wheelan share a love for running, and can be spotted on the roads together on a clear day. They are reunion chairpersons and wedding guests.

Dawn Bursk is assistant editor of Computer and Electronics Marketing, a high tech journal. She has had a poem published by the World of Poetry Ann and gave a paper at the Science Fiction Research Assn conference.

Leslee Weiss works for New England Life in the office automation dept. She is in the MBA program at BU, and when not at school can be seen at CC weddings.

Alan Trebat works at a Waltham law firm, after graduating cum laude from Suffolk Law School in 1983. He had his wedding, Janie Botlon '79 bought a house in Waltham.

Marti Gaetz Karaske teaches students from K to Grade 8 at the Science Resource Center in the Brookline public schools. She and her husband Dale, who is involved with youth work in the South End, live in Cambridge.

Jody Steiner returned to Boston after touring nationally with the 3rd grade class of Boston. She is co-manager and performer with the Next Move Unlimited, a touring company that integrates disabled and non-disabled actors. She works part-time at Houlhins in the Faneuil Hall Marketplace.

Jen Perry has received his masters in counseling psychology from Lesley College. He is counseling on a Cambridge Hospital in-patient psychiatric unit, and participating in a pre-doctoral research fellowship in psychology at McLean Hospital.

Dave Cruthers is at the Fenn School in Concord as a fourth grade teacher and wrestling coach. The highlight of his year was attending to VN Yastrimski's last two games of his career at Fenway Park.

Tom Kadosz celebrated his fifth anniversary as a Boston City Hall employee. He is a member of the management team that has increased parking fees from $4.5 million to $22 million in one year. He spent time with Jim Glick, who visited the area on an assignment for the Boston Globe.

Jonathan Robbins was promoted to Special Writer/ Rewrite at The Middlesex News, a 50,000 circulation daily newspaper in Framingham, MA.

John More is in the training program for Merrill Lynch & Co. He has been busy training his daughter, Malasia, plotting to strike rich. He denies that any such fortune will result in a similar increase in parking fine collections next year.

Gail Finneray enjoys the life of a lawyer for the firm of Bunyan & Bunyan, all lives in Cambridge and occasionally bumps into Mark Fiskio '79.

Joyce Rubino is a social worker for the MA Department of Social Services. She lives in Medford, the small town of the nation's capital.

Betsy Hamburger is an executive search consultant and a partner in Nathan Burry Associates. Betsy also teaches as a job counselor at the Cambridge Center for Adult Education, as well as a class in aerobics.

Patty Radin is a systems analyst for John Hancock. She has become an avid racquetball player, winning a trophy at her club. She has moved into her own apartment in Brookline.

Mitch Pine works with an autistic man, while taking courses at the NE Conservatory of Music. Mitch says he would like to know if anyone knows what life is all about. If so, they should feel free to call him.

Nancy Heaton is manager of office automation at Wang Laboratories. She loves it there and is very involved with youth work in the South End, live in Waltham.

Les and Stacey left Manhattan for greener pastures in Connecticut. They would also like to extend our sympathy to Albert Butler and her family upon the loss of her mother in Jan. 1983.

Vivian Spear has earned her MA in English at Brandeis University. She has been reminded by pulling up an article in a 50,000 circulation newspaper in Framingham, MA.

Lois Mendez has graduated from Teacher's College at Columbia where she received her MA and MEd in educational psychology and remedial reading. She teaches at Laguna City Community College.

Anne Verplank has finally made the move to NYC to begin a new job at the Museum of Fine Art, where she and Mitchell Osar, 9/4/82, live. Lisa Petroni Osar writes from Pittsford, NY, where she and her husband live. Lisa began a career in retail at Jordan Marsh and now buys for McCarthy's in Rochester. She and Mitchell are new homeowners.

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Barbara Litten is attending the Fashion Institute of Technology at SUNY, taking a one-year program in fashion design.

Gay Sweet worked for a UN agency in Rome for six months and is now employed with Penton Learning Systems in NYC.

Ray Christensen is in retail management in W. Hartford, CT.

Lauren Mann lives in Laurel, MD, and works in animal laboratory research.

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