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Construction on College Infirmary. The building will be located north of Harkness Chapel and Windham House.

Photo by Philip Carpenter
CONSTRUCTION IN PROGRESS ON NEW COLLEGE INFIRMARY
Corner Stone to be Laid on October 19, Day of Trustees’ Meeting

The many alumnae who have contributed to the Infirmary Fund during the past few years were recently cheered by a welcome communication from the President’s office which read as follows:

“Ground was broken for the Connecticut College Infirmary on July 17, 1950, and we hope to see the building finished during this college year. It will include a foyer-lounge, beds for twenty-two students, a physician’s office, a dispensary, laboratory, and solarium. It is located north of Windham House and Harkness Chapel, and will have attractive views to the north as well as over the Arboretum to the west.

Our vicissitudes have been many—financial, revisions of plans, hurdles of all sorts. It was not possible to build as elaborate a building as was planned in 1945, nor have we included all the facilities which we hope eventually to have. For instance, we are digging the pit for an elevator which we cannot afford, and we are providing a room for X-ray equipment we cannot now buy. However, we are happy to be on our way with your help to providing before the year is out, modern, adequate, and attractive medical facilities for our student health program.

The first parent-student gift to the building came in April 1943 from Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Rabinowitz and their daughter Betty ’44. Our first alumnae gift came in 1944 from Dr. Parks McCombs ’25. Since then 844 individuals, twenty-five alumnae class and club groups, and one foundation have made gifts. The range has been from $1 to $30,000—truly a cooperative project.

Thursday, October 19, when we plan to lay the corner stone, will be a happy day indeed for Connecticut College.

The Carola Ernst Memorial Room in the library, the French Seminar room, is now nearing completion, lacking only a rug. The furniture and hangings are modern, in color chiefly blue and green. Prints by Cezanne, Segonzac, and Utrillo were chosen for the walls. A special bookplate is being designed for books which will be placed in the room. A dozen volumes of Miss Ernst’s own books will form the nucleus of what will be a growing collection there.

A group of 50 prints selected from the Wetmore Collection will probably be shown in art museums across the country during the winter. The prints will include 30 Durers, 12 Rembrandts, 4 Canalettos, and Hollar’s The Seasons. This outstanding collection of prints was a bequest to the College in 1930 from Miss Fanny Wetmore, longtime friend of the College.

The National Association of Teachers of Singing held its annual workshop on campus during the last week of August. Miss Grace Leslie of the Music Department, registrar of the group, served as hostess to some thirty-five members from all over the United States. The rafters rang in Holmes Hall and Grace Smith House where those attending worked and lived for the week.

The Department of Music is sponsoring a series of two programs of chamber music on October 12 and 20, by the New Music String Quartette. Special rates will be given to public school students. This group of concerts is in addition to the well established Connecticut College Concert Series which was initiated when the auditorium was opened. The regular Concert Series will include this winter concerts by the Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra as well as by the Boston Symphony Orchestra.

The larger recent gifts of books to the library this summer include a notable collection in the field of religion from Dr. Charles Spencer Beard of Montville, Connecticut, given in the name of the Beard and Parker families, and books from the Peter Pauper Press. These books will be on exhibit in the library from October 15 to November 15.
New Chairman of Department of French

Mr. Marc Chadourne, well-known French novelist and scholar, is the new chairman of the Department of French. From 1920 to 1940 Mr. Chadourne was in the French Colonial Service with appointments in French Oceania, Africa, and Indochina. His literary career began in 1927, and his numerous books include travel and essays as well as fiction. As a writer he has received the following awards of distinction: Prix du roman de l'Academic francaise, Prix Femina, Grand prix de Literature de l'Academic francaise. Since 1942 he has taught in the United States at Scripps College, La Jolla, California, and at the University of Utah.

Affiliation with Lyman Allyn Museum

In the course of the summer the College was approached by the Hartford-Connecticut Trust Company, which is the trustee of the Lyman Allyn Museum in New London, with the question of whether the College would wish to manage the Museum. After a very considerable discussion of the matter, the bank appointed President Park as Director, with instructions to carry out the intent of the donor of the Museum. This is to provide free use of the Museum for the people of New London.

Special for Classes of '19 — '25

Old photographs taken on campus have been sorted, labeled, and filed in the library during the past year. We are amazed and dismayed to find that we have but three pictures taken during the first five years of the College. Look in your scrap books, dig out your old films. Have you any campus scenes of which you could have a glossy print made for us? If so, please send them to the President's office, Fanning Hall.

CAMPUS VIPs. Above right, Robert Wheeler, Superintendent of Grounds for the College. Mr. Wheeler was put on the campus payroll in July 1917. His long tenure of office and his outstanding work are responsible in large part for the transformation of the campus from a barren and rocky hilltop to its present verdant and beautiful state. Working with Mr. Wheeler in the picture is Harry Brooks, employee in the Grounds Department.

Mr. Gerrit Vander Veer (right) in the picture to the left is College Engineer. He is in charge of all Power House work, and also designs electrical layouts for College buildings, most recently for the new Infirmary. He is regarded on and off campus as versatile as well remarkably efficient. With him (left) is Clayton Howard, Electrician. Mr. Howard's ability, ingenuity, and patience are known to many alumnae who have worked in Palmer Auditorium in student radio and dramatic activities.
BOOK BY MISS ELIZABETH (BIG BEAR) WRIGHT IS PUBLISHED
Bursar Emeritus and One of Founders of College Writes First Story

By CATHERINE OAKES, Member of the Faculty, Department of English

To those favored alumnae who knew Miss Elizabeth Wright when she and her sister presided over the Bursar's office, first in New London Hall and later in Fanning, the announcement that she likes to tell a good story comes as no surprise. That she has written a book, however, may astonish those who were not in the secret. Rumor declares that few people were in the secret; that even Miss Mary Wright had no suspicion last winter of that early morning toil, which apparently was less toil than delight to the author. Wrapped in blankets Miss Elizabeth composed and revised, composed and revised, until stirrings from the neighboring room warned her that discovery was imminent. One is reminded of Jane Austen flinging needlework over the manuscript in her lap when callers entered the family sitting-room. How Miss Wright managed to confine inspiration to those waking hours she does not state. At all events THE FORCE OF CIRCUMSTANCES is the happy result.

Miss Wright's hero is young Michael O'Brien whose life was shadowed early by the murder of his gifted father and later by active duty in the first World War. How Michael and his buddy Paul, on their return to America, make a useful life for themselves in the face of severe handicaps, forms the nucleus of the story which is sympathetically and often humorously told. It is plain that Miss Wright enjoys the telling; that she is deeply interested in her characters and their success—both material and spiritual; that she believes in the adage: "Amor vincit omnia". It is clear, also, that she thinks the modern reader needs a book dealing with a variety of characters from the humbler walks of life; the aristocrats in her story (except for Grandfather McGuiness) are decidedly disagreeable individuals. The author is most devotedly concerned with the young people in her narrative—men and women to whom disappointment and delay in the furthering of their hopes do not cause immediate "frustration". Their attitude toward love and marriage is sane and uncomplicated by warped ideas; they have ideals and they try to express them in their lives. Under such conditions one expects the happy ending to follow. It is there, with contentment in full measure for all the principal characters, in a life of service amid delightful surroundings. By what means such enviable happiness is attained it would not be fair to reveal here.

This narrative is obviously a refreshing departure from the post-war literature we have come to expect from Hemingway and his contemporaries. In this present season it is good to be reminded that young men can and often do emerge from a war, not wholly wounded in spirit, or dead to all purpose except the seizing of transient pleasures.

It is even better, in the mind of this reviewer, to recognize through Miss Wright's authorship that, though one may formally "retire" from a position, one need never cease working. Miss Wright has the courage to perceive this truth and to act upon it. Yet we should not be greatly surprised. As one of the founders of Connecticut College, next as Secretary and Registrar, then as Bursar and Assistant Treasurer, Miss Wright has given lavishly her devoted services to us all. Her insight, her counsel, her endeavors were invaluable when the College existed only as an idea; later her tirelessness, her humor and friendliness, and above all her loyal belief in the College cheered and strengthened all who were privileged to know her. Now her new achievement wins further respect and admiration for a woman who has no desire to retire from action, but who believes in living life to the full.
New Appointments at U.S. Coast Guard Academy, Submarine Base

Two recent service appointments are of special interest to Connecticut College alumnae. Rear Admiral Arthur Graham Hall, Superintendent of the United States Coast Guard Academy, is the husband of Margaret Smith Hall '26. The Halls, with their sons, are living in the Superintendent's home on the grounds of the Academy. The older son, Graham 21, is in the first class (last year) at the Academy. Richard 14, is in his first year at Bulkeley Academy, New London.

Admiral Hall has recently been Chief of Coast Guard Operations in Washington. Previously he was District Commander of the Coast Guard in Florida, stationed in Miami, and later Chief of Staff in Boston. During the war he was in active service in both the Atlantic and Pacific actions.

Captain Charles O. Triebel, commanding officer of the Submarine Base, is the husband of Josephine McKerihan Triebel '36. Captain Triebel has seen submarine and battleship service in addition to commanding submarine divisions. For two years he was assistant superintending constructor at the Electric Boat Company in Groton. As commanding officer of submarine Snook he made five war patrols. Three years ago he represented the Atlantic fleet submarine force commander at Operations Crossroads in the Pacific. There are three younger Triebels, Charles Jr., Theodore 9, and Judith 5. The Triebel family is living at the Commanding Officer's home at the Base.

College interest in the two appointments is still further enhanced by the fact that both wives worked on campus after graduation, Peg Smith in Personnel, and Jo Triebel in the Alumnae Office.
FACULTY AND ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS OF 1950-1951

Smith, Stanley B.
Visiting Professor of Classics, 1st semester.
Harvard University, A.B. 1916; A.M. 1917; Ph.D. 1921.
Ohio State Univ., 1921-27; Bowdoin College, 1927-44;
Cornell Univ., summer 1930;
Univ. of Illinois, 1947-48; State Univ. of Iowa, 1948-49.
Publications: Cicero, On the Commonwealth, with G. H.
Sabine, 1929; Lucretius, De Natura Rerum, with W.E.
Leonard, 1942. Articles in American Journal of Phil-
ology and Harvard Studies.
Mr. Smith's home is in Schoolcraft, Michigan.

Baird, James R.
Visiting Lecturer in English.
B.A. Univ. of Tennessee, 1931; M.A., Univ. of Tenne-
see, 1935, Yale Univ. 1942, Columbia Univ. 1944;
Ph.D., Yale Univ. 1947. University Fellowship, Univ. of
Teaching Fellow in English, Univ. of Tennessee, 1934-35; Instructor in English, Knoxville High
Schools, 1935-37; Instructor in English, Daigo Koto
Gakko, Kumamoto, Japan, 1937-39; Instructor in Eng-
lish, Univ. of Tennessee, 1941-42; Research Analyst,
War Dept., Washington, 1942-43; Lieutenant, USN,
1943-46; Instructor, Naval School of Military Govern-
ment, Princeton Univ., 1944-45; Assistant Professor
of English, Univ. of Tennessee, 1947-48; Associate
Professor of English, University of Hawaii, 1949-50.
Articles in Modern Language Notes, Occasional Papers
of the University of Hawaii.

Williams, Malcolm J.
Part-time Visiting Lecturer in Psychology (2nd semes-
ter)
A.B. Bucknell Univ. 1934; A.M. Bucknell; Ph.D. Univ.
of Michigan, 1940.
Assistant, Univ. of Michigan, 1937-39; Instructor, then
Assistant Professor, Michigan State College, 1939-46
(on leave 1942-46); Aviation Psychologist, USAAF,
1942-46; Personnel Psychologist, Central Intelligence
Group, 1946-47; Senior Scientist, Psychology, USPHS,
Academy Psychologist, USCGA, 1947.

Coleman, James A.
Instructor in Physics.
Graduate work, Johns Hopkins Univ. 1948-50.
Part-time Instructor, John Marshall College, Jersey City,
1946-47; Associate Physicist, Applied Physics Labora-

Dawson, Emily A.
Instructor in Government.
A.B. Univ. of Minnesota, 1942; Graduate work, Univ.
of Minnesota, 1945-50.
Univ. of Minnesota, Assistant in Educational Research,
1945-46, Assistant in Dept. of Social Science, 1946-
47, Assistant in Political Science Dept., 1947-50.
Other new members of faculty and administration are
listed below:

Wesley, Elizabeth L. (Mrs.)
Instructor in Psychology.
A.B. Swarthmore, 1942; A.M. Yale Univ. 1943; Ph.D.,
Univ. of Iowa, 1950.
Assistant Psychologist in Pediatric Clinic, New Haven
Hospital, 1942-43; Psychological Interne, Southbury
Training School, summer 1943; Research Assistant,
Yale Univ., 1943; Classification Analyst, Navy Dept.,
1944; Lecturer in Introductory Psychology, William
and Mary, 1944; Psychologist for schools and lec-
turer on Mental Hygiene and Psychology, Long Beach,
Calif., 1944-45; Vocational Counselor and Psychologist
for Juvenile Court, Los Angeles, 1946-48; Counselor in
Student Counseling Office, and Psychologist for
General Hospital, Iowa City, Iowa, 1948-49.
Mrs. Wesley will assist with the counseling of students
in addition to teaching in the Psychology Department.

Duerell, Elna M.
Part-time Instructor in Home Economics.
B.S., Univ. of Connecticut, 1933; Graduate work, Teachers
College, Columbia.
Foods Teacher, Cloonan Junior High School, Stamford,
1937-40; Teacher, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Cannon
Ball, North Dakota, 1940-41; Junior Chemist, 1942-
45; Teacher, Home Economics, Stamford, Conn., High
School, 1945-50.

Rapp, Patricia Ann
Assistant in Music.

Robinson, Mildred A.
Assistant in Chemistry.
Colgate-Palmolive-Peet Co., Research Analytical Chemist,
1943-48; Assistant Chemical Librarian, 1948-48.

Sherman, Judith E.
Assistant in Chemistry.
B.S., Rhode Island State College, 1950.
Morse, Caroline R.
Research Assistant in Botany.
A.B. Smith, 1927; M.S., Univ. of Chicago, 1928.
Research Assistant, Univ. of Chicago, 1927-28; Instructor in Physics, Mt. Holyoke, 1928-29 (one semester).

Asher, Marion (Mrs. Donald)
Part-time Assistant in Nursery School.
A.B., Vassar, 1948.

Boecklen, Eileen J.
Part-time Assistant in Social Anthropology.
Volunteer Assistant, American Museum of Natural History, Dept. of Anthropology, summer, 1947; part-time secretarial assistant, Prof. Dorothy L. Keur, American Ethnological Society, 1948-49, Dr. Eugene A. Golomshottok, summer 1948; Clerk, Hunter College, 1949-50.

Snow, Ruth R. (Mrs.)
Part-time Assistant in Psychology.

Aitner, Helen K.
Reference Librarian, Palmer Library.
Fort Trumbull Branch, Univ. of Connecticut, Assistant Librarian, 1946-47; Librarian, 1947-49; Univ. of Connecticut, Order Librarian, 1949-50.

Clark, Jeanne
Assistant in Bursar’s Office.

Linder, Marjorie P.
Assistant to Personnel Director.
A.B., Connecticut College, 1942.
Research, Library, Chase National Bank, 1942-43; Office of Strategic Services, 1944; Recreation, American Red Cross, January 1945 to October 1947, Special Services, U. S. Army, October 1947 to December 1948.

Polley, Helen F.
Secretary to the Freshman and Sophomore Deans.

Scene from “The Village I Knew”, presented by the Dudley-Maslow-Bales Company during the Dance Festival held during the past summer. This number drew large crowds and enthusiastic responses when it was presented. Information concerning the School of the Dance, and the Dance Festival, combined project of New York University and Connecticut College, will be featured in a later issue.
CLASS NOTES
Editors: Thelma Gilkes, '39; May Nelson, '38


1919
MRS. ENOS B. COMSTOCK
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Leonia, New Jersey

Summer correspondence brought a thumbnail sketch of '19 at commencement. Writes Esther Batchelder (pictured in the last issue): "I had a short visit with Prent, Irma, Winona, Alison and Billy Williams. ... Alison Thompson and Marion Williams Baker both had daughters graduating. ... Prent was showing pictures of Roberta Bitgood's daughter, Sadie was on the job, and Barbara Wadsorth (Amy Kugler's daughter) was a second generation to be proud of."

Also from Silver Spring, Md., comes word from Marion Wells Colby, returned from a month's vacation with her husband at their Pine Island Camp in the Berkshires: "Son Wells, a corporal in the Army, returned from 15 months' duty in Germany, to attend officers's school at Ft. Riley, Kansas. Daughter Janet was married June 14 to John Paul Bills and lives in Washington, D. C. Frank Morris called on us in June and told us of college life."

Her latest move to Richmond, Va., has not kept Dorothy Gray Manion from seeing relatives and friends. In the spring, it was Priscilla Ford Schenke and husband, and Lee. Husband Ray continues the family tradition of winning fabulous radio quiz prizes. Another move, too, for Ruth Avery French from Woods Hole to Fall River, where son John will be a senior in high school. Daughter Jean, after finishing at Bridgewater, was at home for the summer, while son Bill did his eight-week stretch at General Motors College. Also moved again, Harriet Rogers Van Wagner writes from the N. Y. apartment of her son Frank, now married and a junior at Columbia, telling of her recent work with Premier, wholesale plant, plus a course at the N. Y. School of Interior Decoration, and of her plans for a trip west in the fall.

June was a notable month for Jessie Wells Lawrence. Four days after the birth of her first granddaughter, Don's daughter Susan Wells, Marjorie was married on her mother's 50th anniversary. Jessie adds that Mid Provost McElroy, teacher in Stanford High, is the "proud grandmother of 2½ year twins, Sharon and Linda. Her younger daughter is an accountant with a research concern in Stanford." Twins, too, are the boast of Grandmother Marion Rogers Nelson—a year old in August—Peter Reid, red-haired and husky and Fay Graham, brown-haired and petite. Father Lloyd, a Ph.D., Univ. of Conn., 1950, Phi Beta Kappa, Sigma Chi, Alpha Chi Sigma (professional chemical society), American Chemical Society, is an instructor in organic chemistry at Illinois Institute of Technology. The twins and their mother spent the summer with Marion while Lloyd taught in summer school.

Science also calls Helen Cannon's husband, Bill Cronin, from his Hampden, Conn., home to Washington, D. C., with the Security Division of the Atomic Energy Commission, while Helen keeps house for daughter Cathy, about to enter New Haven Teachers College. Helen's sister, Dorothy, of suburban Philadelphia, has just published another biography. Helen sees Marjorie Doyle Sullivan, '20, and her delightful and clever family, and is in touch with Florence Edwards, '20, a teacher in New Haven High.

Summer for me involved a pleasant variety of N.Y. study, a trip to Ohio (accompanied by Mother and Alfred) with sister Wrey, ex-22, and husband Bob Barber, to visit their new home in Perrysburg, on to Wisconsin, and back before school for some time at our Colebrook, Conn., camp.

1920
MRS. JOAN M. ODELL
(Joan Munro) Correspondent
31 Church Street
Tarrytown, N. Y.

Reunion was a great success. There were 26 members who returned. Friday night we went to Helen Collins Miner's before going to dinner at Lighthouse Inn. Saturday morning at the Alumnae meeting and the noon picnic we had a chance to visit with all who were there. At the picnic Kay Hulbert Hall presented to President Park a check for $100 from 1920 to be spent for pictures to be hung in the Carola Ernst Memorial Room in the Palmer Library. Saturday before our banquet at Edgemere Inn, Stonington, we had a wonderful time at the home of Eunice Gates Woods in Mystic. Mrs. David Leib and Roberta Newton Blanchard were our guests at dinner. During the dinner messages were read from Dean Nye, Mrs. Marshall, Miss Howe, Leah, Miff, Al Horrax, Helen Gage, Dot Hover. Dot Quintard, Margaret Greenbaum and Grace Waller. On the bulletin in Winthrop, where we stayed, we put up pictures and clippings from our days at college and snapshots of some of our families. Treasurer, Dora Schwartz Gross, reported $398 in the treasury. Several of the members came for the day and stayed for the banquet.

Present at reunion were: Agnes MacBartlett, Helen Collings, Mildred Fagan, Alice Gardner, Fanchon Hartman, Arvilla Hotchkiss, Kay Hulbert, Edith Lindholm, Alberta Lynch, Dorothy Matson, Jessie Menzies, Margaret Milligan, Joan Munro, Feta Perly, Betty Rumney, Kay Schaefer, Dora Schwartz, Eleanor Seaver, Marjorie Viets, Margaret Davies, Catherine Finnegan, Eunice Gates, Helen and Martine Liegey, Mary Morgan, Nan Weldon, and Ray Parker.

Agnes Mac Clark and her husband, Charles, have returned to Washington, D. C., to live. Charles has been called back into the service. Maude Carpenter Dustin wrote of a busy summer with her family at home. Daughter, Marcia, graduated from B.S.O.T. and Tufts and is in the Cerebral Palsey Hospital, Durham, N. C. Alice Horrax Schell spoke before the Garden Club of Rochester on herbs and herb gardening. Al has been doing enamelling on silver and has found it a fascinating craft. Kay Hulbert Hall and family went west in August, camped for five days at Glacier National Park and then went on to Salt Lake City and Denver. On June 27th fifteen members of the class of 1920 spent a wonderful day with Fanchon in her lovely new home. The daughter of Leah Nora Silber, Janet, was married to Lewis Paper, July 7, 1950, in Chicago.

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1922

MRS. DAVID H. YALE
(Amy Peck) Correspondent
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Meriden, Connecticut

In the midst of preparations for a trip to Indiana to attend the wedding of Ruth Bacon Wickwire’s daughter on August 24th, I took out time for these notes. Katherine Wickwire was married to John Savage of East Berlin.

I stopped to visit Betty Hall Wittenberg in Easton. Her eldest son, Bob, Jr., and his wife came from Chicago to spend their vacation with her; Fred, the youngest son, was at Boy Scout Camp in the Delaware Gap for several weeks, and Lester, a student at Northwestern, is a midshipman in the N.R.O.T.C. and on his summer cruise visited Cuba and points south on the cruise Roanoke.

Ann Slade Frey writes to announce the arrival of granddaughter, Elizabeth Murray Holmead Harte, born January 24, 1950, in 20 miles of Ann and "hasn’t grown a year older in appearance since ’22:"

Christopher Harte will be three in November. Janet and husband now live in Snyder, Texas, where Ed has bought a newspaper. Last summer Ann and Al spent three months in California, where Al taught at U.C.L.A. and Ann studied in the Art Dept. While in California they lived in Westwood. This summer they are at home; Al is teaching and Ann still teaches piano. Gertrude Avery Krout lives within in 20 miles of Ann and "hasn’t grown a year older in appearance since ’22.

Helen Peale Summer says "we spend all our weekends sailing in our little boat which we keep at Stonington." Jackson enters Taber Academy this fall. Helen Clark MacIntosh and her husband were in Mansfield for a few weeks this summer.

From Alice Hagar Schoffstall comes word of a visit from Miss Blunt when she was in Burlington for an AAUW meeting. Alice’s son Peter is through high school, and Alice works in the library. She has heard from Marge Wells recently, and sent me her address.

A well-filled card from Margery Smith brings the news that she is head of the Periodical Department at the Providence Public Library and president of the Business and Professional Women’s Club of Central Congregational Church. Marge’s sister Edna and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Robert K. Thistle, were on a trip to Oregon. Helen Merritt and her brother recently completed a 25-day trip to California, visiting the Grand Canyon, Boulder Dam, Yosemite, Salt Lake City and other points along the way. The first week of school Helen attended the Citizenship Education Project at Teachers’ College, Columbia University, sponsored by the Metropolitan School Study Council and the Citizenship Education Council.

By phone Mary Thomson Shepard tells me that she and Nellie have been doing over their “whoopy room” and painting and papering the rest of the house. Nellie played violin in the All-State Orchestra at Bushnell Hall, Hartford, last fall and played viola with the Meriden Symphony Orchestra last winter. She enters Teachers’ College in New Britain this September.

For as my family, they have all been home this summer. Amy and her husband and two boys are leaving soon for home in California; Julius has been helping David on the farm part time, with a week out here and there for 4-H camp counselling. Youth Week at Storrs and Farmers’ Week there also, and for the New Haven County 4-H Fair in Orange. Harriet enters the University of Connecticut Freshman Class in Hartford this fall. Alice is at home, working a year before continuing her education.

We learn with sorrow of the death of Marguerite Mills Murphy in London, Ontario, June 9th.

1923

MRS. GEORGE A. BUNYAN
(Helen Higgins) Correspondent
9 Watkins Place
New Rochelle, New York

Mary Langbacker Clark and ‘Mikay’ Wilcox McGollom attended the United Nations Security Council and witnessed its epochal drama. Mary has been visiting her son at camp at Lake Segago, Maine. Mikay’s daughter, Betty Ann, entered Mount Holyoke College this fall. Her son, Sam, has graduated from Princeton and is associated with a life insurance company in the actuarial department.

Harriet Woodford Merriman with her husband and two boys are leaving soon for home in California; Julius has been helping David on the farm part time, with a week out here and there for 4-H camp counselling. Youth Week at Storrs and Farmers’ Week there also, and for the New Haven County 4-H Fair in Orange. Harriet enters the University of Connecticut Freshman Class in Hartford this fall. Alice is at home, working a year before continuing her education.

Notes on our 25th will be the most interesting news for those not present and a reminder of gay, carefree hours for the more fortunate. Had your new correspondent’s impending duties been apparent earlier more gossip might have been uncovered, but here is what came naturally.

Those present (as known in 1925):

Jackie Albree, Betsy Allen, Nan Apted, Charlotte Beckwith, Thelma Burnham, Catherine Calhoun, Peg Cort, Sally Crawford, Elsa Deckelman, Geegee Delap, Grace Demarest, Charlotte Frisch, Lila Gallup, Olga Gennert, Eleanor Harriman, Jessie Josolowitz, Dorothy Kilbourn, Charlotte Lang, Gid Locke, Dorothy Loewenthal, Virginia Lutzenkirchen, Parkie McCombs, Ellen McGrath, Peg Meredith, Jane Nev- ers, Gertrude Noyes, Jesse Parker, Penny Portier, Win Smith, Susie Warner, Marian Walp and Spuddle Ward. Grace Smith House was our pleasant home, providing breakfast in immediate surroundings as a contrast between now and then. The living room was the scene Friday night of an informal get-together, highlighted by the hobby show. Betsy Allen and Parkie entertained delightfully with their marionettes. Charlotte Frisch proudly exhibited a portrait done by her 12 year old son. Lila Gallup showed photography by her 12 and 16 year old sons. Gid Locke’s soap collection took the prize.

Charlotte Lang was in from Chicago, partly because her son was graduating from Yale. Dot Loewenthal made the journey to see her daughter graduate from C.C. Virginia Lutzenkirchen presumably came to see her classmates.

Grace Demarest missed Friday evening because of a large party to announce her daughter’s engagement but manfully made New London by Saturday noon. Nan Ap- ted opened our eyes by saying her son is now 25 years old.

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At the trustees luncheon on Saturday our President Parker presented to President Park the class gift of $1200, which included our Baby Fund. The Class Day procession followed, led by the Class of '25, dressed in gray academic gowns trimmed with purple. After Class Day exercises our class was hostesses at a reception in Grace Smith House when we saw several of the faculty of our day Dr. Daughlman, Miss Dederer, Miss Cary, Miss Brett, Miss Stanwood.

The banquet at Norwich Inn climaxed the reunion. President Park was our gracious guest of honor. The baby pictures were a great success, due to Packie’s hard work and witty clues. Charlotte Frisch and Connie Parker gave amusing talks. Charlotte’s had a serious undertone, a warning for mothers-in-law, a status soon to be reached by many of us. And, of course, we sang old songs under Betsy’s able direction.

Charlotte Beckwith and her committee had done a hang-up job for which we are all most appreciative. Nor do we forget that Peg Cott painlessly and efficiently handled the finances.

Elinore Kelly Moore has been in Chevy Chase for four years, her husband being with the international end of the Coast Guard. She spent the summer across from Mt. Vernon on the Potomac, where her 10 year old John enjoys sailing. Lila Gallup Ulrey was a welcome visitor after reunion.

Peg Ewing Hoag visited in Maine this summer while her house was being renovated. Her two older daughters are married. Margaret graduated from Wellesley this year and with her husband was abroad for the summer only. Nancy’s husband is a Rhodes scholar at Oxford. The youngest, Alice, is still in Milton Academy and spent the summer in Wyoming. Kathleen Boyle is back in Hartford after two months in New York on a special job for the Actna Life.

Marion Barnett Halket is another career woman. She went to the hospital instead of to reunion, but is now back directing the Travelers’ Aid in the Springfield station. Did you all read about her in Marion Har Grove’s article in Collier’s last May? She is moving to Springfield and was busy selecting furniture and color schemes.

Midge Field Winch would have missed reunion more had she not been having a grand time in Colorado where her daughter Joan graduated from A. and M. College in Ft. Collins. Next came visits to Ocean City, the Poconos and Cape Cod, where Margery Anne, 9, was at camp. Kenneth is at Williston Academy. Midge somehow finds time to head the Drama Department of the Women’s Club.

1927

MISS JANET M. PAINE
Correspondent
242 East 72nd Street
New York 21, New York

Mary Storer Brooks’ daughter, Patricia entered Connecticut College this fall. Mary also has two sons, Robin, 15, and Jonathan, II.

Harriet Taylor La Montagne has two children, Louise, 7, and Arthur, 2. They spent their summer vacation at Indian Head, Branford, Connecticut. Faff Williams Wood and her family spent the summer at Ogunquit, Maine.

Pat Clark vacationed at Sachem’s Head, Conn.; she expected to return to her position at the Far Brook School in Short Hills, New Jersey, this fall. Bony Hopper Levick reports that Peg Woodworth Shaw has recently moved to Darien, Conn.

Our “southern correspondent”, Alice Owens Ansley, writes that she keeps busy with Red Cross, garden, and similar activities. Her vacation was spent on a fishing trip off the Florida coast. Jill Barrett, ex ‘28, has opened her own law office in Katonah, New York. She was formerly with a law firm in New York.

1928

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Our class is proud to have one of our members, Marjory Jones, on the Executive Board of the Alumnae Association. I note that Marjory is Assistant Alumni Registrar of Yale University. A letter from Dot Bayley Morse says that she has been continuing to do illustrating, some commercial, such as drawings for the annual reports of Texaco, American Airlines, and the Arabian Oil Co., but most of her work has been book illustrating in the juvenile field. Dot has spent the last two summers near Honey Lou in Pound Ridge, where the Rogers have an attractive place with a swimming pool and a handsome horse.

If you saw the April issue of Holiday magazine, perhaps you saw the pictures of Woody (Mrs. W. E. Frazer) and her family in an article about Philadelphia. Edna Kelly writes that she is drawing maps for a world atlas to be published by the University of Maryland and is discovering all the raw materials the U.S. requires but which it does not produce. The rest of the time she helps her Dad.

Karla Heurich Harrison has just returned to Washington with her husband and their youngest son after more than two years in Japan. They returned via Okinawa, Philippines, Guam and Hawaii. Her daughter, Jan King, is a freshman at C.C. this fall. Karla says she has seen Debbie Lippincott Carrier who looks fine and is enjoying her library work with the State Department.

Mary Dunning McConnell finds the country around Laramie, Wyoming wonderful for picnics, fishing, riding, and overnight trips. Her 16 year old Katie was working this summer, and Alice, 15, keeps busy at home baby sitting and doing odd jobs. Allan, 10, has recovered from mumps. Mary says she would like to affiliate with the Denver Chapter, but winter meetings are likely to be quite impossible because of sudden blizzards. Sometimes they are snowed in with the temperature at 40 below zero.

I had hoped that my husband, two daughters and I might visit Edith Cloyes Millwaine and family as we went through New England this summer, but Edith was also away. She had rented some land along the Hudson River above Albany for camping and swimming.

My husband was recently made Plant Extension Engineer for the A.T.&T. Co. Our older daughter, Janet, 12, had an operation on her hip last month because of a slipped epiphysis. She has made a complete recovery; we were most fortunate to discover it in time. Both Janet and younger sister, Doris, enjoyed three weeks at Camp Nyoda in northern New Jersey, a camp operated for more than 30 years by Mrs. G. D. Smith of Montclair, mother of our C. C. graduates, Maddy and Jerry. I spent a weekend this summer at the Adirondack Mt. Camp on Sebago Lake, New York, where I met Miss Ruth Ellis, former member of the C. C. faculty. Miss Ellis lived with some of our class in Reed House during the sophomore year. Miss Ellis teaches at Vassar and is a member of the Mid-Hudson Chapter of the Adirondack Mt. Club.
Mary Slayter Solenberger has been living in Detroit since last December. Her husband, Bill, is a consultant on Walter Reuther's social security program. Mary has been kept so busy with Peter, almost 3 years, and Susan, 2 years old, that she has not done much exploring of the city but finds it a good place to see friends, especially those from Austria who go there on tours of industrial America and its production wonders.

Janet Boomer’s husband brought them news of the good health and spirits of Jan and their three children.

Elizabeth Spiers wrote from the Chaffee School that Flora Hein Meyer had been at the school to enter her oldest girl for this fall. Catharine Greer writes the fact that her present abode is an old stable near her work, and best of all, equipped with oil heat. Speedy’s vacation by car to New Hampshire included a stopover with Eleanor Fahey Reilly in Swampscott. Besides enjoying both her country home and her department store city job she says, “The extension courses at Vassar are excellent, so in the fall I shall go back to school.”

Elizabeth Utley Lamb writes that “Zeke” Spiers came to her rescue when she had just returned from the hospital following an operation and her son, Bill, had broken his arm after catapulting out of a tree hut. I think we can all be proud and glad for having such a grand “pinch-hitter” in our midst.

After redecorating her kitchen, Winifred Link Stewart and her husband vacationed and reassembled their family via Vermont and Maine where John and Anne Carol had been at camp. Lilian Ottenheimer spent a weekend in June with the Stewarts. Her job as H. V. Kaltenborn’s private secretary seems to keep her as always—attractive, young, gay and full of C. C. spirit. Winnie says perhaps more of us should apply for jobs and hope for such good results.

My wish to see Winnie again this summer is ended because I was at Indian Lake in the Adirondacks when she was returning to the east end of Long Island. Perhaps by next summer a group of us can have a day’s reunion via land and sea at the mid-summer dance festival program at the College.

Helen Boyd Estus expects to see more of C.C. friends since Ralph has been made Sales Manager of the Industrial Division of the Fuller Brush Co., Hartford. They enjoyed their last five years in Cincinnati, but, with their nine year old son, Boyd, are looking forward to their stay in West Hartford.

Ruth Brown had a fine vacation at Harsbordside, Maine, in the Penobscot Bay and is ready for a busy fall at the Yale Library where she is Senior Cataloger and Research Assistant. Ruth sees Betty Capron, who took a month’s trip to California.

Mercer Camp Stone summered at Elkhart Lake. Last summer on a tour of eastern colleges Ann chose C.C. and was accepted, but received an unexpected scholarship from Smith. On the trip Mercer saw Helen Flinner Smith. This fall she will drive east again with Ann. Carolyn starts high school and is entered at C.C. The Stone family is building a house.

Evelyn Clarke has just become Field Representative for the American Social Hygiene Association with headquarters in New York. She travels through the northeastern part of the country, Evelyn lives at Tudor City; she hopes to see C. C. friends.

Betty Edwards Spencer is busy with her red haired fifteen month old son. This summer for the first time in over eight years she has seen Bianca Bradbury and Sunny Hildebrandt.

Virginia Joseph enjoyed her vacation in Illinois. In ’44 she stopped teaching and remained home with her father and two sisters. Until her father’s death last year, Virginia accompanied him on his Florida trips.

Lillian Miller is a case work supervisor at the Family Service Society in Hartford. For eight years she had a similar position in Cincinnati. She saw Marion Allen, who is visiting from California and has also seen Ernestine Vincent Venner.

Marjorie Nash Lee and Frank, after ten years in St. Louis, are back in Cleveland. Their children are Barbara, 14, Randy, 11, and Frank Jr., 9. They are taking a four week’s vacation, driving to the west coast to attend Frank’s family reunion at Alderbrook Inn on the Hooch Canal.

Key Halsey Rippere is settled in a bigger house with three and a half acres of land at Huntington, L. I. The older boys are active in Scouts and Cub Scouts, and all three enjoy the less crowded school.

In July Edie Allen MacDiarmid’s husband, Mac, received the top pilot award of the year, the Octave Chanute Award from the Institute of Aeronautical Sciences for “his outstanding contributions to air-sea rescue techniques by the scientific analysis and correlation of the effect of wind and waves on sea planes during landing, maneuvering, and take-off.” Mac made the study over a five year period and is considered the authority on the subject. As it was a big moment in their lives, Edie was present when the award was made in Los Angeles.

Hildegarde Harper has been appointed assistant professor in the School of Health and Physical Education, Ithaca College; she will teach dancing. Hildegarde earned an M.A. degree at Peabody Teachers College, Nashville, Tenn. She has studied ballet with Igor Schwezoff and Anthony Tudor, ballet master of Ballet Theater, and modern dance with Jose Limon and Mira Kinch. For 6 years she studied with Ted Shawn. Each summer she returns to Jacob’s Pillow to study. A former member of the Hariete Hoctor’s dance group, Hildegarde has been solo dancer in Aida with the Metropolitan Opera Company. She taught for 7 years at the Altaraz School, Great Barrington, Mass.; a year at Fox Hollow School for Girls, Lenox, Mass.; the last 2 years at Salins College, Bristol, Va.

Because we moved our acquisitions from Montclair, New Jersey, on June 28th, and all our belongings from La Crosse, Wisconsin, where they have been stored for six years on July 14th, and had our annual vacation besides, I don’t have too much news for my debut into the correspondent field except for alumnae reunion weekend. I am still in the process of cleaning up, regulating and settling an old stone house on the south edge of West Chester, two houses away from the Teachers’ College. I understand there are a number of you who live in the vicinity, and I’d be delighted to see any and all who feel inclined to wander this way.

My college roommate, Midge Shea, came from Cleveland the day before we were due in New London, to spend the night with me, then the next noon Viv Noble Wake- man of Glen Ridge picked us up and we
three drove to the College. I think it was agreed by all thirty or so who attended reunion weekend that it really was a wonderful couple of days. We were housed in Branford, and the meals we ate on campus were served in East House. The get-together of the four reuniting classes in the Dutch Room of the Mohican proved most interesting because it was the first time some of us had seen friends from other classes in many years.

On Saturday noon, the Trustees' Picnic on the lawn of Alumnae Headquarters was most attractive and enjoyable. We old-timers thought we made quite an effective looking line of march in the Class Day parade to the Arboretum with our grey gowns and caps, with our contrasting class colors used in the collars and tassels. Betty Wilson Pugh arranged for our class dinner at Edgemere Manor in Stonington, and much credit goes to her for choosing such an attractive place where such a delicious dinner was served. We hustled back to the class sing, but missed part of it because of the distance we had to travel. Then we repaired to the second floor lounge in Branford where we held our class meeting. Your correspondent and her roommate, Midge Shea, folded at about 2:00 A.M., but I understand that Dot Cluche Schoof, who is living in Charlotte, North Carolina, held forth in her room until daylight.

One by one on Sunday morning the gals began departing for their homes, but those of us who remained a few more hours had a delightful treat in store for us. Betty Wilson, whose home is in New London, invited us to visit her attractive, compact beach house on the shore next to Ocean Beach, and after lazing in the sun on the sundock, we had a delicious lunch of baked ham and all the fixings for sandwiches plus dessert. Viv and I started back to New Jersey shortly thereafter, but Midge stayed on with Betty a couple of days since she didn't have to hurry back to Cleveland.

One of the interesting and entertaining items of the weekend was the huge scrapbook C. B. Rice and Al Kindler had compiled with pictures and news about each member of the class from whom they had had a response in reply to the inquiries C. B. had sent out some weeks ahead of time.

While home in Wisconsin in July I had a visit with Margie Platz Murphy, ex '31, and with Gertrude Salzer Gordon, '28.

I shall be counting on hearing from members of our class during the year. Just remember that no matter how prosaic you think your own comings and goings are, others are interested in knowing where you are, what you are doing, the size of your family, etc.; so please do send me just a penny postcard.

1932

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Hort Alderman Cook wasn't able to make reunion because of a long illness. She and Don live in South Hadley, Mass. Hort was employed as an office manager and an accountant. Her six nieces are her hobby. Marion Allen is a supervisor with the telephone company in Springfield, Mass. She is active in the Business and Professional Women's Club and in church work.

Helen Alton Colmar is in New London and fills her spare time with sewing and painting. Mabel Barnes Knauff, also of New London, has three children, Philip, 15, Virginia, 13, and Donald, 11. She teaches a Sunday school class, works for the hospital, Red Cross and P.T.A. She is an ardent baseball fan and bridge player.

Dottie Bell Miller, Larry, and their sons spent early June in Florida doing some deep sea fishing.

Adelaide Bristol Satterthwaite lives in Washington, where her husband is a foreign service officer with the Dept. of State. They have two boys, George, 15, and Henry, 9. Fran Buck Taylor, her husband, Constance, 12, and John, 10, live in Kenilworth, Illinois. Fran does volunteer work with the Girl Scouts, Cub Scouts, Church Guild, and the Junior League. She is a gardener. Louise Bunce Warner gives her spare time to the P.T.A., Girl Scouts, and Christmas Seal Committee of Middletown, Conn. She and her husband, a naval architect, have great fun sailing with Mary Louise, 9, and Loring, 5. Gerry Butler, of Philadelphia, has recently retired from a position as secretary in a bank (“for a while, at least”). She has also just completed a term as treasurer of the Alumnae Association. Her hobby is gardening.

Ruth Caswell Clapp is a registered graduate of the Boston School of Occupational Therapy. She and her husband, a Congregational minister, live with their three children in Portland, Conn. She is active in church work and the P.T.A.

"Brownie" Chalker Maddocks received a B.N. from Yale and works for the Visiting Nurse Association of Milford, Conn. "Brownie", a widow, has a son, Hugh, aged 7. Sue Comfort works in Washington as a secretary. She has a sporty little Crosley which takes her home to Haverford and to Ocean City, Md., for holidays. She has given much time to C.C. as Alumnae Fund Agent, and gardens when she has a chance. Kay Cooksey Dimmitt and husband, an architect, live in Silver Spring, Maryland. She worked for 12 years for the government as an illustrator and exhibits designer. Painting is still her hobby.

Margaret Cornelissen, who lives in Brooklyn, is a graduate of the N.Y. School of Social Work. She is chief social worker at the U.S. Marine Hospital, Neponsit, N.Y. She does ceramics on the side. Mary Crider Stevens dusts off her certificate from the New York School of Interior Decoration occasionally but spends most of her time caring for home, husband, Charles, 12, Jean, 9, and Joan, 7. Mary reports that she, as well as the children, is a Scout. Mary and Larry Chappell have a new boat that Hal, 5, enjoys as much as they. When the boat is in dry dock, they do some skiing. The New London Garden Club, Children's Aid, and Day Nursery take her spare time.

When you're in Jordan Marsh Co. in Boston, look up Phil Dennett Willard in the rug department. She and her husband live in Belmont, where she too satisfies the gardening urge. Phil is our new Alumnae Fund agent. Billy Hazlewood, who is the instructor of play production and director of Wig and Candle at C.C., had a European trip this summer. Wonder if she ran into Jimmie Wyeth Jones, who spent five weeks in France with her sister, Jane. Earl and Ellie Roe Merritt spent three weeks in California and the southwest—just a month too early to see Peg Salter and Charlton Ferris who moved to San Francisco from Glen Ridge N. J.

1933

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Our 17th Reunion, a lа Dix Plan, for the twenty of us attending, was a rejuvenating and grand experience.

On Friday, June 9th, we had Open House at the Mohican with '31, '32, and '34, and renewed old friendships. Saturday was a full day: Alumnae meeting in the morning in the beautiful auditorium,
luncheon on the lawn of the Alumnae House (across from Homeport), with the presentation of the gifts to the college from each "reunion" class ('33 gave $500 to the college for scholarships) and in the afternoon, we donned fancy gray caps and gowns and joined the Class Day exercises. The weather was divine, and the Arboretum and seniors couldn't have been more beautiful! Then, as guests of '23, we attended a Tea at Grace Smith House, where we greeted the faculty we knew and President Park.

Saturday night was our banquet, held in the Dutch Room of the Mohican where food, drinks and the company were superb. The following vital statistics were revealed:

49 answered the Questionnaire and thereby indicated that our average size is 12 plus, our average height is 5'4", and we average 3 children apiece. We cover the States, Canada, South America, South Africa and Japan. We have unusual jobs.

New officers for '33 are:
President, Dorothy Wheeler Spaulding; Class Correspondent, Lucile Cain Dalzell; Treasurer, Virginia Donald Usher. (If you didn't send your $5, Don will gratefully receive).

We are an interesting, diversified group. Any changes were for the better. We had fun. We missed those who couldn't be with us. Jane Griswold Holmes, Reunion Chairman.

1934

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You have all by now received Elsie Hoffman Bang's letter giving the factual side of reunion. What went on in between is another story. All I can say is that it is amazing that after 16 years there still are some who have to be let in after the doors are locked! Twenty-eight of our class returned, which was fine, but next time let's have many more.

I had a long letter from Muriel Dibble Vosius. She had just talked to Jan Townsend Willis and learned that Jan and Bob are going to remain in Wilton, Conn. Bob has taken a job in N.Y. City. Emily Doggy has been in Heidelberg, Germany, working for the Dept. of the Army since the end of World War II. During the war she was in Europe as a Red Cross worker. It's been wonderful, but she will be glad to return to the U.S., probably this fall. Kay Baker Nordstrom is very busy at home with two children and her mother, who is an invalid. Kay's husband is a dentist in Norwalk, Conn. Mazie Stone is married to a physician and is living in Winsted, Conn. I did not learn his name. Peg Worthy Arnold is teaching 3rd grade in Norwalk. She has one daughter. As for herself, Dib says she had been busy in the blueberry patch, but that is all that is noteworthy.

Anne Shewell spent two months in Europe this summer and sent me all the correspondent's paraphernalia a few days ago; so I know she is back.

Mary Huntington Braman (Blissy), ex '34, came down to reunion for a few minutes. Blissy lost her husband suddenly in 1945. She and her 7 year old daughter live in Windsor, Conn.

Lydia Riley Davis left after reunion for Tarrytown, New York, where Harrison is headmaster of the Hackley School. Lyd extended a cordial invitation for anyone coming near or through Tarrytown to stop and see her. Barbara Meeker Walker wrote that her family consists of one husband, one live-wire son, Stephen, age 2, one daughter, Harriet, age 5, full of questions and funny sayings and Nancy Ellen, age 13 months, one dog and several Banty chickens. This fall she will be busy as Recording Secretary of Hinsdale's League of Women Voters, President of the P.T.A., and the garden club. She sees Beth Flanders occasionally.

Dotty Luer Saylor wrote that the twins were in camp in Colorado for the express purpose of riding bareback or becoming girl Hopalong Cassidys. Dotty is in charge of advertising at the plant and says it's lots of fun, but if she had a choice, it would be housekeeping.

As for the Bidles, their main interest is the house they are trying to build. We are three months behind schedule, have just a basement and are thinking seriously of putting a tarpaulin over that, sticking a television aerial on top and moving in. Mr. Blanding had nothing on us!
coming enthusiastic motor boat fans (i.e., new Cris Craft owners are we)."

Mary Savage Collins and her family were also at their summer home in Madison from the middle of June until early September. Tara, almost 3, is a fine swimmer. Babs Stott Tolman brought her two girls to Boston and Concord for their first vacation trip in July. In August Babs and Hank spent two weeks at East Harwich.

1936

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Jean Rothschild Cole spent a relaxing summer with both children at camp. She is planning community volunteer work in the fall. Joyce Cotter Kern is living at 20 Park Avenue, New York City. She is advertising and publicity manager for the American Soap and Glycerine Association, which "does not mean I write soap operas."

Sally Jumper Greer spent the summer learning to type and studying braille in order to obtain a position working with the blind.

Your correspondent has been hopping from spot to spot, with and without the two girls. When in Westport, we keep in touch with Gertrude Weye Dennis, Harriet Kelly Dowling, Peggy Thorum Walden, ex ’36, and Lib Taylor Buryan, Bunny Dorman Webster, and Marney McKevey Renner. All are leading rather routine lives with children, commuting husbands, two weeks vacations, and weekend fun. There must be more of you around Westchester and lower Connecticut. How about joining us?

1937

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Eliza Bissell Carroll wasn’t thinking of class reunions this June as she was in the throes of packing. The Carrolls moved to Albuquerque, New Mexico, about the first of July where Eliza’s husband is district manager for the Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Co. She says they have a perfect year-round climate there. Before going west, Eliza visited her family in Wellesley, Mass. There she saw Lee Gilson Williams, who was recovering from virus pneumonia. Eliza sends word that Emory Carlough Roehr has a son, Kurt, born in June.

Another member of our class traveled to the west coast this summer. Betty Schlesinger Wagner spent two weeks in Los Angeles with her husband while Chuck was trying a case. They had a thrilling trip home via San Francisco on the California-Zephyr, the train with the Vista-domes. Schles sends wonderful news. She had just seen Peg Ross Stephen. Peg looked fine and is completely recovered from an attack of polio which struck her and her two sons last summer. All are fine now.

Betty Adams Lane lives in Scarsdale, New York. Her husband is treasurer of Norden Laboratories. Betty wrote that she had a thrilling visit to the United Nations this summer. Marge Bennett Hires sent us postals from Maine during July, where she was visiting with Dick and son Byard. From Maine the Hires went to Wellfleet, Cape Cod, for the remainder of their vacation.

1938

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Births: To Robert and Mary Louise (Pudgie) McClosky Leibold, their third son, Richard Bruce, on June 27. The Leibolds are living in Wheeling, West Virginia.

A note from M. C. Jenks Dolan tells that she and Bill moved to Uxbridge, Mass., last September. In October they had a bad scare when their youngest boy, Arthur, 3, was hit by a car. Fortunately, he came out with only bumps and a broken arm. Their oldest boy, Charles, is 7. Bill has been made a vice president at Emmott-Valley Transportation Co.

Dot Bartlett is still keeping busy at Hanover, N. H. A new hospital is being built there and Dot says that will present new and different problems for her. She wishes anyone taking a trip to the White Mountains to look her up.

Ronnie Mansur Fallon and her family, husband Bill and two daughters, Beth and Meg, plan to leave the country in January. Bill is being transferred by the Norton Company, Worcester, Mass., to manage a new plant now in process of construction in Johannesburg, South Africa. They plan to live there for five to eight years.

1939

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Marge Abell and Carolyn Kenyon spent a wonderful month in Europe this summer, visiting in Paris, Switzerland, and Italy. In past years they have enjoyed touring Mexico, Guatemala, and the Caribbean. Marcy reports that Ninki Hart is quite the business executive at The Woman’s Home Companion while she, herself, is still working with Country Associates and a telephone answering service. Mary-Belle Kelsey Balcom, who was ill with polio four and a half months before her daughter, Cynthia Lee, was born in 1949, has recovered very well. She also wrote that Hannah Anderson Griswold’s daughter, Ruth Marie, was born last December.

Helen Gardner Heitz and family pulled up stakes from Columbus where they had lived just ten months in their new home and are now in Dayton, Ohio, where Art is manager of the I.B.M. office. Lou and I spent a grand two weeks in the Canadian north woods at Camp Chimo, Temagami.

1940

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Marriages: Natalie Klivans to Harvey J. Dworken. They are living in Philadelphia.

Births: To Orrill and Martha Young Youngquist a second son, Gavin Roy, on June 24 in Wilmington, Del. To Albert and Connie Buckley Cookson, a first child, Constance Joan, on July 13. To Walter and Olive McIlwain Kerr, a second son, John Livingston, Aug. 3.

1941

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Marriages: Alida (Lee) Reinhardt to Chester James Greenleaf on February 4. On Aug. 5, Jane Holbrook was married to Edwin Bartlett Jewell.

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Births: A daughter, Pamela Mason to Jack and Betty Rome Poor on June 3. Betty's comment: "The score is now 3 to 1 in favor of the girls." To the Bentleys (Jane Merritt) a son, Walter Merritt, on Apr. 5. A son, Hugh Mullen, Jr., on June 16, to Hugh and Marylou Gibbons Mullen. The Mannings (Meg Robinson) had their third daughter, Katherine, on June 24. Emmabelle Bonner Edsall writes that she and Walter have another daughter, Amy Diane, as of Feb. 26. For Phil and Gimmy Newberry Leach another daughter, Christina Newberry, on Apr. 10. Charles and Connie Hillery Mccurtt have adopted a 3½ months old boy, Peter Whitcomb. From Connie I learned that Charles and Mary Holohan Waldron have a new baby girl as has Midge Wicoff Cooper. The Mccurtts see a lot of Eleanor Fuller Skinner and husband Hal, and Connie added that she had a visit with Ruth Doyle, who is working for a law firm in New York.

The Bentleys (Jane Merritt) have bought a home in Amsterdam, N. Y., with a fifty-mile view of the Mohawk Valley. And B. Q. Hollingshead Sceley writes that they are on the move again, Elwyn having been transferred to Abraham & Straus in Brooklyn. According to B. Q., the Cameron Moseleys are "very salty" this season, which is first-hand information as the Sceley pair had just been sailing with them. From Sue Shaw Benton a note saying they have retired to the country round about Portsmouth, Va., but not so remote that Mary Hall didn't drop in on her vacation. Bette Smith Twaddell said Mary dashed up there to see them, then trotted on down to Pittsburgh to see Mary Lou Sharpless Swift, to Virginia, and back by way of Betty Brick Collier's in New Jersey. The Millers (Margaret Kerr) have no news except the addition of a Dalmatian puppy.

John and Edie Patton Cranshaw acquired an old house which they renovated. It is located in the Dana Hall section of Wellesley. Another move: Dotty Cushing Redington, Ted, and their two sons to Houston, Texas, where Ted is district group supervisor for the Travelers Insurance Company. By October they hope to be in the new home which they are busy building. Kitty Bard Wollman wrote me a most informative epistle. She and John have two children: Johnny or Bobo is 4, and Katherine, jr., or Koko is 2; John is in the export division of Columbia Steel and they reside in a houseboat removed from water to a hill in the San Francisco bay area. Kitty was instrumental in organizing a "meet-once-a-week-art-group" which is composed of a sculptor, a painter of satirical oils, a watercolorist, a ceramic artist and two other amateurs besides Kitty. Lee Reinhardt Greenleaf and husband are living in Larchmont in what sounds like the sequel to Mr. Blanding's dreamhouse.

1942

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Marriages: Jane B. Guiney to Daniel W. Pettingill in December, 1949, in Hartford, Conn. Frances Hyde to Richard D. Forde, Conn. Frances Hyde to Richard D. Forde, employed by Pratt and Whitney.

Births: To John and Lydia Phippen Ogilby, Henry McFarlan, on Jan. 27. To Rolliston and Peter Frey Linscott, Wayland Frey, on Mar. 29, at Richardson House, Boston. To Arthur and Jackie McClave Jonson, Jr., 42, James Cummins, on Apr. 30, at Englewood, N. J. To Ted and Doris Kitchell Brandt, Helen Louise (Heidi), on May 4. To Paul and Jane Worley Peak, Roger Worley, on June 2, at Columbus, Ohio. Adopted by Paul and Barbara Burr Roth, Deborah Wilson, at Brightwaters, N. Y. She was born on June 2 and comes to keep two-year-old Peter company. Perky Park Powers has 3 children, David Franklin, 6, Catharine Wood, 3, and Jay. Besides working in his father's law office in Youngstown, Ohio, John is a precinct committeeman, and is head of the World Federalists in Youngstown.

Jackie McClave Jonson's older boy, Arthur, Jr., was born Dec. 24, 1947. Art is branch manager of the Atlantic Mutual Insurance Co., in Newark, N. J. Jackie wrote that Betty Johnson Chapman, ex 42, has 3 children, 2 girls and a boy, and lives in York, Pa.

The Linscotts have two boys. Lincoln was born the same day as Arthur Johnson, Jr., Christmas eve, 1947. Peter saw Jean Staats Lorish and family recently. Static's husband has received his Ph. D. Sandy MacPherson Smith had a second son, Stephenson Kent Smith, in March, and Marg Meyer Riviere had a third daughter in April. Aggie Hunt Bieberbach lives in Marblehead, Mass., with her two sons, Billy and George.


Jean Morse Cockerill lives in Los Angel-es. Husband Dean is with the Bank of America. This is how Jean keeps busy: "Susan Vaughan Shields, '40, and I have been manufacturing and selling wholesale patio luncheon sets, strictly barbeque and outdoor place mats, of natural burlap with gay calico napkins. We package the sets, 6 mats and 6 napkins. Bullock's, Westwood, and Palm Springs have been our best customers, plus gift shops in many of the beach towns. Since Christmas we have been swamped, Sue and I have wanted to have a shop for some time but somehow we have gotten sidetracked."

Frances Homer was a member of the U. S. Hockey Touring Team which participated in the International Field Hockey Tournament held at Johannesburg this summer. She and her 14 teammates sailed May 24 on the Queen Mary for England and on June 1 for Cape Town. They were guests of the South African government and saw a large part of Africa playing hockey and sightseeing. They returned to England Aug. 24 and to the States in September. After Franny received her master's in physical education from Columbia in 1943, she taught at Roland Park Country School in Baltimore, and at present she is on the staff of the nursery school and coaching athletics at the Friends School in Baltimore, her alma mater.

Eloise Stumm Brush entertained Ray and Ellie King Miller and their three children, David, 7, Patricia, 2, and John, 1. They were traveling to Rochester, Ill., to visit Baird and Pat King Helfrich and their offspring, Paula, 4, Eleanor, 3, and Stuart, 1½. Ray has been transferred to Coast Guard Headquarters in Washington. Audrey Nordquist O'Neill's Lou is now in the propeller, rocket, and trainer division of Curtiss-Wright. The Millers and O'Neills are house hunting in Washington.

1943

MRS. SAMUEL SILVERSTEIN
(Ruby Zagoren) Correspondent
Bozrah Rd.
Norwich, Conn.

Marriage: Sylvia A. Klingon to Charles J. Eisen.

Lynwood and Lee Richmond Barker, with son Roger, went east in the spring. By calling Mardianne Dinkey Green's mother, Lee learned that Dinkey and Eddie are in Dunbury, Conn., and have four children, two boys and two girls. In Pelham, Lee saw Cornelia Johnson Fisher. The Fishers have bought a home in Scarsdale. Sis has her hands full taking care of Peter, 6, Carolyn, 3, and Randy, 1, while husband Andy works for the New York Times. Lee and Lynn Barker are still at the Naval Ordnance Test Station where "we've become confirmed desert rats." Martin and Carolyn Merchant Arbonies with son, Glenn Whitney, tripped midwest last fall, seeing Nan Thompson Wells, Debbie Burton Adler, and Mary Riddell MacMullen; Nen, Debbie and Dell each have two children.

Three '43ers have husbands working for their doctorates. H. B. and Frances Yeames Prickett, and daughter Sally, are in Middlebury, Vt., in a 156 year old Cape Cod cottage, where H. B. teaches English and works for his Ph. D. summers; Ruth Renssen Roberts' husband, Daniel, is studying for his Ph. D. at Cornell; Harriet Squires Heizer's husband, Raymond, is at the University of Chicago working for his doctorate in economics. Happy, with Tim, 6, and Joanne, 3, spent a month in New Hampshire with her parents. Squeakie weekended with Alice Brewer Cummings in Syracuse where Squeakie's Peter and Alice's Donnie and Raymie romped together. Squeakie adds that there are some eleven C.C. alumniae in Ithaca, trying to organize. At least three '43ers are living in homes they built: Henry and Teal Middleton Brown in Great Notch, N. J.; James and Kitty McKee MacVickers in Darien, Conn., and Ray and Happy Squires Heizer on the South Side of Chicago. Farnum and Lynn Thomson Spicer have bought an eight room house with three acres, a two-car garage with guest cottage attached, in Stockbridge, Mass. Lynn writes that Mary Lou Walsh Thackrey was east in August to participate with guest cottage attached, in Stockbridge, Mass.


Libby Massey Ballinger, ex '44, writes that she and Montgomery moved from Norfolk, Va., to Bethesda, Md., where they bought a house about a year ago. Their two sons and boxer puppy help make their life a busy one. Gus and Libby Travis Sollenberger are living in Haddonfield, N. J. Gus is stationed at Mustin Field and Libby reports that they just got their own Hammond organ. Their older son, Robin, is very excited about starting lessons and thinks little Ricky should learn too. Libby says that she has seen quite a bit of Marge Moody who lives nearby. Libby was looking forward to the reunion of herself and Mary Jean Moran Hart each with their two sons. Joseph and Jane Bridenbach Doolds, ex '44, spent their summer getting their newly acquired home into shape. Ruthie Nash Wolverten, Walt, and son Dean, recently spent two weeks with Ken and Mildred Gremly Hodgson, and son Peter, in Tenafly, N. J. They combined a business trip of Walt's with the opportunity for a visit. Ruth reports that Jane Selden is now Mrs. George Sandy Beach. Jane was married in Washington, D. C., this spring. She works at the Bureau of Human Nutrition.

Rhodes and Karla Yepsen Copithorn, ex '44, have been renting a Levitt House for about a year. Rhodes is employed by Grumman Aircraft as an aero. engineer. We have several sets of twins in our class and Karla's are among them, Rhodes Ripley and Frederick Henley. Karla and her family spent a large part of the summer with Karla's parents in the Adirondacks. Karla is a membership chairman of a Junior Woman's Club and an active member of a newly formed Long Island University of Michigan club. They are hoping to buy their dream house somewhere on Long Island.

A newsy letter from Jane St. George Thomas, ex '44, reports that she and husband Harvey are living in Cambridge, Mass., with their 5 year old son, Harvey Lowell, Jr., and year-old daughter, Nancy Dale. Harvey was in the Naval Air Corps during the war and then returned to Harvard where he got his degree, and then his M.B.A. in June, 1949. He is a salesman for Gulf Oil Corp. Betty Rabinowitz Sheffer started her summer by moving straight from the hospital with young Doug, to their new home in Westport on her family's property. Betty says that Andrew and Ginny Elks Halsay paid them a visit. Andrew and Ginny live in New York City and Ginny works for the Community Chest. Ethel Spraul Felts and her family are moving to Chanute Field, Ill., where Le Wayne (C.G.) will be stationed. George and Gigi Hawkes Watson have moved into their new home outside of Peoria. They did most of the work themselves. Betty says that she frequently saw Margaret Nash Manchester and her two daughters on the beach. Betty expected to see Alice Carey Weller and her three children who were coming to visit her from New London. Alice herself wrote to say that she and George were settled for three more years of shore duty at the Academy. George is teaching history and literature.
Mrs. Ray sent Betty Sheffer a copy of the citation they gave this year for outstanding work in the field of radio, the Lucille Bobrow citation. Betty reports that the memorial fund has also purchased records.

Walt and Mariana Parcells Wagoner, ex '44, have left Maine for Illinois. Walt plans to study for his Ph. D. at the University of Chicago. The Wagoners with three children hope to settle in one of the suburbs. Sid and Virginia Passavant Hensh ada vacationed at the Lake of Bays, Canada. On a recent vacation of my own on Long Island, I had a lovely visit with Barbara Pilling Tifft. Puck likes life on Long Island, where George is very busy as an assistant resident physician. They have two children.

Libby Swisher Childs, ex '44, writes from Salt Lake City that she is married to a geologist for Phillips Oil. Lib says that they homes are quite temporary but they are quite well settled at the moment with their two children, Bradley, 3, and Barry, 14 months. Libby reports that Jack and Sally Stewart Dill, ex '44, are living in Tyler, Texas, with their 2 year old son. Jack is in the ice cream business. Libby also sent news that Jack and Marie (Cookie) Romney Roth, ex '44, are living in Mercer, Cal.

It is interesting to note the active part our classmates are taking in Alumnae clubs throughout the country: Lois Hanlon Ward, in Hartford; Bobbie Barlow Kelley, in New Haven; Terry Cerutti, in New York City; Bobbie Brackett Tindall, ex '44, in Springfield, Mass.; and Jeanne Feinn Swirsky in Waterbury. Incidentally, 72% of our class contributed to the Alumnae Fund for July 1, 1949, to June 30, 1950.

1945

MRS. DONALD S. TUTTLE, JR.
(Louis Fenton) Correspondent
Witsend Farm,
Bethlehem, Conn.


Scottie MacMillan Connell writes that she, Jimmy, and Jimmy Jr., are permanently settled in Endicott, where Jim is with I.B.M. They are completely new house, and Scottie is up to her ears in painting, cleaning, and decorating. Jean Thomas Lambert reports that she and Don flew to Sea Island after young Tommy's arrival in March. They stopped in Charlotte, N. C., en route home for a visit with Doll Wilson Webb and Bill. Connie Barnes Mermann is still in New York where husband Alan finished his year as assistant resident in pediatrics at the New York hospital in July. Alan is pediatric resident at Memorial Hospital, all of which assures them of at least another year in the big city. Connie reports that Mary Watkins is back from Europe and that Lois Parisette Ridgway is also in New York doing cancer research at Memorial.

A. C. Barnett Wolgin's postcard was brief but to the point. She and Bill have a year-old son. Bill is a doctor and in residency in Philadelphia. The Wolgins are in the process of moving, apparently from suburbs to city. Sue Silverste Kirkpatrick writes that their family of four is settled in a new home in Washington where Kirk is associated with a Patent law firm. And from Sue I learned that Knox and Katie Murphy Kreutzer, complete with their three sons, are in Arlington, Va., where Knox attends the Theological Seminary. "Carmie" Cooper's postcard contained news of young Charles the third and a month's vacation at Martha's Vineyard this summer.

Shirley Armstrong always provides a wealth of information. She spent considerable time last winter in Arizona and has since returned to Minnesota. Somewhere along the way she heard about Sally Rapelye Cowherd who is busy raising tuberous begonias. To complete the picture of Sally, it must be told that during a recent rainstorm she rushed out to hold an umbrella over her treasures for fear the rain might injure them! Sally and Grant recently visited Mary Maynard Roberts and Bill while on vacation. Shirley has also heard from Barb Avery Jubell and Mep Power. Barb reports that Molly Brillhart Tyler and Ralph are now in Cleveland. Mep apparently is doing big things in the television field with a program of her own in Washington. As for Shirley, her life says she can be summed up by saying that she is still retired and traveling at the drop of a hat.

A letter from Penny Gripin Griffith announces that Wes and D. R. Royce Had den vacationed recently in Hawaii. Also it seems that Warren and Ethel Schall Gooch were due for a vacation in Japan before the outset of the Korean war. Comes word from Pat Wells Caulkins on the Detroit and vicinity news. Marty and Nan Ford Martin have moved to Bloomfield Hills so they are in the same territory as Dick and Kitty Williams Flannery. Pat is in business selling skirts, sweaters, lap robes and other woolen, exhibits and all. Jack and Joanne Viall Monzani recently moved from Levittown to Westfield, N. J. Adrian and Bety Bevans Cassidy are settling in Milwaukee.

1947

MRS. R. KEENE REED, JR.
(Jean Stannard) Correspondent
285 S. Central Ave.
Hartsdale, N. Y.

Births: Joan Jensen Chadwick and her husband are the proud parents of Susan Elizabeth, born Feb. 11. John and Nancy Nock Dorrer had a son, John Gordon, 3rd, on Mar. 5. Keene and I have a little son, too, Andrew Keene, born on Feb. 9.

From Bobby Rowe Perkins, I've heard that she and her husband, Newt, lived in Chicago for 2 years where Bobby did some nursery school work. The Perkins now live in Davenport, Iowa. Aleta Wentboll Fontein writes from Holland that she has a daughter. Before her marriage she worked at the U. S. Information Service of the Embassy in the Hague. Aleta says life in Holland is wonderful and she hopes any C.C. graduate who is in Europe will look her up. A letter from Winnie Belk Webb locates the Webb family outside of Gulfport, Miss. Dave is executive officer on a cutter. Shirley Bodie and Vera Jezek visited the Webs last spring.

The following is from a newsie letter from Joan Perry: "I got back in February from visiting Shieldsie and Peter in Colorado Springs, after staying with them for 2 weeks. Peter is in the real estate business and Shieldsie was running a nursery school for about eleven 3 and 4 year olds. They love Colorado, have a house right at the foot of Cheyenne Mountain, and a dal mation named Caesar. Stopped on the way home in Chicago and saw Nancy Noyes just before her wedding on April 14 to Bruce Thayer. Also saw Jean Abernethy on that trip just before her wedding to
Alan Duke on Feb. 17. Noysie was her maid of honor, and she was Noysie's. Jean is living in Roselle, N. J. Also visited Joan and Lon Parsons in Bloomfield, N. J. Saw Millie Ogden and Ceci Hollerith there. Saw Margie Hulst Kluge also on my trip at Pompton Lakes and her two sons, Christopher and Johnny.

Joan continues, "Peg Cornwall is living in Natwick and working in the art department at Wellesley. Lee Wiley Burbank is living here in Portland and has a son, Leeland, born in January. I'm living in Portland now, so see a lot of her and Jim. My job is associate editor of Maine Coast Fisherman (a monthly newspaper on fishing and boating along the New England coast). I've been with it about a year and a half. My department is book reviews, recipes, letters from lighthouse keepers and classified ads."

Received a letter from Mickey Brown Goddu. Mickey didn't graduate with the class but went to summer school and took the comprehensive after that. Their daughter, Elizabeth Thorburn Goddu, is 2. Whit is taking engineering training. Mickey sees Mary Wood Sharpe quite often since they are all living in Portland, Maine. Mary and Herb have 2 girls, Claudia and Beverly. Harriet Scott Patrick and her husband are in Baltimore where Bob is taking a post graduate in engineering at Johns Hopkins. They have a son, Bobby, Jr. Virginia Stauffer has an airlines job. Dorothy Dismukes is living in Pittsburgh where she works as a secretary.

After returning from a summer trip to Europe, Marian Petersen spent some time in the east visiting. While she was staying with us, we saw Joan Somersby Brennan and her daughter, Beth. Joan and Jack have bought a house in Pine Orchard, Conn. Pete also spent some time with Joan and Margot Grace Hartmann, who recently returned from a trip to Europe. Bob and Terry Farnsworth Slimmon moved from Boston to Dayton, Ohio, in August. Sandy Morse Baldwin and her husband, Lu, have bought a house in Canton, Conn.

1948

MRS. EUGENE S. INCE, JR. (Jean Gregory) Correspondent 150 Magnolia St. Hartford, Conn.

Marriages: On June 24, Ruth Linkletter to John Jazarinski in the Chapel on the Thames at the Submarine Base, New London. The two met last year while both were serving on the faculty of Chapman Technical High School in New London. Another Chapman Tech faculty member who was married this summer is Jo Parisi. Jo is now Mrs. Neil Beebe. The Beebe's are settled in an apartment in Niantic. On August 6 Sylvia Joffe became Mrs. Milton Garfinkel. Attending the festivities were Julie Ahearn, Babs Ayers and Dotty Evans Hackett.

Joyce Benjamin Gloman writes that she and husband, Irv, spent a fine summer holiday traveling in the east, especially in Pennsylvania and Connecticut. While in Connecticut, the Glomans paid a visit to Sandy Carter at the Yale School of Nursing and found her well and happy. When they are not on vacation, the Glomans are working people, Joyce at the Cleveland Clinic Foundation and Irv at the Nickel Plate Railroad. Bunny Neuman Booth and husband John are building a house in New Haven. Another '49er off spring has settled in Connecticut, Ridgefield this time. He is little Stephen Valentine whose mother is Pete Van Wagoner Valentine. A thoughtful husband indeed has Frannie Adams Nicols. Since Frannie was out of town when my appeal for news arrived, he sat down and answered the card himself. He informed me that he was about to join Frannie at the Cape where she had been serving on the faculty of the summer. Nick reported also that they have a new apartment. Marion Walker Doren and husband George are living in Colorado. George is teaching music at the University and Marion is teaching in elementary school.

Alice Fletcher reports from New York that she has joined the ranks of the gainfully employed. Fletcher seems properly excited about her new job, secretary in the Latin American Department of the Waldorf. The work seems very interesting, including quite a bit of translating, interpreting and promotional work as well as secretarial duties. Another enthusiastic new employee is Ruth Hauser, who writes from Long Island about her job as assistant to the Public Relations Director of the new sports fishing center in Montauk, Fishangeria. Ruth is doubly pleased because in addition to public relations work she has the opportunity of working with a brand new venture. Also hard at work in New York is Sandy Strotz. The Lawrence Grumbiner Advertising Agency claims Sandy's services assistant to the art director. Sandy thoughtfully sent along news of two other '49ers. Janie Richard, she writes, has been sharing an apartment in New York with Peg McDowell, and has been diligently at work at the Metropolitan Museum of Art. She tells me that H. J. Wettach is working at the University of Colorado Law School.

Pooh Ashton spent the summer counseling at a Girl Scout Day Camp but returned to St. Mary's to teach in the fall. Back to her charges at the Submarine Base Nursery school went Alice Watrous who spent the summer caring for children at Neptune Park. A note from Barbara Norton informs me of several interesting items. Janie Broman has settled down to business school after her trip halfway around the world last winter. She reports also that Dutch Van Syckle has a new sailboat which was given quite a workout in Barian Bay this summer. As for herself, after a summer of vacationing at home and on the Cape, Bobbie planned to return to her fifth graders and her duties as president of the Springfield C. C. Alumnae Club and secretary of the P.T.A. Another '49er who is active in Alumnae Club affairs is Betsy Anderson who is the new program chairman of the Washington, D. C. club.

Lucky Siller took a flying three week trip to California this summer. Another summer traveler was Edith Manasevit who toured Europe together with her cousin, Anita. Ann Glazier has returned to her job in Boston after a trip to Canada and northern New England. Instead of vacationing, Janet Regottaz spent the summer at Columbia University. Jean Pierce has just started working for a boys' private school in Cleveland and seems mighty happy about the whole thing. Edie Klyn writes that she has been working at Children's Memorial Hospital and also is a C.C. Alumnae club secretary in Chicago. She mentions also that Phyl Peters Bellah very recently had a baby girl, Nancy Eliza-
With the first batch of news about who's doing what, comes the final jolt that we are really alumnae, and aren't going to catch up on the summer's happenings in the dormitory. This will have to suffice.

Clutching diplomas in one hand, quite a crew made a beeline for the alter. The Coast Guard claimed the first brides, even before commencement. Janie Wassung Adams was in New London for the summer, then on to Mobile. Kit Kent Waggett and Cobe are settled in Portland, Maine; and Marilyn Wunker Julnes writes from Astoria, Oregon, that she has been getting up in the middle of the night to drive Nory to the CGC Balsam for rescue runs. Mimi Woodbridge is now Mrs. Bernie Mitchell, and keeping house in Juneau, Alaska.

Three days after graduation, June 14, Edie Kolody became Mrs. Sheldon Mark Mitchell at the Warwick Hotel in New York. Edie and Shell spent the summer in Colorado, taking summer school courses before going back to New York for Shell to finish law school. On June 17, Dot Hyman and Mickey Roberts were married at the Pierre. Roommate Dossie Abrutyn was a member of the wedding, with Rusty McClure, Ann Mitchell, Beth Younan, Marlis Bluman, Candy Canova and Bobbi Gold joining the festivities. The Roberts are now back in New York, and Dot is working for her father at Echo Scarves, Inc.

Dossie followed Dot down the aisle July 9, when she was married to Dr. Arnold Turtz at the Ritz-Carlton. Arnie was camp doctor for the summer out in Pennsylvania, with Dossie keeping in practice helping with the dancing. The same afternoon, up in Connecticut, Gaby Nosworthy married Ensign Dick Ryder, with Bobbi Mehl's as maid of honor. Red (now lieutenant, j.g.) and Gaby have settled for the moment in Norfolk, Virginia. Earlier in the summer, Jeanne Wolf became Mrs. George Berman. Jeanne and George spent the summer basking in Ogunquit, Maine. July 29 was the red letter day for Dan Warren and Johnny White.

On August 25 Georgie Kane was married to Walt Schroeder; and on August 28 Selby Inman was married to Lt. Frank Graham. Roommate Andy Pass, Liz Smith and Char Eyntart were all in the wedding, after which the Grahams were slated to settle in Key West. Out in Cleveland Bab Feder became Mrs. Hank Eaton on August 28. Elaine Hansen has married Dunc Fraser, reporter for the New London Day.

Moving from matrimony to meandering, the class of 1950 seems to have split its wanderlust between Europe and the woolly west. Mitch was with Mac and Fritz Keller's tours. Isabelle Oppenheim, Mary Lou Southard, and Nan Lou Parlament toured Europe under the guidance of Mr. Mayhew. Marcia Dorfman made the grand tour with her tennis-playing brother. Julie Jackson and Claire Pennock traveled together, taking note of Pigalle and the Follies, with terse comment on the lack of baths. Beth Steane was last heard of in Germany, Lorny Allen in Holland, and our rabbit Annette Rapin sailed for Switzerland late in June.

It looks like everyone who had claim to a car took off to see America first. Mary Jo Mason and Nancy Lee Hicks, traveling with Kay Stocking, ran into Joan Thompson, driving a yellow convertible with three Wellesleyites, on the rim of the Grand Canyon. Susie Little reports that she is "loving her horse and the wild life." Char Eyntart made the trek with sister Julie; Andy Pass with her twin sister, fresh out of Smith. Pat Into was last heard from in the Black Hills of South Dakota, with plans to go into business with her mother in Florida this winter. Roommates June Linsley and Janie Keeler were reported tearing around California like mad.

On the cultural side, Barbara Blaustein was spotted writing a libretto at Tanglewood Music School by Marlis Bluman. Barb was headed for Johns Hopkins and a graduate course in political science this fall. Liz Smith worked with a summer stock theater in New Hampshire, under the direction of Mr. Henderson, drama coach at Fort Trumbull. Nancy Bulde has been painting energetically with Mary Young in Bermuda. Mary is also on the books as using her talents in a florist shop. Bobbi Mehl's has turned her art major to use with a job in the interior decorating department of a New Haven store. Gloria Sylva has stayed close to C.C., studying voice with Miss Leslie. "Everything from soup to nuts" is Jean Gries' description of the job she has at the Akron Art Institute.

Higher education has claimed Rusty McClure, who is winding up her M.A. in education and has a job teaching economic geography in Albany. Marilyn Packard taught a vacation church school while doing social work in Boston and living at Andover-Newton Theological Seminary as part of a student project. This fall Puckie started in as an agent for the children's department of the Connecticut Humane Society, down the street from Lois Papa's job headquarters. Janet Pinney is working in the Library at the University of Connecticut, and Janet Surgenor is ensconced in a laboratory at Yale. Carol Booth went to business school in Pittsburgh this summer: "Shorthand, typing, and heat prostration in six delightful weeks." Rachel Ober planned to go to Columbia this fall, while Al Hess was to enter Wharton for an accelerated degree in industrial relations. Liz McConnell has been taking education courses at Western Reserve and speaks wistfully of "only 36 hours to get an M.A."

Jackie Hamlin is threatening to descend on New York in the fall with Char Eyntart, Liz Smith, and Laurel Barker, who was also heard muttering about joining the Waves. Bert Trager and Babs Harvey are also New York bound, Bert having taken time off from the Yankees to learn to play golf this summer. Six Lee was working at the Madison (Conn.) Beach Club, and Dot Holinger wrote from New Hampshire of parties and swimming instruction at Camp Birchmere. Peg Miller and Norma Dickson spent the summer working in a hotel at Hampton Beach, N. H. Peggy is taking her Auerbach training back to Fox's to join the training squad. Merchandising has also claimed Rhoda Freed, who goes on Filene's training squad this fall.

Candy Canova and Lyn Malizia are keeping their retailing training close to home and looking for jobs around Allentown and Nutley, respectively. Nan Murray has joined the forces of the office workers, as has Pete Smith, who's working in the Technical Bureau of International Business Machine's New York office; while Anne McClare is doing statistical research for the New York Life Insurance Company.
The list of officers presented below, together with accounts of meetings of some clubs, is incomplete since full information was not available when the News went to press. Publicity chairmen, or secretaries of clubs which have no publicity officer, should, in the future, send reports of club activities to MRS. RICHARD MEYER (Mary Ann Lemon Meyer ’42, President of the Alumnae Association), who will compile Club news. Mrs. Meyer’s address is: 4 Cambridge Road, Great Neck, New York.

Boston
President: Mrs. L. B. Barnard (Janet Boomer ’29)
30 Standish Road, Wellesley Hills
Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. R. W. Linscott, Jr.
(Virginia Frey ’42)
6 Wolcott Road, Winchester
Treasurer: Mrs. John Kersey, (Eileen Bilodeau ’42)
10 Malcolm Street, Hingham
California — Northern
President: Miss Emma T. G. Moore ’37
28 B Lower Crescent, Sausalito
Corresponding Secretary: Miss Susanne M. Higgins ’35
1282 A Page St., San Francisco
Treasurer: Miss Mary W. Robinson ’19
2508 Benvenue Avenue, Berkeley
California — Southern
President: Mrs. Joseph Mahon (Mary Jane Benson ex ’29)
The Mahon School, Padua Hills Road, Claremont
Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. G. Rex Shields
(Susan S. Vaughan ’40)
11168 Acama St., North Hollywood
Treasurer: Mrs. James D. Thackrey (Mary L. Walsh ’43)
4867 Revlon Drive, La Canada
Chicago
President: Mrs. Raymond I. Post (Elizabeth Shank ’43)
2636 Spruce Street, River Grove
Corresponding Secretary: Miss Edith Klyn ’49
3000 Sheridan Road, Chicago
Treasurer: Mrs. Raymond I. Post (Elizabeth Shank ’43)
2636 Spruce Street, River Grove
The incoming freshmen were guests of honor at a luncheon held in September at the Exmoor Country Club in Highland Park.

Cleveland
President: Mrs. Robert J. Slobej (Mary Lamprecht ’40)
21149 Colby Road, Cleveland
Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. Ira McAnly
(Jean McMillen ex ’49)
2920 E. 132 St., Cleveland
Treasurer: Mrs. John T. Wynne, Jr. (Marilou Widdell ’47)
10408 Shaker Boulevard, Cleveland

The annual tea for incoming freshmen was held at Elizabeth McConoughey’s home in Cleveland Heights. A business meeting preceded the tea.

Delaware — Wilmington
President: Mrs. Willard L. Johns (Jeanette Rothensies ’38)
2 Bedroom Court, Wilmington
Corresponding Secretary: Miss Mary E Power ’45
2755 West Sixth St., Wilmington
President Park will be the guest of honor of the club, on a date not yet decided upon. Officials of local secondary schools will be invited to meet her.

Denver
President: Mrs. Morton McGinley (Sally Duffield ’46)
100 Humboldt Street
Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. Clyde S. Rine, Jr.
(Eleanor Clarkson ex ’39)
1216 Forest Avenue
Treasurer: Mrs. Tyson Dines, Jr. (Anne Ordway ’46)
Box 176, Route 1, Littleton
The first meeting of the year was held as a general get-together on September 19th.

Fairfield County, Connecticut
The Fairfield County Club voted to dissolve as of June 30, 1950, and two organizing committees were appointed to establish two new clubs, the Eastern and Western Fairfield County clubs. It was the consensus of opinion that the club which included the whole county was unwieldy from the point of management, made Executive Board meetings difficult, and prevented members from attending any meetings other than those held in their own locality. The county was therefore divided at Norwalk.

The Eastern Fairfield County Club is composed of the following towns: Bethel, East Norwalk, Devon, Fairfield, Milford, Bridgeport, Westport, Norwalk, Saugatuck, South Norwalk, Southport, Stratford, West Redding and Wilton.

The Western Fairfield County Club is composed of members residing in the following towns: Cos Cob, Darien, Glenbrook, Greenwich, New Canaan, Noroton Heights, Old Greenwich, Riverside and Stamford. The mailing list of each club is approximately 100.

Fairfield County — Eastern
Officers not yet elected. Chairman pro tem: Mrs. Albert Garofalo (Harriet-Ellen Leib ’41) 218 Verna Hill Road, Fairfield, Conn.
Corresponding Secretary: Treasurer:
The first meeting of the year was held on October 5 at the home of Mrs. Raymond Baldwin (Edith Lindholm ’20) and plans were formulated for effectively organizing this new club. Kathryn Moss was guest speaker.
Fairfield County — Western
President: Mrs. Otto Schwenk (Alice Coy ’31)
66 Delafield Island Road, Darien
Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. Richmond L. White, Jr.
(Carla Eakin ex ’41)
North Wilton Road, New Canaan
Treasurer: Mrs. Stephen Backus (Catherine A. Cartwright ’35)
27 Halsey Drive, Old Greenwich

Hartford
President: Mrs. Kenneth E. Ward (Lois Hanlon ’44)
75 Milton Street, West Hartford
Corresponding Secretary: Miss Sara K. How ’49
35 Clifton Avenue, West Hartford
Treasurer: Mrs. Albert E. Gross (Dora Schwartz ’20)
201 North Whitney Street, Hartford
The first meeting of the year was an "Introductory Meeting" for incoming freshmen. The speakers were Janet Baker ’50, daughter of Marion Williams Baker ’19, on "Freshmen Week," and Janet Surgenor ’50 on "Traditions."

Meriden — Wallingford
President: Mrs. Kirtland Dechard (Elmo Ashton ’28)
161 Curtis St., Meriden
Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. Carmelo Greco (Alice Galante ’34)
18 Lincoln St., Meriden
Treasurer: Mrs. David H. Evans (Eunice M. Morse ’38)
255 Curtis St., Meriden

Michigan — Detroit
President: Mrs. John E. Parrott (Cherie Noble ’44)
691 Colonial Court, Birmingham
Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. Warren Kendall (Shirley Devereaux ’40)
19464 Manor Avenue, Detroit
Treasurer: Miss Virginia L. Seens ex ’42
130 Glynn Court, Detroit

Milwaukee
President: Mrs. Paul A. Rix (Mary White ex ’45)
2230 East Bradford Avenue, Milwaukee
Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. Robert Winkler (Margaret Gregory ex ’46)
2711 East Bradford Avenue, Milwaukee
Treasurer: Mrs. John Shank (Polly Frank ’40)
4141 North Murray Avenue, Milwaukee
The annual Quadrangle Ball held in conjunction with Vassar, Wellesley and Smith took place on July 22nd at the Milwaukee Country Club. The event was considered a great success by members and guests.

New Haven
President: Mrs. Kenneth M. Kelley (Barbara Barlow ’44)
96 Norton St., Apt. D-3, New Haven
Corresponding Secretary: Miss Mary E. Stone ’49
Fairgrounds Road, Woodbridge, New Haven 15, Conn.
Treasurer: Mrs. William Mendelsohn (Stella Levine ’25)
170 Linden Street, New Haven
Miss Ruth Wylie, member of the Psychology Department faculty of the College will speak to club members on October 18.

New Jersey
President: Mrs. Roger K. Dearing (Jean Hall ’42)
436 Mountain Avenue, Westfield
Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. William V. Applegate (Constance Smith ’41)
347 Essex Avenue, Bloomfield
Treasurer: Mrs. Graham White (Constance Harvey ’40)
104 Larned Road, Summit
The first meeting was a tea on September 9 for incoming freshmen with Miss Noyes from the college as speaker. The second meeting of the year was held on October 5th. Dr. Edwin Fulcomer spoke on the theatre.

Bergen County, New Jersey
President: Mrs. Harry S. Howard, Jr. (Lenore Tingle ’42)
400 Fenway, River Edge
Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. D. W. Erskine (Lois Riley ’37)
778 Oak Avenue, Maywood
Treasurer: Mrs. Jan Boer (Betty Davison ex ’43)
88 Jean Street, Ramsey
The first meeting of the year was a reception for incoming students held early in September.

New London
President: Mrs. Arthur Shurts (Mary Jane Barton ’35)
127 Norwood Avenue, New London
Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. John DeGange (Mary Crofoot ’27)
95 Oneco Avenue, New London
Treasurer: Mrs. Donald Bradshaw (Jean Bemis ’40)
25 Hillside Road, Groton

New York
President: Mrs. Roger W. Wise, Jr. (Barbeur Grimes ’46)
198-01 C-67 Avenue, Fresh Meadows, Flushing
Corresponding Secretary: Miss Teresina Cerutti ’44
1221 York Avenue, New York 21
Treasurer: Mrs. Mark H. Brown (Elizabeth Fincke ’49)
445 West 23rd Street, New York
A tea was given late in September for incoming freshmen. Plans are under way for money-making activities for the year.
Philadelphia
President: Mrs. James L. Dearnley (Mary Lou Elliott '43)
410 Waverly Road, Wyncote
Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. Davis P. Smith, Jr. (Janet Weiss '46)
Country House, Huntingdon Valley
Treasurer: Miss Marorie Moody '44
224 Bellevue Avenue, Haddonfield, New Jersey

Pittsburgh
President: Miss Dorothy Dismukes '47
1422 Browning Road, Pittsburgh
Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. James N. Stewart (Mary Reed '31)
Box 284, Route 9, Trotwood, Pittsburgh 28
Treasurer: Mrs. Richard Canfield (Margaret Hanna '41)
322 Richland Lane, Pittsburgh
The Pittsburgh program is well lined up for the year. Exact dates and meeting places have not been set but an outline of the program is as follows:
September—Dr. John Adams from the Pittsburgh Juvenile Court
October or November—Mr. Cobbledick will speak at a meeting to which prospective students will be invited.
February—Dr. R. Carlin from the Chemistry Department of Carnegie Tech will lead a panel discussion on Education.
April—Mrs. T. C. Cheesman, a graduate of Pennsylvania College for Women and well-known speaker around Pittsburgh, will give a book review.
We will also have our annual benefit at the Pittsburgh Playhouse next spring and our Christmas Tea for undergraduates and prospective students.

Springfield, Mass.
President: Miss Barbara A. Norton '49
19 Princeton Street, Holyoke
Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. Allen C. Tindall (Barbara Brackett ex '44)

Washington
President: Mrs. H. Franklin Gregory (Sarah Kohr '41)
1855 Taylor Street, N.W., Washington 11
Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. James A. Saltsman (Brooks Johnstone ex '43)
1535 West Falkland Lane, Silver Spring, Maryland
Treasurer: Miss Sarah Bauernschmidt '45
2311 Connecticut Avenue, N. W., Washington
Incoming freshmen, returning students and alumnae all attended the first meeting of the Washington Club. The tea was held on September 16th at the home of Betty Kohr Gregory '41.

Waterbury
President: Mrs. Walter DeWayne France (Ellen H. Grant ex '38)
48 Kenilworth Street, Waterbury
Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. Joseph C. Swirsky (Jeanne M. Feinn '44)
133 Pine Street, Waterbury
Treasurer: Mrs. Clifford G. Herbst (Eleanor Penney '28)
178 Fairlawn Avenue, Waterbury

Westchester
President: Mrs. Philip M. Luce (Jessie Menzies '20)
87 Berrian Road, New Rochelle
Corresponding Secretary: Miss Nancy L. Swift '48
341 Pelhamdale Avenue, Pelham
Treasurer: Mrs. Paul H. Allen (Edna L. Fuchs '42)
19 Hillcrest Road, Mount Vernon
The Westchester Club is presenting for its scholarship benefit the CONNECTICUT COLLEGE GLEE CLUB and Schwiffs. Date: Saturday evening, November 18, 8:30 p.m. Place: Bronxville High School. Tickets $1.80, Tickets obtainable from Mrs. Robert Garlock (Charlotte Frisch Garlock), 6 East Drive, Larchmont, New York.

REUNIONS - - JUNE 8, 9, 10, 1951

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# CAMPUS CALENDAR FOR 1950-1951

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