Authors
The Dean

Carlyle wrote that "history is the essence of innumerable biographies". The history of Ursinus College is defined to a large extent in the biography of one man whose span of activity there covered more than half a century.

Every living graduate of Ursinus has encountered the Dean. They have met him either as a schoolmate, a teacher or a counselor. While still living he became a tradition, for his personality was made of the stuff from which fables grow. Everybody knew him. That is, he was as familiar a figure as is Bomberger Hall or the head of Zacharias Ursinus on the college seal. But no one knew him intimately. And to each generation of students he was something different.-Although a reserved and solitary person, he was courteous and friendly to all who sought his advice and counsel. He had an old-world courtliness and charm in his manner and speech. His bearing and presence lent dignity to every college gathering he attended.

Dean Kline was a scholar of the 19th century variety. He was steeped in the classics but at heart he was a scientist. His spare time was spent in research in the botany and ornithology of eastern Pennsylvania. He made valuable contributions to the knowledge in these fields. He was an eloquent preacher and a militant defender of the Reformed Church. Some of his talks to incoming and outgoing classes would compare favorably with Polonius' charge to his son Laertes. He was learned in the laws and precedence of the Board of Directors, and of the faculty. By temperament he was a conservative, but he would become the embodiment of progress once he was convinced of the soundness of an innovation.

We are grateful for having had the labors and inspiring leadership of Wharten A. Kline. May the remembrance of his work, his faith and his wisdom inspire us to fulfill his dreams for a better Ursinus.

—Donald L. Helfferich '21
The President's Page

The following paragraphs are an informal report to the alumni.

We have now at Ursinus nearly nine hundred students—a larger number than ever before. For the next three or four years the enrollment must remain close to this level. We have admitted as Freshmen the normal number of girls, almost the normal number of boys who are not veterans, and our share of well-qualified veterans. We plan to admit in 1947 a proper quota of students in each of these three groups. We shall, however, be able to admit only a small percentage of the qualified applicants. Since we wish to give special consideration to candidates whom alumni recommend, I suggest to alumni that their relatives and friends make application as early as possible.

The return of all our teachers who have been in the armed forces and the appointment of eight new teachers give us a faculty adequate in size and experience. Among the new faculty members are the following: Dr. George W. Richards, former president of the Theological Seminary of the Reformed Church; Lt. Commander Charles C. Wallick, former chaplain; Dr. Charles Lyon Chandler, last year lecturer in government at Haverford College; Dr. William J. Phillips and Mr. William S. Child, both for many years members of the English Department at the University of Pennsylvania.

We are making full use of our buildings and equipment. The roster is planned so that our classrooms and laboratories are in use for more hours each week than in the past. Three additional rooms in the Library have been made available to day students for reading and study. For the housing of students and teachers we have leased the Annex and two additional houses near the campus. In the dining rooms all resident students are accommodated at one sitting, and luncheons are served to a number of day students.

During the summer we completed a great deal of work that the shortage of labor and materials had delayed during the war years. Shreiner, Brodbeck, the Library, and the dining rooms were redecorated. New backstops at the tennis courts were erected, and the grandstand repainted. At present the exterior of Stine, Freeland, and Derr is being refinished. Other alterations and improvements will be undertaken as soon as practicable.

Although the years of war were critical and difficult years for Ursinus, we were able to offer exceptional opportunities to the students who remained with us. The college is now attracting an ever-increasing number of students of superior ability and character. We at the College are profoundly grateful to the many hundreds of alumni who have helped in recent years. With your continued help your College can face confidently the growing responsibilities and opportunities of the years ahead.

October 26, 1946

N. E. McClure
The formal opening of the 76th academic year at Ursinus on Thursday, October 3, was celebrated with the largest enrollment of its history—895 students. Of this number 350 are veterans, many of whom had begun their studies at Ursinus before entering the service.

On Monday morning, September 30, the parking lots on the campus were filled with cars and Pfahler Hall was filled with students as the class of 1950, the largest class ever to enter Ursinus, assembled for the first of its pre-matriculation examinations: the English examination. Those members of the faculty whose responsibility it was to administer this examination had to press into service every classroom and nearly every chair in Pfahler Hall in order to accommodate the 345 members of this bouncing class. In the examination rooms the number of women students seemed small, even though the ratio is 1:3. The class of '50 is composed of 257 men and 88 women.

In spite of its size and well-traveled membership, this year's freshman class has fewer than the usual number of students from foreign lands and distant parts of the world. It can boast only of Hisham al-Kadi, of Baghdad, Iraq, and of Julio Nigaglioni, of Yuaco, Puerto Rico.

On Wednesday morning, October 2, the parking lots were even more full of cars than on Monday, and Bomberger more crowded with students than Pfahler Hall had been. The reason was that the 550 members of the three upper classes had returned to school. Of the total of 895 students, 500 are men and 395 women. If 8 special students from the Valley Forge General Hospital are included, then 374 members of the student body are veterans. Of this number, more than half were former students of the College.

Many difficulties, large and small, were presented by this inflated enrollment. This year, for example, 290 day students are attending classes. The women's day study may be said to accommodate the 61 women day students; but the men's day study in the basement of Bomberger cannot accommodate 229 men day students. Additional study rooms, therefore, have been provided in the Library.

Nor can the entire student body find seats in the chapel at the same time. Consequently, the opening chapel exercise, held Thursday, October 3, was attended only by juniors and seniors; the chapel exercise held on the following day was attended only by freshmen and sophomores. Only freshman and sophomore resident students can be required to attend the daily chapel exercises. This arrangement will leave vacant the center balcony section for members of the faculty and upper classes who wish to attend.

To help accommodate the largest student group in its history, the college has rented four off-campus buildings for use as dormitories. Due to the limited housing facilities on or near the campus, despite the new dormitories, the college has instituted a three-day-a-week plan by which non-resident freshman students living great distances from the school may attend special classes on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

In the dining rooms, too, the added weight of students has been felt. More than six hundred students take their meals in the dining rooms. So that all these may take their meals at one sitting, Mr. Morrison, the steward, has recalled to service a practice that was abandoned years ago when the upstairs dining room was opened: that of seating eight instead of six at one table.

Finally, there was the problem of instructing this larger student body. To this end the faculty was enlarged, many teachers were given heavier teaching loads than was customary, and classrooms were scheduled for use during a greater part of the day than in the past. And so, by plan or by improvisation, the difficulties of the beginning of this unusual year were met and passed. Met and passed with greater ease than many believed possible on first trying to picture Ursinus College with an enrollment of 895 students.

[Image: Parked for classes—not a football game!]

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MRS. DAVID R. FARINGER

Mrs. David R. Faringer (Evelyn Neff '07), wife of Dr. David R. Faringer, '06, died at her home in Philadelphia on Friday, October 4, 1946.

Mrs. Faringer, a former resident of Collegeville, is survived by her husband and two children, Dr. David Faringer, Jr., and Katherine. She was a sister of the late Mrs. Howard P. Tyson (Helen Neff, '09) of Collegeville, and at one time lived in Shreiner Hall where her mother was preceptress.

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The Rev. William Oliver Fegley, D.D., honorary '24, pastor emeritus of Augustus Lutheran Church, Trappe, Pa., died after a long illness in Norristown on Monday, September 9, 1946 at the age of 79.

Born in Berks County, he was educated at the normal school at Kutztown, Muhlenberg College, the Mt. Airy Theological Seminary, and received an honorary doctor of divinity degree from Ursinus College in 1924. After he was ordained in 1893, he served at Sayre, Pa., until 1898 when he accepted the charge at Trappe.

Mr. Fegley retired in 1943 after 45 years as the leader of the historical Augustus Lutheran Church. He was regarded as an authority on the early history of that church. He was the author of several books on church history, and was active in forming and directing the Augustus Historical Society.

Mr. Fegley is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Paul Davenport and Miss Alma Fegley, both of Mamaroneck, N. Y. A son, Byron, died during the first World War.

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Dr. W. Harry Snyder '23, head of the department of social studies at Montclair State Teachers College and a specialist in inter-American relations, died on August 5, 1946 after a brief illness.

Dr. Snyder was born in Harrisburg. After graduation from Ursinus, he attended New York University, where he was granted the master of arts degree in 1924, and the doctor of philosophy degree in 1933. He joined the faculty of the State Teachers College at Montclair in 1928.

A world traveler, Dr. Snyder was a specialist on inter-American topics. He was the author of the "United States Investment in the Caribbean Area," and lectured extensively on Latin-American and general world topics.

He leaves a widow, the former Helen Achenbach; his mother, Mrs. Nora M. Schuey Snyder, and a sister, Mrs. J. Nelson Finley, Jr., both of Harrisburg.

LIVINGOOD HONORED

Clarence S. Livingood, M.D., has been awarded the Legion of Merit by the War Department for an "outstanding contribution to military medicine." He held the rank of Lieutenant Colonel and served with the 20th General Hospital in India for several years. Upon his return to the United States, he was made consultant in dermatology in the office of the Surgeon General of the Army.

Dr. Livingood earlier received the Bronze Star in recognition of his research on skin diseases of India and Burma. He is now a practicing dermatologist at 133 South 36th Street, Philadelphia.

Dr. NIBLO ATTENDS EPISCOPAL CONVENTION

The Rev. James M. Niblo, D.D., honorary '40, was selected as a clerical deputy of the Diocese of Pennsylvania to the General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church held last September.

Dr. Niblo, a member of more than twenty boards and commissions of the church, is Dean of the Convocation of Norristown, and a canon of the Cathedral at Roxborough. He is a member of the Board of Directors of Ursinus College.

DEAN KLINE DIES IN 83RD YEAR

The Reverend Wharten A. Kline, Litt.D., LL.D., dean of Ursinus College since 1909, died Wednesday morning, November 20, 1946, in Montgomery Hospital, Norristown, Pa., following a brief illness. He was 82 years old. Funeral services were held at Littlestown, Pa., on November 23, and burial was in the cemetery of the Reformed Church at Wrightsville, Pa.

Dean Kline, who had been a teacher of Latin at his alma mater since 1893, was awarded the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws in 1943 when he completed 50 years' service on the faculty.

Dean Kline entered the College as a sophomore student after receiving part of his higher education in a normal school, and was graduated from the theological seminary in 1896 with a bachelor of divinity degree. In that same year, he was also awarded the honorary master of arts degree by Ursinus College. In 1913 the College again honored him with the degree doctor of letters.

He was born in York County on April 24, 1864. His early education was acquired in the local schools. For some years prior to entering the normal school, he was employed as a tobacco salesman and as a teacher in the public schools of York County. During his student days at Ursinus, he taught several classes in Latin in the Academy. Upon completion of his college work in 1893, he accepted a full-time post on the faculty as instructor in Latin, which work he continued while studying in the seminary. He became professor of Latin in 1903, and dean of the College in 1909.

Dean Kline served as assistant pastor of Christ Reformed Church in Littlestown, Pa., from 1896 to 1926.

In addition to teaching and administrative duties, Dean Kline devoted much time to the study of botany and ornithology. His pamphlet on "The Flora of the Lower Perkiomen Valley" was published about 25 years ago.

His illness, diagnosed as acute lymphatic leukemia, lasted three days. A call for blood donors on Wednesday brought a generous response from Ursinus College students, but he died a few hours later.

He is survived by his brother, Harris W. Kline, R. D., Littlestown, Pa., and by one niece and one nephew. He maintained a permanent home on his farm near Littlestown.

Season's Greetings

The officers of the Alumni Association and the editorial committee of the Alumni Journal join in wishing you all the joys of the Christmas season, and happiness throughout the coming year.

URSIUS COLLEGE BULLETIN
Music Room Developed

At the present time the Library contains approximately 34,000 cataloged books and receives 210 different periodicals. The dozen newspapers reflect opinions as diverse as PM and The New York Times. The reference department contains most of the important reference sets and individual reference books, including a number of atlases, source books, and dictionaries in English and foreign languages. Biographies are well represented and there is a section devoted to fiction.

It is anticipated that a leisure room will be opened in the Library in the near future. That room, planned for casual pleasure reading, will be furnished to reflect a home-like informality. Current and popular magazines, both fiction and non-fiction, will be available.

The music room, another project in the formative stage during the war years, is rapidly nearing completion. The original collection of 225 records, a gift to the College from Miss Sarah H. Beck and Mr. Henry C. Beck in memory of their father, has been augmented recently by the loan of the former's personal record collection. The room housing the collection has been redecorated and soundproofed, and a custom-built radio-phonograph has been installed. The machine is equipped with three turntables to play radio transcriptions or records either manually or automatically, and is designed to permit the addition of a microphone, FM reception, and television. In addition to the loud speaker in the room itself, two speakers are being installed in the east end of the main reading room to provide programs for large groups on special occasions. The cabinet for the machine and the shelves for the records will be a single unit, and will follow the planned feudal oak motif of the furniture. The music room will be opened daily as soon as monitors are trained to operate the machine properly. Planned two-hour programs are scheduled at 6:30 p.m. each Tuesday.

Because of the large enrollment as well as several vacancies on the faculty, a number of additions have been made to the teaching staff for the fall term.

Dr. George Warren Richards has been elected professor of church history. Until his retirement a few years ago, he was president and professor of church history of the Seminary at Lancaster. A graduate of Franklin and Marshall College, Dr. Richards has received the honorary degrees of doctor of theology from Heidelberg University in Germany and doctor of divinity from Edinburgh University in Scotland.

Dr. Richards was the first president of the General Synod of the Evangelical and Reformed Church after the union between the Reformed Church and the Evangelical Synod was effected. He also served as vice-president, and now holds the rank of president-emeritus. He was formerly president of the Alliance of Reformed Churches Holding the Presbyterian System Throughout the World and vice-president of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America.

Dr. Richards is the author of Historical and Doctrinal Studies on the Heidelberg Catechism, Creative Controversies in Christianity, and numerous other books, pamphlets, and articles on church history and other religious subjects.

Dr. William John Phillips has been elected acting registrar and associate professor of English. Dr. Phillips is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, where he also pursued his advanced studies in English and earned his Ph.D. He was a member of the English department at the University, holding the rank of assistant professor of English.

During the absence of Dr. Eugene H. Miller, Dr. Phillips will be acting registrar. He has considerable experience in administrative work, having served for several years as assistant director of admissions and assistant director of the Extension School at the University of Pennsylvania.

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After completion of his sea duty Mr. Wallick was chaplain at the N.A.S. Patrol Plane Base, Elizabeth City, N. C., and left the service with the rank of Lieutenant Commander on January 1, 1946. As chaplain, a new position at the College, he will have charge of daily chapel and the general guidance of religious activities on the campus.

Miss Blanche B. Schultz '41 has been appointed instructor in mathematics. After her graduation from Ursinus, where she majored in mathematics and starred in hockey and basketball, Miss Schultz taught for a year in the Collegeville-Trappe High School. She then joined the Waves, was trained at the Indocritination School at Smith College, and commissioned an ensign in January 1943. After a tour of duty at the Philadelphia Naval Base, Miss Schultz was assigned to the Aerial Navigation School at Hollywood, Florida, and subsequently received her wings as an aerial navigator, one of the very few Waves to achieve this rank. At the time she left the service this year, Miss Schultz, holding the rank of lieutenant, was teaching navigation at the Pensacola, Florida, Naval Base.

Roger P. Staiger '41 and Evan S. Snyder '43 have returned from the armed forces to their positions of instructor in chemistry and physics respectively.

Dr. E. A. Glatfelter '12, principal of William Penn Senior High School, York, Pa., was elected president of the Pennsylvania branch, National Association of Secondary School Principals, at a meeting held in Harrisburg early in November.

Dr. Glatfelter succeeded to the presidency after a years' service to the Association as vice-president.

FACULTY INCREASED

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REVUE OF SPORTS

Ballyhooing a winning club has always seemed to this writer to be a facile proposition, and by the same token, chronicling the misadventures of losing outfits to be a difficult task; difficult, in the sense that one must seek all manner of plausible phrases and laudatory sentences to eulogize a team which is consistently giving its all, but is persistently dropping its frames.

Such is the case with men's sports at Ursinus this fall. The football squad appeared to have "something", according to the pre-season dope; a gratifying turnout of sixty-five candidates including such pre-war luminaries as Elliott G. Parks, Wally Ort, and Ron Roncase, caused coach Pete Stevens to rub his hands in justifiable glee. Said glee was of short duration as the team lost the opener to Drexel, 18-6, after topping the Engineers in virtually all the statistical items; bowed to Haverford, 7-0, as the Bears confounded their most ardent supporters by thrice failing to tally when within five yards of the goal line; gave in to Moravian in a listless contest played at home, 12-0; and last, but not least, after turning in an aggressive, praiseworthy game against Swarthmore here before an Old-Timers' Day throng, went down to defeat, 19-12. The victory hiatus was broken on November 2, the Grizzlies taking the measure of the P.M.C. cadets by a 13-0 margin. Joy was brought to the banks of the Perkiomen via touchdowns by Wally Ort and Eddie Stephanowicz, the former sailing from Rockville Center, N. Y., and the latter from York, Pa. With two games left to play at this writing, it may be noted that theonus for the none-too-glorious season can scarcely be laid at the feet of coach Stevens. One simply can't expect Pete to get out there to catch those passes that are being dropped, and make the tackles that are being missed.

The soccer team, under the reins of Professor Donald ("Doc") Baker, was plagued with severe injuries from time to time, and never quite got started. A dearth of substitute players also helps explain the record to date. The season commenced on October 12, Johns Hopkins shading the locals in a 3-12 overtime contest. A vaunted West Chester crew invaded Collegeville and by dint of scoring two goals in the final period, converted seeming defeat into a 2-2 deadlock. Rutgers had too much for our booters, 3-1, and a rather heartbreaking loss was Swarthmore's winning through a penalty kick with four minutes left to play. All-American inside-left Archie Simons displayed his own superior brand of soccer up to the last quarter of the season.

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Student Activities

With the return of so many men to campus, more activities have been scheduled for this year than at any time since the war began.

For the first time in the history of Ursinus, the senior class held their ball off campus—at Sunnybrook, on November 22.

A new organization this year is the Music Club. The purpose of the Club is to sponsor weekly concerts of recorded music, to provide volunteer monitors for individuals or groups who wish to hear recordings at times not listed in the schedule, and to manage the music during mealtimes. Miss Sarah H. Beck, assistant librarian, has lent her extensive record collection for use in the new music room in the Library basement, which was opened recently.

The Inter-fraternity Council has been revived and rushing plans are under way. Sororities had their week early in November.

The Y's are sponsoring Vesper services, inter-racial and social service activities, and weekly dances. A Hallowe'en party was held in October.

An air of mystery completely surrounds the Curtain Club production to be given on December 6 and 7, since the identity of the play is being kept a secret until the nights of performance. It may be said that it is a "Whodunit?" and that Susan Bellis '48, Walter Chambers '50, and John Ulmer '49, share the leading roles.

Christmas activities will include the presentation on December 12 of the Messiah by the musical organizations of the College, aided by several prominent guest artists from New York. This has become a traditional feature of the Christmas program, and is under the able directorship of Dr. William F. Philip, head of the music department. The annual Christmas dinner and dance will be held on December 18, and the Communion service the following evening.

Seeders Appointed Head Basketball Coach

Seven Seasoned Players Return to Court

The appointment of Gerald (Jerry) Seeders, former Penn basketball and baseball luminary, to the post of head basketball coach at Ursinus College was announced early in November. Seeders succeeds Emil Messikomer, who returned to his alma mater, West Chester State Teachers College, as basketball mentor.

Seeders comes from Pottstown, Pa., and is a 1934 graduate of the high school there. He attended the University of Pennsylvania, from which he received his bachelor of science degree in 1940. At Penn he starred for three years as a forward on the varsity five and was nominated to the All-Ivy League squad in '40. Jerry captained the Red and Blue quintet in his senior year, and in that same year, '40, won his letter in baseball. While at the University, he was president of the undergraduate school of education.

During the war, Jerry served in the U. S. Infantry, attaining the rank of captain. For one year he was in charge of the physical restoration program at the U. S. Army Rehabilitation Center at Stoneleigh, England.

Seeders will have four lettermen back from last season's powerhouse unit which rolled to the championship of the Middle Atlantic Conference, southern division, with nine wins in ten league tilts. The Bears of '45-'46 chalked up the best seasonal record, twelve wins in fourteen starts, in the history of Ursinus, and went on to the Middle Atlantic Tournament at Bethlehem, where they were eliminated in the first round by an aggressive Rutgers five. The returning lettermen include a pair of Norristown, Pa., lads, Forward Roy Love and Guard George ("Moose") Kennedy. Guard Dave Bailey, Meyerstown, Pa., and center Bob Juppe, Rochelle Park, N. J., will also be on deck. Seeders will also have at his disposal several pre-war aces, including lanky George Moore, All-Philadelphia forward in '42-'43, "Injun Joe" Much, from Lake Charles, La., and Dave Zeigler, who earned his "U" in '41-'42. Another likely candidate is Russ Edkert, six-foot, five-inch soccer star, who won wide recognition in court circles for his play with the Penn State frosh aggregation in 1941.

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To the Alumni:

Your special committee under the able leadership of H. Ober Hess, Esq., '33, is continuing its work. The task of gathering, sitting and weighing factual material has proved more time-consuming than was anticipated. This has been due in no small part to the active interest and cooperative spirit shown by all concerned. You may rest assured that the special committee will complete its task at the earliest possible date and that a thorough job will be done.

The war years for obvious reasons temporarily halted efforts to strengthen and enlarge the activities of your Association. The time has now come when all of us should give of our time and energies toward a revitalization of the general Alumni Association and its regional counterparts, to the establishment of additional regional organizations, and to the coordination of general and regional alumni organization and activity. Mere words, mere genuineness of desire will not suffice to translate such objectives into accomplishments.

Inertia must be overcome. Accordingly your Executive Committee has appointed a committee under the chairmanship of Paul I. Guest, Esq., '38, to lead and channel our efforts to the achievement of these objectives. I am sure that each of us will give this committee our utmost cooperation.

PHILIP B. WILLAUER '30
President

From Your Secretary—

they believe this was a worthwhile feature of the program and would like it continued as an annual affair.

I am very grateful for the many responses to my request for information on changes of address, marriages, births, new positions, etc. Please continue to keep the Association office informed about your activities so that each issue of the Journal will be interesting and newsy.

Sincerely yours,

MIRIAM B. SMITH '14
Secretary-Treasurer

OLD TIMERS' DAY

While bad weather on the morning of October 26 no doubt kept a number of people away from the campus on Old Timers' Day, the skies cleared by noon and several hundred alumni were on hand for the occasion.

In addition to the usual informal "sessions", there were a number of planned get-togethers. Five sororities held reunion luncheons: Alpha Sigma Nu at the Perkiomen Bridge Hotel, Kappa Delta Kappa at Bungalow Inn, Omega Chi in the girls' day study in Bomberger, Phi Alpha Psi at the Kopper Kettle, and Tau Sigma Gamma at the Commercial Hotel.

The high spot of the afternoon, of course, was the football game with Swarthmore. Supper after the game presented a problem, however. The College dining room was unable to accommodate the alumni because of the unusually large enrollment and the general food problem. Most of the visitors attended a +H Club supper in the Hendricks Memorial Building of Trinity Church. About thirty-five alumni and guests attended the fall dinner meeting of the Cub and Key Society, an honorary organization, at Riverside Inn.

The Alumni Dance, sponsored by the Association and arranged by a committee under Alexander Clawson '36, was attended by over 400 alumni and students. Tommy Darlington's orchestra, which provided the music for the Alumni Day dance last June, played a return engagement.

ALUMNI COMMITTEES

Appointed

A finance committee, under the chairmanship of Edwin H. Krall '31, has been appointed to determine with the Board of Directors the policies which should govern the release of financial information to the alumni about the College. David R. Stephenson '34 has also accepted membership on this committee which will assist the special committee in obtaining certain information needed to complete its work.

Lyndell R. Reber '36 will serve as a member of the committee headed by Paul I. Guest '38, to reactivate and revitalize the regional alumni associations. David S. Hartman '41 has also been invited to work with this committee.
THE RE-EDUCATION OF GERMANY

By LOUIS A. KRUG '37

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Upon completion of work for the Master of Arts degree at Clark University in 1938, Mr. Krug joined the faculty of Collegeville-Trappe High School, and subsequently became principal.

He entered the Army as a private in 1943 and went to Manchester, England in March 1944 with an American Military Government division. He was commissioned in July 1945 and advanced later to the rank of first lieutenant, which he held upon discharge from service in July 1946. For nearly a year, Lieutenant Krug was stationed in Kempen, Germany as Education and Religion Officer, Public Health Officer, Public Welfare Officer, and Displaced Persons Officer. It was in this post that he gained intimate knowledge of the problems relating to the re-education of Germany.

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universities were declared illegal and dissolved.

As soon as the more immediate problems of the shattered and disorganized community had been cared for, steps were taken to dismiss all teachers and administrators who were Nazis and to secure replacements for them. A temporary school administrator was appointed who distributed Military Government questionnaires to all educational personnel. Processing these questionnaires, interviewing the teachers personally, and investigating the validity of their responses involved weeks of patient labor and often resulted in the dismissal of as many as seventy or eighty percent of the teaching staff who fell in the mandatory removal category because of their Nazi activities. Those who were cleared were used as instructors in local teacher training schools for persons whose educational backgrounds were satisfactory but who had not had teaching experience. The shortage of approved personnel made it necessary to open schools with large classes and short sessions so that all pupils registered could go to school at least part of each week. The prevailing ratio in March of 1946 was seventy-nine pupils to each teacher.

Many school buildings had been damaged or destroyed by war and others were used as billets for troops or displaced persons. When they finally were made available for educational purposes, much of the equipment had been damaged or removed entirely for other purposes. Improvisation was the only solution since there were no new materials nor supplies. Practically all of the old textbooks incorporated Nazi or militaristic teaching in some form and had to be banned from school use. Non-Nazi German authors and educators were given the task of rewriting certain standard school texts which were published as paper-bound editions at public expense. Many Germans were surprised and pleased when these books were distributed without charge for use in schools where pupils previously had to buy all their books.

Newly appointed administrators were directed by Military Government to select committees of approved teachers to develop instructors' programs for all subjects and grades. This was another innovation for people who formerly waited to be told just what to teach and what methods to use. Many German educators were eager to learn about American schools and pedagogical methods, and they expressed the hope that the former regimentation of education in their country would not be resumed when control by Military Government was withdrawn. It is difficult to estimate the extent to which democratic bases of school operation have permeated German pedagogical thinking. However, a superintendent of schools in a Bavarian city set a new goal for his teachers when, at the reopening of schools, he said, "The youth must not become a tool of the state without a will of his own. He must assume responsibility for his community without compulsion. He will do this only when he is educated as a self-respecting citizen who seeks to determine what is right and supports it with his vote."

This viewpoint represents accomplishment and promises future dividends in the re-education of Germany.

Coach for 20 Years

The souvenir program for homecoming day, at South River, N. J., High School honored William C. Denny '27, in celebration of his twentieth year as coach of football there.

Among forty South River players coached by Mr. Denny, who later played varsity football in college are Wilbur Applegate, Arum Parunak, and William Weis, all of the class of 1929 at Ursinus College.
1878

The Three Score and Ten Club met at Northport, Ala., the last Wednesday in July, for its annual meeting. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hertzog were among those who enjoyed renewing old acquaintances. There were twenty guests past 80 years of age in attendance. The Hertzogs live at 505 18th St., Tuscaloosa, Ala.

1911

Henry W. Mathieu was elected vice-president of the Pennsylvania association of real estate men, at the annual meeting held recently in Harrisburg.

1919

Grace Chandler spent part of the summer of 1946 in California. She has been selected editor of the magazine published by the Soroptimist organization.

Mrs. Edward C. Webster (Jessamine MacDonald) is a member of the faculty of the Rutherford, N. J. High School. She is living at 68 Sylvan St., Rutherford, N. J.

1922

Ellen H. Walker is employed as technician in the metabolic laboratory of the Philadelphia General Hospital, and is living at 1424 Powell St., Norristown, Pa.

1925

Marian M. Hersheberger is a member of the faculty of the Harding Junior High School, Lebanon, Pa. She is residing at 834 Chestnut St., Lebanon, Pa.

1926

Mrs. Allan R. Thomas (M. Amanda Kern), formerly on the faculty of Bloomsburg State Teachers College, is now in charge of speech correction and psychological examiner in the Junior High School, Palmerton, Pa.

1927

Adelaide Hathaway, for nearly fifteen years a member of the staff of the Cumberland Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y., has accepted a position on the staff of the Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital, Hanover, N. H.

1928

Herbert W. Barron, M.D., formerly located in Collegeville, Pa., announces the opening of his office at 558 High St., Pottstown, Pa.

The Rev. G. Howard Koons, after serving seven years as pastor of the Christ Evangelical and Reformed Church of Roaring Springs, has accepted a new pastorate at Salem Church, Camp uphill, Pa., beginning October 15, 1946.

Herman F. Meckstroth, M. D., after service overseas in the Army Medical Corps, resumed practice of medicine and surgery, April 1, 1946, with an office at 718 St. John St., Allentown, Pa. He is the father of two children: Ned, 17 years, and Sandra, 14 years of age.

R. Clair Frank reported a change of address to 836 McKenzie St., York, Pa.

1929

Alvin R. Featherer, Esq., is living at 76 State St., Pennsgrove, N. J.

Mr. Thomas S. Thompson (Elevia Shupert), reports her address as R. D. 1, Collegeville, Pa.

Mary G. Rule, a teacher in the Bergenfield Junior-Junior High School, received a Master of Arts degree from Columbia University in 1941. Her address is 58 Spring Ave., Bergenfield, N. J.

Thomas L. Swann is employed in the finishes division of the E. I. duPont Co., Buffalo, N. Y. He is living with his family, two children, Thomas and Barbara, at 66 Rugby Rd., Buffalo, N. Y.

Irwin S. Leinbach, M. D., who has been practicing in Reading, Pa. for several years, on November 1 moved to 4660 First Ave., South, St. Peters burg, Fla. Dr. Leinbach will continue the practice of orthopedic surgery, for which he has been certified by the American Board in his specialty.

1930

George W. Engle, whose marriage to Miss Margaret Laws took place June 15, 1946, is vocational rehabilitation counselor in the State Department of Education, Maryland. His address is Route 1, Parsonsburg, Md.

Helen Z. Detweiler is supervising the organization of libraries for the U. S. Government in Japan.

Mr. and Mrs. John K. Henry (Catherine E. Witman) announce the birth of a second daughter, Nancy Carolyn, on August 16, 1946. Their other daughter, Patricia, is 5 years old. They are living at 5100 Pinokia Rd., Drexel Hill, Pa.

1931

Charles S. Dotterer, M.D., who served as Lieutenant Commander in the Marine Corps, USNR, during the war, has resumed private practice, specializing in diseases of the eye, ear, nose, and throat, with offices in Newport and Providence, R. I. He is living with his family at 11 Redwood St., Newport, R. I. Dr. and Mrs. Dotterer have two daughters: Nancy, 4 years, and Nina, 2 years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Omwakie became the parents of a daughter, Elizabeth, on August 19, 1946.

1932

Stewart R. Baker is instructor in the mathematics department of North Carolina State College, located at Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel A. Taylor (Thelma Cooper) and son, Mark, are residing at 535 Carleton Rd., Westfield, N. J.

Scott F. Cooper is living at Southampton, Bucks Co., Pa. His business address is Hygiene Bldg., University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, 4.

1933

The Rev. Alfred L. Creager has been appointed pastor of the Evangelical and Reformed Church, Collegeville, Pa., succeeding the Rev. John Lentz, D.D. '02, who retired from the ministry in June. A reception to Rev. and Mrs. Creager (Grace Williams 31) was given in the Hendricks Building on November 14.

Mrs. Elmer Bottiger (Mary Routhenberg) is living at 4500 Derry St., Harrisburg, Pa.

Elmer M. Morris is living at 110 Yale St., York, Pa.

Benjamin F. Sauders, M.D., after serving 47 months in the Army Medical Corps, has resumed private practice, specializing in diseases of the eye, with an office at 143 N. 6th St., Reading, Pa.

Anthony V. Ziccardi, M.D., is practicing at Maple Shade, N. J., where he has an office at 210 W. Main St. He is the father of three children: Michael, Susan, and Arthur.

The Rev. Jerome A. Werner has accepted charge of the Woodcrest Church in Philadelphia and is living at 8042 Michener St., Philadelphia 19, Pa.

Clarence Hubert is a graduate student in psychology at the University of Pennsylvania. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert (Helen Green 31) have two daughters.

H. Ober Hess, Esq., is one of two editors of the Penury Review, published monthly by the Girard Trust Company, Philadelphia. Mr. Hess is connected with the Philadelphia law firm of Ballard, Spahr, Andrews, and Ingersoll, located at 1035 Land Title Building, Broad and Chestnut Streets.

1934

Robert H. Cunningham, who had served in the Officers Corps of the Army, is now employed with the White Laboratories, Newark, N. J., and living at 515 Park Ave., Paterson, N. J.

Lt. Comdr. Miles R. Bower is stationed at the Seventh Naval District Headquarters, Jacksonville, Fla.


James M. Wharton has moved to Saratoga, Calif., where mail will reach him addressed to Box 315.

Allan Cougham reports a change of address to Box 241 Warren Ave., Thornwood, N. Y.

Mrs. Marlin C. Bottiger (Grace Thomas) is living at McConnellstown, Pa., where her husband is Protestant chaplain at the Pennsylvania Institution for Defective Delinquents at Huntington, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Schenly are the parents of twins, a boy and a girl, born February 28, 1946. They live at 426 S. York St., Mechanicsburg, Pa.

David R. Stephenson, Jr., is teaching business administration in the extension school of Pennsylvania State College at York, Pa. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Newcomb (Nadine Jones) announce the birth of a son, John Walter, on October 16, 1946. The Newcombs are living at 270 Delsea Drive, Glassboro, N. J.

1935

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tomaso (Ruth Leewquod) are living at 20 W. 5th St., Pottstown, Pa.

E. Wayne Covert is employed by the Bankers Indemnity Insurance Co., 15 Washington St., Newark, N. J. He is the father of a 20-months old daughter, Carole Brooks.

Mrs. E. Eugene Shelley (Dorothy M. Thomas) has been granted several months' leave of absence from the University of Pennsylvania to serve as administrative assistant in a survey of hospitals being made throughout the state of Pennsylvania by a Governor's Committee. Her business address is Room 800, Board of Education, 21st and Parkway, Philadelphia 3, Pa.
Mildred G. Fox is guidance counselor at Westfield High School, N. J., and is taking courses at New York University. She is living at 247 Prospect St., Westfield, N. J.

Anna D. G. Grimm has notified us of a change in address to 301 E. 21st St., New York 10, N. Y.

C. Roger Kurts, M.D., has opened an office at 3150 Wisconsin Ave., Washington, D. C., and is living in Arlington Heights, Virginia. Mr. and Mrs. Kurts are the father of two daughters, Carole and Camille.

The Rev. Gilbert V. Bartholomew has accepted a call to the St. John's Church, Orwigsburg, Pa.

1936

Robert L. Brandau is instructing in chemistry at the State Teachers College, Brockport, N. Y., and is living at 163 Monroe Ave., Brockport, N. Y.

Henry M. Kwicinski, released to inactive duty, USNR, July 20, 1946, is now teaching in the high school at Ridgewood, N. J., and living at 246 Stetten Ave.

Mark R. Staudt is living at 205 Windsor St., Reading, Pa.

Ruth H. and Ruthnerigan has accepted the position of dean of girls at the Lasell Junior College, Auburndale 66, Mass.

I. Montgomery Weidner, Jr., after four years in the Army, has returned to the faculty of Bound Brook High School, teaching several study subjects last summer. He attended Columbia University and is continuing courses this winter, toward a master of arts degree in secondary school administration. He and his wife, the former Emma H. Betts, whom he married August 21, 1941, are living at 11 E. Union Ave., Bound Brook, N. J.

Gordon W. Spangler is living at 8 Owen Ave., Lansdowne, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Beddow (Virginia Peninn '37) announce the birth of a son, Thomas Fenton, on September 30, 1946. They recently moved to 3817 V Street, S. E., Washington, D. C.

1937

Frank Bradford Stone, Lieutenant Commander, USN, is personnel officer at the Naval Air Station, Jacksonville, Fla.

Richard Dunn is employed in the Department of Public Assistance at Harrisburg, Pa. Since October, Antony Q. Schmidt has been instructor of French and German at Colby College, Waterville, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Garrison (Phyllis Watson) are living at 128 W. Jersey St., Elizabeth, N. J.

William W. Leman, M.D., since his release from the Army, with service in Japan, has resumed his position as chief resident physician at the Delaware County Hospital. He has an office at 206 Bakeryr noe Rd., Springfield, Pa.

On Saturday, August 17, Marjorie G. Shaffer '38 became the bride of Louis A. Krug at Roaring Springs, Pa. Mrs. Krug taught English and languages in the Roaring Springs High School. Mr. Krug is principal of the Collegeville-Trappe High School, which position he held before serving overseas in the European theatre with the military government. Mr. and Mrs. Krug are living in the Miller Apt., 26 Cherry Ave., Trappe, Pa.

King Heiges is continuing study in the graduate school at the University of Michigan, at Ann Arbor. He is living at 306 Thompson Ave., Ann Arbor.

Marlin B. Brant, discharged from the Army in July, 1946, has returned to his former position on the faculty of the East Norriton Junior High School. He is living at 12 Montgomery Ave., Norristown, Pa.

The Rev. Percy G. Hall, S.T.D., is executive secretary of the Army and Navy Division, National Council, of the Protestant Episcopal Church, with offices at 281 Fourth Ave., New York City.

The Rev. and Mrs. Frank E. Reynolds (Ruth Roth '38) have moved to Littlestown, Pa., where Reverend Reynolds was installed as pastor in the Church of the Redeemer, June 16, 1946.

Ruth E. Grauer conducted a summer camp for boys and girls in Mt. Vernon, Me., during the summer of 1946.

John S. Throne is purchasing agent for the A. B. Farquhar Co., York, Pa.

1938

A son, William Jonathan, Jr., was born to Mr. and Mrs. William J. Grove (Betsy Bartholomew), October 3, 1946.

John G. Tomlinson is with the American States Insurance Company, located at Los Angeles, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Tomlinson have two sons, John, Jr., and a half year old, and Mr. and Mrs. Tomlinson were married July 27, 1946.

John C. Bates is employed by Smith, Kline and French of Philadelphia. He is living at 408 W. Walnut Lane, Philadelphia 44, Pa.

H. Stanley Weckle is a member of the high school faculty at Hellertown, Pa. During last summer he attended Lehigh University. The Weikles have two children, Bonita Louise and Terence Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederic T. Hamlin (Frances Kline ex '38) and their three children are living at 408 W. Maple St., Hellertown, N. J., R. D. 1.

R. Blair Ronan, M.D., after serving overseas several years, has opened an office at 505 DeKalb St., Bridgeport, Pa.

Robert E. Stewart, M.D., is resident in pediatrics at the Jefferson Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.

John Wozniak, M.D., has resumed general practice with offices at 511 Ringgold Ave., McKeesport, Pa. Recently his engagement to Miss Agnes M. Hart, a graduate of Russell Sage College, was announced.

1939

Bernice K. Grubb, Ph. D., has returned to Dickinson College as associate professor of modern languages.

C. Ruth Stoebernagel, since her release from the WAC, is living at her home 161 9th St., Coral Gables, Fla. During last summer she attended Lehgh University. The Stoebernagels have two children, Bonita Louise and Terence Lee.

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1941

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Putnam (Marion Wittier) announce the birth of a daughter, Judith Hope, born August 7, 1946.

Emily R. Baldwin has returned to the faculty of the Pottstown High School, Pottstown, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mahady (Ann Robinson) announce the birth of a son, William Michael, on October 3, 1946.

Ray F. Detwiler is a pilot for the Pan American World Airways located at Miami, Fla. A daughter, Kathleen Ruth, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Detwiler while Ray was overseas in Guat. The Detwilers are living at 608 S. W. 26th St., Coral Gables, Fl.a.

Lt. Paul L. Wise is serving with the Counter Intelligence Corps, doing law work in Frankfurt, Germany. He is the father of two children, Charlotte B., 3rd, and Paul L., Jr.

Richard Z. Hartman, since his release from service, is at his home in Leola, Pa.

E. Jane Hartman, separated from the USNR (WR), May 31, is taking graduate work in psychology at the University of Pennsylvania.

Word has been received of the marriage of Mary A. Hyde to Mr. Edward L. Saunders in the Francisca Monastery, New York, N. Y., August 10, 1946.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Gregory (Catherine Hahn) are studying Chinese at Yale University preparatory to their work as mission (Continued on Page 10)
aries of the Evangelical and Reformed Church. With their daughter, Nancy Elizabeth, they plan to sail for China in February.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Felton announce the birth of a daughter, Elaine Carol, on August 31, 1946. Mr. Felton is employed with the Carrier Corporation, Bridgeport, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Wood, Jr. (Nancy Landis '43) are living at 120 Heacane Lane, Wyncote, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin E. Morris have received his doctor of philosophy degree in engineering from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology last year, has decided to change to the field of music and will begin study at Hamline College, Stillwater, Minn., in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Wood, Jr. (Nancy Landis '43) are living at 120 Heacane Lane, Wyncote, Pa.

The marriage of Jean Claszwon, Ph.D. and Arthur Cross, Jr., took place Sunday, October 20, in All Saints Church, Frederick, Md. Mrs. Newman was awarded the degree of doctor of philosophy at Bryn Mawr College in June. Dr. Newman holds the degree of doctor of philosophy from Iowa State University. Both are employed in the Army's research center at Camp Detrick where Mrs. Newman is a bacteriologist and her husband a soil microbiologist. Dr. and Mrs. Newman will live at 334 W. Patrick St., Frederick, Md.

Lt. Nat T. Toulon, 3rd, has enlisted in the regular Navy and is now stationed at Naval Air Station, Boca Chica, Key West, Fla.

Mary Eleanor Richards is employed with the U. S. Civil Service Commission in the Naval Annex, Arlington, Va. She is living at 34 S. Aberdeen St., Arlington, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Deardorff (Margaret Kerstetter '40) are living at 1238 Mt. Rose Ave., York, Pa. Mr. Deardorff is assistant to the dean of men at the A. B. Farquhar Co., York.

Mr. and Mrs. William Frey (Bernice Fish) have moved to 1636 Harrison St., Philadelphia 24, Pa.

On August 22, 1946, Miss Laura Grace Pember was married to Charles F. Miller, of York, Pa., in the First Presbyterian Church.

John H. Rauhauser '41, was an usher.

Mr. Miller is attending the Law School at the University of Pennsylvania, and he and Mrs. Miller are living with Mr. and Mrs. Rauhauser at 326 S. Cecil St., Philadelphia.

1942

The marriage of Roberta Guinness and Elwood Shropshire ex '44, took place May 13, 1946. "Shrop" is completing his last year at Ursinus under the G.I. bill. At present they are living at the Commercial Hotel, Collegeville, Pa.

The Rev. C. nest O. Adams, who served as a chaplain during the war, is now studying for a graduate degree in religious education at Union Theological Seminary, New York. His engagement to Miss Vera B. Warner, New Haven, Conn., was announced October 13, 1946.

Albin P. Tkace in the apple orchard business in New England. His address is Blaisdell Orchards, R. F. D. 2, Winterport, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean W. Williard (Eleanor Dornife '43) became the parents of a daughter, Karen Jean, on August 20, 1946. Mr. Selfridge has resigned his position at the YMCA, Orange, N. J., and accepted a position in the industrial relations section of the Socony-Vacuum Oil Company, Paulsboro, N. J. They are living at 21 Poplar Ave., Pitman, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Russell Bishop announce the birth of a daughter, Jane Louise, on June 14, 1946. Mr. Bishop is employed as an organic chemist by the American Chemical Paint Company, Ambler, Pa.

Kenneth E. Hoopes, whose marriage to Miss Geneva Welsh took place in May 1946, is assistant manager of one of the Moore chains, located at 324 N. Boots St., Marion, Ind.

George S. Spohn is with the Atlantic Refining Co., located at 260 S. Broad St., Philadelphia. Mr. and Mrs. Spohn became the parents of a daughter, Susan Shields Spohn, on September 2, 1946.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick M. Binder (Grace Brandt '43) became the parents of a daughter, Janet Karen, on September 15, 1946. Fred is assistant registrar at Temple University, where he is also teaching history. They are living at 2364 W. 77th St., Philadelphia 38, Pa.

The Rev. and Mrs. Richard R. Gay (Aurill Fox) are living at 456 S. Graham St., Pittsburgh 6, Pa. Reverend Gay has accepted a position as associate minister in the First Methodist Church of Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Glass, Jr. (Ruth B. Hoyle) are residing at 948 W. Princess St., York, Pa. Mr. Glass is with the Armstrong Cork Co., York.

Mr. and Mrs. James Booth (Geradine M. Reed) announce the birth of a son, James Reed, March 5, 1946. They are living at 83 Barker Ave., Drexel Hill, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Shuster, Jr. (Herbert '45) have moved to 266 W. Godfrey Ave., Philadelphia 20, Pa. Shuster is branch manager of the Ahlgren Bearing Co., Philadelphia.

Norman M. Callahan has accepted a position with the Quaker Paper Company in York, Pa.

1943

At a reunion of the girls of the class of 1943, held in the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel, Philadelphia, Saturday, September 21, 1946, it was decided to make it an annual affair to be held the Saturday after Labor Day in September in Philadelphia, the place to be decided by the two members appointed at the luncheon. This year 18 members of the class were present. Mary Ann Wiley and Doris Harrington, appointed to make arrangements for the affair were congratulated upon the success of the affair. Ruth Moser and Mrs. Charles Blum (Constance R. Hopkins) were named as reunion committee for the year 1947.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hopkins '41 (Emily Wagner) became the parents of a daughter, Elsie Ann, on June 10, 1946. George is director of research chemistry at the Taylor Fibre Co., Betsywood, Pa.

The marriage of Blanche C. Shirley to Richard Wentzel '43 took place on August 24, 1946. Mrs. Wentzel, who taught at Moravian College before her marriage, is now teaching at Royserton High School.

A daughter, Patricia Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. McCausland (Gladyce Williams ex '45), on March 11, 1946. Mr. McCausland received his master of arts degree from Columbia University in June and is doing graduate work in his Ph.D.

The engagement of Winifred Yager to the Rev. Francis A. Leiby, pastor of the United Reformed Church of St. Luke and St. John, Baltimore, Md., was announced in October by her parents.

Frederick B. Becker, M.D. a graduate of Temple University Medical School last March, is now an intern in the Temple University Hospital, Philadelphia.

Frederick H. Wilhelm, employed by Beem and Nichols, accountants and auditors, is living at 943 Euclid Ave., Houston 9, Texas.

Robert L. Bauer, M.D., is an intern in the Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gibson (Betty Reeve), are living in New Haven, Conn., where Jack is instructor in mathematics while studying for his master's degree.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis J. Percival received the master of arts degree in chemistry at the University of Pennsylvania, June, 1946, and is now a junior chemist in the organic research department of Rohm and Haas, Philadelphia.

Mary De Medo, M.D., is now interning at the Hahnemann Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.

Ethel Anderson is doing graduate work in organic chemistry at the University of Delaware. Since her graduation from Ursinus, Ethel was employed as chemist by the Sun Oil Company.

The Rev. William H. Daniels is living at 1945 Chapel St, New Haven, Conn, taking graduate work at Yale University, preparatory to an assignment in China.

Walter G. Vernon, Jr., M.D., is an intern at the Hahnemann Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.

Albert G. Grant, 4718 Walnut St., Chester, Pa., is attending the Jefferson Medical School.

Jack L. Thomas is employed with the Equitable Life Insurance Company of the U. S., in the office at York, Pa.

Nevin Wanner is with the York Corporation at York, Pa.

James R. Richards is purchasing agent for the Fidelity Electric Co., at Lancaster, and is living at 818 N. Lime St., Lancaster.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank F. Pierce (Salley Diebler '46) announce the birth of a son, Frank Scott, October 11, 1946. Dr. Pierce is a graduate of Temple University Medical School.

Sue Cross ex '43, released from the WAC in December, has been employed in the blood bank department of the Philadelphia General Hospital since September 1, 1946. She is living at 4130 Bonsall St., Drexel Hill, Pa.

Alan H. Crosby is pursuing graduate work in organic chemistry at the University of Virginia after two years' service in the Army.

The marriage of Emma Jane Thomas and Mr. Howard E. May, she took place recently in the Methodist Church, York, Pa.

1944

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Trevinick (Elaine Loughlin '46) are residing at 2571 Fernwood Rd., Roslyn, Pa.

The marriage of Emma Jane Thomas and Mr. Howard E. May, she took place recently in the Methodist Church, York, Pa.

1945

James Richards, whose marriage to Mr. Alan R. Brook took place June 8, 1946, is now living in Charlestown, Md.

Betty K. Umstad is with the American Red Cross in Minneapolis, Minn.

Marjorie F. Seitz since completing a course in physical therapy at Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn., is employed in the Neuro-Physical Rehabilitation Clinic, Chestnut Hill, Pa.

Eleanor Partchard is teaching social studies in the high school at Irvington, N. J.

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Problems springing from our affairs with the other countries of the world have of course increased greatly since the end of the war. By the same token, questions concerning our diplomatic relations with other countries have assumed broader significance than ever before. An Ursinus alumnus who has found an interesting place in a field of education relating to problems of diplomacy is Dr. C. Grove Haines '27, professor of diplomatic history in the highly regarded graduate School of Advanced International Studies, in Washington, D. C.

Dr. Haines' background has well equipped him for this position. Upon his graduation cum laude from Ursinus in 1927, he was awarded a fellowship in history and international relations at Clark University, where he received a master of arts degree in June 1928. During the next two years, while continuing as a fellow in residence at Clark, Dr. Haines taught economics and government at Worcester Polytechnic Institute. In the spring of 1930 he was awarded an American Exchange Fellowship to Italy and he and Mrs. Haines spent the next year in study and travel, working together at the Public Records Office in London, the Haus, Hof und Staatsarchiv in Vienna, the national library and the Ministry of Interior in Rome, and among several private collections. During this period, Dr. Haines was primarily interested in an investigation of the Italian Irredentist movement in relation to Italian foreign policy, a study which has since been continued.

Upon his return to the United States in the summer of 1931, Dr. Haines was appointed to an instructorship in history at Syracuse University. At the same time he continued his studies at Clark University and in 1933 was awarded a Ph. D. In 1943, having advanced through the various professional ranks to a full professorship at Syracuse, Dr. Haines was named Director of the Army Area and Language program at Syracuse and served in that capacity until the program's termination. In the fall of 1944, while retaining his post at Syracuse, Dr. Haines accepted an appointment as Assistant to the President and Editor of the Headline Series of the Foreign Policy Association. These two affiliations were continued until August 1945, when he resigned both to accept his present post at the School of Advanced International Studies, in Washington, D. C.

Dr. Haines is on the editorial boards of the Journal of American History and the Middle East Journal and has been a prolific writer. Among his publications are the following:

- The Development of Western Civilization (Haines and Walsh), Henry Holt, 1941.
- The Origins and Background of the Second World War (Haines and Hoffman), Oxford University Press, 1943.
- "What Future for Italy?", Foreign Policy Association Reports, Oct. 1943.
- "Trieste: Storm Center of Europe", Foreign Policy Association Reports, April 1946.
- "Italian Irredentism and Italian Foreign Policy, 1875-1878", Journal of Modern History, March 1937.

A new edition of The Origins and Background of the Second World War will soon be printed. In addition to his pending work on Italian Irredentism, Dr. Haines is now writing an interpretive study of European Politics during the interwar years, both of which are to be published by the Oxford University Press.

Dr. Haines is married to the former Frances Marble, a graduate of Smith College, who was pursuing graduate studies at Clark University when Dr. Haines received his fellowship there. They have one child, Frances Marble, age thirteen.

News Around Town

By

Muriel B. Pancoast '38

The Thompson-Gay Gymnasium really overflowed with students at this year's freshmen reception, as can well be understood since the enrollment totals 895 students. Even with a shoe horn, the old lady of the gym couldn't keep them from bursting out all over.

The former Rimby property at 646 Main Street has been rented by the College from its new owner, Ralph E. Wismer, Esq., treasurer of the College, for a dormitory to accommodate ten girls. Mr. Roger Staiger, instructor of chemistry, and his family will reside there, with Mrs. Staiger (the former Peggy Brown) assuming the duties of preceptress. Alterations are still under way to improve the building for dormitory use, and the ten prospective student residents are living temporarily in various other dormitories.

Brad has sold his property, so there is no hope of his sandwich shop reviving. He has decided to live permanently at his farm near Boyertown, and to carry on his antique business from there.

Collegeville has a gift shop of which it can be justly proud. Miss Iona Schatz moved her beauty salon to Main Street some time ago, and opened a gift shop in the adjoining space. The shop has grown constantly, and is a boon to the women of Collegeville who used to wonder how they could ever get to Norristown to buy a gift in time for that important birthday date.

The College Drug Store has been under new management since early in October, and has several new and improved features.

The good old gym, which has housed so many dances and parties in the past, was too small for this year's Senior Ball. Hence, it was moved to Sunnybrook. While there will be no frantic all-night decorating sessions as of old, there will be a transportation problem to work out so that all who wish may attend the dances off campus.

While everyone greatly misses Dr. John Lentz at the Trinity Reformed Church, we are more than happy to have the Rev. Alfred L. Creager as the new pastor at Trinity. Mr. Creager is a graduate of Ursinus—class of 1933—and his wife, the former Grace Williams, is a graduate of the class of 1931. The Creagers have two daughters, Sarah and Martha.

The alumni who returned for the Old Timers' Day football game saw a number of innovations. Ursinus has girl cheer-

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Recipient of Rotary Club Award
Florence O. Benjamin '30, a member of the Chester High School faculty for the past sixteen years, was presented with the Chester Rotary Club's Distinguished Service Award to teachers for the year 1946. The award was made at a dinner of the Club in September, at which Miss Benjamin was guest of honor. Announcement of the award had been made at a meeting of all public school teachers called in the Chester High School auditorium.

In making the presentation, the chairman of the Award Committee said, "Miss Benjamin has participated with great significance in curriculum and building activities in social studies and related fields... has shown a high degree of intelligence and a well balanced mind."

"The award is made to that teacher in the city schools rendering outstanding personal service to the boys and girls... and is given to Miss Benjamin for her able, untiring and faithful labors so generously and willingly bestowed on those under her influence."

In addition to her position as head of the department of social studies, Miss Benjamin is chairman of the social studies curriculum revision committee for the secondary schools, co-chairman of the Educational Committee of the Mayor's Interracial Commission, and is former state chairman of the Interracial Commission for the Federation of Women's Clubs. She is a former president of the Junior New Century Club, and for the past four years has been president of the board of the Chester YWCA.

Dr. Markley Completes Term of Service
After twenty-seven years of service, Mary E. Markley, LL.D. '30, resigned last spring from the position of secretary in the field of student service of the Board of Education of the United Lutheran Church in America.

Dr. Markley was appointed the first woman secretary for students of any church board of education, and has continued in that position since 1919. She has served, in addition, as vice-president of the Council of Church Boards of Education, and for several years as chairman of the University Commission. She was also vice-president of the University Christian Mission Committee for a number of years. As chairman of the American Section of the Board of Governors of St. Christopher's College, Madras, and a member of committees related to other Indian colleges, Miss Markley exerted a far-reaching influence upon educational problems of the church.

During World War I, Miss Markley was an organizer and supervisor of Service Houses for the National Lutheran Commission for Soldiers and Sailors Welfare.

The department of Student Service, with which Dr. Markley was associated, has been transferred from the Board of Education to the National Lutheran Council.

1946 and Football
By Charles D. Mattern '30
The bizarre accent placed on football this fall might as well begin to occupy our attention now for the last gun of the season was not the last of it. Its continued pattern will lead almost certainly to a wave of redefinitions of "football's place" and to an abandonment of the sport by many, especially small, colleges.

The urgency for winning teams this year was terrific, and the bidding went high. If we can credit Times' October report, bidding in five figures was not unusual. Cars and apartments entered the picture as the universities found themselves competing, not only among themselves, but also against bona fide professionals, for the services of their former players.

The feverishness of the past season may be somewhat abated in 1947, but it seems just as likely that this year's unsuccessful bidders will have been drubbed into more vigorous bidding next year. It seems likely also that the 1946 tempo, in a relatively smaller way, will communicate itself from the universities to the colleges, and that the latter will follow the former in losing their perspective. That, of course, is what big-time college football is: a lost perspective, a spectacle substituted for an athletic event.

Satisfactory football schedules depend upon the existence of natural rivalries among schools of comparable size and purpose. The particular danger of the 1946 season, especially to the small colleges, is that it may lead to the disruption of natural rivalries by beclouding the purposes of just enough of the smaller colleges so as to render schedule-making very difficult, perhaps impossible. Every small college must decide whether it wishes to be a football encampment or an educational institution. A large university through its sheer mass may perhaps be both; a small college can not.

REVUE OF SPORTS
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West Chester fray, when he suffered an ankle injury which prevented his participating in the Rutgers game, and impaired his efforts against Swarthmore. Left wingman Dick Fink has been the team's scoring ace to date, with three games yet to play.

Happily the cloud has a silver lining in Coach Snell's snappy, smooth-functioning victory-winners.

Women's Sports
In commenting upon the girls' hockey team, nothing but lavish praise will suffice. "Snell's Belles" ventured to Richmond, Va., for their first tilt, which they won by a 4-1 count, over Westhampton College. The Bear-ettes then blanked Bryn Mawr, 2-0, swamped Albright, 8-0, bested East Stroudsburg, 2-1, and topped Beaver 2-0. Doris Hobensack '47, is this season's captain, and one of the aggregation's outstanding performers. Jackie Landis and Doris Greenwood also rate citations for brilliant play.

Boasting an untarnished slate after five games of an eleven game schedule, Coach Snell's charges have displayed peerless form, and may well turn out to be the greatest field hockey unit ever to represent the school.

NEWS
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Leaders now—and very good ones, too. Girls are also in the band this year, but more important is the fact that we have Miss Esther Smith as drum majorette, who, Dr. Phillips tells us, is the champion of female baton twirlers of the eastern seaboard.

It is nice to have Lou Kragh back in Collegeville—or rather in Trappe—with his bride of a few months. Lou is principal at the Collegeville-Trappe High School. His wife, the former Marjorie Shaffer, is keeping house at 26 Cherry Street, Trappe.
As the Placement Office Sees Us

By Franklin I. Sheeder '22

"Placement was no problem at all during the war years, for the simple reason that we had very few persons to place. The Army and Navy had taken all the men, and women graduates had choice jobs waiting for them long before graduation day," said Dr. Jesse S. Heiges, Director of The Placement Bureau, in a recent interview.

Dr. Heiges, who was graduated from Ursinus in 1898, has had a rich experience in the field of education, both as classroom teacher and as administrator. He was for many years Dean of the State Teachers College at Shippensburg, Penna., and came to Ursinus near the close of the late President Omwake's administration. Following the death of Professor Eugene B. Michael '24, Dr. Heiges assumed responsibility for the Placement Bureau, to which he is now devoting the major portion of his time.

"During the war years, what little placement we did was confined almost entirely to the field of secondary school teaching," continued Director Heiges, "but we could not begin to supply the demand." He cited the fact that last year nearly 500 requests for teachers were received, but only a very small proportion of them could be supplied. This year more than 60% of the members of the graduating class were placed prior to graduation. In some fields, notably health and physical education, candidates invariably have five or six positions offered to them from which they can make a choice. Occasionally requests are received to reassign an entire faculty, and requests for as many as five or more teachers for a single school are not uncommon.

In Dr. Heiges' opinion, it will take at least five years for the teacher training colleges to catch up with the demands of the high schools. In many states war-time emergency provisional certification is still in force, and will probably continue for some time to come.

Plans are being made for extending the work of the Bureau to include placement in business, in industry, and in other fields. Progress along this line, a move which had been initiated under the late Professor Michael, was interrupted by the war. But in Dr. Heiges' judgment, the time is now ripe to begin again and to exert greater efforts in this direction than before.

The chiming were winging their flight across the green-swarded campus as the interview came to a close. As your reporter was preparing to leave, Dr. Heiges made this pointed observation:

"One thing I've noticed is the reluctance of the average Ursinus alumnus to keep the Placement Bureau informed concerning his employment status. We could do a great deal more to help our alumni move to better positions if they would only cooperate with us to a greater degree. We even have difficulty getting some of our recent graduates to tell us whether they have accepted or refused a position to which we have recommended them. Tell the alumni," he concluded, "to keep us informed about their changing status, their new experiences, their desires and ambitions, so that our records may be kept up-to-date and we can be of more efficient service to them."

ATTENTION, PLEASE!!

If you have the address of anyone person listed below, kindly send it to Mrs. Leighton K. Smith, 88 Sixth Ave., Collegeville, Pa.

Herbert E. Althouse '38
F. Garfield Clark '43
Frederick W. Deck, Jr. '46
The Rev. Harry F. Fenstermacher '37
Capt. Herman F. Gingrich '16
Dorothy O. Graninger '44
Reed F. Hankwitz, Jr. '46
The Rev. S. Robert Hart '43
William B. Kinlaw, Jr. '46
J. Parker Massey '32
William H. Middleton, Jr. '46
Mrs. Clifton R. Moore (Bernice Wagner) '20
Dr. and Mrs. Frank F. Pierce '43
Winfield S. Smith, 3rd '41
William F. Tomlinson '41
Mrs. John W. Walker (Rita Harley) '38
Mrs. Clifford Walmam (Marjorie Brosz) '38
R. Ray Williams '32
Carl F. Wise, Jr. '46

ALUMNI NOTES

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Arline A. Schleisser is a copy writer in the advertising department of Gimbel Brothers, Philadelphia. Her home is Long Lane Court, Upper Darby, Pa.

Marguerite DeAngelis is teaching Spanish in the Norristown High School.

George D. MacNeal is attending the Theological Seminary, Lancaster, Pa.

1946

Edwin H. Allinson is now employed in the financial department of York-Shipley, Inc., of York, and is living at 805 Florida Ave., York, Pa.

The engagement of Mauvine I. Reed to James Barnes has been announced. Mauvine is teaching science in the Collegeville-Trappe High School. Mr. Barnes a graduate of Yale, is employed as chemical engineer with the Socoby-Vacuum Oil Company, at Paulsboro, N. J.

Mary Jane Hassler is teaching English in the high school at Spring City, Pa., succeeding Elizabeth Funk Hatfield '40.

Lucille E. Jackson is employed in the accounting department of the Firestone Tire and Rubber Company, Pottstown, Pa.

On September 28, the engagement of Virginia Charles to Jack Betti of Scranton was announced. Virginia is teaching physical education in the high school of Palmyra, N. J. Mr. Betti, formerly a member of the Navy unit at Ursinus, is planning to enter the University of Scranton in February.

The marriage of Elaine Tippin to Mr. Ralph L. Bishop was solemnized on October 12, in the Grace Baptist Church, Trenton, N. J.

E. Louise Smith was married to Dr. Valchos, USA, in Alabama last summer. While Dr. Valchos is in Korea with the U. S. Army, Louise will be employed by Smith, Kline, and French, a pharmaceutical concern of Philadelphia.

Jane Reifsnnyder is a social worker in the Department of Public Assistance.

Anna Balthaser is a member of the faculty of Mohnton High School, where she is teaching history.

Irene Sufias is enrolled in the law school of Temple University.

Ruth Titus is studying in the graduate school of the University of Pennsylvania.

Richard Groo is attending the Theological Seminary at Lancaster, Pa.

Betty Jane Miller is a laboratory technician at the Temple University Medical School.

Wilma E. Hunsberger is teaching English, history, and Latin in the Towamencin Township Junior High School.

Katherine E. Walters is employed by James Akeroyd & Co., wool brokers, Philadelphia, Pa.

Ruth Straathmyer is teaching mathematics in the Huntingdon Valley High School.

Nancy Ekstrom is employed in the biological laboratory of the Lehigh Biologival Corporation, Wind Gap, Pa. She is living at 210 Lobb St., Easton, Pa.

Mary Jean Moore is with the Philadelphia Saving Fund Society, Philadelphia.

1940

Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Benjamin (Elizabeth A. Deitz '41) announce the birth of a daughter on November 7, 1946.
Men's Basketball Schedule—1947

Jan. 8—Drexel ........................................ Home
Jan. 11—Haverford .................................. Away
Jan. 15—P.M.C. ....................................... Home
Jan. 18—Swarthmore ................................. Away
Jan. 22—F. & M. ...................................... Home
Feb. 12—Delaware .................................... Away
Feb. 14—Dickinson ................................... Away
Feb. 15—Susquehanna ............................... Away
Feb. 19—Drexel ...................................... Away
Feb. 22—Swarthmore ................................. Home
Feb. 26—Delaware .................................... Home
Mar. 1—Moravian .................................... Away
Mar. 5—Haverford ................................... Home
Mar. 8—P.M.C. ....................................... Away

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In checking over the file copies of The Ruby in the Library, recently, it was discovered that certain years are missing. If any alumnus has a copy of The Ruby for any of the years listed below that he might give or sell to the Library, it would be much appreciated if he would so write Mr. Charles H. Miller, Librarian. The following years are missing:

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