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# The Independent College Today

OUR educational system is unlike any other in the world. It makes a place for all of our youth who seriously desire an education. The church-supported colleges provided practically all of this nation's higher education for the first 149 years of our educational history.

In a recent WHO'S WHO in America there are proportionately three times as many graduates of small liberal arts colleges as there are alumni of the larger universities.

Through the years Willamette University has performed an educational marvel. When one stops to consider the financial position of state-supported institutions, libraries available and the scientific equipment in their laboratories as compared with what Willamette University has had through the years, our University has truly performed an educational marvel. How can you account for it? May I suggest two things: (1) The dynamic spirit behind the students. (2) The high sense of responsibility and devotion of faculty members.

Great tribute must be paid to the professors. Without many of the facilities of our wealthier schools, they have given and devoted themselves to the serious business of educating the student. Freed from the distractions of the masses, they have helped the college students to master basic skills. When people learn to read and listen critically, they are able to think critically and clearly. The means used by the professors for imparting the ideas essential for these skills have been through the liberal studies. We, as former students of Willamette, are indebted to the faculty and university, and the nation is indebted to the private colleges such as ours for the educational ideals which favor trained intelligence coupled with a Christian philosophy of life.

The independent college has always been imbued with the spirit of public service. It is part of the air the students breathe. In turn, the graduates have passed it on to the community. Willamette University is no exception. Recently I traveled over this state visiting in practically every county. Our graduates are active in every facet of community life, serving as teachers, school board members, ministers, officers of service clubs, youth programs, and many other activities. The other independent colleges, I am confident, would show a similar record.

With the great influx of available college students, what will be the position of Willamette in the educational world?

Two courses appear to be open. (1) Should the liberal arts college take advantage of the opportunity to become increasingly selective, keeping its size unchanged but the quality of students in terms of intellectual aptitude steadily higher? or (2) should Willamette move with the tide and seek a program to provide a satisfactory education for the increasing number?

The problem presented is one that faces every one of the 562 accredited four-year liberal arts colleges in the United States independent of state control. The University trustees and the administration will make the decision, and I have no doubt that emphasis on quality and aptitude will prevail over quantity in numbers.

The student dynamic spirit I mentioned will at least remain constant if not materially increased so long as quality and aptitude prevail over numbers. But the high sense of responsibility and devotion of faculty members is far from certain. We face the crucial hour on this point. Faculty members have been taking a financial drubbing in the years since World War II. On the whole, this span of years has been one of great and growing prosperity. But college and university faculty members have, as a group, had less than no share in it. The public colleges have fared far better. A national study recently developed that teachers in privately endowed colleges were paid on average salary about \$1,000 less than paid to faculty members in tax-supported institutions. This same study found the average salary of all college and university faculty members was about \$4,700.

It is not easy to prescribe a precise standard of fair pay for college and university faculty members. This is partly because they put less weight on monetary rewards than they put on rewards of scholarly accomplishment. They have consistently been willing to work for very modest salaries in relation to intellectual ability. Actually, what has happened is that in effect faculty members have been subsidizing these institutions by their financial sacrifice. This arrangement is detrimental to the cultural and intellectual life of the nation. It is a menace to our national security in a time when successful national survival may well depend on the full utilization of our intellectual resources.

This problem is most forcefully brought to mind in a recent editorial in SATURDAY REVIEW OF LITERATURE, entitled, "Oil, Eggheads and



Warren A. McMinimee, '31, and his wife, Louise Brown McMinimee, '31, live in Tillamook, Oregon. One of their two daughters, Caroline, is enrolled as a freshman at Willamette this year.

McMinimee is an attorney in Tillamook, Ore., and a member of the State Senate, running for reelection this year. He served three four-year terms as district attorney, concluding with voluntary retirement in 1948 . . . veep of Oregon State Bar 1948-49, formerly on board of governors . . . past president State District Attorneys . . . past president of the Tillamook Chamber of Commerce . . . honor of being chosen junior first citizen. McMinimee served two years in the Navy with amphibious forces in the South Pacific and won Navy commendation citation at Iwo Jima.

This article is a condensation of the talk he gave at the Alumni Day banquet in June.

American Destiny." I quote in part:  
"The ability of the Soviet to challenge the United States so boldly for world industrial supremacy becomes something less than a total mystery when some basic facts are recognized. For the past few years the Soviet has been graduating almost four times as many scientists as the United States. There is apparently no loss of quality because of the large number. Equally significant is the fact that the educator now occupies the exalted place in Russian society. The men who operate the large industrial establishments in the Soviet, corresponding to our own kingpins of business, are handsomely paid. But the highest salaries, outside of the very top of Government itself, go to professors. A doctorate is synonymous with status and high in-

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# The University

The University opened its doors to an overflow of new students on September 10, thereby beginning Orientation Week, a series of tests, tests, and more tests, along with dances, parties, fashion shows, Panhellenic and Interfraternity functions, and finally registration for classes. The freshman class numbering 375 is filling all available dormitory space.

In preparation for a scarcity of housing on the campus, the University added another floor to Baxter hall, independent men's living organization. Eight rooms housing twenty men were constructed on the fourth floor, the interiors being the same as the rest of the dorm. Each fraternity house converted its guest room to living quarters, enabling them to house 33 members and pledges.

University House, the old president's house, is being pressed into service for housing women who have overflowed Lausanne and Doney halls.

Elsewhere around the campus, large and small changes emerged from a summer of building and construction. A new sidewalk was installed from the front of Lausanne hall to the Mill Stream, and sidewalks on the campus were leveled, in preparation for another winter of rain and puddles and wet shoes.

Eaton hall added a counseling and meeting room, and the second floor of Waller buzzed this summer with carpenters remodeling two new offices off the Little Theatre. The Old Historic Temple even got a coat of fresh paint on its exterior during Sol's brighter days.

## Receive Grants

Checks from three large corporations were received this summer by President Smith, two to aid faculty salaries, the third to be used in operating expenses.

The Ford Foundation, as part of its na-

tionwide program in assisting 630 privately-supported colleges and universities, donated to Willamette \$125,000, the income of which will go toward the raising of faculty salaries. United States Steel declared a \$1,000 grant for Willamette for operating expenses, and the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the U. S. gave the same sum for faculty salary increases, part of its program to aid privately supported and accredited four-year institutions.

## Women Oust Men

Grades at W. U. were high this year, but the women ousted the men from the top position on campus. Delta Gamma placed first on campus with a 3.1, the Betas following closely with a 3.0. Other grades in order were Pi Beta Phi, 2.8; Alpha Chi Omega, 2.8; Lausanne Hall, 2.7; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 2.7; Chi Omega, 2.7; Doney Hall, 2.7; Phi Delta Theta, 2.6; Baxter Haall, 2.6; South Hall, 2.6; Town Men, 2.5; Sigma Chi, 2.5; and Town Women, 2.1.

## Methodist Men's Assembly

Dr. Glen Olds, '42, addressed the 200 men attending the first annual Methodist Men's Assembly in early September on the Willamette campus. As keynote speaker, Olds delivered two lectures to the visitors from all parts of the state. At the end of the conference, the Assembly voted to hold its next meeting again on the W. U. campus, the invitation being issued by President Smith.

## Scholarships

Over one-sixth of the June, 1945, graduating class received scholarships, assistantships, and awards to graduate schools all over the country and abroad this fall.

Stanford, Columbia, NYU, and Europe are but a few of the representative sites where the 30 graduates will station themselves for a period of from one to five years for additional study and training.

## Honorary Degrees Awarded

Honorary degrees were presented at baccalaureate services to Dr. Eugene L. Smith of the Board of Missions of the Methodist Church and Herbert A. Templeton. Dr. Smith was awarded an honorary Doctor of Divinity degree. He graduated from W.U. in 1934 and attended Drew Theological Seminary and received his Ph.D. from New York University, where he later taught. Mr. Templeton received the degree of Doctor of Laws. He is a prominent civic leader in Portland and is president of the Valsetz and Mount Emily Lumber companies and a partner in the Herbert A. Templeton Lumber Co.

Presented honorary degrees of doctors of science at the commencement exercises, June 3, were Gerald L. Pearson and Daryl M. Chapin for their outstanding contributions to the field of science.

## Bequests Received

Two bequests have been received by the university during the past month.

The wife of William E. Kirk has left one-half of her estate to the university. Mr. Kirk will be remembered for the many years that he served as a member of the faculty. He served from 1906 until 1937, at the time of his death. Mrs. Kirk passed away in September.

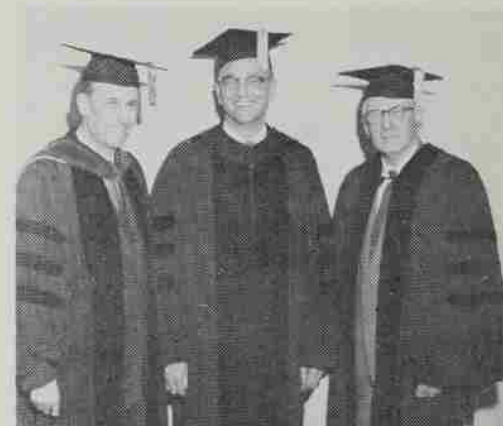
The second bequest was received from the estate of Austin Flegel, '12, who died September 14, 1956. Mr. Flegel left \$2500 to the university.

## Alumni Day Has Record Turnout

Willamette campus was once again in the hands of those who attended WU from one to fifty years ago on Alumni Day, June 2. Over 300 alums reacquainted themselves with the campus and greeted old friends.

It was standing room only for the popular "Special Course for Grads." Dr. Trueblood, '28, talked on "English and the Humanities" and was followed by Daryl Chapin, '27, and Gerald Pearson, '26, who spoke on their invention, the Bell solar battery.

Warren A. McMinnee spoke at the Alumni Day banquet where over 250 attended.



Winning honorary degrees at Willamette's Baccalaureate services were Dr. Herbert A. Templeton and Dr. Eugene L. Smith. Dr. G. Herbert Smith, Willamette president, is at the left.

## Varied Concert Fare

A world celebrated pianist, a Russian Ballet team, a star of the Metropolitan Opera Company, and one of the world's best loved choirs make up the 1956-57 Distinguished Artists Series which promises to be among the best in the history of Willamette's concerts.

First of the series will begin Thursday, Nov. 15, at 8:15 p.m. when the team of Kovach and Rabovsky and their ballet company perform in the traditional style of classical Russian dances. Dec. 13 is the date for world renowned pianist, Jose Iturbi. Cesare Walleteri, the Met's lyric tenor, will sing selections from operas in which he has appeared on January 24. The Vienna Choir Boys will appear March 8, singing a wide selection with special emphasis on sacred and folk songs and music from operettas.

Tickets for the general public will be sold at Stevens and Son jewelers in downtown Salem at a price of \$7.50 for the series.



Mr. Ervin Potter, '40, program chairman of the Methodist Men's Assembly, is talking over plans for Assembly with Dr. Glenn A. Olds, '42, who was keynote speaker of the affair. Dr. Olds is Religious Work Director at Cornell University.

## Purbrick Research Grant Aids Nuclear Physics Project

Dr. Robert Purbrick, head of the physics department, this summer received word of research grant of \$4000 by the National Science Foundation in Washington, D. C.

Dr. Purbrick's research, entitled Vibrational Constants of Diatomic Molecules, which is the investigation of the structure of molecules by means of the light they emit, will be continued for three more years because of the grant. The Research Corporation, a private agency, gave Purbrick a \$3000 grant in 1953 which went on the erection of a 21-foot diffraction gravity spectragraph. His senior students will have an opportunity to work on the research as part of their senior projects.

## Whipple Attends Meet

Jerry Whipple, Acting Director of Alumni Affairs and Church Relations, attended the June meeting of the American Alumni Council Conference held at French Lick, Indiana, this year. This is the first time Willamette has been represented.

The American Alumni Council membership is composed of alumni directors, alumni magazine editors, and financial development leaders. Hundreds of colleges throughout the U. S. are represented, including such schools as Princeton and Notre Dame.

Whipple felt he was able to bring much back for the development of alumni affairs at Willamette University.

## Gilkey Art Collection on Exhibit

The twentieth century prints of the Gordon and Vivian Gilkey Collection are on display this month in the art gallery of the Fine Arts Building. Including famous names from Bauhaus to Dufy, Kokosvka to Chagall, this exhibit shatters the stereotyped conception that Art is merely oil and water color paintings, occasionally sculpture. These prints, either lithographs, etchings or woodcuts, show tremendous vitality within their exacting medium.

While most prints are in black and white, eight of these on exhibit are multicolored ones.

## SEE THE RESEMBLANCE?



First row, left to right: Dorothy Manker, daughter of Les Manker, '30; Mildred Edmundson, daughter of Dr. W. T. Edmundson, '27; Stephaney Mergler, daughter of Stephen Mergler, '41; Diane Church, daughter of Mary Hershberger Church, '30; Joanne McGilvra, daughter of Hugh and Louise (Nunn, '28) McGilvra; Carol McMinimee, daughter of Warren and Louise (Brown, '31) McMinimee; Laurel Warner, daughter of Loyal Warner, '27; Barbara Inman, daughter of Mary McCall Inman; Susan Trueblood, daughter of Dr. Paul Trueblood, '28.

Second row, left to right: Allen Girod, son of Lloyd Girod, '32; Ralph Litchfield, son of G. K. Litchfield, '29; John Kaufman, son of Walter H. Kaufman, '30; John Russell, Jr., son of Dr. John Russell, '27; Justin Hardy, son of Herbert C. and Eloise (White, '32) Hardy, '34; Tim Campbell, son of Dr. Charles S. Campbell, '32; Virginia Grant, daughter of Donald and Evelyn (High, '31) Grant, '29; Fred Van Natta, son of George and Irene (Breithaupt, '29) Van Natta, '28.

## 'As Much as You Can Eat'

William Heifield, new resident manager and director of dining service, states that he is here to serve the students and give them what they want to eat and as much as they want. No rationing system is being instituted—controlling waste will be the goal in the new service.

Saturday steaks and Sunday evening meals will be a new feature. The pits for broiling the steaks are to be located near the living units.

## Parents Weekend

Parents Weekend will begin with the Varsity Varieties, Friday evening in the Auditorium.

Saturday begins with registration and Parents Association meeting, followed by a barbecue at noon. Among events planned for the afternoon will be a one-act play by the drama department. Parents will be guests at dinner of their children's living organizations. The football game at McCulloch Stadium will climax the weekend.

## Faculty

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Carl Ritchie, program director and announcer at KSLM, has been appointed part time instructor in the speech and drama department. A graduate of Willamette in 1948, Ritchie is teaching two classes in public speaking and a course in radio and television workshop.

Visiting professor in the political science department is Dr. Theodore L. Shay, holder of a Knickerbocker fellowship which took him to India to study political conditions in that country. After teaching a course in political developments in Asia and the Far East, Dr. Shay will return to India in 1957 to complete

his research work. He is a graduate of Northwestern university, where he also received his master's and Ph.D. degrees.

Dr. Benjamin Simmons, supervisor of curricula at the Oregon state department of education, is conducting courses in audio-visual aids this year. A graduate of State Teachers college in South Dakota, Dr. Simmons holds a master's degree from the University of Iowa and Ed.D. degree from the University of Oregon.

Two assistants in the romance language department are Henry Cooper, a Willamette graduate, and Guy J. Arrive, a native Frenchman. Cooper received his MA from Middlebury college in Vermont and taught English composition in France under an assistantship with the French government in 1950-51.

Arrive spent the past year teaching French at the City of Bath boys' school in England. He received his "baccalaureate" degree from Lycee Montesquieu in Bordeaux and his "license" in English from Bordeaux university.

William Heifield, a graduate of Kalamazoo college in Michigan, served as director of the food service at that school and at Hillsdale college prior to his appointment in the same position at Willamette. Assisting Heifield in the dining service is Buster Jolley, a graduate of Alma college in Michigan, who was assistant food director at that school.

S/Sgt. Dennis Moore, formerly with aircraft scheduling at the pilot instructor school at Craig Field in Alabama, has joined the Willamette ROTC detachment in the training aid section.

# The Alumni Elects

## Gus Moore to Head Association

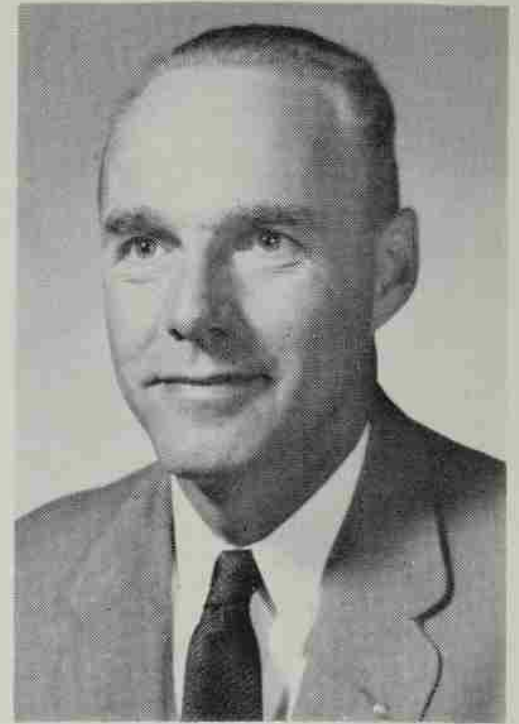
M. E. "Gus" Moore, '34, was elected last spring to head the Willamette University Alumni Association. He succeeds Dr. Robert F. Anderson, '38, who automatically becomes the new ex-officio member. Dean Pollock, '22, is the newly elected vice-president, and Miss Beryl Holt, '16, replaces Mrs. Jean Hollingworth Nohlgren, '38, as secretary-treasurer.

The Association consists of the officers, the immediate past president, the executive committee members, and those members of the Board of Trustees of the University elected by the alumni.

The purpose of this association is to promote the general welfare of Willamette University and to cooperate with the administration in attaining worthy objectives. Business meetings are held at Homecoming and Alumni Day on the campus.

At a special meeting held in August, your officers discussed and acted upon alumni support to this year's Loyalty Fund. As was brought out in the meeting, the alumni voted several years ago to dispense with annual membership dues and instead, alums would be asked to support, on a voluntary basis, the Loyalty Fund. President Gus Moore was authorized to appoint a general chairman for the 1956-57 Loyalty Fund drive. He recently announced the selection of Warne Nunn, '41. Mr. Nunn, in his acceptance of the chairmanship said, "It is an honor and pleasure to be working on behalf of our University. I can think of no more worthy place for the investment of one's gift than to education—especially the education which is personified in our alma mater."

In order that alumni groups throughout the United States might better under-



M. E. "GUS" MOORE '34

stand the program of the Association and the University, the group asked Moore to invite the presidents of these groups to attend the business meetings of the Association as ex-officio members.

We wish to express to the retiring officers of the Association our appreciation for the fine job each did in serving the University.

### OFFICERS



Dean Pollock  
'22, Portland



Beryl Holt  
'16, Salem



Robert F. Anderson  
'38, Salem



Eloise White Hardy  
'32, Portland



Ruth Ross-Rhoten  
'25, Salem



John M. Ross  
'36, Salem

### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### BOARD MEMBERS ELECTED BY ALUMNI



Grace H. DeHarport  
'31, Portland



Hugh McGivra  
'28, Forest Grove



Walter Erickson  
'33, Portland



Esther B. Downs  
'23, Salem



Paul Geddes  
'30, Roseburg

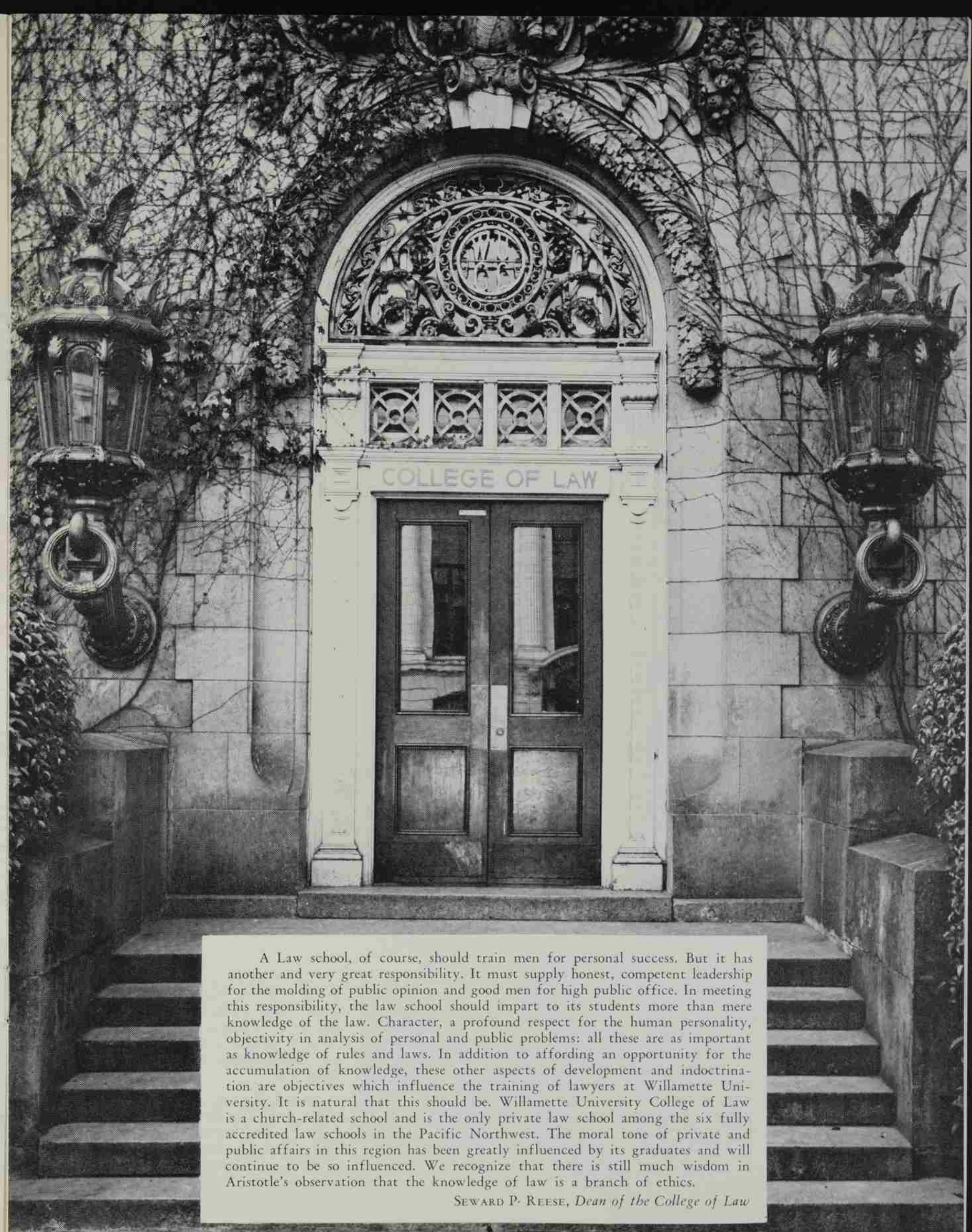


Otto J. Wilson  
'38, Salem

TERMS ENDING 1957

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A Law school, of course, should train men for personal success. But it has another and very great responsibility. It must supply honest, competent leadership for the molding of public opinion and good men for high public office. In meeting this responsibility, the law school should impart to its students more than mere knowledge of the law. Character, a profound respect for the human personality, objectivity in analysis of personal and public problems: all these are as important as knowledge of rules and laws. In addition to affording an opportunity for the accumulation of knowledge, these other aspects of development and indoctrination are objectives which influence the training of lawyers at Willamette University. It is natural that this should be. Willamette University College of Law is a church-related school and is the only private law school among the six fully accredited law schools in the Pacific Northwest. The moral tone of private and public affairs in this region has been greatly influenced by its graduates and will continue to be so influenced. We recognize that there is still much wisdom in Aristotle's observation that the knowledge of law is a branch of ethics.

SEWARD P. REESE, *Dean of the College of Law*

# Seven



Professor John C. Paulus is assisting two third-year students in compiling the Willamette Series of Legal Handbooks. These handbooks are unique in law schools of the United States. Left to right they are: Dick Courtright, Prof. John Paulus, and Bob Batchelder.



Prof. Charles A. Jens is in charge of the Legal Aid Clinic which assists people in need of legal advice. Over 400 cases are handled each year.

Here Prof. Jens is assisting third year student, Dick Quigley, who is interviewing a client.



The "University Drug", across the street from the law school, has long been headquarters for the "coffee break" of students and faculty alike. "Ellen" McManus has worked there for several years and is a friend to them all.

Lined up at the counter are, left to right: Prof. Charles A. Jens; Dr. Reginald Parker; Prof. Edwin W. Butler; Prof. Charles R. Gromley; Mrs. Phyllis Criswell, secretary to Dean Reese; Prof. John C. Paulus; and Dale Underwood, 2nd year law student.

# Forty-three Years of Law

elior of Arts or Bachelor of Science to students taking three years in those colleges and one year of law at W. U. This arrangement is referred to as the 3-1 Plan.

The present program of today's Willamette law students offers a variety of different activities. (1) The Legal Aid Clinic, which provides legal advice and assistance to persons financially unable to afford counsel, is manned by third year students and is sponsored by the Marion County Bar association. The interviewing of all clients is done by students, who also do investigation, research, and drafting for cases taken by the Clinic. The cases, which average over 50 a month, are then tried by members of the local bar, and the students are given the opportunity to be present during the course of such trials. Each senior student has an opportunity to handle many different problems in the clinic; one case even resulted with an appeal to the State Supreme Court.

(2) Designed primarily to help lawyers in the smaller communities which do not have adequate research facilities, the Student Legal Research service was begun in 1952. It is, in a way, making available the law school library to the small community through student research. Lawyers who have exhausted their research opportunities are invited to send their problems to the service, a student then assembling authorities and preparing memoranda for the lawyer seeking assistance.

(3) The Willamette Series of Legal Handbooks, unique in this country, were first issued in 1948 as a means to give the practicing lawyer help in his day-to-day work. Currently dealing with instructions to juries that have been com-

mented upon in reports of the Oregon Supreme Court, the publications are prepared by the students with help from their faculty advisor.

(4) Another aid-to-students is the Legislative Workshop, under the direction of the State of Oregon Legislative Counsel, who trains the students and assigns to them projects of drafting legislation to be prepared in collaboration with Oregon Legislative committees. This workshop enables them to work on legislation in the formative stages and prepare bills which might become the law of the state.

(5) In November Willamette will host a four-school Moot Court in competition with the University of Washington, Montana State University, and the University of Idaho, winner of the contest going to national competition in New York City. During the past two years, in competition with the University of Idaho and University of Oregon, Willamette law students won the chance to enter the national competition, both times traveling to New York.

Seward P. Reese has been Dean of the College of Law since 1946.

Reese received his BA from West Virginia, M.A. at the University of Michigan, J.D. from Indiana University and L.L.M. at Duke University.

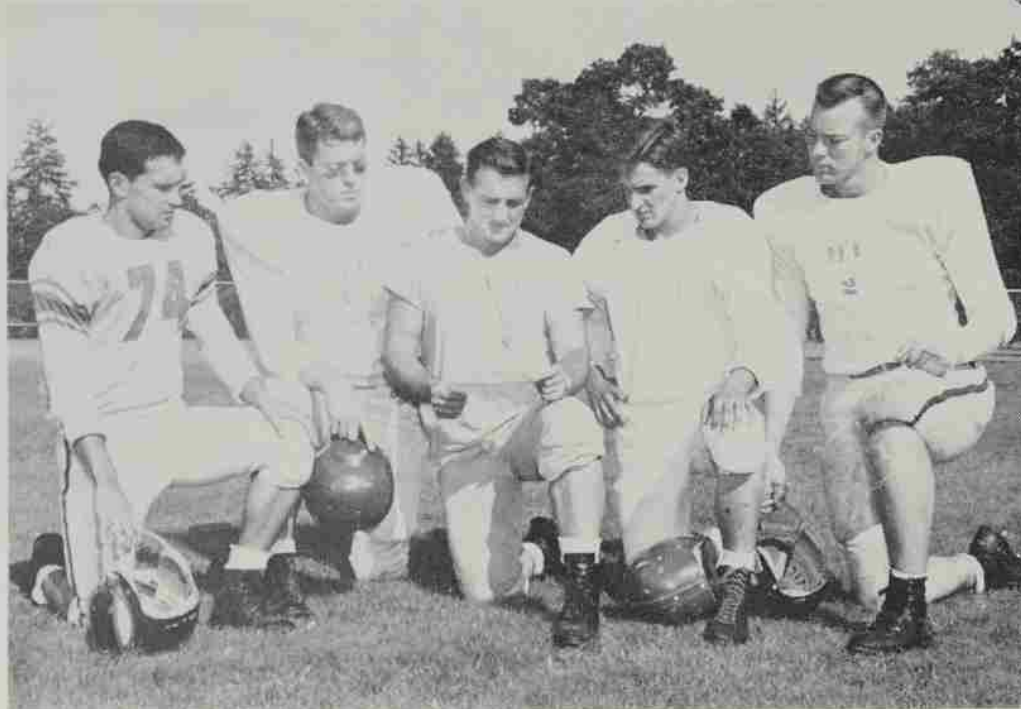
He is author of several articles for law reviews. His principle book publications have been "Cases on Code Pleading" and "Legal Education and Research." He is a colonel in the United States Air Force Reserve.

Anonymous grading has been a standard procedure at the school, each student assigned a code number. Examinations are based on the honor code, taken free of faculty supervision.

Statistics show that Willamette law graduates have achieved high standings in the Oregon Bar association examinations. Approximately 67 per cent of the entering class of 1952 passed the exam in 1955, five of the highest ten in the Oregon Bar examination being Willamette graduates. This year 88 per cent of the graduating students were successful in passing the Oregon bar examination, 25 taking the exam, 22 being named to the list of new lawyers in Oregon. Out of the top ten passing the bar this year, four were Willamette students.



# The Bearcat Scene



Coach Ogdahl and four of his men plan a running attack during a practice drill. Left to right are Windy Sequeira, third year letterman; Dale Greenlee, third year letterman; Coach Ted Ogdahl; Dale Shumway, freshman; Vic Backlund, second year letterman and all conference end.

## Football . . .

Willamette University coaches Ted Ogdahl and Jerry Long hope at most to break even this season, meanwhile giving a young squad all the experience possible. That is because there were 22 freshmen and 11 sophomores on a roster of 42 at the time of the first game. There was unusually good quality in the harvest of frosh that should pay off in 1957 and 1958.

First two games were against overwhelming power—Whitworth, undefeated in 18 straight, and Fresno State, one of the best small colleges in the West. Toughest ones left are expected to be at Lewis and Clark Oct. 13 (2 p. m.) and College of Idaho, in Salem, at 8 p. m. Oct. 20. Homecoming is Nov. 3, 2 p. m., against Puget Sound.

Ogdahl's prize veterans are end Vic Backlund, 210, junior, and Dale Greenlee, senior tackle. His prize frosh include backs Dale Shumway, Denny Sarver and Tom Weston; and linemen Paul Baneroft, Bob Harriman, John Hinds, Howard Stroebel and Bill Wall.

### Willamette University 1956-57 Football Schedule

Oct. 13—Lewis & Clark	at Portland
PARENTS WEEKEND	
Oct. 20—College of Idaho	at Salem
Oct. 27—Linfield	at Salem
HOMECOMING	
Nov. 3—College of Puget Sound	at Salem
Nov. 10—Whitman	at Walla Walla

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*come. Men of learning, far from being regarded as eggheads or queers, are being given increased rewards and authority. Any teacher, in fact, occupies a position of honor.*

Business firms are playing an increasing role in the salary matter. The Ford Foundation gift of \$210,000,000 to privately supported accredited schools is a help; Willamette is fortunate to be among those chosen. I fear many people do not understand, however, that the principle of this money will not be available for ten years and that the interest only can be used. On a national scale the Ford

gifts will provide 10 to 13 million dollars a year for privately supported colleges, and they are in dire need of an increase of about 190 million dollars a year to provide decent faculty salaries. It is good, but it is only a start. The job is far beyond the capacity of a few hundred large corporations and a few thousand wealthy individuals.

The importance of private enterprise to the privately endowed universities of our nation is important. These free, independent institutions of higher education would never have been possible under any form of statism; and that they exist in this country only because we have

## Basketball . . .

When the basketball starts bouncing at Willamette University's opening game Dec. 8 on the home floor, Coach John Lewis hopes to have an improved team using more of the fast-breaking attack of recent years.

Lewis, to begin his tenth season here, appears to have considerable speed this year. There will be six lettermen, including two centers, three guards and one forward—the tallest being Neil Causbie of Albany, a 6-foot-7 senior who should be the offensive leader.

Other lettermen: Don Hoy, Newberg, senior, guard; Tom Johns, Pendleton, junior, center; Ron Taylor, Corvallis, junior, guard; and Keith Driver, Hubbard, sophomore, guard.

Best bets from the 1955-56 frosh: Rex Domsachofsky, Dallas, forward; Dick Walsborn, Seaside, guard; Larry Willingham, Pendleton, guard; and Paul Osterlund, Astoria, guard. New frosh include Larry Lynn, all-city forward from Washington high (Portland); Ed Grossenbacher, all-league guard, Milwaukie; and Jim Thompson, all-league guard-forward, Astoria.

### Willamette University 1956-57 Basketball Schedule

Dec. 8—Central Wash. C. E.	Salem
Dec. 14—West. Wash. C. E.	Bellingham
Dec. 15—College of Puget Sound	Tacoma
Dec. 21—Chico State	Salem
Dec. 22—Chico State	Salem
Dec. 27—Far West Tournament	Reno
Dec. 28—Far West Tournament	Reno
Dec. 29—Far West Tournament	Reno
Jan. 11—Linfield College	Salem
Jan. 12—Linfield College	McMinnville
Jan. 18—Pacific University	Salem
Jan. 19—Pacific University	Forest Grove
Feb. 2—Lewis & Clark	Portland
Feb. 5—Lewis & Clark	Salem
Feb. 8—College of Idaho	Salem
Feb. 9—College of Idaho	Salem
Feb. 11—Whitman	Salem
Feb. 15—Whitman	Walla Walla
Feb. 16—Whitman	Walla Walla
Feb. 18—College of Idaho	Caldwell
Feb. 23—Linfield College	Salem
Mar. 1—Lewis & Clark	Portland
Mar. 2—Pacific University	Salem
Season Ticket to all 12 home basketball games \$9.00. (Regular price \$1.20 per game.)	

had here a system of free enterprise is true, but so, I suggest, is the reverse. A free enterprise owes its survival in no small degree to the existence of our private, independent universities. Both are not only important to each other—they are dependent upon one another, and they have certain mutual responsibilities and mutual ends.

Our university has been engaged in a building program. I am certain we will need additional buildings in the future, but increased support now for the faculty is essential to sustain Willamette educational program. This calls for sober thinking, planning, and giving on the part of all of us.

# ALUMNI IN THE NEWS

## Warne Nunn Named To Head Division

Governor Elmo Smith appointed Warne H. Nunn, '41, to head the extensive and rapidly growing Oregon State Motor Vehicle Division.

The administration of motor vehicles was taken from the Secretary of State by the 1955 legislature which set up a new department under the jurisdiction of the governor.

Nunn was formerly assistant public utilities commissioner for the state of Oregon. He has worked for the state since 1945 when he became a personnel technician for the Civil Service Commission.

He later became classification and pay supervisor for the commission, and helped develop the commission's plans.

In 1950 and 1951, Nunn conducted research studies for a legislative interim committee to reorganize the state government.

Nunn and his wife Delores Netz, '42, have three children and make their home in Salem.

Nunn has been appointed the first Loyalty Fund chairman by Gus Moore, president of the Alumni Association.



WARNE H. NUNN, '41



JUSTICE W. M. McALLISTER, '28

## William M. McAllister Named to High Court

William M. McAllister, state bar leader from Medford, became a member of the Oregon Supreme Court in August by appointment from Gov. Elmo Smith.

Justice McAllister was born in Portland November 2, 1905. He was graduated from Willamette university college of law in 1928 and was admitted to the Oregon state bar the same year and to the Washington state bar in 1929. He married Jean Middleton, '31, in 1932. They are the parents of one son, William M. McAllister, an ensign in the U. S. navy serving on the U.S.S. Kidd, and a daughter, Kathryn Jean, a senior at Stanford university.

A practicing attorney for 25 years, he is a former member of the state bar's board of governors and a former state legislator. He was speaker of the House in 1943 after serving as state representative since 1937. He was a state senator in 1949-50.

McAllister will fill the vacancy caused by the death in August of Justice Earl C. Latourette whose term would have expired January 7, 1957.

He has practiced law in Medford since 1931 and is now a partner in the legal firm of McAllister, Duncan and Brophy.

He is a member of the Oregon state bar and served as a member of its board of governors from 1948 to 1951. He is at present a member of the Oregon state board of bar examiners, the American Bar association and the Southern Oregon Bar association of which he served as president in 1951-52.

Gov. Smith praised McAllister's qualification and expressed his pleasure at his acceptance of the appointment. "He is a relatively young man," said the governor, "but brings to the highest court more than 25 years of legal experience and an outstanding record as attorney, state legislator and

a leader in state and national bar activities."

McAllister has stated that he will be a candidate for a six-year term on the high court in the November elections.

Because his name will not be shown on the ballot, it will be necessary for his supporters to write in Justice McAllister's name.

## ALUMNI CLUB MEETINGS . . .

### Eugene Alums Picnic

Eugene area alumni got together during the summer for a picnic pot-luck at Skippers Butte Park. Beverly Briggs Cross, '49, reported a good turn-out of alums and their families.

### Bay Area Alums Sponsor Picnic

The Bay Area Alumni association and friends had its annual picnic August 25 at Dimond Park in Oakland. Paul, '48, and Dorothy, '51, Whitmore made the plans for the affair. Paul is the outgoing president of the group.

New officers of the group elected at the picnic are: Galen K. Dean, '36, president; Bob Pritchard, '54, vice president, and Helen Peterson Minter, '37, is secretary-treasurer.

### Washington, D. C., Alums Meet With Dean Robert Gregg

Dr. Robert D. Gregg, Dean of the College of Liberal Arts, was guest speaker at a dinner meeting of the Washington, D. C., area alums in September. Dean Gregg also showed colored slides of the campus and new buildings to the group of twenty.

Miss Daline Montag and Miss Marilyn Merz made the arrangements for the affair.

Plans for a meeting in the spring with Washington Semester students as guests were made.

### Los Angeles Area

Los Angeles area alums are making tentative plans for a meeting in October or November.

### PRESIDENTS OR REPRESENTATIVES OF ALUM GROUPS IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS:

<b>Bay Area Alum Group:</b>	
Galen K. Dean, '36	263 Mark Twain Court, Santa Clara, Calif.
<b>Southern California Group:</b>	
Earle V. Potter, '37	6363 West 80th St., Los Angeles 45, Calif.
<b>Southeastern California Group:</b>	
Edwin D. Rounds, '33	4793 D. St., San Bernardino, Calif.
<b>Salem, Oregon Group:</b>	
Dr. Allen Ferrin, '41	1190 Spruce St., Salem, Ore.
<b>Washington, D. C., Area Group:</b>	
Miss Daline Montag	
Miss Marilyn Merz	1171 North 14th St., Apt. 1, Arlington 9, Virginia

# CLASS NOTES

1894

A silk tree and bronze plaque were recently dedicated at the Salem post office grounds to MRS. MABEL A. LOCKWOOD, Salem's outstanding American War Mother. State Senator Mark Hatfield was main speaker at the dedication ceremonies.

1906

MISS RUTH FIELD was the only 50 year class member present at the Alumni Day banquet in June. Miss Field graduated in 1906 and has spent most of the following years in different parts of the world. Several years were spent in Calcutta as a music teacher and principal in a girls' school. Her first trip to India was in 1918 when it took her eleven weeks to reach Calcutta.

At the time of Pearl Harbor, Miss Field was in Burma where they had nightly air raids the last month of her stay.

Several years were spent at a girls' school at Darjeeling. Darjeeling is located 7000 feet high and is within 45 miles of Mt. Kinchenjunga, the third highest mountain in the world.

Miss Field can tell many interesting stories of her experiences and her satisfying work. She is now living in Alhambra, Calif., where she has many activities to occupy her time.

1921

The class of 1921 sent us their thirty-fifth annual letter. DR. RUSSELL RAREY of Issaquah, Wash., is president of the class and EDNA GILBERT DAVIES of Palo Alto, Calif., is secretary.

ALICE and PAUL FLEGEL of Berkeley, Calif., entertained at Thanksgiving dinner last year for their W.U. group in that area. This was the twenty-fifth year that they have gotten together for their traditional dinner. In the group last year were LES, '22, and EMMA, '22, DAY; JOHN, '24, and HELEN ROBINS; LORLEI, '22, BONNINGTON; their children were also present.

DR. FRANK B. BENNETT is a member of the Educational Advisory Committee of the National Association of Manufacturers and took two trips in that capacity the past year. The first was to New York City and the second trip was in the Miami, Florida, area.

PAUL and SIBYL WISE spent six months this past year traveling into Mexico and cruising several different places, including the West Indies.

DR. FREDRICK D. ALDRICH has been appointed Professor of Education and Head of the Education Department at Alderson-Broadus College in Philippi, West Virginia. Dr. Aldrich was on the faculty of Western Reserve University in Cleveland, Ohio, before accepting his new position.

PAUL DAY toured Europe briefly last year. While there, he attended the International Congress of Biochemistry in Brussels. He has also been working on committees of the National Research Council the past few years.

REIN and ELSIE JACKSON toured nine countries in Europe last year. They reported a wonderful 51 days of sightseeing. He is now serving the Portland Public Schools as Director of Secondary Education.

EDWIN and VEONA (WILLIAMS, '23) SOCOLOFSKY traveled 6155 miles through Europe in their Volkswagen last year. They went as delegates to the YMCA Centennial Conference in Paris. Socolofsky is director of the YMCA in San Jose, Calif., and is in the midst of a big building campaign.

1923

DR. TRACY E. STREVEY, Dean of the College of Letters, Arts, and Sciences at Southern California, has been named by President Eisenhower as a member of the National Historical

Publications Commission. During his four-year term Strevey will assist in advising federal authorities on the publication of historical documents and materials.

1925

JUANITA HENRY MOLL lives a busy life in Salt Lake City. Her two oldest children have graduated from college and married. The third is now an art trainee in the Air Force, and her two youngest are still in school in Salt Lake City. Mrs. Moll directed the Established Camp for the Girl Scouts in Sioux City, Iowa, this summer.

HOWARD MORT is now Director of Alumni Affairs at Chicago University. Mort and his wife Mary Putnam, '19, Mort, live in Chicago, Illinois.

LEROY H. WALKER and his wife, Margaret Marsh Walker, '32, have made their home in Nashville, Tenn., the last five years. Mr. Walker is on the staff of the general Board of Evangelism of the Methodist Church. Last year his work took him into thirty-two states, two provinces of Canada, and into Cuba. Their eldest son, James, is a pharmacist at Delano, Calif. Their second son, Robert, is a pastor of Forest Glen Methodist Church in Chicago and has been attending Garrett for three years. Their youngest son, Lyle, is in high school in Nashville.

## TYRONE GILLESPIE



Tyrone Gillespie '39, practiced law in Salem . . . then joined the FBI, serving in Washington, D. C., Phoenix, Omaha, New York, and Detroit for three years.

Entering the Army as a second lieutenant in 1943 . . . he had a variety of assignments, including investigating sabotage and being a plain clothes agent . . . he is now a lieutenant colonel in the reserves.

1946 . . . Carl Pope and he began a law practice in Salem . . . Dow Chemical Company requested him as assistant to the president in 1948 . . . last year he was elected director and secretary of the European subsidiary of Dow in Rotterdam, Holland.

Affiliations include . . . Blue Key, Kappa Gamma Rho, Beta Theta Pi, Masonic Lodge, American Legion, National Association of Chiefs of Police . . .

Admitted to the Bar, State and Federal . . . in Oregon, Washington, Michigan, and Supreme Court . . .

Married to Eleanor Johnson, '39 . . . one son, Tyrone, Jr.

1926

JAN BROEK was visiting professor during the past year in geography at the University of Malaya, Singapore. He traveled to all coastal areas of Borneo to investigate the island's trade centers. MRS. (RUTH HEINECK) BROEK joined him in Singapore and they covered a great deal of Southeast Asia and most of Europe and England.

HOLLIS VICK joined the Health and Welfare Department as staff associate in February. On the staff of the United Community Funds and Councils of America, Inc., she will carry special responsibility for recreation and services to the aged. For the past three years she has been executive secretary of the Division on Education and Recreation of the Welfare Council of Metropolitan Chicago.

1927

DEAN and ELEANOR (MEREWETHER) LOBAUGH are living in Eugene where he is assistant superintendent of schools. Their daughter Genevieve is 16 years old.

ELIZABETH SILVER ARMSTRONG and her husband, Hubert, are now in Myrtle Point, Ore., where he is superintendent of schools.

1929

ELSIE TUCKER LEWIS visited the campus during the summer. She was elected president of AAUW at Eureka, Calif., for the coming year.

1930

WENDELL and BESSIE (RICE, '28) ROBINSON live in Seattle with their fourteen-year-old son, Jim. Mr. Robinson is with Ford Motor Co. there.

1931

GRACE (RHOADES) SHELLEY is a seventh grade teacher in Fairview, Oregon.

1932

RUTH (SANDERS) and CLAIR V. HUFF are living in Portland and have two children. She is a beautician and he is part owner of Sportscrafts Landing in Oregon City.

WESLEY S. ROEDER is now area director for the California Test Bureau in Los Angeles. He was formerly an associate professor of psychology, clinical psychologist for the Veterans' Administration, and a major, AGD chief psychologist, in the U. S. Army. He and his wife Wona have a son and a daughter.

FLOYD ALBIN has been appointed as head of General Studies at the Oregon College of Education.

1933

WALTER ERICKSON is activities director for the new Woodrow Wilson high school in Portland.

WALLACE McCRAE is superintendent of Pendleton City School. McCrae and his wife, Phyllis, have two children, Barbara, 13, and Bill, 10 years old.

DONALD T. CLARK is now Librarian of the 300,000 volume Baker Library of the Harvard Business School. Clark lives in Lexington, Mass.

1934

CLAIRE WELLS PALMER of Dallas, Ore., is teaching in Gervais Union High School.

REX R. RHOTEN is living in Jacksonville, Fla., and is a meteorologist with the U. S. Weather Bureau.

FRANK ELMER CHILDS received his doctor of philosophy degree in July, 1956, from the University of Minnesota. Dr. Childs is with Western Reserve College.

1937

DWIGHT B. ADEN is living in Spokane and is owner of the General Insurance Agency.

DR. HARRY MOSHER has been raised to full professorship in chemistry at Stanford University.

WARREN W. PETERS is now pastor of the First Methodist Church in Marysville, Calif. In

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## MARRIAGES . . .

MRS. RAY L. SMITH, '13, was married this summer to Norman W. Frees.

MRS. JUNE JOHNSON SKOPIL, '39, was married to Herman Rehwooldt of Coos Bay August 6. After a honeymoon trip to Reno and Lake Tahoe the couple made their home in Coos Bay.

MARION CECILIA SPARKS, '51, was married recently to Duane Hurley DaBoll. The couple is living in Rochester, N. Y., where Mr. DaBoll will complete his studies at Brockport State Teachers' College.

LAWRENCE T. CHERRY, '51, married Marion Cayias of Bountiful, Utah, on July 22. They will live in Salt Lake City.

RICHARD LEE UNRUH, '52, took Nan Leslie Mishler as his bride in Portland this summer. They have been living in Copenhagen since August.

ROBERT VERNE BAIN, '53, married Janet Marie Skinner this summer in the First Baptist Church in McMinnville. Robert will complete his studies at the University of Oregon Medical School this year.

MARLENE JOAN VINCENT, grad of '53, recently became the bride of Harold Hall Muchow. They are now living in Portland.

JOYCE ELINOR FOSTER, '53, was married to Lt. Lindo Lee Burns July 8 in Burlingame, California.

JAMES CHRIS MALETIS, grad in law '53, was married to Joann Elizabeth Morrison this summer.

SARA JANE BRIDGEMAN, '54, and DALE RICHARD GUSTAFSON, '56, were married in June in the Westminster Presbyterian Church of Portland.

PHYLLIS CAROLYN AVERILL, '54, became the bride of Robert Preston Doughton this summer.

MARY CATHERINE REEH, grad of '56, and DONALD WARNE EMPEY, grad of '54, were married in Portland in June. The couple is residing in Salem.

MARY JANE ELIZABETH STEWART, '54,

became the bride of Campbell Marion Wade, Jr., July 21 in Portland. The couple is at home in Cambridge, Mass., where both are working for Ph.D.'s in astronomy.

FRANKLIN WEBBER KEHRLI, '54, took Barbara Avis Brewer as his bride this summer in the First Methodist Church of Salem. The couple is at home in San Diego.

NANCY ANN YANT, '55, was married to Stephen F. Dachi this summer. They will live in Philadelphia, Pa.

SABRA JEAN MCGOWAN, '55, and RAYMOND LOUIS CONDER, '55, were married June 24. The couple will live in California, where Mr. Conder is stationed at Edwards Air Force Base.

SUZANNE EILEEN LOVELY, '55, became the bride of Lt. Arthur Tooms, royal Canadian navy, on June 24. The couple spent the summer in Philadelphia and is now living near Toronto at Camp Borden.

LT. NORMAN LESLIE LEE, '55, took Nancy Jean Halladay as his bride in the Rose City Methodist church this summer. They are living in Augsburg.

JAMES BAGLEY TOOZE, '55, took Mary Carolyn Green as his bride this summer in the First Presbyterian Church of Salem. They are living in town.

ROSEMARY ROWELL, '55, became the bride of Leonard L. Grover in Salem's Court Street Christian Church this summer. They are living in Burns.

June 16 was the date of the wedding of Joan Frances Tafel and KENNETH WALLACE BAINES, '55. The couple is living in Eugene where Mr. Baines is attending the University of Oregon School of Law.

JUDITH ANNE FINCH, '55, was married to Calvin Charles Cooper, Jr., in an early summer ceremony. They are living in Portland.

VIVIAN CHANCE, '55, and EARLE DIDZUN, '56, were married August 25 in St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Salem. The couple is now living in Portland.

ANN BLATCHFORD, '55, married Frank M. Mallory in Milwaukie August 25.

PATRICIA JEAN WALTERS, '55, became

the bride of Delbert Paul Davis this summer. They are living in Alameda, Calif., where Mr. Davis is stationed with the U. S. Navy.

DOUGLAS WARNER GRAHAM, '55, took Marva Louise Frost as his bride in Portland recently. They will live in Portland.

GAIL JOAN UPDIKE, '55, and THOMAS WATSON STEEVES, '56, were married early this summer in All Saints Catholic Church in Portland.

August 17 was the date of the wedding of SONIA NOHLGREN, '55, to Jerry E. Hamilton in the First Congregational Church of Salem. They now live in Portland.

MARLENE ROWE, '55, married Marvin Lazarus in March. They are making their home in Vancouver, British Columbia, where her husband owns and manages a jewelry store.

SHIRLEEN SCHLEINING, '56, was married June 13 to Thomas Elsworth Lawson at the Rose City Park Methodist Church.

DELPHIA HELEN SHORT, '56, married Gordon Hammerle in Milwaukie this summer. The couple will live in Milwaukie.

JOANNE MARIE TERHARK, '56, became the bride of DAVID JAMES FINLAY, '56, August 5. The couple is living in Palo Alto.

DAVID PAUL DOERKSEN, '56, took ALICE CAROL SVINTH, '57, as his bride this summer in the Calvary Baptist Church of Salem.

ANITA ANNE TONNING, '56, was married to ROBERT JAMES MILLER, '53, in St. Paul's Episcopal Church of Salem this summer.

SHIRLEY WITTERS, '56, was married recently to GLEN MURRAY. The couple will make their home in Salem where the bride plans to study for her master's degree in religious education. Mr. Murray is a senior at Willamette and a religion major.

MARGARET HANSON, '56, and GORDON MOORE, '56, were married June 24 at the First Methodist Church in Bend, Oregon. The couple is at home in Bend.

AMY JOSEPHINE BLOMBERG, '58, and RICHARD WARD BUTLER, '56, were married September 2. They are living in Eugene.

FRANK LAMB, grad of '56, took as his bride Ruth Diane Miller August 12 in Salem's First Presbyterian Church. They now live in Salem.

CORALIE DOUGHTON, '56, and DAVID ALEXANDER RHOTEN, '56, were married in Salem this summer. They are living in Salem.

HELEN MARIE CALLAGHAN, '56, was married to Cameron C. Thom June 12 in the First Congregational Church of Salem. Their home is in Salem.

HARLAN DAVID McKAY, '56, took Marjorie M. Nelson as his bride on June 23. They are now living in Portland.

MARGARET BARGE, '57, married Ronald Helgeson this summer in Salem's First Congregational Church. They are at home in Salem.

MARYN NAOMA STOOKEY, '57, became the bride of Watson B. Hovis this summer in the First Methodist Church of Portland. They now live in Tacoma.

NAOMI COLLEEN CHILCOTE, '57, and Thomas Wilber Foster were married in an early June wedding in Lebanon. They are now attending Pacific School of Religion in Berkeley.

ARDA CAROLYN LIEN, '57, was married to Roger Dean Berryhill this summer in the First Congregational Church of Salem.

BARBARA BELLE KAUFMAN, '57, and GAYLORD LEE HALL, '56, were married July 21 at the Westminster Presbyterian Church in Chehalis, Wash. They are living in Madison, Wis., where Mr. Hall will take graduate work in physical therapy and his bride will continue her college studies.

ARLO JEAN STOLL, '57, took Sally Crisman as his bride this summer in Camas, Wash. Mr. Stoll will complete his three years' service in the navy in February.

## WASHINGTON D. C. ALUMS



The alums meeting for dinner in Washington D. C., Sept. 12 are seated, left to right: Byung Choll Koh, '50; John M. Gregory (friend); Mrs. Ruby Koh; Daline S. Montag, '54; Dr. Robert D. Gregg; Marilyn Merz, '53; Robert Taylor, '55; Marie DeHarpport Taylor, '55; James Hitchman, '54; Marie Corner Hitchman, '53;

Standing, left to right: Mrs. Frances Ream, Mrs. Lois Lewis Hart, '47; Mrs. Jessie L. Tannehill (friend); David Nordquist; Marian Spann Nordquist, '51; Donald Ream, '37; Robert M. Sayre, '49. Royal Hart, '48, was behind the camera.

# Class Notes

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June Rev. Peters was planning to travel to Göteborg (Gothenberg) Sweden where he was invited to lecture in the Scandinavian course of the Seminar on Pastoral Psychology and Counseling.

HOWARD COLE is now minister of the First Christian Church in Vancouver, Wash. Rev. Cole and his wife, Ruth, have four children: Edward, 13; Dennis, 10, and twins, Brian and Shelley, 6 years of age.

1938

FRANCES FABER MITCHELL teaches at a primary school in Concord, Calif. She has one son, Donald, age 8.

JOSEPH HERBERGER is owner of the Oregon City Golf Club. He and his wife Mildred have two sons and two daughters.

1939

CAPT. JOHN L. GRANSTROM of the U. S. Army is stationed in New York and now has five children.

1940

ROBERT E. KEUSCHER, who received his Masters degree from Willamette University, is now principal of the new Woodrow Wilson High School in Portland.

DR. RONALD K. ADAMS, pastor of First Baptist Church, Oakland, Calif., was granted a Doctor of Divinity degree at the graduation exercise of Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary, Overbrook, Pa., in May.

JOHN A. MCNEES is owner of the Nome Beverage (Coca-Cola) Bottling Co. and was a delegate to the Alaska Constitutional Convention of 1955-56. He and his wife Retta have a son, Roger, five years old.

CAPT. HENRY D. FRANTZ is an airline captain with Pan American World Airways and has been based in Hongkong, B. C. C., the past three years. He and his wife Mary have three children.

1941

JAMES K. ANDERSON assisted in a Columbia University study published in a 144-page book entitled "The Negro Potential." The report is a part of the Conservation of Human Resources Project at the university. The study describes the 15,000,000 Negroes of the United States as "the single most underdeveloped human resource in the country."

DOROTHY MOORE of the Pennant Shop in Portland is prominent in girls' softball activities in Portland.

MARGO (WRIGHT) FLOREA of Portland has three children and is spending her spare time calling and teaching square dancing.

1942

MRS. MORTON (MARION HERMANEK) HYMAN recently resigned from her work as a music teacher in Lent Elementary School in Portland, where she had taught for three years.

BARBARA (BYRNE) HUGHES is private secretary to the district engineer in Anchorage, Alaska.

R. WINFIELD ACHOR recently became president of the Sonoma County Bar Association. In 1950 he became a partner in the firm, now Gairy, Spridgen, and Moskowitz. He is married and has three children.

1943

LOIS ELAINE BALDWIN is now at Evergreen Junior-Senior High School in Seattle, Washington, as a counselor and instructor of language arts. Lois has taught eight years in Oregon and one year in Colorado. She received her M.A. in English in August, 1955, at Colorado State College of Education in Greeley, Colorado.

1944

DOROTHEA GRAHAM is superintendent of recreation in the Bureau of Parks in Portland.

1945

MARY E. BENNETT is starting her fourth year of teaching in the physical therapy department at the University of Southern California.

ROBERT REID BELTON, who studied at George Washington University and Zurich University, Switzerland, is a self-employed physician in Washington, D. C.

JACK GLASSE and his wife have a son Jeffrey, born in March. In September Glasse will begin teaching in the Department of Religion at Vassar College, having completed residence work for the Ph.D. at Yale.

1946

MARGARET GEISLER SHIPMAN is now living in Salem. She has a full time job with her six children.

ELIZABETH JORY NICHOLSON is now living in Morgan Hill, Calif., where her husband, Dr. Howard Nicholson, is superintendent of the Live Oak Union High School District. They have two children, Debbie, age 6, and Jimmy, age 2.

1947

NANCY HOAK AKESON and her husband Merle, '48, and their three children are now living in Palo Alto, Calif., while Merle works on his Doctorate in Education. They plan on being there about two years.

JACK I. WATSON is now executive secretary of the Governor's Committee on Children and Youth. His office is in Portland in the State Office Building. Watson attended the University of Washington School of Social Work for two years. Prior to accepting his new position, he was Child Welfare Supervisor for Pierce County Welfare in Tacoma, Wash. He and his wife Norma have two sons.

1948

LORA BATES and BLOSSOM WOODS, '49, are a mother-daughter duo who have completed all requirements for the Master's degree.

RICHARD PORTAL was appointed assistant librarian at the Oregon College of Education.

GERALDINE (SCHMOKER) PRESTON has been working as a compositor of the Middle English Dictionary at the University of Michigan. She received her master's degree in music at the university and is in the Ann Arbor civic orchestra.

PHIL SHAW recently preached a sermon to 800 Russians in the Leningrad, USSR, Baptist

Church—the only Protestant church in a city of 3,500,000. Phil, studying theology at Edinburgh University, Scotland, preached on the universality of Christianity and the power of love.

1949

MILTON BAUM, principal of Silverton High School for two years, is now superintendent of the high school and grade school in that district. Baum and his wife MARJORIE (LUNDAHL, '50) have two children, Mary Louise and Rebecca Lee.

PAUL LYMAN REILING, who received his M.A. from W. U. in 1949, is now principal of Gervais Union High School.

W. P. EDWARDS, who was superintendent-principal of Sisters High School for six years, resigned his post June 15. He will be administrator of a school for service men's children in northern Italy.

1950

ELLEN MONTAGUE is secretary for the class of 1950. She reports on a wonderful vacation to Mexico City this past year. Interested class members can reach her at 3420 72nd S.E., Mercer Island, Wash.

The class of 1950 sent this office a copy of their news letter.

DON and NANCY BARCKLEY moved into their new home last spring.

LYLE HAMILTON was appointed assistant to the Dean of Medicine last spring at the Medical School in Saskatoon, Sask. He reports that it keeps him busy with his full-time job of teaching physiology there. A son, Steven Douglas, was born in January.

MARGE COOPER FLECK and her husband Ben are now living in Madras, India, where Fleck is in the Diplomatic and Consular Corps. They have just completed two years in New Delhi and then a three months stay in Washington, D. C., while Ben took a course at the Foreign Service Institute.

MARCELLA PAMBRUN is in New York with the Presbyterian Radio and Television department. Marcella has also been stage manager of the Blackfriars Guild Theatre in New York.

TOM and JOANNE (ESTEY, '52) YATES are now living in Seattle where he is with Boeing Airplane Co. in their Math Services section. Their son, Kenneth Ray, was born July 13. His sister Linda is now one year old.

A second son, Van George, was born to INIE

## SALEM ALUM GROUP PICNICS



Bush Park was the scene for the Salem area alumni groups picnic. Tables were loaded with food and a good time was had by all. Ted Ogdahl, '46, led the children in some hotly contended relay races.

# Class Notes

LOU SHIPLEY and her husband George in April. His brother, Lou, is now two and one-half years old.

JOSEPH V. BRAZIE is now a captain in the Army Medical Corps. After finishing his internship at Minneapolis General Hospital he joined the army and was sent to Iran. Brazie reports that the hospital there is a joint affair, run by the army and state department for the benefit of all Americans there.

DONALD and MURIEL ('43) ESHELMAN are parents of a son, Dale Norman. Also welcoming the baby are two sisters, Linda and Louise. Dr. Eshelman is practicing dentistry in Salem.

DR. LANDY FRANZ is now a dentist practicing in Salem. Dr. Franz and his wife, Bernice, have two children, Luanne and Landy.

HOMER W. HADLEY is living in Albany and is an accountant with the D. W. Knight Co.

FLORENCE (CAMPBELL) DOLAN of La Mesa, Calif., is a teacher in La Mesa-Spring Valley Schools.

FRED EGGIMAN is a route salesman for Austin Bros., Inc. in Portland. He and his wife Lois have three daughters.

ROBERT STREBIG is staff manager of Prudential Life Insurance Co. in Salem. He and his wife Phyllis have two children.

ROGER B. TODD is an attorney with Flaxel and Todd in North Bend. He is a member of Elks, Toastmasters, Coos Bay Pirates, and Kiwanis. He and his wife Joan have two children.

DESMOND KENT WALKER is business manager of the Eugene Baseball Club. He and his wife Marilyn have a two-year-old son, Bruce.

ROBERT MARR is living in Salem and owns an auto sales agency. He and his wife Helen have a son Robert Michael and a daughter Sue Ann.

1951

MARIAN SPANN NORDQUIST is now living in Washington, D. C., where her husband, David, is stationed with the Army at the Pentagon.

BARBARA ANN GARRETT BURGER reports the birth of a son, Frederick Floyd Burger, April 12. Their daughter, Emily, is two years old. Barbara lives in Omaha, Nebraska.

GILBERT F. and PATTY JO (HAMMOND, '51) OLIVER are now at Norton AFB where Gilbert is connected with the USAF hospital. Dr. Oliver received his D.M.D. degree in the spring.

ROBERT H. ANDERSON, an assistant state attorney general, was assigned in April to take charge of an alleged embezzlement case in Lane County. The case involved investigation of the claim of an inmate of the Oregon State Penitentiary that he had been deprived of money due him from a personal injury suit.

MARGARET (GUICE) and SCOTT THOMSON are at Fort Kobbe, Canal Zone. Margaret is a teacher at Fort Fobbe Elementary School and Scott is a representative for Middle America for military missions in the U. S. Army.

1952

TOM BRENNAN stopped in the office in September during his vacation. Brennan is now working for THE HERALD in Arlington Heights, Ill., as a reporter.

CLIFF GIROD will be at Gervais High School this year after returning from service.

DAVID H. MORRIS is now Physical Therapist for the Alaska Territory and is living in Anchorage. He was sponsored by the Alaska Territorial Elks Commission for Cerebral Palsied Children of Alaska.

DR. CLYDE JACKSON who has completed his schooling in dentistry is now in Japan with the Navy. He was on campus in June.

RICHARD L. UNRUH has been granted a

Fullbright scholarship to study architecture at the Royal Academy of Fine Arts in Copenhagen, Denmark. Unruh received a degree in architecture from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and is one of ten graduates to receive the government grants for study abroad in 1956-1957.

TED and DORIS (McCAIN) LODER are now in Yalesville, Conn., where Rev. Loder is pastor of the First Methodist Church.

RICHARD CHARLES reported that he was scheduled to enter internship at the Minneapolis General Hospital in July.

ROBERT LEE HALL is javelin record holder for the Air Force and attended Air Force Olympic training camp. He and his wife Theora have a daughter, Kimberly Ann, born February 1, 1955.

CLIFTON A. NYLEEN is employed by the First National Bank of Salem. He and his wife Hazel have two sons and a daughter.

BARBARA (GERTSON) BARTLETT of Salem is a teacher in Aumsville, Ore.

1953

WILLIAM P. MERRIAM, Jr., was graduated from the American Institute for Foreign Trade at Thunderbird Field in Phoenix, Arizona, in June. He is employed by North America Companies, Philadelphia, Penn. He and his wife, the former Jane Gray, '54, have specialized in Latin America in preparation for a career in American business abroad.

GRACE CONNELL sailed recently for a six-months tour of Europe.

PAUL and ARDIE (ROSEBERRY) JEWELL are now in Evanston, Ill., where Paul will finish his last year in seminary in Garrett. They have had a very exciting year, as Paul attended Divinity School at the University of Edinburgh this past year. They also spent several weeks traveling on the continent. Important news from them is announcement of a daughter, Coralie Arden, born in March.

DONNA SEBERN TALUS had a daughter, Dorothy Jean, born to her in May. Donna teaches physical education at Stanfield High School in Stanfield, Ore.

GEORGE R. DUNCAN, Jr., Law '55, is now practicing law in Stayton, Ore.

JAMES A. WOOD is living in Eugene and has a fellowship at the University of Oregon.

LOUIS HAMMER is a student in Tillamook and is employed by the Lamb-Schrader Co. He has worked as a boat-builder.

DUANE R. HAGEN spent last year completing requirements for his master's degree in history at Montana State College. He was discharged from the army in August, 1955, after spending eleven and a half months at Thule Air Force Base, Thule, Greenland.

SHIRLEY (CLIFFORD) and VERNON GROVES are living in Somerville, Mass., and have two sons. Vernon is associate minister of the First Congregational Church in Somerville and is in charge of organizing a community center in the most populated city per square mile in the U. S.

1954

EDWIN and BARBARA, '52, WEBER announce the birth of a daughter, Joyce, in May. Weber reported for duty in the USAF in June.

ELLIS VON ESCHEN, Jr., left in August for Germany. He will study for his doctorate in mathematics at Georg August University at Göttingen. Until school begins in November Ellis will attend a language institute at Munich for eight weeks. He completed work for his master's degree at Stanford University in June.

BONNIE BELLE STEWART ELLIOTT and her husband, Frank, are enrolled in the Academy of Fine Arts in Florence, Italy. They are both studying art.

JOAN K. BYRNE is living in San Francisco and is bookkeeper for a medical group.

LINDA GRAGG has entered the University of Southern California School of Social Work to

begin graduate study for her Master of Social Work in group work. She has been working in a settlement house in Chicago.

PAT ('55) and BOB GOFF are living in El Monte, California, where he is employed by the Alhambra YMCA. They have a daughter, Christine.

1955

ANDY GEORGE has joined the Oregon College of Education football staff as head line coach.

PHYLIS MUHS has joined Northwest Orient Airlines as a reservation-sales agent in Portland.

DON BOUDON will be at McMinnville High School this year.

NORMAN and CAROL (EMERSON, '54) DVERSDAL had a son born to them March 15 in Long Beach. They have named their boy Eric Norman.

RALPH H. RICHARDSON recently arrived in Korea for duty with the 8th Army Unit's personnel section. Private Richardson completed his training at Fort Ord.

## In Memoriam

DR. JOHN R. GRIFFEN, '94, died in South Haver hospital, July 26. Dr. Griffen practiced medicine for more than sixty years in Bangor, Michigan. He went to Bangor following his graduation from Willamette University in 1894.

LOIS D. GOODE, '33, died in July after an extended illness. Mrs. Goode was married in 1938 to Melvin Goode, an attorney, and they made their home in Albany, Oregon. Mrs. Goode was one of Albany's outstanding women. Surviving are the widower and two children, Jonathan and Jennifer.

E. BELLE CROUSE REDERICK, '05, died October 22, 1955, at Vancouver, Wash. Mrs. Rederick was art editor for the first WALLULA and editor in chief of the second.

CLARENCE E. OLIVER, '26, died in July, 1955, in Portland. He was with the Portland Public School System. Surviving are his wife, Cera Oliver, and son, Gilbert, '51.

RICHARD B. WILKINS, '03, died May 16 at Fresno, Calif. Mr. Wilkins was on the campus three years ago for his 50th year reunion at Alumni Day.

HERALD WESLEY EMMEL, '21, was killed in a car accident June 14, 1955. We extend our condolences to his wife Valerie.

DR. WILLIAM FREDERICK AMOS, '99, passed away in Portland.

MARGARET EWING GLASS, '44, passed away August 22 in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

DR. ARTHUR V. HOLLENBERG, '31, died in Morris Plains, N. J. He entered New York University in the fall of 1931 on a teaching fellowship in the school of physics and received his Ph.D. from there in 1938. During the war years he was engaged in government scientific work as a member of the Manhattan Project.

In 1946 he became an employee of the Bell Telephone Laboratories and remained with the company until his death.

Survivors include his widow, Jane; a daughter, Virginia, 15; a son, Richard, 10.

AUSTIN F. FLEGEL, Jr., '12, died September 14 at his home in Portland. Born in Portland of pioneer stock, he became an attorney, a state senator, head of the Willamette Iron & Steel corporation during its wartime shipbuilding years and finally chief of a technical and economic mission to Thailand under both Democratic and Republican administrations. He was prominent in Democratic circles and in 1950 he was the unsuccessful candidate in the gubernatorial race against incumbent Douglas McKay.

To thousands of Portland youngsters he was known as "godfather" to Rosy, the elephant that he helped the Portland zoo acquire from Thailand.

# REMEMBER

# Homecoming

## NOVEMBER 3rd

- 10:00 a. m. . . . Annual Fall Meeting of Alumni Association  
History Room in Library
- 11:45 a. m. . . . **BARBECUE** on Quadrangle (gym if rainy)  
All you can eat for \$1.00
- 2:00 p. m. . . . . **FOOTBALL GAME** at McCulloch Stadium  
Willamette vs. College of Puget Sound
- . . . . **KOFFEE KLATCH** at Doney Hall  
Immediately Following Game
- 9:00 p. m. . . . . **DANCE** In Gym

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