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"Freedom's Children"

During the Civil War Prof. Norton wrote to John Ruskin telling him of the war between the states over the matter of slavery. "It makes no difference as far as I can see" replied Ruskin "whether or not a man is free if, when free, he knows not how to choose a master."

We have been hearing much in these past months concerning the freedoms which the present war is defending. Perhaps this is a good time to remind ourselves that freedom won but misused is not a desirable objective. From one point of view freedom is a means. But it is also an end. Of what value is freedom as a means if the end which its possession is to make possible is not achieved? Suppose, when we have freedom to choose, we make the wrong choices. The cry for the defense of freedom assumes that intelligent people will use it once it is attained. The conception of freedom as we now employ it suggests that this highly desirable social pattern is something quite different from uncontrolled license: that having freedom is not the equivalent of doing exactly what one wants irrespective of the rights and privileges of others. For it is a social pattern—not an individual prerogative. The gardener cultivates his patch so that the flowers and food are free to grow. Yet he denies that freedom to weeds and parasites. He does not guarantee the right of anything and everything to grow there. He will not permit the bad to choke off the good. The cultivated garden is the social pattern which makes possible the growth of fruitful plantings. It does not guarantee the right of everything to grow unmolested.

"Freedom of speech and expression, freedom to worship, freedom from want and freedom from fear." Every man should be guaranteed these. Correct. But these make a social pattern into which the individual must be fitted. They make the atmosphere in which the individual can build and shape his life. They do not guarantee him complete license. Or if we may say it gives him license, then that license has its limits. Since the

freedom is given him and he did not earn it, he must treat it as a beneficence and not as an inherent right. A state license makes a man free to drive his automobile; but only within the pattern of that freedom. He can only drive so many miles per hour on the open highway and at a lower speed in congested areas. He must respect the right of pedestrians and of every other driver whose freedom to drive must not be impaired by the way another uses his freedom to drive.

Whether or not a free world is a good social pattern depends on how people use the pattern. It all hangs on the question "What kind of a world will freedom create? What kind of children will freedom beget?" All of us can help to answer that question. For freedom will never beget legitimate children unless the children are prepared to recognize their obligation to the social pattern of freedom. Let us restate the thesis of this sermon. "Freedom of speech and expression, freedom to worship, freedom from want and freedom from fear." These comprise a social pattern into which the individual must fit his own life. What should be clearly seen is that this social pattern demands an individual response. That response is in the fulfillment of an obligation. "Freedom of speech and expression" is a social pattern. It places upon the individual an obligation to speak intelligently, honestly, and purely. "Freedom to worship" is a social pattern. It places upon the individual an obligation to respect the God whose worship is made possible. "Freedom from want" is a social pattern. It places upon the individual an obligation to work creatively. "Freedom from fear" is a social pattern. It places upon the individual an obligation to do nothing that will create fear or suspicion.

1. "Freedom of speech and expression."

But there is also an obligation, viz., not to abuse this freedom. Are we mindful as to how powerful a tool speech really is? How far reaching in its influence?

Human speech is itself a remarkable gift. It is not only the ability to make sounds, audible and distinct and varied, but sounds that are words and words that

make statements of fact, feeling or intent. By speech man can make known his mind, disclose his thoughts or hide his purposes. By speech he can deceive and corrupt, or reveal and inspire. The dog is a more or less intelligent beast. But he has no speech. He can bark, growl, and whine. But it is ever the same bark, the same growl and the same whine. There is no variety in ideas or feelings conveyed. So the cat. She can meow and purr and hiss. A limited variety of feelings may be observed in her meow. At times we know it is anger; at times cold; at times hunger. But again the limit of expression is definite and narrowly confined. Or the bird. Never, it seems to me, has the clear-throated song of the cardinal been lovelier than this spring—so cheering, so uplifting. But the cardinal's song is the same no matter from which throat it is sung. It is beautiful, but it is also final. One may take it into one's heart for an hour or at best a day. Yet only those who hear grasp it: it can not be transmitted. It stops wherever it is first heard.

But the human voice—and human speech! What billions of combinations of sounds and words and ideas may be transmitted through it! Nor need it end with those who first hear it. It contains ideas or facts or perchance untruths. These may be picked up by the hearer and transmitted so that what is said in Westminster on one day may be repeated in Baltimore the next, and spread like contagion. Like a call in a mountain pass it can echo and re-echo until it dies out, or it can be heard and laid down and taken up to be heard again. If it is of historical value or eternal in its significance it may be perpetually recorded so that what Moses said was echoed in what Jesus spoke and what Jesus spoke has been echoed like a crescendo in every generation.

Freedom of speech is a gift. It is also an obligation. For what we say to others, when it finds lodgment in their minds,—who knows what impulse it may create? We know the power of suggestion and that thought waves accompany every audible statement, but we do not know at what frequency the hearer's mind may be

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tuned as he listens and what effect what we say may have on him. We do know that it is not fair to abuse freedom of speech by using it maliciously to deceive or to promote unclean thoughts or to debase life in any way. Jesus once said "Every idle word that men shall speak they shall give account of in the day of judgment." The psychological basis of that is perfectly clear. Our words have far-reaching effects and we must be held accountable for our statements. They are more than sounds. They are the embodiment of ideas and as such are capable, as the case may be, of stimulating good or bad in the lives of others. How important is the assertion "By thy words thou shalt be justified and by thy words thou shalt be condemned."

2. Freedom to worship. That is part of the social pattern in which we live. But it also entails an obligation. Here, indeed, it is clearly seen that freedom includes the recognition of the rights of others to worship as they see fit. This involves the individual conscience, which must be understood as the basis of any man's relationship to God. It is not always easy to respect a man's conscience,—particularly when it leads to action diametrically opposed to our own ideals. But it is all there and is part of the social pattern. Ours is the obligation to respect this freedom of worship in all others.

This is not the sole obligation. One logically raises the question as to whether it would be fair to so abuse the freedom of worship as to allow paganism to become rampant and so eventually (theoretically at least) deny religion its natural place in the life of man. Freedom to worship, while he does not deny to man the right not to worship, suggests that man will worship and that he can worship according to the dictates of his own conscience. In other words, if we have the right to worship as we will, of what value is it if no one will? The whole idea is undergirded with the assumption that man by nature wants to worship and that the state has no right to deny to man the opportunity to worship God in his own way. Going through life and not worshipping is like visiting Geneva and not seeing the Lake, or Interlaaken and

not seeing the Jungfrau, or the Louvre and not looking at the Mona Lisa, or College Hill and not watching the sunset. There is a *kind* of obligation which man has to look at Lake Geneva and the Jungfrau, the Mona Lisa and the sunset. It is a mark of morality, of intelligence or what you will. True, he is free not to if he chooses, but if he has the opportunity there is a *kind* of obligation to use it.

3. Freedom from want. That is a social pattern. An environment where there is food and shelter for all. I repeat, that is a social pattern. What about the individual who lives within the pattern? It places upon him an obligation. No man can expect freedom from want at no cost to himself. The social pattern is one in which he has freedom to labor so that he need not be in want. There is a sense in which freedom from want is as yet an unfilled dream. It is not something we can expect by sitting down and awaiting it. We must stand up, roll up our sleeves, and work for it. "If a man does not work, neither shall he eat." God has made the kind of a world where the satisfaction of our needs is possible. He has given the birds freedom from want, but they must go out and find the food provided. He has given the squirrels freedom from want, but they must store up for the winter season. So it is that the social ideal of freedom from want throws a responsibility upon the individual. He must make his contribution if he is to claim right to freedom from want. It is bad psychology, bad sociology and bad religion for a man to feel that he is entitled to something for which he himself makes no contribution.

Now we must keep in mind that freedom from want is conceived in the sense of freedom from need. It does not infer that a man can have all he wants for that may lead him to want all he can have. The social pattern of freedom from want has great implications. There is no person but desires freedom from want for himself. Does he desire it for others? This social pattern must not be accepted as something to which we feel entitled: it is a pattern we must desire for all.

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4. Freedom from fear. That is a social pattern. To it the individual must give his own response. This response must be conceived in terms of an obligation, an obligation to so live that we shall not create fear in the lives of others, that others shall be drawn to us. It is "love that casts out fear." Our lives must be so based on the principle of unselfishness that we by our living help to abolish the basis of fear.

The fourth freedom finds its contemporary significance in that fear which dictatorships create. It is the fear that we shall not be free to speak our mind, not free to worship God as our conscience may dictate, not free to engage in that livelihood that will make want impossible. It is a tragic thing that man has not set his collective mind successfully to the task of obviating this fear.

"The thing that numbs the heart is this:

That men cannot devise
Some scheme of life to banish fear
That lurks in most men's eyes.
Fear of the lack of shelter, food,
And fire for winter's cold;
Fear of their children's lacking these,
This in a world so old."

The tragedy lies in the fact that he has the intelligence and the means to successfully fight an enemy who has set out to increase fear in the world, expending in the effort countless lives and uncounted billions of dollars, and yet has not faith to believe that he has the intelligence and the means to create a civilization where war is wanting and where fear does not thrive because it can not germinate in a friendly atmosphere.

I face you today officially for the last time. It is the last time you will be required to hear me speak. From now on it is an elective or an extra-curricular activity. What has been said today is not intended solely for you. Though I have had you chiefly in mind. My left eye has been pointed westward, my right eastward. Four years have gone so swiftly. I can scarcely believe that you

before me are in the last stages of seniorhood and in a few hours will be new-born babes in alumnihood. But knowing the faculty as I do, I can vouch that you would not be seated on this platform if you were not soon scheduled to pass into alumnihood. How swiftly events have moved from Freshmen air-raids to Senior Follies. But here you are about, in traditional terms, to go out into the great big world. You go with the interest and affection and best wishes of us all. My words are in the nature of a final exhortation. We are in a struggle to maintain the four freedoms. But these freedoms comprise the social pattern to which you respond by your own sense of moral obligation. The pattern of the world is by nature social, but the most important thing in the fulfillment of the pattern is the individual and his response. Morality is primarily personal. Until you realize that, you are not a person. You are only indirectly responsible for the social pattern in which we live, but you are directly responsible for the way you that within the social pattern. Let no one ever tell you that what you believe or say or do is unimportant. Nothing can be more important for you. Keep in mind constantly that the social pattern which makes us free to speak does not make us free if we become the slaves of irresponsibility or profanity; that the social pattern which makes us free to worship does not make us free if we become slaves to paganism; that the social pattern which makes us free from want does not make us free if we become slaves of money or of laziness; that the social pattern which makes us free from fear does not make us free if it makes us slaves of the passion to dictate.

"It makes no difference whether or not a man is free, if, when free, he knows not how to choose a master." These are the words of John Ruskin. "Having freedom, but not using it as a cloak for wickedness." These are the words of St. Peter. "Ye shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free." These are the words of Jesus Christ.

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President Fred G. Holloway makes the convocation address for the seventy-seventh annual session, before the faculty, student body, and the cadets of the Army Specialized Training Corps of Western Maryland College.

AN HISTORIC CONVOCATION

was held in Alumni Hall, on Monday, October 11. At this formal opening of Western Maryland's seventy-seventh year, President Fred G. Holloway addressed the largest student body and faculty ever assembled on College Hill.

Speaking to the cadets as well as to the

civilian students and faculty, Dr. Holloway welcomed the entire assemblage to the campus and reiterated the educational objectives of the College. Speaking of the need for higher education and of Western Maryland's contribution in war-time, he said; "... we are in the midst of the

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Western Maryland Prepares for the Future

Western Maryland College is preparing for the future. The Board of Trustees at the meeting in April, 1943, set up a Committee on Post-War Planning. This Committee has already held several meetings during which it has had under advisement every phase of Western Maryland's activities.

At the meeting on October twenty-eighth, Mr. Daniel MacLea, Chairman of the Buildings and Grounds Committee and reporting for that Committee, stated that Western Maryland's most immediate needs are as follows:

- A new Chapel
- An Infirmary
- A Men's Dormitory
- A Women's Building
- A new Library

He further proposed that we immediately proceed to establish a fund for the first phase of this program. He suggested that it would be feasible to secure one hundred persons to subscribe units of \$1,000 per year for three years for a total of \$300,000. It was pointed out that there are some who would want to give larger units than one thousand dollars; in other cases smaller units could be added together to make thousand dollar units.

The recommendation was unanimously approved and a committee appointed to complete the fund. Because the end of the calendar year is at hand and many will want to avail themselves of tax deductions that can be entered on the December fifteenth income report, it is not feasible to organize the constituency of the College in such a way as to make possible the personal solicitation of money.

For this reason we use this means of apprising the alumni and friends of Western Maryland of the goal that is before us. You are urged NOW to fill in the subscription blank found elsewhere in this bulletin and mail it promptly to the Western Maryland College Building Fund, Westminster, Md. Funds will be immediately invested in government securities and building will proceed as soon as permission is available.

Proud of her past, secure in the present and confident of the future, Western Maryland is planning now for her post-war needs. May we depend upon you to help us in attaining the goal before us?

Fred G. Holloway
President



The cadets march to classes, meals, exercises, and drill, by platoons.

Western Maryland College

has taken her place among several hundred of the finest educational institutions in the country, for the task of preparing hundreds of thousands of technically trained young men for our Armed Services. On the twelfth of July, 300 cadets, comprising an Army Specialized Training Unit, began their studies on College Hill. This task was undertaken by our administration and faculty, and our regular summer school and conference program continued in order that essential activities on the home front might not be allowed to suffer during the present emergency. By her contribution our Alma Mater has entered a greater sphere of influence in the field of higher education.

Still another indication of the importance of Western Maryland's contribution to the war effort is seen in the fact that the present campus population, on College Hill, is the greatest in its history. There are 150 students more than the maximum for any previous enrollment. This student body is being trained by the largest faculty in the history of the College. Of the nine appointments made this year, four represent additions to the staff and five are replacing former teachers. This raises the total active teaching staff to fifty-eight, not including those on leave of absence to enter the Armed Services.

The cosmopolitan nature of our enlarged college community is in itself evidence of Western Maryland's widened sphere of influence. The student body hails from for-

The Association of American Colleges has sent to its member institutions the information given below:

CHARITABLE GIFTS—TABLE OF NET COSTS

During the remainder of the year 1943, a gift to charity can be made at approximately the net cost shown below. Reason: the amount of a gift to charity is an income tax deduction, up to, but not exceeding, 15% of net income.

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15,000	58.00	290.	580.	2,250.	1,330.50
20,000	48.00	240.	486.	3,000.	1,512.00
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Money given to the Western Maryland College Building Fund is deductible from income as per the above schedule.

ty-five states, the District of Columbia, Maryland has always been proud of her China, Cuba, Honduras, and Poland. The carefully selected student body, the civilian student group includes natives of demeanor of the cadets, over the selection of eleven different states. While Western which we have no control, has been such as

Major courses of study for the cadets at Western Maryland are Mathematics, Physics, and Chemistry. On the left, the student soldiers are seen in the Chemistry Laboratory. At right, Dr. R. D. Summers, Professor of Physics, lectures on the subject of Mechanics.





The activities of the regular college program are not being slighted during the present emergency. At the monthly meeting of Beta, Beta, Beta, national fraternity in biological sciences, students majoring in this field, read papers, listen, and sip tea.

to impress both our administration and faculty. Already many of these excellent young men have signified their desire to return to our campus, after the war, in order to complete their education and professional training.

From our viewpoint, here on "The Hill", two great contributions to society are readily perceived. First, Western Maryland's sons and daughters have always taken responsible positions in their communities; the record is an impressive one. Second, the stories of the heroic contributions her alumni are making on the fighting fronts of the world are historic in import.

In a recent issue of this Bulletin, The President's Page carried these words; "Some colleges have already closed. More will close. Western Maryland will not be one of them. We are now making our contribution. We shall continue to make it.

Our opportunities after the war will be greater than we can realize." The prophetic nature of President Holloway's words is already apparent on College Hill.

It is our humble opinion that in the post-war period Western Maryland must continue to take her place in this enlarged sphere. To close her doors "against that day" will be to betray all of those Western Marylanders who have gone before us. Let us prepare her for greater opportunities of service!

"Will the college accept war bonds as gifts?"

Certainly! Be sure that they are properly made out to Western Maryland College and we shall be happy to set them aside for our post-war Building Fund.

Cadets of the ASTP, at Western Maryland, are studying basic engineering but they must also master Freshman English.



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greatest war in history, . . . yet there are 150 more students on our campus than ever before. Thus is marked the importance of a college like Western Maryland for the training which it is capable of giving. That there are 150 more students than ever before on our campus indicates the importance which this college has now. This

"If my income is such that it is impossible for me to make the subscription of a thousand dollar unit, may I contribute to the Building Fund?"

Certainly! We will group smaller gifts into thousand dollar units. We want all who will to share in the completion of this fund that will help to make Western Maryland secure in the post-war era.

is not just another college year. We are in a war in which thousands of our fellow citizens are giving their lives. College is no place for students (civilian or cadet) who are trying to get out of hard work or sacrifice. This year, above all years, there is no time for loafing and no place on this campus for loafers. Much of what we call "College Life" is out. Every necessary social opportunity will be yours. But every . . . unnecessary interference with the rights and privileges of those who wish to study are out. We have no right to be here unless it is our duty to be here. If it is our duty to be here, it is also our duty to place first the duty for which we are here, namely, the procuring of an education that will prepare us technically, professionally, and culturally to contribute to the welfare of our nation and the world in this time of crisis and in the peace to come."

Western Maryland Alumni in the News



CHARLES EDWARD MOYLAN, '17,
Judge, Supreme Bench of Baltimore City

Judge Moylan, a native of Frederick County, Md., graduated from Frederick High School in June, 1914. He received the degree of Bachelor of Arts at Western Maryland College, in June, 1917, graduating as valedictorian of his class. While in college he was president of the Webster Literary Society; played varsity baseball; was associate editor of the W.M.C. Monthly; served as secretary of the College Y.M.C.A.; and was a winner of the Webster-Irving Oratorical Contest.

Active always in the interests of his Alma Mater, the Judge is one of the Alumni Visitors to the Board of Trustees of the College and was formerly, the president of the W.M.C. Alumni Association.

Formerly a member of the firm, Moylan and McKeldin, Judge Moylan practiced law in Baltimore from 1924 until 1942. He served as judge of the Appeal Tax Court of Baltimore City from 1932 until 1935 and was Chairman of the State Industrial Accident Commission. He was a member of the Naval Flying Corps during World War I. He was appointed to the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City in September, 1943.

Judge and Mrs. Moylan, the former Mildred Wheeler, '21, and their two sons, Charles, Jr., and Daniel, make their home at 401 Breton Place, Guilford, Baltimore.

Western Maryland College Building Fund

For the purpose of creating a Building Fund and in consideration of the gifts of others, I hereby subscribe to the Western Maryland College Building Fund the sum of.....dollars per year for three years, payable as follows:

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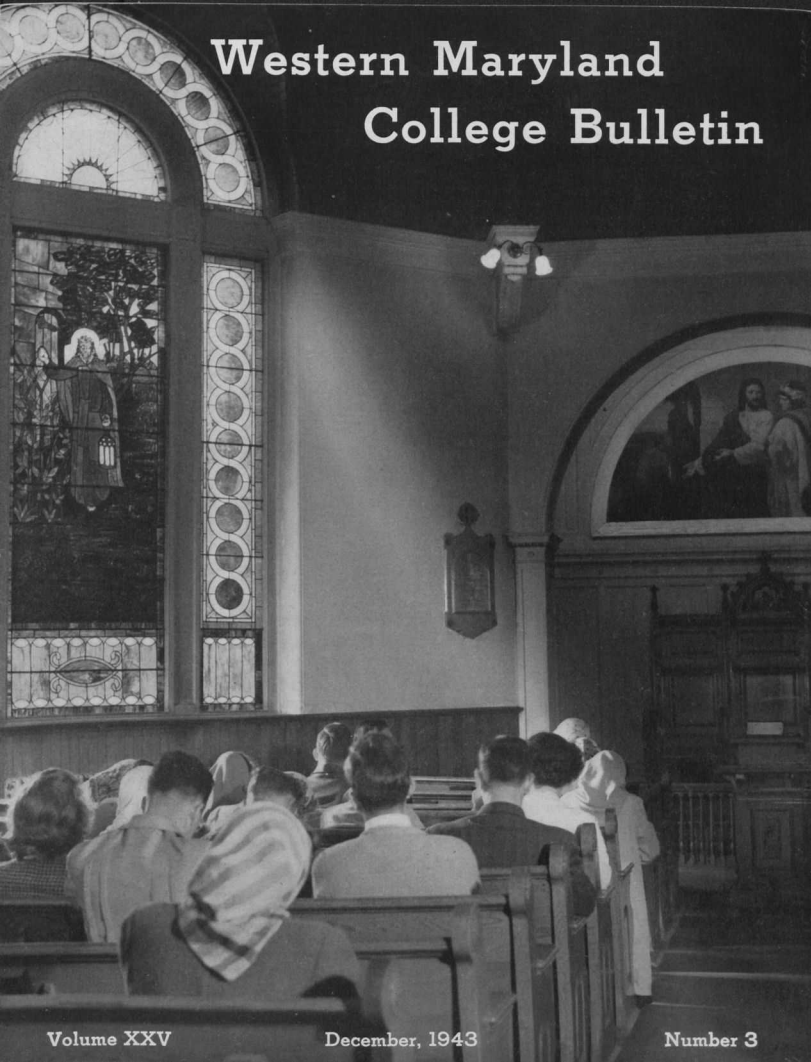
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Western Maryland Alumni in the News

FRANK B. WADE, '36, Major, Army of the United States, Serving with General Patton, in the Mediterranean Area.

Commissioned Second Lieutenant, upon his graduation, in the Reserve Officer's Corps, "Reds" was assigned to active duty, at Fort Bragg, N. C., in April, 1941. He was promoted to the rank of First Lieutenant at that time. Going overseas October 1, 1942, he landed in Africa, with the initial invasion fleet in November. He was attached to the Second Army and served under General Patton in the Tunisian campaign; around El Guitar, Maknassy, and north to Bizerte.

On April 21, 1943, Major Wade was awarded the Silver Star. His citation read: "When a battalion attacked enemy positions on Hill 772, it was impossible to get ammunition, water, and food to the battalion. Major Wade overcame this obstacle by using burros in packing these essentials to them. Due to his decisions and untiring efforts while under enemy fire, Major Wade was able to supply the battalion at all times during the engagement."

At the same time the Major was also presented with the French Service Medal for "valuable voluntary assistance to the French Government".

A veteran of the campaign in Sicily, Major Wade is now "somewhere in Italy". Elizabeth Wine Wade, '35, and their son, Frank, Jr., are living in Denton, Maryland.



Colonel "T. K's." Column

Dear Fellow Alumni:

Recently we undertook to send Christmas Greetings to every man and woman in the Service. Surprisingly few have come back for the want of a correct address and we have received many acknowledgments of the personal message that we tried to convey.

Will you help keep up the splendid morale of our armed forces by continuing to write those whom you know—and if you do not know an address, write and enclose the letter with name and postage, and we will address and re-mail it. It's our duty to do this as well as our pleasure—then back him or her with a Bond.

Yours for W.M.C.,

T. K. Harrison,
Executive Secretary.

In all the rush to spend, include in your budget something for Association Dues and your Class Memorials.

Front Cover

A new tradition has been established on College Hill. Last year, several students decided to spend the interval between breakfast and the first period playing hymns on the organ in Baker Chapel. They continued the custom, each taking a turn at the organ.

Other students learned of the practice and joined them. Soon, nearly fifty members of the student body and faculty were entering the chapel each morning to sit in meditation; some in prayer, some gazing at the Hunt window, "Christ at the Door", illuminated by the early morning light.

That this practice has become a tradition, without any advertising, or administrative or faculty direction, is significant of the strength and inspiration available to those of us who are fortunate enough to be on College Hill.

1944 CLASS REUNION

Will the classes of '94, '99, '04, '09, '14, '19, '24, '29, '34, and '39, please "tune in" for this?

The officers are asked to send out a letter, addressed to their classmates, urging them to attend their reunions on College Hill, Saturday, of Commencement Week, 1944.

The President's Page

The glorious news of the new Baker Memorial Chapel as well as the gift of the Infirmary by Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Thompson should set the heart of every Western Marylander aglow. These are the two largest gifts that we have ever had. One of the remarkable things about our Alma Mater is the growth she has had in both buildings and student body whereas she has always had to be most careful in the use of her money. Among the colleges I know I think it may truthfully be said concerning Western Maryland, never has so much been done with so little for so many.

These two gifts should spur us on to the completion of our Post-War Building program. Remembering that it is likely that no one will solicit you for funds, we hope that you will mail in your gift or your subscription if you have not already done so. In the November bulletin was given a schedule of tax deductions for contributions made to Western Maryland College. Adjustment in your tax report may be made in the schedule which you fill out on March fifteenth.

Let us bear in mind that if we are to make secure our place in the post-war world—NOW IS THE TIME. There is no reason to suppose that we can accomplish our objective by postponing our effort. If you who read this wish to help us in our objective—NOW IS THE TIME TO MAIL YOUR SUBSCRIPTION OR YOUR GIFT. If you will solicit some others whose income may be such as to justify a substantial gift under the tax law—NOW IS THE TIME.

Two buildings are guaranteed. By the combined effort of us all the remaining three buildings can be assured.



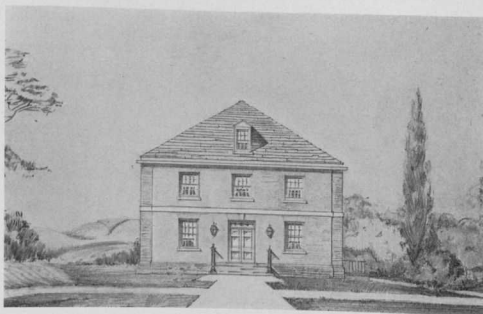
*Perspective view of the
new Men's Dormitory.
(Tentative sketch)*

President Holloway Announces the Gift of a New Chapel and an Infirmary

Announcement of the gift of the new Baker Memorial Chapel was made at a dinner at the Merchants Club of Baltimore, November thirtieth, when the Western Maryland College Building Fund was launched. The Baker Chapel which was erected in 1895 has served the college for nearly fifty years. It has recently been used for smaller religious gatherings and will continue in use for such functions. The enlarged student body has made necessary the use of Alumni Hall for the Sun-

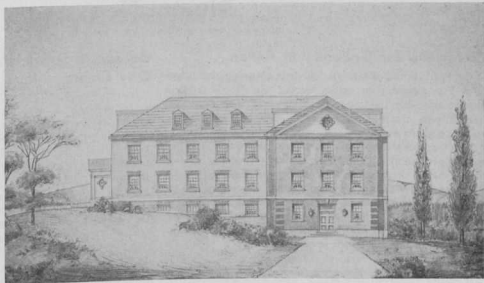
day Evening Chapel Service. The new Baker Memorial Chapel, to be dedicated to the memory of William G. Baker, Sr., Joseph D. Baker, Daniel Baker, and Sarah Baker Thomas, will be devoted exclusively to religious services and will become the regular meeting place of the Sunday Chapel Service.

The gift of an Infirmary by Dr. and Mrs. William J. Thompson of New York City, was also announced. This is the second building proposed in the program detailed in the No-



*Front elevation of the
new Infirmary, the gift
of Dr. and Mrs. Wil-
liam J. Thompson of
New York City. (Ten-
tative sketch)*

Side elevation of the
Women's Residence
and Activities Build-
ing. (Tentative sketch)



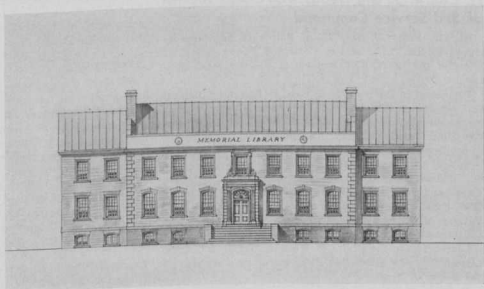
vember issue of the Bulletin. Our facilities for the care of the sick have been both inadequate and uneconomical. This gift, therefore, fulfills one of our greatest needs.

While neither Dr. or Mrs. Thompson attended Western Maryland College, both have made frequent visits to the school and Dr. Thompson has served on the Board of Trustees since 1926.

The dinner at which the foregoing announcements were made included a program presided over by Dr. Roger J. Whiteford, '06 as toastmaster. Dr. Roger Englar, '03, delivered an

address on "Free Institutions for a Free World"; Dr. Guy E. Snively, Executive Secretary of the Association of American Colleges, spoke on "The Place of Western Maryland College in the Educational World." President Holloway concluded the program with an "Outline of Western Maryland's Post-War Plans." Bishop J. H. Straughn, '99, gave the invocation. Bishop Edwin H. Hughes of the Washington Area of the Methodist Church and Dr. Thomas Pullen, Superintendent of Schools for the State of Maryland, extended greetings. Music was furnished by members of the college music department.

Front elevation of the
new Library Building.
(Tentative sketch)



Alumni News

"News is news until you have read it here."

Decorated for Gallantry in Action

Capt. A. Willis Wampler, '35, was awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action during the North African Campaign. The Captain, who has served with the Armored Forces, overseas, for almost a year, is now at home, on leave of absence.

Citation for the decoration stated: "When a column of tanks, proceeding forward over a road subjected to constant enemy shelling, was halted by a demolished bridge and was forced to cross a deep ravine, Captain Wampler dismounted his vehicle in the face of this heavy fire, supervised the hazardous crossing, reorganized the tanks, and remained in an exposed position until they had successfully accomplished their mission."

Capt. E. W. Elder, Jr., '40, former captain of the Terror squad, was also decorated for gallantry in action in Tunisia.

Colonel Markey Retires

Col. D. John Markey, '05, commanding officer of Camp Pickett, Va., was retired from active service on October 1. A native of Frederick, Md., the Colonel has, for a long time, been active in the business and civic affairs of that county. His military career has covered a period of forty-five years.

Colonel Markey enlisted in the State National Guard in 1898; he later became the Brigadier General of the Maryland National Guard. He served in the Spanish-American War; the Mexican campaign of 1916; and in World War I, as Major of the One Hundred and Twelfth Machine Gun Battalion, Lieutenant Colonel of the One Hundred and Fourteenth Infantry, Twenty-ninth Division, and as commanding officer of the One Hundred and Fifteenth Infantry, Twenty-ninth Division.

His decorations include: the Distinguished Service Medal, presented by General Pershing in 1922; the French Legion of Honor; and the Belgium Order of the Crown.

Lt. Col. R. J. Gill Heads ROTC-AST Branch of 3rd Service Command

Lt. Col. Robert J. Gill, '10, of Baltimore, has been assigned to the Third Service Command Headquarters, as Chief of the ROTC-AST Branch, of the Personnel Division.

Prominent in the practice of Law, in Baltimore, Colonel Gill returned to active service in October, 1942. He was commanding officer of the 1317th Service Unit and Executive Officer at Fort Story, Va., before reporting to the Third Service Command headquarters.

Colonel Gill received his law degree at the University of Virginia, in 1913. He is a member of the Phi Beta Kappa and the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternities. During World War I he was commanding officer of a Trench Mortar Battery, of the Forty-second Division. He later served as assistant chief of staff of the Division in France.

Long active in the affairs of Western Maryland College, Colonel Gill now serves his *Alma mater* as a member of her Board of Trustees.

Benson to Speak at Annual Jackson Day Dinner

Mr. F. Murray Benson, '17, will be the principal speaker at the annual Jackson Day Dinner, of the Concord Club, one of the country's oldest Democratic associations. The celebration is held each year in honor of Andrew Jackson, father of the party. Among the guests will be Governor O'Connor, the former Mayor Jackson, Mayor McKeldin, Senators Tydings and Radcliffe, and Representatives D'Alesandro, Baldwin, Sasser, and Ward.

Mr. Benson, formerly the City Solicitor, for the City of Baltimore, is now associated with the law firm, Tydings, Saurwein, Levy, and Archer. He is a member of the Board of Trustees of the College.

Briefs

LIFE SAVER: (From the *Queen Anne's Record-Observer*) "Chestertown, Md.—The artificial leg, and not the captain, went down with the ship. Eleven years ago Capt. William W. Clendaniel, '14, of Kent County, lost his leg in a ship-board accident.

A short time ago the absence of that leg saved his life when his ship was sunk in the Atlantic. It seems that the explosion that sank the ship toppled the mast, which crashed through the pilot house and the boom pinioned the artificial leg which replaced the captain's own.

Unable to help himself because of fractures of the arm, collarbone and ribs, Capt. Clendaniel was rescued by a shipmate who merely unstrapped the artificial leg and carried him to safety."

KILLED IN ACTION: Capt. Joseph O'Leary, '39, died in the service of his country at Bougainville, in the South Pacific, on November 29.

G.I. PSYCHOLOGISTS: Joseph S. Whiteford, '43, and William O. Prettyman, '43, have recently graduated from the Adjutant General's Officer Candidate School, at Fort Washington, Md., were awarded their commissions as Second Lieutenants, and assigned to the Personnel Branch of the Army. Lieutenant Whiteford is now stationed in Atlantic City, N. J. Both men majored in Psychology at Western Maryland.

Deceased

Frank E. Cunningham, '82, of Westminster, on August 31. A native of Carroll County, he attended the Western Maryland Preparatory School and College. Following his entry into the banking business in Westminster he became associated with the Peoples Bank, in Baltimore, and later followed this career in Georgia.

Mr. Cunningham was associated with the Comptroller of the Treasury, Philip Lee Goldsborough, for the State of Maryland, and later appointed by Governor Goldsborough to the Customs House, in Baltimore. He was connected with the Supreme Court, of the District of Columbia, from 1903 until 1936. He was associated with the Georgetown Law School; a member of the Washington Board of Trade, and a Trustee of the National Lutheran Home for the Aged.

Alumni News (continued)

Joseph William Kirk, D.D., '83, died in Baltimore, on December 12, at the age of eighty-two. Dr. Kirk was the oldest member of the Board of Trustees of the College, receiving his appointment in 1900. A graduate of Western Maryland College and the Westminster Theological Seminary, he was ordained as a Methodist Protestant minister in 1886. He was retired from active service in 1931.

John Lawrence Reifmider, Jr., '93, died on August 1, at his home in Westminster, at the age of seventy years.

A distinguished citizen of Carroll County, Mr. Reifmider was active in business and civic affairs throughout his lifetime. Included in the long list of organizations,—civic, fraternal, and business, in which he participated, are: membership in the Westminster Chamber of Commerce; director of the First National Bank; vice-president of the Carroll County Mutual Fire Insurance Company; a member of the Maryland Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution; the Middle Atlantic Lumberman's Association.

George Henry Revelle, '97, of Seattle, Washington, on October 16, at the age of seventy-two. An attorney in Seattle for forty-two years, he was prominent in the affairs of that city during his lifetime.

Charles Fisher Wantz, '05, on September 1; age, fifty-eight years. Previous to his failure in health Mr. Wantz was special auditor for the Maryland Casualty Company, of Baltimore.

Ethel Ruthrauff, '05, for many years associated with the Carnegie Institute of Technology, in Pittsburgh, Pa.

William James Connelley, '45, on September 3rd.

W. Hammond Barnes, on Saturday, November 13, at his home in Westminster. The deceased was an employee of the College for a number of years.

William D. Ness, on Saturday, November 17, in Baltimore. Many Western Marylanders will remember Mr. Ness for his devotion to the gardens of College Hill.

Mrs. Ollie Staats Davis, the former *Mary Griffith*, '15, on Thursday, November 14.

Engaged

Miss Charlotte Louise MacConney, '45, and *Pfc. Howard E. Hall*, '43. Private Hall is a medical student at Yale University.

Miss Frances Ogden, '43, and *Lieut. Robert J. Moore*, '43. The wedding will take place early in January, 1944.

Miss Jane K. McComas, '44, and *Lieut. John Mills Williams*, '43.

Miss Virginia MacConney and *Warrant Officer Robert A. Elderdice*, '38, USA.

Miss Dorothy Lourden Benda, of Baltimore, and *Mr. Robert Svend Sorensen*, '43.

Miss Thelma Helene Young, '45, and *Lieut. A. Ridgely Friedel*, '43.

Miss Jean Elizabeth Kaestner, '44, and *Mr. John Carville Fowler, Jr.*, of Baltimore.

Miss Mary Ellen Creager, '40, and *Lieut. W. William Hohnk*, USA, of Saginaw, Mich.

Miss Louise Carolyn Lincoln, '43, and *Capt. Robert F. Podlich*, '42.

Miss Mary Eileen Cain, of Baltimore, and *Lieut. L. Neilson Eckenrode*, '41, of the Army Air Corps.

Miss Catherine Sies, of Westminster, and *Mr. William Roy Keefe*, a member of the class of 1944.

Miss Hannah G. McKee, '42, and *Mr. Milton H. Crosswhite, Jr.*, '40, will be married early in January. Both the prospective bride and groom are studying in the graduate school at the Johns Hopkins University.

Wed

Miss Janice E. Yentsch, '42, to *Ensign Robert B. Ellenburg*, USNR, of Byington, Tenn., on October 16. The bride is a research chemist for the General Foods Corporation.

Miss Helen Newman, '40, to the Reverend Loral Wilford Pancake, in Mountain Lakes, N. J., August 20.

Miss Pearl Louise Bodmer, '43, to *Lieut. Lee Davis Lodge*, '43. The ceremony was performed in the Poolsville Methodist Church, on October 30.

Miss Margaret Wilson, '43, and *Lieut. Charles R. Ruppersberger*, USAAF, of Baltimore, on October 30, at Mount Vernon Place Methodist Church, Baltimore. The ceremony was performed by the Reverend Harold Bosley, assisted by the Reverend *Kenneth W. Lyons*, '31. The bride was attended by her classmates, the Misses *Phyllis Cade*, *Deborah Bowers*, and *Alice Kieffer*.

Miss Martha Bacon Kratz, '45, and *Lieut. Richard J. Shuck*, '43, on November 13. *Miss Elinor Hunter Kratz*, '40, of New York, served as a bridesmaid for the couple.

Miss Helen Boughton, '37, to *Lieut. James Edward Perry*, of Whittier, Calif., August 21, in California.

Miss Helen Rebecca Garey, '43, to *Dr. Ernest E. Banfield*, of Portland, Oregon, on Saturday, October 30. *Mrs. Philip Sybert (Ellen Shipley)*, '40, served as the matron of honor. The bride is a U.S. cadet-nurse at the Union Memorial Hospital in Baltimore.

Miss Katherine Alice Little, '45, and *Lieut. Marvin F. Evans*, '43. The couple was married in New Haven where they are now living.

Miss Marian Elynor Young, '45, and *Mr. Robert H. Doolan*, of Washington, D. C., on September 22.

Miss Mary Virginia Bowen, '42, and the Reverend *Donald O. Hornung*, of Chestertown, Md., on July 24.

Miss Edith Helen Forney, '35, to *Mr. Walter M. Cameron, Jr.*, of Rising Sun, Md., on September 25.

Miss Carrie Elizabeth Myers, of Spring Grove, Pa., to *Mr. John Franklin Yost*, '43, on Saturday, October 1, in Westminster.

Miss Mary Louise Park, '38, and *Lieut. N. George Crook*, of Fullerton, Calif., at the Lonaconing Methodist Church, on August 7.

Miss Marjorie Haven Rue, '43, and *Mr. Halton Grenville Cropper*, of Wilmington, Del., August 21.

Miss Martha Charlene Wilson, of Baltimore, to *Lieut. Albin P. Davis*, '42.

Miss Mary Ruth Beard, '41, and the Reverend *Edwin G. Reter*, '41, in Baker Chapel, August 14. The ceremony was performed by the Reverend *J. Milton Rodgers*, D.D.

Alumni News (continued)

The Reverend *James A. Richards*, '36, sang during the service. Miss *Mary Kathryn Hudson*, '41, was the maid of honor; Miss *Marjorie Little*, '46, also attended the bride.

Miss *Mary Elizabeth Helm*, '40, and Lieut. Andrew Bell Edwards, USAF, were married on July 16, in El Paso, Texas.

Miss *Catherine Ann Barker*, '40, and Mr. Walter L. Church, Jr., of Cumberland, Md., on August 28. Miss *Veronica Kompanek*, '40, was the maid of honor.

Miss *Ruth Ann Whitmore*, '43, and Corp. Joseph R. Kittner, '45, were married last spring at an almost completely Western Maryland ceremony. Miss *Muriel Harding*, '43, was the bride's only attendant. Sergt. Thomas Terry, '44, served as best man. Edward Mogowski, '44, and Arthur O'Keefer, '44, were ushers. Miss Grace Murray, of the College Faculty, and Mrs. Samuel Galbreath (*Mary Frances Hawkins*, '43), furnished music for the ceremony.

Miss *Muriel Harding*, '43, and Mr. Richard Nicholson, of Brooklyn, N. Y., were married on May 22. Mrs. Kittner served as one of the bride's attendants.

Miss *Elizabeth Neider*, '43, and Mr. Melvin Smith were married in June.

Miss *Lawlene Straughn*, '34, and Mr. Robert W. Pratt, of Pittsburgh, Pa., were married at "Tree Hill", the home of Senator and Mrs. A. Earl Shipley, Westminster, on Saturday afternoon, August 21. The ceremony was performed by the bride's father, Bishop *James H. Straughn*, D.D., '99, assisted by Bishop Edwin Holt Hughes, of Washington, D. C. Mrs. Shipley, the bride's aunt, served as matron of honor. Music was furnished by Professor *Philip S. Royer*, '35, and Mrs. Gerald Brickett (*Miriam Royer*, '27).

The wedding ceremony was planned, and the attractive costumes of the entire wedding party were designed by Mrs. Pratt. Many Western Marylanders were present for the nuptials.

Miss *Carol Louise Stoffregen*, '43, and Lieut. *Frank A. Tarbutton*, '42, on July 17. Miss *Marion Stoffregen*, '47, attended the bride.

Miss *Dolores Virginia Leister*, of Westminster, and Lieut. Joseph J. Kugler, '45, on August 14. Miss *Elizabeth A. Billingslea*, '44, was the maid of honor.

Miss *Mildred Alice Hoke*, '43, and Technical Sergeant Robert Henry Renshaw, 3rd, USA, of Baltimore.

Miss *Jeanne M. Shank*, '41, and Sergt. Charles Kelly. Mrs. Kelly has recently accepted a position as dietitian on College Hill.

Born to--

Martha Harrison Ramsey, '34, and Mr. Curtis Lee Ramsey, a daughter, *Martha Lee*, on Saturday, November 21.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Neil Stahley, of Providence, R. I., a daughter, on November 21. Mrs. Stahley is the former *Margaret Elizabeth Mellor*, '34. Coach Stahley, a former member of the Western Maryland Staff, under Coach Richard Harlow, is now Director of Athletics at Brown University.

Major and Mrs. *Maurice W. Roberts*, '36, a son, *Craig Young*, on September 23. Major Roberts is now stationed at Camp Gordon, Georgia.

Dr. and Mrs. *James P. Earp*, a son, *Edwin Lee*, on October 22. Dr. Earp is Professor of Sociology at the College.

Professor and Mrs. *Philip S. Royer*, '35, a son, *John Wilson*, on October 24. Professor Royer is a member of the faculty of the School of Music.

Rev. and Mrs. *Charles I. Wallace*, '39, a son, on September 28. Mrs. Wallace is the former *Miriam A. Shroyer*, '42, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. *Montgomery J. Shroyer*, formerly a member of the College Faculty.

Capt. and Mrs. *C. Milton Borchers*, '33, a daughter, *Mary Virginia*, on October 8.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. *Charles R. Etzler*, '32, a son, on September 10. Mrs. Etzler is the former *Ann Johnson*, '33. Colonel Etzler, now on duty in the Pacific, together with Mrs. Etzler, was stationed at Schofield Barracks, Hawaii, during the attack on Pearl Harbor.

Sergt. and Mrs. *Henry Himler*, '36, a son, *Henry Hansson*. Sergeant Himler is now stationed at Camp House, Texas. Mrs. Himler was formerly *Edith Hanson*, '37.

Col. and Mrs. *Harold A. Roberts*, a daughter, *Carolyn Jeanne*, on July 3. Mrs. Roberts is the former *Jeanne Stevens*, '29. The family resides in Upper Darby, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. *Charles F. Rader, Jr.*, a daughter. Mrs. Rader is the former *Eleanor Kimmey*, '34.

Mr. and Mrs. *Charles Farrigan*, of Altamont, N. Y., a daughter, on July 19. Mrs. Farrigan is the former *Julia Tryon Shepherd*, '41, daughter of Colonel T. M. Shepherd, formerly Professor of Military Science and Tactics, at the College.

Rev. and Mrs. *Lewis Ransom*, '35, a son, *Lewis Arthur*, in August.

Sara Robinson Sullivan, '32, and Mr. *Clarence J. Sullivan*, a daughter, *Susan Blair*, on July 17.

Mr. and Mrs. *Samuel L. Bare, Jr.*, '31, a daughter, *Susan Piper Bare*, in September. Mrs. Bare is the former *Elizabeth Jane Deffenbaugh*, '26.

Capt. and Mrs. *Frank W. Mather, Jr.*, '40, a son, *Thomas Michael*, in September. Mrs. Mather is the former *Carolyn Rudisill*, '42. Capt. Mather is now stationed at Camp Johnson, Florida.

Major and Mrs. *W. Klee Grumbine*, '37, a daughter, in August. Mrs. Grumbine is the former *Dorothy L. Twigg*, '37. The family now reside at Lubbock, Texas, where the Major is stationed.

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MAY DAY FESTIVITIES

SATURDAY, MAY 6, 1944

Alumni and friends of Western Maryland College are invited to be present at the celebration of May Day which will be prepared by the Women's Student Government, at the College.

Conditions of transportation permitting, the College will again play host to high school seniors, of this area, who are planning to go to college.

brought to College Hill, in July, 300 young men in uniform. Their training was begun without interrupting or seriously disturbing any of our regular summer activities.

In October the college year for 1943-1944 began with 150 more students upon our campus than ever before in its history. In November a Post War Building Program for Western Maryland was announced and on December 2 President Holloway announced the gift of a new chapel and a new infirmary.

This record of past achievements is so fine that we not only like to repeat it but we enjoy boasting about it. We are tempted to brush the dust of activity from our hands and sit back, believing that the old *Alma Mater* is getting along splendidly. We cannot afford this pleasure, however, but must remind ourselves that these crises were met only through the joint action of the alumni and friends of the institution, working together with the Administration and Faculty of the institution.

The present crisis is not yet past—in fact, we must be prepared to face a relapse in the matter of future enrollments. The rumored discontinuance of the ASTP, the continued drain of young men and young women into the armed services and defense industries

makes for a sustained uncertainty in the field of higher education.

It might be justifiably felt that the matter of enrollment is a problem of the administration and more specifically that of the Department of Public Relations. Granted that this is so, such handicaps as additional teaching loads, lack of sufficient transportation, etc., will not make up for the splendid cooperation given us in the past by forwarding the names of all prospective college students to the President's Office.

We, therefore, appeal again to that corporate body of our *Alma Mater*, her alumni and friends, in this matter of prospective students in order that we might continue the splendid record of achievement established here on The Hill.

You will note elsewhere in this issue that our annual May Day Festivities will be held this year on Saturday, May 6. Conditions of transportation permitting, it has been our custom to invite high school seniors who are planning to go to college, together with their parents, to be our guests that day.

May we further suggest that you pass this invitation along to such students of your acquaintance, or better still, join them in a visit to College Hill?

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Western Maryland College Carries On --- 1944

One year ago there appeared in this Bulletin a statement entitled *Western Maryland College Carries On*. At that time we outlined briefly how our *Alma Mater* had met her crises in the past. Now we wish to bring that statement up to date.

Running the gauntlet of repetition we shall review briefly the recent past events. In spite of the uncertainty of the time, the year 1942-1943 was begun with a civilian enrollment only one per cent short of any previous maximum enrollment. The establishment of the Army Specialized Training Program

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Foreword

STUDENTS CHOOSE THEIR COLLEGE largely because of certain vocational interests. Western Maryland College serves well in preparation for many fields of endeavor. The fact that it is a small college makes it possible for the student to receive individual attention to his or her needs.

VOCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES AT WESTERN MARYLAND COLLEGE are available against a rich background of liberal arts study. In this day of sudden changes, a too specialized course of study will often fit a young man or a young woman for an opportunity that no longer exists when the education has been completed. The liberal arts curriculum at Western Maryland helps to prevent such misfits by offering a well rounded course of study. A liberal arts program of study results in a broad education, in addition to some specialized training. As has been frequently pointed out, many of our foremost leaders today were not trained in highly specialized schools, but are the products of liberal arts institutions.

THE CHOICE OF A VOCATION AT WESTERN MARYLAND COLLEGE may be delayed until the latter part of the sophomore year, since these first two years are spent largely in acquiring a more general educational background. This deferred choice offers each student the opportunity to make a more mature decision. Since a very large percentage of high school and college graduates ultimately find a career other than that which they originally chose, this broader training of the liberal arts curriculum provides a better foundation for their final occupation. This change of occupation is not a fault of either level of schooling, but rather the inability to predict the mature talents of each individual and to predetermine the opportunities which will be available at the completion of his or her education.

The College offers a special vocational guidance service, consisting of tests, questionnaires, and personal interviews, to those who desire expert assistance in making a decision regarding the choice of a vocation. The tests measure mental, physical, and emotional aptitudes, vocational interests, personality traits, etc. Staff members of the Department of Psychology administer the service and give help in interpreting the results. This is an optional service offered to the student body. All students are aided in this choice by members of the faculty acting in an advisory capacity.



The Art Department at Western Maryland offers basic training in design, drawing, sketching, crafts, oil painting, and sculpture.

Vocational Opportunities at Western Maryland College

VOCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES AT WESTERN MARYLAND COLLEGE may be met through a wide range of departments, most of which offer a major course of study. It is suggested that the student refer to a current issue of the *Western Maryland College Catalogue* for a description of the basic subjects as well as the major requirements for each department. The student's choice of elective subjects, in addition to a major course of study, makes it possible to build a program that is best fitted to his or her individual needs.

The following list of careers suggests the wide range of opportunities growing out of the curricula offered at Western Maryland:

Art

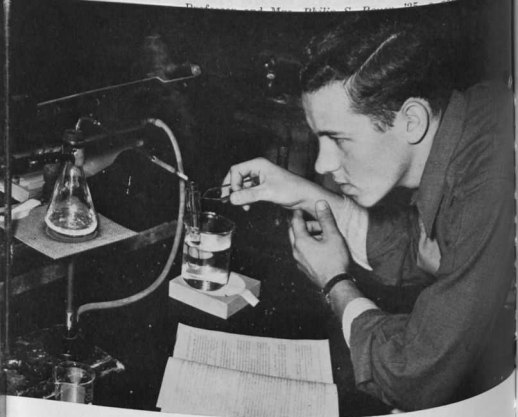
A well rounded course of study centered here leads to the professions of commercial illustrator, advertising artist, and teacher of art. Creative work in this field requires advanced study above the college level.

Beyond the basic and major course requirements, the student should select his program of studies broadly in the fields of science as well as the social studies in order to better interpret and illustrate his environment artistically.

Astronomy

Most of the professional training necessary in this field must be obtained at the graduate level. Western Maryland offers the college training, necessary for such a career, in the fields of Mathematics and Physics as well as the introductory training in Astronomy.

At the college level the student should plan to major and minor in Mathematics and Physics, and obtain some training in Chemistry. Students pursuing this course at Western Maryland have available an observatory containing a five-inch refracting telescope.



Students find that experience in the laboratories of Biology, Chemistry, and Physics at the College helps them to determine their capacities for scientific careers.



Biology

The science of living things offers a wide variety of vocational opportunities to both young men and young women. The professions of bacteriology, conservation of natural resources, dentistry, laboratory and medical technology, medicine, nursing, and pharmacy depend largely upon basic training in this field. See the section of this Looklet devoted to each of these occupations. The field of research leading to employment in government laboratories, industrial firms, public health departments, and colleges and universities requires training above the college level.

A major study in Biology should be accompanied by a number of courses in Chemistry and some basic training in Mathematics and Physics.

Business

In addition to the special courses in Personnel Administration, Business Law, Labor Problems, etc., a liberal arts curriculum makes it possible to include the study of Economics, History, Sociology, Languages, etc. The record of those who have graduated with such a background indicates that greater opportunities are open to them.

An understanding of the fundamental principles of Economics is essential to thorough business preparation. Too often the student neglects this for the more superficial forms of business training. While the latter may be obtained in short, specialized courses, which are often provided by the firm by which one is employed, the former can be obtained only through the type of training offered in college.

Many of the careers in business are opening up today in the technical industries; therefore, the student should include some science among his elective courses.

Chemistry

The present shortages in both the civilian and war needs have made us more conscious of the importance of this field. New and more abundant opportunities are constantly presenting themselves, and it is doubtful if we shall ever be able to meet fully the demand for technically trained workers.

Technical training in Chemistry should be accompanied by a minor course of study in Physics and as much Mathematics as possible. To prepare for the greatest opportunities, however, a course of study in this field should be followed by graduate training.

Dentistry

The equivalent of two years of study at the college level is required by many dental schools. The complete pre-medical course of study, however, results in a much sounder preparation for this profession. Western Maryland provides pre-dental training of either type.

During the present emergency the course of study has been cut to the minimum essential courses in Biology and Chemistry. It is suggested that the student read the requirements for the Pre-Medical course in the *Western Maryland College Catalogue*.

Dietetics

This phase of training in Home Economics provides many of the finest opportunities as well as some of the most lucrative careers now available to young women. Graduates of Western Maryland, who have specialized in this field, may enter immediate professional employment.

In addition to the major courses in Foods, the student receives practical experience at Western Maryland through the courses in Institutional Management and Quantity Cookery. Greater opportunities will result, however, from advanced study in some institution such as a medical school or hospital.

Engineering

Western Maryland offers a course of study in Pre-Engineering so arranged that a student may enter a technical school after one or two years without unnecessary loss of time. However, students find that the completion of the work for a liberal arts degree before entering an engineering school results in a better background. There is a great need in this profession for men who have had training in Economics, History, Literature, and Languages, as well as in the technical courses. There are several

scholarships to a well-known university available to Western Maryland graduates to help meet the need for more broadly trained engineers.

The basic studies of the liberal arts curriculum should be supplemented by major studies in Mathematics and Chemistry or Physics, dependent upon the student's chief interest.

Geology

Most of the professional study necessary in this field must be obtained at the graduate level. Western Maryland offers the college training, necessary for such a career, in the fields of Chemistry and Physics as well as the introductory courses in Geology. Students pursuing this course at Western Maryland have available the JOHN W. LEE MINERAL COLLECTION and the ARTHUR L. BIBBINS COLLECTION OF FOSSILS for use in connection with their study.

At the college level the student should plan to major in Chemistry or Physics, together with some training in Mathematics.

Home Economics

Numerous careers for women, including teaching, nursing, home extension service, commercial demonstration, and foods laboratory research follow preparation in this department of study. See the section on Dietetics.

In addition to the regular courses of study in Foods, Textiles, and Clothing, basic training in Chemistry and Physics is required. At Western Maryland College the student also lives in the Home Management House for a time and may assist in the operation of the Nursery School.

Journalism

Present day publications use the language of all fields of learning; therefore, persons may prepare successfully for a career in this field by majoring in English, with a broad liberal arts background. A number of graduates of Western Maryland College, having chosen this profession, have found their places



Above: The editorial staff of the Gold Bug, campus newspaper, find that the experience received here is invaluable in helping to reach a decision concerning a career in journalism. Below: Students in French converse with Suzanne, who speaks that tongue as fluently as English.



on the staffs of some of the most outstanding publications and press associations in the country.

Specialized training is available in the courses in Writing and Composition. Practical experience is available to the student through the Public Relations Department of the College and through the student publications.

Laboratory Technology

Industrial trends are demanding more laboratory workers who have been trained in the sciences. College graduates who have majored in Biology, Chemistry, or Physics can find immediate employment in this field.

See the sections of this booklet on Biology, Chemistry and Physics for suggested fields of study.

Languages

The College offers training in French, German, Greek, Latin, and Spanish. Those who choose a major study from these fields will find opportunities to teach languages; to read, write, and speak the modern forms in the field of interpretation; and to participate in the reconstruction work abroad following the war.

Courses in Economics, History, and Sociology should be a part of the students' training in this field.

Law

Basic training is offered to prepare the student for admission to the professional schools. Anyone attempting to enter the field of law without completing his college work will find himself seriously handicapped.

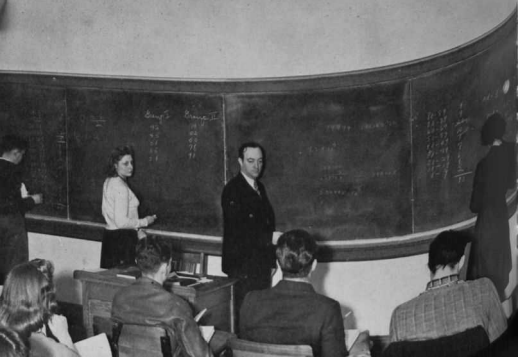
Pre-Law training should include the study of Economics, History, and Sociology and possibly some Science.

Library Science

Graduates who have pursued this course of study may become certified as High School Librarians, or through further



Above: The musical organizations are a regular part of the course of study for those students who major in Music. Below: More students are including Mathematics in their study program as a part of their preparation for scientific or technical work.



preparation, become professional librarians. At Western Maryland, class and laboratory work in this field is carried on in the College Library of more than 40,000 volumes. Practical experience may also be obtained in this training.

Greater opportunities may be secured in this field by also preparing to teach, probably the subjects of English or History.

Mathematics

In addition to the teaching of Mathematics, one may become a statistician in the fields of business, science, or industry. Mathematics, at the college level, is one of the major courses required for graduate study in Physics and Chemistry. Preliminary courses in preparation for entrance into the military schools of the Armed Services of the country are also available.

Medicine

Students find a distinct advantage in following a liberal arts course of study in preparation for entry into medical school. Normally more emphasis is being placed on a broad education in the social sciences and the fine arts, since it has been found that such training adds to the success of the physician in later practice.

At present, however, the college training in this field has been cut to the barest essential studies as approved by the American Medical Association. It is suggested that the student read the requirements listed in the Western Maryland College Catalogue and the catalogue of the medical school of his choice.

Medical Technology

Individuals interested in engaging in this type of laboratory work should pursue a program similar to that of the Pre-Medical course of study. This must be followed by further training in a hospital school or similar institution.

Military Science

The Reserve Officers Training Corps at Western Maryland now provides pre-induction military training for young men.



Training received in the Reserve Officers Corps provides, in normal times, the opportunity to enter the ranks of the Armed Forces as a commissioned officer. Western Maryland College has probably contributed more officers to the U. S. Army than any other institution of its size in the nation.



Completion of the four-year course, offered in normal times, leads to the commission of Second Lieutenant in the Reserve Officers Corps of the United States. At present the course of study is limited to the freshman and sophomore years.

Ministry

Young men preparing themselves in this field find a broad arts and science curriculum an excellent background for entry into a ministerial school. Most theological schools now admit only those students who have attained the college degree.

The course of study selected in this field should be as broad as the basic requirements for graduation will allow. Probably the choice of English or History as a major course supplemented with electives in the sciences will prove the most valuable pre-theological training.

Music

The College offers an extensive program of theoretical music as well as the private study of Organ, Piano, Violin, and Voice in a modern conservatory, excellently equipped. Training in composition and conducting is also available. Those who graduate from a major course of study in this department may be certified to teach Public School Music as well as enter the professional schools with advanced standing.

In addition to the basic and major requirements the student should supplement his study with courses in History and Literature. Voice students should add the study of such languages as French, German, or Spanish to their programs.

Nursing

Young women who are contemplating the choice of nursing as a career must first decide the type of training which they prefer, due to the fact that the present emergency has obscured the training requirements of the profession.

High School graduates may enter an immediate program of nurse training without the benefit of any college study. This program is chiefly designed, however, to meet the present need



An extensive sports program at the College for both men and women provides for nearly 100% student participation as well as opportunities for coaching experience.



and will probably be continued after the war in only a very few medical schools and hospitals. Graduates of such a program will likely find themselves seriously handicapped in the future.

Most institutions offering nurse training following the war will probably require two years of college training for admission to the nursing school. Many offer the degree, Bachelor of Science in Nursing, based on the two years of college work plus the three years of nurse training. This program will probably offer the greatest number of opportunities for nurses.

A number of institutions prefer college graduates as applicants to the nurses' school. This will not likely become the accepted practice, but the graduates of such a program will undoubtedly receive the finest opportunities in the profession.

Pharmacy

Most schools of pharmacy will allow as much as a year of advanced standing to the college graduate. Those interested in this field should pursue a program similar to that of the Pre-Medical course of study.

Physical and Health Education

Persons may prepare directly for the teaching profession as well as the supervision of athletics and recreation in schools, military and summer camps, and on the public playgrounds.

In many public school systems it is required that the athletic coach also teach therefore the student should include education courses in his program of study in this field.

Physics

The rapidly increasing complexity of our industrial system demands many new developments which are supplied from the realm of Physics. The demand for technically trained workers in this field is likely to increase. Graduates of Western Maryland College who have majored in this field of study may enter a wide variety of careers ranging from Civil Service employment as a Junior Physicist to industrial laboratory research. Careers in research, however, make graduate study imperative.

Beyond the basic and major study requirements in this field the student should elect courses in Mathematics and as much Chemistry as possible.

Psychology

Students interested in this field of learning find opportunities in the fields of personnel work, occupational therapy, and mental and aptitude testing.

Beyond the major studies the student should prepare himself in Economics, Physiology, and Sociology.

Social Science

Students majoring in Sociology find an increasingly large number of positions available in both public and private welfare. Post-war rehabilitation will demand a large number of trained workers who can assist in the reconstruction work which will be necessary throughout the world. This, together with the present need for welfare and social case workers, opens a wide field of employment for college graduates.

In addition to the Social Studies the student should include in his program courses in Education, Modern Languages, Psychology, and the Arts.

Teaching

Graduates of Western Maryland College have earned a superior reputation for the effectiveness of their work in the field of Secondary Education. The present emergency has produced so serious a shortage of high school teachers that three or four times the number graduating each year could easily be placed in teaching positions.

Students qualifying for high school teaching major and minor in the two subjects that they are preparing to teach. Their programs are planned by the education faculty to meet the requirements for certification in Maryland and in the localities in which the graduates expect to teach.

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Be With Us On College Hill For Commencement



MESSAGE FROM "T. K."

Dear Western Marylanders:

I have just been reading letters from Alumni in the Armed Services. Scarcely a one fails to refer to happy days spent on College Hill and to end with a message for someone there. I quote from a letter from Italy:

"I was making a nightly trip around the front lines and, believe it or not, I ran into another Western Marylander—Lewis, class of '42. It did not take us long to get acquainted and recall friends around Westminster that we both knew."

Signed: Dennis Yingling, '35.

Since Captain Yingling, and many others like him, cannot get here for our 1944 Commencement and Class Reunions, I suggest that YOU come—proxies for them, as well as for your own pleasure.

The tabulation of those in the Armed Services is likely incomplete. Help us to bring it up-to-date. Bring with you an Alumnus "in the Service" if you can. Let's make this 1944 Alumni Day so full of joy that the news of it will spread wherever Western Marylanders may gather.

Cordially,

T. K. Harrison,
Executive Secretary.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Alumni Association will be held in McDaniel "Y" Room, Saturday, May 27, 1944, at four o'clock.

LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Fellow Alumni:

One of the loveliest times of the year to visit College Hill is in the spring. Commencement again affords this opportunity, and I earnestly hope that many of you will avail yourselves of it; to see this hill of beauty and to strengthen those college ties that "can ne'er be broken."

By making the necessary reservations, you can be assured of a pleasant week-end that, I trust, will be of mutual benefit. Your Alma Mater will welcome your interest in returning to re-live college days; you, in turn, will revive pleasant memories and enjoy the associations of the present and the past.

Those who are in the service of their country will be glad to know that the concentrated program, planned for Commencement, will carry on the ideals which they cherish. To them the Alumni Association sends greetings, and to them our thoughts go in fellowship and good wishes.

The commencement activities are elsewhere described in this Bulletin and your participation in these will make a happy occasion for all.

Cordially yours,

Dorothy McDaniel Herr,
President, WMC Alumni Association.

W. M. C. ALUMNI SONG

Tune: Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms

Like the song of the Ocean when chanting alone
To the Mariner sailing the Sea,

Like the redolent fragrance where roses are blown,
Live the memories hallowed in thee,—

Alma Mater, thy light and thy fellowship cheers,
As the glory of dawn in the dell,

All the days that go gleamingly down through the years
To the time of our final farewell.

Where our caravels sail, we shall share evermore,
With the strength of thy spirit, the joy

That has left not a dream-shadow sorrow of yore,
And declare that no power can destroy

All the fervor and faith of the days that are gone,
Give the Fates their disfavor or fame,

For as fresh as the glittering dew of the dawn
Shall our friendship be ever the same.

Ira D. Scott, '06.

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Alumni News

"News is news until you have read it here."

Captain Joseph O'Leair Gave His Life For His Men

Awarded D. S. C. Posthumously

"Exposing himself to intense close-range machine gun fire, Captain O'Leair crawled up the treacherous bluff four times, but was repeatedly driven back before he could reach the ledge.

"Although wounded by the fragments of a hand grenade, he insisted on continuing his dangerous rescuing mission. As he was scaling the cliff the fourth time and was within fifteen feet of the ledge, he was struck by a burst of fire from one of the enemy machine guns which covered the cave and its approaches and died shortly after.

By the fire directed at Captain O'Leair, the rescuing party fixed the position of the enemy's guns and inspired by his bold persistent effort, outwitted the Japanese and later evacuated the beleaguered patrol."

'The Winnahs'

Miss Mayfield Walker, '20 and Mrs. Russell W. Sapp (Louise Owens, '23) tied for first prize in the contest to identify the Red Cross Workers, Circa 1920, published in the Bulletin last May. We blush at this late announcement of the winners but will offer no excuse in print. Top score was forty-eight identified correctly from the fifty-eight shown in the picture. "Runners-up" were: Mrs. Charles A. Bromwell (Louise Linthicum, '24), Mrs. George W. Muller (C. Louise Tipton, '18), Mrs. Vaughn Butler (Madge Wimbrow, '20), and Miss Roberta D. Carnes, '20; all of whom identified twenty-five of the group.

Killed In Action In China

Major Hendrickson Receives Purple Heart Posthumously

Major Milton Humphreys Hendrickson, '38, USAAF, son of Prof. and Mrs. Hendrickson, lost his life at Kuikiang, China, on January 10. Major Hendrickson received the degree of Master of Arts at Western Maryland in 1939. He entered the Army Air Corps and received his wings in August, 1942. His advancement was rapid; he received the rank of Major in March, 1943, before he was 25 years of age.

The Major is survived by his wife, Elise Hoke Hendrickson, and their two children, Meredith Elise and Milton Humphreys, II. They are living in New Windsor, Md.

Missing In Action

Lieut. Marion E. Gore, '44, USAAF, was listed as missing in action following a bombing mission over Germany on December 20. He has been overseas since last November.

Assigned To Headquarters

Capt. George Bare, '37, is now on duty at the Supreme Headquarters, Allied Expeditionary Forces, in England. His wife, the former Jean Harlow, '37, and son, George, Jr., are living in Westminster.

Brigadier General Percy L. Sadler, former ROTC Commandant at the College, has been named Deputy Commander of the United States Middle East Command, under Brig. Gen. Benjamin Giles.

He Who Sits And Waits--In A Cold Sweat

Sgt. C. William Anthony, '41, Writes Home About It

(The following account was published in the Baltimore Evening Sun, March 28.)

"You seemed to enjoy the first summary, so—here's another.

My logger and I are sitting rather tensely in the hut—waiting—with our ears full of that constant staccato roar of crackling static. Suddenly a faint call comes in:

'Hello. . . , hello. . . , calling. Are you receiving me? Over.'

I almost knock my chair over as I make a lunge for the set and the mike. The call was uneven and hurried; I can sense he is in trouble, but I must try to make my answer as calm and clear as possible. I must always exude a confidence I very seldom feel!

We answer him and when he comes back on, I fiddle quickly (but nervously) with the machine as I try to get a bearing on him. Transmissions are quite brief and I have to work fast and still be able to know exactly what he has said. His voice comes in faintly through the rush of static:

'Coming in on one engine.'

I ask him for certain vital data, and then set about the business of bringing him home safely in the least possible time. With one eye I keep a close count of the minutes as they tick off; the other eye makes a constant minute check of various dials, buttons and wheels: we have begun to 'sweat it out' now.

He is a little nervous; he calls in too frequently to check up on his position, but he is coming along fine. He asks for the 'Blood Wagon' to be ready on the field; I assure him that everything will be waiting in readiness for him.

Now he is coming closer—we reduce him and keep an even closer check on him; we can't afford to have him pass over base. Then, suddenly, as we are counting the minutes:

'Hello. . . , hello. . . , calling. I can see the field. Thank you, listening, out.'

There is relief in his voice, but we experience a big lift, too. Now we can spot him with the the glasses, and we see one prop motionless and silent as his ship circles around base. For perhaps ten more minutes he hovers over base, a little hesitant to come in. But just then he blasts out over the air:

'Can't keep her up any longer. I'm coming in!'

We dash out to watch him—our whole attention focused on that queer speck that is so rapidly materializing out of the blue haze. The ship drops down swiftly, its one motor roaring steadily over the air:

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Commencement Schedule

With Suggestions for Alumni

FRIDAY, MAY 26

- *6:30 P. M. Dormitory room assignments
McDaniel Lounge
- 8:00 P. M. "The Old Maid" Alumni Hall
The College Players
- 9:45 P. M. McDaniel Lounge open to Alumni

SATURDAY, MAY 27

- 9:00 A. M. Alumni Registration McDaniel Lounge

The golf course, tennis courts, and other recreation facilities will be open to Alumni and friends on Saturday.

- 2:00 P. M. Reception Robinson Garden
- 4:00 P. M. Annual Alumni Association Meeting
"Y" Room, McDaniel Hall
- *6:30 P. M. Alumni Reunion Dinner Dining Hall
- 8:30 P. M. "Sing and Swing" McDaniel Lounge



Remember how you looked?



Will you join us?

SUNDAY, MAY 28

- 10:00 A. M. Baccalaureate Service Alumni Hall
President Fred G. Holloway, speaker.
- 2:00 P. M. 74th Annual Commencement Alumni Hall
President Earl Moreland, speaker.
Randolph-Macon College

College ties can ne'er be broken
Formed at W.M.C.
Far surpassing wealth unspoken,
Ever may they be.

*LIMITED DORMITORY ACCOMMODATIONS ARE AVAILABLE FOR THOSE WHO WISH THEM. RESERVATIONS FOR THESE AND THE DINNER, ON SATURDAY, MUST BE MADE WITH COL. HARRISON BY MAY 24TH. The fact that we wish to provide for our students as well as our alumni and friends, that weekend, and the problem of food rationing makes it extremely important that we know in advance the number that we must provide for. Men will be accommodated in Albert Norman Ward Hall; the women will be housed in Blanche Ward Hall.

CHARGES for week-end guests, per person:	
Room, 1 night only	\$1.00
Room, 2 nights	\$1.50
Breakfast40
Lunch50
Dinner (Sunday)	\$1.00

To obtain meals on the campus reservations must be made as indicated above. Except for the Alumni Dinner, on Saturday, meals will be available only for those who are staying in the dormitories.

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ly. He comes in fast, but the heavy ship settles down beautifully, and he is running swiftly but smoothly along the runway.

One more outburst over the air: 'O-o-oh- I made it!' A joyous sense of relief!

Now white spurts of smoke puff up from the wheels as he brakes down the ship. It slackens perceptibly, slows down... stops. We turn back into the hut. It's all finished. We have successfully 'sweated another one out.'

Recent Promotions Among Our Alumni In Service

From Major to Lieutenant Colonel:

William Christopher Rein, '31, Infantry. Mrs. Rein is the former Margaret Isabel Douglas, '31.

From Captain to Major:

John H. McNally, '34. The Major left his position of Director of Athletics and Head Coach at the Johns Hopkins University to enter national service in 1942.

Hugh Barnett Spier, '22. Major Spier is on leave of absence from the College faculty and is now stationed in England.

Charles W. Havens, '30. Major Havens is serving with the Army Air Force in England; his family has remained in Westminster.

William W. Bratton, '36, has been stationed in England for more than a year.

W. Klee Grumbine, '37, stationed at Lubbock Field Texas.

Joshua H. Cockey, '36.

James D. Cattington, '40.

From Lieutenant to Captain:

Philip H. Adams, '42.

Guy G. Griffin, '36.

Albert I. Dunstan, '37.

Donald H. Humphries, '40.

Frank W. Mather, Jr., '40.

Dennis Brown, '35.

Wesley J. Simmons, Jr., '38.

Page Nelson Musselman, '38.

From Second Lt. to First Lt.:

Margaret A. Yocum, '34, Army Nurse Corps.

L. Kennard Rhodes, Jr., '34.

Robert S. Tyson, Jr., '35.

Commissioned Second Lt.:

Francis E. Belt, '42. Upon graduation from Navigator's School.

Francis J. Blair, '43. Upon graduation from Tank Destroyer Officer Candidate School, Camp Hood, Texas.

Albert W. Lutkauskas, '38, entered Armed Service in July, 1942.

Henry B. J. Gusgesky, '43, upon graduation from the Generals' Officer Candidate School, at Fort Washington, Md.

Quentin L. Earhart, '40, upon graduation from the Army Air Force Technical Training Command Weather School, at Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Briefs

EDITOR: Miss Bettie S. Brittingham, '30, is Editor of *The Methodist Woman*, a New York publication.

A NEW SON AND A PROMOTION: (From a letter to the Bulletin) "Dear Western Marylanders: I have neglected writing the Alumni News long enough. (More Alumni should realize this sooner.—Ed.) My Husband received his Captaincy last September while serving with the U. S. Armed Forces in India. . . . Walter Allan Sadowski. . . was a year old December 6th and he hasn't yet seen his Daddy." (Signed) *Eloise Noek Sadowski, '37*
(Mrs. Frank Sadowski, '38)

AWARDED SILVER WINGS: Lieut. Addison J. Beane, '42, and Lieut. Charles W. Baker, '42, recently completed their pilot's training.

FROM SEMINARY TO CHAPLAINCY: Donzel C. Wildey, '42, graduating from the Westminster Theological Seminary on May 15, will enter the ranks of the U. S. Navy as a Chaplain.

PHYSICIAN CALLED TO SERVICE: Dr. C. Levine Billingslea, '13, has suspended his practice in Carroll County for the duration following his call to national service.

WINGS AND BOOTS: Lieut. James M. Townshend, '42, and Pvt. George W. Pivavis, '45, both recently completed their fifth and qualifying jumps as Paratroopers.

NEWSPAPERWOMAN: Miss Veronica Kompanck, '40, is now a member of the staff of the state office of The Associated Press, located in Baltimore.

FASHION ADVISOR: Miss Nancy Lee Shipley, '46, was a member of the College Board, O'Neill's Store, Baltimore, last summer.

G. I. DOCTORS: Dr. Everett Jones, '38, of the staff of the Maryland General Hospital, Baltimore joined the Medical Corps of the Army recently.

Frank Mollman Shipley, '40, and Frank Mason Sones, Jr., '40, received the Degree, Doctor of Medicine, at the University of Maryland School of Medicine, having completed their work last December under the accelerated program.

ELECTED PRESIDENT: Mrs. Homer L. Twigg (*Henrietta Roop*, '13) was elected President of First or Northern District of the Maryland Federation of Women's Clubs.

FORMER WMC ATHLETE AND COACH NOW NAVAL OFFICER: Lieut. Lylal Clark, '29, USNR, is now serving as athletic officer at the Lakehurst Naval Air Station, N. J. An outstanding player in football, baseball, and basketball, Lieutenant Clark returned later as line coach under Dick Harlow. He rejoined Harlow at Harvard in 1938 and served in the capacity of line coach there until he entered national service in February.

CONVALESCING: Mr. Arthur Smith, '92, has resigned the position of Principal of Central High School, Lonaconing, Md., due to a critically severe illness. His improved con-

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dition has been reported. Miss *Daisy Cline*, '07, is serving as acting principal.

F. B. I. BOSS SHIFTED: Mr. *Hugh K. Johnson*, '28, has been named head of the Federal Bureau of Investigation in Milwaukee. The Johnsons have a son, *Hugh, Jr.*, who is 22 months old. The father is a graduate of the Harvard Law School.

RECREATIONAL WORKER: Mrs. *Andrew B. Edwards*, (*Bette Helm*, '40) is recreational coordinator of the Eastern Suburban Area of Montgomery County.

CASE OF THE VANISHING LAWYERS: Mr. *Prentiss W. Evans*, '32, was the last resident lawyer of Crisfield, Md., until he was inducted into the Army last February. He was State's Attorney of Somerset County. Mr. *Harry C. Dashiell*, '06, and Mr. *George H. Myers*, '01, of Princess Anne, Md. have agreed to take over his law office during his absence.

According to the *Baltimore Evening Sun*: "When *Kirk Maddrix*, former State's Attorney left Crisfield for Washington, following his defeat at the polls by Mr. *Evans*, the latter was the only attorney left in the southern part of Somerset County. Other lawyers of the area either had died or retired."

PURPLE HEART AWARD: Lieut. *Noel H. Flater*, '37, sustained wounds in the arm and back while serving with the Infantry in Italy. Mrs. *Flater* and their two-months' old daughter live in Pikesville, Md.

NORTH AFRICAN FOOTBALL STAR: *Fern Hitchcock, Jr.*, '45, starred as halfback with the Navy All-Stars versus the Army All-Stars in a feature game in Oran on New Year's Day. The Navy explained their loss due to the lack of WAVES while the Army had a WAC cheer leader.

SURGICAL TECHNICIAN: Pvt. *John P. Barthel*, '45, attached to the University of Maryland Medical Unit in Australia is being trained as a surgical technician.

AWARDED FELLOWSHIP: Miss *Doris Davenport*, '43, was awarded the Fellowship in Public Health Education, at the University of Michigan, beginning in October.

RESEARCH WORKER: *E. Allison Ford*, '39, a graduate of the Johns Hopkins School of Engineering, is now associated with the National Defense Research Committee, at the University of Illinois, in Urbana, Ill.

A "DAY OFF" IN SYDNEY: Among those who visited the American Red Cross Service Center there recently were: Capt. *James L. Shreeve*, '40, and Sergt. *William F. Thomas*, '39. According to newspaper accounts, servicemen from the U.S.A., in Australia, prefer Sydney, when on leave, as the city most like those in America.

AIRPORT OFFICER: Miss *Lucie Leigh Barnes*, '42, following her graduation from the American Airlines School, in New York, has taken up her position at the Washington Airport. Further interest in her new profession is maintained "ceiling high" due to the fact that Capt. *Jack O'Donnell* named his Martin B-26 bomber, the "Lucie Leigh". A recent report told of four Zeros shot down in

a single combat, and of a safe return to port following a trip around the Owen Stanley Mountains.

(Since the above was written Miss *Barnes* has entered the field of public relations and is now employed by the Horn-Shafer Company, Baltimore.—Ed.)

MASTER OF EDUCATION: *Paul D. Cooper*, '39, received the degree of Master of Education from the University of Maryland recently.

SERVICE STARS FOR TEACHERS: A service flag, honoring 200 teachers from the Maryland and Baltimore Schools was dedicated last September. Among those teachers so honored were: *Wilmer V. Bell*, '30, *Alfred Goldberg*, '38, *Clarence Kooch*, '32, and *Aaron Schaeffer*, '39.

AVIATION CADET: *William E. Myers*, '43, has entered the Army Air Force Technical School, at Yale University.

CHAPLAIN: Rev. *Lamar Cooper*, '38, former pastor of the First Methodist Church of Temple, Texas, has recently joined the ranks of the U. S. Army.

THIRTY-SIX FRESHMEN, from a class of 140, have relatives who claim Western Maryland as their Alma Mater. According to the Registrars, Miss *Martha Manahan*, '23, and Miss *Cora Virginia Perry*, '36, twelve have brothers who attended the institution and twelve others have sisters who preceded them on College Hill.

INDUSTRIAL NURSE: Miss *Idona E. Mehring*, '24, a graduate of the University of Maryland, School of Nursing, is now engaged at the Western Electric Company, Baltimore.

HONOR MAN: *Charles McKay Sawyer*, '46, graduated with honor recently, from the Hospital Corps School, at the U.S. Naval Hospital, at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station.

NAVAL DENTIST: Lieut. *Richard S. Mehring*, '40, (jg), a graduate of the University of Maryland, Dental School, is now stationed at the Dental Dispensary, at Parris Island, S. C.

PRINCETON, N. J., PASTOR: Rev. and Mrs. *Andrew Graham*, '43, have recently moved to Princeton, where Mr. *Graham* has accepted the pastorate of the Presbyterian Church.

ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN: Miss *Mary W. Oliver*, '40, has accepted this post in the library of the New Jersey College for Women, at New Brunswick, N. J.

DEAN OF MARYLAND SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS: Mr. *Franklin E. Rathbun*, '05, Superintendent of Schools, in Garrett County, Maryland, has completed thirty-one years of service in this capacity. His tenure of office being the longest, affords him the distinction of Dean among the Superintendents of the Maryland schools.

MASTER OF ARTS: The degree was conferred upon Miss *Ann Wilson*, '23, by the Pennsylvania State College, recently.

RED CROSS WORKER: Mr. *Welch H. Boyer*, '35, is now serving as Red Cross Field Supervisor in Italy.

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Deceased

JOSEPH WILLIAM KIRK, D.D., '83, on December 13. Dr. Kirk was the senior member of the Board of Trustees of the College, beginning his membership in 1900. He was eighty-two years old at his death.

Dr. Kirk was ordained minister in 1886, a member of the Maryland Annual Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church. He served various charges throughout the state until his retirement in 1932.

GERTRUDE BRATT KIRK, '82, on April 6, at the age of eighty-one. The wife of Dr. J. W. Kirk, she survived her husband by less than four months.

MILTON A. ZOLICKOFFER on January 6, at the age of eighty-five years. Mr. Zolickoffer had served as a member of the Board of Trustees since 1901.

A lifetime resident of Uniontown, Maryland, he was active in the community and in the work of the Methodist Church there. He was treasurer of the Carroll County Savings Bank of Uniontown.

ADA SMITH MCDANIEL, '84, wife of the late William Roberts McDaniel, '80, on Monday, January 10. She was the daughter of John Smith, of Wakefield, one of the founders of Western Maryland College.

EDNA SHEPPARD ADKINS, wife of Mr. Frederick P. Adkins, former member of the Board of Trustees, died on March 10.

Her brother-in-law, Mr. Harry C. Adkins, is at present a member of the Board; her daughter, Miss Bertha S. Adkins, formerly served as Dean of Women at the College. A sister-in-law, Miss *Wilsie Ann Adkins*, '09, is a member of the staff at the present time, and a niece, Miss Henrietta Jones, is a member of the sophomore class.

SALLIE EWELL SHERIDAN, '04, on June 22 of last year.

MRS. EDWARD BAUERNSCHMIDT (*Eleanor Louise Mooyer*, '09) on November 29, at her home in Baltimore.

NOAH MYERS BAUGHER at his home in Waynesboro, Pennsylvania, on January 6; aged forty-one years.

Mr. Baugher was principal of the Waynesboro Junior High School. He obtained the degree of Master of Arts at the College in 1941.

DANIEL A. DEFANDORF, husband of *Anna Elizabeth Lewis Defandorf*, '19, on May 1. The Defandorfs had been living near Alexandria, Va.

JOHN E. PHIPPS, '99, on February 26, at the age of 65 years. He died suddenly while on a business trip to Philadelphia. He was a partner in the Arjon Hosiery Company, New York City.

Mr. Phipps is survived by his wife and a son who is serving in the Naval Reserves.

Engaged

Miss Margaret M. Fertig, of Edgewood, Maryland, and Mr. Albert N. Barringer, '46. Mr. Barringer is pastor of the Edgewater Methodist Church.

Miss Frances V. Wahman, '46, and Private Alger Zapf, Jr., of Royal Oak, Michigan.

Miss Mary Josephine Davis, '44, and Petty Officer Harry P. Cochran, U.S.N., of Germantown, Pa.

Miss Irene Benjamin, of Baltimore, Maryland, and Mr. *Alfred Jerome Diener*, '42.

Miss Mary Jane Darnell, of Marietta, Georgia, and Lieutenant Harrison M. Langrall, '45. The wedding is scheduled to take place in May.

Miss Jean Claire Shenton, '46, and Mr. Clifford H. Campen, of Towson, Maryland.

Miss *Evelyn May Bowen*, '41, and Midshipman Earl R. Paul, U.S.N.R., of Baltimore.

Miss *Mary Ellen Creager*, '40, and Lieutenant W. William Hohnk, of Saginaw, Michigan.

Miss *Catherine Sandes Hall*, '36, and Mr. James A. Rae, U.S.N.R., of Barre, Vermont.

Miss *Alice Lenore Vollmer*, '41, and Captain *William Francis Applegarth*, '41.

Miss Vera Gertrude Spicer, '45, and Private *William Samuel Albert Harris*, '43.

Wed

Miss Edith Helena Bell and Lieutenant Sigurd Lars Jensen, Jr., '44, U.S.A.A.F., at the Air Base Chapel Davis-Monthan Field, Tucson, Arizona, on January 20.

Miss *Violet Virginia Younger*, '41, and Mr. Samuel Cook Jr., U.S.N., of Leaksville, North Carolina, on January 5. The bride was attended by Miss *Elinor M. Culligan*, '41. Mrs. Cook is teaching at the Greenbelt High School.

Miss *Ellen Jane Hancock*, '38, and Lieutenant Newton Farmer Walker, U.S.N.R., on February 20, in Brookline, Massachusetts. The couple is now living in Washington D. C.

Miss *Rebecca Ruth Dashiell*, '42, to Lieutenant Emmett Hearn, of Baltimore, on December 3. Mrs. Hearn is a dietitian at Vassar College.

Miss *Laura Margaret Packwood*, '40, and Lieutenant Douglas Emory Wilson, C.W.S., U.S.A., of Washington, D. C., on March 19. Lieutenant Wilson is stationed at Edgewood Arsenal, Maryland.

Miss *Hannah Gibbons McKee*, '43, and Mr. *Henry Milton Crosswhite*, '40, on January 3. Both Mr. and Mrs. Crosswhite are doing graduate work at the Johns Hopkins University.

Miss *Elizabeth Wolford*, '36, was married in Baker

Alumni News --- continued

Chapel last fall. Mrs. *L. Elizabeth Byrd Onley*, '36, served as the Matron of Honor.

Miss *Sara Ellen Bradley* to Sergeant *Paul R. Collins*, of Concord, Delaware, on January 1.

Miss *Doris H. Fowble*, '34, and Mr. *Kenneth A. Alling*, of Wyoming, Pennsylvania, were married in Baker Chapel, on December 24, by President *Fred G. Holloway*, '18. Both bride and groom teach in the Carroll County schools. The couple now resides in Westminster.

Miss *Frances Ogden*, '43, and Lieutenant *Robert J. Moore*, '43, were married in Baltimore, on January 7. The brother-in-law of the groom, Professor *Milson C. Raver*, served as Best Man.

Miss *Mary Alice Sinnott*, of Westminster, and Mr. *Michael A. McCaffrey*, '35, were married in Westminster, last August.

Miss *Leah Isabelle Zimmermann*, '41, and Mr. *Thomas Ward Martin*, of Brandywine, Maryland, last June. Mrs. Martin is teaching at the Gwynn Park High School, Prince George County, Maryland.

Miss *Maria Lee Smith*, of Frederick, Maryland, and Lieutenant *Robert Bratton Gelder*, '43, on March 4, in Baltimore.

Miss *Margaret Blair Miles*, '38, and Lieutenant *James Bryan McMillan*, U.S.N.R., of Washington, on February 27. The couple is now living in Washington where Lieutenant McMillan is stationed.

Miss *Mathilda Louise Grow*, '43, and Lieutenant *Franklin Day Talcott*, of Baltimore, in Bartow, Florida, February 3. They are now living at Bartow; the groom is a pilot at the Army Air Field there.

Miss *Dolores Street*, of Westminster, and Mr. *J. Stoner Geiman, Jr.*, '40, were married in Baltimore, last August.

Miss *Margaret Eleanor Wheeler*, '40, to Mr. *Harry Stalcup* on February 19 at Indian Head, Maryland.

Miss *Jane Miles*, '45, and Lieutenant *John Morgan Robinson*, '43, were married on January 8. Lieutenant and Mrs. *William C. Robinson*, '41, (*Eleanor Jane Fraley*, '42), attended the bride and groom. Privates *Joseph Workman*, '43, and *Clarence MacWilliams*, '43, served as ushers.

Miss *Clara Margaret Sterner*, '43, and Mr. *William D. Freyman* were married in Westminster, last January.

Miss *Eleanor Louise Myerly*, '42, and Mr. *Wilson R. Riffe*, of Taneytown, Maryland, on November 25. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. *James A. Richards*, '36.

Miss *Ruth Charlotte Billingslea*, '42, and Mr. *R. Norman Weller*, of Sykesville, Maryland. The wedding took place in Baker Chapel on April 15. Miss *Hazel Beard*, '41, furnished music for the occasion. Miss *Elizabeth Billingslea*, '44, and Miss *Elizabeth Magin*, '42, accompanied the bride to the altar. Captain *Herman Insell*, of the military staff at the College was one of the ushers.

Miss *Marie Juenemann*, of Elmhurst, Long Island, and Dr. *Harry G. Watson*, '89, on January 15, in New York City.

Miss *Dorothy-Mae Taylor*, '45, to Mr. *George Frederick Stephens*, '45, U.S.A.A.F., on December 4, in Baltimore.

Miss *Jean E. Kaestner*, '44, and Mr. *John Carville Fowler, Jr.*, of Baltimore, on March 26.

Miss *Elizabeth Ellwein*, '42, and Captain *Harry Baker*, '42, at Venice, Florida, on December 8. Captain Baker is a technical instructor at the air base in Venice, and the couple is now residing there.

Miss *Ethel May Hale*, '42, and Lieutenant *Theodore J. Talbert*, U.S.M.C.R., of Hampstead, Maryland, were married on January 12.

Miss *Emily Adelaide Murry* and Capt. *Edgar Robert Brooks*, '36, were married in Baltimore in February.

Miss *Dorothy Rebecca Brown*, '40, and Mr. *John Lonnie Womble, Jr.*, of Moncure, N. C., on April 24 in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. The couple will live in Washington, D. C.

Born To---

Captain and Mrs. *Duncan Cameron Murchison*, '32, a son, *Duncan Cameron, Jr.*, on December 8. The father is now stationed at Fort McClellan, Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. *Paul Ebaugh*, a son, *Carl Eugene*, on October 14. Mrs. Ebaugh is the former *Thelma Long*, '36.

Major and Mrs. *William Frank Malone*, '38, a daughter, *Margaret Ann*, on January 16; weight, six pounds; brown hair; blue eyes.

Mr. and Mrs. *H. Kirk Fallin*, '38, a daughter, *Patricia Maureen*, on September 12. The mother is the former *Henrietta Wolfe*, '38. Patricia has a brother, *H. Kirk, Jr.*, who is now three years old.

Mrs. *Alice Schneider Larson*, '38, has a son, *Jay Roy*, who was born on December 30. The father, Lieutenant *Cecil B. Larson*, U.S.A.A.F., is now stationed in Australia.

Major and Mrs. *Paul B. Schweiker*, '35, a daughter, *Janet Aller* on March 4, in Waco, Texas. Mrs. Schweiker is the former *Lydia Fogle*, '35.

To Mrs. *Milton H. Hendrickson*, wife of the late Major *Hendrickson*, '38, a son *Milton Humphrey, II*, on March 17.

Mr. and Mrs. *Geo rge T. Pratt*, a daughter, *Mary Lynn*, on March 8. The mother is the former *Violet Gibson*, '40. They are now living in Madison, Wisconsin.

Mrs. *Mary Clemson Cross*, '39, and Mr. *John Emory Cross*, of Baltimore, a daughter, *Mary Laveille Holliday Cross*, on February 23.

Mr. and Mrs. *Charles B. Cramer, III*, (*Mary Boyer*, '36) have announced the birth of *Charles Benjamin Cramer, IV*, on April 14.

Lieut. and Mrs. *William G. Vincent*, '42, a daughter, on April 7, born in Battle Creek, Mich.

Rev. and Mrs. *Howard K. Link*, '40, a daughter, *Kathie May*, on May 6. Mrs. Link is the former *Yvonne Earl*, '43.

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A Few Of Our Alumnae

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WESTMINSTER, MD., JULY-AUG., 1944

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COMMENCEMENT

The 1944 Commencement is past history. It has been a long time since we have had a more beautiful Commencement Day. Those who love "the Hill", but failed to get back for May 26-28, missed a rare treat. The wonderful Spring had freshened flower and tree and lawn—they literally shone—late enough for tulips to still be lovely—peonies prime and two great beds of petunias. Add to these the first roses and late-early blooming shrubbery, dot the walks and lawns with the flower of youth—our grads of today and yesteryear and you have a picture lacking only the presence of our boys who are in the service to be the envy of all time. The shortened commencement gave little time to go places and do things, but Alumni Hall was filled for the plays on Friday and both the Baccalaureate and Commencement exercises on Sunday.

The Garden Party on Saturday was full of color and cordiality and the Alumni Dinner at 6:30 was a joyous occasion.

Class yealls were dug out of the cobwebs and seemed to lack nothing of their former zip. A Golden Anniversary is only 50 years in making—but the roll call went back 54 then 55—then 57—50 and then to 60 years—each responded to in person. Not stopping then, letters were there from two members of the class of 1873—seventy-one years ago—God bless them.

In the melee, fifty-eight brand new graduates, with their quorandom classmates, were added to our roll—and so, our membership grows.

1924 CLASS REUNION

No class at any time, can claim more pleasure per square minute than this class seemed to have on June 27th. They gathered early—lunched at Mother Himler's, en masse. Sounded like a carnival—"Twas worth holding the phone to hear them. They had lots of fun and I only wish more classes would show as much spirit. More than three tables at the banquet. Their next reunion will be their Silver Anniversary. If you missed this one, get ready for that one.

PERSONALS

Lt. (j.g.) Joshua D. Ensor, U. S. N. R., '43, presented Distinguished Flying Cross "for meritorious achievement in operational flight in the Southwest Pacific against imminent enemy opposition."

Major George S. Bare, '37, presented Infantry Combat Medal for meritorious services in the African Campaign and later the Army Secret Service Citation for outstanding work and ability in the landing of the Presidential party during the Cairo Conference.

WATER DEPARTMENT MANAGER

Wade Hampton Insley, Jr., '28, has been appointed Office Manager for the Salisbury, (Md.), Water Department. He was Salisbury City Treasurer.

Karl H. Wareheim, '28, and his wife celebrated their silver wedding anniversary on June 2nd. Their daughter, Winifred Mae, graduated from WMC in 1943.

Elinor Hunter Kratz, '40, has been appointed Director of Religious Education for Westminster Presbyterian Church, Elinor, where is this church?

Phi Beta Kappa membership has been conferred on Henry Milton Crosswhite, '40, by the Johns Hopkins Chapter.

Marguerite I. Kuhns, '40, has accepted a position with the American Air Lines in Washington, D. C.

Seminary degrees to Alumni:

Don Griffin, '42, STB.

George Murphy, '42, STB.

Edwin G. Reter, '41, STB.

Raymond J. Purnell, '42, STB.

Herbert L. Weaver, '42, STB.

Donzel C. Wildey, '42, STB.

Lester K. Welch, '43, STM.

Lester E. Werner, '33, STM.

After 50 years, one might pardon a less enthusiastic reaction to College environs. Not so, L. Atwood Bennett, '94, who came back for his Golden Anniversary. He, and his classmate, Judge Henry Forsythe, spent the afternoon having a splendid time together. Bennett took in the whole show, from Friday afternoon to Sunday Commencement. We hope he has pleasant memories of this short stay at his Alma Mater. He was the speaker at the Alumni Banquet.

Among those returning was Major (now Lt. Col.) A. Norman Ward, Jr., '35, and his good wife. He made a fine challenge to the graduating class. Thanks, Norman.

Not since 1892 has Horace G. Cowan, '85, seen College Hill, but he is reveling in our latest catalog and book of views. He entered in 1880 when Old Main was the one and only building. Well, Berkeley, California, how does it look to you now?

Nick Campofreda, '38, out of the Army and in the "Grunt and Growl"

game, is becoming quite popular with the Baltimore wrestling crowd. Keep up the good work, Nick.

"Prexy" got quite a boost at the Northeastern Jurisdictional Conference, held in Ocean City, N. J., early in June. Bishop! We like him better where he is.

Remember Charlie Nusbaum, '29? He is radio operator at WHP, Harrisburg, Pa.

Glad to see our list of Nurses growing. Our Honor Roll has a number of them. You count them.

Caleb O'Connor, '98, and his "O'Connor Institute" are making a real mark—"Talking and Thinking on Your Feet".

Philip Myers, '16, was just elected President of the Towson (Md.) Rotary Club.

Pvt. Clarence Bachman, '43, was seriously wounded in the invasion of Normandy on D-Day.



ELEANOR

MAY

PERRY,

'40

American Red Cross

FACULTY WEDDING

Dr. Isabelle Thompson became the bride of Dr. Alvey M. Isanogle, on Thursday, June 1. The ceremony was performed by Dr. Fred G. Holloway. After a wedding trip, they are at home, 10 Ridge Road, Westminster, Md.

ASTP WEDDINGS

Dorothy Irene Long, of Westminster, and Pvt. Clyde E. Ahnrsbrak, of Orlando, Okla., were married on May 16, 1944. Pvt. Ahnrsbrak was one of our Army Specialized Trainees.

Pauline Dunn, of Westminster, and Aviation Student Robert V. Peterson, of Frederick, S. Dak., were married on April 1, 1944. Peterson was one of our Army Specialized Trainees.

ENGAGEMENTS

Miss Luciene S. Ramsburg, '45, to Midshipman William R. Pfefferkorn.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Fisher to Lt. Thomas J. Lavin, '43.

Miss Mary LuMar Myers, '39, to Dr. Hubert E. Slocum.

Miss Merrianna Murray, '46, to Pvt. Louis E. Hihn.

WEDDINGS

Mary M. Turnley, '44, and Paul B. Gipe, June 4, 1944, in College Chapel.

Grace Dryden, '44, and Sidney Venable, Saturday, June 10, 1944.

Dorothy Claire Attis, '42, and Lester Friend Meyer, Saturday, March 25, 1944. Classmate Bridesmaids—Ruth MacVean, Grace Kelbaugh, and Eloise Wright.

Alice Lillian Johnson, '38, and Thomas Bell, Jr., Wednesday, August 18, 1943.

Grace Clark Kelbaugh, '42, and James Neil Pryor, Saturday, June 10, 1944. Classmate Maid of Honor, Ruth MacVean.

Doris Pearman and Lt. Tony L. Fleming, '43, Friday, June 2, 1944. Classmate usher—Lt. Francis J. Blair.

Ensign Marie Reed Baldwin, '44, and Lt. Edgar Wassan, U.S.N.R., Wednesday, June 7, 1944.

Catherine Sandes Hall, '36, and James A. Rae, U.S.N.R., Saturday, June 3, 1944.

Evelyn Mae Royer, '44, and Morris G. Zumburn, Wednesday, May 24, 1944.

Kathryn Fertig, '40, and Leolin Higgins, Monday, June 12, 1944.

Pauline Phillips, '33, and Capt. Edgar E. Best, Saturday, September 4, 1943.

Melba H. Woodeshick and Lt. Charles R. Rinchimer, '38, Wednesday, August 18, 1943.

Vera Gertrude Spicer, '45, and Pvt. William Samuel Albert Harris, '43. Date, please.

Eva F. Martin and Dr. Joseph E. Bush, '30, Tuesday, September 21, 1943.

Virtue Shockey, '32, and Robert Clopper on June 8, 1944.

Edna Bandorf, '42, and Harry G. Ricker, Jr. (Date, please.)

Mary Jane Darnell and Lt. Harrison M. Langrall, '45, on April 22, 1944.

FACULTY CHANGES

Inevitable. The times bring these changes, as in other fields. It is a little early to make a complete report, there will be some missing faces.

Byham, S. Leroy, Director of Athletics, has been appointed a Field Director for the American Red Cross.

Carmichael, Dr. Katherine K., Dean of Women, she has not announced her new assignment.

Wills, Dr. George S., Head of the English Department. Retired. A later Bulletin will carry a complete story.

DEATHS

May 14, 1944—Dorothy Ballard Ward, '98, wife of Rev. John Lemmel Ward, '96.

May 26, 1944—Burrier L. Cookson—not an Alumnus, but it was his act that brought us the "Cookson Farm"—up to the day of his death he kept in close touch with everything "WMC".

July 9, 1944, Paul Reese, '96, a retired Episcopal minister in San Angelo, Texas. He was the son of Dr. J. W. Reese, a former member of our faculty.

BIRTHS

"Carol Ann", June 5, 1943, to Lt. Woodrow B. and Catherine Rudolph ('39) Reedy.

"Susan Nadine", June 16, 1944, to W/O Delmar E. and Nadine Ohler ('38) Riffe.

"Margaret Foxwell", May 1, 1944, to Ernest F. and Margaret Hoshall ('37) Burch.

"Thomas II", April 1, 1944, to Thomas and Anna Bitzel ('38) Fisher.

Her name please, April 7, 1944, to Lt. and Mrs. William Vincent, '42.

"Kethie May", May 6, 1944, to Rev. Howard ('40) and Yvonne Earle ('43) Link.

"William Armiger Jr.", March 20, 1944, to Lt. (j.g.) William A. ('38) and Ruth Dygett ('40) Skeen.

"Sue Ellen", October 22, 1942, to Lt. Lorenzo W. and Rachel Green ('41) Marsey.

A son, name please, July 25, 1943, to Philip J. ('39) and Sally Price ('37) Lanasa.

"Nancy", June 19, 1944, to Halton G. and Marjorie Rue ('43) Cropper.

"Susan Roberts", May 22, 1944, to Carleton and Eileen Waybright, ('34) Weber. The baby is a grand niece of Mrs. Bess Roberts Davis ('00).

One year old May 18th, she has never seen her daddy, who is in the Army beyond the Atlantic. Daughter of S/Sgt. and Mrs. Robert S. Bennett, '36. I hope so, too, honey.

"Harriett Lamotte", June 24, 1944, to Lieut. Edw. J. and Elizabeth Smith ('44) Eckenrode.

"Edwin Hugh", April 11, 1944, to Rev. and Mrs. Lester K. Welch, '43.

"Fenton Thomas", June 25, 1944, to Lt. Tom F. and Jeannette Wigley ('41) Thomas.

"Valta Mildred", June 4, 1944, to Corp. William W. and Mildred Sullivan ('35), Child.

"Richard Neil", November 29, 1943, to Capt. and Mrs. Neil O. Woolley ('32).

"Selly Anne", June 14, 1944, to Charles G. and Ethel Lauterbach ('37) Sellman.

CLASS MEMORIALS

You will find below a tabulation of your class memorials as of July 12, 1944. These memorials are helping students and it might be an excellent way of perpetuating the memory of a class mate if you would add something to your check for dues for this purpose.

Class	Amount	Class	Amount
1871	-----	1910	21.00
1872	1.00	1911	153.03
1873	10.00	1912	83.00
1874	-----	1913	12.00
1875	9.00	1914	84.25
1876	4.00	1915	45.00
1877	3.00	1916	155.25
1878	1.00	1917	30.00
1879	-----	1918	52.00
1880	21.00	1919	26.00
1881	37.00	1920	25.00
1882	37.00	1921	11.00
1883	28.00	1922	53.50
1884	63.50	1923	38.00
1885	12.00	1924	70.20
1886	18.00	1925	28.00
1887	27.25	1926	69.25
1888	12.00	1927	77.00
1889	34.00	1928	84.00
1890	23.00	1929	115.25
1891	38.64	1930	113.24
1892	306.00	1931	173.50
1893	204.25	1932	234.98
1894	138.00	1933	72.79
1895	212.00	1934	46.00
1896	58.00	1935	109.80
1897	56.00	1936	77.80
1898	35.00	1937	35.97
1899	47.00	1938	6.75
1900	59.00	1939	45.80
1901	249.75	1940	48.23
1902	28.00	1941	52.40
1903	42.00	1942	33.27
1904	28.00	1943	139.98
1905	52.00	1944	34.12
1906	330.00	1945	1.90
1907	22.25	1946	.32
1908	6.50	1947	.25
1909	71.00		

Faculty, Trustees, and Friends	\$302.50
Association Activities	610.43
Miscellaneous	47.83
Total	\$5683.63

"Sandra Camille", November 11, 1943, to Robert and Olive Butler ('35) Loss.

A daughter, to James E. and Helen Boughton ('37) Perry.

**They keep fighting—
You keep buying
WAR BONDS**

Taps

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WHAT HAPPENS TO ENDOWMENT FUNDS?

From time to time (not for thirty years) we have had campaigns to raise money for Endowments. We did a pretty good job, too. Or so we thought. Do you remember that Dr. Ward said we only made one mistake—we made our goal \$500,000—it should have been TWO MILLION. Anyway, *we raised it.*

The Trustees have a Finance Committee which has the job of investing our endowments. Not an easy matter to steer clear of unsound investments, but we should take off our hat to William G. Baker, Will Scott, John Cunningham, and others who have kept our funds in safe condition—producing always. The principal has not been dissipated, and while the rates of return have been whittled down by the circumstances of the past 15 years, the back log is still there. Once 6% was easy to get; to-day safe investments bring nearer 3%. Suppose you gave \$500 in one of these campaigns. It likely produces \$15 per year. This \$15 is used for current operations. Thank you. It helps. Suppose you did not give \$500—even suppose you didn't have \$500 to give. No \$500-give—no \$15 income. Q.E.D.

Someone, representing the "no have got \$500" group, has invented a way to bridge the gap—he says to Mr. or Miss "no have got \$500." Why not Pay the 3% on the \$500 you do not have—as a living endowment?" How is your arithmetic? Makes sense, too. \$15.00 yearly. And enough "no have gotters" could pay for a department head. Crazy, isn't it? or maybe not so crazy. What do you think?

A History of the College may be had on request accompanied by your check for your dues.

I've just seen the 1924 class letter. Congratulations! Too late to include any of it in this issue; the pictures are great. I hope a later issue may be able to let others see your splendid work.

STUDENTS-FACULTY BOND

A campaign just ended, sponsoring the purchase of a "jeep". Over the top in 8 days.

Another campaign for two jeeps went over the top in April—We are behind our boys and girls "over there."

WERE YOU MARRIED IN THE COLLEGE CHAPEL?

The Secretary is securing a register, in which he hopes to record every College wedding which took place in the College Chapel—old grads and new—will you please write me at once—give me the information

Date of wedding

Name of Bride

Name of Groom

Class year of either or both

Who performed the ceremony

Names of any Western Marylanders who may have been attendants

If you know of a College wedding—even though the parties may be dead, we would like to have the data for our record. Will you help us make this historical record complete.

A POST-WAR PROGRAM

A much worked expression, nevertheless, a most essential one. You know that the College has such a program—a building program. I suppose you have done something about it; if you have not been asked, certainly a few gentle hints have been dropped around you to the effect that your assistance will be appreciated. Eventually, etc. *How about the Alumni Association?*

Is it sufficient that we "boost the buildings", and nothing more? Will you undertake to do something that will NOT COST YOU A PENNY? Increase your attention to suitable student material; keep in touch with the faculties of your High Schools, so you will know of "A" and "B" students. We want their names, and when this war is over and boys get back into circulation, will you not be prepared to "do your share" in sending us the name of real prospects. How better can you work than for the up-grading of your Alma Mater.

As this bulletin goes to press, news is beginning to trickle through of casualties among our own. Such news reaches us slowly, and while we are attempting to make a report, we would like to make it accurate. Will you help us keep our record up to date.

The enrollment for the school year, 1944-1945, is quite promising. To date, the girls' dormitories, McDaniel Hall and Blanche Ward Hall, are filled to capacity. Since the enrollment of young men will be reduced, due to prevailing times, Albert Norman Ward Hall, the new dormitory for men, is to be used to house young women. At the present time, three of the four sections of this dormitory are practically filled.

SERVICE MEN MEET

Not long ago, Lieut. Lee Lodge, '43, and Mrs. Lodge (Pearl Bodmer, '43), gave a dinner to Western Marylanders stationed at Fort Benning, Ga. The guests included George Barrick, '43, and the following members of 1944 class: Donald Burroughs, Kenneth Burdette, John Mann, Thomas Tereshinski, Edward Mogowski, Arthur O'Keefe, David Young, Guy Reeser, Richard Patten, Wilbur Preston, William Pennington, and Charles DeMans.

And Major Jas. A. Stach, '30, and Earl Lippy, '29, had a reunion in Italy. Earl has been on extensive duty with "This is the Army" show.

Also Capt. Dennis Yingling, '34, found Capt. Edwin F. Lewis, '42, in Italy; later near the same spot he ran across Lt. Preston Yingling, a member of our Shop Staff.

Somewhere in the Southwest Pacific, Lt. Arnold Fleagle, '41, found Cpl. Newton W. Kidd, '42, Maj. Jas. L. Shreeve, '40, and Lt. Herbert Stevens, '36.

In a London fog, Lieut. Paul Ritchie, '37, bumped into Lieut. Edward A. "Frosty" Peters, '39.

Sgt. D. Robert Beglin, '43, up in Alaska, is counting the time till he can visit College Hill, and keeping his eye out for other Western Marylanders.

How would it be for Major Mac (now Col. MacLaughlin), Major Charlie Havens and Major Barney Speir to get into a huddle in the fog of England, or wherever they are.

Lt. Marbury Linton, '40, on maneuvers ran across Major Harry Balish, '38, Capt. Richard Baker, '42, Lt. Clyde Baden, '41, Lt. John M. Robinson, '43, Lt. Robert Moore, '43, and Lt. William J. Fleming, '39.

Lt. William O. Prettyman, '43, met Capt. John A. Mears, '28, and Capt. David Trundle, '33, somewhere in England.

Will others write the Alumni Secretary of similar meetings.

MAIL TO SERVICE MEN RETURNED

Almost daily mail to Alumni in the Service is returned for lack of correct address. I know we do not rate many letters, but P-U-L-E-E-E-Z-E drop us a card with your COMPLETE MILITARY ADDRESS.

Alumni Association Officers

The Board of Governors wishes to report the election of the following officers elected for the current year.

President	D. Wilbur Devilbiss, '25
V. Pres. at-Large	Joshua W. Miles, '18
Treasurer	Carl L. Schaeffer, '14
Exec. Sec'y.	T. K. Harrison, '01

District Vice-Presidents:

State of Maryland	John Yingling, '24
New York	Helen Stone Holt, '25
Delaware	Elwood A. Davis, '03
North Carolina	W. Lindsay Sapp, '24
Washington, D. C.	Charles E. Bish, '25
Philadelphia, Pa.	Elizabeth Lawrence Benson, '25
Pittsburgh, Pa.	Laurene Straughn Pratt, '34
Eastern Shore	James E. Andrews, '14
Western Shore	Madeline Darner Gordon, '23
Baltimore Men	Paul B. Stevens, '24
Baltimore Women	Mildred Wheeler Moylan, '21
Carroll County Men	Gerald E. Richter, '26
Carroll County Women	Elsie Hofa Bankert, '24

At the annual meeting, the following were elected for three year terms:

VISITORS TO THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Carroll Royer, '27
Dorothy Holland Ogburn, '24

BOARD OF GOVERNORS

Caroline Wanta Taylor, '26
Miriam Dryden Carpenter, '36

President's Message

Mr. Harrison has once again granted me the opportunity to send my greetings to Western Marylanders everywhere through the medium of the Alumni issue of the College Bulletin. The war has changed the routine of most of you. As you face your tasks wherever you may be, you will be happy to know that your Alma Mater still carries on. While the Army Specialized Training Program has withdrawn (as in all other colleges), we hope to build up our civilian enrollment to a substantial number. Because of a change in Selective Service policy, there is a decreased number of deferments for men in college. We are meeting the problem by building up the enrollment of young women. This is necessary for the economic stability of the College. This enlargement will only be temporary, for we have arranged it in such a way that facilities for men can be made available as they return, when peace comes.

The alumni and friends of the school have been of inestimable help in directing students to Western Maryland College. We are grateful for your assistance and rejoice in that bond of fellowship which unites all of us in devotion to our Alma Mater.

Fred L. Holloway
President.

THE STARS AND STRIPES COLLEGE REGISTRATION SERVICE APO 887, U. S. ARMY

The STARS AND STRIPES is requesting College registration. Service men or families of service men, please note and comply, giving their name, rank, class year, and military addresses to the "Stars and Stripes."

The following Western Marylanders have already registered:

- '40 T/4 William E. Beatty
- '33 Major C. R. Herbst
- '38 Captain J. J. Lavin
- '32 Lt. T. W. Mather III
- '41 Capt. William R. Wiley, Jr.
- '37 Major Vernon R. Simpson

ALUMNI FIDELES

Like the song of the Ocean when chanting alone
To the Mariner sailing the Sea,
Like the redolent fragrance where roses are blown,
Live the memories hallowed in thee,
Western Maryland,—the glow of thy fellowship cheers,
As the glory of dawn in the dell,
All the days that go gleamingly down through the years
To the time of our final farewell.

Where our caravels sail, we shall share evermore,
Alma Mater, thy spirit, with joy
That has left not a dream-shadow sorrow of yore,
And declare that no power can destroy
All the fervor and faith of the days that are gone—
Give the Fates their disfavor or fame—
For as fresh as the glittering dew of the dawn
Shall our friendship be ever the same.

IRA D. SCOTT, '06.

MR. T. K. HARRISON,

Executive Secretary.

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\$.....Any other purpose

SignedClass

Address

ADIEU

We meet; we speak; we say goodbye;
Then pass upon our way,
And know not if it be our lot
To meet another day.
Yet as we say goodbye, perhaps,
For some it is the last.
We know not just how precious is
This hour 'till it has passed.

Oh, may our hearts go with our hands
In our goodbyes today!
And may each friendship stronger be
For what we do and say!
Now let us each pledge heart and hand
Our friendships to renew
When it shall be our lot to meet
Beyond this fond adieu.

And if, perchance, there shall be one
Whose face will not be there;
If, when we pass this way again,
We find a vacant chair;
We'll pause awhile in mem'ry of
The friend whom once we knew,
Who pledged his heart and hand with
ours
When last we said adieu.

—J. W. SMITH, '96.