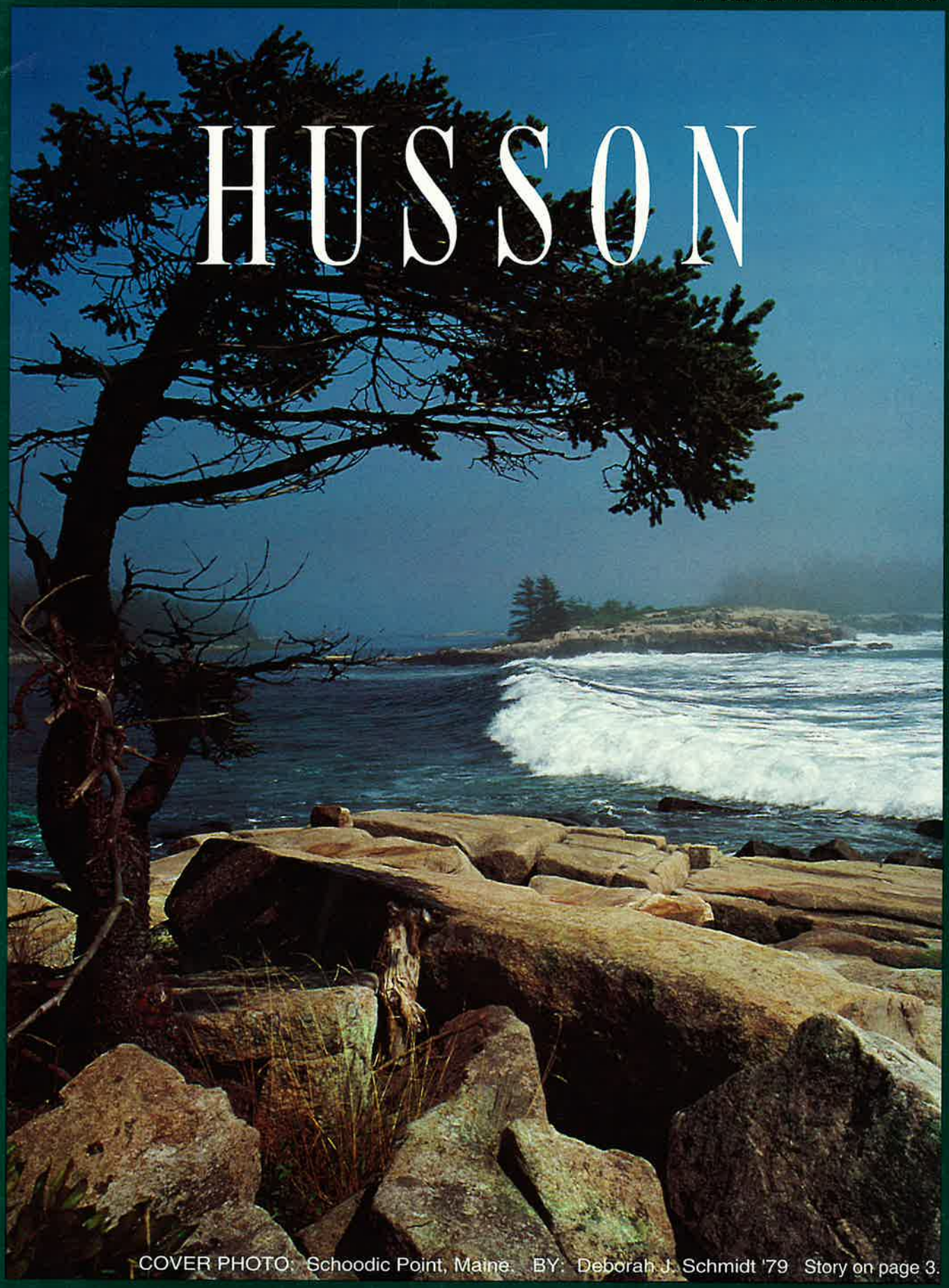
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ON HUSSON AND COMMUNITY

A message from our president

One hundred and sixty five years ago, Alexis de Toqueville came to America from his native France. He wrote down his observations in his book Democracy in America. The essence of what he wrote about is taking place on the Husson College campus today in many small but important ways.

De Toqueville noted the struggle Americans have always had between their commitment to individualism and personal freedoms on one hand and their belief in equality, democracy and majority rule on the other. He noted that the genius of governance lies not in central government but in the power that lies in the free union of the wills of men and women who are both well informed and have apprenticed in a profession. And, he talks of the critical role of the local community in which citizens bring their faith and patriotism to the marketplace just as they did in ancient Greece. Husson is becoming even more such a deToqueville community.

The essence of a Husson education is to balance being well informed with the development of professional skills. The balance is captured in the college's mission statement and has been reaffirmed at trustee, faculty and staff retreats. During the 1995/96 academic year, the faculty confronted the issue of what a general education at Husson should include; what is the balance between general knowledge and professional skills. This is no easy task in a world where the half life of technology, regulations and laws are counted in months not years, and small Maine towns are increasingly part of a global economy, and where the world of health is going through the greatest transformation in a century. This study of general education will ultimately define the kind of education one will receive at Husson College as it enters the next century. It is also a study that will increasingly involve the broader Husson community in the coming months as we collectively try to define the essence of what is a productive, well informed citizen.

DeToqueville also talked about the essential role of faith and patriotism in a vital community. He talked of a marketplace for ideas as in the ancient Greek agora. In many respects the new G. Peirce Webber Campus Center is becoming an agora, the first real meeting place the college has ever had. National figures like Robert Dole and Ross Perot chose it for their forums; Susan Collins announced her candidacy for the U.S. Senate before the granite fireplace. The art gallery has attracted some of Maine's best artists while the Steinway is a focal point for master's flute and piano lessons. Who knows whether it is cause or effect, but with the ecumenical chapel have come religious services and the Campus Crusade for Christ. The Center has served the community from convocations for national honor societies to a statewide line dancing competition. But most importantly from early morning to late at night, the campus center offers an opportunity for students, staff, and faculty to be together.

"The essence of a Husson education is to balance being well informed with the development of professional skills."

In many other ways Husson is playing an even greater role in the community. To the long standing Frank Carter Tax Institute and business breakfast lecture series have been added the William Curran Insurance Institute and a health ethics seminar series. The new Center for Family Business seminar series has attracted representatives of Maine's 30,000 family businesses to the campus and, with the new facility constructed in 1996, the college will become even more an oasis for families and entrepreneurs. Fraternities and sororities and other college groups are increasingly involved in volunteerism while summer programs include not only Girls State, sports camps and summer school, but concerts, international programs and bible camp as well. From high visibility state government public hearings to political conventions to quiet meetings of Alcoholics Anonymous and special interest groups, Husson is increasingly at the heart of what makes a community work.

As Husson College prepares for its centennial and the millennium, the college is reaching out to the community as never before through volunteerism and service to others just as it is becoming an ever more effective marketplace for philosophy, faith, debate and ideas within. These are qualities of an institution vitally involved, democracy in the making and a place about which Alexis de Toqueville would say, this is what America is all about.

William H. Beardsley earned his Ph.D. from Johns Hopkins University and has been president of Husson College since 1987.

ALUMNI PROFILE

by Paul Husson

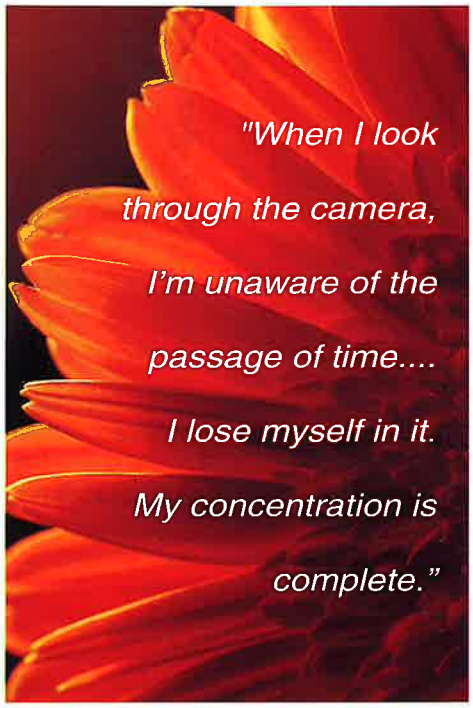
Deborah J. Schmidt '79





Deborah Hoyt Schmidt '79 brings the same sense of perfection to photography that she brought to the classroom. She graduated first in her class at Houlton High School and first in her CED class at Husson College. She is willing to spend hours in a blind to get a perfect picture of a bobcat, a bear, or a Siberian tiger, or she will get up before dawn to capture the perfect lighting for a landscape."When I look through the camera, I'm unaware of the passage of time... I lose myself in it. My concentration is complete."

I did photography for fun until about a year ago when I made a decision to devote myself to it full time professionally," says Deborah. "My husband, **Doug Schmidt '70**, purchased a new camera for my Christmas gift and had business cards printed for me." Since then, she and Doug have traveled to Siberia, Canada, the Southwest, Singapore, and Indonesia on photographic trips. The couple share a deep interest in the outdoors and hunting and fishing. She has opened a studio in her home and has had her photographs accepted for publication in *Outdoor Photography*, a national publication.



Deborah first came to Husson as a representative to Girl's State from Houlton High School. Later, she entered the CED program as a transfer student. While at Husson she met Doug who was teaching a Real Estate course in CED. Deborah graduated in 1979 with a Bachelor of Science in Accounting. She has handled the accounting side of her husband's successful real estate and development business.

Deborah is the New England Director for The Great American Photography Weekend (GAPW). GAPW has an organization headquarters in Kentucky which offers photographic workshops and schools throughout the year at over 20 of the most scenic locations in the United States and Canada. The workshops feature a guest speaker, including some of today's foremost natural history photographers including Franz Lanting, Pat O'Hara, Bryan Peterson, Rod Planck, John Shaw, and Art Wolfe. In addition to learning from lectures and audiovisual shows, participants have the opportunity to work side by side in the field with these great photographers.

Deborah is a member of the Maine Audubon Society, Friends of Acadia, Uptown Business and Professional Women's Club and the Eastern Maine Camera Club.

Her work will be exhibited in the Husson College art gallery during October. Deborah's gallery in East Holden is open by appointment Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays. She is also available for special slide programs at schools and service clubs in the area. You may reach her by writing; Ms. Deborah Schmidt, RR1 Box 1015, East Holden, ME 04429 or by calling 207-843-5730.

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--Rice worker, Bali
--Daisy closeup
--Bobcat



BANGOR SCHOOL OFFICIAL HONORED BY PEERS

FORTHRIGHT DOUGHTY TOP SUPERINTENDENT

By Susan Young of the NEWS Staff
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Jim Doughty did not want to be the Bangor school superintendent.

When the veteran school administrator was first offered the job in 1987, he refused. Members of the school committee, however, were convinced that Doughty, a Bangor native, was their man. They offered the job three more times before Doughty finally accepted.

"The school committee was very persistent," he said with a laugh during a recent interview.

Nine years after taking the helm of his hometown school department, Doughty has been named the 1996 Superintendent of the Year by the Maine School Superintendents Association. Doughty was selected from among more than 180 of his peers throughout the state.

The state superintendents' association will now nominate Doughty for the national Superintendent of the Year award, which will be given by the American Association of School Administrators at their annual meeting in March. In the award's 10-year history, there has not been a national Superintendent of the Year from Maine.

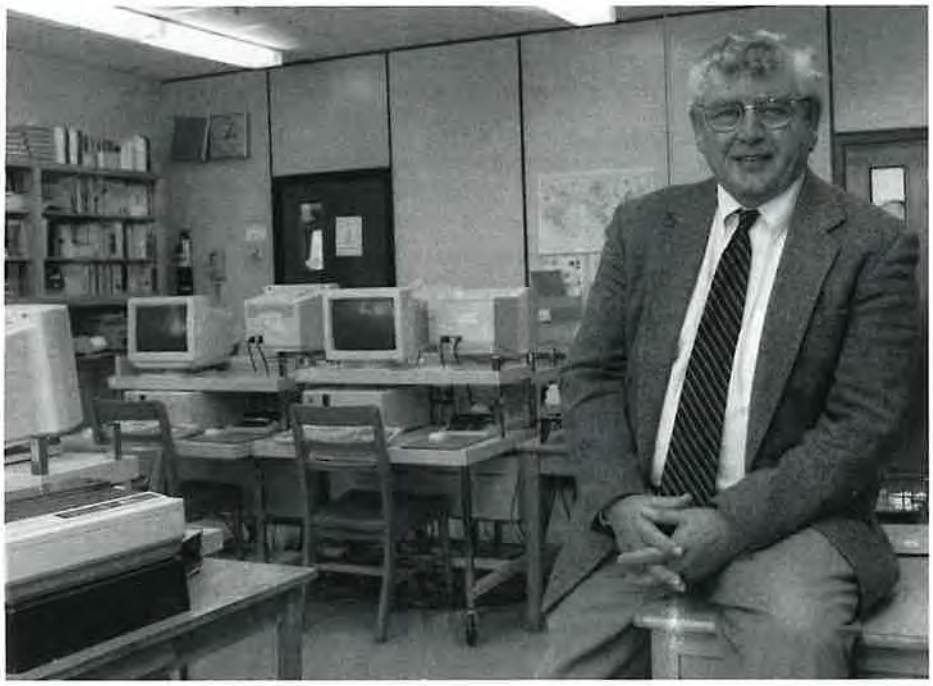
"He is a very deserving selection," said Gerald Clockedile, president-elect of the MSSA and the superintendent of SAD 3 in the Unity area.

"Jim Doughty deserves nothing but the highest accolades," said Mayor Marshall Frankel, whose two daughters graduated from Bangor High School before going on to successful college careers. "He helped make the Bangor school system one of the best not only in the state, but in the country."

Doughty is characteristically modest about the honor.

"If recognition is bestowed on Bangor through me, that is great," he said during an interview in his City Hall office Thursday. He praised Bangor residents, members of the school committee, administrators, teachers, students, parents and the City Council for their dedication to high academic standards.

Doughty's philosophy is simple: He wants to make a positive difference in the lives of Bangor's children. He aims to do that by providing the city's 4,500 students with a high-quality education. He said his goal is for all students who graduate from Bangor High School to be eligible to enter a two- or four-year college or university.



*Bangor School Superintendent **Jim Doughty** ['61 ΚΔΦ] sits in a computer classroom at Bangor High School. (NEWS Photo by Bob DeLong)*

Currently, 88 percent of the city's high school graduates qualify to go on to postsecondary education.

He said being recognized as Maine's Superintendent of the Year is an indication that what Bangor is doing is right--not perfect, but right.

Doughty has remained steadfast in his belief that all students can learn. Coupled with that belief is his conviction that success must be measured.

"I would like to be remembered as someone who cared an awful lot and demonstrated, factually, that all students, regardless of their social and economic condition, can learn at high levels," he said.

Martha Newman, chairwomen of the Bangor School Committee, points to this conviction that all students can succeed as Doughty's strongest selling point.

"Jim has a vision of Bangor that has unlimited horizons for our children," she said. "He makes things possible."

She said Doughty turned a mediocre school system with declining test scores and a lack of direction into the envy of the state.

"Jim, without a doubt, is the best superintendent in Maine," Newman said.

Doughty's current employers are not the only ones who sing his praises. Former students, employees and colleagues also had nothing but praise for the veteran administrator..

"Jim Doughty is one of the most significant persons in my life," said Howard Ryder, principal of Lincoln Academy in Newcastle.

Ryder was a student at Greenville High School when he first encountered Doughty. Ryder recalled that he was goofing off in the hall one day when Doughty, the district's principal, asked what he was planning to do after high school. Ryder, a senior, said he didn't know and soon found himself in the principal's office filling out college applications. Ryder graduated from the University of Maine at

Farmington with a degree in education. His first reaching job was working for Doughty in Searsport. Although he now has 25 years of experience, Ryder said he still calls Doughty for advice several times a year.

"Bangor is very lucky to have him," he said.

"Jim Doughty is the most forthright, decent, effective, bright, capable superintendent," said Beverly Styrna, a former school nurse in Orono where Doughty served as superintendent from 1972 to 1979. "He was not always popular, but he was always respected."

Styrna, who is now on the Orono Town Council, said although she was only a school nurse, she always felt comfortable talking to Doughty because his door was always open and he had a way of putting people at ease.

Robert Cobb, dean of the University of Maine's College of Education, wrote a letter in support of Doughty's nomination for the Superintendent of the Year honors.

"It is his unrelenting commitment to educational excellence that makes his influence on people and organizations so marked and lasting," Cobb wrote. "He is, and deserves to be, very highly regarded as an education leader."

Doughty, who graduated from Husson College with a degree in business administration, began his education career as a teacher in Monson in the early 1960s. In 1963, he was named principal of Monson Academy and later took over the town's elementary school as well. In 1965, Doughty moved to Greenville where he became superintendent in 1968 at the age of 29. He served as superintendent in Searsport and Orono before moving on to the University of Maine, where he was an assistant dean in the College of Education from 1979 to 1987. He also received a master's degree in administration and a certificate of advanced study in superintendency from UM.

Doughty credits his wife, Susan, a teacher at The Hilltop School, for encouraging his career aspirations and being willing to relocate their family as he moved up the administrative ladder. Unlike the old refrain that behind every successful man is a good woman, Doughty said his wife of more than 30 years was often ahead of him, leading the way.

After much encouragement from his wife and a bit of friendly arm-twisting by the school committee, Doughty took Bangor's top education job in 1987. The committee has hung on to its prize despite requests from two governors that Doughty become the state's education commissioner.

The most recent honor was the result of more cajoling from the Bangor School Committee. Phyllis Shubert, vice chairwoman of the committee, said she tried unsuccessfully for years to nominate Doughty for the statewide award. This year, she tried a new tactic. She mentioned to the 1956 graduate of Bangor High School that his alma mater would receive a $10,000 scholarship if he won the national superintendent's title.

Shubert said Doughty begrudgingly agreed to allow the nomination. Because he had thrown away the nominating papers, Shubert had to write to the national association for additional copies of the paperwork.

"He said he was just doing his job and didn't need to be honored for that," Shubert recalled this week.

With the appropriate materials in hand, Shubert wrote a letter to the national association.

"James Doughty is an excellent candidate for Superintendent of the Year because he would be an outstanding model for all educators of how to turn a mediocre school system into an excellent one with little cost," Shubert wrote in her nomination letter. "His administration is marked by high expectations, common sense, integrity, creativity, energy and an uncompromising commitment to the education of each student in his charge."

Shubert points to Doughty's introduction of intervention programs and dedication to the city's students as evidence of his success.

For example, under Doughty's leadership, Bangor was the first community to participate in the federally funded Reading Recovery program, a low-cost kindergarten literacy program.

Doughty also implemented what are called student improvement plans to ensure that the city's students do not fall behind national standards. Any student in the second through 10th grades who scores below 50 percent on nationally normed tests in math and reading is placed on an individualized plan by teachers.

Most recently, Doughty battled for the right of a Bangor High graduate who had received tutoring for a learning disability to retain his football scholarship at the University of Maine when the National Collegiate Athletic Association questioned his credentials.

"With his leadership, integrity, compassion and commitment to education, Jim Doughty is a model for all superintendents," Shubert concluded.

PROJECT ARIAN

Arian Haghkerdar, the 12-year-old daughter of Husson's Assistant Professor, **Bonnie Haghkerdar**, contracted leukemia in 1989. In late July of 1995 she relapsed for the second time. She had been receiving chemotherapy for 8 years and awaited a bone marrow transplant.



Arian has been selected as an Honorary Class Member by the Class of 1996

On Wednesday, November 1, a community wide spaghetti dinner was hosted in Husson's Dickerman Dining Commons for Arian with live jazz, door prizes, and souvenir pieces. An enthusiastic and dedicated committee of Husson staff members, Nancy Bubar, Joyce Goodine, Heather Upham, Michael San Antonio, Sonja Spring, Gene Hamm, Kathy Thomas, and Carlene Thompson, made it all possible.

Arian has received a successful transplant from her mother and is recovering nicely.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

While preparing for the annual daffodil sale this last March in support of the American Cancer Society, volunteer leadership was impressed by the support they found among Husson students. According to an article in the *Bangor Daily News*, **Josh Scroggins**, of Husson's Kappa Delta Phi fraternity and **Diane London** of Gamma Sigma Sigma mobilized lots of students to help out.

BANGOR CHAMBER LAUDS JOE CYR

By Doug Kesseli of the NEWS Staff (reprinted with permission by the *Bangor Daily News)*

Maine seafood and rib-eye steaks were on the menu Wednesday night, but it was the helping of Joe Cyr, a Bangor area businessman and benefactor, that drew rave reviews from a gathering of 500 Wednesday.

Cyr, president and chief executive officer of John T. Cyr & Sons, an Old Town-based bus company, was named the recipient of the 1996 Norbert X. Dowd Achievement Award, in recognition of Cyr's strong business and community service presence in the region.

The Dowd award was presented to Cyr at the Bangor Region Chamber of Commerce's annual dinner, which featured speaker Lou McNally, meteorologist and host of "Made in Maine" on Maine Public Broadcasting.



Joseph Cyr (left), recipient of the 1996 Norbert X. Dowd Award, Peter Cyr (center) and Lou McNally, discuss the award Wednesday evening during the social hour at the 85th anniversary dinner of the Bangor Region Chamber of Commerce. (NEWS Photo by Bob Delong)

Cyr took a business his grandfather started and expanded it, adding many school districts to the bus service and creating Cyr Northstar Tours, a charter bus service.

As well as for a strong business sense, Cyr was honored for his commitment to the community. Over the years, Cyr has served as a director for the Maine Comunity Foundation, a public foundation that manages charitable funds. He also has been a board member of the Old Town/Orono YMCA and for five years served as president of that board.

In presenting the award, John Rohman '77, the Chamber's first vice president, read the inscription from the award named after Dowd, who served for 27 years as executive director of the Chamber.

The award, Rohman explained, was "in recognition of efforts contributed unselfishly and voluntarilly with sincerity of purpose and deed to improve the social and economic welfare of the Bangor region and progressively promote the well-being of its citizens."

In accepting the award, Cyr credited much of his success to luck and to surrounding himself with the right people. He even quipped that he had worried that no one would show up for the awards dinner so he packed one of his buses with people from Old Town and brought them down to fill any vacant tables.

Old Town born and raised, Cyr is a Maine-made success story, a theme at the annual dinner, which included Maine haddock, shrimp, a smoked salmon appetizer and potatoes.

Also fitting in with the theme was McNally, whose public television show focuses on Maine businesses. At times light--joking that he has no intentions of running for political office nor would he accept a nomination--McNally had a more sober message as well.

While Maine has had its business success stories, its L.L. Bean and Hannaford Bros., McNally said future success could be stifled by antiquated rules and regulations and by shortsightedness of businesses.

One small town lost a glass blowing operation, now bringing in $2 million per month in gross revenues, because the zoning board wanted to wait months before even considering neccesary ordinances to allow the business to set up shop.

The owner moved to another town and now tax revenues from the business carry the new town's school system, McNally said.

He also told the chamber members that the most successful businesses of the future will be the ones looking for global markets.

"They're not stopping at the local level," he said. "They're not stopping at the state level. They're not stopping at the federal level, they're going global right away."

[Joseph Cyr is a Husson Alumnus and a member of the Husson College Board of Trustees. He is married to Suzanne Veilleux Cyr '65 ETE]

CONGRATULATIONS TO THREE HUSSON RETIREES!

Al Weymouth retired this May after serving 33 years on the Husson College Faculty. From 1963 to 1996, Al taught speech, business communications, English composition, and a few literature classes at Husson.

He will be remembered for his years as advisor to the Husson Players. His students staged two plays and an evening of one act plays annually. Al also ran a debate club for several years.

He served the community as a member of the school board, the city council and as mayor of Bangor. He also spent many years with the March of Dimes.

Al carried the mace at graduation, leading the trustees, faculty, and students for many years including this one. He plans to retire to his home in Belfast. He will be missed.





Helen Griffin started at Husson in 1968; the first year on what was then the "new" campus. She was hired by the Macke Company, who ran the food service at Husson at that time, to be the manager of the faculty/staff dining room. "It was all new, I took the tape off the refrigerator doors!"

"I have never regretted a day that I have worked at Husson" says Helen. "It has been a wonderful 27 years."

She became Catering Manager and has worked with special events. The dining service has served Presidents Jimmy Carter, and George Bush, famous sports figures, Girl's State, Cheerleading camps, the business breakfast series and literally hundreds of special events during Helen's years at Husson. "I treated them all the same," she says.

When Helen came to Husson she worked with Earl Manship and Dick Kitchen, the directors of the food service. The current Director is Michael San Antonio. "On Mr. San Antonio's first day at Husson, the electricity failed," says Helen. "We laugh about it now, but I thought he might leave any day during that first two or three weeks. Fortunately, he's still with us."

Helen plans to continue working part time and to help with special events.

Mary Locke retired as Director of the International Center for Language Studies on July 29, 1995 after eight years as director and eighteen years with the program.

"I started as a volunteer setting up a host family program and then I became a teacher before taking over as director." says Mary. "It was a wonderful experience. I enjoyed coming to work. My contact with the students and my work with other people on campus was very rewarding."

Mary also ran the International Club at Husson for many years; taking over the reins from Bunny Thompson when she retired. Hundreds of students will remember the international suppers and entertainment, and we all will remember Mary's special wit and marvelous sense of humor.

Mary resides in Bangor and plans to continue her travels to Mexico in winter.



WINKIN APPOINTED HUSSON FELLOW

Husson College announces the appointment of Dr. John W. Winkin as Husson Fellow in Sports and Leadership according to Husson President, William H. Beardsley.

"Dr. Winkin is a scholar, a coach, a devout individual and a legend in his own time," said Beardsley. "As a Husson Fellow he will work out of the Office of the President, serving as a lay counsellor in the college chaplaincy. He will lecture on the relationship among values, faith, leadership and sports. Additionally, he will promote the coaching profession throughout the state and nation and will be a member of the Husson Baseball coaching staff," said Beardsley.

Winkin is a graduate of Duke University and holds a doctorate from Columbia University. He served as Director of Athletics and coached three sports at Colby College. As baseball coach at the University of Maine, he led the Black Bears to six NCAA College World Series. He has spent the greater part of his career working with Maine youth.

"I am deeply honored to accept the invitation to become a Husson Fellow," said Winkin. "This is an extraordinary opportunity to relate my favorite vocations of faith and coaching, to give back to the State of Maine so much of what it has given to me, to continue my coaching career at the intercollegiate level and to continue to serve on the Board of Directors of the American Baseball Coaches Association. Working with President Beardsley, with college chaplain, Reverend Bob Carlson, and with one of New England's finest baseball coaches, John Kolasinski '85, will be a privilege," he said.

The Husson Fellow program offers nationally recognized individuals the opportunity to bring a career of professional achievement into the lives of Husson students and into the Maine community. Winkin will be the first Fellow in Sports and Leadership.

"John Winkin is Mr. Baseball in Maine. Working with our ballplayers will be like bringing a legend into the dugout. I admire him and could not be more excited," said Husson baseball head coach, John Kolasinski.



Dr. John W. Winkin

"We are moving ahead rapidly in providing opportunities for individual students to pursue their respective faiths," said college chaplain, Reverend Robert Carlson. "We have a new chapel, we now have services and prayer groups. The Campus Crusade for Christ is increasingly active on campus. I have the greatest admiration for Dr. Winkin whose extraordinary career is intertwined with a deep commitment to his faith. His joining us as a mentor for students will be a wonderful addition to the Husson Community," said Carlson.

Faculty/Staff

Athletic Director **Pam Hennessey** served on a Panel Discussion at the annual meeting of Maine's American Council on Education/National Identification Program for the Advancement of Women in Higher Education Administration. Pam, along with other Athletic Directors in Maine, addressed the topic, "Women in Athletics", at the event hosted by Bates College.

Bob Sedgwick, Associate Director of Dickerman Dining Commons, was co-coordinator of the 7th Annual AIDS walk sponsored by the Eastern Maine AIDS Network and Fleet Bank of Maine. The walk which involved approximately 100 participants raised over $3000 to be used to meet the needs of Maine AIDS patients. Bethany Robinson, Keri-Lee Sherwood, and Julie Montefesco of ETE and their advisor, Charlotte Hanscom, participated in the walk as a community service project. The walk which was held in early May is looking to increase the involvement of local businesses, organizations, and individuals. If you are interested in participating in next year's walk, please contact Bob.

D. Bruce MacGregor was selected by the Maine Sports Writers and Basketball Coaches Association as the recipient of the Ray Bicknell Man of the Year Award. The presentation was made at ceremonies held at Colby College in Waterville.

Dr. Theresa Steele, Ph.D., Nursing Faculty, recently completed the academic requirements to be awarded a Doctor of Philosophy degree in Nursing Science and Organizational Behavior from the Union Institute, Cincinnati, Ohio. This doctoral program focused on the interdisciplinary integration of theory and practice from the fields of nursing, organizational behavior, psychology, sociology, and education.

Dr. Steele's dissertation was a phenomenological study that investigated psychiatric nursing practice in the rural community.

President Beardsley is a glutton for work. In addition to long hours on campus, he serves as President of the Maine Higher Education Council, Chair of the Maine Education Assistance Board, and as Vice Chair of the Maine Education and Training Export Partnership. He is also a Director of the Finance Authority of Maine.

He spoke on "Ecology in the 21st Century" at the International Symposium on the 21st Century in Aomori, Japan in October. Last November, he led a three-day workshop on "Sustainable Forestry" in the Russian Far East. He is also currently on the Transition Committee for the creation of the Maine World Trade Center.

Dr. Jessica Jenner, Dean of the College of Business, Presented a paper: "Market Research Among Adult Students" at the 1996 National Conference on The Adult Learner, May 26-29 in Irving, Texas.

Dr. Cathy R. Kessenich, RNC, DSN recently received her Doctorate in Nursing Science from the University of Alabama at Birmingham. The title of her dissertation was "Quality of Life of Elderly Women with Spinal Fractures Secondary to Osteoporosis."

Dr. Kessenich has recently published four articles: "Bringing Reality to the Research Classroom" in the *Journal of Nursing Education* (April 1996), "Vitamin D. and Bone Status in Elderly Women" in *Orthopedic Nursing* (May/June 1996), "Osteoporosis Implications for Men" in *Geriatric Nursing* (May 1996), and "Comparative Clinical Pharmacology and Therapeutic Use of Biophosphonates in Metabolic Bone Disease in *Drugs* (April 1996, co-authored with Clifford J. Rosen, MD).

Paul Husson, Assistant to the President, gave the graduation address at Bunsai Gakuen (Japan College of Foreign Language) in Tokyo, Japan in March. The Japanese College and Husson have been affiliated for the past several years and many graduates of Bunsai Gakuen have gone on to earn degrees at Husson.

Earlier in the year, Paul accompanied President Beardsley to a symposium in Aomori, Japan and participated in College recruitment programs in Seoul and Pusan, Korea and Taipei, Taiwan.

Carolyn Junkins has re-signed after nine years with the Husson College Food Service. Carolyn has moved to North Carolina.

Dr. J. Chris Schoonbeck Ph.D., Director of the Husson College Continuing Education Division program in Lewiston, earned his Ph.D. in Finance and Public Policy from the Union Institute, Cincinnati, Ohio in November 1995. **Dr. Cristanna Cook**, Husson Faculty member, served with distinction on his doctoral committee and was invaluable in guiding his research data analysis. Chris's dissertation focused on funding public school construction (capital assets) and included a scheme for which he is developing a model, that conjoins public finance with corporate finance and uses equity instead of debt in the funding of construction capital assets.

This has been a big year for the Schoonbecks. **Pamela '96**, Chris's wife, as is noted elsewhere in The Ledger, earned her Bachelor of Science in Business Administration with Highest Distinction from the Portland CED site. Pamela is the Configuration Manager for a major naval weapons systems and the field representative, at the Supervisor of Shipbuilding in Bath, Maine, for the Naval Surface Weapons Center located in Dahlgren, Virginia.

Athletics

Baseball

Coach John Kolasinski's baseball team finished 3rd in the Northeast Region NAIA Tournament. Husson College hosted the event for the first time at the Mansfield Complex in Bangor.

Players Sandy McCruig, Andy Boure, Jeff Fogg, Mark Hreben, Roy Peary and Matt Alaimo were named All-New England selections.

Pitcher Mark Hreben was named NAIA New England Player of the Year and Maine Athletic Conference Player of the Year. Mark, a graduating senior, has signed a contract with Maine's new professional baseball franchise, the Bangor Blue Ox

The team finished with a 16-19 record overall, having a 3-8 record on their spring trip to Florida and a 13-11 northern record.

Soccer

The Husson Men's Soccer team compiled an impressive 12-4 regular season record. The Braves averaged over 3 goals per game and gave up only one goal to their opponents. They recorded 8 shutouts and played five games in a row without giving up a goal.

Husson participated in the MAC Tournament for the fifth consecutive year losing in the first round.

Three Husson players earned All-American NAIA honors. Adam Heaselwood was a 2nd team pick and GuyGuy Mpeye and Craig Stuber were named to the 3rd team. Adam Heaslewood was MAC Player of the Year for the 3rd year in a row. Adam, Craig and GuyGuy were also named to the All-New England and All-Regional Teams.

Men's Basketball

The Husson College Men's Basketball team finished with a 17-13 record for the 1995-96 season; losing in the semi-finals of the NAIA Regional Tournament to an excellent University of Maine-Presque Isle team. The Braves had won ten of their last 12 games going into the tournament.

Graduating seniors, Brian Jefferson and Rick Sinclair were named to the 1st team All-Conference Team and received NAIA All American Honorable Mention. In addition, Brian set the all time Husson College Career Assist mark.

Women's Basketball

The Husson Women's Basketball Team under Coach Kissy Walker defeated the University of Maine Farmington women 78-49 to win the Maine Athletic Conference. This victory gave the Braves an automatic berth to the NAIA National Basketball Tournament in Angola, Indiana where they were defeated in the first round; ending the season with a 21-8 record overall.

Junior guard Sue Ann Allen and sophomore forward Emily Walker were both named to the Maine Athletic Conference first team and the State of Maine 2nd Team All State.

Golf

The Husson College Golf Team coached by Bruce MacGregor finished the year with a record of 40 wins and 20 losses.

The team finished the regular season in the fall of 1995 by winning the University of Southern Maine Tournament.

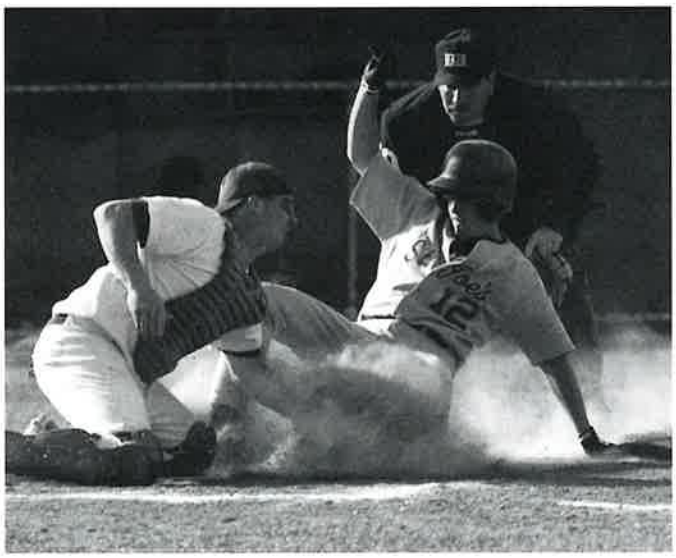
This spring, the team traveled to Suffern, New York to compete in the Northeast Regional Tournament. Final results found the Braves in third place.

Golf Team members compiled an outstanding grade-point average in excess of 3.0.

Softball

The Husson College Softball team began its season with a successful spring trip to Florida winning 6 and losing 2. The remainder of the season was a tough one for the Husson women who wound up with an overall season record of 12 wins and 20 losses. Players Emily Burrill and Amanda Pomerleau were named to the Maine Athletic Conference (MAC) All Conference team.

First-year Coach Bob Ackley is excited about next year. He has nine veteran players returning, and several excellent student athletes coming to Husson in September.



Jeff Fogg tags out a player from St. Joseph's College.

Letters to the Editor

DEAR MR. HUSSON:

I wonder if you can possible imagine the joy and pride I felt as I read the page in the Fall/Winter issue of *The Ledger* describing the occasion of alumni receiving honorary degrees. But, of course you can't ...you didn't live through those years at Bangor Maine School of Commerce from the fall of 1941 to the day when four young ladies left the steps at Park Street two years and one summer school later to embark upon their teaching careers. True, mine lasted only one year at Blue Hill (George Stevens Academy), but the skills I developed at BMSC equipped me for a later twelve years as church secretary and then ten more as an executive secretary at the Board of Education.

A half year scholarship made possible my enrollment in the fall of 1941. I, too, as did Inez Wood Collier, Class of 1938, made the King's Daughters Home on Ohio Street my home away from home for the first year and there I formed friendships which have lasted to this day. Our matron was strict but the atmosphere was gay and full of fun as we'd gather around the piano after the evening meal (having hoped against hope we'd find a piece of apple or two in our apple tapioca dessert!). Alice Ramsdell would pound out the toe-tapping bouncy tunes of the day while Evelyn Jamieson would put us in a more reflective mood with her "Moonlight Sonata" and "Tonight We Love". I well remember the first weekend there when I wanted to take all my study books home to Trenton to show the folks. So I trudged down the long steep hill past the City Hall to the train station weighted down with this huge heavy suitcase. My allowance was $1.00 a week and many were the weekends, I had 75 cents left to buy the train ticket to Ellsworth.

We all have our memories of where we were when the disaster at Pearl Harbor was announced on Sunday, December 7, 1941. I was in the car with my parents traveling back to Bangor. Little did I dream then, one of my best friends at BMSC (now Husson), Ruth Smith Rich and I were to lose fiances to the great war. We didn't stop to realize either, that the boys with whom we were becoming acquainted and who were in our teacher education classes would be leaving to go to war and that only four young girls would be left in the class to go out into the world of commercial education. But the training we received was of such depth and dedication that we felt well equipped in theory as well as techniques. Ah, yes, I think we four (Hope Trembly, Margie Buck, Ruth Smith and I) did Husson (Mr. Chesley, that is) and Clara Swan proud!

Oh, the memories your article brought back to fill my soul with warmth and a longing to just transport myself and my friends back to those times for a day!

....the tunes we'd play in the juke box in the restaurant across the street from BMSC..."Elmer's Tune", "String of Pearls", "In the Mood", "Mairsy Doats", "Deep Purple"...and one memory that stands out in the hearts of all the girls who were there...the night of one of the dances when Miss Bowron's fiance came in during the evening in his uniform (away from the war for a respite), took her into his arms and danced to "Stardust".

...the USO and learning to jitterbug, listening to and dancing with lonesome soldiers, then letting them walk us back home. Dorothy Lamour came to Bangor selling war bonds and some of us were lucky enough to be in the front row of the Bangor Auditorium.

...being one of the "Bickford Beauties", a self-imposed name we gave the four of us (Barbara Allen, Ruth Latty, Alice Ramsdell and me) who lived at 227 Essex Street the second year with Bertha Bickford.

Well, time to stop this trip down Memory Lane. But I just wanted you to know how proud I am to have been associated with Husson College during some of the early days. Friendships formed there in those days are with me still; my learning experiences have given me skills which I use today...my only wish would be to live a little closer so it would be easier to "keep in touch".

With deep gratitude for what BMSC has always meant to me,

Connie Robertson Fisher
ETE President 1942-43
-- Class of 1944

Thank you for your letter of February 27, 1996, containing the baseball team's schedule. I had been looking for it for a few weeks so the letter arrived just in time.

Yesterday afternoon I went to see the team play RPI here in Lakeland, and before the game I had a delightful chat with Coach Kolasinski. He brought me up to date on several of my former instructors as well as current, collegiate happenings. Concerning the game, although the gods were not with us as to the win column, no one was injured, and a good game was played by all. Without a doubt, "Chief" would have been very proud of the way each team member conducted himself. Husson College fielded a fine ball club which did the school proud.

Next year when you advise of the dates and places, would you please be so kind as to include a contact telephone number. I know games sites and times change due to a variety of reasons, so should I decide to travel afar to see the team, I would like to assure beforehand that the schedule has not changed.

Thank you again for your letter. And my thanks also to the team for a job well done in playing ball as well as representing the College.
Sincerely,

Robert V. Chandler
Class of '60

HUSSON'S 97TH COMMENCEMENT

by Paul Husson

A cold, rainy Saturday in May didn't dampen the spirits of the graduates at Husson's 97th commencement. The college awarded 422 graduate and undergraduate degrees at ceremonies in Bangor and Portland.

Parents came from Turkey and Japan to join their counterparts from Maine and the rest of New England in celebrating the day with their sons and daughters, husbands and wives and friends. Eleven students from Japan joined the ranks of the Husson alumni as well as students from Ecuador, Saudi Arabia, Turkey, India, Zaire, and Greece. Husson awarded fifty-eight graduate degrees in Business.

The Commencement address was given by Lodewijk J.R. de Vink, President and Chief Operating Officer of Warner Lambert Company, the multinational pharmaceutical giant. James Durfee, President of The Class of 1996, presented the Class Address.

Two students who earned grade-point averages of 3.89 shared the award for Salutatorian of The Class of 1996: Leanne McLean of Orrington, B.S. Nursing and Amy Jo Smith of Winterport, B.S. Accounting. The Valedictorian of The Class of 1996 was Diane Marie Dow of Hancock who earned a B.S. in Accounting, with a grade-point average of 3.95. Melissa Kay Ochu of Brandon, Mississippi earned the annual award for outstanding academic achievement by a student who does not meet the eligibility requirements for valedictorian and salutatorian. Melissa earned a B.S. in Accounting with a G.P.A. of 4.0.

The Class of 1996 elected Professor D. Bruce MacGregor and Arian Haghkerdar honorary class members of The Class of 1996. Professor MacGregor was cited for his "unfailing dedication to Husson College and his commitment to the students of the Class of 1996." Arian, the twelve year old daughter of Associate Professor Bonnie Haghkerdar, who has been fighting leukemia was cited "for her courage and for being an inspiration to all of us."

PORTLAND GRADUATION

History was made on Sunday, May 12, 1996 at 2:00 p.m. at the Westbrook College Gymnasium in Portland. Husson College celebrated the first graduation ceremony ever held outside of Bangor.

The Continuing Education Division site in Portland is located on the Westbrook College campus. Graduates have traditionally marched in Bangor, but this year they felt that they would like to have their own graduation. Enrollment at the Westbrook CED site is 450. There were 96 graduates and 84 participated in the ceremonies.

Richard Dyke '58 ΜΣΧ, President/Owner of Dyke Associates and a member of the Husson College Board of Trustees delivered the commencement address to an enthusiastic group of graduates.

Susan Collins, Director of The Center for Family Business and the Republican candidate for the United States Senate, was presented the Chesley H. Husson Award in recognition of her "tireless dedication to the education of Husson students and advocacy for family business enterprise in Maine."

A large crowd of family and friends was on hand to recognize the achievements of the graduates. Students in the Continuing Education Division generally have full time jobs and family responsibilities in addition to the demands of graduate and undergraduate education. They are, as Mr. Dyke pointed out, "leaders" who will serve their communities, organizations, and businesses in leadership roles.

Anita Sanschagrin of Saco received the Academic Achievement Award in Accounting. Roger Guay of Lewiston received the Academic Award in Business Administration. The Watch Award was presented to Deborah Burton of Scarborough.

Kathlyn O'Toole, Program Coordinator the Husson CED site at Westbrook, earned a standing ovation from her classmates as she received her Master's in Business. Pamela S. Schoonbeck, the wife of Husson's Lewiston CED Director, Chris Schoonbeck, earned a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration with High Distinction.

WATCH/PLAQUE AWARD RECIPIENTS

Watch Awards

Accounting
Rochelle Renee Gillis, Pittsfield, ME
Business Administration
Linda M. Quirion, Old Town, ME
Continuing Education
Deborah E. Burton, Scarborough, ME
Court and Conference Reporting
Angella D. White, Old Town, ME
Nursing
Cynthia L. Pierson, Bangor, ME

Plaque Awards

Accounting
Jason David Higgins, Ellsworth, ME
Business Administration
Pamela J. Moody, Wells, ME
Continuing Education
Danette N. Madore, Presque Isle, ME
Nursing
Sherron Margaret Bassett, Ellsworth, ME

HUSSON HONORS ARTHUR FULLER '96 AND LODEWIJK J.R. DE VINK

This year's graduation speaker, Lodewijk J.F. de Vink, was awarded an honorary doctorate of Business Administration at Commencement. Mr. de Vink was born in Holland and immigrated to the United States. He earned a B.B.A degree at Washburn University in Topeka Kansas and went on to earn an M.B.A at American University in Washington D.C.

After graduation he joined Shering-Plough Corporation as an International Management Associate. He served Shering-Plough in various positions in Canada, Belgium, and the United States rising through the ranks to become President of Shering International in 1986.

Mr. De Vink joined Warner-Lambert Company in 1988 as a Corporate Vice President and President International Operations, and was promoted to President U.S. Operations in 1991. He was appointed to his present position of President and Chief Operating Officer in 1991 and was elected as a director of Warner-Lambert that same year.



Mr. and Mrs. Lodewijk de Vink

In addition to his leadership in the international pharmaceutical industry, Mr. de Vink has devoted his time and expertise to public service. He is Chairman of the Board of the Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America Association, a director or trustee of the United Negro College Fund, National Actors Theater, Morristown Memorial Hospital (New Jersey), National Foundation for Infectious Diseases; and as a member of the International Advisory Board of Nijenrode University (The Netherlands). He is a member of the Board of Directors of NYNEX Corporation.

Dr. Beardsley made the presentation of the award to Mr. De Vink; "for his corporate and professional achievements, for his leadership in the global pharmaceutical industry and for his passion to make this a better world in which to live."

Arthur D. Fuller '66 was awarded an honorary doctorate in Business Administration, "for his corporate and professional achievements in the forest products industry, for his leadership in finance, manufacturing operations and international and domestic sales and for his outstanding record of service to his community and nation."

Arthur, a graduate of the class of 1966 with a bachelor of science degree in Accounting, grew up in Rumford, Maine. He worked summers at International Paper while going to school and joined them after graduation as a cost analyst. Arthur worked with International Paper in Glens Falls, New York for four years and returned to Maine in 1970 to join Great Northern Nekoosa in Millinocket.

Arthur worked in Millinocket until 1972 and transferred to the Great Southern Paper Company in Georgia which is Great Northern's container board and packaging division. He worked his way up through the ranks and was soon managing the company's container board mill in Cedar Springs, Georgia, then the largest such mill in the world. He served as president and general manager of Great Southern Paper from 1987 until 1990.



Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fuller

He served as vice president for finance planning and administration at Macmillan Bloedel Incorporated in Montgomery, Alabama. From 1991 until 1993, he was a partner in NuKraft, a recycled linerboard project.

In March of 1995 Arthur was named President of Bowater Newsprint; the newly-created division of Bowater Incorporated with headquarters in Greenville, South Carolina. He currently manages all aspects of Bowater's newsprint business which accounts for roughly one-half of the company's total production.

Homecoming '96

October 5 and October 6

Schedule

Saturday - October 5

10:00 A.M.
Honorary Degree Ceremony
G. Peirce Webber Campus Center

11:00 A.M.
Women's Soccer
Husson vs. Thomas College
Soccer Field

12:00 noon to 4:00 P.M.
Greek Olympic Games and Cookout
Campus Center Patio

12:30 P.M.
Honorary Degree Luncheon
Dickerman Dining Commons

1:00 P.M.
Men's Soccer
Husson vs. St. Joseph's College
Soccer Field

4:30 P.M.
Hall of Fame Induction
Hall of Fame Room
Newman Gymnasium

6:30 P.M.
Cocktail Party
G. Peirce Webber Campus Center

7:00 P.M.
Alumni Awards Dinner
Dickerman Dining Commons

Sunday - October 6

8:00 A.M.
Golf Tournament, Hermon Meadows

10:00 A.M.
Continental Breakfast
G. Peirce Webber Campus Center

11:00 A.M.
Chapel Service, Husson Chapel

1:00 P.M.
Alumni Softball & Baseball Games,
Respective Fields
Women's Alumni Basketball Game
Newman Gymnasium

3:00 P.M.
Men's Alumni Basketball Game
Newman Gymnasium

Honored Alumni

Alumni Awards

John Dube '84	Outstanding Young Alumnus
Arthur Comstock '56	Outstanding Alumnus
Joseph Lovejoy '69	Excellence in Accounting
Sae Il Lee '70	Excellence in Business Administration
Milton Wright '62	Excellence in Education
Barbara Clay Russell, '52	Excellence in Nursing
Eleanor Heinz '58	Excellence in Office Administration
Leitha Doughty '42	Public Service
Mike San Antonio	Service Award

Sports Hall of Fame Inductees

Wayne Smith '62	Basketball
Louis Bonomo '67	Baseball
Gabe DeCastro '75	Soccer
Dorothy Sproul '49	Basketball
Tanya Busch '85	Softball
Pam Hennessey	Coaching
Gene Burchill '83	Basketball
Mike Norris '83	Golf

Plan to attend these events to honor your fellow alumni!

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

--HOMECOMING 1997--

Each year at Homecoming, Husson College recognizes its alumni who have achieved excellence in their professions or who have delivered outstanding service to their nation, state, or community. This is an opportunity for you to honor a fellow Husson Alumnus/ae.

Send nominations to:
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Marc Quinlan '72 of Barnegat, N.J., has established the William B. Read Scholarship for students from the Aroostook County region and New Jersey. The award will go each year to a financially deserving student who may need extra help with living expenses during the college year. Funds will be available to that student to use in the Husson book store.

Marc's scholarship honors his college friendship with Bill Reed who he remembers as a caring and thoughtful professor who meant a great deal to him.

He has also established a fund to help with landscape improvements at Husson.

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In Memoriam

Lena McLaughlin Emery Stalker R.N. EMGH died in October of 1995. She was 98 years old at the time of her death. We have been unable to determine her class year. Lena worked for many years as a private duty nurse on Cape Cod and in Providence, Rhode Island.

Mary Bither McDonald, former Husson Employee, died March 31, 1996 in Bangor. Mary managed the Husson Bookstore for many years until her retirement in 1976. She will be long remembered for her concern for students and her good humor. The bookstore at Husson continues to bear her name. Mary was an honorary member of the Husson College Alumni Association and a member of St. Mary's church.

Survivors include her son, James, and his wife, Marylou, three grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Robert Fortier, former I.C.L.S. faculty, died November 1, 1995 in Bangor. Bob taught English as a second language at the International Center for Language Studies at Husson from 1981 to his retirement in June of 1995. He was a graduate of the University of Maine with a BA and an MA in English.

He served in the U.S. Army during World War II where he taught French and photographic laboratory techniques. Bob taught in the Defense Department Schools in Europe from 1948 to 1960, principally in Munich, Stuttgart, Larochelle, and Nurnberg. He was a teacher in the Bangor schools for twenty-five years.

He is survived by his wife Brigitte, a statistician with the Husson College Admissions Office, and his son, Robert "Fritz", and his daughter-in-law, Laura.

Virginia Lynch Knowlton R.N. '29 EMGH died December 16, 1995 in Bangor. She married Thomas Knowlton in 1934 and moved to Madison, Wisconsin where she continued nursing and earned an advanced degree. Later she moved to Washington D.C. and subsequently to New York City. After her husband's death in 1994 she returned to Bangor.

Survivors include her son, Paul, and daughter, Susan Orcutt, and their families.

Bernard "Barney" Deering '31 '39 ΜΣΧ died November 28, 1995 in Bangor. Barney was employed by Orono High School for 34 years. During that time, he served as teacher, assistant principal, athletic director, and coach for several sports teams before his retirement in 1974. Barney was a primary founder of the Little Ten Conference and the Penobscot Valley Conference, both of which continue to serve Eastern Maine schools today.

Barney excelled in sports at Husson College and was inducted in the Husson College Sport Hall of Fame in 1993. He was an active member of his church.

He is survived by his three sons, Robert, Dana, and Willard, and their families.

Beatrice Preble Mitchell '31 RN EMGH died July 7, 1996, in Bangor. She was a resident of Hampden since 1917. Beatrice worked as a private duty nurse and at the Eastern Maine Medical Center.

She was active in the community and was a member of the Hampden Historical Society, the Hampden Congregational Church, and the Hampden Senior Citizens.

She is survived by her daughter B. Jean Landry and her family.

John Edward Irish '31 died March 26, 1996 in The Dalles, Oregon. John and his wife Evelyn farmed for many years in the Perham, Caribou, and Lewiston areas. They moved to Coudersport, Pennsylvania in 1959 and John continued to farm potatoes with his son until his retirement. He enjoyed hunting.

Survivors include his son Fred, daughter Elaine Rife, four brothers, three sisters, and a grandson Wayne.

D. Helen O'Leary Burnett '33 RN EMGH died July 4, 1996, in Waterville. She worked in the infirmary at the University of Maine and at Eastern Maine Medical Center. Later she worked at the Choate School in Connecticut.

Survivors include her daughter Nathalie Perry and many grandchildren.

Charlotte Emery Adams '34 RN EMGH died December 29, 1995 in Connecticut. Charlotte assisted in organizing the Junior League of Bangor in 1936. She was also Medical Director for the Head Start Project in Bangor for four years.

Claris Frost '35 of Hampden died December 17, 1995 in Bangor. She was "the telephone operator" for the town of Hampden for several years. Claris was the oldest continuing member of the Hampden Congregational Church, a member of the Hampden Historical Society, the Mayflower Society, and the Descendents and Early Settlers of Hampden. She enjoyed gardening, cooking, and canning.

She is survived by two aunts and many cousins and special friends.

Harriett True Bunker R.N. '36 EMGH died March 14, 1996 in Brewer. She worked as a nurse at Eastern Maine Medical Center and retired from St. Joseph Hospital in Bangor. Harriet was a volunteer at St. Joseph Hospital and a member of the Eastern Maine Nurses Alumni Association.

Survivors include her husband, Donald, daughters, Carol Tracy, Diana Eaton, and Mary Kidder, and grandchildren.

Alice Guptill Lewis '36 died December 2, 1995 in Winterport. Alice worked for the State of Maine Department of Human Services for many years. She enjoyed her family, crafts, cooking, and gardening.

Survivors include her son, Harry, daughter, **Anne Lewis Perrin '67 ETE**, and their families.

Hilda Bailey Prince '36 ETE died April 30, 1996 in Brewer. She was Treasurer and clerk of her husband's plumbing and heating business, R.F. Prince Co, Inc. of Brewer for forty years. She was also employed by Merchants National Bank, Penobscot Savings Bank, The University of Maine System, and Ferris, Dearborn and Willey, a Brewer law firm.

Hilda was very active in the community serving the Republican Party, The Sunshine Club for Crippled Children, Athene Club, EMMC volunteers and many other organizations.

She is survived by her husband, Raymond, daughter, Christine, and granddaughter, Kathleen, and their families.

Philip Owen Jarvis '36 died February 14, 1996 in Bangor. He was an auditor for the Eastern Trust and Banking Company before starting his own grocery business on the corner of Birch and Garland Streets in Bangor, which he operated for thirty years.

He was an avid bowler and was the first member of the Northeast Ten Pin Association to be elected to their Hall of Fame. He was active in the antique business. Phil enjoyed nature and gardening and people.

He is survived by his wife, Pearl, son, David, daughter, Linda, and three grandchildren, Robert Jarvis and Matthew, and Lisa Collins.

Guy Leonard '38 ΜΣΧ died January 17, 1996 in Salem, Massachusetts. Guy, a resident of Peabody was an accountant and auditor. He was employed by the Eastern Corporation in Brewer and as controller of the Royal Lace Paper Co. in Brooklyn. He moved to Washington, D.C. where he was an employment specialist with the Department of Labor. Later he became District Director for Internal Affairs with the U.S. Customs Service in Boston.

Guy served in the United States Army with the 5th Infantry Division in Europe and was wounded in action in the Battle of the Bulge. He was discharged as a captain. He was an accomplished musician and played piano for many local bands.

Guy was a loyal alumnus, and we will miss his many visits to Husson when he came to Bangor.

He is survived by his wife, Joyce, son, Scott, and a brother, Dr. Frederic A. Leonard of Melbourne, Florida.

Barbara Diffin Clukey '41 R.N. EMGH died April 1, 1996 in Bangor. Barbara, a resident of Dexter, worked for 21 years at Plummer Memorial Hospital. She was the Director of Nursing for many of those years. Subsequently, she was a charge nurse at Dexter Nursing Home.

Survivors include her daughters, Judith Duke and Bonnie Phinney, a stepson, Barney Clukey, and stepdaughter, Sally Ann Hobbs, and many grandchildren.

Hale Joy '42 ΜΣΧ died October 28, 1995 in Ellsworth. After graduation, Hale worked with his father in the grocery business for 18 years. For the past 33 years he served as editor, managing editor, contributing editor, and assistant to the publisher of the Ellsworth American. Hale also wrote a weekly column, "Just Pondering" for more than 30 years.

Hale was much loved by his family, his co-workers and his community. James Russell Wiggins, his publisher and former ambassador to the United Nations, eulogized him for "his clever writing style, his remarkable grasp of historical anecdotes and his understanding and knowledge of Ellsworth history".

Hale was a loyal Husson alumnus who served on the Alumni Board and was always encouraging of our efforts. He served his community as a charter member of the Ellsworth Junior Chamber of Commerce, founded the Ellsworth Camera Club, was president of the Maine Press Club, and director of the Chamber of Commerce. He was a charter member of the Ellsworth Players and appeared in more than twenty plays. He was a member of the Ellsworth Historical Society, the Hancock County Extension Committee, the Historic Preservation Committee, and a trustee of the Col. Black House. Hale served on many other boards and committees during his life time.



He was predeceased by his wife, **Eleanor Libby Joy '41** ETE. Survivors include his three sons, Richard, William, and Steven, daughter, Linda, and two grandchildren.

Mildred Tremble Polyot '41 died July 6, 1996, in Bangor. She retired from the New England Telephone Company after many years of service. She was a member of St. John's Church and a member of the Telephone Pioneers.

Mildred is survived by her children Stephen, Catherine, and Susan and their families.

Drucilla Chipman Little R.N. '46 EMGH died March 18, 1996 in Augusta. After graduation, she attended the Boston University Psychiatric Nursing Program from 1949 to 1951. She was a clinical instructor at Bangor State Hospital from 1946 to 1957. From 1958 to 1984 she worked at Augusta Mental Health Institute as a psychiatric nursing instructor and director of Nursing Services.

She was past state president of the Maine State Nurses Association, a member of the American Nurses Association, the Eastern Star, the MSEA and many other organizations. Each year, the Maine State Nurses Association presents the Drucilla C. Little Nursing Award to a deserving member. She also was a member of the Eastern Maine General Hospital Nursing Alumni Association.

She is survived by her mother, Agnes Chipman, her sister, Sarah, and grandchildren.

Pauline Cowin Bagley R.N. '46 EMGH died at Orono in October. She spent most of her working career in New Jersey where she taught Nursing Arts at Overlook Hospital in Summitt and at Morris County Hospital. Pauline was also a member of the Class of 1944 at the University of Maine.

Mary Annis King Strees RN '46 EMGH died November 16, 1995 in Silver Spring, Maryland. She married Leo V. Strees of Washington, D.C. on June 17, 1950 in Bangor. Shortly thereafter, they moved to the Washington, D.C. area where she lived for the rest of her life. She attended Georgetown University and received a degree in Linguistics in 1974. She was a long time member of the American Diabetes Association.

She is survived by her husband, Leo, daughters, Alice Sasser and Anne Steven, and a granddaughter, Jennifer.

Walter E. Dinsmore, Jr. '47 died March 28, 1996 in Bangor. Walter was a resident of St. Albans. He served in both the U.S. Navy and the U.S. Marine Corps and was a reservist with the Army National Guard. He was active in the VFW and AARP.

Walter worked in the air conditioning field in Connecticut and managed E.M. Leow Theaters. He retired in 1978.

Walter was fond of children and performed as Santa Claus at the Hartford Civic Center for many years. He was a cartoonist and his drawings and coloring books reflected his sense of humor and his love for children.

Survivors include his wife, Rose, daughter Mildred, and grandchildren.

Lucille Boulan Gregoire '48 died May 5, 1996 in Enosburg Falls, Vermont. Lucille and her husband owned and operated Gregoire's Sawmill in Enosburg for twenty years.

Survivors include her husband Albany, mother, Glennie Boylan, three sons, Larry, Patrick, and Wayne, two daughters, Annette and Tawnya, and their families.

Frank Rogers '48 died April 17, 1996 in Bangor. Frank retired after 42 years as an accountant for Bean and Conquest. He served in the U.S. Navy on the Bunker Hill CV-17.

Survivors include his wife, Grace, five children, Garth, Kevin, Greg, Lisa and Leigh, and their families and three grandchildren.

Clifton Reynolds '48 died December 27, 1995 in Tucson, Arizona. Cliff was a U.S. Army Veteran serving in Korea and Japan. He was a radio and television announcer working at Channel 2 in Bangor and WCSH-TV in Portland. He enjoyed travel and golf and escorted golfing groups to Scotland, Bermuda, and Canada.

He is survived by his wife, Carol, two daughters, Bonita Hobbs and Deborah Bassett, a stepdaughter, Carol Lawrason, and stepson, Michael Shea, and brothers and sisters.

Joan Foster Conover '49 died November 12, 1995 in Portland. Joan began her career in Bangor with Rice and Miller and for 42 years she was with Emery Waterhouse in Portland and was still employed there at the time of her death. She was involved with her church and enjoyed bowling, cooking, gardening, and her granddaughters.

Survivors include her daughter, Susan Raatikainen and two granddaughters.

Ora Clarke '50 died April 9, 1996 in Old Town. He retired in 1991 from N.H Bragg & Sons of Bangor after 20 years of service. Ora enjoyed building furniture and working with his computer.

Survivors include his wife, Beverly, and daughters, Orene Nesin and Janine Clarke, and their families

Victoria Gadon Boynton '51 of Millinocket died February 3, 1996 in Brunswick. Victoria served in the United States Army during World War II in the Philippines. She was a homemaker most of her life, but also had worked as a hairdresser and a secretary.

Survivors include her two sons, Francis and Edward Boynton Jr., and their families.

William G. "Bill" Martin '51 died June 22, 1996 in Lewiston. Bill was a resident of Ocala, Florida, and a former resident of Orono.

He servied in the U.S. Army as a member of the 428th Escort Guard in World War II. He saw action in five major battles.

Bill was employed by the Maine Central Railroad for 32 years until his retirement in 1982. He was an excellent golfer, having won 16 amateur golf championships in Maine.

Survivors include his wife Ethelyn, daughter Nina Gallant, a brother and three sisters.

Frank Gardiner '51 ΜΣΧ died June 9, 1996 at his home in Bangor, Frank was a retired teacher, having taught in Hodgdon, Skowhegan and Bangor before retiring in 1984.

Frank had a master's from the University of Maine and had studied at Ricker College and the Bangor Theological Seminary.

His life was characterized by community service. He was active in his church and served as a director, board member or volunteer for such organizations as the Greater Bangor United Way, Bangor Regional Speech and Hearing Center, Bangor Toastmaster's Club, Boy Scouts of America and Eastern Maine Medical Center. He had a life long interest in history and geneology.

Survivors include his wife, J**oan (Thibodeau) '48**, daughters, Gail and Deborah, son, Joel and their families.

Dana Pinkham, Sr. '51 died October 28, 1995. He was a resident of Freeport. Dana owned and operated Sullivan Ford in Bangor, and built the building which still houses the Ford dealership in Bangor. Dana and his wife were in the innkeeping business in Edgecomb and he was the co-owner of the Eagle Motel in Freeport. He was active in civic and church activities.

He is survived by his wife, Gloria, sons, Michael, David, and Dana, Jr., and daughter, Rachael; two brothers, Doug and Howard, and five grandchildren.

Robert Leighton '53 of Dover Foxcroft died January 21, 1996 in Summerfield, Florida. He was a U.S. Army veteran. After leaving Husson, Bob earned a degree from Boston University. He retired in 1995 after 36 years as an accountant at Bethlehem Steel.

Survivors include his wife, Shirley, daughter, Karen Fink, sons, Jeffrey and Mark, and their families.

Diane Milner Borda '54 R.N. EMMC died April 19, 1996 in Rockville, Maryland. She lived for many years in the Washington D.C. area, raising her family. After her children were grown, Diane returned to Nursing and was working at the Potomoc Ridge Adolescent Treatment Center at the time of her death. She was charge nurse and a tireless advocate for troubled children.

Survivors include her husband, Frank, children Bryan, Gary, Eric, Frank Jr., and Elizabeth, and their families.

Marietta Jacobson Brown R.N. '55 EMMC died January 8, 1996 in Washburn. She was a nurse at Cary Hospital in Caribou for over 40 years in various capacities. Marietta was instrumental in establishing the specialty clinics at Cary and in 1980 became the full-time clinic coordinator. In 1995, she was given Cary Medical Center's Nurse of the Year Award. She was active in church activities and a member of Eastern Star.

She is survived by her husband, Robert, and two sons, Frederic Ringdahl III and Tommy, four daughters, Marlia, Carrie, Susan, and Cynthia, and their families and ten grandchildren.

Gerald "Ted" Farrell '56 died February 19, 1996 in Winterport. Ted served in the U.S. Navy on the U.S.S. Midway during the Korean War. He lived in West Palm Beach, Florida for many years. He retired to Maine in 1989, after the death of his wife Rosemary.

He is survived by a brother, Richard, sister, Diane, a daughter, Jane, four grandchildren, and a stepdaughter Sharon Garcia.

Lois Nickerson Severance R.N. '56 EMMC died January 1, 1996 in Ellsworth. Lois was a public health nurse with the Department of Human Services for twenty-four years. After retirement, she volunteered her time with the Preschool Medical Health program screening children.

Lois is survived by her husband, Donald and their two sons.

Mitchell E. Finn '57 died May 12, 1996 in Bangor. He was a sales representative for 28 years with Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. He also was employed by the Penobscot County Sheriff's Department. Mitchell was involved in the DARE project and was a member of masons.

Survivors include his wife, Sandra, and daughters, Sharyn and Hope.

Terrence C. Coyne '60 ΜΣΧ of Bangor and Palm Harbor, Florida died October 2, 1995 in Concord, New Hampshire. He earned a master's degree from JFK University in California. Terry was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force. He was employed for many years by the P & O Lines, the British Steamship Company. He operated the Hobby Shop in Bath and worked in rehabilitation counseling in Maine and Florida for many years.

Survivors include his two daughters, Erin and Lisa, his former wife Jo, and a brother and two sisters.

John Franklin Guptill '60 of Rumford died October 13, 1995 in Lewiston. John was an accomplished musician and played for many well known bands. He taught for 17 years. He was a counselor at Mountain Valley Training and at the time of his death was employed as a veteran's counselor for the Maine Job Service. John served with the U.S. Navy during the Korean War and was a member of the American Legion.

He is survived by his wife, Patti, daughter, Janet, and son, Robert.

Dennis Gideon '74 of Eddington died January 29, 1996 in Bangor. He worked for 17 years for Eastern Fine Paper in Brewer. Dennis was an avid outdoorsman and for several years coached basketball and baseball with the Holbrook Recreation Program.

Survivors include his son, Jeffrey and sister, Donna, his girlfriend, Lynn Lugdon, and many other relations and friends.

Debra Ann Chase O'Brion '80 ETE died December 26, 1995 in Boston. She was a legal secretary for the McCandless and Hunt law firm in Portland before her retirement last year because of illness. Before that she was a legal secretary for Pierce, Atwood, Scribner, and Lancaster. She also worked several years for SEA Engineering Consultants in Portland. Debra was an outstanding worker and was devoted to her family.

She is survived by her parents, her husband, Richard, three children, Daniel James, Molly Catherine, and Matthew Richard.

Midori Arai '90 died in a car accident on the Island of Fiji on June 15, 1995. Midori studied at the International Center for Language Studies and for a year at Husson College. She was working for a travel agency in Fiji.

Survivors include her parents and brother in Tokyo, Japan.

Class Notes



Dorothy Perkins Wilkins '26 called recently. She has been retired for a number of years having worked in the Bangor Registry of Deeds and for a Bangor attorney. Dorothy has many memories of Mr. and Mrs. Husson and the years on Columbia Street

She resides in Kenduskeag.

Laurence Smith '29 and his wife Marion, celebrated their 62nd wedding anniversary on February 6, 1996. Laurence retired in 1974 after 44 years of service with Merrill Bank. He and Marion reside in Jonesport.



M. Ardis Abbott '40 ETE writes that she has retired from teaching. She has three daughters who are teachers. Ardis is working part-time as a sales manager for Friendly Home Parties.

William "Bill" MacDonald '41 was featured in the May issue of *The Lions Roar*. Bill is retired after a career with J.J. Boulter (now Bangor Welding Supply).

Virginia Glidden '42 ETE retired from the Bangor Daily News in March after 53 years of service to the company. An article by Doug Kesseli of the Bangor Daily states, "Glidden managed to outlast two publishers and many other employees setting a record for longevity at the News that no one expects to be broken".

Virginia serves on the Husson College Alumni Association Board.

Norman Powell '48 writes that, "We enjoyed the Homecoming in September very much. "So glad to see **Emmett Stevens '48** ΜΣΧ and others. The high point of my time at Husson was being manager of the Men's Basketball Team 1947-1948. I will never forget George Husson."



D. Gloria Wheeler '50 ETE is retired and living in Orono. She worked at the University of Maine for 24 years. Gloria enjoys golf, travel, cake decorating, and walking.



Three cheerleaders from the Class of 1951 met at the special Honorary Degree Ceremony during Homecoming '95 for the first time in 44 years. From left to right: ***Lorraine (Morris) McLaughlin*** *- Fort Fairfield,* ***Joanne (Quirk) Munson*** *- Bangor, and* ***Theresa (Nickerson) Dentremont*** *- East Millinocket*

Clayton Rogers '52 ΜΣΧ has been the organist at Columbia Street Baptist Church in Bangor for forty years. He was featured in a Bangor Daily News article in November on the anniversary of the church.

Clayton is a retired business teacher.

Philip Gerow '56 ΜΣΧ retired from teaching after a career of 38 years at Milo High School and Penquis Valley High School. Phil will also retire in July from the Maine Army National Guard. He was a very involved teacher and was active in leading many student activities.

Phil and his wife Ina Jane will celebrate their 34th wedding anniversary in August.

Janice Frazier Graham '58 writes that she is working at Pine Street Elementary School in Presque Isle as a Special Education Aide (Ed Tech II) for grades 3,4, and 5.

Janice and her husband have three daughters and a son.



Andrew J. Pease Jr. '60 has been promoted to senior vice president and chief financial officer of Webber Energy Fuels in Bangor. Andy is a director of the New England Fuel Institute in Boston and is a member of the board of overseers of the Maine Bar Association's Grievance Commission.

George Dyer '60 is a partner with his wife, Henrietta, in Terrazas and Dyer, a public relations and advertising firm in Tuscon, Arizona.

Christian Smart '63 has been promoted to senior vice president of heating oil and LP gas at Webber Energy Fuels in Bangor. Chris is a director and the incoming vice chairman of the Maine Oil Dealers Association and has been involved with several national professional organizations.

Anne Roberts Spencer '63, '83, '91 ΔΣΔ was elected as Second V.P. of the Maine Federation of Business and Professional Women at the Annual Convention held in Bangor June 7, 8, and 9.

D. Vincent McLaughlin '64 ΚΔΦ was a candidate for the House District 48 seat representing Boothbay, Boothbay Harbor, Edgecomb, Newcastle, and Southport.

Vinnie has recently retired as Director of Corporate Taxes and Risk Management from Bath Iron Works.

Leigh Cowing '64 and his wife Samol are now settled into retirement. They spend nine months of the year at their golfing community home in Spring Hill, Florida, and the remaining three months at their fishing camp on Boyd Lake in LaGrange.

Ralph Pinkham '64 of Lamoine has announced that he will seek a seat in the Maine State Senate in District 5. Ralph is a Republican. He retired in 1988 from the Maine State Troopers. He was commander of the Northern Criminal Investigation Division.

Ralph is the owner of Professional Investigators, Inc.

Richard Grabowski '65 is a language arts teacher at Vernon Center Middle School in Vernon, Connecticut. He received his master's from the University of Hartford in 1972. Richard has labeled himself, "The ultimate collector of Carl Yastrzemski memorabilia". He has recently published a book, *Yaz 2* which contains 73 black and white pages on glossy stock, most of which are devoted to photos of Yastrzemski collectibles. Richard and his wife Mary have twin sons, Mark and Glen, a daughter Gail, and a younger son Joel. If any alumni are interested in the book, you can write Richard at P.O. Box 63, Ellington, CT 06029 or give him a call at 1-203-875-2996.

Tom Barrows '66 ΚΔΦ of Houston, Texas, entertained President Bearsley with a round of golf when he visited Texas with his sons. Barrows is a vice president of Shell Oil overseeing their land management operations.

John Boucher '66 ΚΔΦ coached the Southegan high school girl's soccer team to their fourth consecutive Class 1 New Hampshire State Championship. The team had a 19-0 regular session; scoring 135 goals and allowing only 6. John is President of J. and B. Fuels in Manchester and a member of the Husson College Board of Trustees.

Audrey Simpson '66 ΔΣΔ is the assistant librarian at Camden-Rockport High School (SAD #28). Audrey's husband, Roger, is town manager of Camden. Their son Nathan graduated from Carnegie Mellon University with a Bachelor of Fine Arts.

Marshal Morelli '67 writes that he was married on September 16, 1995. Marshal and his family reside in Waterbury, Connecticut.

Noel G. Stroheker '68 ΜΣΧ is a Senior Account Executive with MetLife in York, Maine.



Earl Goodyear '69 was invited to make a presentation to the first meeting in Egypt of The Prince of Wales sponsored Business Leaders Forum. HRH Prince Charles invited 40 leaders of the Business Community meet and discuss how they can contribute to social and economic development. As the first speaker, Earl discussed how CARE leveraged a modest grant from British Gas/Egypt in support of an agricultural extension initiative, to broaden the marketing horizon of several local communities in the Fayoum (Egypt) Governorate. The linking of rural farmers to a new marketing channel in another Governorate resulted in raising their net profits by 400% on the sale of 1,600 tons of onions and enabling the local agricultural cooperatives to commence a series of social services for their members.

Then, HRH Prince Charles explained how he was able to also make a linkage between the needs of an impoverished area in Manchester with the local business community which resulted in the development of a trades training initiative that feeds directly into the manpower needs of the community. The business leaders forum is a global initiative and has captivated the interest of both multinational and local entrepreneurs. And, British Gas, one of the cosponsors of the forum, is still providing CARE Egypt with fiscal support to improve the quality of life for rural farmers in Upper Egypt.

Earl celebrated his 20th anniversary with CARE having served in Indonesia, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Somalia (twice), Sudan (both North and South), Bangladesh and now in Egypt. Earl and his wife Bouakham have two children, Marina , a student at Bryn Mawr, and Matthew, a junior at the Cairo American College

Normand Blanchette '68 is a candidate for the Budget Committee in North Berwick. He has been active in community affairs having served on the school board of SAD 60, the Planning Board, as Library Trustee, and previously on the Budget Committee.

Normand and his wife, Carmen, have two daughters, Norma and Nancy, and nine grandchildren.

Robert Slamin '68 and Dawn Littlefield were married April 15, 1996 in Bangor. Bob is the founder of Downeast Coins and Collectibles of Bangor. Dawn is employed by the company.

The couple resides in Bangor.

Claude P.M. O'Donnell '69 has been appointed regional president of the northern Maine market by Fleet Bank of Maine. Claude will be responsible for managing Fleet Bank's relationships and developing new business in northern Maine.

Claude and his family reside in Bangor where he has been very involved in community service.

Maria De Haan Petrola '69 writes that she and Bob will be moving to the Chicago area soon. Bob is in personnel with the Department of Housing and Urban Development and he has been transferred. Maria has taken an "early retirement" from HUD as the Accounting Division Director. She is looking forward to finding a new financial position in Chicago.

Doug DiMora '69 ΜΣΧ is Controller/Personnel Director of the Garlinghouse Company. Garlinghouse is a leading company in the selling of home plan blueprints from their home plan magazines and book collection.

Doug writes that he is "single and lives quietly with his cat in a condo in East Hartford."



Benjamin Scheetz '70 was awarded a Master of Public Administration from New York University. Ben writes that, "my training at Husson prepared me well for this prestigious program. Thanks to Ms. Swan and Professor Curran for giving me confidence in myself when I entered Husson after my tour in Vietnam. It was a struggle getting good grades but I've had a good life since graduation. Professor Bill Read instilled discipline in my becoming a good student."

Virginia Ladd Baker '71 has been teaching at Rockport Elementary School for 11 years. She and her husband, Andrew, have three children.

Richard Inman '72 is President of Northeast Business Forms in Brewer. He started the business in 1981. Their primary function is to design and market all types of business forms.

Richard is married to **Nancy (McKenney) '67** ETE. They have two children, **Marc '94** and Scott, a senior at Bangor High School.

Richard Stolkner '72 and Rose-Marie Albert were married September 30, 1995. Dick is employed at A.G. Edwards and Sons. Rosie is Director of Finance and Business at the Good Samaritan Agency in Bangor.

Brenda Fraser Castonguay '75 has been named vice president of the Human Resources Department at Carolina Power & Light, an electric utility company with headquarters in Raleigh, North Carolina. She will oversee human resource activities and initiatives that affect CP & L's 7,000 full time employees and 1,000 retirees. She will manage a 150 employee department with offices throughout the Carolinas.

James Garrie Murray '76 has been promoted to vice president of marketing and wholesale heating oil for Webber Energy Fuels in Bangor.

Roberta Simpson Pettigrove '76 writes that she has moved to Atlanta, Georgia. She is a "homemaker and mom now." Her husband is vice president of a marketing company. They enjoy the Georgia winters and are excited about the Olympics.

Roberta and her husband have two boys, John 16 and Michael 9.

Donna Sturgeon Conary '77 is a secretary/bookkeeper at the Dr. Lewis S. Libby School in Milford.

She and her husband Danny and their three children, Dawn 15, Troy 9, and Shane 4, reside in Old Town.

Paul Heher '78 ΚΔΦ and his wife Ellen, and his two stepsons "are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Jenna Alexis, named after her brothers John and Alex, on November 9, 1994." Paul is the Golf Course Manager at the Crocker Neck Course in Cotuit, Massachusetts.

Robert Collins '79 has joined G.R. Phelps and Company, a stock brokerage firm, as an advertising consultant. Robert, a resident of Rocky Hill, Connecticut, was with UNUM Life Insurance Company for twenty-five years.

Debra Shea '79 ΚΛ writes that she has been hired by the town of Temple, New Hampshire as their first full-time Administrative Assistant. She is treasurer of the Temple Volunteer Fire Department. "I would love to hear from some of the alumni in the area".

Debra and her children, Tracy 14, Christine 12, Joseph 5, and Steven 1, reside in Temple.

Gain Francis C.P.A. '79 Tax Partner at Coopers and Lybrand in Portland was a presenter at the Maine World Trade Association's January seminar in Bangor and Portland. His subject was "Transactional and Entity Selection in International Business".



Jeanne Beckmann '80 ΔΣΔ and Bill Donnelly were married on May 6, 1995. Jeanne is Assistant to the Board Administrator of The State Street Bank and Trust Company in Boston.

The couple reside in North Quincy, Massachusetts.

Gail Kelley '80 was coordinator for the annual 9.5 mile MS walk for Multiple Sclerosis in Bangor which raised $13,300. Gail is a board member for the Maine Chapter of the MS society. She manages Senator Olympia Snowe's office in Bangor.

Darlene Metcalf '80 writes from Mexico City, "After spending four years in Paris, my husband and I have moved to Mexico. He is employed by a big oil and construction company called Bonygres. They are the ones who built the tunnel from England to France."

Darlene earned her translation degree at the Universite Paris VIII in Spanish, French, and English. She is self employed as a translator.

Darlene and her husband have three daughters who go to the French - Mexican school, and are growing up in a trilingual environment.

Beth Gibbs '80 ΚΛ has been promoted to vice president and treasurer of Thomas College in Waterville. Beth has been with Thomas since 1989 and has served as its chief financial officer since 1993.

Master Sgt. Stephen C. Talbot '80 was recently honored as the 1995 Maine Air National Guard Senior NCO of the year.

Pearl Jenkins '81 ETE was in to visit in June. Pearl is Assistant Director of Financial Aid at the New Jersey Institute of Technology in Newark.

She resides in West Orange, New Jersey.

Sheri Peabody '81 and Casey Cobb are engaged. Sheri is employed as a critical care nurse in the coronary care unit at Eastern Maine Medical Center. Casey is a doctoral student in Educational policy at Arizona State University.

The couple plan a July 27, 1996, wedding.

Betsy Margeson DiCapua '81 ΔΣΔ writes that she has started her own small business called Team Work. She does "group process and strategic planning as well as facilitation." She has just finished a major project with a hospital. Betsy also does the accounting for her husband's medical practice.

Betsy and Samuel have two daughters, Caitlin 6 and Brittany 3.

Diana Bolduc Perry '81 ETE writes that she was married to Michael Perry on February 2, 1995. Diane is a mortgage loan officer at the Oxford Federal Credit Union in Mexico. Michael is in the Merchant Marine.

Lisa Dumond Collins '82 ΔΣΔ and her husband **Denis Collins '92** TKE are pleased to announce the birth of their son, Andrew, born on June 7, 1995. Lisa has been with the Bangor School Department for nine years.

Kevin Frazier '83 has been appointed accounting manager for the University of Maine Foundation.

Cem Ipek '83 is married and has two daughters. His wife, Zeynep, writes that he is very busy as the manager of a factory and a holding company.

Cem and Zeynep and the children reside in Istanbul, Turkey.

Carolanne Dionne '83 writes that she has her Real Estate License and is employed by Security Realty of Abbott, Maine. In addition to homes in the area, Carolanne can help with purchases of camps and woodlands.

Father Andrew Dubois '84 ΤΕΦ is an associate priest at Saints Peter and Paul Parish in Lewiston. Drew is working with **Father Real Nadeau,** former Husson College Chaplain.

Arturo Perez '84 is employed by Pepsico. He is responsible for introducing Kentucky Fried Chicken throughout South America.

Arturo and his family reside in Caracas, Venezuela.

Dawn Koris Nash '84 ΔΣΔ has been appointed Trust Representative by the Board of Directors of the Livermore Falls Trust Company.

Dawn and her husband, Steven, and son, Douglas reside in Turner.

Bob Guerette '84 MSB is a partner in Brogue Financial Services, Inc. in Bangor.

Brett Stacey '84 ΚΔΦ has been named general manager of the Holiday Inn on the Odlin Road in Bangor.

MU SIGMA CHI HOMECOMING

Mu Sigma Chi celebrated its homecoming on the first weekend of May. A brunch was held in Dickerman Dining Commons to honor ΜΣΧ brother Bill Curran's sixty years of service to Husson College and to the fraternity. A portrait of Bill was unveiled and presented to the college. Brother **Phil McTique '70** made the presentation to Bill.

The brothers also had their annual picnic at Jenkin's Beach on Green Lake over the weekend. Alumni brothers participating in the homecoming festivites were **William Curran '37, Paul Goss '59, George Maximic Sr. '62, Richard Trott '65, Phil McTigue '70, Barry Gass '86, David Gallant '85, David Cook '91, Mike Warman '91, Jeff Williams '91, George Maximic, II '89, Phil Mather '92, Mike Hulsey '88, Mike Boulanger '93, Mike Perko '94, Andrew Maximic '94, Peter Deber (NESB), Mike Schultz '86, Steve Howe '92, Jeff Buzzell '92, Carl Marchetti '87, Steve Ferris '85, Pat Emerick (NESB), Greg Berry '95, Matt Gilbert '95, Mike Fontaine '89, Scott Riendeau '94, William Hubbard '92, David Emerson '94,** and **Larry McDonald, Advisor.**



Front: ***Paul Goss '59, Bill Curran '37***
Back: ***Andy Maximic '94, Mike Perko '94, Dave Cook '91, Phil McTique '70, Mark Boulanger '93 Greg Berry '95, Dave Emerson '94, Jeff Fabiano, Matt Gilbert '95, Tim Crowe, Andy Gary, Phil Mather'92, Michael Fontaine '89***

Lisa Bombaro Boaz '85 ETE and her husband, Doug, are pleased to announce the birth of their son, Grant Taylor Boaz, born on August 15, 1995. Lisa is Marketing Services Supervisor for Courtaulds Performance Films in Martinsville, Virginia.

Joseph Gallant '85 is an owner of Beacon Cadillac-Oldsmobile-Jeep-Eagle of Bangor. He was featured in a recent article by Les Myers in the *Bangor Daily News*.

Walter Gilpin '85 MSB has joined Acadia Insurance Company of Westbrook as senior claim representative in Aroostook County and for parts of Northern Penobscot and Washington Counties. Walter is coauthor of the textbook *Property Adjusting*, which is used nationally to train insurance adjusters.

Rhonda Parady White '85 is an Executive Secretary for WBRC Architects/Engineers in Bangor. She and her husband, Bob, were married June 11, 1988. Bob works for Bangor Neon.

Robert McCurley '85 is a Job Specialist for Jobs for Maine's Graduates in Van Buren. His job is to assist at risk and disadvantaged youth in graduating from high school and thereafter finding and keeping quality jobs through a state supported school-to-work transition system.

Bob resides in Caribou.

Thomas Clarke '85 MSB is president of Lenox Healthcare Inc. of Pittsfield, Massachusetts. He recently announced the merger of Lenox affiliate, York Hanover Pharmaceuticals Inc. with Metro Vision of North America, Inc. The merged companies have projected 1997 revenues of $24,008,000.

Thomas started Lenox Healthcare in 1991.

Michael Vining '85 ΚΔΦ writes, "I am moving to Michigan with my wife of two years as a region manager for Vanden Bergh Foods, better known for their brands: Ragu Spaghetti Sauce, Mrs. Butterworth's, Promise, I Can't Believe It's Not Butter, Shedds Country Crock and Imperial Margarines. It is a sister company of Lipton and also a division of Unilever. My region will consist of the entire state of Michigan and Northern Ohio and responsibility for 75 million dollars in sales and over 100 people in our brokered sales force".

Richard Boody '86 MSB served as Marshal of the July 4th parade in Bridgton. Richard is a retired auditor for the Department of Defense.

Debbie Daigle Grant '86 ΚΛ is an accountant with the retail division of Cole Haan in Yarmouth. She and her husband, Brian, have one son, Zachary Dallas Grant, born November 7, 1995.

John R. Kidder '86 ΜΣΧ and **Karen Carle Kidder '87** ETE are the proud parents of twin daughters, Morgan Leigh and Abbey Carolyne born on November 22, 1995. John is a Human Resource Assistant at the University of Maine. Karen is a Word Processor at Civil Engineering Services Inc. of Brewer.

The couple have purchased a new home in Bangor.

Joanne Roach Campbell '86 '91 MSB has been appointed vice president of Camden National Bank's Residential Mortgage Loan Department. Joanne is a member of the advisory board to the Office of Consumer Credit Protection and a former member of the board of directors for the Maine Mortgage Bankers Association.

Dan Szmigulski '87 has joined the Hallowell Police Department as a full time police officer. Prior to joining the force, Dan worked five years as a sales representative for Caterpillar and for the past four years, operated his own silk screening business.

Dan and his wife, Melissa, have two children, a son six, and a daughter one.

Teresa Grant McIntyre '87 ΔΣΔ writes that she and John have recently been transferred to Lanesboro, Pennsylvania. Teresa and John have a daughter, Tori Lynn, 2.

Peter Mainguy '86 ΜΣΧ is currently Director of Sales and Marketing of Le Royal Meridien Hotel in Manama, Bahrain. Le Royal Meridien, one of the most prestigious hotels in the Middle East, was opened in November of 1994.

Peter writes, "Never give up on the Greek organizations as they promote an invaluable college experience, socially and academically. My experience with ΜΣΧ helped me a great deal in my field."

Peter is married to **Karen Day '83**. They have a daughter, Skye, born in April of 1992. Peter and Karen have purchased a home on Branch Lake in Ellsworth.

Dorene Smith '87 and Paul Elkins are engaged. Dorene is employed as an accountant at Unitel, Inc. in Unity. paul is employed at Tilcon Inc. in Fairfield.

The couple plan an August 10, 1996 wedding.

Brent Hartley C.P.A. '87 has been promoted to manager in the Bangor office of Berry, Dunn, McNeil, and Parker. Brent is a board member of the Institute of Management Accountants.

David Doane '87 ΤΕΦ has been appointed assistant vice president and commercial loan officer for Merrill Merchants Bank in Bangor. David's new responsibilities will include business development and administering the bank loan portfolio.

Deborah Jordan C.P.A. '87 has been appointed senior vice president at Merrill Merchants Bank in Bangor. Deborah is the bank's chief financial officer.

Holly Welch '87 has joined the Bangor Area Visiting Nurses as Manager of Personal Care Services.

Joseph Cassidy '88 TKE has been named personal lines account executive by the Dunlap Corporation in Bangor.

John Ferry '88 was in to visit recently. John is District Representative for P & M Manufacturing Company which deals in Plumbing Specialties and Repair Parts. John's wife, **Beth (Raymond) '90**, is a registered nurse at Mid Maine Medical in Waterville.

Juelle Dunbar Clark '88 MSB has been named executive director of the Bangor Humane Society.

Jay Pearl '88 and Darcy Jo Burke are engaged. Jay is employed by the Dawson-Bradford Agency in Bangor and Financial Benefit Services Corp. in South Portland. Darcy Jo is employed by United Bank.

Velma MacLaughlin '88 and Sean Christian Jones were married August 19, 1995 in Ellsworth. Velma is employed by Maine Coast Physicians Affiliates. Sean is employed by Noddin Electric Co. and County Ambulance.

The couple reside in Hancock.

Timothy Shaw '88 TKE was honored by the Finance Authority of Maine with the distinguished Dirigo Award for 1995. Tim is commercial lender and assistant vice president at Katahdin Trust Co. of Patten.

Robin Winslow '88 and her husband, Donald, are pleased to announce the birth of twins, Devin Mikel and Alexis Jordan, born March 3, 1995. Robin is a Medical Billing Clerk for Redington Medical Associates in Skowhegan. Donald is with Maine Sysco in Newport.

Gary Michaud '88 TKE was in to visit. Gary is a resident sales representative with Liberty Mutual in Scarborough.

Joe Cassidy '88, Rick McDougald '83, Scott Oxley '89, Gary Michaud '88, Brian Letourneau '91, Ken Grant '92, Tom Carlton '95, Chad Frost '95, Aaron Gary '95, Rodney Bryant '95, Rich Bourget '95, Adam Robertson '95, and **Wolfgang Freund '92** were all back to participate in TKE's Annual Alumni Weekend.

Yasutaka Yamada '88 is assistant manager of the International Planning Center for Dai-Ichi Mutual Life Insurance Company in Tokyo, Japan.

Susan Beagan R.N. '89 and Steven Berry are engaged. Susan is a registered nurse at Eastern Maine Medical Center. Steven is employed by Chadwick BaRoss in Bangor.

Carrie Ann Driscoll '89 and Douglas Scott Campbell are engaged. Carrie Ann is employed by Color Concepts Inc., in Bangor. Douglas is a member of the Maine Army National Guard and is employed by Ames Department Stores.

Jorge Chrystman '89 is a Technical Analyst I with Blue Cross/Blue Shield in Florida.

George and his wife reside in Orange Park, Florida.

Raymond LaPlant '89 MSB was elected president of the New England Healthcare Internal Auditors Association. NEHIAA has a membership of 310 from health care organizations in New England, New York and Ohio.

Raymond is internal auditor of Central Maine Healthcare in Lewiston.

Owen Maurais '89 MSB has been named superintendent for Old Town public schools. He has been employed by the Old Town School Department for 22 years. Owen was chosen from a pool of eleven candidates.

Jennifer Birch '89 ETE and Richard Burton were married April 27, 1995 in Rollinsford, New Hampshire. Jennifer is Assistant Manager of Ames Department Stores in Seabrook, New Hampshire. Richard is employed as an electrician.

Jennifer and Richard reside in South Berwick and would enjoy hearing from other ETE Alumnae.

Alan Anderson '89 is the manager of the Dexter Shoe Store in Brewer, Maine.

Tina Wood '89 has been appointed treasurer of Androscoggin Savings Bank. The bank has eight branches in central and coastal Maine and assets of $244 million.

Katie Barnes Cyr '89 ΔΣΔ and **Jerry Cyr '89** TKE write that they are the proud parents of Taylor Jacob Cyr, born on June 2, 1995.

Katie and Jeff and the baby live in Concord, New Hampshire.

Gary Hebert '89 was promoted to Market Manager for Aroostook County by United States Cellular of Presque Isle. Gary and Jola had their first child, Hannah Lee, on March 15, 1995.

Gary and his family reside in Caribou.

Annette Tracy McKay '89 is credit manager for Irving Oil in Bangor. She is responsible for commercial billing, collections, and credit granting in addition to overseeing the credit card functions.

Dennis Lally '89 and Stacey Fish were married September 23, 1995 in Orrington. Dennis is employed by the Bangor Police Department. Stacey is employed by the Eastern Maine Medical Center.

The couple reside in Bangor.

Martha Nickerson '89 MSB, a physical therapist at Maine Coast Memorial Hospital, has recently become certified to use the Key Assessment equipment. Her certification on the equipment will assist MCMH employers and patients know when it is safe to return to work.

Martha also received Certification as a Clinical Instructor in October 1995 from the New England Consortium of Academic Coordinators of Clinical Education.

Charlene Shores '89 ΚΛ and **Brian Letourneau '91** TKE were married October 14, 1995 in Old Town. Charlene is employed by the University of Maine, Orono. Brian is employed by the Old Town - Orono YMCA

The couple reside in Old Town

Kelly Ribeiro-Rochon '89 writes that she was, "married to Craig Rochon in June 1990. March 1993 saw the arrival of their twins girls, Cortini and Amanda." They reside in Rutland, Vermont. Kelly has one year of college remaining. She plans to teach high school-U.S. History and Business.

Ronald Hunt '89 is a Commercial Loan Officer, Asset Based Financial Services at Key Bank in Portland.



Robin LeClair Esty '90 is a secretary at Skowhegan Area High School. Robin writes that she is also teaching two classes and is the varsity softball coach.

Dorothy Sockbeson RN '90 writes that she graduated from the Family Nurse Practitioner program at the University of Maine in May of 1995. She is employed by Dr. Dale Walker of Bangor.

Robert Poiesz '90 '95 MSB has been hired to operate the Bangor Veterans Career Center. Robert is a career counselor/job developer and has earned recognition as "certified professional manager". He was named "Adult Educator of the Year 1995" by the Caribou Adult Education Department.

Janet Farren-Tibbetts R.N. '90 has been named director of Nursing Services at the Narraguagus Bay Health Care Facility in Milbridge.

Marcia Gross Wood '91 ΔΣΔ has been promoted to the position of Disability Management Specialist at Champion paper in Bucksport.

Jean Belanger '91 and Kevin Luttrell were married October 14, 1995 in Bangor. Jean is a nurse at Eastern Maine Medical Center. Kevin is employed by Maine Fire Protection in Bangor.

The couple reside in Levant.

Fred Warren Clair '91 and Theresa Maria Cahn were married September 30, 1995 in Bangor. Fred is employed by Coca-Cola Bottling of Bangor. Theresa works for Dr. Thomas Vanidestine in Bangor.

The couple reside in Bangor.

Gary K. Leighton '91 has been appointed director of development at the Eastern Agency on Aging in Brewer. He will be responsible for the agency's capital campaign and other fund raising activities in the four county area.

Carolanne McInnis Caron '91 earned her CPA designation in November 1994. She and her husband, Michael, had their first child, Nicole Elizabeth, on September 2, 1995.

Andy Nadeau '91/'95 MSB has joined the Northern Maine Development Commission as a business counselor for the Maine Small Business Development Center. Andy is also teaching courses at Northern Maine Technical College.

Carl Ross '91 is Vice President of Advanced Payroll Plus in Bangor.

Gary A. Leighton '91 MSB '92 writes that he is, "Operations Manager of a contra-manufacturing company in Newport News, Virginia and reaping the award of achieving a higher degree." "I would like to wish the best to my former students and I hope that they too can find the satisfaction of reaching their goals.

Gary and his wife Nancy have two daughters, Kerrie and Katie.

Pennie Piper '91 and Maurice Duff are engaged. Pennie is employed by Key Bank of Maine. Maurice is with Home Vision Entertainment.

The couple plan a September 14, 1996 wedding.

James Keenan '92 ΤΕΦ and Bonita Sue Hawkins are engaged. Jim is emplyed by Bantly's Landscaping in Conifer, Colorado. Bonita Sue is employed by the Adolescent and Family Institute of Colorado.

The couple plan a September wedding.

Susan Coty Beaulieu '92 and her husband Mark are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Paige Leigha on February 24, 1995. Susan is the vice president of Coty's Hardware, Inc. in Ashland.

Philip Mather '92 ΜΣΧ writes that he is engaged to Lisa Bourgoin of Branford, Connecticut. They plan an October wedding. Phil is a marketing associate for Hall Smith Sysco.

Steven D. Howe '92 ΜΣΧ and **Michelle Duchette Howe '93** were married on February 11, 1995.

The couple reside in Saco.

Jennifer Lynn Haskell R.N. '92 and Chris James Trainor are engaged. Jennifer is employed by Home Health and Hospice of St. Joseph. Chris is a commercial fisherman.

Amie Hopkins R.N. '92 and Bruce Knight are engaged. Amie is employed by St. Joseph Hospital in Bangor. Bruce is employed by ARC Enterprises in Kingfield.

Amy Linscott '92 ETE and Ronald Pelkey were married May 27, 1995 in Millinocket. Amy is employed as a Court Reporter by Brown and Myers in Yarmouth. Ronald is employed by Tilcon.

The couple reside in Brunswick.

Tricia Harrill '92 ETE is controller of GLH Enterprises in South Portland. She is managing the accounting functions for six commercial real estate properties and five companies.

Jeff Buzzell '92 ΜΣΧ and **Susan Gallagher Buzzell '92** ETE write that Jeff is a Manager/Agent with State Farm Insurance. Susan is a registered nurse in Labor and Delivery at Maine Coast Memorial Hospital in Ellsworth.

Jeff and Susan have two children, Alexander 2 and Hanna 1.

Brian Newbegin '92 and Jennifer Marston are engaged. Brian is an accounting manager for Kady International in Scarborough. Jennifer is a first grade teacher at Old Orchard Beach.



Some members of ETE took part in the AIDS March on May 5 and met up with one of Maine's own "VIPs". From left to right: Bethany Robinson '97, Keri-Lee Sherwood '96, Julie Montefesco '98, Senator John Baldacci, and ETE Advisor Charlotte Hanscom.

Nancy Putman '92 was featured in a three page article in the *Maine Perspective*, a publication of the University of Maine, on December 11, 1995. Nancy is a graduate student of the Rural Family Nurse Practitioner Program at the University.

Leola Grant '93 and Christian Carter are engaged. She is employed by Flying J. Inc. in Toledo, Ohio. He is employed by Chrysler Corp. Leola is the daughter of Husson professor Dr. Philip Grant.

The couple plan an August wedding.

Karen Gordon '93, '95 and Dennis Higgins were married June 21, 1996. Karen is Director of Public Relations, Advertising, and Publications at Husson College and Dennis owns and operates Goss TV and Appliance in Levant.

They reside in Hermon, Maine.

Danielle Baudean '93 and **Troy Martin '95** were married September 8, 1995 in Waterville. Danielle is employed by Macdonald, Page, and Co. in Augusta. Troy is employed by Mattson's Home Decorator in Augusta.

Danielle and Troy reside in Waterville.

Sandi Marie Crocker '93 and Shannon Dyer were married August 19, 1995 in Lincoln. Sandi is employed by Neill and Gunter Engineering in Scarborough. Shannon is employed by Weeks Marine in Cranford, New Jersey.

The couple reside in Portland.

Andrew Maxsimic '93 ΜΣΧ and Jennifer Black were married May 27, 1995 in Bangor. Andy is employed by the Glenburn School. Jennifer is employed by the C.B. Sullivan Company.

The couple reside in Orrington.

Kirsten Nielsen '93 and **Dana Scribner '96** were married August 12, 1995 in Scarborough. Kirsten is employed by St. Joseph Hospital in Bangor. Dana is employed by the accounting firm of Ade and Associates in Bangor.

The couple reside in Bangor.

Nancy Perlman '93 MSB has been promoted to assistant vice president at Bangor Savings Bank.

Sonia Russell '93 MSB has been named an associate of Dahl-Chase Pathology Associates. Sonia is a certified medical technologist.

Gervais Theriault '93 has been promoted to assistant vice president of Peoples Heritage Bank in Caribou. Gervais is a member of the ACAP Job Start Program, the Caribou Rotary Club, and the Caribou Board of Appeals.

Marian White '93 and **Michael Fowler '92** were married August 5, 1995 in Brewer. Marian is employed by the Enchanted Garden and Greenhouse in Brewer. Michael is with Berry, Dunn, McNeil, and Parker in Bangor.

The couple reside in Brewer.

Alicia Littlefield R.N. '94 and **Robert Gilmore '91** were married on December 8, 1995 in Belfast. Alicia is a registered nurse at Brewer Rehabilitation and Living Center. Rob is employed by Wight's Sporting Goods in Bangor.

The couple reside in Bangor.

Melanie Thibodeau-Parks '94 R.N. writes from New Castle, Virginia that she is charge nurse at a state psychiatric hospital. She and her husband Dave had their first child, Dylan Wyatt Parks born March 3, 1996.

Melanie Dean Adams R.N. '94 and **Peter Hugh Nelson '94** are engaged. Melanie is employed by Atlantic Home Health, Inc., and Peter is employed by Eastern Maine Medical Center.

Kristi Carr '94 and Rodney Buswell II are engaged. Kristi is employed by Haverlock, Estey, and Curran in Bangor. Rodney is employed by Peavey Manufacturers Co., Inc.

Thomas Foster '94 ΚΔΦ and **Andrea Perolini '96** are engaged. Andrea is from Montevideo, Uruguay and is a senior at Husson College. Tom is employed by Foster, Carpenter, Black and Co., CPAs in Bangor.

Tom is the son of **Kenneth Foster '69** and **Evelyn Burton Foster '69** ETE of Bucksport.

Tracey Chesley Stewart '94 is a market analyst for Irving Oil. She is responsible for tracking markets for the company's petroleum products.

Kelly LaPoint '94 and Shannon Nelson are engaged. Kelly is employed by Taylor Telephone Services, Inc. of Brewer. Shannon is employed by National Car Rental.

Darcy Toothaker '94 and Donald Reed are engaged. Darcy is employed by Guaranteed Title in Portland. Donald is employed by National Semiconductor is South Portland.

Angela Ellis '95 and Thomas R.P Bertrand are engaged. Angela is employed by Katahdin Nursing Home in Millinocket. Thomas is employed by the Millinocket School Department.

The couple plan a July 6, wedding.

Della Shaw '95 has joined Sarasota Memorial Hospital Physician Services, Inc. as its executive director.

Kimberly Smith '95 ΚΛ and **Kenneth Russell Grant '92** TKE are engaged. Ken is branch manager of Key Bank, Brewer. Kimberly is self employed as a court reporter.

The couple plan a New Year's Eve wedding.

Shawn Anderson '95 MSB has been appointed director of human resources by the Visiting Nurses of Aroostook. Previously, Shawn served as director of continuing education for Husson College at our Caribou site.

Bethany Lee Bourque '95 and **Joel Scott '95** are engaged. Bethany is a medical receptionist with The Medical Group in Kennebunk.

Anne Marie Cox '95 and Stefin Brenn were married October 7, 1995 in Bangor. Anne Marie is employed by Maine Coast Memorial Hospital in Ellsworth. Stefin is employed by Eastern Maine Medical Security in Bangor.

The couple resides in Brewer.

Matthew Gilbert '95 ΜΣΧ was in to visit. He has taken a position in customer service with Blue Cross/ Blue Shield of Maine in Portland.

Valerie Grindel '95 writes that she is looking into Master's programs. Valerie is a staff nurse in Geriatric Psychology in Battle Creek, Michigan.

Janice Violette '95 has joined the Dunlap Corporation in Bangor as an employee benefits account specialist.

Ensign Karen Hogan '95 completed the U.S. Navy Officer Indoctrination School in Newport, Rhode Island. Karen is a Navy Nurse.

Jaimie Rowe '95 MSB has been promoted to Vice President Manufacturing and Information Services at Northern Trading Company in Madawaska. He will be responsible for all aspects of manufacturing and Computer Information Services for both Northern Trading Company and the Madawaska Foreign Trade Zone in Bangor.

Peter Marshall '95 MSB has been appointed chief financial officer of Houlton Regional Hospital.

Jean Hills '95 and **Aaron Ryan St. Peter '95** are engaged. Melinda is an accountant with Bangor Humane Society. Aaron is employed as an accountant with Lindsco Equipment Co. in Brewer.

Alice Kneeland '95 has joined Personal Services of Aroostook (PSA) as their new office operations person.

Sarah Dawn Lumbert '95 and Gerry Gregoire are engaged. Sarah is an administrative assistant at Moose River Lumber co. Gerry is employed by Moose River Lumber and owns and operates Northeast Trucking Co.

James Robertson '95 ΚΔΦ is an insurance appraiser for the Hanover Insurance Company.

Shelley McEachern '96 ΔΣΔ and Joshua Mitchell are engaged. Shelly is employed by Bar Harbor Trustworthy Home Center. Joshua is employed by NYNEX.

The couple plan a September 1, 1996, wedding.

Lori Sands '96 has joined the professional staff of Berry, Dunn, McNeil and Parker of Bangor.

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