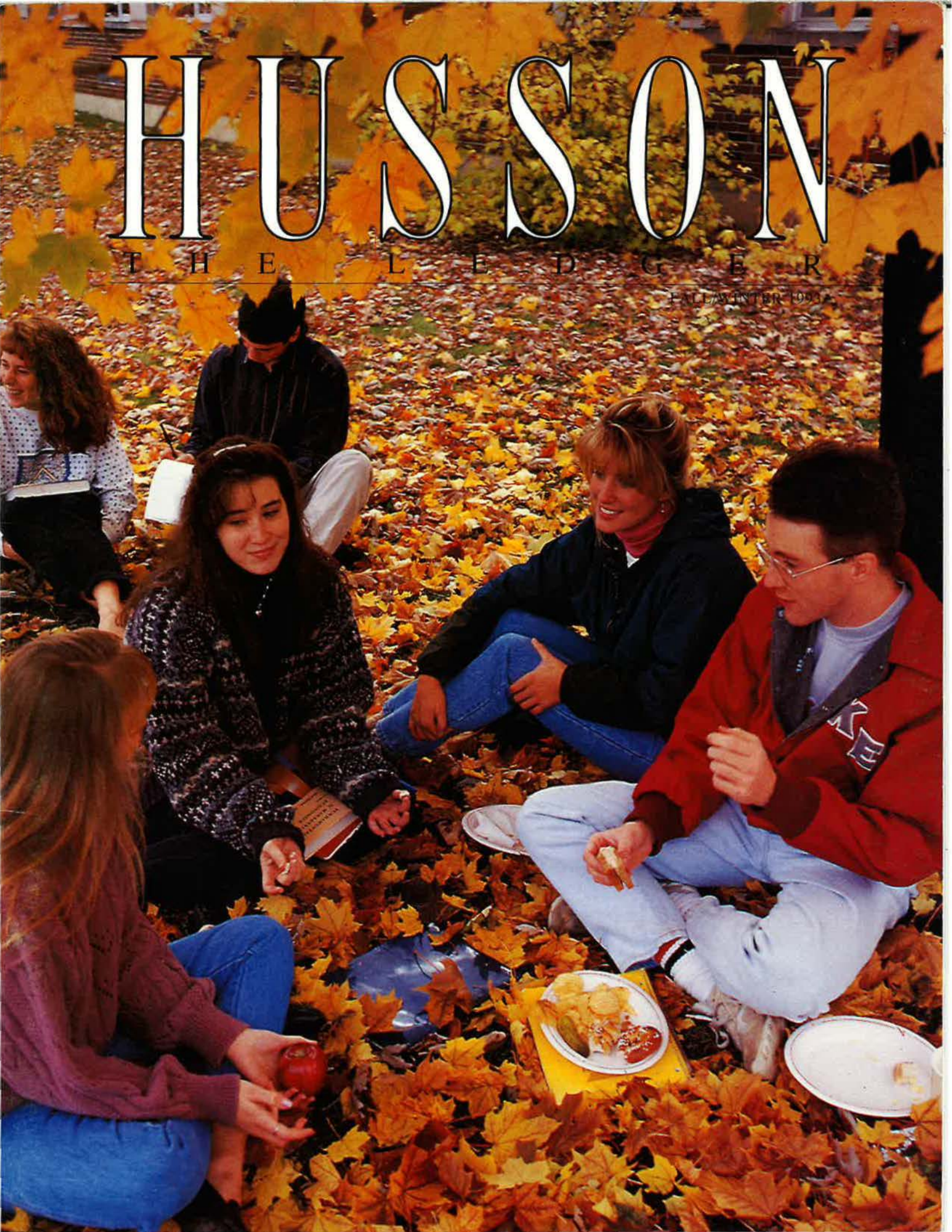

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Dear Colleagues:

A while ago a highly successful graduate told me that when he was a candidate for partner in his firm, the first question he was asked was, "what are your views on the Holocaust?" That incident goes to the cusp of our academic debate for it challenges us to ask the questions, "what should a graduate of Husson know?"; and "what is the role of Arts and Sciences in a Husson education?" Such visioning is the theme of *The Ledger*.

Husson College has been singularly successful over the years because of its unwavering focus on the preparation of graduates for professional careers. In accounting, we offer many advanced technical courses; in nursing, our graduates are exposed to a broad professional curricula and clinical experience; and in court reporting, skill development is exceptional. It is often observed that Husson graduates have the skills and attitudes employers seek, and alumni talk of how well they were technically prepared. Yet the Holocaust story is not an isolated instance and not an uncommon reflection among graduates on how they wish they had better communications skills and a broader base of knowledge. In short, we are challenged to retain our exceptional professional identity while broadening the knowledge base and communications foundation of graduates as they prepare for the complexities of the twenty-first century.

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In May of 1993, 50 faculty and staff participated in a visioning retreat at Bar Harbor. The task at hand was to identify collegiate outcomes for our 1998 graduates, 1998 being Husson's centennial year. Emerging from that retreat were outcomes, such as ethical and global awareness and an enhanced ability to communicate. Task forces are now struggling with these issues and central to this struggle is the role of the Arts and Sciences. Should Arts and Sciences serve as a superlative support function to the business and health programs, or should it focus on a core curriculum of general knowledge for every student, or both? Should Charles Dickens, for example, be taught for the sheer love of literature or should it be taught with an eye to labor economics and public health? Should a lab science and a foreign language be taught on a professional need-to-know basis or as essential to development of scientific thought and global awareness in all students? How important are electives, honors programs and independent study?

The pace of change in the world is clearly increasing, with technology playing a dominant role in the court room, hospital, and corporate office. Few businesses are immune from the impact of international trade. Cultural diversity is the norm in our health care institutions. One local firm is requiring Spanish of several of its employees. With access to a variety of on-line computer databases now a reality, Husson students and faculty alike will soon be faced with an explosion in the volume of information placed at their fingertips. Yet Husson simply cannot be all things to all people; and we are truly challenged to prioritize the things we can, and must, do well.

These are exciting times and there are no comfortable pews in the temple of academia these days. Husson is no exception.

Sincerely,

William H. Beardsley

William H. Beardsley
President

ABOUT THE COVER:

Husson students enjoy some of the mild fall temperatures during a campus lunch break.

Husson Plans for the College of the Future

There's a time-worn quip, that often rings true, that the primary purpose of any institution is to perpetuate itself. So when any institution begins to make plans that would encourage its constituents on all levels to consider new ways of doing business, it is generally worth noting.

That's what is happening now at Husson College. Large and small focus groups are meeting regularly to develop plans, that if adopted and implemented, would make Husson College of the future a reality by the year 1998, the college's 100th anniversary.

Working from different perspectives, the college's trustees and the long-range planning committee determined the need for a vision of the college's future. That vision was developed by consensus during a faculty/staff retreat held last summer in Bar Harbor.

"The committee had just finished updating the plan," said Dr. Robert Smith, who with Dr. Bonnie Haghkerdar, is the co-chair of the planning committee. "We realized that there was a gap between the college's mission statement, which gives us a very broad view of core values, and the very concrete details in the plan. The committee felt we needed something to link the mission and that plan - something we called a vision - that would be a guide for all future planning efforts."

The two-day retreat was focused on the question "What are the attributes of the Husson graduate of 1998?" In a series of large-and-small-group sessions, the 60 or so participants determined that the Husson grads of the future should:

- *be technically and professionally competent.*
- *have ethical standards.*
- *have a positive self image.*
- *possess communications skills.*
- *have global and cultural awareness and sophistication.*

While the vision may not seem radical, some of the methods of making it a reality are both innovative and exciting. In the area of professional and technical competency, for example, one focus group is currently investigating the concept of a multi-modal competency simulation center.

Smith said that although it was not clear at this point what form the center might take, discussions among the committee indicate that it could be an "experiential learning center that does for business and accounting students what the existing learning lab does for nursing."

"For too long, business has been considered neither art nor science, or perhaps a little of both," Smith said. "But



Groups of faculty, staff and administrators met for a two-day retreat this summer to discuss their views of what the qualities of a Husson College graduate should be. The results of these discussions included a vision of what the college should be in 1998, its 100th anniversary.

if it's an art, then our students need a studio, if it's a science, they need a lab, and if it's a sport, then they need a practice field. A center like this would go a long way to distinguish what we do in management education from what most of the other colleges are doing."

Although the discussions around the center are still in the early stages, Haghkerdar said that some specific ideas already had been discussed.

"The concept would include multi-disciplinary faculty teams working with students in simulated work world situations in which students would be expected to demonstrate their technical and professional competence," she said, "as well as an understanding of the broad social, economic and cultural impact of the decisions they need to make."



Richard Chait, professor and director of the Center for Higher Education Governance and Leadership at the University of Maryland, was the facilitator for the retreat.

While a multi-modal center would be a major undertaking, the committee is also considering other ideas related to the vision, some of which can be implemented easily. They have revived the concept of an honor code for students which, after some discussion, has been forwarded to the Faculty Forum for review. The college, at the suggestion of the committee, has established a "Student of the Month Award" which recognizes student achievement in a variety of areas. One subcommittee is investigating new ways to encourage a more global view among students and faculty, including more possibilities for travel and education abroad and even international faculty exchanges.

These are just a few of the tangible elements of what could become a plan for the Husson College of the 21st Century. Although separate from the long-range plan, parts of the vision correspond to components of the plan and to things that already are happening on the campus. Smith noted, for example, that the addition of foreign languages to the course offerings this year had been in the planning stages before last summer's retreat. Offering one or more foreign languages for Husson students, however, is a step toward the vision of a more internationally aware Husson graduate.

Both Smith and Haghkerdar point out that some of the elements of the vision will be fairly easy to implement. Others, however, the simulation center in particular, will not become a reality without a great deal of commitment of time and resources.

"The retreat could be seen as a watershed for the college," Smith said. "I don't think there has ever been a retreat (at Husson) involving such a large number of people with such a concentrated agenda. There could be significant results depending on how well the vision is received, and whether there is the will and the resources to actually implement things in those five areas of the vision."

The exciting thing, according to Haghkerdar, is that there does seem to be a great deal of broad-based support for the ideas in the vision.

"People are buying into it," she said. "People have to be supportive of the plan in order to make it work, and from what I'm hearing around campus, there is a growing consensus among everybody."

Smith said in order to maintain the enthusiasm that was created during the retreat, he felt the committee needed to take some concrete action during this academic year. He said plans call for the committee to concentrate on three areas of the vision, ethics, international efforts and the multi-modal center, and to make a report in the form of recommendations to the college administration by the end of the year.

Nursing Students Learn on the Job

On any given day this summer you could find Rob Jordan up to his arms in suds as he scrubbed to go into surgery at the Maine Coast Memorial Hospital in Ellsworth.

Sometimes he'd help prepare a patient for surgery, sometimes he'd set up equipment, or help with paperwork. Other times he'd actually work with the surgeon during the procedure. He was doing the usual work of a surgical nurse.

What's unusual about this picture is that Jordan is not a nurse. Not yet. He's still a student. He was one of the 30 or so Husson College nursing students who participated in the Nursing Internship this summer at hospitals and clinics from Portland to Caribou and around the country in such institutions as Johns Hopkins University Medical Center, St. Jude Children's Hospital and Cardinal Cushing Hospital.

"It was like nothing I'd ever felt before," said Jordan. "All of a sudden I was there working in the real world. I had a real sense of professionalism and responsibility."

That's part of the purpose of the internship, according to Nancy Grover, an assistant professor at Husson and the coordinator of the program.



Rob Jordan, a nursing student at Husson College, scrubs with Dee Dauphinee, OPA-C, in the surgical unit at Maine Coast Memorial Hospital in Ellsworth. Jordan worked in the unit last summer as part of the nursing internship at Husson.

"The program was designed about seven years ago to help students with the transition from a student role to a role as a graduate nurse," Grover said. " It gives the students an opportunity to take the skills they've learned in school and put them to use in a real work environment. It also helps to get them socialized into the health care environment, learning to work for an employer."

Each student is hired at a hospital or clinic as a nurse's assistant for the summer, Grover said. They work under the close supervision of a nurse preceptor, who monitors and oversees the student during his or her stay at the hospital. In addition, each student has to work on a project that will benefit the hospital. Completed projects ranged from a video memoir of young cancer patients that will be used with other young patients, to a practice unit for various surgical procedures. The projects require a lot of research and hard work, but the primary focus of the internship is patient care.

Amy Langley of Hermon was on the job for only two days when she got first-hand experience with patient care. Her assignment was on the Acute Rehabilitation Floor at Eastern Maine Medical Center. Her first day at EMMC had involved mostly paperwork and very little one-on-one patient care, and she was "a little disillusioned" with the internship at that point.

"But on my second night at work we were working with a patient who had had a serious cardiovascular attack (a stroke). He was 42 years old and he had lost all use on the left side of his body. He was upset and tearful and I talked with him for a long time. I was able to utilize skills I'd learned in the classroom to talk with him and comfort



Amy Langley, a Husson nursing student, checks patient charts with her supervisor, Sherry George, RN, CRRN, at the end of the day at Eastern Maine Medical Center in Bangor. Langley was one of the many Husson nursing students who worked in hospitals and clinics throughout Maine and around the country last summer.

him, and help him to deal with his grief a little.

"When we were done talking, he told me that because of me, he was inspired to go ahead with the rehabilitation, which he hadn't planned to do. That was something pretty special. But what he didn't realize was that he had inspired me to go on with the internship."

She said her time on the floor of the Acute Rehab unit had given her a sense of independence and self esteem as a nurse.

"I learned a lot more than I could ever learn in the clinical (classroom) situation," she said. "I was very much more on my own. I did all my duties on my own and then met with my preceptor at the end of the day. Any time there was a technique that I didn't know, my preceptor would go through it with me the first time and then I'd be on my own."

Jennifer Bridges of Mariaville said the internship experience prepared her for the world she would face after graduation.

Bridges worked in the medical/surgical unit at the Blue Hill Memorial Hospital. Because Blue Hill is a small hospital, she said, she was able to gain experience dealing with different types of cases.

"We handled all kinds of problems, from chronic cases to cancer patients to burn victims. I got a lot of practical experience and I was able to use a lot of the nursing skills I'd already learned. Whenever a procedure needed to be done, if I was available, they'd try to let me do it."

Bridges admitted that at first, she was nervous and unsure in the hospital setting, but the experience helped her to overcome any uncertainties about her career choice.

"I can't imagine going through a nursing program and not doing an internship. It makes such a big difference. I was able to pull together a lot of what I've been learning. This increased my confidence tenfold. I feel really prepared to go out and work."

The internship not only offers the students a real-world experience, it helps to prepare them for their senior year at Husson. The senior year, according to Grover, involves a great deal of patient care, where students are often working individually with patients in a variety of settings.

The internship can also have an effect on a student's future. In some cases it can provide them with contacts within the health-care community that are beneficial later on. And for some students, like Rob Jordan, the internship experience can change the direction of their professional life. After spending the summer working in the operating room, Jordan has decided to continue his education after graduation in order to become a physician's assistant, with an eye toward continuing to work in the operating room.

"I think every nursing student should do an internship because it gives them insight into the kinds of things they might want to do when they graduate," he said. "It shows them the real world. In school, you're a learner. There, you're a worker. I know this internship has opened up some doors for me."

ALUMNI
Profile

The road from Husson College led Phil Harriman, '77, directly to a seat in the Maine Senate. Indirectly.

Harriman was elected in 1992 and is completing his first year as the state senator from Yarmouth.

It was a roundabout route that brought Harriman to the Maine Senate. His father's poor health forced the sale of the family grocery, ending Phil's plans to be the 3rd generation to run the family business. He used his Husson degree to land a job with James Longley's insurance firm in Portland. He'd concentrated on insurance while at Husson, he said, and that background proved to be a great asset because at that time there were not many people in the insurance business with a college degree.

He returned to his hometown of Yarmouth, married, and began to raise a family. He and his wife, Christie, now have three children. At the same time, he became involved in his community. He joined the fire department, where he worked on the 100-foot aerial truck and soon rose to the rank of lieutenant. As he became more involved in town politics, friends convinced him to run for a seat on the Town Council, an election that he won.

"I soon found that that was a hotter seat than the one in the fire department," he said.

His involvement in business and in town government gave him a first hand look at what was happening to the state's economy. His concern over increased taxes and the loss of jobs throughout the state, convinced him to run for the senate.

He says his days at Husson prepared him well for his future as a businessman, civic leader and as a senator. Coming from a small, rural town, Harriman said, his experience at Husson was his first time away from home.

"It was my first exposure to people of different financial, ethnic and geographic backgrounds," he said. " It was a very enlightening and rewarding experience for me. It helped to teach me that people deserve to be respected even when they don't agree with your point of view."

Harriman added that he is proud of the several leadership roles he had at Husson -including president of the senior class and a member of the president's council - and the preparation it gave him for the life he's led.

"Those experiences were very valuable to me in the things I've done, in business, in the fire department, in the town council and now in the senate. I've learned that if you're willing to pay the price of time and effort, you can have a very rewarding experience, just like Husson was for me."

Harriman said he's found a great deal of willingness to work



Phil Harriman '77

together in the Senate and within the House of Representatives as well.

Harriman said he's excited by some of the things the Senate has accomplished during his first year there, including the development of an Economic Growth Council.

"If you don't know where you're going, you generally wind up somewhere else," he said with a smile. "That's been one of the frustrating things for the state's economic community. There hasn't been any real direction. The Council was created to develop a long-range economic plan for the state. I'm really excited about that."

He added that Maine is in a position to become very involved in the growing global economy.

"If you've got the technological base, it doesn't matter where you live. Information can be transmitted anywhere," he said. "With good vision, we can return prosperity to the state while retaining the character of Maine that makes it a special place to live."

ALUMNI Profile

For the past 30 or so years, Dana Dow, '59, has been focused on just a few things: his family, his business and his sport - basketball.

Although he admits that focus has made his life a little lopsided, it has helped him to reach his high school ambition - to be successful. He's been that and more. He and his wife, Joanne, have been married for 28 years and raised two daughters. In the business world, Dow has been employed with Equifax Corp., a Fortune 500 company, for more than 30 years. He's held 14 management positions with the company during those years and now is the vice president for strategic client services at the company's offices in Atlanta.

He's received much recognition for his business achievements over the years, but, he said, none was as special as the award he received this fall - the Husson Alumni Award for Excellence in Business Administration.

"There is no honor that I have received in all these years that is more prestigious than this one," he said at the awards banquet. "What greater tribute can you pay to someone, than for the very institution which prepared him for success to honor him for that achievement?"

He also has taken his expertise in the field of credit relations and applied it to his volunteer work with the International Credit Association. Dow has held many offices in the International Credit Association and in 1985, he was awarded the organization's highest honor, the Merit Award.

"My volunteer work is closely associated with my business activities," he said. "It's a real dedicated activity and it's a way of giving back something to a business that's done well by me."

Dow played basketball during his years at Husson and has maintained his interest in basketball. He runs a regular 3-on-3 basketball league and plays every Sunday afternoon. He also made an appearance in the annual Alumni Basketball Game during Homecoming this year.

"When I turned 50, I thought I'd quit," he said. "I know I can't play forever. But then I thought, why should I quit when I'm feeling so good. So I played five more years, and I'm still feeling good, so I figure I'll go on till I'm 60."

Dow says that the lessons he learned on the court at Husson were lessons he's carried with him in the business world.

"There's a great correlation between basketball and business," he said, "particularly your dependence on other people. You recognize that the hot dogs on the court and the prima donnas in business soon fall by the wayside. You learn in team sports that what's important is what the group can do collectively. And that is what life is all about, the interpersonal relationships among family, friends and business associates."



Dana Dow '59 ΚΔΦ

Dow's dedication and involvement in his industry and his willingness to be part of a team has kept him competitive with a new, younger crop of managers who are now entering the workplace. In his closing remarks at the Alumni Awards Banquet in October, he offered this recipe for success, culled from more than 30 years of experience, which he had given to his daughter as she started her first job after graduating from college.

- *Come to work early, leave late.*
- *Dress a little better than your peers.*
- *You can't learn while you're talking.*
- *Get involved with your business, your community, your industry.*
- *Volunteer when you're not being asked.*
- *In this age of computers and changing business, keep current with your craft.*
- *Take responsibility for everything you do.*
- *Be honest. It's your ethics that you'll be remembered by.*

Dr. Kenneth Allen Retires

Dr. Kenneth Allen, who has been the vice president for academic affairs at Husson, retired at the end of the fall semester this year.

Allen came to Husson in 1991 at the end of a long and distinguished career at the University of Maine. With a graduate degree from Rice Institute (now Rice University), he started his career as a professor of zoology at UCLA before joining the University of Maine in 1963 as the head of the zoology department.



The 1970s and 80s proved to be years of change for Allen. He became the acting dean of the department of arts and sciences at Orono, and in 1975 he moved to the Chancellors Office as the assistant dean of Basic Sciences with the Institute of Health Sciences where he was part of the Medical School Planning Group. In the late 70s he served as acting president for the University of Maine at Augusta, the University of Southern Maine and then the University of Maine at Orono. In 1982, he was named acting vice president for research and in 1984, became the acting vice president for external affairs. In 1986, he returned to the science department at Orono as a professor of zoology, and three years later, he became the associate dean of the College of Science.

He has conducted research in Mexico, 1958-59, in the high Arctic in 1971 and in Antarctica in 1973.

In 1991, Allen took early retirement from the University, and very quickly decided "that I really didn't want to do that."

"I didn't know too much about Husson at the time, but after talking to Bill Beardsley, it became, in my mind, a pretty exciting place to be," he said. "It's probably the best-kept secret in Bangor. It's got an excellent nursing program and accounting program. It needs to beef up some areas a little. But the college is taking care of Maine kids. And the people there ought to feel important because they're a part of that. It's not an easy job."

Allen plays down his role during his time at Husson and stresses that the real accomplishment at the college was the efforts made by faculty, staff and administrators working as a team.

"An individual doesn't matter that much," he said. "What really matters is how people work together for a common cause. I think Husson has a very bright future ahead of it."

For Allen, the future holds a number of different options. He said he plans to do some work with the Immigration Service, an area in which he's been interested for some time. Other areas of interest include research on sea urchins and perhaps, some writing.

Husson's Business Breakfasts

What do Jimmy Carter, George Bush, and George Mitchell have in common?

How about Olympia Snowe, James Longley, John McKernan, Joseph Brennan, William Cohen and James Russell Wiggins?

They've all been guest speakers for the Husson College Business Breakfast - some of them several times - during the 20 or so years the series has been in existence.

In the early 70s, Husson President Barkev Kibarian began a series of breakfasts as a way to acquaint area residents with the college and to encourage more students to consider Husson for their college education.

The series was discontinued briefly, but reinstituted by President Frank Peters and continued by President Del Merrill. It's been going ever since.

One tradition that has developed over the years has been the annual visit from the Governor. Since 1980, Maine's governors have come to Husson to speak at the Business Breakfast. They've been joined by leaders in government and business from all over the state and from around the country.

Speakers this year illustrate the variety of views represented at the Business Breakfasts and have included Allen Fernald, of Down East Magazine, Hugh Farrington, CEO of Hannaford Bros., James Farmer of the Saturn Corp. and Paul Farrow, whose innovative way of making and marketing canoes without any employees earned him a cover on *INC Magazine*.

According to Ken Vogt, Husson's vice-president for institutional advancement, the Business Breakfast has become a respected forum through which the community has access to top business, education, health care and civic leaders.

"We've tried to look beyond the issue of the moment to look for issues that are broader than just local or state concern," Vogt said. "And we look for people whose positions put them in touch with that broad view".

Kilroy Part of Hockey Study

Dr. Timothy Kilroy of Brewer, an assistant professor of Sports Management at Husson College, has been named to the USA Hockey Body-Checking Task Force that will study issues of body contact in youth hockey.

USA Hockey is the governing body for youth hockey in the country from beginners through the U.S. Olympic Hockey program. The study, which will focus on young hockey players through the high school level, will examine injuries sustained by those players to determine if there is a connection between body checking and the injuries. Kilroy said he may be able to use some local youth hockey teams in the study.

Based on the findings, the committee will make recommendations to USA Hockey regarding what limitations, if any, there should be regarding body checking in youth hockey.

The ultimate purpose of the study, Kilroy said, is to make youth hockey as safe a sport as it can be.

"One thing to remember is that hockey is still one of the safest sports that a youth can participate in," he said. "The number of injuries compared to the number of participants is very, very low."

A native of Canton, Massachusetts, Kilroy earned a master's degree in Sport Management at East Stroudsburg University in Pennsylvania and a Ph.D.



Dr. Timothy Kilroy

in Athletic Administration from the University of New Mexico. He played youth hockey and played for a year in college, and has remained active in Youth Hockey activities.

Husson Earns Reaccreditation

The New England Association of Schools and Colleges this fall renewed Husson College's regional accreditation, setting the stage for the college to enter the 21st century. The next comprehensive NEASC accreditation review is scheduled for the year 2003.

The NEASC is the principal accrediting association for baccalaureate and graduate colleges and universities in New England. The reaccreditation decision came after a two-year institutional review which included a comprehensive self study and a major peer review. The peer review team visited the college this summer.

Court Reporting Program Approved

The National Court Reporting Association has granted approval to the Court Reporting Program at Husson College. The decision, which came after an examination of the course requirements at Husson, makes Husson's the only NCRA approved program in the state, and one of only about 100 approved programs in the country.

"Our program has always been very, very good," said Anne Turner, an assistant professor in the program. "This approval confirms that we've been doing things right."



NCRA approval indicates that the Husson program meets standards set by the association dealing with faculty credentials, the speed and accuracy students possess when they graduate, and the preparations they receive in the current technology of the profession. That means, Turner said, that in order to keep the NCRA approval rating, Husson will have to keep pace with changing court-reporting technology. One of the benefits of being associated with the NCRA, she added, is that the association provides workshops and other programs to keep faculty members informed about changes in the profession.

Letter from the Editor



Could the Husson Braves become the Husson Bobcats? Blazers? or Bullets? Well, let's think about it. At one time we were known as the Husson Penmen (I wonder what the women's teams were called?) In the 1930s, we became the Husson Braves, a close alliance with Chief Husson. But all of a sudden we may not be "politically correct" for many reasons.

There have been complaints over the years, but it has been more like a general grumbling centering around the cartoon caricature that was used to depict the Braves or the terms we used for the women's teams such as Lady Braves. The cartoon style is no longer used and we no longer refer to the women's teams as the Lady Braves. This, however, is not really a solution to the problem.

The symbolism of college mascots has been a heated issue for debate for some time and in particular those used to depict American Indians.

What is a mascot? Shouldn't a mascot be representative of the students at the college? Public Relations Offices at colleges and universities around the country are struggling with this issue. Part of their objective is to choose a mascot that shows respect for others rather than creating differences.

If a college votes to eliminate a mascot associated with a people, the debate doesn't end there. Adopting an animal mascot brings its own set of issues and concerns to the platter which then in turn brings about the question, "Should we have a college mascot?"

The issue is up for debate and is currently being addressed on the Husson campus. If you feel strongly about the issue of the "Husson Braves," I urge you to write to us expressing your feelings. We value your opinion and would appreciate your input. Thank you.

Faculty/Staff

Ann Atkinson, Husson's director for student development, presented a paper on Maya Angelou's inaugural poem at the annual meeting of the Speech Communication Association in November.

Atkinson and her research partner, Vanessa Quainoo, a faculty member at the University of Rhode Island, were chosen to present their paper, "Rock, Tree and River: A Rhetorical Analysis of Maya Angelou's Inaugural Poem."

The paper, which was sponsored by the SCA's Black Caucus, analyzed Angelou's poem as a public performance by a black woman. Atkinson said her portion of the paper focused on Angelou's performance against the backdrop of the performance of another black woman - opera star Marian Anderson in her performance at the Lincoln Memorial in 1930 after she was prohibited from singing at Constitution Hall.

Atkinson is currently completing work on her doctoral thesis at the University of Massachusetts in Amherst, which studies the role Frances Perkins played during the 12 years she served as Franklin D. Roosevelt's Secretary of Labor.

Dr. Kenneth Johnson, a professor of Humanities and Social Sciences, has written and edited a textbook on Ethics in cooperation with the Hastings Center for the Study of Ethics in New York.

The Human Value System: Moral Discernment-Moral Judgment, was published by McGraw-Hill Inc. The book is designed as an introduction to basic ethical concepts balanced by interpretive readings which address both economic and social policy issues. It explores the rational basis for moral judgement while it provides a historical overview of the most important discussions in ethics. The text, according to Johnson, attempts to encourage the reader to engage in critical thinking in the context of those value judgements which impact upon ethical decision making.

In addition to his writing activities, Johnson is continuing his research under a Fellowship from the University of Notre Dame.

Maximizing Your Supervisory Performance is the latest book by **Dr. Philip Grant**, a professor of business administration at Husson.

According to Dr. Grant, the book offers managers a prescription for obtaining the highest level of productivity from their work forces. It is "long on application and short on theory," he said, noting that the book is technique-oriented. It is written for the practicing manager, he added, and because it draws on "real life" situations, it is an excellent textbook for students.

The book, according to Dr. Grant, has been 15 years in the making and the contents and mode of presentation have been tested by hundreds of college students and more than 400 practicing supervisors. A number of organizations in central and eastern Maine have contributed to the development of numerous exercises and cases in the book.

President William Beardsley was inducted into the Earlham College Sports Hall of Fame this fall along with his teammates from the 1963 Earlham Men's Soccer Team. Beardsley was a starting left halfback for Earlham during his four years at the college and in 1963, his senior year, the team was the NAIA National Co-Champion. That year, Beardsley also was selected for the All-District Soccer Team.

This summer, Beardsley was elected President/ Treasurer of the Maine Independent Colleges Association, which represents the 12 independent colleges in the state, including Husson.

D. Bruce MacGregor, Husson's men's basketball head coach, has been selected by the NAIA basketball coaches to chair the 1994 National Men's Basketball Championships in Napa, Idaho, next March. MacGregor has served on the three-member committee in previous years. The host school for the tournament will be Northwest Nazarene College.

Shannon Whiting '86, '91, Husson's softball coach was named Coach of the Year by three separate conferences at the end of the season.

Coach Whiting received Coach of the Year honors from the Western Maine Athletic Conference and the Maine Association of Intercollegiate Athletics for Women, and was named NAIA District V Coach of the Year. Whiting said the fact that in each conference the award was selected by the coaches, made each one very special.

She credited the team with the honors she received.

"I couldn't get these awards unless I had players with a lot of desire," she said. "They make it easy for me."

Donna Ault, an assistant professor of nursing at Husson, spent her summer working at Maine Medical Center in Portland under a faculty fellowship provided through the hospital.

Ault was assigned to the obstetrics unit at MMC where her duties were two-fold. Part of the time, she provided clinical care for mothers and new-borns in the unit. In addition, she worked as part of a team that was developing critical pathways for the early dismissal of mothers and babies from the hospital. Her task, Ault said, was to develop a tool that would guide nursing care from the early stages of pregnancy. The idea, she said, is to ensure both mother and child receive the necessary nursing care with a minimal amount of time in the hospital. She said she spent a great deal of time in the hospital library researching critical pathways not only for in-hospital care but for follow-up, in-home visits afterwards.

Ault said the work was intensive and rewarding, adding that it was especially exciting to be a part of the research team at MMC.

Husson's Athletic Director **Pamala S. Hennessey** has been selected to serve on the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics National Conduct and Ethics Committee, one of the few national committees of the NAIA.

The committee is comprised of administrators from NAIA colleges around the country. It is charged with reviewing and acting upon cases involving inappropriate conduct of a physical or verbal nature by players, coaches or fans; cases involving violations of financial aid, recruiting and/or frequency of play and scheduling regulations. It is also concerned with cases involving a student or coach providing false or inaccurate information to the NAIA or to a member institution. The committee reports to the NAIA Council of Athletics Administrators.

In September, Hennessey also was named the 1992-93 NAIA Women's District V Administrator of the Year at the NAIA National Convention in Atlanta.

Hennessey also will represent the Maine Athletic Conference at the NAIA Coordinating Committee for Championships, Northeast Region.

Christanna Cook Wins Grant

Dr. Christanna Cook, an assistant professor in Management Studies, has been awarded a $22,000 grant from the Maine Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics to develop programs to reinforce physicians' knowledge concerning disabilities in infants.

According to Cook, the grant will be administered through Medical Care Development in Augusta, and will present information to physicians dealing primarily with infants, ages 0-5 years old.

"It's very hard with little people to assess if they are developmentally delayed," Cook said. " There are a lot of tools available, but physicians are not always exposed to those things. The grant has allowed us to develop a way to present new information to physicians so they can better diagnose the problems that little people have."

Working with Dr. John Salvato, a pediatrician from Waterville, Cook has developed a series of presentations that already are receiving positive response around the state. The half-hour modules present information designed to reinforce the physicians' knowledge about disabilities in infants, the tools available to test for those conditions, and the current standards of care for special needs children. The modules also help to familiarize physicians with the state requirements and to sensitize physicians to the needs of parents with special needs children.

Mitch Ellisen to Head Annual Fund



Mitchell Ellisen has been named director of the Husson College Annual Fund.

Ellisen, who has been the men's soccer coach at Husson for the past two seasons, will head up the Annual Fund efforts which will include developing relations with Husson alumni, businesses in the community, friends of the college, and current students. Part of his goal, he said, will be to increase the number of Husson alumni who participate in the Annual Fund.

"The biggest challenge will be to increase the percentage of people who are giving to the Annual Fund," he said. "Right now, about 20 percent of our 12,000 alumni are involved in the Annual Fund. We'd like to see that number increase to about 30 percent or more."

While he admits that that is a formidable increase, Ellisen says that there are a number of ways to encourage people to get involved. The first step in that effort, he said, will be to establish Class Agents for each Husson graduating class. The Class Agents, he said, will be a first-line, volunteer staff to help him make contacts with other Husson alumni.

"There are a lot of positive things happening at Husson," he said. "Part of my job will be to let people know about those positive things and to make them feel good about giving, knowing the money will be spent wisely."

The Annual Fund has several categories, Ellisen noted, and include support for the endowment, restricted gifts and unrestricted gifts. Endowment gifts are monies that are put away for the future, he explained, while restricted gifts are funds given to the college for a specific purpose. Unrestricted gifts, he said, provide resources that can be used to meet current needs.

Ellisen is a graduate of the University of Charleston in West Virginia and has taught Math at Nokomis Regional High School in Newport and Science at Hermon Junior High School. Prior to that, he worked for the DIME Savings Bank in New York.

Ellisen lives in Newport with his wife, Sue and their two children. He is active in the Maine Olympic Development Soccer Program and Central Maine Summer Soccer League. He is also the finance director for People's United Methodist Church in Newport.

Husson/Basketball: A Family Tradition for the Leavitts

For Tara Leavitt and her dad, Bob, Husson college basketball is a family affair.

Tara is a sophomore center for Coach Kissy Walker's Braves and last year helped lead the team to an appearance in the semi-finals of the NAIA national tournament. Bob, a member of the class of '71, is an alumnus of Husson's Men's Basketball team, having played under Coaches Bruce MacGregor and Del Merrill.

Both Tara and Bob came to Husson College basketball somewhat unexpectedly.

Bob played high school ball at Hampden Academy on teams that made it to the Eastern Maine State Finals three years in a row. In 1967, his senior year, they lost the championship by 2 points to Old Town. Del Merrill was the coach of the Husson Braves at that time, and he'd seen Bob play.

"He contacted me and offered me a scholarship," Bob said. " I had no plans at all to go to college. I was the first one in my family to get a college degree."

> *"Bob was a consummate team player. He understood his role and he did what was necessary for the team to be successful."*
>
> - Coach D. Bruce MacGregor

Tara, who also graduated from Hampden Academy, planned to go to college and was interested in Husson from the beginning, but she hadn't considered the possibility of playing basketball here.

"I was interested in Husson because of the Sports Management program," she said. "I never considered playing college basketball. I didn't think I was good enough. "

Other people did think she was good enough, however, and a high school teacher convinced her to consider playing ball at Husson. Bob denies that he exerted any pressure on Tara to choose Husson, but admits that he was elated when she opted for his alma mater. Tara added that she didn't choose Husson because her dad had attended, but said that once she was here "it was cool to be playing on the same court as he did."

Both of them agree that basketball has been a big part of their life and in the life of their family.



Sophomore center Tara Leavitt with her dad, a former Husson basketball player, after the Braves defeated Colby this year.

> *"Tara is always ready to help anybody on the team. Whether it's in the classroom or on the court."*
>
> - Coach Mary "Kissy" Walker

"I grew up with basketball," Tara said. "We had a court in the backyard and we were always out there shooting. It was something we always did. I remember as a kid, being out there with dad and he'd be way out on the grass taking three-point shots."

The family includes Bob and his wife Pam (Vanidestine) and Tara's three sisters, Robin and the twins, Emily and Eryn, as well as an extended family who all participated in the back yard basketball games.

"We played a lot during family get-togethers," Bob said. "My three brothers would come up and Pam's brothers all played. There was always a lot of competition during family picnics."

Those backyard sessions taught her a lot, Tara said, and helped her develop a love for the game that has stayed with her through high school and into Husson.

"I just love everything about the game, even the practice and the scrimmages. I can't imagine what it will be like after I graduate and I won't be playing the game that I love."

Bob says it's been great to come back to Husson and watch Tara play. He said he learned a lot at Husson, both on the court and in the classroom, that has helped him build a successful career for himself in the wholesale heating supply business. He's spent most of that career with Webber Supply Co. in Bangor where, for the past 10 years, he's been the general manager of the company.

"Academically I learned a lot from people like Phil Grant and Jack Slomback, things that I've used in my career and that I'm still using today," Bob said. "On the court, I learned a lot about teamwork and I've tried to carry that philosophy into the business world. I have 20 employees working with me and I've tried to use the philosophy of teamwork, with everybody contributing, that I learned from basketball with Bruce and Del. They're the reason I'm successful today."

Tara seems to be gaining some of the same positive experiences. She's excited about her major, even though she's learning that there's a lot of hard work involved. And she's also learning about the importance of teamwork.

"You're with your teammates 24 and 7, all the time. You become really close friends. And you carry that onto the court. You know what each other is like. Sometimes you take out your frustrations on the court, because you know them so well. But you learn to depend on each other, to work as a team."

Men's Basketball Team Travels to Europe

They may not be part of the international jet set, but the Husson College Men's Basketball Team will be doing a bit of their own globetrotting this Christmas vacation.

The team will leave on Dec. 26 for a 10-day tour of four European countries: Belgium, The Netherlands, Germany and France. This will be the fourth time a Husson team has travelled across the Atlantic. On previous trips, teams have toured England and Scotland.

On this tour, the team will be based at the National Sport Centrum in Sittard, Netherlands. The Centrum is an Olympic-style village where the team will hold daily practices with teams from around the world. They'll also compete against some of top European Club Teams to keep in shape for the second half of their season.

In addition, their itinerary calls for visits to Brussels, Amsterdam, Koln and Paris.

Coach D. Bruce MacGregor said this type of trip was of immense educational value for the students. This particular trip will have an added element, he said.

"We'll be staying at the Centrum with athletes from all over the world who are training there. The cultural exchange should be very educational," he said. "For some of our players, this may be a once-in-a-lifetime event. I think the fact that we're sharing in the fund raising for the trip makes it special."

The team has raised funds for the trip through a series of spaghetti dinners, Green and White basketball games, clinics for youngster, raffles, car washes, T-shirt sales and a lot of help from friends and families.

The team will return on January 4.

Braves Win District V Baseball Crown

The Husson College 1993 Baseball team logged a banner season which included the Braves first District V championship since 1976 and their first ever win over the University of Maine Black Bears.

The 7-0 win over the powerhouse Black Bears was Husson's first in more than 36 games dating back to 1960.

The Braves capped a rain-shortened season by coming out of the losers bracket to win the last three games of the tournament to clinch the NAIA District V Championship. Freshman Mark Hreben saved 2 games during the tournament and Senior Catcher Ron Mayo was named MVP of the tournament.

That District V win earned the Braves a berth in the Northeast Regional Tournament in Beaver Falls, PA. Husson was matched against Wilmington College of Delaware, ranked 15th in the nation and a favorite to repeat as the Regional champions. It was a close game through the seventh inning, which ended with Husson ahead by a 3-2 score. The Wildcats broke the game open with a five-run eighth inning and then added two more in the top of the ninth to lead the Braves 9-3. But the never-say-die Braves came back in their half of the ninth, chipping away at the Wildcat's lead until, with two-out and two-on in the bottom of the ninth, the Braves trailed by just one run, 9-8. Ron Mayo ran the count to 2-1 and then lined one to the fence in center field, scoring Frank Peckham and Mike McBride for the 10-9 win. The victory made Husson the first New England team since 1986 to win a game in the Northeast Regional Tournament.



Husson Baseball Team members: Lance Bean, Troy Martin and Mike Kirby display their NAIA District V Championship rings.

That's as far as the team would make it in the Regionals, losing their next two games.

Several Braves won All-New England Honors during the 1993 season: firstbaseman Frank Peckham, designated hitter Bill Swift, leftfielder Troy Martin and catcher Ron May. Senior pitcher Matt Dutille received Honorable Mention All-American honors.

Softball Team Successful

A young Husson College Softball team played well throughout the short Maine season and finished the year with a 21-9 record.

The Braves had eight first-year players on the team this year, but according to Coach Shannon Whiting, those players fit in well with the returning players. Whiting said the team's trip to Florida where they played several games, helped build the team into a District V competitor.

The team was ranked second in the NAIA District V through most of the season and their record earned them a berth in the District V tournament. They entered the tournament still ranked Number 2, but lost in the semi-finals to a tough University of New England team, 2-0.

With those eight players returning, Whiting said she's looking forward to fielding a strong team for the next season.

Serb Soccer Striker Solid For Husson Braves (Reprinted with permission from the *Bangor Daily News*)

Husson College fifth-year soccer striker Jake Dragutinovic has found himself fighting opposing fullbacks for balls in the penalty area this season.

That is nothing compared to what his cousins are fighting for: peace in what used to be Yugoslavia.

Dragutinovic is a Serb, and the war in Yugoslavia hits close to home. In fact, his mother, Rada, is back in her native Vrnjackabanja, Serbia, spending time with relatives and trying to sell their home.

Jake and his family lived in that home from 1980-88.

His mother and his relatives in Serbia are constantly on his mind.

"They are only a couple of hours away from the fighting in Bosnia," said Dragutinovic. "They can hear the shells. I'm worried about them."

Dragutinovic tries not to spend too much time dwelling on the fighting in Bosnia but admits that "it's hard to get around it, especially when you see it on the news all the time."

Dragutinovic spent his first 10 years in his native Cleveland before going to Serbia. He returned to Cleveland and eventually attended Cleveland Community College before coming to Husson on a basketball scholarship and turning in a couple of productive years at center.



He has played indoor soccer at Husson and plays in the Central Maine Summer Soccer League. But, as a result of his basketball scholarship, he elected not to play soccer until this year.

He has used up his basketball eligibility, so he decided to play soccer this fall. He will graduate in December with a degree in marketing.

"Soccer is the number one sport in Yugoslavia and basketball is number two," said the 6-foot-7 Dragutinovic, who has had a productive fall with two goals and nine assists during Husson's 7-4 season.

Dragutinovic said there has always been hatred between the ethnic groups in Yugoslavia and added that a lot of it stems from World War II. The Serbs, whose religion is Greek Orthodox, sided with the Allies during WWII while the Roman Catholic Croats sided with Germany and Italy. There are also a lot of Muslims from when parts of Yugoslavia were under Turkish rule, explained Dragutinovic.

"In Bosnia, you have Serbs, Croats and Muslims and they're all fighting for control of Bosnia," explained Dragutinovic. The heavy fighting began just after he left Serbia in 1988.

"They're having hard times. The economy is down. There are no jobs," said Dragutinovic, who added that the decision of the people in Croatia and Slovenia to become independent also helped trigger the uprising.

He also said the nation's economic decline began after the 1980 death of Marshal Josip Tito, the president of Yugoslavia.

The state of the economy led Rada and Savo Dragutinovic to move their family back to Cleveland. "There was no future there," said Dragutinovic.

The 23-year-old Dragutinovic harbors no ill feelings towards the non-Serbs and is optimistic that better days are ahead for his native land.

"It has calmed down a little bit, and I think things will get worked out," he said.

Now he is concentrating on his studies and soccer. He has been satisfied with the way things have gone for him in soccer.

"I've had a bunch of assists, and I've enjoyed working with all the guys," said Dragutinovic, who derives as much pleasure out of setting up a goal as he does scoring one.

"He has really added something to our team," said Husson coach Mitch Ellisen. "Nine assists is a lot for a forward.

Dragutinovic is exceptionally agile for a big man and has an excellent touch on the ball. His foot skills and his knowledge of the game make him difficult to handle one-on-one.

"He has great ability," said Maine Maritime Academy coach Bill Ashby. "He's a good dribbler and a good passer. And he has good wheels."

"He gives us more ball control up front," said Husson senior midfielder Gary Thompson. "He holds the ball so we can make runs off him."

Dragutinovic has enjoyed his time in Maine but anticipates returning to Cleveland to look for a job after obtaining his degree. However, he will also be thinking about his relatives in his native land and hoping for a peaceful resolve.

Global Soccer

Husson's soccer team this year represented the strong international presence on the campus. Four of the 21 players on the team were international students. Jake Dragutinovic (featured above) was joined by three other international students, Moto Kimula of Japan, GuiGui Mpeye of Zaire and Adam Heaslewood of England.

The team kicked their way to an 11-5 regular-season record this year, which earned them a spot in the NAIA Eastern District championships. In the first round of the tournament, the Braves upset the favored University of New England team, 2-1 in overtime. The team lost to a strong, experienced University of Maine, Farmington team in the championship round.

New Varsity Sport

Husson College added Cross Country Track as a varsity sport for the first time this year.

The team, coached by Dan O'Connell, participated in several meets during the fall, including the NAIA District V Meet held at Lyndon College.

Husson Establishes New Scholarship Endowment

Alumni and supporters of Husson College have joined forces with the George I. Alden Trust of Worcester, MA. to establish a new $75,000 scholarship endowment at the college.

According to Kenneth Vogt, Husson's vice president for institutional advancement, in 1992, the Alden Trust offered the college a grant of $25,000 if the college could raise an additional $50,000. The Challenge Grant stipulated that the funds must be raised from new donors to the college or through increased giving from current college supporters.

"It's been gratifying for us to hear from so many alumni and friends who might otherwise not have sent a gift over the past year. I think they realized that scholarships for Maine students are important."

The new scholarship endowment fund will provide scholarships to Husson students that will be awarded on the basis of need.

He noted that about 90 percent of the students attending Husson receive some type of financial assistance through the college. An average scholarship student at the college, he said, still could finish his or her four years at the college with a debt of as much as $10,000 to $12,000.

Generally, he said, the college invests the principal and then uses 80 percent of the interest to award scholarships. The remaining 20 percent of the interest is reinvested in order to keep the fund growing to keep pace with inflation. The Alden Scholarship Endowment initially is expected to provide about $4000 in scholarships for Husson students.

" Because the endowment fund will continue to grow," he said, "we will be able to award scholarships of comparable value forever."

The first Alden scholarships will be awarded in September 1994.

Although Husson has met the grant challenge, Vogt said the college will still accept dedicated gifts to the new scholarship endowment.

The Chesley H. Husson, Sr. Society

The Chesley H. Husson, Sr. Society recognizes those generous donors who, as a means of providing for the college's future financial strength, remember Husson College in their wills and/or through any one of numerous planned giving instruments.

The Society is named for the man who gave Husson both its name and its non-profit independent status. It is especially appropriate when you consider that Chief's own planned gift made it all possible. This new Society continues to give focus and on-going attention to all forms of planned giving as important means of supporting the College. Membership in the Society is listed annually.

Kenneth W. Vogt, vice-president for institutional advancement, said that many donors can make significant gifts to Husson through planned gifts while actually increasing their lifetime (and a spouse's) income from the principal amount donated.

Among various options, the college offers a pooled income fund for donors which is managed by Fleet Investment Services. Its yield to investors in 1992 was 7.175% and anticipated yield for 1993 is 6 to 6.5%.

In order to be recognized as a member of the Society, donors need to notify the College of completed arrangements which include Husson in their will or which provide for the College via a planned gift (a trust, IRA beneficiary, insurance beneficiary, an annuity, gift of real estate, etc.). For information about the Society or details concerning various options, donors may phone the Husson Development Office.

'93/'94 Alumni Award Recipients



The Husson College Alumni Association presented the 1993 Association Awards at the Alumni Banquet during Homecoming 1993 in October. Those honored this year were (from left): Lawrence D. Stanchfield, '56, Excellence in Accounting; Monica Collins, Excellence in Nursing; Leon H. Cote, '49, Public Service Award; Jeanette F. Pomeroy, 'Service Award; Lea W. Petr, '63, Excellence in Office Administration; John Boucher, '66, Outstanding Alumnus; James L. Ashe, '83 MSB, Excellence in Education; and Dana W. Dow, '59, Excellence in Business Administration.



One highlight of Homecoming '93 was the induction of six new members into the Alumni Sports Hall of Fame. Those inducted this year were: Donald L. Meyers, '71; Rachel Mitchell Oxley, '59; Betsy Margeson Di Capua, '81; James A. McKay, '62; (not pictured) Bernard A. MacKenzie, '34; and Jerald Johnson, '75.

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Reginald Cote 1960 ΜΣΧ
Deborah Cotter 1973
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Our Alumni Are Making Headlines

Two Husson alumni, Leo Loiselle, '63 MΣX, and Robert E. White, '65, have been named to head two international accounting associations. Loiselle was elected this summer as president of the Institute for Management Accountants, the world's largest organization for management accountants and financial managers. Also this summer, White was selected as the chairman of the Board of Directors of the Institute of Internal Auditors, which represents almost 50,000 internal auditors in business, industry, government and education in more than 100 countries.

Loiselle is the managing partner of Loiselle and Beatham, CPAs in Bangor. White is the vice president, corporate internal audit for Warner-Lambert. Co. in New Jersey. White, who received an honorary degree from Husson in May, was selected to serve a three-year term on the college's Board of Trustees. Loiselle, who currently serves as a Husson trustee, was honored this fall at a recognition reception sponsored by the college and the Husson Accounting Society.



CORRECTION



In the Spring 1993 issue of *The Ledger*, Denise Armellini was incorrectly identified in the above photograph with Paul Husson, as Maria Helena Moreno Quintero.

Dr. Adel Al Alawi

Dr. Adel Al Alawi Ph. D., '83, writes that he is Chair-person of the Department of Office Management in the College of Business Administration at the University of Bahrain. Adel earned his Ph. D. in Management Information Systems from the University of Leeds in the United Kingdom.

He has been "heavily involved in introducing new ideas or revamping old ones which takes most of my time."

He also writes "I miss Maine a lot. I was in Dallas a few months ago attending an ICIS (information systems) meeting and I very much wanted to drop in at Maine, at least for a short time, but could not due to other commitments. This year I may visit Florida and may take the opportunity to see my 'family' members in Maine."

"Please do not forget to give my regards to Dr. Goodwin and Dr. Morse."

Adel and his wife, Latifa, have a son, Mishal, 8, who was born in Maine. Their home is in Manama, Bahrain.

In Memoriam

Clarence Harding, Shaw Alumnus, died October 24, 1993, in Bernard at the age of 98. He was a lobsterman for 70 years, retiring at age 85. He served in the U.S. Army in World War I.

Clarence is survived by his son, David, and three grandchildren, six great grandchildren and one great, great grandson.

Daisy Reed RN '18 EMMC died June 1, 1993, in Millinocket. She was honored a year ago by Eastern Maine Medical Center as the oldest alumni of the Hospital School of Nursing. She was a licensed insurance agent for the H.E. Reed Insurance Agency in Millinocket. She was active in her church and a life member of the Onawa Chapter No. 130 of the Order of the Eastern Star.

She is survived by her daughters, Mary Oldham and Anne Erickson, son Kenneth, sister, many grandchildren and close relatives.

Doris Nickerson Young '22 RN EMGH (EMMC) died June 2, 1992, in Bangor. She was a resident of Millinocket. She worked as a surgical nurse at EMGH before her marriage to Ernest Young M. D.

She worked with her husband until his death in 1956. She then operated the Hillside Manor Tourist Home. She is survived by her son, John, and his wife and several grandchildren.

Grace Field '26 RN EMGH (EMMC) died May 30, in Defiance, Missouri. She was employed by the Stinson Hospital in Bangor for many years and was a member of the Columbia Street Baptist Church.

She is survived by several nephews and nieces.

Ruth Smith Osborne '29 died June 8, 1993, at her residence in Old Town. She was employed by Old Town Canoe and later by Byer Manufacturing Company in Orono for twenty years.

She is survived by three sons, Paul, Edward and William, her daughter Caroline, many grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Gwen MacPherson Cronkite RN '32 EMGH (EMMC) died March 16, 1993, in Greenville. She was employed for many years as a nurse in Bangor, Greenville and Houlton.

Gwen is survived by her brother and sister.

Marion MacKenzie Barrows '33 died February 3, 1993, in Marston Mills, Massachusetts. Marion worked for 31 years as a secretary, bookkeeper and assistant treasurer for Lexington Lumber Company of Lexington, Massachusetts. She retired in 1976.

She is survived by her husband of 56 years, Clifton Barrows, her sister, Ola Marden, and brother David MacKenzie.

Edith Hale Ware '33 died September 23, 1993. She was a resident of North Brooklin. For many years she was a bookkeeper for Jordan Funeral Home and the Bangor Hydro in Ellsworth. Edith and her husband Charles owned and operated the Blue Hill Department Store for twenty years before retiring in 1980.

Survivors include her husband, Charles, brother, Robert Hale, sister, Harriet Grindle and many nieces and nephews.

Wentworth Wessel '34 died March 31, 1993, in Brooksville. He served as a mail carrier for Brooksville and Blue Hill for several years before joining the Maine State Police serving as a state trooper for 24 years. He was involved in town government serving as a selectman, and on various committees. He enjoyed sports.

He is survived by his wife Lois, son Philip and sister.

Hulbert Snow '35, died March 17, 1993, in Bangor. He was a resident of Lakeville. He was a decorated veteran of World War II. Hulbert also was active in town government and served as first selectman of Lakeville. He graduated from Hanson's Barber School in 1964.

He is survived by his wife, June, three sons, David, Lloyd and Nathan, two grandchildren and his sister.

Enid Averill Sumner RN '35 EMMC died March 20, 1993, at her home in Ellsworth. She was a resident of West Sullivan for many years and was involved in public health nursing and consulted with the Maine State Department of Human Services. She was the wife of Dr. Charles M. Sumner.

Enid is survived by two sons, Jack and Rob, and two daughters, Suzanne and Deborah, their families, six sisters and six grandchildren.

Madeleine Eastman Cousins '35 died June 16, 1993, in Bangor. She was a resident of Old Town. Madeleine was a graduate of the University of Maine in 1921 and also studied at the New England Conservatory of Music. She taught school for a number of years in Old Town, Brownville, and New Hampshire. She later worked as a secretary in the welfare department and the health department.

She was involved in the community and her church.

She is survived by six stepchildren, many grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Herschel Lyons '38 died February 4, 1993, in Augusta. He served in the U. S. Army during World War II in Normandy, Northern France, Germany and Central Europe. He retired as chief ward administrator of the Veteran's Administration Hospital at Togus with 30 years service.

He was a member of the VFW and Christ Episcopal Church. Herschal was active in the Boy Scouts.

He is survived by his son, John, of Boston.

Marjorie Barry Browning '39 EMGH(EMMC) died May 3, 1993, in Boston. She had worked many years as an RN in a Boston hospital. She is survived by her husband, James, son, Joseph, and grandchildren.

Barbara Dority Estey '39 of Hampden died May 15, 1993, in Bangor. She assisted her husband in the development of Westbrook Terrace in Bangor.

She is survived by her husband Miles, sister Ruth Downing, several nieces and nephews.

Ruth McKenney Kimball RN '43 EMMC died October 9, 1993, in Cape Coral, Florida. She was a resident of Bangor and practiced nursing for many years in Bangor and Augusta.

She is survived by her husband Kenneth, a daughter, Patti Cyr, two sons, Mark and Shawn, one sister and four grandchildren.

Leone Walls Humphrey RN EMMC died October 8, 1993, in Bangor. After graduation from EMMC, she graduated from the University of Maine School of Nursing in 1946. She was employed by EMMC from 1946 to 1982. She was an instructor and assistant director of the Eastern Maine Medical Center School of Nursing for twenty years. She was a corporator of Eastern Maine Healthcare.

She is survived by her mother Irene Walls, her husband Kempton, daughter, Penny, and granddaughter.

Elizabeth Knowlton Pitts '41 ETE died May 11, 1993, in Stonington. She was employed for 50 years in the office of the local sardine cannery. She also provided tax preparation services for Hancock County residents for 35 years.

Elizabeth is survived by her husband, Thurlow, her mother, Doris Knowlton, one son, Nathan, four grandchildren, five great grandchildren and her sister, Ellen.

Muneda Brown Canning '45 of Swanville died August 2, 1993, in Bangor. She had worked for the U.S. Draft Board in Belfast and as a secretary in the State House in Augusta.

She raised Arabian horses, judged horse shows and she also enjoyed sewing.

She is survived by her husband, "Wiggy" Canning and three sons.

Floramae Savage '47 died June 28, 1993, at Coos Bay, Oregon. She served as a dental technician in the Woman's Army Corps in the Army of Occupation in Japan. Floramae played for Coach Swan's 17-3 basketball team in 1947.

She is survived by her stepmother, three brothers, two sisters and her friend and business associate, Mildred Larson.

Mary Myrick Dow '47 EMGH (EMMC) died April 29, 1993, in Ellsworth. Mary worked in nursing for 46 years. The final 12 years of her career were with Charles Alexander M.D. She is survived by her husband, Roger Dow '52 MEX, daughter, Deborah Gregoire, sons, Jeffrey and Ronald, five grandchildren, one sister and two brothers.

Fernand Savasuk '48 died February 11, 1993, in Portland. Fernand was a veteran of World War II serving in the U. S. Army Air Force. He flew 35 missions with the 91st Bomber Group and was awarded a Purple Heart.

He was a postal clerk until his retirement in 1984.

He was predeceased by his wife, Yvonne, and son, Jeffrey. He is survived by two sons, Scott and Darrell, two daughters, Robin Grimaldi and Karen Viscontini, a brother, a sister and six grandchildren.

Howard Mason Brown, Jr. '49 died July 7, 1993, in Machias. He was a resident of Eastport. Howard served in the U.S. Army in World War II. He was with the 168th Combat Engineer Battalion in Normandy, Northern France, Rhineland, Ardennes and Central Europe.

He worked for 32 years for the Maine Central Railroad Company.

He is survived by his wife, Mary, four sisters and a brother.

Gwendolyn Moores Clark RN '49 EMMC died October 12, 1993, in Hampden. She practiced as a private duty nurse for many years in the Bangor area.

She was an active member of the EMGH-EMMC/ Husson Nursing Alumni Association.

Survivors include her three sons, Dale, Dave and Dennis, two daughters, Cheryl Clark and Cindy Annis, and three grandchildren. Her husband Robert died in 1980.

Maurice Tozier '50 died October 13, 1993, in Naples, Florida. He was a former resident of Somers, Connecticut. Maurice retired as assistant director of the Connecticut State Department of Corrections. He was a veteran of World War II. He coached youth baseball and basketball and enjoyed golf.

Survivors include his wife, Marion, sons Richard and Steven, daughter, Sue Buck, five grandchildren, mother, Hazel, sister and brother, Mary Jane and Charles.

Patricia McDowell Hamilton '54 ETE died October 6, 1993. She was a resident of Greenville. Patricia assisted her husband in the Operation of G.D. Hamilton Antiques.

She is survived by her husband, Gerald, son, Nathan, daughter, Cynthia, and two brothers.

Louis E. Maroon '58 died in December of 1992, in Manassas, Virginia. Louis retired in 1982 as general manager of Montgomery Ward in Manassas and started several businesses of his own, General Office Supply I and II and Discount Office Furniture.

He served his community on the Chamber of Commerce, as a Manassas Museum Associate, the Prince William Hospital Foundation Board, among others.

He was an active Rotarian and a recipient of the Paul Harris Fellowship Award. He served in the Manassas City Council, the Industrial Development Authority and on the board of directors of First Virginia Bank.

He was also involved in education and sports for area youth. He was elected to serve on the Manassas City Council.

Louis is survived by his wife, Emily, son, Samuel, three daughters, Shelly Rector, Laura Watts, and Lou Ann Maroon, two sisters, four brothers including Paul Maroon '59 and two grandchildren.

Miles "Buddy" Elsemore '59 ΜΣΧ died February 28, 1993, at his home in Rolling Dam, New Brunswick, Canada. Miles was a veteran of the U.S. Navy and received a Presidential Citation for Air-Sea Rescue from Japan. After the war he enrolled at Husson where he served on the student council and was involved in sports.

He worked for Anaconda American Brass in Torrington, Connecticut, and was later employed by the Boy Scouts of America for 16 years. In 1978 he returned to Canada as the owner and operator of DeWolfe Hardware.

He is survived by his wife, Phyllis, three sons, Kirt, Todd and Terry, and three grandsons.

Carroll Francis Fletcher '62 died April 9, 1993, in Milo. Carroll taught school for 28 years: two in North Berwick and 26 years at Waterville Junior High School. He was an organist and played at many weddings and several churches. Carroll also belonged to several educational and professional organizations.

He is survived by his mother, two brothers and two sisters.

Terrance Fahey '63 died July 13, 1993, in Bangor. Terry was employed by the Bangor and Aroostook Railroad until his retirement in 1989 due to ill health. He was a veteran of the United States Air Force.

He is survived by his wife, Delores, son, Robert, daughter, Alisa, a brother, sister and granddaughter.

Kathleen Goulette Smith '64 died September 4, 1993, in Dover-Foxcroft. Kathleen was employed by Dexter Shoe Company for 17 years before retiring due to failing health.

She is survived by her husband, James, son, Kevin, two daughters, Sheri and Tina and her mother and two sisters.

Dale Paine '64 died June 15, 1993, in Bangor. Dale was employed by McKay's RV Center and was a member of the Bangor Lodge of Elks.

Dale is survived by his mother, Norma Paine, his father and stepmother, Laurence and Sylvia Paine, sister, Diane, fiance, Laurie Paradis and many friends and relatives.

David Robinson '64 ΜΣΧ died November 16, 1992, in Madawaska. After graduating from Husson, David went on to earn his Master's degree in Business Education from Thomas College.

He taught business in Milo and at MCI before joining Madawaska High School in 1970. In 1980 he became head of the Business Department.

David coached high school sports, was active in the Madawaska Education Association and in the community.

The Madawaska Education Association has sponsored a Memorial Scholarship in his name which will be awarded annually. Those wishing to donate may send a contribution to the David E. Robinson Memorial Scholarship, in care of the Madawaska Education Association, Madawaska School Department, Madawaska, ME 04756.

David is survived by his mother Doris Robinson.

Wayne Allen '65 died June 1, 1993, in Orrington. Wayne was employed for 26 years by Champion International in Bucksport; 14 years as transportation manager. He enjoyed motorcycling and antique autos and belonged to several clubs related to his hobbies.

He is survived by his wife Sandra and his daughter Tracey Bowden. Also surviving are his father, sister, and brother, and many other close relatives.

Valerie Smith '72 died July 16, 1993. She was a resident of Easton, Maine. Valerie was employed by McCain Foods, Inc. as a supervisor for several years.

She is survived by her mother, Ezalee; grandmother, Clarissa Hull; a sister, Connie; two brothers, Vance and Mark; and their wives and children.

Kathryn Ann Hainer '78, '91, '92 MSB died October 23, 1993 in Decatur, Alabama. Kathryn was employed in the Accounting Department of Champion Papers in Courland, Alabama, at the time of her death.

She is survived by her mother and stepfather, Arline and Charles Robbins, father and stepmother James and Norma, brother, Michael, and sister, Karen.

Steven A. Lavoie '81 died May 28, 1993, in Arlington, Virginia. Steven was employed as an accountant in Arlington.

He is survived by his parents of Limestone.

Christopher Dionne '93 died July 24, 1993, at his home in Pittsfield, Maine. Chris was employed as a dorm parent at Maine Central Institute and he coached the varsity soccer and basketball teams. He also coached and refereed in youth basketball, soccer and baseball programs.

Chris is survived by his wife, Nancy and daughter, Meghan Elizabeth, his parents, his father and mother-in-law, two brothers, two sisters, and many other relatives and friends.

Class Notes

1930's

Alfred Mills Kennison '31 was in to visit in September. He is retired from a career with Railway Express in Springfield, Massachusetts.

Alfred and his wife reside in Ellsworth.

Hilda Ladd Shea '31 has retired and is living in Brownville. She says, she is "82, in good health and enjoying life." She has many fond memories of her days on Columbia Street and of Chief and Dorothy Husson.

Horace Coombs '32 was featured in a long article in the April 15th issue of the *Waldo Independent*. Horace retired as a funeral director in 1969. He remains very active in retirement, making jewelry, painting, and helping friends and neighbors. He is also involved in the Masonic Order.

Horace resides in Belfast in the house in which he was born.

Catherine Ladd McIntyre '34 ETE was recently featured in an article in the *Brunswick Times Record*. Mrs. Ladd, who retired some years ago as a professional medical secretary, leads a support group of senior citizens, The Happy Club, in their weekly meetings. The group focuses on, "the good things that happen to us and not just dwelling on the aches and pains of old age."

Catherine, who grew up in Brownville, is the daughter of **Alden Ladd** who graduated from Shaw Business College (now Husson) in 1902. Her grandson **Andrew Garrity '95** is currently a sophomore at Husson.

1940's

Dalton Coffin '40 was in to visit in April. He has been retired for nine years from Great Northern Paper Company where he was an accountant. Dalton lives in Millinocket and would enjoy hearing from classmates in 1939 and 1940.

Hollon Bridges '42 ΜΣΧ was in to visit in August. Hollon retired as a full colonel from the United States Air Force in 1973. He had 12,000 hours as a pilot and a number of commands in his thirty-one years of service. Among his commands was that of all the Rescue Forces in Vietnam.

Hollon and his family reside in San Antonio, Texas.

George Cyr '46 was in to visit. George has retired from a career with Suburban Propane and is a volunteer for the Levinson Center in Bangor.

Verne McDonald '48 ΜΣΧ was in to visit in July. Verne has "semi" retired from Champlain College in Burlington, Vermont. He works three months and spends the rest of his time at his homes in Vermont, Maine and Florida. Verne has been with Champlain for thirty years.

Leon Cote '49 ΜΣΧ was honored at the 98th annual convention of the Maine State Council of the Knights of Columbus. He was presented the 1993 Church World Meritorious Award for Community Service.

Leon served nine years on the Old Town City Council, six of them as President. He has headed up the "surge with service" program for the Knights of Columbus.

1950's

Howard "Red" Handy '50 ΜΣΧ was in to visit recently. Red retired from the National Security Agency in 1980.

He and his wife reside in Melbourne, Florida.

Delmont Merrill '54 ΜΣΧ has been elected to the executive board of directors of the Union Trust Company and Union Bankshares of Ellsworth. Del is president of Merrill Blueberry Farms.

Harold "Hal" Gerow '55 ΜΣΧ was the subject of an article in the May 1-2 *Bangor Daily News* by Bud Leavitt. Hal, who is president of the Hermon Skeet and Trap Club, was on vacation in Florida. He visited the local gun club, Sporting Clays of Tampa Bay, where he shot skeet with General Norman Schwartzkopf.

He has retired from Moore Business Forms.

Hal and his wife reside in Bangor.

Sister Elizabeth Rivers '56 ETE celebrated her Diamond Jubilee (60 years) of service as a member of the Sisters of Mercy. Sister Elizabeth, formerly Sister Mary Dominica, taught in Lewiston, Fairfield, South Brewer and Westbrook. She also taught business at John Bapst.

Sister Elizabeth continues to volunteer in the External Degree Program at St. Joseph's College.

Joseph O'Brian '56 retired in June from Fleet Travel in Bangor.

Sister Mary Estelle Fogg '57 was recognized recently for her seventy years of fidelity in religious life as a member of the Community of the Sisters of Mercy of the Americas. Sister Mary Estelle retired in 1971. She taught business at Catholic high schools in Orono, Benedicta, Bangor and Portland.

Paul Goss '59 ΜΣΧ has been named Center Director for the Husson College Continuing Education Program in Bangor.

Beverly Kane '59 ETE was recently honored by the SAD 22 Board of Directors in recognition of her 32 years of service to Hampden Academy. Beverly chaired the Business Department and taught Business at Hampden Academy.

Robert Cimbollek '59 ΚΔΦ was selected Class B Eastern Maine Basketball Coach of the Year by the Maine Association of Basketball Coaches. Bob's John Bapst Crusaders finished the season with the state title and a perfect 22-0 record.

John Rioux '59 ΜΣΧ was in to visit recently. John has had a long, distinguished teaching career and is currently on the faculty of Northhampton High School in Massachusetts.

John and his family reside in Conway, Massachusetts.

1960's

Marie Black Getchell '60 informs us that she has five grandchildren and is working for the Veterans Administration.

Marie and her family reside in Augusta.

James Picard '61 ΜΣΧ is president of the Bangor Lions Club.

Milton Wright '62 ΚΔΦ has been named the new executive director of the Maine Teachers Association.

Anne Roberts Spencer '63, '83, '90 MSB has been elected Vice President of Bangor Business and Professional Women.

Sherry Hillier Cahn '63 has opened Cahn's Secretarial Services in Orrington. Her business offers typing, mailing, billing and other services.

Stewart Cousins '63 has retired from thirty years as a teacher at Caribou High School.

Stewart and his family plan to reside year around at their cottage on Cross Lake.

Lea Welch Petr '63 ETE writes, "Thank you Husson for teaching me the skills that have allowed me to be successful in business and my personal life." Lea has been active in Maryland politics since 1976. She served in the Maryland Senate for 8 years and in the Baltimore County Executive Office for eight years.

She served eight years as legislative assistant to a state senator and four years in the Baltimore County Executive's office.

Dail Sawyer Hersey '64 is a supervisor in the Income Maintenance Unit with the Maine Department of Human Services in Bangor.

William Pelletier '65 ΚΔΦ has been named President, CEO and Treasurer of Kennebec Savings Bank of Augusta. He has been with Kennebec Savings for 16 years, most recently as executive vice president and treasurer.

Bill resides in Manchester.

Jerry Burleigh '66 ΚΔΦ was featured in a recent Bangor Daily News article by John Nash. He has been reappointed girl's basketball coach at Stearns High School. In his thirteen years as coach, Jerry's teams have won 147 while losing only 83.

Jerry and **Marion (Rooks) Burleigh '66** reside in Millinocket.

David St. Cyr '66 ΚΔΦ has recently been appointed as Faculty/Administrator of Business and Economics Internships Programs at St. Anselm College in Manchester, New Hampshire. David has been an accounting instructor at St. Anselm in the Business and Economics Department since the Fall of 1985.

Jerald Craven '67 ΜΣΧ was in to visit in August. We had a great time talking about the days "on the hill."

Jerry and his wife, **Regina (Doolan) '66** ETE reside in Colchester, Vermont.

Raymond Cota Jr. '68 has been promoted to vice president of real estate for Webber Energy Fuels. Raymond resides in Orono.

Blake "Cubby" Brown '68 was in the news recently. His company, Brown's Appliance of Ellsworth purchased Brawn's Appliance of Bucksport.

Thomas Harmon '68 ΜΣΧ has been named deputy department head for the Command Support Department at the Naval Undersea Warfare Center's Newport, Rhode Island Division. He is responsible for the management of the day-to-day operations of the security, safety and health publications, graphics, library, public affairs, and management support functions for the division. Tom has worked for the Navy since 1970 and has also earned an MBA from Bryant College.

Alphonse Dixon '69 ΜΣΧ has been named town manager of Farmington, Maine. Prior to taking his new position in Farmington, Al was town manager in Littleton, New Hampshire, Easton, Maine, and Fort Fairfield.

Al and his wife Kirsten (Bertelsen) '68 and their family reside in Farmington.

Stephen Robbins '69 ΚΔΦ and several area doctors and businessmen have developed an emergency medical information system (VITAE-STAT) for national use. The system will allow emergency medical physicians to retrieve a subscribers medical history within 90 seconds. All that's needed is a touch-tone telephone and a fax machine.

For more information about the service, call 1-800-854-3917 or 207-942-2222.

Patrick Lavoie '69 was in to visit. Patrick works with the U.S. Postal Service in Carney, New Jersey. He and his wife Rachelle (Teller) reside in Elwood Park, New Jersey.

Steve Mitchell '69 ΚΔΦ has been installed as Grand Master of the Masonic Order of the State of Rhode Island. Steve is the principal of Burrillville High School in Rhode Island.

1970's

Hugh Krajewski '70 is Regional Manager for Marketing and Membership Services for the Maine Chamber of Commerce and Industry.

Hugh and his wife, **Suzanne (Dinsmore) '70** reside in Palermo.

Frank Ouellette CPA '70 has been named fiscal officer at Androscoggin Head Start and Child Care.

Donat Fournier '70 was named executive vice president and senior loan officer of New England Bank and Trust Co., a subsidiary of Olde Windsor Banccorp, Windsor, Connecticut.

William Bowdren III '70 ΚΔΦ was in to visit. Bill is Regional Manager, Northeast Division for the Hornell Brewing Company.

John Grolley '71 and **Janet Marr Grolley '71** ETE and their son, James, dropped by for a visit in April. John is president of the Grolley Group, Inc. and Janet is teaching.

John, Janet and James reside in Portland.

Paul Amyot '71 TKE visited campus with his wife Gail, daughters, Jacqueline and Lauren, and son, Paul II. Paul is Regional Manager for Modern Salon, a trade publication for the beauty shop industry, in New York City.

Rev. Real Nadeau, Husson Chaplain 1971-1976, will be pastor at SS. Peter and Paul in Lewiston. He has most recently been pastor at St. Michael's in South Berwick.

Major Parker Tripp '72 ΜΣΧ is Deputy Chief Warden of the Maine Game Warden Service of the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife. He and his family reside in Augusta.

Alan Glazier '72 TKE has been appointed to the recently created position of Wholesale Lending Officer at Bangor Savings Bank.

John Pillis '73 writes from Newfield, New Jersey that "I began a career change from accounting to special education in 1991. I finished a program at Rowan College in New Jersey in May of 1993 to become a Teacher of the Handicapped. I am currently looking for a full time teaching position.

John and his wife Julia have a son, Mark, 2.

Gail Bourke Cote '73 is self-employed as President of Rainbow Day Care, Inc. of Portland.

Victoria Bickford Dyer '73 has been named the first full-time Community Service Director for the Island Institute in Rockland. Her primary responsibility will be, "to manage and expand the institute's variety of services in support of Maine's 15 year-round island communities as well as the seasonal island communities."

Victoria previously served as Town Manager of Boothbay and Vinalhaven. She is the eighth generation daughter of a Vinalhaven fishing family.

Victoria and her family reside in East Boothbay.

Bruce Brawn '73 ΚΔΦ is the President of New Meadows Abatement, Inc. of Bath, Maine. New Meadows Abatement is involved in Asbestos Abatement and currently is doing a major project for Husson College.

Wayne Kennard '74 has been hired by Dix-Gallant, a management consulting firm in Portland. Wayne will be responsible for operating their Presque Isle office.

Mary "Mimi" McBride '74 ΚΛ is Executive Secretary to the Vice Presidents of Finance and Actuarial Services at Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Maine. She has been involved since 1981 on the Board of Directors of the Portland, Maine chapter of Professional Secretaries International. Mary received the "Secretary of the Year Award" in 1989 from this group.

"Hello to all of my alumni friends of the Class of 1974. Please write so others can see where you are. Also, hello to all Kappa Lambda sisters who pledged in 1971 (1st pledge class)!"

Mary resides in Portland.

Maynard Chipman '74 has been named Comptroller and Manager of Accounting at Maine Yankee. Maynard was previously with Central Maine Power.

Bryan Jellison '74 C.I.A. and Rosalind Cough are engaged. Brian is employed by the Audit Department of the State of Maine. Emily is employed by Key Bank in Portland.

The couple plan an October wedding.

Robert Norris '75, MSB '81 has been named President of CUSO Mortgage Corporation. CUSO has been formed by The Maine Credit Union League and several state credit unions. "Once it is established, CUSO will have about 50 employees. It will compete for business against other independent mortgage companies and banks", writes Andrew Kekacs in a July 22nd article in the *Bangor Daily News*

Bob was most recently head of New England Mortgage Lending for Fleet Bank.

Susan Horton Clark '75 has been promoted to marketing officer at the First National Bank of Bar Harbor. Susan has been with the bank for 15 years.

Nadine Sherman '76 ΚΛ and Kurt Babineau were married January 30, 1993 in Orono. Kurt is self-employed.

Nadine and Kurt reside in Enfield.

Raymond Fournier '77 TKE has started his own business, Raymond Fournier Consulting, a software developing business in Concord, New Hampshire.

Raymond and his family reside in Concord.

Joanne Smith Melanson '77 writes that in February she participated in a teacher exchange with Project Harmony in Russia. "It was the highlight of my teaching career. The exchange program is open to all disciplines of business. The Russian people are extremely interested in those of us who have studied business in depth."

Joanne is a Business Education teacher at Woodsville High School in Woodsville, New Hampshire.

Frank Sprague '78 and Anna Davis Bourbon were married June 25 in Bangor. Frank is the owner of the M & M Restaurant in Bangor. Anna is employed by the M & M.

The couple resides in Bangor.

Robert Stevenson '78 KΔΦ is National Sales Manager for North and South America for Cooper/Kaydon Split Roller Bearing Company.

Bob is based in Virginia Beach, Virginia.

Norma Cote '78 writes that she has been back in Maine for several years. She is currently with the law firm of Thompson, McNaboe, Ashley and Bull. Previously, Norma had completed a Bachelor of Arts in International Relations at the University of Maine and worked for the Department of State in Washington.

Bert Boucher '79 and **Vickie Plourde Boucher '81** and their children stopped by for a visit on their way home from a trip to Boston.

Bert and Vickie and the children reside in Fort Kent.

Robert Collins '79 is Chief Compliance Officer at UNUM Sales Corporation in Portland. Bob has a Master of Science in Financial Services from the American College in Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania. In addition he has earned four professional designations; CLU, (Chartered Life Underwriter), ChFC, (Chartered Financial Consultant), FLMI, (Fellow of The Life Management Institute), and HIA, (Health Insurance Advisor).

Bob resides in Windham.

Linda West '79 ΔΣΔ is a physical education teacher for Bangor Christian Schools. She coached varsity Soccer and Basketball for five years and is currently the Junior High Basketball Coach.

Sandra Lane Peterson '79 has been selected to the *1993 Citizen's Directory of Who's Who Among Rising Young Americans*. Sandra currently lives in Richmond, Virginia where she is the Assistant to the Director of Legislative Affairs for the Medical Society of Virginia and an active member of the Richmond Women's Lobby Group and the Northside Family Childcare Co-op.

1980's

Alton Gustin '80 has been promoted to the position of accounting/accounts payable manager for McCain's Foods, Inc. He will be responsible for supervising the staffs of the accounting and accounts payable departments preparing financial statements and other duties.

Gustin, a resident of Presque Isle, will be based at McCain's Easton plant. He and his wife Debi have three children.

Cesar and Maria Porto, ICLS '80 were back to visit recently with their sons, Jaime and Cesar, Jr. Jaime was born in Bangor. Cesar, Maria and the children reside in Barrangvilla, Colombia.

ICLS is a family affair for Maria. Her brothers, Enrique Posada, Carlos Posada and Gabriel Posada all attended ICLS in 1979 and 1980.

William Cassidy '80 MSB is Director of Research and Curriculum for the Maine Youth Apprenticeship Program in Portland. He was recently a presenter for the Bangor Chamber of Commerce Early Bird Breakfast series.

Lionel Howard '81 has joined the Franklin Savings Bank in Farmington as internal auditor.

Lionel and his wife Virginia reside in Skowhegan.

Paul Michaud, CPA '81 MSB '90 has been named Director of Budget and Cost by Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Maine. He is responsible for reporting, allocating, and forecasting administrative costs for the state's largest managed health care company and it's affiliates.

Paul resides in Scarborough.

Steve Eastman '82 was in to visit in March. Steve is back in Maine and is in Sales and Marketing for Sebago Energy Conservation Corporation in Raymond.

Thomas Pancsofar '82 has been promoted to programmer for the Bangor and Aroostook Railroad.

Dennis Cooper '82 is Business Manager for the Hartford Civic Center in Hartford, Connecticut. He is responsible for overseeing the Business Office, Personnel Department, concessions, and the other financial operations of the civic center.

Dennis and his family reside in Manchester.

Earla Brown Parks '82 has been selected as town manager in Levant, Maine.

Scott Deabay '82 ΜΣΧ has joined First Citizens Bank as branch manager of the Lincoln office.

Scott and his family reside in Carmel.

William Holsomback '83 dropped in to visit. He is supervisor of the Nalcomis Computer System at Brunswick Naval Air Station. You are likely to run into Bill and his wife, Tina, at a craft show. They make porcelain dolls which they sell throughout the state.

Scott Conant '83 has been named vice president and treasurer of Damariscotta Bank and Trust Company. Scott was previously employed at Mid-Maine Savings Bank for 17 years, serving as Vice President and Controller.

Scott has been very active in community and professional organizations, including Junior Achievement, and the Chamber of Commerce. He has also been involved in Scouting and Little League.

He and his wife, Debbie, and their three children reside in Lewiston.

Denise Michaud '83 is working as a secretary at MSAD #24 in Van Buren. She is very involved in sports: skiing, bowling, biking and aerobics.

Janelle Day Sylvester '83 ΔΣΔ writes that she and her husband Wayne are working for her family's business, Day's Store Incorporated in Belgrade Lakes, Maine. Day's Store is "a general store with everything imaginable."

Janelle and Wayne have a daughter Nicole (5) and a son Brandon (3).

Abbas Al Rahdi '83 MSB is a partner at Coopers and Lybrand in Manama Bahrain. He recently completed his CPA in California.

Junia Mae Olsen Lehman '83 ΔΣΔ owns and operates West Quoddy Gifts, the easternmost gift shop in the United States. She sells Maine made items in the shop and has an extensive mail order business throughout the U.S. and overseas.

Junia and her husband Stephen and their children Michael and Sarah reside in Lubec.

Gayle Desjardins '84 writes that she has been working as a legal assistant for Amerling and Burns P.A. of Portland. She is currently enrolled in a Paralegal Certificate Program at the University of Southern Maine "with two classes to go!"

Julie Caswell '84 CPA was recently appointed to serve on the Board of Directors of the Bangor Affiliate of the American Heart Association.

Julie is with Laeger, Ade and Associates of Bangor.

Dennis Mitchell '84 MSB has been promoted to Vice President and Senior New Business Officer of Key Trust Company of Maine. He will be responsible for statewide sales and marketing.

Dennis resides in Lyman.

Kimberly Woods Samry '84 ETE and her husband, Steven, write to announce the birth of their twin daughters, Courtney and Alexa, born March 24, 1993. Kimberly has recently been promoted to Manager of Accounting for two Scott Paper Manufacturing facilities in Marinette & Oconto Falls, Wisconsin.

Kimberly, Steven, son, Christopher, 3, and the twins reside in Peshtigo, Wisconsin.

Penny S. Harris '84 MSB is a member of the Board of Trustees for the University of Maine System. Penny is Director of Development for Eastern Maine Healthcare in Bangor.

Derek Husson '84 has been promoted to Merchandise Support Manager for Sears & Roebuck in Bangor.

Derek and his wife Susan and their two children reside in Brewer.

Karen Wright '85 is chief financial officer for ADCO Surgical Supply, Inc. of Bangor.

Mostafa Al Shair '85 TKE was in Maine recently with his family for a vacation and stopped by for a visit. Mostafa has several businesses in Saudi Arabia.

Julia Goodwin Crocker '86 was in to visit recently with her new black Labrador puppy, Raven. Julia is Assistant Manager of Osco Drug in Tewksbury, Massachusetts.

Yuki Takahashi '86 was in to visit in September. Yuki is Assistant Manager for Administrative Services, Personnel and General Affairs for Lloyd's Bank in Tokyo. Yuki is also a volunteer alumni admissions counselor for Husson College in Tokyo.

Kimberly Bakeman '86 is Accounting Manager at the Ellsworth American. She has been with the newspaper since 1987.

Kerry Maenhout '86 and Allen Edwards were married June 26, 1993, in Calais. Kerry is employed by Portland Glass in Calais. Allen is employed by Thomas DiCenzo, Inc. Allen and Kerry reside in Calais.

Frank Brunsberg '86 has been named business manager for Central Maine Power Company's Service Center.

Justine Brennan '86 and Andrew MacDonald are engaged. Justine is employed by Bangor Savings Bank. Andrew is in the Air National Guard.

The couple plan an April wedding.

Peter Mainguy '86 ΜΣΧ is Director of Sales for the Sheraton Abu Dhabi in Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates.

Karl Rau '86 ΜΣΧ was in to visit recently. Karl is the owner of Karl Rau Sales and is a manufacturer's representative for a number of lines of gifts, cards and other related items.

Karl and his wife **Laurel (Branch) '86** reside in Newport with their two children.

Donald Roberts '86 is the PGA professional at the Oakdale Country Club in Rumford. He is rated as one of Maine's top professionals and was recently featured in an article in the Lewiston Sun-Journal.

Tatsuhiko Omata '86 and his wife are pleased to announce the birth of their first son, Asuka, born February 16, 1993. Tatsuhiko is a Project Executive in the Customer Services Department for Reuters Japan, Ltd.

The Omata's reside in Chiba Prefecture, Japan.

Susan Zimmer Seacord '86 writes that she received her MS in Pastoral Counseling from Iona College in 1991 and is currently working on her Masters in Social Work at the University of New England.

Donnie Gross '86, ΚΔΦ, and his wife, Jennifer, are proud to announce the birth of their second son, Taylor Earl, born March 11, 1993. Donnie, Jen, Colton and Taylor reside in Hermon.

Louis Dugal '87 and his wife Renee are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter, Erin, born on December 29, 1992. Louis and his family reside in Madawaska.

Linda Norris '87 and John Manno were married May 22, 1993, in Chicopee, Massachusetts. Linda is employed by NCR in Springfield, Massachusetts, and John is employed by Brook's Pharmacy in Northhampton, Massachusetts.

Linda and John reside in Chicopee.

Steve Baillargeon '87 ΚΔΦ has been promoted to Supervising Adjustor by the Dunlap Corporation. He is responsible for directing the claim service team in the Bangor office.

Kathleen Theriault '87 ETE and David Monteleone are engaged. Kathleen is employed as office manager by John V. McDonough Associates in Reistertown, Maryland. David is a design draftsman for Apogee Designs in Baltimore, Maryland.

Jose Dematos '87 ΚΔΦ writes that he is opening The Channel Inn, "a unique and contemporary Bed and Breakfast circa 1920" about 10 minutes from Gunstock Mountain in Weirs Beach, New Hampshire. He advertises inexpensive ski and stay packages, snowmobiling, ice fishing, ice skating and cross country skiing. Special rates for Husson Alumni. You can reach Jose at 603-366-4673.

Kurt Kitchen '87 is assistant controller for ADCO Surgical Supply, Inc. of Bangor.

Jeff Wildey '87 was in to visit recently. Jeff is Event Coordinator for the Georgia Dome in Atlanta.

Jacqueline Bussiere '87 and her husband Raymond recently celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary. Jacqueline is employed as Controller of Bangor Theological Seminary.

Kathy Winchenback CPA '88 MSB was named finance director for the city of Biddeford. Kathy was chosen from a field of 50 applicants and will oversee an annual budget of $25 million.

Rodney St. Jean '88 ΜΣΧ and **Becky Turner St. Jean '88** ΔΣΔ have started a new business: The Medical Billing Center. They will provide billing services for area doctors and dentists. Rodney is the Rental/Lease Manager of Ryder Truck Rental.

Rodney, Becky and their son, Evan, 2 1/2, live in Coopers Mills, Maine.

Roland Cyr '88 and Kimberley Anne DeLong are engaged. Roland is an independent claims adjuster in Bangor. Kimberley is head of sales at Pearl Vision Center at the Bangor Mall.

Kimberly Trepanier '88 ΚΛ has recently been promoted to Safety Coordinator with the Maine Department of Environmental Protection. She was also promoted to management with Contemporary Fashions. She is expecting her first child in December.

Kimberly will be going on a family trip to England, Scotland, Ireland and France in April.

Florence Collins '88 has been named director of staff education at Bangor Mental Health Institute. Flo has been at BMHI since 1982.

Heather Ross Priest '88 ΔΣΔ and **Keith Priest '89** ΚΔΦ are pleased to announce the birth of their son, Keith Alan Priest on January 26, 1993.

Victoria Weymouth Smith '89 is currently a Branch Manager for an International Personnel Firm in the Boston Metro Area. They have over 1400 offices.

She is an active member of the March of Dimes Committee and the South Shore Chamber of Commerce. Vicki and her husband Brian are building their first home.

Mary Weymouth Thurston '89 ΚΛ has been awarded a Master of Arts in Elementary Education from the University of Central Florida in Orlando.

Tony Parrilla '89 ΚΛ is Inside Sales Representative for Pagenet of Orlando, Florida. Tony resides in Daytona Beach.

David Gipson '89 TKE and **Michelle Riquier '90** are engaged. David and Michelle are both with Arthur Anderson and Company in Boston. They plan an August 21st wedding.

Ron Hunt '89 has been promoted to commercial loan officer at Key Bank of Maine's Belfast branch.

Timothy Maynard '89 TKE has been named Senior Auditor at Bangor Savings Bank. Tim was previously Senior Accountant in the audit division of KPMG Peat Marwick and a Trust Operations Assistant at Fleet Bank.

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June Fiske, former Husson Nursing Faculty, has been appointed Director of Professional Services at New England Home Health Care at EMMC.

Cynthia Hulse '90 is working as a Pharmacy Technician at A.A.R.P. Pharmacy in Richmond, Virginia.

Donna Lynn Whitney '90 and Mark Mulligan are engaged. Donna is employed by the James W. Sewall Co. of Old Town. Mark is employed by Lincoln Pulp and Paper.

The couple plan a September 18 wedding.

Cathy Zipfel '90 CPA and Jim Tracy were married August 21, 1993. Cathy is a senior accountant with Berry, Dunn, McNeil and Parker in Portland. Jim works for the Veterans Administration in Portland and is a student at Husson.

Cathy and Jim reside in Portland.

Deborah Shorey Brandmeir '90 is the Senior Fiscal Director of the Maine State Housing Authority in Augusta.

She and her family reside in Augusta.

Paige Garland Gagnon '90 and her husband Reed have purchased a new home on the Lancaster Brook Road in Glenburn. Paige works for Community Health and Counseling Services in Bangor.

Kimberly Merriam '90 and **James Campbell '90** were married May 15, in Bangor. Kim is employed by Beal College and Eastern Maine Medical Center. James is employed by the accounting firm of Foster, Carpenter, Black and Company.

Robin LeClair Esty '90 is a secretary at Skowhegan Area High School.

Lisa Dubay '90 ΔΣΔ writes that she is employed by Chester Kearney, CPA in Presque Isle.

Tyler Blake '91 TKE has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the Air National Guard. He graduated from the Air National Guard Academy of Military Science in Knoxville, Tennessee.

Lorraine Beaulier '91 and Christopher Ouellette were married May 15 in Hampden. Lorraine is employed by Union Trust Company of Ellsworth. Christopher is self-employed as a carpenter-contractor.

Karin Marie Grant '91 ΔΣΔ and Chad McLain are engaged. Karin is employed by T.J. Maxx in Plaistow, New Hampshire. Chad is with Walmart in Plaistow. The couple plan a July 31 wedding.

Michael Warman '91 was the first prize cash winner in the annual Eastern Maine Medical Center Quit and Win Contest sponsored by the Healthy Heart Program. People who entered the contest and remained smoke free for five weeks were eligible for the prize drawing.

Mark Roy '91 ΚΔΦ has completed his Master's Degree in Business Administration with an advanced certificate in Marketing from New Hampshire College.

Mark is employed by Fraser Paper Co. Ltd. as a book paper sales representative for the Mid Atlantic Region.

Mark is headquartered in Stanford, Connecticut and resides in Harrison, New York.

Christina Nicholson '91 has joined the faculty of Wiscasset High School as a business teacher.

Scott Warman '91 ΚΔΦ has been hired as assistant to the coach of the Men's Soccer Team at Husson College. Scott is a teacher at the Multi-Handicap Center of Penobscot Valley in Bangor.

Scott and his wife, **Sarah (Foley) Warman '92**, reside in Veazie.

Donna Lee Beaulieu '91 ΔΣΔ and **Scott Oxley '89** TKE are engaged. Donna is employed by Coopers and Lybrand in Portland. Scott is with Eastern Maine Healthcare in Bangor.

The couple plan an October 23 wedding.

Dae Kweon Seok '92 was in to visit in September. Dae Kweon enjoys shooting skeet and trap and was looking for a good trap gun in Maine. He also continues to enjoy hunting in Japan. Dae Kweon resides in Tokyo.

Yoshihiro Ikeda '92 is with an entertainment booking agency, Trans Way Co., Ltd. in Sapporo, Hokkaido, Japan.

Susan Boisvert RN MSB '92 has been appointed home health aide supervisor at Androscoggin Home Health Services in Lewiston.

Deborah Naida '92 has been hired by Loiselle and Beatham, CPA's of Bangor.

Deborah resides in Brewer.

Carl Crawford '92 is the accounts receivable manager for wholesale functions at ADCO Surgical Supply of Bangor.

Naomi Okabe '92 was in to visit in September. Naomi has been working as a nurse and midwife in Tokyo and was visiting Bangor and Paris, France, for her vacation.

Annette Bartlett '92 and Jeffrey Owen were married May 29th in Oakfield. Annette and Jeffrey are both on the faculty at John Bapst Memorial High School in Bangor.

Dawn Rancourt '92 and William Gower were married May 15 in Winterport. Dawn is employed by the James W. Sewall Co. of Old Town. William is employed by Furbush-Roberts Printing Company and is a student at the University of Maine.

Barbara Bridges '92 has joined the staff of Foxrun Travel of Bar Harbor as a travel agent.

Annette Ruth Mitchell '93 and Shawn Provost were married May 29, 1993 in Orrington. Annette is employed by Eastern Fine Paper in Brewer. Shawn is employed by Mountain View Restaurant in Eddington.

Annette and Shawn live in Orrington.

Michelle Lindsay '93 ΔΣΔ writes that she has taken a position with Central Maine Power.

Michelle resides in Lisbon Falls.

Kristin Joan Forrest '93 and Paul Coombs are engaged. Kristin is with Penobscot Bay Medical Center in Rockland. Paul is employed by Bath Iron Works.

The couple plan a July 17th wedding.

Laura LaMarche '93 has joined United Bank as Branch Manager of the Hampden office. Laura was formerly with Bangor Savings Bank.

Scott Durepo '93 MSB has been promoted to the position of lead underwriter at Maine Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Presque Isle. The announcement of Scott's promotion was made by **Ron Libby '65** ΜΣΧ, president of Maine Mutual.

David Lakeman '93 and Michelle Dunning were married July 3 in East Orrington. David is employed by Lane Construction in Orono and United Parcel Service in Brewer. Michelle is employed by the Bar Harbor Inn and the YWCA in Bangor.

Suzanne Leach '93 ETE and Mark Small are engaged. Suzanne is employed by Mr. Paperback in Bangor. Mark is employed by R.F. Jordan and Sons.

Robyne Targon '93 and Glen Kennedy are engaged. Robyne is employed by Eastern Maine Medical Center. Glen is a karate instructor at the Old Town-Orono YMCA.

The couple plan an August 28 wedding.

Jacqueline Tibbetts '93 ΔΣΔ and Timothy W. Kennagh are engaged. Jacqueline is with Bethel Bancorp in Auburn. Timothy is employed by Wayne Kennagh and Sons Excavations of South Paris. Jacqueline writes that, "in one week, I graduated from college, got a job, and became engaged!"

The couple plans an October 4 marriage.

Paul Chute '93 MSB is Senior Vice President-Fiscal of Western Maine Health Care Corporation. In addition to his responsibility for all corporate financial operations, Paul is consultant and coordinator of all construction projects. He also worked successfully to combine the pediatric services of Stephens Memorial Hospital and Northern Cumberland Hospital in Bridgton to create Western Maine Pediatrics.

Beth Webster '93 and **Michael Perko '94** were married July 31 in Alfred. Beth is employed by Penobscot Bay Medical Center in Rockland. Michael is finishing his senior year at Husson and is employed by the Lobster Pound Restaurant in Lincolnville.

The couple reside in Lincolnville.

Sharon Chapman '93 and Dr. Cressey W. Brazier were married May 8 in Bangor. Sharon and Cressey reside in East Holden.

Mary Small '93 and **Victor Garay '94** were married August 21. Mary is manager of Suncoast Motion Picture Company of Bangor. Victor is employed by Eastern Fine Paper Company in Brewer and is a senior this year.

Delta Sigma Delta alumni sisters who visited campus to help with pledging this year were **Melanie Wakefield '84, Mary Williamson '85, Michelle Brooks Fagonde '89, Karin Grant '91, Hope Eaton '90, Kelli Bowden '92, Priscilla Young '85, Lisa Doherty '88, Marcia Gross '91, Kelly Chantigny '92, Dawn Babin '92, Tracy Taylor '91, Lynn Perrault '91, Saundra Pelletier '91, Bethany Cassidy '92, Kelli Manigault '92, Jacqueline Tibbetts '92, Pam Diaz-Rubin '90, Kathy Sirois '92** and **Theresa McGlaughin '88.**

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