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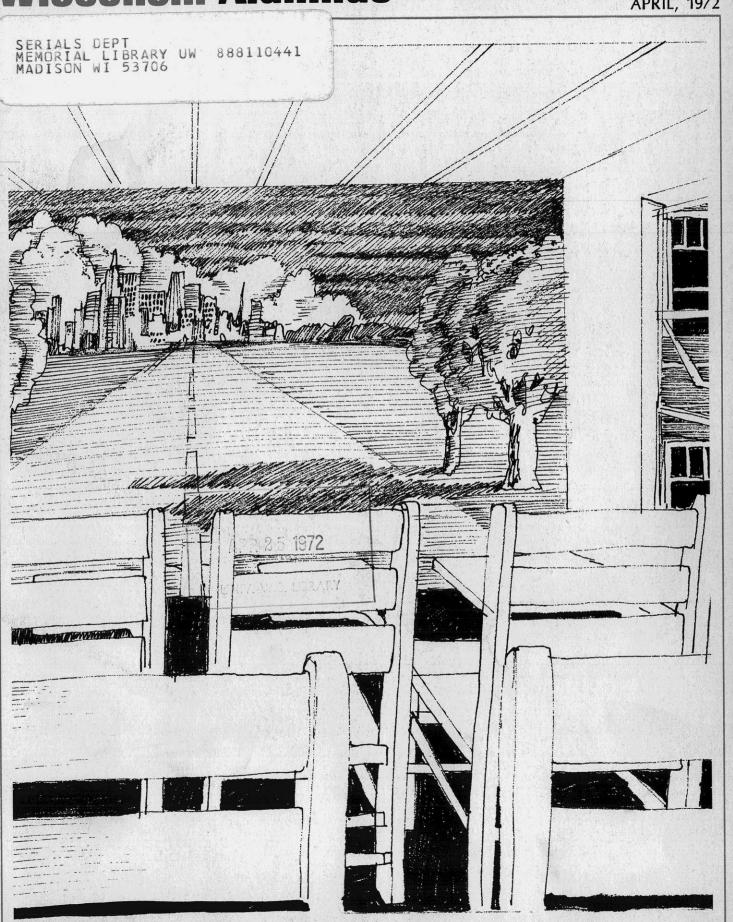
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"A Girl's Life and Work at the University of Wisconsin"

as reported in

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Some of Wisconsin's loyal alumnae, I fancy, will quarrel with the title of this sketch. I can imagine some of the girls who have taken highest honors in scholarship or prizes in oratory saying, "Why tell of a girl's work or a girl's life at the university, instead of describing that of a student?" For, as far as college work proper and the essentials of a liberal education are concerned, one student's life at the University of Wisconsin is the same as another's, regardless of sex. The young women, to be sure, are not subjected to military drill, which is required of the men during the first two years; they do not hold positions of peril and glory on the football teams or in the class and college crews; they do not, in the dignity of years, wear the senior "plug," nor do they spend the odd hours of the lovely June and September days stretched at full length on the upper campus; but even these experiences and privileges would doubtless be theirs if they chose to demand them. In a word, their rights, their opportunities, their responsibilities and their duties are exactly the same as those of men in like university standing. On such a broad foundation of equality between the sexes rests the whole system of university life. \* \* \* \*

The buildings on the hill-or the upper campus-are University Hall, the Law Building, Library Hall, Ladies' Hall, North Hall, Agricultural Hall, Science Hall, the Chemical Laboratory and the machine shops, these last being for the use of students in the engineering courses. At the foot of University Hill, and in front of the president's house, lies the so-called lower campus, a level stretch of nearly two blocks that is used by the men for athletic practice and for football and other contests. Opposite the lower end of this field are the University Boat-House and the new Armory. The latter was completed during the past Autumn, and is an immense and very handsome structure of red pressed brick trimmed with red sandstone. It is fitted up with great completeness for all kinds of physical training. Of the other edifices, the Law School and the Science and Dairy buildings have been built within a few years, while the balance date from various periods since the organization of the university in 1849.

In these buildings university exercises are held six days in the week, Saturday classes being an unpopular innovation made last year. A few unfortunates have classes at eight o'clock in the morning, but it is usually arranged to have small or elective classes at that hour, the regular work for the most part beginning at nine; and laboratory work and synoptical lecture courses extend the college day practically until six o'clock. One o'clock is the universal lunch or dinner hour, no university exercises continuing between one and two. Evening work is confined to the meetings of the various literary and other clubs, of which the university supports a large number.

The students registered for 1893-94 numbered twelve hundred and seventy-nine, and the number of professors and tutors during that year was eighty-six, besides thirty-one lecturers on special subjects. This year both students and professors are somewhat more numerous. Of the above mentioned number of students two hundred and fifty-seven were women, most of whom were enrolled in the college of letters and science, although they have full rights and privileges in the technical departments of law, engineering and pharmacy. Last year there were ninety-two graduate students, of whom nineteen were women.

The major study may be selected from the following 11 groups: Philosophical, Civic, Historical, English, Romance, Germanic, Classic, Mathematical, Biology, Chemicophysical and Geology. Each professor has assigned to him a number of students, whose "class officer" he is—to whom, in other words, he acts as adviser in choosing and arranging their work.

Besides its undergraduate courses the university offers a steadily increasing number of advantages for graduate work, which draw to it students from far distant sections of the country. Nine fellowships are offered and are open to general competition. These are held for one year, with the privilege of one re-election; and each pays the holder four hundred dollars. Every fellow is expected to teach for five hours weekly, and the rest of his or her time is given to advanced study. Fellowships have been gained by a number of women, all of whom, as it happens, have been alumnae of the university and have held their positions for two years; and one of them has been an instructor for several years since the expiration of her fellowship. Last year there were also two scholarships of one hundred and fifty dollars each awarded to women.

The cost of living in Madison is not high, and necessary expenses at the university can be so reduced as to make a very low sum total. Tuition is free to residents of the State, and to others the rate is only six dollars a term. The cost of board and lodging averages from five to six dollars a week in private families, while in clubs board alone may be had for from two to two and a half dollars a week. A fee of twelve dollars a year is paid for general expenses. In Ladies' Hall room rent is six dollars a term, and board for the year one hundred and thirty. Lights and heat are furnished at actual cost, about twenty dollars a year, and washing is done at sixty cents a dozen. Instruction in music by competent teachers is charged for at the rate of ten dollars for twenty lessons, and the use of a piano for practice costs from two to five dollars. Of course, the above expenses are slightly changed from time to time, but they have been practically as stated for many years. With regard to other expenses, the latitude of choice is wide, as it is at all other similar institutions. Much or little money is needed, according to the style of living adopted by the student.

But let us see what the university girl does when not in the class-room or laboratory. She is allowed entire liberty, as is the male student, in choosing her boarding place and regulating her habits of life. Each student is as free to act according to personal pleasure as any other citizen of Madison, so long as his or her university work is done satisfactorily. Ladies' Hall is maintained for those girls whose parents prefer to have them directly under college supervision, but choice of the Hall as a residence is entirely optional, and its regulations are so simple as to allow the girls almost entire liberty. It has accommodations for over sixty girls, and its proximity to the other university buildings and its somewhat cheaper rates make it a popular abiding place.

The rooms are arranged for the most part in suites of three, consisting of a parlor and two bedrooms, in which four girls combine all their energies and resources toward getting as much comfort and fun out of life as possible. They cover their walls with "Kodak" pictures and souvenirs of bygone festivities, without which a girl's room is a howling wilderness; and they fling draperies and cushions broadcast over rocking-chairs and couches, and divans made of pine boxes upholstered by themselves, until the rooms look like a Turkish bazaar, and are voted "regularly stunning" by all beholders. Sometimes a girl stays four years in her rooms at the Hall, and in after years she never thinks of college days without visions of the little parlor in No. -, swarming with girls at all hours of the day and night, and the scene of countless revels, the charm of which can be truly appreciated only by schoolgirls in similar circumstances.

The Hall girls have many a good time that outsiders entirely miss. After supper they dance together in the gymnasium with wild hilarity and with such vigor that a few years ago it was an unwritten law that every girl should remove her linen collar and cuffs before beginning to dance, lest the tradition of the typical Hall-girl's economy should be contradicted by the size of her laundry bill. It was a comical sight to see the long row of collars—the kind with inside capes—waiting their claimants on the platform where the pianos stood, while the girls flew round the room with handkerchiefs tied round their necks and hair wildly dishevelled.

Moreover, the Hall-girls have midnight feasts—for no girl away from home ever thinks she has regularly enough to eat; and they occasionally taste the sweet delight of breaking one of the few rules. Now and then they feel the thrill, when locked out after tarrying beyond time at a party, of climbing in at a first-floor window instead of ringing the bell. Sometimes they have a mild hazing-party, and often a candy-pull or an impromptu fancy-dress ball. The reminiscences of a group of old Hall-girls are apt to be breezy enough, but their true inwardness can be known to no one who has not passed through similar experiences.

But in general, the girls, whether in the Hall or out of it, live much as they do at home. They study when and how they please, and take exercise when the spirit moves; and they attend parties and go on sleigh-rides and boat-rides if they are socially inclined or spend the corresponding hours over Latin and mathematics. Most of them dress plainly and work hard; and if once in a while a being bursts upon the college world whose hats and gowns are the wonder of all beholders and the despair of other "co-eds," and whose head is a mite turned by the superabundance of men, the average girl reflects with equanimity that pretty gowns are a practical education in aesthetics, and that, as far as the second count in the indictment goes, familiarity will breed contempt.

The U. W. girl, being a product of modern civilization, cannot live without clubs and societies. If she is an inveterate "joiner," her activities in this line are many. Five Greek-letter societies—"Kappa Kappa Gamma," "Delta Gamma," "Gamma Phi," "Kappa Alpha Theta" and "Pi Beta Phi"; one German and two English debating clubs, one Norse society, the "Choral Union." the "Y. W. C. A.," the "University Channing Club," Bible classes in the various churches, French and German conversation classes and private dramatic clubs demand the student's attention and deliberate choice, to say nothing of her own class organization. She may also be on the editorial staff of "The Ægis," a fortnightly literary publication, or on "The Daily Cardinal"; and if she has artistic or humorous proclivities, she is likely to be a member of the "Badger Board."

"The Badger" is the college annual, issued every Spring by the Junior class. It contains all manner of statisticslists of the faculty and students, class histories, and news of the literary societies, fraternities and other college organizations; but its chief feature to most students, and the one that causes its appearance to be looked for with more interest than almost any other college event, is the section devoted to personalities and the year's crop of university jokes. The personal hits are invariably goodnatured, and are often exceedingly pat; and the jokes are usually old friends, sure of a hearty welcome. This publication is handsomely bound, generally in the class colors, and contains a large number of class and fraternity cuts, portraits of new members of the faculty, and humorous illustrations of various kinds, designed by the editors or begged from their more gifted friends.

In "The Badger" the faculty are not spared any more than the students, but the jokes are always well received. In fact, in this, as in other matters, the relation between professor and student is a most cordial one. A personal interest is taken by all the instructors in the members of their classes and in the students whose class officers they are; and the assistance they afford by advising students, not only about regular university work, but also about their other concerns, is sometimes given at the cost of postponing their own work or of losing precious recreation time. Many of them are actively interested in university sports, and more than one professor whose stern eye strikes terror to the careless student's heart, has been seen perched upon a fence at a ball game, cheering as enthusiastically as the most excited undergraduate. The professors make it a point to be present at the general reception given to new students every Autumn by the

Young Men's and Young Women's Christian Associations, although it occurs in the crowded first week; and the students then obtain a most attractive glimpse of the social side of the dreaded faculty. The honored president, Charles Kendall Adams, and his hospitable wife often throw open their beautiful home to the students, and several of the professors give a reception yearly to the members of their classes and their colleagues in the faculty.

The girls' fraternities contain from ten to twenty members each, and the beginning of each year witnesses a lively contest among them for desirable new girls. Fortune varies, of course, from time to time, and every fraternity can usually boast of some girl wrested from the others in a desperate conflict. The most popular girls and the best students are found, now in one chapter, now in another, and again among the outer barbarians. The experiment of chapter-houses has been tried by all the fraternities, and with different degrees of success. At present two of them are in their own lodges (rented), and the others are not; and the general verdict seems to be that, while far more enjoyable, the chapterhouses are more expensive than other lodgings, and are conducive to an endless waste of time. But with many of Madison's pleasantest homes open to them, university girls find no lack of good quarters, and when four or five congenial souls live in one house, or, better still, when a professor or "elect" layman takes one or two of them into his family, the intimate acquaintance and sympathy which often result are among the most delightful and enduring of university privileges.

The girls have two literary societies, "Laurea" and "Castalia," each of which holds a meeting every Friday evening in rooms in Ladies' Hall. A debate is usually the main feature of the programme, and careful preparation is expected from two speakers on each side. The rest of the evening is devoted to impromptu debates or five-minute speeches, music, recitations, essays, book reviews and the like, together with an occasional treat of tableaux or a short play. At a recent meeting the roll-call was responded to by quotations from the faculty, and the more exuberant spirits greatly enjoyed it. At the business meeting held after the literary session, practical experience is had in parliamentary usage, which, if not sufficient to enable each girl to preside properly herself in all emergencies of a woman's club, at least teaches her to recognize the fact when some one else does so improperly. While this, I admit, is not of great practical avail to others, it is yet a profound sense of satisfaction to the quondam Laurean or Castalian, especially when some product of a girls' polishing school is making the blunders.

For, as a matter of course, every girl who has attended the University of Wisconsin thinks that no other school is quite so good as her *alma mater*. She has taken co-education in its most virulent form, and from the vantage ground of experience, she declares that it contains none of those deadly germs or bacilli that are commonly supposed to swarm in its tissues, and that it has none of the disastrous after-effects that are feared by the

prudent individual who has never had it. Better class-work than the average man or woman would do alone; a noticeable absence of silly notions about the opposite sex, due to daily contact of the most matter-of-fact kind; a perceptible broadening of the horizon of both man and woman, thanks to constant association on equal terms in high and earnest aims—these the girl student claims as the positive results of co-education; and many smaller but very important things could be added to the list. A man at this university would never, I firmly believe, stand next to a lady at a book-counter and puff smoke directly in her face, or stare offensively at her on the street, as the men of a well-known Eastern college have been known to do toward the girls of a neighboring institution. These may have been individual instances, but for genuine good manners, though not always of the ultra varnished and veneered variety, I say, having tried both, that the co-educated man is ahead. This is due to the fact that he looks on the girl he meets at college simply as an agreeable fellow-student, and consequently treats her neither as a lower animal nor as a mysterious and, therefore, adorable creature; and she looks on him in the same way. If the creatures sometimes prove, not mysterious, but mutually adorable, what harm is done? The experiment is apt to turn out better than those that are more blindly made.

Much more could be told of a girl's life and work at the University of Wisconsin. There are warm May days, when boating has just begun and the university woods are full of flowers; June days, when no mortal girl can keep her mind on the lecture while her eyes are straying from some upper window over blue Mendota, enticing her to fling law and logic to the winds; Autumn afternoons, when the lake off the university shore is alive with boats, and the gorgeous coloring of the wooded slopes chases away every thought of to-morrow's lessons; Winter afternoons, gay with skating and ice-boating; and frosty nights, when the hills are thick with coasters. A ten-mile walk around Monona, or a drive of nearly thirty around Mendota is something to long for again, and an occasional visit to the Legislature makes the feminine student wonder that our laws are as clear as they are, considering that they emanate from such a smoky atmosphere. Every graduate recalls with regret excited class-meetings, class-parties where some one had stolen the ice-cream, and pleasant receptions given by the president, the faculty or some fraternity; and she will never again, probably, feel quite such a thrill of wild enthusiasm as that which came over her when the university team won some athletic championship in the inter-collegiate contests, and the whole army of students celebrated with bonfires, and the racket that only college boys can evoke. All these things are a part of university life; but, once more let me say it, they are only incidentals after all, and the regular course of university work flows steadily through and beyond them, in an everbroadening and ever-deepening current.

ADA TYNG GRISWOLD, '89.



he young woman behind the desk is a U. S. Magistrate. Risking the derision of women's libbers, one might say that she looks like she should be pouring at a faculty wives' tea or taking her stint at a co-op nursery school. But she's next thing to a federal judge.

She's Barbara Brandriff Crabb '60, who was appointed just slightly over a year ago as the first U. S. Magistrate in the Western district of Wisconsin.

Barbara, who is the wife of Ted Crabb, Wisconsin Union Director, and mother of Julie (7) and Philip (5) graduated from the UW Law School in 1962. She was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Mortar Board, as well as of the Order of the Coif and the Wisconsin Law Review.

After earning her law degree, she became associated with the Madison firm of Roberts, Boardman, Suhr and Curry. Although she sees law as a challenging and rewarding field for women, Barbara recognizes the problems involved for women in attracting clients. "People are not accustomed to putting their lives and properties in the hands of a woman lawyer," she says.

Much of Barbara's work has been in research. In 1970 she was a research associate for an American Bar Association project on minimum standards for criminal justice, with particular emphasis on the police function.

Since last spring she has been chairman of the criminal law sub-committee of the Governor's Task Force on Offender Rehabilitation—a fifteen-month assignment that is expected to play an influential role in Wisconsin's prison reform.

When she's not buried in law books or presiding at a hearing, or taking care of the children, you might find Barbara teaching Sunday School at Covenant Presbyterian Church, ice-skating, playing tennis or gardening.

She feels strongly that alumni should be involved in three aspects of UW activity. They should be encouraged to give money to the University. However, emphasis should be put on small gifts. "I've never felt the University has done a good enough job of saying: 'Look, if you gave us \$25, we could use it for this.' To give \$25 to the University of Wisconsin seems just ridiculous. But to give \$25 for a special project for the Political Science department, for example, might be something you'd think worthwhile. It wouldn't just get lost in the pile."

She feels that alumni, especially young alumni, should get involved

with interesting the good, bright students in coming to the University. "I have the feeling that for years the University's official position was that we had too many students, we didn't need any more. We've always recruited for athletes but I don't think we've recruited much for intelligence."

Thirdly, she pleads for open-mindedness toward the University as it changes with the times. "It's really hard if you're not involved with an institution to understand what is going on there. I think that even some of the people right here don't really understand. Any organism that doesn't grow in one sense or another is either dead or dying. People can't stay the same always, and it isn't fair of us to demand that our University do so, even when change means growing-pains and some breaks with tradition." She suggests that differing opinions within the UW hasn't helped outsiders or alumni to find the truth, and suggests that the Alumni Association and the University administration try to explain campus moods and actions to those outside Madison.

As a member of WAA's Young Alumni Committee, Barbara is helping consider and, hopefully, resolve some of these problems.—J. J. S.

# 13 Big Issues for Higher Education

Across the country, colleges and universities have been changing rapidly in size, shape, and purpose. And no one can predict where or when the changes will end

Much of the current debate about higher education is prompted by its success. A century ago, less than 2 per cent of the nation's college-age population actually were enrolled in a college; today, about 35 per cent of the age group are enrolled, and by the turn of the century more than half are expected to be on campus.

The character of higher education also is changing. In 1950, some 2 million students were on campus—about evenly divided between public and private institutions. Today there are 8.5 million students—but three in every four are in public colleges or universities. Higher education today is no longer the elite preserve of scholars or sons of the new aristocracy. It is national in scope and democratic in purpose. Although it still has a long way to go, it increasingly is opening up to serve minorities and student populations that it has never served before.

The character of higher education is changing far beyond the mere increase in public institutions. Many small, private liberal arts or specialized colleges remain in the United States; some are financially weak and struggling to stay alive, others are healthy and growing in national distinction. Increasingly, however, higher education is evolving into larger education, with sophisticated networks of two-year community colleges, four-year colleges, and major universities all combining

the traditional purposes of teaching, research, and public service in one system. The 1,500-student campus remains; the 40,000-student campus is appearing in ever-greater numbers.

pains. Higher education in this country is losing much of its mystique as it becomes universal. There are no longer references to a "college man." And society, while acknowledging the spreading impact of higher education, is placing new demands on it. Colleges and universities have been the focal point of demands ranging from stopping the war in Southeast Asia to starting low-cost housing at home, from "open admissions" to gay liberation. Crisis management is now a stock item in the tool kit of any capable university administrator.

The campus community simply is not the same—geographically or philosophically—as it was a decade ago. At some schools students sit in the president's office, at others they sit on the board of trustees. Many campuses are swept by tensions of student disaffection, faculty anxieties, and administrative malaise. The wave of disquiet has even crept into the reflective chambers of Phi Beta Kappa, where younger members debate the "relevance" of the scholarly organization.

At a time when all the institutions of society are under attack, it often seems that colleges and universities are in the center of the storm. They are trying to find their way in a new era when, as "the Lord" said in Green Pastures, "everything nailed down is coming loose."

**A Special Report** 

# What is the Role of Higher Education Today?

"Universities have been founded for all manner of reasons: to preserve an old faith, to proselytize a new one, to train skilled workers, to raise the standards of the professions, to expand the frontiers of knowledge, and even to educate the young."—Robert Paul Wolff, The Ideal of the University.

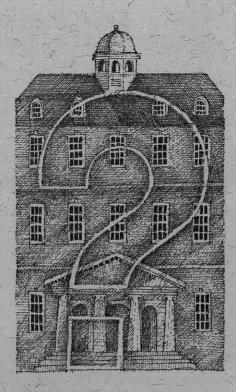
s HIGHER EDUCATION GROWS in public visibility and importance, its purpose increasingly is debated and challenged.

It is expected to be all things to all people: A place to educate the young, not only to teach them the great thoughts but also to give them the clues to upward mobility in society and the professions. An ivory tower of research where scholarship and academicians can pursue the Truth however they may perceive it. And a public service center for society, helping to promote the national good by rolling forward new knowledge that will alter the shape of the nation for generations to come.

THE ROLE of higher education was not always so broad. In 1852, for example, John Henry Cardinal Newman said that a university should be "an Alma Mater, knowing her children one by one, not a foundry or a mint or a treadmill." In those days a university was expected to provide not mere vocational or technical skills but "a liberal education" for the sons of the elite.

In later years, much of university education in America was built on the German model, with emphasis on graduate study and research. Johns Hopkins, Harvard, Yale, and Stanford followed the German example. Liberal arts colleges looked to Britain for many of their models.

The explosion of science and the Congressional passage of the Land-Grant Act also created schools to teach the skills needed for the nation's agricultural and industrial growth.



Colleges and universities started training specialists and forming elective systems. The researcher-teacher emerged with an emphasis on original investigation and a loyalty to worldwide discipline rather than to a single institution. Through the first two-thirds of this century there occurred the triumph of professionalism — what Christopher Jencks and David Riesman call "the academic revolution."

possible—for most colleges and universities to recapture Cardinal Newman's idea that they know their children "one by one." The impersonality of the modern campus makes many students, and even some faculty members and administrators, feel that they are like IBM cards, or virtually interchangeable parts of a vast system that will grind on and on—with or without them.

Still, the basic role of a college or university is to teach and, despite the immensity of the numbers of students crowding through their gates, most manage to perform this function. There is a growing belief, however, that higher education is not as concerned as it might be with "learning"; that the regurgitation of facts received in a one-way lecture is the only requirement for a passing grade.

Faculties and students both are trying to break away from this stereotype—by setting up clusters of small colleges within a large campus, by creating "free" colleges where students determine their own courses, and by using advanced students to "teach" others in informal settings.

There is little question that students do "know" more now than ever before. The sheer weight of knowledge—and the means of transmitting it—is expanding rapidly; freshmen today study elements and debate concepts that had not been discovered when their parents were in school. At the other end of the scale, requirements for advanced degrees are ever-tighter. "The average Ph.D. of 30 years ago couldn't even begin to meet our requirements today," says the dean of a large midwestern graduate school.

The amount of teaching actually done by faculty members varies widely. At large universities, where faculty members are expected to spend much of their time in original research, the teaching load may drop to as few as five or six hours a week; some professors have no teaching obligations at all. At two-year community colleges, by comparison, teachers may spend as much as 18 hours a week in the classroom. At four-year colleges the average usually falls between 9 and 16 hours.

HE SECOND MAJOR ROLE of higher education is research. Indeed, large universities with cyclotrons, miles of library stacks, underwater laboratories, and Nobel laureates on their faculties are national resources because of their research capabilities. They also can lose much of their independence because of their research obligations.

Few colleges or universities are fully independent today. Almost all receive

money from the federal or state governments. Such funds, often earmarked for specific research projects, can determine the character of the institution. The loss of a research grant can wipe out a large share of a department. The award of another can change the direction of a department almost overnight, adding on faculty members, graduate students, teaching assistants, and ultimately even undergraduates with interests far removed from those held by the pre-grant institution.

There is now a debate on many campuses about the type of research that a university should undertake. Many students, faculty members, and administrators believe that universities should not engage in classified—i.e., secret—research. They argue that a basic objective of scholarly investigation is the spread of knowledge—and that secret research is antithetical to that purpose. Others maintain that universities often have the best minds and facilities to perform research in the national interest.

The third traditional role of higher education is public service, whether defined as serving the national interest through government research or through spreading knowledge about raising agricultural products. Almost all colleges and universities have some type of extension program, taking their faculties and facilities out into communities beyond their gates—leading tutorials in ghettos, setting up community health programs, or creating model day-care centers.

HE ROLE of an individual college or university is not established in a vacuum. Today the function of a college may be influenced by mundane matters such as its location (whether it is in an urban center or on a pastoral hillside) and by such unpredictable matters as the interests of its faculty or the fund-raising abilities of its treasurer.

Those influences are far from constant. A college founded in rural isolation, for example, may find itself years later in the midst of a thriving

suburb. A college founded to train teachers may be expanded suddenly to full university status within a new state system.

As colleges and universities have moved to center stage in society, their roles have been prescribed more and more by "outsiders," people usually not included in the traditional academic community. A governor or state legislature, for example, may demand that a public university spend more time and money on teaching or on agricultural research: a state coordinating agency may call for wholesale redistribution of functions among community colleges, four-year colleges, and universities. Or Congress may launch new programs that change the direction of a college.

At such a time there is little for higher education to do but to continue what it has always done: adapt to its changing environment. For colleges and universities are not independent of the society that surrounds them. Their fate and the fate of society are inseparable.

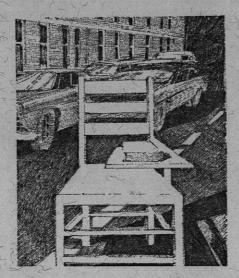
# what's the Best Way to Teach - and to Learn?

ver the years, college teaching methods have been slow to change. The lecture, the seminar, and the laboratory were all imported from Europe after the Civil War—and they remain the hallmarks of American higher education to this day.

Some colleges, however, are sweeping the traditions aside as they open up their classrooms—and their curricula—to new ways of teaching and learning. The key to the new style of education is flexibility—letting students themselves set the pace of their learning.

One of the most exciting experiments in the new way of learning is the University Without Walls, a co-operative venture involving more than 1,000 students at 20 colleges. Students in uww do most of their learning off campus, at work, at home, in inde-

pendent study, or in field experience. They have no fixed curriculum, no fixed time period for earning a degree. They work out their own programs with faculty advisers and learn what



they want. Their progress can be evaluated by their advisers and measured by standardized tests.

The students in uww, of course, are hardly run-of-the-mill freshmen. They include several 16-year-olds who haven't finished high school, a 38-year-old mother of three who wants to teach high school English, and a 50-year-old executive of an oil company. Their participation underscores a growing belief in American higher education that learning is an individualized, flexible affair that does not start when someone sits in a certain classroom at a fixed time or stop when a certain birthday is passed.

The uww experiment is financed by the Ford Foundation and the U.S. Office of Education and sponsored by the Union for Experimenting Colleges & Universities. Smaller-scale attempts to launch systems of higher education

# **Higher Education's Soaring Seventies**

ENROLLMENT		EARNED DI	EARNED DEGREES		
Fall 1969	Fall 1979		1969-70	1979-80	
Total, all institutions . 7,917,000	2,258,000	Bachelor's and 1st prof	784,000	1,133,000	
Public 5,840,000	9,806,000	Natural sciences	176,880	239,130	
Private 2,078,000 Degree-credit 7,299,000 1	2,451,000	Mathematics, statistics.	29,740	52,980	
Public 5,260,000	8,671,000	Engineering Physical sciences	41,090 21,090	50,410 18,070	
Private 2,040,000	2,403,000	Biological sciences	37.180	62,990	
4-year 5,902,000	8,629,000	Agriculture, forestry		9,390	
2-year 1,397,000 Men 4,317,000	2,446,000 6.251.000	Health professions General science	33,600	41,970	
Women 2,982,000	4,823,000	Social sci., humanities	3,110	3,320 893,870	
Full-time 5,198,000	7,669,000	Fine arts	52.250	77,860	
Part-time 2,101,000 Undergraduate 6,411,000	3,405,000	English, journalism		116,840	
Graduate 889,000	9,435,000	Foreign languages Psychology	23,790 31,360	57,150	
Non-degree-credit 618,000	1,183,000	Social sciences	149,500	60,740	
		Education	120,460	114,170	
STAFF STAFF		Library science	1,000	1,580	
1969-70	1979-80	Social work	3,190 20,780	4,100 29,780	
	1,221,000	Accounting Other bus. & commerce	81,870	91,920	
Instructional staff 700,000	986,000	Other	60,080	66,540	
Resident degree-credit . 578,000	801,000	Master's	219,200	432,500	
Other instruction 122,000	185,000	Natural sciences	46,080	88,580	
Other professional staff . 172,000 Administration, services 91,000	235,000	Mathematics, statistics. Engineering	7,950	23,290	
Administration, services 91,000 Organized research 80.000	124,000	Physical sciences	16,900 6,300	30,750 6,210	
Public 589,000	906,000	Biological sciences	6,580	15,060	
Private 282,400	316,000	Agriculture, forestry .	2,680	3,030	
4-year	1,011,000	Health professions General science	4,570 1.100	7,940	
2-year 122,400	211,000	Social sci., humanities		2,300 343,920	
EXPENDITURES		Fine arts	13,850	27,120	
(in billions of 1969-70 dollars)		English, journalism Foreign languages	10,890	28,420	
1969-70	1979-80	Psychology	6,390 4,700	22,180 12,910	
Total expenditures from	20/5 00	Social sciences	20,970	51,100	
current funds \$21.8	\$40.0	Education	71,130	90,160	
Public institutions 13.8	26.8	Library science Social work ,	7,190 5,960	19,280 17,700	
Student education 8.6 Organized research 1.8	16.9 2.8	Accounting	1.490	2,980	
Related activities 0.8	1.8	Other bus. & commerce	22,950	61,750	
Auxiliary, student aid 2.6	5.3	Other	7,600	10,320	
Private institutions / 8.0 Student education 4.1	13.2 6.5	Doctor's (except 1st prof.)	29,300	62,500	
Organized research 1.7	2.9	Natural sciences	14,100	32,120	
Related activities 0.4	0.6	Engineering	3.980	3,970 12,650	
Auxiliary, student aid 1.8	3.2	Physical sciences	4,220	6,870	
Capital outlay from current funds 0.5	0.5	Biological sciences Agriculture, forestry	3,410	7,310	
carrent tands	0.5	Health professions	800 310	730 510	
STUDENT CHARGES	- 72	General science	30	80	
(tuition, room, and board in 1969-70 do	ollars)	Social sci., humanities	15,200	30,380	
1969-70	1979-80	Fine arts English, journalism	990 1,310	1,330	
All public institutions \$1,198	\$1,367	Foreign languages	860	2,880 2,210	
Universities	1,578	Psychology	1,720	3.470	
Other 4-year	1,380	Social sciences Education	3,550	6,990	
2-year 957	1,166	Library science	5,030 20	10,350 40	
All private institutions \$2,520	\$3,162	Social work	100	220	
Universities	3,651 3,118	Accounting Other bus. & commerce	50	100	
2-year	2,839	Other	620 950	1,710 1,080	
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involving "external degrees" and "open universities" are sprouting across the country.

HE NEW TREND to flexibility started by killing the old notion that all students learn the same way at the same time. With that out of the way, colleges have expanded independent study and replaced many lectures with seminars.

Some colleges have moved to the ultimate in flexibility. New College, in Florida, lets a student write his own course of study, sign a "contract" with a faculty adviser, and then carry it out. Others give credit for work in the field-for time at other universities, traveling, working in urban ghettos or AEC laboratories. Still more are substituting examinations for hours of classroom attendance to determine what a student knows; some 280 students at San Francisco State, for example, eliminated their entire freshman year by passing five exams last fall.

Another trend is the increasing use and availability of technology. At Simon Fraser University in British Columbia, among other institutions, students can drop into a bioscience lab at any time of day, go to a booth, turn on a tape recorder, and be guided through a complicated series of experiments and demonstrations. The student there has complete control of the pace of his instruction; he can stop, replay, or advance the tape whenever he wants. One result of the program: students now spend more time "studying" the course than they did when it was given by the conventional lecture-and-laboratory method.

The computer holds the key to further use of technology in the class-room. The University of Illinois, for example, is starting Project Plato, a centralized computer system that soon will accommodate up to 4,000 users at stations as far as 150 miles from the Champaign-Urbana campus. Each student station, or "terminal," has a keyset and a plasma panel, which looks like a television screen. The student uses the keyset to punch out questions and answers, to set up experiments, and to control his progress. The computer responds to his direc-

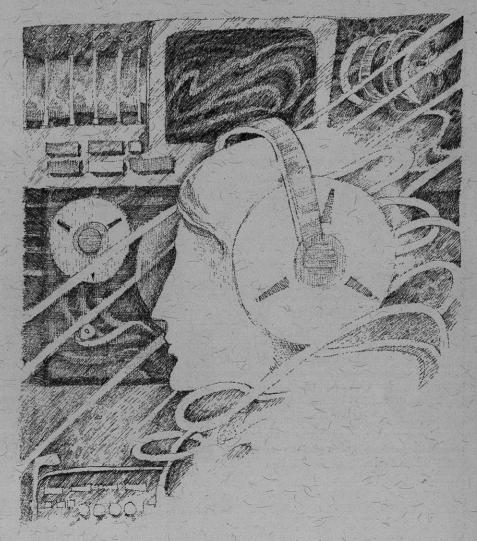
tions within one-tenth of a second.

Computers are still too expensive an instructional tool for some colleges. Eventually, however, they should make education considerably more open and available than it is today. Instruction can be wired into homes and offices; students can learn where and when they want.

Technology itself, of course, will never replace the traditional forms of education—the face-to-face contact with professors, the give-and-take of seminars, the self-discovery of the laboratory. Technology, however, will augment other forms of formal instruction, widening the range of alternatives, gearing the educational process more to the choice of the student, opening the system to new students.

What are the implications of technology for the colleges themselves? Most of the new technology requires large capital investments; it is still too expensive for hard-pressed institutions. But there may be ways that flexibility can be fiscally efficient and attractive.

Last summer, Howard R. Bowen, chancellor of the Claremont University Center, and Gordon Douglass, professor of economics at Pomona College, issued a report on efficiency in liberal arts instruction. They said that small liberal arts colleges could operate more effectively by diversifying their teaching methods. Their report suggested a plan under which 35 per cent of the teaching at a small college would be done in the conventional way, 25 per cent in large lectures, 15 per cent in independent study, 15 per cent in tutorials, and 10 per cent in machine-assisted study. Bowen and Douglass estimated that such a plan would cost \$121 per student per course—compared with \$240 per student now.



# **Should Campuses Get Bigger?**

T THE University of Illinois in Champaign-Urbana, midterm grades in some courses are posted not by the students' names but by their Social Security numbers. At Ohio State, a single 24-story dormitory houses 1,900 students—more than the total enrollment of Amherst or Swarthmore.

Across the country, colleges and universities are grappling with the problem of size. How big can a campus get before students lose contact with professors or before the flow of ideas becomes thoroughly clogged? How can a large campus be broken into smaller parts so students can feel that they are part of a learning community, not mere cogs in a machine?

Increasingly, parents and students are opting for larger campuses-both because large colleges and universities provide a good education and because they usually are state institutions with lower costs. A few years ago the National Opinion Research Center in Chicago conducted a national survey of the alumni class of 1961 and found that the graduates did not even have "much romanticism" about the advantages of small colleges. Only onefourth of the respondents thought that a college with fewer than 2.000 students would be desirable for their oldest son-and only one-third thought it would be desirable for their oldest daughter.

Others include cost, distance from home, the availability of special courses, and counseling from relatives and friends. A choice based on these factors leads to a college of a certain size. Choosing a highly specialized field, or one requiring much laboratory research, usually will mean choosing a large school. Trying to save money by living at home might mean attending a public (and large) community college.

Large colleges, of course, have advantages—more books, more distin-

guished professors, more majors to choose from, more extracurricular activities. They also have longer lines, larger classes, and more demonstrations. Three years ago a study of student life at the University of California at Berkeley (pop. 27,500) by law professor Caleb Foote concluded with the opinion that human relationships there "tend to be remote, fugitive, and vaguely sullen." Students and faculty were so overwhelmed by the impersonality of the university's size, said Foote, that the school failed even to educate students to "respect the value of the intellect itself."

By comparison, relationships at small colleges are almost idyllic. For example, a study of 491 private, four-year nonselective colleges with enrollments under 2,500 found that students and faculty there usually are on familiar terms and tend to be absorbed in class work. "The environment," said the study's authors, Alexander Astin, director of research for the American Council on Education, and

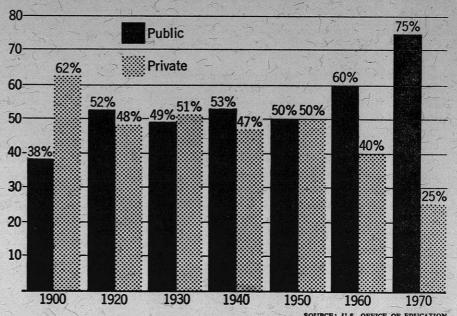
Calvin B. T. Lee, chancellor of the University of Maryland campus in Baltimore County, "is cohesive, and the administration is concerned about them as individuals."

HE GREATEST PROBLEM is to strike a balance, to make the campus big enough to enjoy the advantages of size but small enough to retain the human qualities. "I guess the trick," says the president of a small liberal arts college, "is to get big enough so people know you are there, and small enough so it's hard for things to get out of hand."

The Carnegie Commission on Higher Education recently studied campus size in relation to institutional efficiency. The optimum efficiency of a college, according to the commission, is when costs per student stop going down with increased enrollment—and when greater size starts to erode the academic environment.

It proposed that the best size for a doctorate-granting institution is 5,000

# **Shifting Patterns of College Enrollment**



In 1950, the two million students on campus were evenly divided between public and private colleges. Today, three out of four students are in public institutions.

to 20,000 full-time students; for a comprehensive college, 5,000 to 10,000 students; for liberal arts colleges, 1,000 to 2,500 students; and for two-year colleges, 2,000 to 5,000 students. The commission also noted that it realized that some institutions would not be able to reach the sizes it suggested.

In an effort to reduce the impact of large size, many colleges have tried to organize their campuses around a series of clusters, houses, or minicolleges. At the University of California at Santa Cruz, for example, students live and study in 650-student colleges; as the university grows it simply adds on another, virtually self-

contained, college. Each college has its own identity and character.

As long as the population continues to grow, and the proportion of young people going to college increases, large schools will get larger and small schools will have trouble staying small. The answer will have to be the creation of more colleges of all kinds.

# What is the "New" Student?

HE YOUTH COUNTERCULTURE flourished on the campus long before it spread to the rest of society.

The counterculture brought a new sense of community to the campus, a new feeling for a physical dynamic and for the visual world. Academicians spoke of the university's "new feel," where students preferred films to books and spoken poetry to written, and where they tried to rearrange things to fit their own time frames.

At first, universities and the new students didn't seem to mesh. Universities are traditional, reflective institutions often concerned with the past. Many of the new students wanted to look to the future. What happened yesterday was not as "relevant" as what is happening today, or what will happen tomorrow.

Margaret Mead looked at the new students and described them as the young "natives" in a technological world where anyone over 25 was a "foreigner." As a group, the new class seemed born to the struggle, more willing to challenge the ways of the world—and to try to change them—than their predecessors. And they felt fully capable of acting on their own. "Today students aren't fighting their parents," said Edgar Z. Friedenberg, professor of education at Dalhousie University, "they're abandoning them."

On the campus, many presidents and deans were under pressure from the public and alumni to stamp out the counterculture, to restore traditional standards of behavior. By the end of the Sixties, however, most students and faculty members alike had come to believe that off-campus behavior should be beyond a college's control. A national survey in 1969 found that only 17 per cent of the faculty members interviewed thought that "college officials have the right to regulate student behavior off campus."

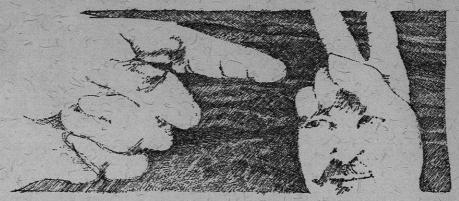
TTEMPTS TO REGULATE BEHAVIOR on the campus also ran into obstacles. For the past century, college presidents had exercised almost absolute control over discipline on campus. In the last few years, however, the authority of the president has been undercut by new-and more democratic-judicial procedures. "Due process" became a byword on new student and faculty judicial committees. Court decisions construed college attendance as a right that could be denied only after the rights of the accused were protected. The courts thus restrained administrative impulses to take summary disciplinary action.

Partly in response to the demands of the times, partly in response to court decisions, and partly in response to the recommendations of groups such as the President's Commission on Campus Unrest, many colleges now are creating entirely new judicial procedures of their own. Students are represented on campus judicial boards or committees; on a few, they form a majority.

At the same time, colleges are turning over to outside police agencies and civil courts the responsibility for regulating the conduct of students as citizens. On few, if any, campuses are students provided sanctuary from society's laws. For its part, society has developed a far greater tolerance for the counterculture and general student behavior than it once held.

"The trend," says James A. Perkins, former president of Cornell University and now chairman of the International Council for Educational Development, "is toward recognizing that the student is a citizen first and a student second—not the other way around. He will be treated as an adult, not as a child of an institutional parent."

That is a trend that more and more students heartily endorse.



# **Are Students Taking Over?**

Trustees were reluctant to give more to the president, the president didn't want to surrender more to the faculty, the faculty felt pushed by the students, and the students—who didn't have much power to begin with—kept demanding more.

Except for the presence of students among the warring factions, struggles for power are as old as universities themselves. The disputes began more than a century ago when boards of trustees wrestled authority from chartering agencies—and continued down the line, only to stop with the faculty.

In the late 1960's, students discovered that they had one power all to themselves: they could disrupt the campus. Enough students at enough

campuses employed confrontation politics so effectively that other elements of the college community—the administration and the faculty—took their complaints, and their protests, seriously.

By the end of 1969, a survey of 1,769 colleges found that students actually held seats on decision-making boards or committees at 184 institutions of higher education. They sat on the governing boards of 13 colleges. Otterbein College includes students with full voting power on every committee whose actions affect the lives of students; three are members of the board of trustees. At the University of Kentucky, 17 students sit as voting members of the faculty senate.

On the whole, students appear to have gained influence at many schools

without gaining real power. For one thing, they are on campus, usually, for only four years, while faculty members and administrators stay on. For another, they usually constitute a small minority on the committees where they can vote. Frequently they do not have a clear or enthusiastic mandate from their constituency about what they are supposed to do. Except in periods of clear crisis, most students ignore issues of academic reform and simply go their own way.

Even when students do have power, they often act with great restraint. "We have students sitting on our faculty promotion committees," says an administrator at a state college in the Northwest, "and we're discovering that, if anything, they tend to be more conservative than many of the faculty members."

# What is the Best Preparation for a College Teacher?

munity worried that there would not be enough Ph.D.'s to fill the faculties of rapidly growing colleges and universities. Efforts to solve the problem, however, may well have been too successful. Today people talk of a glut of Ph.D.'s—and men and women who have spent years in advanced study often can't find jobs. Or they take jobs for which they are greatly overqualified.

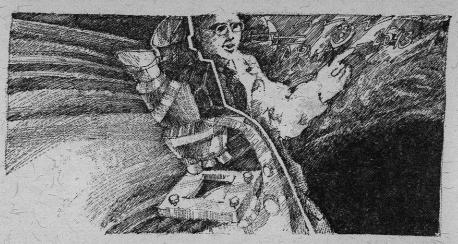
Over the years, about 75 per cent of all Ph.D.'s have joined a college or university faculty, and most still go into higher education. Due to the rapid growth of higher education, however, only 45 per cent of faculty members in the U.S. actually hold that degree; fully one-third of the 491 colleges that were the subject of a recent study do not have a single Ph.D. on their faculty. There is still a need for highly trained academic

talent—but most colleges can't afford to expand their staff fast enough to provide jobs for the new talent emerging from graduate schools.

In addition to the problem of training a person for a job that is not available, many academics are wondering if the Ph.D. degree—tradi-

tionally the passport to a scholarly life of teaching or research—provides the best training for the jobs that exist.

The training of a Ph.D. prepares him to conduct original research. That ability, however, is needed at colleges and universities only by people with



heavy research commitments or responsibilities. Once they have earned their doctorate, some Ph.D.'s will gravitate toward doing more research than teaching; others will choose to emphasize more teaching. Yet the preparation is the same for both. Moreover, although research can improve a professor's teaching, the qualities that make him a top-flight investigative scholar are not necessarily those required for effective classroom teaching.

Across the country, the demand is

growing for an alternative to the Ph.D. One such alternative is the M.Phil., or Master of Philosophy, degree; another is the D.A., or Doctor of Arts. A D.A. candidate would fulfill many of the requirements now expected of a Ph.D., but would attempt to master what is already known about his field rather than conducting his own original research. He also would spend time teaching, under the direction of senior faculty members.

Many colleges and universities have

already opened their doors and their classrooms to teachers without formal academic preparation at all. These are the outside experts or specialists who serve briefly as "adjunct" professors on a college faculty to share their knowledge both with students and with their fellow faculty members. Many administrators, arguing that faculties need greater flexibility and less dependence on the official certification of a degree, hope that the use of such outside resources will continue to grow.

# How Can Anyone Pay for College?

HE COSTS of sending a son or daughter to college are now astronomical, and they keep going up. The expense of getting a bachelor's degree at a prestigious private university today can surpass \$20,000; in a few years it will be even more.

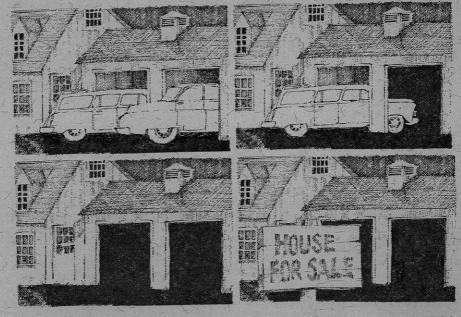
The U.S. Office of Education estimates that average costs for tuition, required fees, room, and board in 1970-71 were \$1,336 at a public university and \$2,979 at a private university—or 75 per cent more than in 1960.

Some schools, of course, cost much more than the norm. Tuition, room, and board cost \$3,905 at Stanford this year; \$4,795 at Reed. Harvard charges \$4,470—or \$400 more than a year ago.

State colleges and universities are less expensive, although their costs keep rising, too. The University of California is charging in-state students \$629 in tuition and required fees; the State University of New York, \$550. Other charges at public schools, such as room and board, are similar to those at private schools. Total costs at public institutions, therefore, can easily climb to \$2,500 a year.

Some colleges and universities are trying new ways to make the pain bearable.

Last fall, for example, Yale started its Tuition Postponement Option, permitting students to borrow \$800 di-



rectly from the university for college costs. The amount they can borrow will increase by about \$300 a year, almost matching anticipated boosts in costs. (Yale now charges \$4,400 for tuition, room, and board.)

The Yale plan is open to all students, regardless of family income. A participating student simply agrees to pay back 0.4 per cent of his annual income after graduation, or a minimum of \$29 a year, for each \$1,000 he borrows. All students who start repayment in a given year will continue paying 0.4 per cent of their income each year until the amount

owed by the entire group, plus Yale's cost of borrowing the money and 1 per cent for administrative costs, is paid back. Yale estimates that this probably will take 26 years.

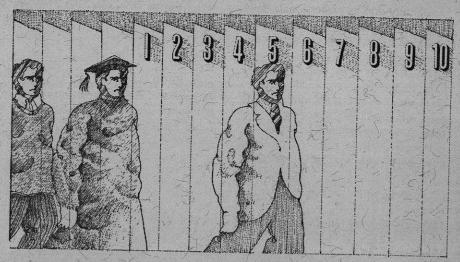
The Yale option works for a student in this way: If he borrows \$5,000 and later earns \$10,000 a year, he will repay \$200 annually. If he earns \$50,000, he will repay \$1,000. A woman who borrows and then becomes a non-earning housewife will base her repayments on half the total family income.

Many students and parents like the Yale plan. They say it avoids the "instant debt" aspects of a commercial loan, and repayments are tied directly to their future income—and, hence, their ability to pay.

ARENTS ALSO CAN pay college costs by taking out commercial loans; most banks have special loans for college. The College Scholarship Service estimates, however, that the effective interest rate on commercial loans runs from 12 to 18 per cent.

The federal government also is in the college loan business. President Nixon has declared that "no qualified student who wants to go to college should be barred by lack of money." Last year the U.S. Office of Education helped pay for higher education for 1.5 million students through federally guaranteed loans, national defense student loans, college workstudy programs, and educational opportunity grants.

The federally guaranteed loans are the most popular with middle-income parents. A student can borrow up to \$1,500 a year at 7 per cent interest



and start repayment 9 to 12 months after he graduates from college. He then can take 10 years to repay.

Most students still need help from their families to pay for college. According to the College Scholarship Service, a family with a \$16,000 annual income and one child should be able to pay \$4,020 a year for college. A family with a \$20,000 income and two children should have \$3,920 available for college.

One result of rapidly rising college costs is that most students work during the summer or part-time during the year to help pay their expenses. Another is that an ever-growing number seek out relatively inexpensive public colleges and universities. A third is that students—acting as consumers with an increasingly heavy investment in their college—will demand greater influence over both the form and content of their education.

# Is Academic Freedom in Jeopardy?

Professors can be taken as an indicator, academic freedom is in an increasingly perilous condition. Last summer the AAUP's "Committee A on Academic Freedom and Tenure" reported that it had considered 880 complaints in the 1970-71 school year—a 22 per cent increase from the year before.

Many of the complaints involved alleged violations of academic freedom in the classic sense—sanctions imposed against an individual for utterances or actions disapproved by his institution. It is not surprising that such controversies persist or that the actions of professors, trustees, students, and administrators might come into conflict, particularly in the increasingly politicized modern university.

As the title of the AAUP's committee suggests, academic freedom increasingly has become identified with guarantees of permanent academic employment. That guarantee, known as tenure, is usually forfeited only in cases of severe incompetence or serious infractions of institutional rules.

Because of the requirements of due process, however, disputes over academic freedom and tenure increasingly involve procedural issues. Some fear that as the adjudication process becomes increasingly legalistic, the elements of academic freedom in each case may be defined in ever-narrower terms. Robert B. McKay, dean of the New York University School of Law, warns that colleges should pay close attention to their internal judicial procedures so that outside decisions—less consistent with academic traditions—do not move into a vacuum.

is now under review at many institutions. Many faculty members and administrators realize that abuses of tenure through actions that are not protected by academic freedom threaten the freedom itself. Such an abuse might occur when a professor uses class time to express a personal point of view without affording students an opportunity to study other positions, or when a faculty member fails to meet a class—depriving students of their freedom to learn—in order to engage in political activity.

Because these examples are not clear-cut, they are typical of the academic freedom issue on many campuses. It is also typical for academics to resist regulation of any kind. The President's Commission on Campus Unrest noted that "faculty members, both as members of the academic

community and as professionals, have an obligation to act in a responsible and even exemplary way. Yet faculty members have been reluctant to enforce codes of behavior other than those governing scholarship. They have generally assumed that a minimum of regulation would lead to a maximum of academic freedom."

Political events—often off the campus—have made academic freedom a volatile issue. Occasionally a political figure will claim that a university is too relaxed a community, or that it is the hotbed of revolutionary activity. Institutions of higher learning have been thrust into the political arena, and academic freedom has been abused for political reasons. On some campuses, outside speakers have been prohibited; at others, controversial faculty members have been fired.

For centuries, academic communities have realized that neutrality may be their strongest virtue and surest protection. If they give up that neutrality, society may require them to forfeit many traditional freedoms and privileges. There is now a strong belief that neutrality is essential to the teaching, learning, and scholarship that are the very bedrock of higher education.

# What is a College Degree Really Worth?

Newman report on higher education, "are not only a highly prized status symbol, but also the key to many of the well-paying and satisfying jobs in American society."

The problem today is that colleges have been producing graduates faster than the economy can absorb them in challenging jobs. The members of last spring's graduating class found that, for the first time in years, a degree was not an automatic passport to a job and the good life.

Job offers to graduates were on the decline. At Louisiana State University, for example, there were only half as many job offers as the year before; even the recruiters stayed away. At graduate schools, job offers to new Ph.D.'s plummeted 78 per cent, and many might well have asked if all their years of study were worth it.

In the long run, higher education does pay off. Last fall a research team under Stephen B. Withey of the Institute for Social Research at the University of Michigan reported that male college graduates earn \$59,000 more in their lifetimes than male high school graduates.

A higher income is only one benefit of a degree. Withey's report also concluded that college graduates held jobs with fewer risks of accidents, fewer physical demands, more advancement, and "generally more comfort, psychic rewards, stimulation, and satisfactions." The report also found a direct correlation between college

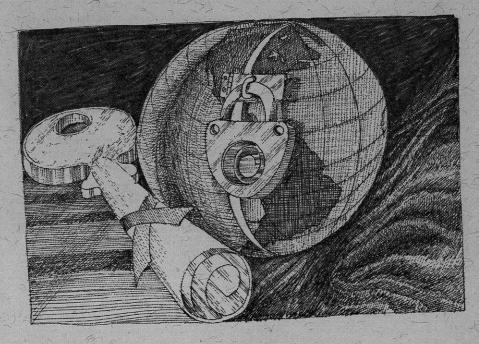
attendance, enriched life styles, and satisfactory family adjustments.

The nation's work ethic is changing, however, as are the values of many recent college graduates. To many, the tangible rewards of a job and a degree mean less than the accumulated wisdom and experience of life itself. Sociologist Amitai Etzioni recently commented: "The American college and university system is best at preparing students for a society which is primarily committed to producing commodities, while the society is reorienting towards an increasing concern for the good life."

Even when they can be defined, the nation's manpower needs are changing,

too. Last year Dartmouth College's President John G. Kemeny asked, "What do we say to all our students when we realize that a significant fraction of them will end up in a profession that hasn't been invented yet?"

Many educators now are urging employers to place less emphasis on the fact that a job applicant does or does not have a college degree and to give more attention to other qualities. Many also urge a review of the "certification" functions of higher education—where a degree often signifies only that the holder has spent four years at a given institution—so that society can operate more smoothly as a true meritocracy.



# **Should Everyone Go to College?**

IGHER EDUCATION, says Princeton's Professor Fritz Machlup, "is far too high for the average intelligence, much too high for the average interest, and vastly too high for the average patience and perseverance of the people here and anywhere."

Not everyone, of course, would agree with Professor Machlup's assessment of both the institution of higher education in the United States and the ability of the populace to measure up to it. But trying to draw the line in a democracy, specifying who should be admitted to higher education and who should not, is increasingly difficult.

What, for example, are the real qualifications for college? How wide can college and university doors be opened without diluting the academic excellence of the institution? And shouldn't higher education institutions be more concerned with letting students in than with keeping them out?

Public policy in the United States has set higher education apart from elementary and secondary education in size, scope, and purpose. All states have compulsory attendance laws—usually starting with the first grade—requiring all young people to attend public schools long enough so they can learn to read, write, and function as citizens. But compulsory attendance usually stops at the age of 16—and free public education in most states stops at grade 12.

Are 12 years enough? Should everyone have the right to return to school—beyond the 12th-grade level—whenever he wants? Or should "higher" education really be "post-secondary" education, with different types of institutions serving the needs of different people?

NCREASINGLY, the real question is not who goes on to higher education, but who does not go. In 1960, for example, about 50 per cent of all high school graduates in the U.S. moved on to some form of high-

er education. Today about 60 per cent go to college. By 1980, according to the U.S. Office of Education, about 65 per cent of all high school graduates will continue their education.

Today, the people who do not go on to college usually fall into three categories:

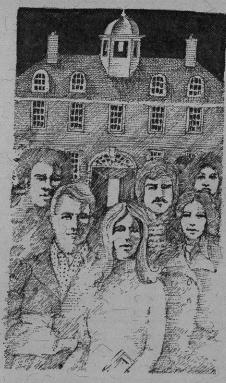
- 1. Students with financial need. Even a low-cost community college can be too expensive for a young person who must work to support himself and his family.
- 2. Students who are not "prepared" for college by their elementary and secondary schools. If they do go to college they need compensatory or remedial instruction before they start their regular classes. They also often need special counseling and help during the school year.
- 3. People beyond the traditional college-going age—from young mothers to retired executives—who want to attend college for many reasons.

During the Sixties, most of the efforts to open college doors were focused on racial minorities. To a degree, these efforts were successful. Last year, for example, 470,000 black students were enrolled in U.S. colleges and universities.

The explosive growth of two-year community colleges will continue to open college doors for many students. Most community colleges have lower admissions requirements than four-year schools (many require only high school graduation); they charge relatively low tuition (average tuition at a public community college this year is \$300), and most are in urban areas, accessible by public transportation to large numbers of students.

Community colleges will continue to grow. In 1960 there were 663 two-year community colleges in the U.S., with 816,000 students. Today there are 1,100 community colleges—with 2.5 million students. A new community college opens every week.

New patterns of "open admissions" also will open college doors for students who have not been served by



higher education before. In a sense, open admissions are a recognition that the traditional criteria for college admissions—where one ranks in high school, and scores on Scholastic Aptitude Tests—were not recognizing students who were bright enough to do well in college but who were poorly prepared in their elementary and secondary schools.

In the fall of 1970, the City University of New York started an open admissions program, admitting all graduates of New York high schools who applied and then giving them special help when they were on campus. There was a relatively high attrition rate over the year; 30 per cent of the "open admissions" freshmen did not return the next year, compared with 20 per cent of the "regular" freshmen. Even so, many university officials were pleased with the results, preferring to describe the class as "70 per cent full" rather than as "30 per cent empty."

The lesson is that, as higher education becomes more available, more young people will take advantage of it. Open admissions and other more democratic forms of admissions should not only make for a greater meritocracy on campus, but also lead to a better-educated society.

# What Will We Do With Kids if They Don't Go to College?

"They are sick of preparing for life—they want to live."—S. I. Hayakawa.

o one knows how many, but certainly some of the 8.5 million students now on campus are there for the wrong reasons. Some are there under pressure (if not outright duress) from parents, peers, and high school counselors; others are there to stay out of the armed forces or the job market. Almost all, even the most highly motivated, are vulnerable to pressures from parents who view college attendance as a major stepping-stone toward the good life.

One result of these pressures is that college teachers are often forced to

play to captive audiences—students who would rather be someplace else. Walk into almost any large lecture in the country and you'll see students doodling, daydreaming, and nodding; they come alive again when the final bell rings. Many are bored by the specific class—but many more are bored by college itself.

Acknowledging the problem, the Assembly on University Goals and Governance has proposed that new kinds of institutions be established "to appeal to those who are not very much taken with the academic environment." Other proposals call for periods of national service for many young men and women between the ages of 18 and 26, and for greater flexibility in

college attendance.

Steven Muller, president of the Johns Hopkins University, proposes a four-part national service program, consisting of:

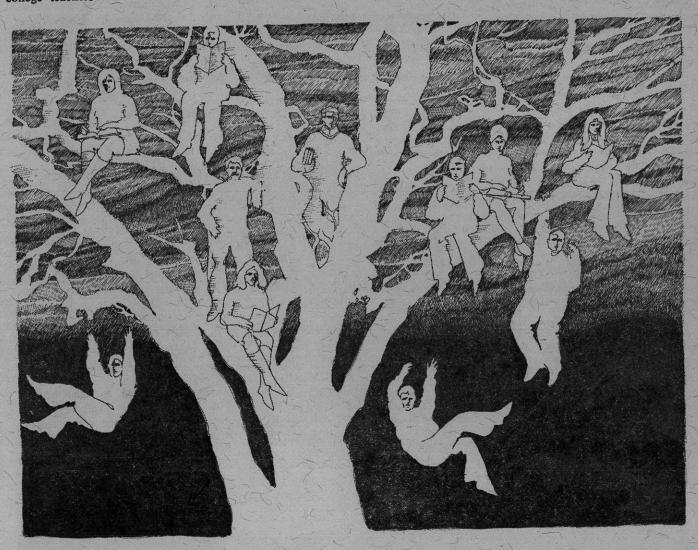
A national day-care system, staffed by national service personnel.

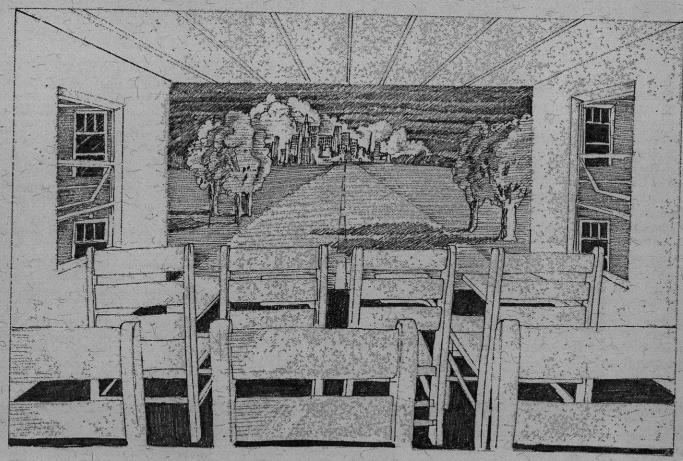
► A national neighborhood-preservation system, including security, cleanup, and social services.

A national health corps, providing para-medical services to homes and communities.

An elementary school teacher corps using high school graduates as teacher aides.

President Muller also proposes that two years of such non-military service be compulsory for all young peo-





ple. The advantages of mandatory national service, he said, would range from reducing enrollment pressures on colleges to giving students more time to sort out what they want to do with their lives.

The Carnegie Commission on Higher Education has suggested at least a consideration of national service plans and proposes that colleges make provisions for students to "stop out" at certain well-defined junctures to embark on periods of national service, employment, travel, or other activities.

The commission also advocates reducing the time required to earn a bachelor's degree from four years to three, and awarding credit by examination, instead of measuring how much a student knows by determining how much time he has sat in a particular class.

Some of these ideas are being studied. Institutions such as Harvard, Princeton, Claremont Men's College, New York University, and the entire California State College System are

considering the possibility of threeyear degree programs. Others, such as Goddard, Syracuse, and the University of South Florida, require students to spend only brief periods of time on the campus itself to earn a degree.

MAJOR TREND in American higher education today is toward greater flexibility. Last year two foundations—the Ford Foundation and the Carnegie Corporation of New York—provided \$2.5-million to help start a highly flexible series of experiments in New York State, including:

► A program of "external degrees," offering bachelors' and associates' degrees to students who pass collegelevel exams, even if they have not been formally enrolled at a college.

A new, non-residential college drawing on the resources of the state university' 72-eampuses but maintaining its own faculty to help students in independent study at home or at other schools.

A "university without walls" including 20 institutions but with no fixed curriculum or time required for degrees; outside specialists will form a strong "adjunct" faculty.

These and other alternatives are designed to "open up" the present system of higher education, removing many of the time, financial, geographic, and age barriers to higher education. They should make it easier for students to go to college when they want, to stop when they want, and to resume when they want. A bored junior can leave the campus and work or study elsewhere; a mother can study at home or at institutions nearby; a businessman can take courses at night or on weekends.

The alternatives emphasize that higher education is not limited to a college campus or to the ages of 18 to 24, but that it can be a lifetime pursuit, part of our national spirit. The impact of these changes could be enormous, not only for the present system of higher education, but for the country itself.

# With All Their Successes, Why Are Colleges So Broke?

N A RECENT ECHO of an all-toocommon plea, the presidents of six institutions in New York warned that private colleges there were on the verge of financial collapse and needed more money from the state.

The presidents were not crying wolf. The Carnegie Commission on Higher Education reports that fully two-thirds of the nation's 2,729 colleges and universities are already in financial difficulty or are headed for it. "Higher education," says Earl Cheit, author of the Carnegie report, "has come upon hard times."

At most schools the faculty has already felt the squeeze. Last spring the American Association of University Professors reported that the average rise in faculty salaries last year had failed to keep pace with the cost of living.

The real problem with college finance is that costs keep rising while income does not. It is compounded by the fact that the gap keeps growing between what a student pays for his education and what it costs to educate him.

The problems are great for public colleges and universities, and for private institutions they are even greater. About one-fourth of all private colleges are eating up their capital, just to stay in business.

As the Association of American Colleges warns, this is a potentially disastrous practice. As its capital shrinks, an institution then loses both income on its endowment and capital growth of it. The association sees little hope of a reprieve in the immediate future. "Most colleges in the red are staying in the red and many are getting redder," it says, "while colleges in the black are generally growing grayer."

METHODS of saving money don't seem to work in higher education. Most colleges can't cut costs without excluding some students or eliminating some classes and pro-

grams. There is little "fat" in the average budget; when a college is forced to trim it usually diminishes many of the programs it has started in the past few years, such as scholarships or counseling services for low-income students.

Most colleges and universities have tried to raise money by increasing tuition-but this, as we have seen, is approaching its upper limits. Private institutions already have priced themselves out of the range of many students. Trying to set tuition any higher is like crossing a swamp with no way to know where the last solid ground is -or when more students will flee to less expensive public colleges. The competitive situation for private colleges is particularly acute because, as one president puts it, public colleges offer low-cost, high-quality education "just down the street."

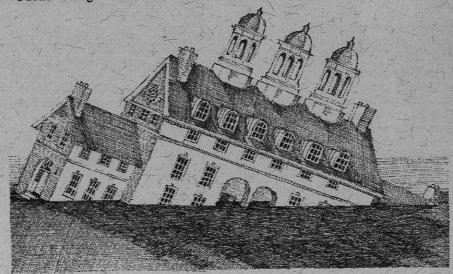
The problem is worse this year than ever before. The total number of freshmen in four-year colleges has actually declined. Colleges across the country have room for 110,000 more freshmen, with most of the empty seats found in private schools. The decline in enrollment comes at a particularly bad time: many colleges are just completing large—and expensive—building programs that they started in the booming sixties.

Public colleges are not immune

from the academic depression. They receive about 53 per cent of their income from state and local governments, and many are suffering from a taxpayers' revolt. Some state legislatures are cutting back on funds for higher education; others are dictating ways money can be saved.

Public colleges are under pressure to raise tuition, but many administrators fear this might lose students at the cost of raising dollars. Tuition at public colleges and universities is relatively low, when compared with private colleges, but it still has doubled in the last decade. The National Association of State Universities and Land-Grant Colleges warns that if it keeps going up it could lead to a "serious erosion of the principle of low tuition, which has been basic to the whole concept of public higher education in the United States."

Most college administrators, therefore, are looking to the federal government for help. The Carnegie Commission estimates that the federal government now pays about one-fifth of all higher education expenditures in the U.S.—or \$4 billion a year. The Commission says this must increase to about \$13 billion in five years if the nation's colleges and universities are going to be in good health. It is only problematical whether such an increase will occur.



# **Are Alumni Still Important?**

for reunions, fund-raising dinners, or occasional visits, but often their closest contact with their alma mater is the plea for money that comes in the mail.

When student unrest erupted a few years ago, however, college administrators quickly realized that alumni could make their opinions felt. Thousands of telegrams and letters flowed across the desks of presidents and deans in the wake of sit-ins and demonstrations; some alumni withheld money even though they had given before, or made their unhappiness known in other ways.

In the campus preoccupation with internal power struggles, alumni and alumnae usually have been bystanders. They are rarely involved in day-to-day life of the campus; unlike students, faculty members, and administrators, they are not present to exert an immediate influence in the struggles that often paralyze a school.

Many colleges now are searching for new ways to involve their alumni, particularly those who feel estranged from the contemporary campus by a growing gulf of manners, morals, and concerns. The impact of alumni, however, will grow as their numbers grow. It probably will be channeled into the following areas:

As voting citizens: Alumni will have an increasing influence as voters, as more and more of the questions af-



fecting higher education are decided by elected officials. Even private institutions will receive more financial support from state and federal sources in the next few years. Congressmen and legislatures will, through government loans, grants, and institutional aid, make more and more decisions about who can attend college and where. In the 1980's, colleges and universities may value their alumni as much for their votes as for their dollars.

As donors: No matter how much more they receive from tuition or from governments, America's colleges and universities will not have enough unfettered money to do all the things they want to do. Contributions are still the best means of giving them a chance to experiment, to perform with extraordinary quality, and to attract new kinds of students.

As parents: Alumni will have vast influence over the education of their children. By encouraging new approaches to teaching—and by encouraging their children to take advantage of them—alumni can help broaden the structure of higher education. They can give their sons and daugh-

ters additional opportunities to appraise their future careers and make more efficient and intelligent use of college and university resources.

As employers: Alumni influence the qualifications that are demanded for entry into many jobs. They can help eliminate some of the current educational overkill now demanded for many occupations, and they can provide on-the-job apprenticeships and other opportunities for employees moving up in the system.

As citizens: Alumni can lead in efforts to make elementary and secondary education respond to the needs of all children, thereby reducing the burdens placed on colleges to provide remedial help. They can make sure that public education serves the public at all levels.

As members of a changing society: Alumni can develop tolerance and understanding for change in their own colleges, and prepare themselves for new opportunities in society.

As partisans of their colleges: They can increase their effectiveness by remaining alert to the changes in higher education, placing the changes at their own college in the context of broad structural changes in colleges across the nation.

As educated men and women: They should hold on to their faith in learning as a hope of civilization, and their faith in colleges and universities for nurturing that hope.

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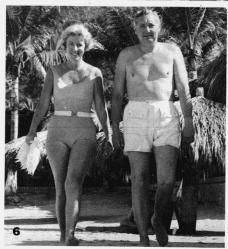
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# Alumni News

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A feature article in the Arizona Daily Star recently reviewed the colorful career of EDWARD T. (Tim) CUSICK '16, who is still practicing law in Tucson. He played baseball professionally; served in both world wars; and played a strong role in Arizona Democratic politics. He was Arizona Democratic politics. He was Arizona Democratic chairman during the Truman campaign in 1948.

MARJORY HENDRICKS '18, Washington, D. C., has donated a large antique Flemish tapestry and an ancient portrait of Charles II to the Elvehjem Art Center on our campus.

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ROBERT P. GER-HOLZ x'22 has been elected chairman of the board of control of Ferris State college, Big Rapids, Mich. He has been a member of the board since 1967 and is president of Gerholz Community Homes, Inc., Flint.

LON L. GRIER '23 has discontinued his business as an investment dealer in Milwaukee.

HELEN ZUELKE Rendall '23, executive secretary of the Montclair (New Jersey) State college alumni association for the past ten years, has retired from full-time work and is continuing as a consultant on a part-time basis.

Recently retired as president and chief operating officer of General Rediscount Corp., and GAC Finance Inc., Allentown, Penn., is PETER J. DUNN '28.

HOMER KIEWEG '29, Terre Haute, who is associated with Commercial Solvents, is currently in West Germany building a small chemical building there.

WAGGERSHAUSER '33 VAUGHN '43





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HERMAN H. WAG-GERSHAUSER '33, Rochester, N. Y., has retired as vice president and general manager of the Kodak Apparatus division. He will continue as a member of the board of directors.

The Sigma Phi Epsilon citation for distinguished service to his profession has been awarded to WILLIAM O. BEERS x'37, Winnetka, Ill.

DELOURISE LAYMAN Trakel '38 is learning specialist for libraries, kindergarten through 12th grade, of Waukesha School District No. 1.

The Patent Law Assoc., Chicago, the oldest and second largest patent law association in the country, has elected RICH-ARD L. VOIT '39 its president.

ROBERT E. WRIGHT '40, Bristol, Va., has been elected board chairman of Black Diamond Enterprises, Inc. He was formerly vice-president for Corporate Development of Wheeling-Pittsburgh Steel Corp.

41/50 GERALD DAHLKE '43, Wethersfield, Conn., an agent with the Hartford Branch office of Connecticut General Life Insurance Co., has been elected to the board of directors of Newington Children's Hospital.

A. C. INGERSOLL '42, associate dean of the UCLA University Extension, has been named recipient of the Educator of the Year award by the Society of Manufac turing Engineers of the western half of the United States.

H. ARTHUR WORMET '42 has been named Chrysler Corp. vice president for Europe and is living in London, England.

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CHARLES M. VAUGHN '43, professor and department chairman of Zoology at Miami university in Oxford, Ohio, is the new president of the Association of Academies of Science, an affiliate of the Association for the Advancement of Science.

WALLACE C. DOUD '48, Armonk, New York, IBM vice president of Commercial and Industry Relations, has received a Sigma Phi Epsilon citation for distinguished service to his profession.

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Retiring from the Army after more than 20 years of active service, Lt. Col. KENNETH J. CARAH '51 has been awarded the Legion of Merit in a ceremony at Ft. Monroe, Va.

URBAN L. DOYLE '51, president of Cincinnati's Whiteway Manufacturing Co., has been named group president of LCA Corp.'s commercial and institutional lighting division.

New executive vice president of Stein, Hall & Co., Inc., a subsidiary of Celanese Corp., is ROLLAND G. FRAKES '51. He had been executive vice president of Celanese Canada Limited.

SHIRLEY AUDENBY Furze '51 has been appointed chief pharmacist of River Bluff Nursing Home, Rockford, Ill.

ARTHUR R. MESSERSCHMIDT '52 has been named to regional comptroller on the Sealtest Foods headquarters staff with offices in Chicago. He and his wife and two sons live in Barrington, Ill.

Formerly Chief Economist of the textile fibers department of E. I. Du Pont de Nemours & Co., Inc., RICHARD D. KAR-FUNKLE '54 has been elected vice president and economist of Laird, Bissell & Meeds, Inc., Wilmington, Delaware.

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Newly appointed general agent at Eau Claire for the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. is RICHARD W. CABLE '55, who was formerly district agent in Stevens Point.

Air Force Major EVANS E. WARNE '56 has arrived for duty at Ramstein AB, Germany where he is assigned to a unit of the Tactical Air Command.

JAMES D. MOSS '55 is president and chairman of the board of Kona Communications, Inc. in Glenview, Ill. He and his wife, the former DOROTHY ANN PERKINS '57, live in Winnetka with their three children.

DR. ROBERT MANIS '58 has been named clinical assistant professor of psychiatry at Emory university, Atlanta, Ga.

Air Force Major PETER C. CHRISTOP-LIS '59 is currently assigned to a unit of the Strategic Air Command at Castle AFB, Calif.

LALIT K. SARIN '59 has been named director of product development for the Home Products division of the Black and Decker Manufacturing Co., Towson, Md.

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New chairman of the department of nursing education at the School of Related Health Sciences of the Chicago Medical School is JOAN K. ARTEBERRY '61.

Attending the Armed Forces Staff College at Norfolk, Va. is Air Force Major JOHN D. LOGEMAN '61.

THOMAS G. DORAN '63, Minneapolis, has been named a vice president of Shelter Homes Corp., a subsidiary of Shelter Corp. of America.

JOHN HANSEN '64 and his wife, SALLY SCHUBERT Hansen '63 are living in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil where he is working on an educational project for USAID and the Brazilian government.

THOMAS A. KRUGER '63, Pleasantville, N. Y., has been appointed supervisor of planning and special projects of Celanese Chemical Co.

Capt. MICHAEL J. DOLSKE '65, who is an assistant operations and training officer with the Army's Civil Affairs Group at Ft. Clayton, Canal Zone, recently particiAnnual Dues

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pated in an arduous 53-mile relay run across the isthmus of Panama in which each man ran five miles without stopping.

Air Force Capt. DAVID D. KRUEGER '65 has received the Distinguished Flying Cross and his 13th award of the Air Medal for action in Vietnam. The awards were made at Shaw AFB, S. C. where he now serves as a flying safety officer with the Tactical Air Command.

Mr. and Mrs. JON DAVIS (JANE CAR-MEN) '66 announce the birth of their first child, Hadley Elisabeth, on Oct. 29 in Boston.

DAVID W. KINNEY '66 has been named chief accountant at the Oscar Mayer & Co. plant in Philadelphia.

EDWARD M. NORIN '66 has been named financial analyst with Forest City Enterprises in Cleveland, Ohio, after earning his MBA at Case Western Reserve university.

Lt. RICHARD K. ALBRECHT '67 has graduated from the Air University and is now an instructor for the Air Training Command at Chanute AFB, Ill.

Capt. MICHAEL J. McCARTHY '67, a tactical airlift pilot at Clark AB, Philippines, was awarded a service ribbon as a member of the award-winning 463rd Tactical Airlift Wing.

WILLIAM A. ZELLMER '67 has been promoted to editor of the American Society of Hospital Pharmacists *Newsletter*, of which he was previously associate editor.

Air Force Capt. FLOYD F. HAUTH '68, commander of detachment 15, 24th Weather Squadron at Vance AFB, Okla., recently participated in a program called "High Flight" to honor future Air Force leaders and managers.

KIPPERT '70

TONEYS '70





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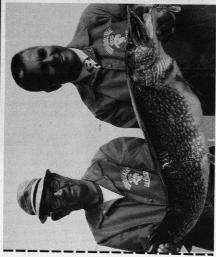
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Army Major GUNNAR C. CARLSON, JR. '69 graduated recently from the Armed Forces Staff College in Norfolk, Va.

JAMES P. KIPPERT '70 has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the Air Force and is assigned to Reese AFB, Tex. for pilot training.

After receiving his silver wings upon graduation from Air Force navigator training, Second Lt. MICHAEL L. TONEYS '70 has been assigned to George AFB, Calif.

Army Major LEE F. WITTER '70 has completed an 11-week Indonesian language course at the Defense Language Institute in Washington, D. C.

Army Specialist Four ROBERT G. ALEX-ANDER '71 is a medical supply specialist with the Medical Field Service School, Brooke Army Medical Center, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Ensign ROBERT J. BARTELT '71, of the U.S. Coast Guard, recently received his commission and has been assigned to the cutter Acacia in Port Huron, Mich., for duty on the Great Lakes.

A new member of the research division of Rohm and Haas Co. pharmaceuticals, Philadelphia, is STEPHEN D. HARMS '71.

LAWRENCE A. LIPPMANN '71 has been named to the Long Range Planning committee of the College of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey, where he is a medical student.

JAMES A. McMURRY and RICHARD P. WITTE, both '71 graduates, have been commissioned second lieutenants in the Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School at Lackland AFB, Tex. Lt. McMurry is assigned to Moody AFB, Ga. for pilot training and Lt. Witte goes to Mather AFB, Calif. for training as a

Second Lt. JAMES J. STERZINGER '71 has graduated from pilot training at

HARMS '71



McMURRY '71



Vance AFB, Okla. and will remain there as an instructor.

Army private JOHN B. STUTT '71 has completed basic training at Ft. Knox, Ky. Private BRUCE C. THOMPSON '71 recently completed a medical corpsman course at Army Medical Training Center, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

STERZINGER '71



**WITTE '71** 



# **Newly Married**

### 1967

Deanne OLSEN and Gerald Bauer in Middleton

Anne Marie TURNELL and James Robert Fuenger in Valders, Wisconsin

### 1968

Bonnie Louise BARKER and John Martin Carney in Madison

Kathy Dee HANSON and Jack Schneider in Madison

Mary Portia PETERS and R. N. Bauchens in Mundelein, Ill.

Paula Jean RIES and Kenneth Gotberg

### 1969

Sandra Jeanne HENRY and John Grisham in Dane, Wisconsin

Elizabeth Anne Oldham and Paul Henry KLINK in Ashville, N. C.

Virginia WEBER and John F. Franzen in Sea Cliff, New York

## 1970

Jane Ellen FOESTE '72 and Ronald Paul WITTENWYLER in Ft. Atkinson

Teri Lynn GLADITSCH and David Charles Mills in Bloomer

Priscilla Marie Chadwick and Anthony T. JARONA in Madison

Vickie Rae Knudson and Charles SOM-MER in Stoughton

### 1971

Nancy Ellen ASTROLOGES and James Wm. Scheible in Crystal Lake, Ill. Suzanne M. GOLDSCHMIDT and

Thomas W. IRWIN in Madison

# EDWARD H. GIBSON

Ed "Gibby" Gibson, for 21 years a member of the staff of Wisconsin Alumni Association, died March 31 in a Madison hospital after a long illness. He was 73 years old, and had retired from the Association staff in June, 1969.

As Director of Alumni Relations, Gibby traveled to local alumni clubs helping them plan meetings, stage events, establish scholarships and

promote the UW. As a result, he was well known by alumni everywhere.

Born in Jefferson, Iowa, in 1899, Gibson was a member of the UW class of 1923, and was a three-year varsity football player.

He is survived by his wife, Katherine, 609 South Shore Drive, Madison; a daughter, Mrs. William G. Marshall; and a son, Edward.



Ann Morrison HEINZE and Gregory Charles Horn in Ft. Thomas, Ky.

Suzanne SPETH and James N. KIEFER in Doylestown, Wis.

Karen Elizabeth ZIEGE and Robert J. BARTELT in Menomonee Falls, Wis.

### 1972

Kathleen Mary VanVeghel and Steven George CHICKA in New Berlin, Wis.

Elaine P. Baker and Richard L. DAV-IES in Oshkosh

Sheila Marie Rusch and Roger James DE BAKER in Shawano

Sally EDDINGTON and Charles A. Byrs in Madison

Georgia L. Thompson and Michael J. KLITZKE in Madison

Karen Marie Sorenson and Daniel John LA VALLEY in De Pere

Lynn Ann LEDDY and Gerald Everett Zimplemann in Kaukauna

Dianne Lynn Koepsell and Nicholas D. LUDOVIC in Milwaukee

Kathleen Sitter and Thomas J. MEYER

in Madison Denise Mary Guerts and Dale Jon SKULDT in Appleton

Gilson Gardner GLASIER '00, Tucson

Sylvan J. LISBERGER '03, San Fran-

Mrs. Todd E. Paulus (Esther R. Conck-

Walter Louis DISTELHORST '06,

Fred Lewis SPENCER '08, Dumont,

Joseph C. CURTIS '09, New Lisbon

Charles Homer TALBOT '10, Denver

Oliver Roman WEINANDY, '10, Coch-

Thomas Ruston DAVIDSON '11, Lee's

Robert Paige BOARDMAN '12, Fond

Elsie Lucretia ELLEFSON '13, Madison

Mrs. Harold P. Thomson (Anna Beth

Kenneth William ERICSON '14, Sara-

Charles Albert RINEHIMER '14, Elgin,

Lloyd H. MOHR '14, Madison

Benton Bayard BYERS '04, Duluth

Tilden Ballard CLARK '07, Detroit

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REUSS) '13, Milwaukee

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FRANKEL) '15, New York City Arthur John MERTZKE '16, Chicago

Arthur Henry NEUMANN '16, West

Mrs. Robert I. Wishnick (Freda Monica

Hartwick Martinus STANG, M. D. '16, Hayward, Wis.

John Butler WILKINSON '16, Milwau-

Louis George KREUZ '17, Milwaukee Robert Miller BREWER '18, Indianapo-

Ned Royce ELLIS '18, W. Hyattsville, Md.

Mrs. C. A. Knuepfer (Ella Almira TARRANT) '18, River Forest, Ill.

Mrs. John Butler Wilkinson (Kathryn MORRIS) '18, Milwaukee

Sherwood E. Wing '18, La Crosse Willard Bernhard BELLACK '19, Solvang, Calif.

Willard Alonzo CHIPMAN, M. D. '19, Detroit

Howard Edward EGAN '19, Akron, Oh. Mrs. Arthur E. MacPherson (Marjorie H. JONES) '19, Portage

Oscar Aaron ROZOFF '19, Whitefish Bay

Alfred Karl DOLCH '20, Los Angeles Louis James HAYES '20, Los Angeles Raymon Nelson HAWKINS '21, Neshkoro, Wis.

Mrs. J. F. Schoenenberger (Katharine Martha WILSON) '21, Evanston

Charles Thayer SCHRAGE '21, Glen Rock, N.J.

Benjamin Stephen SPIETH '21, Racine Cecil Everett WHITE '21, LaValle, Wis. Clemens Michael LINS '22, Culver City,

Mrs. Simpson B. Tanner (Maude Mildred MILLER) '22, Rutherfordton, N.C. George Paul RUEDIGER '23, La Crosse George Mackenzie UMBREIT '23, Newton, Ia.

Alfred Hoffman HIATT '24, Minneapolis

Hugh Conrad MICHELS '24, Chicago Curtis Frank MOSS '24, Laguna Hills, Calif.

Isaac Walker RUPEL '24, Bryan, Tex. Henry ALINDER '25, Hinsdale, Ill. Lucile Catherine HAWKINS '25, St.

Harvey Anton WOLFF '25, Milwaukee Van Dyke Nathan PARKER '26, Madi-

Otis L. WIESE '26, Houston, Tex., in New York City

Henry Luesing BROOKS '27, Louisville

Mrs. John Herbert Culnan (Julia Morris JACKSON) '27, Carson City, Nev.

Marzo V. USHER '27, Madison Oscar Melville ELKINS, M.D. '28, Venice, Calif.

Mrs. Thomas M. C. Taylor (Barbara Davidson HOWELL) '28, Victoria, B. C. John Gee WILLIAMSON '28, Columbia, S. C.

Harold Oliver LEISER '29, West Bend Olive Hoyt SMITH '29, Madison L. Kenneth LANCASTER '30, Dallas Ward Ray MILES '30, Fresno, Calif. Anna WORRELL '30, Boothwyn Branch, Pa.

William Louis HAAS '31, Madison Harold Vinton PACE '31, Norfolk, Va. Howard Ransom STOTT '31, Madison Theodore James KROYER '32, Walworth, Wis.

Sumner Stuart SOMMERFIELD '33, Wheaton, Ill.

Maurice Angus COPPENS '37, Canandaigua, N.Y.

Mrs. Edward Chester Creutz (Lela Marie ROLLEFSON) '38, Bethesda, Md.

Edward John OWENS '38, Madison Donald Marshall WILLISON, M. D. '38, Eau Claire

Harold Herman KURTH '39, Wayland,

Nick Dan BUJANOVICH '40, Mayville, Wis.

Normal Emil ALBRIGHT '42, Signal Hill. Calif.

George Dudleigh LINDENBERG '47, Milwaukee

Dennis Bergwin DANIELSON '48, Eau Claire

Richard Thomas SCHIBLY '48, Green

Warren Udell WELTY '48, Rockford Mrs. Byron W. Olson (Ruth Ann NEES-VIG) '51. Madison

Michael F. P. NIGHTINGALE, M.D. '56, Madison

Richard LeRoy JONES '58, Marshfield John Charles AUCHTER '59, Milwau-

Joseph Robert KAUTZER '64, Kenosha James Melvin CARLSON '68, Markville, Minn.

Robert Joseph RITGER '71, Hartford, Wis.

# **FACULTY DEATHS**

Elmer H. SCHEIBE '40, a member of the electrical engineering faculty for the past 30 years. Prof. Scheibe, 58, had also been employed in industry as a radio engineer and electrical draftsman, and was the author of several articles on engineering subjects.

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# ALUMNI WEEKEND May 19-21, 1972

Welcoming all alumni, but with special reunions for Classes of 1916, 1917, 1918, 1922, 1927, 1932, 1937, 1942, 1947, and the 1915 UW Band.

## SPECIAL EVENTS

- Social hours, receptions, dinners by reunion classes
- Half-century Club luncheon honoring Class of 1922
- Quarter-century Club luncheon honoring Class of 1947
- Open house at the Alumni House
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# MORE SPECIAL EVENTS

Alumni Weekend

- Home Economics Alumni Assoc. breakfast—Lowell Hall, May
   Featured speaker will be CAROLYN BENKERT Bishop
   Home Furnishings and Equipment Editor of Family Circle magazine.
- Women's Physical Education Alumnae Gladys Bassett discussion weekend—Friday and Saturday. Featured speaker Dr. MARGIE HANSON, former faculty member, now of the American Association for Health, Phys. Ed. and Recreation, Wash., D. C.
- 1922 Engineers Reunion—May
   18. Lunch, Maple Bluff Country
   Club and dinner at the Madison Club.
- Presentation of Class of 1945
  gift to the Elvehjem Art Center
   —Sat., May 20, 11:00 A.M.
   Unveiling of Mateo Cerezo
  painting, Saint Francis Receiving the Stigmata, and concert of
  Spanish Baroque music by the
  Madison Philharmonic Chorus.
- Wis. Hoofers Reunion—Hoofer Headquarters, Wisconsin Union. Open house Sat. morning for all alumini.