"SONS OF BRYANT, STAUNCH AND TRUE"

Left, top—Edwin J. Humes, 1888; Bottom, Charles A. Barton, 1899; Center—Henry Allen Bramer, 1871; Thomas L. Phillips, 1899; Right—Everett L. Salisbury, 1883; J. A. Cooke, 1873.

Fifty-seven thousand men and women have graduated from Bryant College. Many of them have become busy, important business executives. It is years since some of them have returned to their College. Many of them, however, keep in touch with us, through a letter now and then, or a word-of-mouth message of greeting, and the old Bryant spirit is strong in most of them. Among those who watch the progress of their College with pride and interest are the six men pictured above, who are probably among the oldest living Bryant Alumni.

J. A. Cooke

The earliest graduate among the above alumni is J. A. Cooke, who was graduated with the class of 1873, and since then has had a most interesting career. In 1899, the Providence Journal wrote a very interesting article about Mr. Cooke, describing him as a mellow and genial fellow, even though he once wielded hankers in one of the "toughest" parts of Providence. After graduating from Bryant, Mr. Cooke became bookkeeper for D. W. Goodspeed, on South Water Street, Providence, but the long hours (they were often thirteen or fourteen hours a day) were not to his liking, so he took up farming with his grandfather on a big farm on the old (Continued on Page 4)
Congratulations
Margaret McGivney, '34, of North Attleboro, was a Thanksgiving bride. Albert Rose was the lucky man.

Ms. F. Foley, '40, and Ann Babin, '40, climaxcd their college courtship by trip to the altar on St. Valentine's Day, in Providence, at the church they both attended while they were students.

Mary F. Foulke, '37, Riverside, became the bride of Dr. William R. Casey, of Pawtucket, February 15.

Word has just been received of the wedding in Berkeley, California, last October, of Constance Clarke, '31, to Mr. Oliver D. Clark, of Berkeley.

Emma Russo, '32, was the recent bride of Dr. Paul Solito, Providence.

It's Mrs. Douglas Foster now. We knew her when she was Winifred Johnson, '38. Mr. and Mrs. Foster make their home in Pawtucket since their October wedding.

Among the October weddings of Bryant alumni was that of Milton Levi, '39, to Lillian Horvitz.

Frederick W. Watts, Jr., '36, was another who middle-aided in October, when he took Miss Ruth Aesline as his bride. Mr. and Mrs. Watts now live in Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Dorothy Allardice, '35, now answers to the name of Mrs. Harold Gray. It began on the campus, while Mr. Gray, too, was a member of the class of '35. Mr. and Mrs. Gray are living in West Barrington, since their October wedding.

Eleanor R. Trant, '35, was married in October to Thomas J. Quinn, Jr.

Charles E. Swanson, Jr., '35, took as his bride in October Miss Mary C. Sook. Mr. Swanson was second ranking tennis player in New England for two years.

Raymond J. Mullaney, '21, was married in October to Miss Anne R. McManus, sister of Alice McManus, '26, of Providence. Henry J. Lee, of the Bryant Faculty, was an usher at the very pretty wedding.

Ann Fox, '37, became the bride of John H. Fairbrother, a Providence College graduate, recently. Mrs. Fairbrother is a sister-in-law of George Cranston, of the Vocational Advisory staff of Bryant.

Georges Bockstael, C.T.T., '39, now teaching in Lockwood High School, Warwick, Rhode Island, told "I do" about Christmas time, when he took as his bride, Olive Thomas, '36. Another campus courtship with a happy ending.

Adele Rytlewski, one of the heart-breakers of the class of '39, has given that organ away at last. She was recently married to Mr. Joseph La-Pierre and is living in Brooklyn, New York.

Wilfredo Bazan, one of the most popular students of recent years at Bryant, graduated at mid-year and has returned to his home in Colon, Panama, where he will carry on the business in which he and his brother are partners. "Willie" gave Bryant students and faculty the thrill of their lives a few weeks before he finished his course by taking unto himself a very pretty bride, a Panama sweethearts, of six years. Willie continued to live at the dorm and Mrs. Bazan a few blocks away, but every minute Willie could scat from classes would find the newly weds together. Willie returns to Panama not only with a beautiful new wife, but a brand new moustache, and with figurative showers of rice and good wishes, too. He plans to get all the other Panama alumni together and form a Bryant Alumni Club in Panama, and try to bring them back for a reunion soon.

Ruth Williamson, '36, and Roger B. Lincoln, '36, are now Mister and Missus. It was a Bryant campus romance. Another Bryant man, Walter Gay, '36, was best man at the wedding last July.

On The Brink
Dr. Milton C. Wintermiz, Dean of the Yale University Medical School of New Haven, recently announced the engagement of his daughter, Elizabeth, to Mr. Walter E. Thompson, of Providence. Miss Wintermiz is an alumna of Bryant, class of 1939.

The engagement of Roslyn Roberts, '40, was recently announced to Mr. Irving H. Levine. Miss Roberts was one of the speakers at the Commencement exercises last year.

The engagement of Agnes E. Andrews, '36, to John S. Fiore, of Providence, was announced recently.

Sophie Kudziavetz, '37, announced her engagement recently to Mr. Lewis L. Allen, Jr., of Providence.

Pauline M. Scott, '40, and Ernest L. Anderson, announced their engagement recently. Alumni of 1940 were not surprised. This was one of the most ardent of last year's campus romances.

Pauline Morse, '36, is Office Secretary of the Fall River Y.M.C.A. and recently announced her engagement to Mr. Frederick G. Austin.

A New Year's Day announcement was that of the engagement of Joyce Rowell, '36, to Mr. Herbert W. Ellis, '35. Miss Rowell is Secretary at Brown University.

The engagement of Arlene Bentley, '29, was announced in Norwich, Connecticut, recently, to Mr. Howe D. Hydraul, of Providence.

Evelyn Thomas, '37, (sister of Mrs. Georges Bockstael, '36, a Christmas bride), will become Mrs. Ernest F. Pike sometime soon. The engagement was announced recently.

Bundles from Heaven
Miriam Oliver, '36, has a young son. Miss Oliver is Mrs. Arthur C. Hart, of Lincoln, New Hampshire.

Viola Wittikainen, '36, of West Yarmouth, Massachusetts, is now Mrs. Nye Crowell, of Balboa, Canal Zone, where a little bundle from Heaven recently reached her.

It was a little girl at the house of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thrillfall in January. Mrs. Thrillfall is the former Zona Lien, '35. Mr. Thrillfall is also of the class of '35.

Sympathy
Florence M. Buchanan, one of the earliest Bryant graduates, about 1888, died in October at her home in Providence. Miss Buchanan was believed to be the oldest woman in banking in Providence. For forty-six years she had been employed in two city banks, the old Manufacturers' National Bank from 1894 until she went in 1906 to the Union Trust Company. At the latter bank she was Secretary to the Vice-President. Miss Buchanan had been prominent in church and social organizations of Providence. The Alumni Bulletin extends its sincere sympathy to Miss Buchanan's sister, Mrs. J. Harry Bongartz, with whom she lived.

Beatrice, Cecelia and Constance Lamb, lost their father several weeks ago. Mr. Lamb was highly respected in his home town, West Barrington, and prominent in the business and fraternal organizations of that community. He was a frequent visitor to Bryant during the days Beatrice, '36 and her sisters, Cecelia, '27 and Constance, '31, were students here and those of us who met and knew him are sincerely sympathetic.

Our earnest sympathy to Florence Gustafson, '27, whose father died a few weeks ago. Miss Gustafson's devotion to her father was outstanding and those who knew her realize how great is her loss. Miss Gustafson was on the Secretarial Staff of the College for several years after her graduation.
In Memoriam

Since the last issue of the Alumni Bulletin, Bryant College and its thousands of alumni all over the country have suffered a great loss. On November 9 the College flags were at half-mast. "Jerry" Barber had died.

For forty-seven years—ever since he was twenty-seven years old—Jere­

miah Clark Barber had taught at Bryant, coming to it when it was a little school in the Hepburn Homestead Building. In 1926, President Jacobs recog­

ized his value by appointing him Dean of the School of Business Administration. And last August, at the seventy-eighth Commencement, our College conferred upon him the honorary degree of Doctor of Busi­

ness Administration. Mr. Barber be­

came ill a short time before Com­

mencement and for the first time in the forty-seven years was unable to

to attend the exercises, receiving the de­
gree in absentia. By November, when the Alumni reunion was held, his condition was serious and when Presi­

dent Jacobs asked alumni present at

that banquet to stand in silent prayer for the recovery of our beloved Dean, there were few dry eyes in the big assembly.

Hundreds of men and women came from all parts of New England to the

funeral, to pay their final respects, and telegram and letters from all parts of the country poured in speaking their love and respect for him.

For forty-seven years Mr. Barber had helped young men and women in the most formative years of their lives, helped many of them up the ladder of success in the business world. Something of the

fine, rugged honesty of his New England forebears was inherent in him and was passed on to the students under his direction. He was a sincere and self-sacrificing friend as well as mentor.

Jerry Barber's slow, nasal New England drawl is still. The keen shrewdness and twinking humour of his honest eyes are curtained. The smoke from his old pipe has drifted into nothingess. His old horse-racing stories are but a memory. But Jerry Barber lives on in the hearts of thousands of men and women fortu­

nate enough to have known and loved him.

Robert Dunbar, '39, is now clerk in the office of the Superintendent of Schools, Barrington, Rhode Island.

Mary Deery, '40, is now secretary to the Editor of the Providence Visitor,

Provence.

Elaine Augustine, '40, who success­

fully passed a rigid test for the Rhode Island Unemployment Compensation Board, recently was promoted to a position in charge of the office of the Junior Placement Service of the Na­

tional Youth Administration.

Frances Lee, '38, is now Mrs. James H. Kennedy, III, and lives in Oak Park, Illinois, where Mr. Kennedy is Scelologist of the Illinois State Health Department. Frances asks if any Bryant alumni are living in her vicinity, says she'd like to have some­

one to chat to about the College and its students.

G. Virginia Fanning, '39, is now with the Department of Public Wel­

care, City of Providence, where she has an interesting position in which she is very happy.

Jean Marrott, '40, is now with the

Hastern Sun, where her speed short­

hand comes into very good use taking dictation over the telephone from the Associated Press.

Lillian Murashe, '40, is now with

Damon & Barnes, New York.

Florence Dugdon, '40, is now sten­

typist with the Railroad Y.M.C.A.,

near Grand Central Station, New

York.

Marion W. Conant, '33, has been

Mrs. Carl S. Jackson for the past two years and makes her home in Attle­

boro, Massachusetts.

Frederick W. Brownell, '29, is now

Lay Minister of Archeacontry, of

Blue Ridge, Virginia, where he has been since 1931, since leaving the

Church Army. Mr. Brownell was mar­

ried in 1934 to Miss Carolyn B.

Waters, of Indiana.

Sonner Siegel, '19, has been with

the New York Life Insurance Com­

pany, Rhode Island branch, since 1932, and is one of the honor men of that

company, the leader in paid applica­

tions for a recent month.

William P. Berth, '36, is with the

Department of Justice, Bureau of

Prisons, first for a training period in

Washington, D. C., and now at the

Federal Correctional Institution in

Danbury, Connecticut.

Frederick C. Kilgus, '29, was re­

cently appointed Chief Clerk in the

office of J. Howard McGrath, Gover­

nor of Rhode Island. Catherine James, '37, was a recent

visitor at the College, coming up with one of her sisters who will enter

Bryant at mid-year. This is the fourth of the James girls to enroll at Bryant.

Anne M. James graduated in '36, Catherine in '37 and Georgia in '37.

Lowell Remington, '39, resigned as

Bursar of Bryant College in December, and now has an important position with the Mountain State Telegraph

Company, Salt Lake City, Utah. John

Von Bommel, another brilliant '39 graduate, replaced Mr. Remington as

the College Bursar.

Evelyn Beebe, '38, secretary to the

Director of Publicity of Bryant, re­

signed in January to accept a position with the Coe Arms Company in Hart­

ford, which is near her home. Olga

Novetsky, '40, replaced Miss Beebe at the College.

Dr. J. Anton deHaas Coming

Bryant Alumni who live near enough to attend are invited to the lecture to be given Thursday evening, March 20, at 8 p. m., by Dr. J. Anton deHaas, William Ziegler Pro­

fessor of International Relationships, Harvard Graduate School, and on the

regular staff of visiting university lec­
turers of Bryant. Dr. deHaas has been lecturing at Bryant for several years now and it is probably the most popular

of all the university lecturers, with both the student body and alumni.

Most of his lectures are given in the afternoon, for students only, but oc­
casionally we are able to get him for an evening lecture. His lecture in

Bryant Auditorium on March 20 is
given as a feature of World Affairs

Week to be celebrated in Providence

that week. The subject will be "How

We can Finance the Latin American

Countries".

Mrs. Jeremiah C. Barber asks the

BRYANT ALUMNI BULLETIN to thank the thousands of Bryant alumni who

personally to her when Dean Barber died.

"As much as I would like to see and

thanked each one personally, I cannot", Mrs. Barber writes, "but I want every­

one of you to know how sincerely I

appreciate your messages. The heart­

felt tribute said 'Jerry' by the alumni

association at the fall reunion touched

me deeply, and I shall always especial­

ly remember those who helped bring

sunshine into 'Jerry's last days".

Here and There with Bryant Alumni
Humes retired some twenty years ago to devote himself exclusively to caring for his own properties and investments. He had a reservation for the last Alumni reunion dinner, but it was a wild, rainy night and Mr. Humes wisely remained at his beautiful home in the suburbs of North Anthrope. He brought to the Editor of the Alumni Bulletin recently a copy of what he considers the most interesting article from the Providence Evening Bulletin, of June 1883, telling about the graduation exercises of his class.

"The annual graduating exercises of the Providence Bryant & Stratton's Business College were held in the large hall of the College in the Hopkins Armory Building at 9:30 o'clock this morning. There was an unusually large attendance of the relatives and friends of the pupils, every seat being occupied, while many were forced to stand during the interesting exercises. The first number on the program was "Qui Tuttis" from Farmer's Mass in B Flat which was well rendered by Misses O. Edna Smith, agnate; Ginnie F. Kiermier, contralto; and Misses Albert L. Laid, mezzo; and Fred A. Thompson bass. Next came a debate on the question: Rendere, that Julian Cavana was a great man; Mr. Cazinore Kenee acted as Chairman, while the affirmative was sustained by Albert Henry P. Bannum, Herbert Wing, John R. Malley, Leland A. Thompson, and Bryant H. Gardner. Misses, Edwin J. Humes, Albert L. Laid, Fred H. Pike. R. H. W. Henry J. Malley sustained the negative of the argument. The debate was spirited and the character of the empresor was scrupulously maintained. At the conclusion of the arguments the chairman called for a close of hands, and on this the negativewas declared to have been successful. After a piano solo by Mr. Leland A. Thompson, Miss G. E. Smith read "The Doves" with excellent effect. Mr. Groendolph's earnest solo was well received, and Miss Eva A. Bailey was severely applauded for her recitation "Swing and I." After a quartette, "Game Where the Lilies Bloom," Mr. Edwin J. Humes delivered a well prepared essay on "Culture in Business" and the valedictory.

The principal, Mr. T. B. Stone, then awarded diplomas to the members of the graduating class as follows:
Robert G. Foster, Spencer Lathrop, F. I. Kenyon, Chas. P. Irish, Edwin J. Humes, Leland A. Thompson, John S. Steele, Jr., Preston H. Gauthier, Henry L. Grant, Frank S. Avery, Vernon L. Jordan, Henry S. Searles, William J. Sibley, William E. Stevens, Ernest L. Crandall, Sam T. Cottrell, Etta E. L. Pimentel, Beatrice S. Kiermier, Everett E. Salisbury. Mr. Stone stated that ten members of the class had already entered upon the calling for which they had been educated at the college.

At the conclusion of the exercises, the pupils, in the number of about one hundred, exerted in the National Band, made a short street parade, ending at the waltz of the Continental Steamboat Co., where, with a large party of friends, they bade the former Bay Queen for a sail down the Bay, stopping for dinner at Rocky Point. Everett E. Salisbury

Also of the class of 1885 was Everett E. Salisbury, known to all Bryant alumni for his long and faithful service as President of the Bryant Alumni Association. For years Mr. Salisbury has promoted enthusiastically the affairs of the Alumni Association, giving generously of his time and efforts to further the interests of the association. Last year, the College named in his honor one of the new dormitories for young women, Salisbury Hall, and he has become the godfather of that Dorm, keeping it supplied with current magazines and always doing some nice thing for the house and its residents. Last August, the College conferred upon Mr. Salisbury the honorary degree of Doctor of Science in Business Administration to be bestowed upon him at his old classmates of '85.

Thomas L. Phillips

Thomas L. Phillips graduated from Bryant in 1889, becoming a prominent bookseller for many years. He now enjoys life at his estate in Old Greenwich, Connecticut, from which he recalls fondly his Bryant days but from which he has never yet been able to invoke him for an Alumni reunion. His alma mater he always referred to as "Everett" to his old classmates of '85.