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On our cover...

Season's Greetings from the Kerr family. Seated from left to right; Mrs. Kerr; Kathi, 13; Cheri, 17; President Kerr. Standing: Tom, 18.

Season's Greetings

Season's Greetings from the KERRS! We wish you joy and inspiration in this sacred season.

Christmas time is family time. Through Christ's Birth we are reminded of the beauty of creation and the role of family in nurturing personal growth and love. Otterbein - its students, faculty, staff, trustees, alumni and friends - has family essence. Its educational mission focuses on personal growth in a loving environment. This year that family feeling has special significance. Our largest enrollment in history includes 92 sons and daughters of alumni. Through long range planning we are renewing our sense of community. Our freshman class, the largest since 1972, has especially fine spirit. Otterbein creating and nurturing assumes new forms but the great tradition - that special feeling - remains.

The KERR family thanks you for your participation in the Otterbein family. Your lives, hopes, commitment and caring give us inspiration. May you find many blessings in the New Year.

Thomas J. Kerr, II



Attending Otterbein is family affair

"Legacy," as defined in Webster's New World Dictionary, is anything handed down from an ancestor. On the Otterbein College campus, the term legacy is commonly used to refer to a student who is a direct descendent of an Otterbein alumnus.

This "handing down" of an education at Otterbein College is a tradition firmly established as evidenced by the nearly ten percent of the current student body who are sons and daughters of Otterbein alumni. Included in this group are three students of families in which the legacy has been handed down for at least four generations.

James Bragg, a freshman from Toledo, is the son of Ralph and Ann Louise (Brentlinger) Bragg, class of 1956; the grandson of Emerson Bragg '26 on his father's side and Howard and Alice (Ressler) Brentlinger, class of '18 on his mother's side; and the great-grandson of John Ressler, class of 1876.

Barbara Morris, a sophomore from Centerville, is the daughter of Harold Morris, a 1946 graduate of Otterbein. Her grandparents, Williard and Ester (Sullivan) Morris, graduated in 1926 and her great grandfather was Lewis Warson, class of 1905.

Eric Warner is a senior and the son of Col. Robert E. Warner '56 and Emily (Bale) Warner '58. Eric's grandparents, William Bale '50, and Evelyn (Edwards) Bale '30, and his great grandfather, Fred Bale '07, are all Otterbein alumni.

Ninety-two current students who are sons and daughters of Otterbein alumni are listed on this page. If you have information about these families or other legacies, contact Jim Scarfpin, Director of Alumni Relations.

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Thomas Baker '82
 Carolyn Barnhill '83
 Jeffrey Baugh '81
 Jayne Bean '81
 James Bragg '83
 Scott Brockett '80

David Browning '82
 John '80 & Craig '83 Bullis
 Amy Burkholder '81
 Chris Carlisle '80
 Jeff '80 & Gregg '83 Christoff
 John Ciampa '82
 Jeffrey '80 & Chris '82 Ciampa

Shelly Coldren '83
 Chris Comanita '81
 William Conard '80
 Michael Connor '83
 Christine Cover '82
 John Dale III '83
 Nancy Day '80
 David DeClark '80
 Tracey '80 & Cindi '83 Dover
 Pam Freeman '82
 Nancy Elliot '81
 Mary Eschbach '81
 Laurie Evans '82
 Lynn Fichner '81
 Scott Forman '82
 Jennifer Fowler '80
 John Fox '80

Patricia Fox '81
 Jenara '81 & Valerie '82 Frasure
 David Freeman '82
 Pamela Freeman '82
 Jacqueline Gale '83
 Pamela Gorsuch '83
 Karen Graf '83
 Kelly Graft '80
 Tom Buchanan '81
 Christine Gray '83
 Jeff Groseclose '81
 J. Terence Hayman '82
 Robert Hitt '81
 Curtis Hodapp '81
 Mark Holm '83
 John Horn '80
 Jonathon Huber '80
 Robert Hughes '81
 Julie Hupp '83
 Elizabeth Johnson '82
 Jeffrey Jones '83
 Sue Martin '80
 Robert McMullen '82
 Cheryl McRoberts '80
 Susan '81 & Carol '81 McVay
 Christopher Mills '83
 Lori Moomaw '80
 Barbara Morris '82
 Susanne Moslener '81
 Kathy Myers '82
 William Noel '81
 John Phelps '81
 Elizabeth Raver '81
 Bradley Reichter '83
 Susan Ridinger '82
 Mark Ringle '80
 Kim Robinson '80
 Julie Roush '81

Jennifer Schutz '83
 Fred Shoemaker '81
 Stephen Shultz '83
 Alan Slack '82
 Scott Smart '82
 Kristi Snelling '80
 Elizabeth Stinson '83
 Pauline Subich '81

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 Mrs. James R. Barnhill '55
 Mr. Gene E. Baugh '60
 Dr. & Mrs. Herbert E. Bean '50, '61
 Mr. & Mrs. Ralph Bragg '56
 Mr. Bruce Brockett '48, Mrs. Lois Brockett '50

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 Mr. & Mrs. Wallace E. Conard '54
 Mr. Gerard M. Connor '62
 Mr. & Mrs. William O. Cover '41, '43
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Mrs. James J. Fox '44
 The Reverend C. Richard Frasure '58
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Fall enrollment is largest in school's history

Enrollment of 1685 students this fall at Otterbein College is the largest in the school's 133 year history, according to Otterbein President Thomas J. Kerr, IV. Kerr to the record enrollment is the growth of 14% in the entering freshman class.

Kerr stated the 391 freshmen represent the largest entering class since 1972.

Figures compiled by the College indicate the 1685 persons taking course work through Otterbein this fall exceeds the previous high of 1670 set in 1977. Over-all, total registration is up 7% over last year.

The largest increase in students enrolled came in the Adult Degree Program, whose 394 enrollees mark a 44% gain over last year's enrollment.

Otterbein's student enrollment includes students in on-campus programs and in off-campus programs such as Semester at Sea, Dijon, Heidelberg, Segovia, American University in Washington, McCurdy School in New Mexico and Merrill-Palmer Institute in Detroit.

Faculty member has music published

David Isele, assistant professor of music, has released two compositions through G.I.A. Publications, Chicago, ILL.

Isele, a new faculty member at Otterbein, wrote "Psalms for the Church Year" for choir and congregational use and "Praise God in Song," a collection of musical settings of Morning Praise and Evensong.

College welcomes new faculty members and administrative staff

Otterbein College officially welcomed all new faculty members and administrators to the College community this fall. New faculty members are: Sharon L. Carlson as instructor in nursing; Frances H. Davis as instructor in nursing; John L. Glascock as assistant professor in economics and business administration; James F. Gorman as instructor in English; Cecille Gray as instructor in English; Michael H. Haberkorn as assistant professor in music; William Hillier '79 as head tennis coach and assistant football coach; William M. Hattendorf (coming in January) as instructor in psychology; David C. Isele as assistant professor in music; Paul A. Laughlin as assistant professor in religion and philosophy; Kathleen S. Reinecke as instructor in nursing; Joanne Stichweh as instruc-

tor in visual arts; Diana J. Van-Camp as instructor in music; Lisa J. Wetmore as instructor in nursing and Karen Cooper as instructor in women's health and physical education.

New administrators include Dorothy P. Cuning as periodicals librarian; Jay C. Kegley as documents librarian; James W. Scarfpin as director of alumni relations; Patricia Skinner as acting director of continuing education; Gregory Steger '79 as admissions counselor; David Stichweh as production supervisor/media specialist in the Learning Resource Center; Mark Rowland as assistant director of public relations/news information; Ronald P. Murphey as director of the Learning Resource Center; Philip F. Myers as director of deferred giving and Susan Truitt '79 as admissions counselor.

All of the fraternities and sororities on campus have been active during autumn term. Activities have included many money-making and service projects. Shown here are members of Sigma Alpha Tau as they cleaned up the Howard House lawn early in the school year.



CAMPUS NEWS

Gifts to Otterbein demonstrate commitment

OTTERBEIN FUND

Alumni, parents and friends continue to demonstrate their commitment to Otterbein College by contributing \$141,257 toward this year's goal of \$150,000. With this, the last month, Otterbein College still has the capability of achieving another successful year.

Nationwide Insurance Companies and J. C. Penney Casualty Insurance were instrumental in boosting this year's Otterbein Fund. They provided telephone

lines to 100 student volunteers who called 4868 alumni, parents and friends raising \$25,000.

DECISION FOR THE ARTS

On October 27, 1979 the Otterbein College Board of Trustees reaffirmed their commitment to the Decision For The Arts and set a June 30, 1980 deadline for its completion.

To date 1126 alumni, parents and friends contributed \$2,230,000 toward the \$2.5 million goal. The remaining

\$270,000 needed to successfully complete the Decision For The Arts will prove to be a worthy challenge for Otterbein's constituency.

Renovation of the Alumni Gymnasium into the Battelle Fine Arts Center has been completed.

A scene shop for Cowan Hall Theatre, interior renovation of Towers Hall and payment of energy saving steps taken in 1970-76 will be underway as campaign funds become available.

Barkhymer wins fellowship

Lyle Barkhymer, assistant professor of music, participated in an eight-week seminar this summer through a National Endowment for the Humanities Fellowship.

Barkhymer attended the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor and studied in the seminar "Comparative Study of Western and Non-Western Music Theory and History."

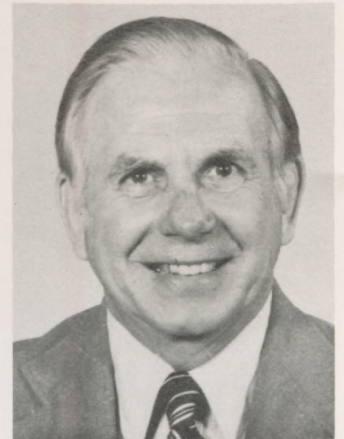
Barkhymer is the fourth Otterbein faculty member to win an NEH Fellowship.

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"Putting money back into the pot..."

While I was at Otterbein in the early forties, I did not fully realize how I was profiting from the enormous resources built up over generations in academics, athletics, extra teaching faculty. I knew that I loved the place, but did not fully appreciate that this was available to me from generations of support. Later in life, as I began to understand the value of this experience, I wanted my children to experience the same feeling, so I sent all four of them to Otterbein where they were graduated.

"If generations after us are going to enjoy these same advantages, we must support the College in our time. I'm putting money back into the pot so that future generations can have the same wonderful advantages that my class did.



Harold Augspurger, '41

"I see Otterbein as a center of strength for private higher education. I have a very strong conviction that those of us who care about Otterbein will continue to make sure it has the resources it needs—both students and money."

Annual Giving pays for quality at Otterbein

Big business - Otterbein style

by Mark Rowland

Editor's Note:

There are many Otterbein alumni who have achieved success in the business world. However, the three businesses that are featured in the following article are unique in the sense that they are all located in small towns in Ohio and are independent, Otterbein family businesses that have grown tremendously since their beginnings. Read on to discover "big business Otterbein style."

SHREINER SOLE COMPANY

As an independent business, Virgil Shreiner '33, strives to keep his feet firmly on the ground, but to him that's just part of keeping on top of his business. Virgil's business is soles, and the soles he manufactures are found on feet throughout America.

All puns aside, the Shreiner Sole Company, which Virgil started in 1948, makes crepe rubber soles that are found on many of today's best shoes, including lines by Kinney, Hush Puppy and Joyce. Chances are if your shoe soles are crepe rubber, they came from Virgil's Killbuck, Ohio plant, which is one of the country's largest suppliers of crepe rubber soles.

The Shreiner family has a history of employment in rubber-related industries - both Virgil's father and uncle worked in rubber plants near Barberton, just southwest of the Akron rubber industry.

Growing up in the Barberton area served as good background for the field that Virgil would eventually pursue. Under the urging of his sister Ethel, 1929 Otterbein graduate, Virgil enrolled at Otterbein in 1929, graduating in 1933 with a double major in chemistry and physics. He returned to Barberton, where he met his wife, and worked for the Barefoot Sole Company for 15 years before deciding to go into business himself.

In March of 1948, Virgil brought his wife Ruth and small son David to Killbuck, Ohio to set up business. He had two friends in Killbuck who were operating a rubber extruding plant there at the time, and they agreed to help finance the operation. At the start, Virgil and his wife worked alongside the people they had hired when the first order came in, but as the plant grew both switched their energies to the operation of the front office, with Ruth keeping the books and Virgil concentrating on management and sales.

From these beginnings in Killbuck over 30 years ago, the Shreiner Sole Company has expanded to hold a significant share of the U.S. market for plan-

tation crepe rubber soles. In 1967, the company went international, investing in a United Kingdom business which now manufactures soles under license from the Shreiner company. Preparations are now underway to open an operation near Montreal under an agreement similar to the United Kingdom setup. This plant will make soles for distribution to the Canadian market.

Last year Virgil expanded the business to take advantage of the fashion market. He added equipment to make injection molded plastic heels for women's shoes. The heels are molded, assembled and painted in the Killbuck plant and shipped complete to the buyer.

The volume of the company's business produces some staggering figures. The 50,000 square foot plant will use 200 TONS of soles A WEEK when demand is steady. The virgin rubber is imported from Sri Lanka (Ceylon), Liberia and Nigeria. Different styles demand rubber from different countries, since the color of the rubber varies from country to country.

The Shreiner Sole Company still remains in every way a family business. Ruth takes care of the books, as she did when the company was founded. Virgil's son David assists him with sales and manages the family's dairy farm. David's wife Donna serves in a secretarial capacity. Virgil's daughter Beverly '71, does secretarial work at the plant, and her husband Patrick is vice-president in charge of production.

Virgil has found time to maintain outside interests while running the thriving business. He is on Otterbein's Board of Trustees, an appointment made by the East Ohio Conference of the United Methodist Church, and serves on the Facilities Committee and the Business and Finance Committee. He is a member of the Board of Directors for the Killbuck Savings Bank, is a member of Ot-

Virgil Shreiner '33



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terbein's Development Board and belongs to the President's Club. He also enjoys playing golf and fishing in his spare time.

CONSOLIDATED CERAMICS

Consolidated Ceramics, a large manufacturing venture founded by two Otterbein alumni, could owe its establishment to alphabetical seating. The late Walter Mickey '36 and Anna Louise Merdert '36 met each other because they sat next to each other at chapel services at Otterbein. They went on to set up Consolidated, which makes high-temperatures-related products for non-ferrous metal production.

Anna and Walter married in 1938 and both taught before Walter decided he wanted to try working in the manufacturing industry. Walter worked for Cambridge Tile of Cincinnati and Barrows Porcelain and Enamel Company, among other firms, before he retired to a farm in Blanchester. He soon became bored with farm life and he and Anna launched a new concern in the barn on their farm.

Consolidated Ceramics began in 1957, and by 1958 had come up with a product that was to the prize of their line. "Fluxing pipe" was marketed in 1959 to the aluminum industry as a tool to replace the stirring rods then in use. Hollow rods were used to stir molten aluminum and inject chlorine gas into the mixture, which would help bubble out impurities. Under normal use, these stirring rods had a life of seven minutes. Consolidated's model, coated with a ceramic product inside and out, lasted 200 minutes under the same conditions. This innovation has enabled Consolidated to hold the lead, which is now a virtual monopoly due to lack of competition, in the supply of fluxing pipe.

Consolidated Ceramics is now involved in inter-

national operations through COMAT, a company formed jointly with a West German business. The new company will manufacture high temperature fibrous insulating materials for the North American steel industry. The Mickey's son, R. Bruce Mickey, is serving as president of COMAT.

Walter Mickey died in 1970, just as Consolidated Ceramics was starting a tremendous period of growth. From \$87,000 in sales the first year, the company now does \$6 million a year to companies like Alcoa, Kaiser and Reynolds.

Anna later married Monte Haidet and currently serves as chairman of the board for Consolidated. "My interest is great and I'll keep it as long as I can," Anna indicated. The COMAT venture and Consolidated's expansion, which includes a new 38,000 square foot building to be completed by year's end, should hold her interest for some time.

BOLIN OIL

For 50 years, the Bolin family has been selling service in northeast Ohio. The family has also been dealing in gasoline and home heating oil during the same span but Russell C. Bolin, president of Bolin Oil, makes sure the company emphasizes service first.

From its beginning in April of 1928, Bolin Oil has been a family operated company. Russell's father, Ebner R. Bolin, opened his first service station in Uniontown, near Canton, and two sons, Russell, (president) and Paul, (general manager), still operate the business. Russell's son, Russell (Rusty) C. Bolin II '69, has also joined the business as secretary and treasurer as well as serving as operations manager for one of the three divisions the company operates.

Bolin Oil now sells 20 million gallons of gasoline and oil a year to their various customers. There are

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Russell Bolin, "Rusty" Bolin '69, Paul Bolin



Anna Merdert Mickey Haidet '36



six company-operated stations, including the original station in Uniontown, supplied by the company. Thirteen independent dealers and 30 other stations in the area are also on the Bolin distribution list for gasoline. The company also has 4500 home heating oil accounts and 2000 commercial accounts for oil products in its service area.

When the original station opened in 1928, it wasn't on a full-time basis. Ebner Bolin was working at B.F. Goodrich at the time, and the pump stood in front of his farm to provide some extra money. Besides gas, the Bolins sold eggs, milk, beer and produce from the farm, much like some gas/grocery stations today.

By 1930 Ebner had gone into gasoline on a full-time basis. He was also keeping the 10-acre farm he bought when he came to Uniontown in 1919. Customers stopping for gas often strolled up to the farmhouse when they found the pump unattended, seeking Ebner or his wife Ethel for service. Obviously, the pace was more relaxed in those times.

The family also opened a garage on the Uniontown site and sold used cars for a time. Russell had become a partner in his father's business in 1946, and Paul joined the company in 1950.

The Bolin business grew with the rise of the automobile, adding storage tanks at the Uniontown location as the company began handling distribution in 1958. Sunoco, their primary supplier, also decided to get into the home heating oil business in 1958, and the Bolins were a logical choice. The home heating oil business proved to be a tremendous success.

Otterbein comes into the Bolin family through Russell's wife, Genevieve Tryon Bolin '42. Genevieve's family has had no less than 26 members attend Otterbein in the 20th century. The Bolin-Tryon Scholarship Fund commemorates both names on the Otterbein campus.

Rusty Bolin had headed for Hawaii for college in the late 60's, but left after a year because he found the atmosphere hard to study in. He came to Otterbein the next year and found himself a center of attention because he still went barefoot, as everyone did in Hawaii. This distraction aside, Rusty went on to get a degree in speech and theater in 1969. His sister, Susan Tryon '70 also attended Otterbein with her brother.

Being in the center of the oil crisis gives the whole Bolin family insight into what to many of us is a very vague problem. As distributors, they get less gas and have rising operating costs, but basically make the same profit per gallon as in 1972, when gas was below 50¢ a gallon. Over 100,000 service stations (out of the 280,000 in the United States in 1973) have closed, but the volume of sales has not decreased. The Bolins followed this trend by cutting the number of company operated stations in half, but found they still sold as much gasoline.

Government regulations are cited as the main problem in the Bolin business. The same government regulations are what keeps the cost of American gasoline unnaturally low compared to the rest of the world.

Mark Rowland is assistant director of public relations/news information at Otterbein.

Innovation is tradition at Otterbein – with “lifelong learning”

“Lifelong learning” is gaining increased national attention as a contemporary trend in education. In fact, current statistics indicate that part-time learners—the vast majority of them adults—are now the “new majority” in higher education! And their numbers continue to increase while enrollments of full-time students increase at a lesser rate or do not increase at all.

by *Don E. Hines*

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Otterbein College, continuing its tradition of innovation, is at the forefront of programming for the needs of adult learners in the 1980's. Otterbein's Adult Degree Program (ADP), now in its fifth year, has grown into one of the College's most popular and flourishing programs.

During the 1978-79 academic year, 485 students enrolled part-time in the Adult Degree Program for 1011 units of credit and 79 continuing education units (CEU). It is projected that during the 1979-80 academic year, approximately 600 different individuals will enroll in 1350-1400 units of credit!

The Autumn Term alone has generated more than one-third the total credit of last year (395.5 units) from 386 students.

But the ADP isn't the only program of continuing education where Otterbein is having an impact. In the summer of 1978, Ashland College's Master of Education degree became available at Otterbein, and in August of this year, University of Dayton's Master of Business Administration degree was offered for the first time on the Otterbein campus.

Why these two graduate programs were attracted to Otterbein is not all that different from why Otterbein's own ADP has flourished as it has—an atmosphere attractive to the adult learner and an ideal location!

Jack Dickey, Otterbein's director of placement and educational programs administrator—and the administrative supervisor of the ADP since its inception, says that four major reasons for adults to enter ADP keep recurring:

- they are seeking an ideal learning atmosphere, including small class size (the average ADP class size is 25 or less);
- they are attracted by high quality of instructions from a faculty whose primary mission is teaching;
- Otterbein offers a convenient location in the greater Columbus area with ample parking for adult students;
- there is a desire among an increasing number of adults for a liberal education.

“Not only can people learn throughout their lives, but they should learn throughout their lives to keep their lives interesting and stimulating,” is the way Dickey summarizes his continuing education philosophy.

“We find that adults make very good learners, even if their academic background is not spectacular,” Dickey adds.

Dickey explains that continuing education can range from informal teaching of skills to oneself to

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Judyth Maurer

the more formal and structured learning experiences found in and out of a formal school setting. Otterbein’s major thrust has been with credit-bearing programs and courses, and the resulting enrollment figures bear out that the College has identified a solid continuing education market.

Dickey also believes there is long-term stability in the market.

“I feel there is little doubt that the concept of lifelong learning in this country will continue to grow throughout the remainder of this century,” Dickey states. “The impact of the women’s movement, the acceptability of mid-career change, the trend toward increasing professionalism, and the emphasis business and industry are placing on continuing education all continue to stimulate lifelong learning.”

Otterbein has recognized from the beginning that different aged learners with different backgrounds require different educational approaches, schedules, etc.

“Adults may learn in different ways from the traditional-age student,” Dickey says. “We’ve made the ADP as convenient and flexible as possible.”

The diversity of ADP students and their reasons for coming are as varied as the ADP course offerings.

Joan Moser ’79, entered the ADP program as a registered nurse who wanted a business administration degree to better enable her to enter the management field in health services. She took two courses per term while still managing to run a household of husband and children.

Judyth Maurer entered ADP with the popular special entry course many adult women use to begin or renew their college experience, “The Emerging Woman.” She is now pursuing the Associate of Science in Nursing degree. While the college student experience is new to Judyth, Otterbein is not. Her daughter Karen is a 1977 graduate who majored in religion and sociology, and her daughter Lynn, one of Otterbein’s three Battelle Scholars, is a sophomore majoring in English with a minor in Spanish.

Judyth says “The Emerging Woman” was an especially helpful starting point for her, not having

been enrolled in college before.

“It was helpful in building self-confidence,” she says. “It was a small class and all of the others had been away from school awhile too.”

She began thinking about nursing two years ago when she worked as an aide in a hospital. She decided she wanted to know more about what nurses knew, especially the “why’s and how’s” of medical treatment.

During Autumn Term she is taking two general courses in psychology and western civilization, courses offered in the regular day program with mostly traditional-aged college students.

“I’m impressed with the way the students respond to me,” she explains. “They make me feel very welcome and are enthusiastic to have someone outside their age group in the class.”

Gerald Paglione is manager of the Westerville branch of Buckeye Federal Savings and Loan. He already holds an associate degree from another in-

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Judyth Maurer



ADP offers flexibility

Flexibility has been a key part of the "attractive atmosphere" to which adult learners have responded. While traditional courses make up the majority of ADP offerings, some courses are designed to be self-paced which minimizes the number of trips a student makes to campus and allows the student to guide his or her own learning experiences at home. The College also accepts a limited number of courses taken by correspondence.

Advanced standing is also available with transfer credit from other schools, by successfully taking the College Level Examination Program or Proficiency Examination Program, or by passing Otterbein's own credit by examination program.

The adult student can earn a complete degree in business administration just by attending evening and self-paced classes. But students don't have to pursue a degree at all to be in the program! Approximately 60% of the students are seeking a degree while the remainder take courses for personal enrichment, career advancement or to fulfill short-range objectives.

Adults are eligible to enter ADP by meeting regular college admission requirements and having been away from full-time study two years or more. The ADP student can take no more than two units per term and remain in the program. If they do exceed two units per term, they become regular full-time students.

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stitution, but has chosen Otterbein's ADP as the vehicle for earning his B.A. in business administration.

Gerry says he has found the quality of professors in the ADP to be excellent. He also cites convenience of scheduling and location as ideal factors for a Westerville business person such as himself.

"The professors realize I am a working person and are very easy to work with in making the work, class, and study schedules mesh," Gerry says.

Another benefit he has found in the ADP program is getting to know quite well a number of his profs who are also customers at his Buckeye Federal branch.

Lila Kaufman is secretary in the continuing education office, and through her work with Dickey in the ADP has "caught the bug" for continuing education. She began her student career in ADP with another of the special "entry" courses, "Reading and Study Skills." From there she has gone on to take a creative writing course in the English Department.

"I felt the "Reading and Study Skills" course would help me with other ADP courses, and it has," Lila says.

She explains that as the secretary in direct contact with many prospective ADP students she

always has tried to sell the Otterbein program, and that is made even easier with experience as a student in it.

"I admire anyone who is doing course work in ADP," she adds. "It's a lot of work, not just fun and games."

One of the most unique ADP students arrived in Dickey's office a couple of days after the blizzard of 1978. Ann Williams explained she wanted to enroll in an Italian course since she was planning a trip to Italy.

"She explained that her little VW got her in from the country quite well, despite the heavy snow," Dickey recalls. "She walked the last couple of blocks up the middle of West College Ave. since the sidewalks were not yet cleared. She was most determined to get the necessary enrollment information."

At that time, Ann Williams was 84 years old.

Adding to the great influx of adult learners at Otterbein have been the two masters degree programs.

The Ashland College Master of Education degree program has enrolled 110 students in one or more courses since it began at Otterbein in June 1978, according to Dr. Chester Addington, chairman of Otterbein's Department of Education and the Otterbein coordinator of the Ashland program.

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Gerald Paglione

Through this program, a student can complete the M.Ed. degree by taking courses only at Otterbein, or by combining courses at Otterbein with those taken at Ashland or one of its other centers in Lorain or in Canton at Malone College.

The program began with four courses offered here the first summer, and by last summer, 12 courses were offered. During this school year, three courses are being offered each term.

Four concentrations are currently being offered in the program at Otterbein—general supervision, reading supervision, curriculum and instruction, and sports science. Addington explains that concentrations in elementary principalship and secondary principalship will be inaugurated here next summer.

“The whole philosophy of the program is school oriented,” Addington says. “It is designed

specifically for the practicing teacher.

“Practicum experiences, an alternative to a research-oriented thesis, are classroom based. We encourage the identification of real problems and the development of sound educational solutions.”

Convenience and flexibility are important attributes of the M.Ed. program as well as the ADP. All M.Ed. courses are taught outside the public school hours and all residency requirements can be met during the summer term. Addington points out that added convenience comes from the fact students can apply at Otterbein, register for courses here, and receive all of their academic advising here.

Nearly 250 persons have enrolled in eight courses of University of Dayton’s Master of Business Administration degree program during its first term on Otterbein’s campus, according to

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Gail Miller '66, acting chairman of Otterbein's Department of Economics and Business Administration.

Like the M.Ed. program, the M.B.A. degree courses are all available on the Otterbein campus. The courses are taught by University of Dayton faculty and that institution confers the degree.

“We don't have the resources to offer the M.B.A. ourselves,” Miller states. “But having the program on campus is meeting a definite community need.”

Miller also sees the advantage in the M.B.A. of making Otterbein's own Adult Degree Program more attractive. Since a major thrust of the ADP is in business administration, Otterbein is in a position to offer prerequisites necessary for entering the M.B.A. It is also Miller's belief that more adults will be attracted to ADP with the chance to move on into an M.B.A. program on the Otterbein campus.

“I find that more and more people perceive the Otterbein product (ADP program) as a better product,” Miller says. “The M.B.A. should further solidify our position.”

During Autumn Term, approximately 23% of Otterbein's total students enrolled are adults in ADP. And with the addition of nearly 300 other students enrolled in Ashland and Dayton programs being held on the Westerville campus, the impact of “lifelong learning” is indeed great at Otterbein.

And once again the College demonstrates it is a place where “innovation is a tradition.”

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Lila Kaufman



Don Hines is director of public relations at Otterbein.

Otterbein Alumni Association offers Bavarian tour

BAVARIA! Mountains, the pride of Bavaria, interspersed with lakes, and the lower Alpine landscape with its lush pastures. White clouds in a blue sky and white sails on blue lakes. Bavaria is white and blue. But it is also green--green with meadows and woods. There is space for nature and for people who like a quiet life which they can enjoy.

Our tour will provide you with air transportation from Cleveland, Ohio, accommodations for eight days and seven nights in a tourist style inn, the free use of a rental car with unlimited mileage, two meals per day, AND tickets to attend the Passion Play located in Oberammergau. This tour will be departing August 14, returning August 22, 1980 and costs only \$879 per

person.

This play has been performed since the 17th Century when the Plague ravaged Germany. The elders of OBERAMMERGAU made a solemn vow before the altar to stage a play of the life and sufferings of Christ every ten years if they were spared the plague. The town was spared and the play has been performed ever since. Admission to the play is included in the tour price.

Perhaps you would be interested in taking a quick drive to view Innsbruck, the home of the 1976 Winter Olympics. There is much to do and much to see in this entire area. Approximately 2 kilometers from Inzell (the Bavarian village in which you will be staying) exists the so-called "Gletschergarten" (glacier garden). It is the largest of its

kind in Germany and offers, because of its particular geological structure, a unique look into the history of earth formations during the glacial period.

In coordination with our unique fly/drive program, we have also designed a fully comprehensive bus tour that visits Munich, Lindau, Zirl, St. Wolfgang, and of course, Oberammergau with admission to the PASSION PLAY. This option costs only \$989 and includes air transportation, accommodations, private motor-coach transportation, two meals daily and more.

Contact the alumni office for further details regarding this vacation. It is being offered to you by the Otterbein College Alumni Association.

Whatever happened to ole "whatshisname?"

Ever wonder what happened to that roommate of yours--the one who always used your stuff but never cleaned up? And where are all those buddies of yours that promised to keep in touch? Do you scan the class notes to find a familiar name to remind you of your college days? Perhaps the only unfortunate thing about graduating from college is losing touch with these friends and acquaintances who were your companions during those trying, exciting, intense Otterbein years. A good way to re-establish contact with old friends, or to just satisfy your curiosity about what has become of them, is through an Alumni Directory.

For the first time in several

years, the Otterbein College Alumni Association is publishing such a directory, and we naturally want as many Otterbein alumni as possible to be included. So that we may include accurate information about you, we are asking you to check the pre-printed questionnaire form, which we have mailed to you and make any necessary corrections or additions. Return the form to us promptly so "ole whatshisname" has current information about you. When you receive your copy of the Alumni Directory next spring, you may be surprised to discover that your old roommate lives just across town and hasn't forgotten you either.

Nominations for 1980-81 Alumni Association officers sought

The nominating committee of the Otterbein College Alumni Association needs your help. We are seeking nominees for office in the Otterbein College Alumni Association for 1980-81. Ballots will be printed in the Winter issue of Towers to elect a vice-president, a secretary, two Council-at-Large members and one alumni trustee. If you know an interested and deserving alumnus, send us his or her name along with any supportive information. Mail to James W. Scarfpin, Director of Alumni Relations, Howard House, Otterbein College, Westerville, Ohio, 43081.

ALUMNI NEWS

Alumni Day is June 14.

But now is the time to think about Alumni Awards.



Homer Cassell '17 - 1979 Distinguished Service Award



Charles Dodrill - 1979 Honorary Alumnus Award



Philip Charles '29 - 1979 Special Achievement Award



Dwight "Smokey" Ballenger '39 - Distinguished Service Award



James Gallagher '68 - 1979 Distinguished Service Award



Richard Pettit - 1979 Honorary Alumnus Award

Alumni are invited to submit nominations for the awards listed below. Please submit the names of your nominees along with their resumes and mail to:

James W. Scarfpin
 Director of Alumni Relations
 Howard House
 Otterbein College
 Westerville, Ohio 43081

All nominations should be in the hands of the Alumni Director before December 21, 1979.

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AWARDS

The Honorary Alumnus Award

The Distinguished Alumnus Award

The Distinguished Service Award

The Special Achievement Award

The Hall of Fame

CRITERIA

Awarded to individuals for loyalty and interest in Otterbein.

Awarded to Otterbein graduates for outstanding service to the College, his own profession and to his community.

Awarded to individuals for outstanding service to Otterbein.

Awarded to individuals for eminence in his chosen field. Awarded posthumously to an Otterbein graduate who had achieved national or international renown through his contribution to society.

1979-80 basketball season looks promising for men and women Cards

by Bill Stewart

MEN

"Everyday I look at the schedule and think I've found one more game I think we can win."

And in eighth-year Otterbein basketball coach Dick Reynolds' mind, he's starting the count from 0-23 and hopefully working towards a .500 record.

No, they haven't started hanging black crepe from the rafters of the Rike Center.

But with just one starter and three lettermen back from last year's 14-11 team and 15 of this season's 23 games on the road, it's quite understandable why Reynolds isn't talking about championships.

However, just because there isn't a wealth of experience in the Cardinal lineup doesn't mean there isn't a bunch of talent lurking in the shadows.

Starting off with the one starter returning, 6-0 senior guard Doug Petty, and going all the way down one of the newest of the new, 5-10 freshman guard Ron Stewart, there certainly is a lot of potential for putting points up on the board.

Petty, who in his first two seasons for Reynolds had a tough time with a gimpy right ankle, played a healthy junior season in '78-79 and ended up Otterbein's leading scorer with 16.0 points per game, almost 10 points better than his sophomore average.

And Stewart may be the find of the year in the State of Ohio seeing that the First Team Class "A" guard from New Albany led the Buckeye State prep scoring race last season with a 33.1

points per game average.

But Petty and Stewart are just two of many Reynolds has placed in his hip pocket.

Others include sophomore guard Jeff Kessler who was the Cards' 4th leading scorer with 8.6 points per game and No. 2 assist man last year, 6-7 senior center Dave Fahrback who has the size and strength to play the middle against anyone, and senior playmaker Bob Clay who helped lead Otterbein to the NCAA Championships two seasons ago but was absent last year due to a business internship.

And a fine recruiting year plus a good '78-79 junior varsity season will provide a bunch of young, raw talent.

"We're going to be a fun team to watch," Reynolds says. "We really ought to be able to get the ball up and down the court.

"But with such a young team, our overall success will depend heavily on just how fast our young kids develop."

WOMEN

If the 1980 season starts like the 1979 campaign ended, second year coach Terri Hazucha and her Cardinal basketball crew could be hanging championship banners in the Rike Center right along side the men's.

Blowing past their opponents at better than ten points a game in six season-end victories, Hazucha's '79 club laid a solid foundation for things to come in '80.

And with seven players returning from last year's squad including three four-year veterans, there's good reason to expect

nothing but the best this coming season.

"With a good group of talented players who have quite a bit of experience, this should be a pretty promising season," says Hazucha.

"And the way they finished off last season, they should come back in December thinking they're a 6-0 ballclub.

"I'll certainly know a lot more about how good we'll be when our kids start camp on December 9, but it's certainly within reason to expect at least a 10-5 season," Hazucha comments.

When camp does open, the person who's shoulders should carry a lot of weight will be 5-11 senior center Karen Horn (Bolivar, N.Y.), who with 146 points and 149 rebounds led the Cardinals last year in both categories with 9.7 points and 9.9 rebounds per game.

And rounding out the starting quintet around Horn will be 5-5 senior Deb Hoar (Newark, Ohio) and 5-6 junior Barb Connelly (Perrysburg, Ohio) at guard while a pair of 5-7 sophomores, Colleen Muldoon (Gahanna, Ohio) and Mindy Gossett (Greenfield, Ohio) hold down the forward spots.

"Again like last year, the first part of the season should be the toughest," says Hazucha.

"Opening against Ohio Wesleyan and Ohio Northern, two of the top ten teams in Ohio last year, will let us know early just what kind of team we have.

"But after taking a licking from teams like that last year, I'm sure our kids will want to show them just how much difference a year can make."

Bill Stewart is assistant director of public relations/sports information at Otterbein.

SPORTS

Everyone is listed under his/her preferred class year, not necessarily the year a degree was granted.

'21 next reunion June 1980
Four Otterbein alumni were among the 86 persons gathered on the campus of North Central College at Naperville, IL, August 9-12. The occasion was a retreat for workers who have served in Sierra Leone, West Africa, in the past. The purpose of the gathering was for the renewing of fellowship, securing of latest information on development in mission work in that country, and continuation of support of Sierra Leone. Those attending were: **DR. ALBERT S. NICHOLS '21**; **MURIEL MURRAY NICHOLS '22**; **MARIANNE NORRIS TEMPLE '33**; and **WALDO M. KECK '28**.

'25 next reunion June 1980
FRANK DURR recently had a book published along with Orville Greene by the McGraw-Hill Book Company, New York, NY, entitled "The Practical Inventor's Handbook." It is one of the first works that discusses the practicality, the opportunities and the pitfalls which confront neophyte inventors.

'35 next reunion June 1985
DR. GEORGE PARKINSON was selected to be the key speaker for Founder's Day at Copeland Oaks Retirement Home in Sebring, OH. Dr. Parkinson directed the program of one of the largest and most influential churches in the Presbyterian denomination for 36 years.

'36 next reunion June 1982
RAYMOND M. LILLY led the Sertoma Club in a sing-along, September 3, 1979 at the Bonanza Steak House in Westerville, OH.

'37 next reunion June 1982
L. WILLIAM STECK broke all Landmark Securities sales records from May 1, 1979 through July 31, 1979. In that quarter of a year, he surpassed the million dollar sales mark by over \$50,000, thereby becoming the first Landmark securities representative in the company's 45 year history to obtain that magic figure in such a short span of time. His 22-year sales record with Landmark, Inc. is over \$24,000,000 in debentures and First Preferred stock. Bill was also recently honored for his many years of teaching the Teammates Class at the Church of the Messiah, United Methodist, Westerville, OH. He is now in his 30th year of teaching the class.

'39 next reunion June 1985
PERRY F. WYSONG continues to have a highly suc-

cessful track record with his *Consensus of Insiders*, a weekly stock market advisory letter that bases much of its investment logic on what corporate officers are doing with their own stock holdings. The publication usually contains about 5,000 transactions that detail the purchase, sale or exercise of options by corporate officers and persons who own 10% or more of a company's stock.

'40 next reunion June 1980
REX C. SMITH retired at the West Ohio Annual Conference in June, 1979, after over 42 years of service in the ministry, 27 years in active pastorate and 16 years in Specialized Ministries. He is now serving part time in the New Salem/Thurston Charge.

'44 next reunion June 1980
HOWARD E. FOX is completing his seventh year on Strasburg Village Planning Commission; the last two years he has served as chairman. He is now serving as chairman of Cambridge District parsonage family fellowship and on East Ohio Conference Board of Ministry.

DR. RAY W. GIFFORD, JR., head of the department of hypertension and nephrology at the Cleveland Clinic Foundation, has been re-elected to another 3-year term on the Council of Scientific Affairs of the American Medical Association. As a member of this 10-man council, Dr. Gifford's responsibilities include studying and evaluating medical and scientific procedures. The council is currently studying the effects of oral drugs in reducing high blood sugar in diabetics.

'46 next reunion June 1980
ROBERT W. SCHMIDT retired from the YMCA after 32 years. The last 12 years, he served as executive vice president of the Long Island, NY, YMCA. He is now serving as executive director of the Southern Florida Chapter of the Leukemia Society of America.

'48 next reunion June 1983
LLOYD SAVAGE, along with his wife, the former **NORMA KREISHER '49**, entertained visitors with 19th-century music played on authentic period instruments and with demonstrations of spinning and allied arts in a *Sunday Afternoon at Adena* in Chillicothe, OH.

'49 next reunion June 1983
GUY C. BISHOP, JR. retired June 30, 1979 after many years of teaching. He taught a year in Plymouth in Richland County, OH, then spent two years in the military serving as a combat correspondent with the

2nd Infantry Division in Korea. In 1952, he taught social studies and language arts in the Vandalia-Butler schools in Montgomery County, OH. From 1952 to 1963, he taught junior high and was appointed principal of Demmitt Elementary. His new venture now is putting on school assemblies for elementary schools which consist of sing-along slides, ukulele numbers, echo singing and piano.

PAUL R. CONE recently joined Loma Linda University's Department of Business and Economics as professor of management and finance. He will also be working with the School of Health on a master's program in hospital administration. Preceding this, Mr. Cone served as the executive vice president for planning and headed the Lending, Systems and Operations Group of Gibraltar Savings and Loan in Beverly Hills, CA. He was also adjunct professor of systems management for the University of Southern California.

JAMES M. HUELF was elected assistant vice president in the investment and trust group of BancOhio National Bank in Columbus, OH.

RICHARD FULLER, assistant superintendent of business and finance for Oak Park, MI schools, was appointed treasurer of the Toledo Board of Education. He is also president of the Oakland County, MI, School Business Officials and past director of the Ohio Association of School Business Officials.

'50 next reunion June 1981
EARL E. HOGAN, former head of the Buchanan Community Schools in Michigan, has been named superintendent of the Muskingum, Ohio Area Joint Vocational School. He also served as superintendent of the Mt. Vernon City Schools System and was active in establishing the Knox County, Ohio Joint Vocational School.

H. WILLIAM TROOP, JR. will serve as co-chairman of the professional division in this year's United Way campaign in western Stark County. He is married to the former, **JEAN WYKER '49**, and has two sons.

FRANK TRUITT has joined the staff of the Bob Webb Company, as a sales associate. Frank has an extensive background in the Worthington, Westerville, North and Northwest Columbus, OH area where he earned his Real Estate Broker's license during his college years, working with his father, Frank Truitt, Realtor. Frank is a former coach at North High School and the Ohio State University. He is married to the former **KAY TURNER '49**, who is a Reading Specialist for the

Hamilton Township Local Schools. They are the parents of three daughters, Nancy, Jean and **SUSAN '79**, an admissions counselor for Otterbein College.

'51 next reunion June 1981
ROBERT E. GOWER is now the Grand Valley School District Superintendent. He has 27 years of experience in the field of education, with 22 years in administrative positions. Receiving his permanent superintendent's certificate in 1966, he served as city superintendent of Huron County's Bellevue City School District in Bellevue, OH from 1968 to 1978.

'55 next reunion June 1980
PEGGY BATES ARCHAKI is the new elementary principal at Huntsburg and Parkman schools in Chardon, OH. Peggy received a master's degree in education from Case Western Reserve and has done additional graduate work at Baldwin Wallace College and Cleveland State University.

'56 next reunion June 1981
JOHN S. GALLAGHER is chairman of the English Department with the Broward County, FL, Board of Education.

'58 next reunion June 1983
EDMUND COX has been promoted to assistant chief of Rural Manpower at the Bureau of Employment Services, Columbus, OH. His wife, the former **DIANE DAILY '59**, received a master of science degree in August, 1979 from Ohio State University. She is beginning her 10th year teaching fifth grade at Smith School in Delaware, OH.

THOMAS E. WETZEL has been promoted to vice president at Buckeye Federal Savings and Loan. Wetzel, who has been with Buckeye Federal for 21 years, assumes management responsibility for single family residential loan department of the association's lending division and will coordinate mortgage origination activities in Buckeye branch office with the processing/underwriting activities now being conducted at the main office in Columbus, OH. He is married to the former **MYRA ANN KILGORE '61**.

'60 next reunion June 1985
BRUCE KECK has recently completed a tour of Washington State as principal tubist with the Washington National Guard Band.

JOHN LLOYD received mention in "Gil's Book," a history of the Chautauqua Opera Association written by Gill Gallagher. While at Chautauqua, John sang in the chorus, sang comprimario parts, functioned as backstage conductor, organist and chorus

master, and directed the opera chorus for Chautaugua Symphony "pops" concerts. He is beginning his 18th year as music director in the Churchill Area Schools, Pittsburgh, PA.

'61 next reunion June 1982
RON JONES is athletic director at Westerville, (OH) South High School. Ron, who now gives half his time to assistant principal duties at South, began as guidance counselor at Walnut Springs in 1969. He is married to the former **SUZANNE SHELLEY**, '62.

THE REVEREND GERALD R. LEWIS has been transferred from the Marion First United Methodist Church, Marion, OH, to the Sharon Park United Methodist Church, Lima, OH. He has served various churches in the West Ohio Conference area for the past 16 years. He is also a member of the West Ohio Conference Minister's Choir.

ADELAIDE WEIR SUKIENNIK received a Ph.D. in Library and Information Sciences from the University of Pittsburgh, PA in April, 1979.

'62 next reunion June 1982
DRUISE MOBLEY SCOTT has retired as a teacher in the Westerville, OH School District. An educator for 31 years, Druese has been in Westerville for 15 years, which included directing summer learning readiness programs and conducting workshops in special education and tutor training. She is a member of 10 professional organizations and served as secretary for Westerville Education Association.

ROBERT A. SMITH, Kingston, OH, superintendent of the Zane Trace Local School District, received his Ph.D. degree in Education from Bowling Green State University, August 25, 1979.

'63 next reunion June 1982
HARVEY A. BUTLER has been appointed manager of purchasing in General Electric's Machinery Apparatus Operation in Schenectady, NY. Harvey is responsible for the procurement of reactor plant components for the naval nuclear propulsion program. He is married to the former **CYNTHIA HOUGLON** '62, and has a daughter, Kris.

DAVID M. CHEEK was promoted to district manager for high-density polyethylene products with Dow-Chemical. His wife, the former **CAROL SCHWEITZER** '64, and two sons, recently moved to Lake Vahalle, Montville, NJ. Carol spent the past few years as Welcome Wagon Hostess and also as a wife sponsor introducing the wives of Dow employees to their new area.

'64 next reunion June 1980
MARY F. HALL has assumed the post of chairperson of the Human Growth in the Social Environment Sequence at the Boston University School of Social Work in Boston, MA.

'66 next reunion June 1980
MAJOR ROGER A. HOHN recently assumed command of the United States Air Force, Europe, Eifel contracting Region located at Bitburg Air Base, Germany. His region is responsible for local contracting and technical support for U.S. Forces in the western portion of the Federal Republic of Germany and portions of the Netherlands and Belgium. He is also teaching management courses for the City Colleges of Chicago Overseas Program.

JIM MILLION is coordinator of the Eastern United States for the "Reaching Out Through the Arts" program which is operated through Franklin County Mental Health and Retardation Board. The program began three years ago with the development of psycho-social drama which uses a combination of drama, satire, music, and has expanded to its present state, which incorporates graphic art and dance.

JACK MOORE has been named athletic director for Westerville, (OH) North High School. He will continue to teach physical education 40% of the time. His new commitment has forced him to give up football coaching posts, while maintaining his supplemental positions as district coordinator and head coach for boys' varsity track.

JOHN A. WHALEN is manager of the Hamilton, OH office of Shearson, Jobe, Rhodes, Inc. He serves as a director for the YMCA Board, Schroeder Manor Nursing Home Board, New London Hills Club Board and is a Rotarian.

'67 next reunion June 1983
THE REVEREND GALEN BLACK has assumed the position of pastor of the First United Methodist Church in New London, OH. He formerly was pastor of the Park United Methodist Church in Coshocton, OH and is currently the chairman of the Board of Church Society of the East Ohio Annual United Methodist Conference.

MAJOR WILLIAM S. GORNALL is attending Air Command and Staff College at Maxwell Air Force Base in Montgomery, AL.

SHIRLEY AMOS HODAPP has been named principal of the Noble and Tiffin Elementary Schools. She received her master's degree from Wright State University and has taken additional work at Baldwin Wallace College, Central State

University and United Theological Seminary.

THE REVEREND JAMES M. WEISZ was appointed pastor of the Anne Ashley Memorial United Methodist Church in Mundall, PA.

'68 next reunion June 1983
JEFF HARTLIEB is project manager for Der-Hart Associates, Inc., which builds custom homes throughout the Portland, OR Metropolitan area.

FRED WOLFE is the new curriculum director for the Jackson, OH, Board of Education. He has served as curriculum director of Claymont City Schools for three years and earlier was an elementary school teacher and principal in the Hudson School District.

'69 next reunion June 1983
LORETTA EVANS HEIGLE has joined the staff of the League Against Child Abuse as newsletter editor.

CHERYL MUHA ROOSA has been teaching elementary school in Ohio, Colorado and New Jersey for the past 10 years. Her husband, Wayne, is finishing work for his Ph.D. in Art History at Rutgers State University.

JAMES STOCKDALE is now teaching at Mt. Gilead, (OH) Junior High School. Mr. Stockdale has been teaching for 11 years; nine at Big Walnut Schools in Sunbury, OH, as the senior high special education teacher and for two years as an instructor at Whetstone School in Columbus, OH.

'70 next reunion June 1980
JEFFREY COWGILL received an Outstanding Performance Rating Award while assigned to Air Force Acquisition Logistics Division's Deputy for Avionic Control at Wright Patterson Air Force Base, Dayton, OH. Jeff, a logistics management specialist, is a GS-12 civilian employee. His prior duty assignment was at the Headquarters, Air Force Logistics Command, also located at Wright Patterson.

THE REVEREND TIMOTHY L. HEATON is now pastor of Dresden United Methodist Church. He served as coordinator of the West Ohio Conference-Washington Seminar and was the 1979 dean of the School for Youth in Mission at Otterbein.

THE REVEREND ROBERT PERKINS, who served the Van Buren United Methodist Church for the past three years, was recently appointed to serve the Meadow Farm United Methodist Church near Zanesville, OH. Mr. Perkins graduated from the United Theological Seminary, Dayton, OH, in 1976 and was ordained an elder at the 1978 West Ohio Annual Conference.

CLASSES NOTES

MORGAN WINGET has been promoted to credit manager at the J.M. Smucker Company with responsibility for all market centers in the eastern, southern and central sales region. He is married to the former **JOYCE BRISTOW '71**, and has one daughter, Heather.

'71 next reunion June 1981
LAWRENCE H. BETTLER is the new principal for the East Knox Local School District in Mt. Vernon, OH. He received his master's degree from Ohio State University and previous teaching experience includes experience in Florida and eight years in the Upper Arlington School District (for two years, he was Upper Arlington's Adult Education Director.)

CHARLES POULTON CALAHAN received his Ph.D. in Economics on October 1, 1979.

RONDA FRITZ is home at Attica, OH, until the end of December after spending 3½ years in Nigeria with the Campus Crusade for Christ.

ROBERT MOORE is in his seventh year of teaching math at McCurdy School in Espanola, NM. His wife, the former **BONNIE ROSS '71**, has been the high school secretary there for the past three years.

DON SNIDER, a Jennings Scholar in 1977-78, was nominated an outstanding teacher of 1975 by the Westerville Education Association and was active in district committee and workshop leadership. He co-chaired Westerville's extensive participation in the 1979 Right to Read celebration.

THE REVEREND P. MARK WATTS has been appointed recently as Pastoral Counseling Service resident in Columbus, OH. After Boston University graduate studies in counseling and psychology, he received the M. Div. degree from United Theological Seminary in Dayton, OH, and his D. Min. degree from Andover Newton Theological School in Boston, MA.

'72 next reunion 1982
THE REVEREND ROBERT BLOOMQUIST graduated from Methesco Seminary in June, 1979 and has been appointed to the Green Valley Charge United Methodist Church in Mt. Vernon, OH. His wife, the former **GLORIA FRANK '72**, is working on her master's in Christian Education at Methesco.

KATHY CRESS is a Commercial Large Account underwriter for Safeco Insurance Company in Cincinnati, OH.

THE REVEREND WENDEL DEYO, chaplain for the Cincinnati Reds and Bengals, was guest speaker at the First Baptist Church's Annual Father-Son banquet in Sidney, OH. Mr. Deyo

is currently finishing his master's degree with the Great Commission School of Theology in San Bernadino, CA. He is a graduate of the Institute of Biblical Studies and Purdue University.

WILLEEN GRIFFITH has been teaching at the Searfoss School in Johnstown, OH, for 12 years. She taught first grade for five years and third grade for seven years.

RON JONES is a physical science teacher at Dublin, OH, high school. He coaches varsity football and freshman basketball. He is married to the former **CAROL STROUT '71**, who is an elementary physical education teacher at Mark Twain and Hanby Elementaries in Westerville, OH. Carol was chosen as "Teacher of the Year" along with three other teachers in the district. She will also receive a \$2,000 grant from the State of Ohio to be used for her "Fun and Fitness Trail" to be built beside Mark Twain Elementary.

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PORTER W. KAUFMAN is a sales representative for the Anchor Hocking Corporation. He is married to the former **DENISE KASLER '75**, and has two sons.

'73 next reunion June 1983
MARK BIXLER is head basketball coach and athletic director at Carroll High School at Flora, IN. He is married to the former **KATHY NYE '72**, and has two sons, Brad, 3 and Kyle, 1.

PATRICIA PERRY KELLY is finishing law school at the California Western School of Law.

MARK LEOPOLD has been promoted to project manager/sales development with Johnson Wax Company in Racine, WI. He is married to the former **THERESA HALL '75**

FRANCES CLEMENS LOPEZ has been living in Madrid, Spain for the last seven years and is secretary to the exporting manager of a Spanish machine tool manufacturer.

JACK MEHL is athletic director at the Florida Atlantic University of Boca Raton, FL.

CRAIG N. PARSONS is a sales executive for British Airways and lives in Los Angeles, CA.

GREGORY D. PROWELL has been selected for inclusion in the 1979 edition of *Outstanding Young Men of America*.

LINDA CALLENDINE SPEER is busy mothering her son, Benjamin, 18 months, and is active with "extra-curricular activities." Her husband, Tom, has accepted the Associate Director of Chaplaincy at the Toledo, OH, Hospital.

STEVE TRAYLOR is teaching elementary and secondary physical education at Boca Raton, (FL) Academy.

JEFF S. WEAVER is chairperson of the Social Studies Division of Defiance College and is active in their Social Work bachelor's degree program. He is married to the former **DIANNE ELLEN HAMBLEY '71**.

NATE VAN WEY received his master's degree in Secondary Education in physics from the Akron University.

LYNETTE DAVIS YEAGLE is in her third year of teaching Spanish and French at Cedarville High School in Cedarville, OH.

'74 next reunion June 1984
EDGAR WAY COLLINS is the new band director at Waverly City Schools in Waverly, OH. He formerly was assistant band director in the Chillicothe School System. Prior to that he was band director at Monroe Junior High School in Columbus, OH.

DEBORAH COLE is teaching fourth grade in American Dependents School System in Frankfurt, West Germany. This is a civilian position. She is on leave of absence from the Westerville, (OH) Schools until her two-year appointment is finished.

KATHLEEN SACHS CRAWFORD is a cost analyst with the United States Army.

TED DOWNING has been named the new head basketball coach at McClain High School. He is also freshman football coach and teaches eighth grade science. Ted has served in both a coaching and teaching capacity at McClain for the past five years.

GAY HEDDING has been elected and installed president of Marion Association of University Woman for the 1979-80 year. Gay has previously held the of-

fices of first vice-president, treasurer, and assistant treasurer in the club. She teaches first grade in the Marion City Schools.

MICHAEL MACCARTER, after receiving his master's degree from Ohio State University, was appointed as an assistant principal at Mt. Logan Junior High School in Chillicothe, OH. He is married to the former **NANCY DRUMMOND '74**, who is teaching grades 1-12 Art in Chillicothe, advising high school cheerleaders and is working as a member of a committee on the Comprehensive Art Curriculum for the State and developing a new art curriculum for grades 1-6 in Chillicothe, OH.

BETSY L. OSTRANDER has taken a sabbatical leave with the Westerville City Schools for the coming school year and is serving as a Graduate Teaching Associate with the Newark Campus of Ohio State University. She is teaching part-time and is enrolled as full-time graduate student completing the requirements for a master's degree in reading.

LISA DEAN PANGBORN is in her sixth year of teaching second grade with South-Western City Schools, Grove City, OH.

HUGO R. QUINT, JR. is working toward a master's degree at Ashland (OH) College and is a teacher and coach at Pleasantview Middle School, Grove City, OH.

'75 next reunion June 1981
JOHN DIMAR is a student at Wright State University medical school in Dayton, OH. He is married to the former **CHERIE CONKLIN '77**. Cherie earned a master's degree at Ohio State University and is a special education teacher at South Elementary School in Fairborn, OH. Cherie has also spent five years in the Ohio State Fair's dairy department.

D. JILL LEASURE was accepted into the Masters of Opera Performance at Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA. Acceptance into this program was based on audition and grants full tuition remission for the two year program.

FRANK W. SIEGEL was promoted to Trust Investment Officer of the Huntington National Bank. He has been with the bank since 1978 and is an investment administrator in the Trust Division. He is married to the former **SUZAN NEIBARGER '75**.

TED VAN TINE is now teaching science at the middle school in Mt. Vernon, OH, and serving as an assistant varsity football coach. He was formerly a teacher and coach at Olenyung High School in Delaware, OH.

DAVID WEDEKIND received

his master's degree in physics and works for Mueller Associates, solar engineering.

'76 next reunion 1981
GAIL CROSBY BALDWIN is the new director of the Retired Senior Volunteer Program at Mansfield Memorial Homes. She has been serving as youth director of the Methodist Church in Loudonville, OH.

DARCI BIRMINGHAM received a master's degree in forestry from North Carolina State University in December, 1978. Darci has been working as a forester in the Presale Department at the Gifford Pinchot National Forest in Carson, WA since January, 1979.

EDWARD E. BROOKOVER II, is attending Capital University Law School's night session and is employed as an assistant liaison officer for the Ohio Department of Transportation.

CRAIG CHARLESTON is an accounting supervisor at the Transportation Research Center.

MARGARET M. CLARK graduated with distinction from the Florida Institute of Technology at Jensen Beach, FL, on March 16, 1979 where she majored in medical technology.

HARLAND HALE is assistant county prosecutor in Delaware County, OH. His duties as assistant county prosecutor will be prosecuting juvenile cases, non-payment of child support and possibly some work on felony cases. He graduated in June, 1979 from the University of Toledo College of Law.

CYNTHIA SPRIGGS HILL teaches third grade in the Ironton City Schools, Ironton, OH.

KIM R. MCCUALSKY is a physical education teacher and basketball coach with the Toledo, (OH) Public Schools.

GAY LEACH MASTBAUM is presently a teller for the Gem City Savings Association in their Kettering, OH, office.

THE REVEREND JOYCE MAULER was ordained as a minister during the West Ohio Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church at Lakeside, OH. On June 10, 1979, she received the Master of Divinity Degree from the Methodist Theological School at Delaware, OH. She was awarded the Charles A. Dice Fellowship for graduate study and plans to attend Syracuse University working toward a Ph.D. in religion and symbols.

CAROL A. VENTRESCA, as a graduate student in Sociology at Ohio State University, has become the Field Placement Coordinator for the Criminology and Criminal Justice major. She is placing undergraduate students on quarterly Intershops (for credit hours) in the Criminal Justice System in Columbus, OH

and coordinating the evening and off-campus criminology programs.

'77 next reunion June 1981
CAROL CORBIN is an extended substitute teacher in the sixth grade at Walnut Springs Junior High School, Westerville, OH, for the 1979-80 school year.

REBECCA GRIFFITH is in her third year teaching second grade in the Johnstown, (OH), school system.

JONATHAN HARGIS is employed by Ohio Bell in the marketing department in Kettering, OH. He is married to the former **GRETCHEN FREEMAN '77**, who is teaching Spanish at Troy, OH High School.

KEN HYLAND is entering his third year at Ashland Theological Seminary, Ashland, OH. He is also into his second year as youth coordinator at First United Methodist Church, New London, OH.

SALLY S. MILLER completed her master's degree in College Student Personnel at Bowling Green State University. She is now employed by Franklin College in Franklin, IN, as the assistant dean of students. She is responsible for women's residence halls and Greek affairs.

MARIAN HOBGOOD POEPELMEYER is employed by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio in Columbus, OH.

ANN SHEPPARD was recently elected to serve as the 1979-80 publicity chairman for the Licking County, (OH) Heart Fund. She was also chosen to serve six weeks outside the hospital, where she is the Public Relations Director, as the loaned executive for the 1979 United Way campaign.

JO ELLEN SKELLEY is the new coordinator of the Blendon Township Senior Citizen Center, Westerville, OH. Her center programming for five days a week

will consist of exercise sessions, social meetings, health assessment, recreation and education "day trips" and craft demonstrations. Jo Ellen is a former employee of the Ohio Department of Economic Development where she worked as a purchasing officer.

'78 next reunion June 1984
NANCY BOCSKOR attended the College Republican National Convention in Arlington, VA, June 28 - July 1, 1979.

DONALD BROUGH recently arrived in Enschede, Netherlands where he is beginning practice with the Hatrans basketball team. Don has also been asked to teach weekly basketball seminars at the Enschede Sports and Recreation Center during this season.

JEFF BURNETT is teaching ninth grade civics at the junior high school in Ashland, OH. Previously he served as student aide director at the high school, coached seventh grade basketball and football and was director of the Fall Follies, Spring Play and technical director for the junior class play.

DAVIS CLARK is now personnel administrator, Benefits for The Limited Stores, Inc., at their World Headquarters in Columbus, OH.

NANCY FORMAN has been hired by the Covington Board of Education, Troy, OH, to teach high school home economics.

SANDRA GIRTON received a Bachelor of Pharmacy Degree from Ohio State University in June, 1979 and is a pharmacist at Fremont Memorial Hospital, Fremont, OH.

LYNETTE FRY MC EVOY is a program assistant with the Cooperative Extension Office. She helps with the summer 4-H program and with the other programs the office offers to the community. She is responsible for a L.E.A.D.S. Summer Craft Program and for a self improve-

ment seminar during the annual 4-H style show.

STEVE H. MOTT is a manufacturers representative for B. O. Mickelson and Associates. He is married to the former **SUSAN YOUMANS '79**, who is an elementary teacher in the Westerville school system.

MARK PRINCEHORN is employed by the Westerville, OH, City Schools. He is married to the former **REBECCA L. COLLEMAN '78**. She is attending the University of Kansas working toward a law degree and a master's degree in public administration. She is presently employed by Stugios, Kurtzman Merchant and Stugios.

CABOT REA sang a leading role in "The Gondoliers" which opened the Ohio Light Opera Company's 1979 Gilbert and Sullivan Festival at the Freeland Theatre in Wooster, OH.

DEBBIE THORN is a seasonal naturalist at West Branch State Park in Ravenna, OH. Debbie heads several park programs for West Branch campers and other interested individuals that include a junior naturalist program, nature movies, crafts, talks and hikes.

ELIZABETH GIBBS WALKER is an educational sales representative for Williams Music in Worthington, OH.

THERESA WALLACE is presently employed at the Mad River Mountain Ski Resort in Bellefontaine, OH, in a supervisory capacity and will be continuing her education, seeking a master's degree in physical education.

HONORARY ALUMNI

H'34 DR. WALTER M. STOUT received the second A. Monroe Courtright Community Service Award. The award for outstanding service to the Westerville community was named in honor of A. Monroe Courtright, editor and publisher

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TAMPA/ST. PETE

Reception & Dinner
Varsity Basketball
vs.

St. Leo

of the *Public Opinion* newspaper for 32 years and the 1978 Rotary Club president.

H'58 DR. AND MRS. LYNN W. TURNER celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary by taking a trip to Australia to attend the International Music Council meeting. They also visited Tahiti, New Zealand and Fiji Islands. They will be moving to the Otterbein Home in December.

H'67 HENRY C. RUEGG has retired after 38 years with the BancOhio National Bank. At the time of his retirement he was vice president and head of the bank's trust division. Mr. Ruegg, who joined Ohio National Bank (the Columbus forerunner of BancOhio National Bank) in 1941 as a trust clerk, was made an officer of the bank in 1950. Elected senior trust officer in 1968, he was made vice president in 1972 and has served with the bank's trust services department during his entire career. He is on the Board of Directors of St. Lukes Convalescent Home, Otterbein Home, in Lebanon, OH, and Taylor University in Upland, IN. He is a member of Downtown Kiwanis, the Columbus Athletic Club, the Columbus Area Chamber of Commerce and a past president of the Columbus Executives Club. He also served as a trustee of Westgate United Methodist Church. As a former member of the Columbus Area Council of Churches and past president of that organization, Ruegg plans to continue church-related work, financial counseling and public speaking activities.

FACULTY

ROGER DEIBEL and his wife, Dorothy, are working for a few months at Alaska Pacific University, Anchorage, Alaska, a relatively new institution affiliated with the United Methodist Church. The Deibels plan to help the institution develop its teacher education curriculum.

ROGER TREMAINE, a professor of math and computer science at Otterbein College, is secretary-treasurer of the Central Ohio Amateur Baseball Federation (COABF.) He is charged with most of the organizing, scheduling and public relations work of several area youth and adult baseball leagues.

marriages

'67 DENNIS C. SCHMIDT to Diana Yaeger on September 2, 1978 in Waynesville, OH. They are now living in Terre Haute, IN.

'70 NORRIS E. LENAHAN to Linda Shafer.

'71 DEBBY CRAMER to Terry Horsley on September 22, 1979 in Canberra Australia.

'72 GENE FRAZIER to Sue Dexter on April 28, 1979.
DON SULLIVAN to Julie Witham on August 11, 1979.

'73 FRANCES CLEMENS to Manuel Andres Lopez on September 15, 1979 in Madrid, Spain.

PATRICIA ANN FLETCHER to Dr. John Benjamin Saks on September 9, 1979 in Shaker Heights, OH. They are now residing in New York City, NY.

'74 HUGO R. QUINT, JR. to Rhonda Lee Vrsansky on August 11, 1979.

'75 HOLLY BARROWS to William D. Cohen on August 11, 1979 in Chillicothe, OH.

BILL REID to Susan Kay Hebert on September 29, 1979. They are residing in Dublin, OH.

KATHLEEN SACHS to James D. Crawford on April 15, 1978.

'76 GAY ANN LEACH to Thomas E. Mastbaum on September 22, 1978 in Dayton, OH.

KIM R. McCUALSKY to Bernadette Rose Schlanger on July 28, 1979 in Columbus, OH. They are residing in Toldeo, OH.

CYNTHIA J. SPRIGGS to Steven L. Hill on April 14, 1979 in Ironton, OH.

'77 GRETCHEN SUE FREEMAN to **JONATHAN R. HARGIS** '79, on August 11, 1979 in Kettering, OH.

MARIAN P. HOBGOOD to Colen K. Poeppelmeyer on June 16, 1979 in Gahanna, OH.

'78 MICHELE LEE EARLY to Ernest Potter on June 9, 1979 in Columbus, OH.

LINDA ANNE LATIMER to R. James Betts on July 20, 1979 in Worthington, OH.

CHRIS LITTLE to **MELINDA JONES** '79, on June 30, 1979.

SHARON OCKULY to **JAMES E. A. BLACK II** '77, on September 14, 1979 in Toledo, OH.

MARK N. PRINCEHORN to **REBECCA L. COLEMAN** '78, on July 28, 1979 in East Greenville, OH.

ROBERT TALPAS to **JEAN HICKMAN**, '77, on July 28, 1979 in Columbus, OH.

REAGAN ELSIE WHITMYER to **Timothy N. Taykowski** on July 21, 1979 in Columbus, OH.

'79 ELIZABETH CHERYL GIBBS to William Gordie Walker Jr., on July 21, 1979 in Cincinnati, OH.

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SUSAN J. HOAR to Virgil A. Hatch on June 16, 1979.

RONALD D. WINE to Deborah J. Hall on June 16, 1979 in Marion, OH.

SUSAN G. YOUMANS to **STEVEN H. MOTT** '76, on August 11, 1979 in Columbus, OH.

births

'61 MR. AND MRS. LEOPOLD SUKIENNIK (**ADELAIDE WEIR**), a daughter, Lana Rachael, September 5, 1979. She joins sister, Esther, 3½.

'63 MR. AND MRS. THOMAS BENCH (**SHARON SPEELMAN**), a daughter, Miriam Joy, July 19, 1979. She joins Rebekah 14, Philip 12, Julia 5, Timothy 3 and Micah 1.

'65 MR. AND MRS. PHILLIP HALL (**VERA GARRABRANT**), a daughter, Karen Lee, September 18, 1978. She joins brothers Jim, 11 and Brent, 8.

MR. AND MRS. GAIL ROBINS (**NANCY MC CLURE**), a son, James Milton, September 5, 1979. He joins brother, Matthew, 7.

'66 MR. AND MRS. DAVID ARTH (**LINDA ROTE**), a son, Brian Timothy, January 28, 1979. He joins Eric, 9, Christina, 7 and Rebecca, 5.

'67 MR. AND MRS. ROY KEHL (**DIANNE JONES**), a son, Daniel Ryan, May 30, 1979. He joins brothers Steve, 8½, Mike, 5½, and Andy, 2.

MR. AND MRS. SCOTT STEELE (**CAROL STAUDT** '68), adopted a son from El Salvador, Eric Efrain, born August 4, 1978, arrived November 14, 1978. Also a daughter, Jennifer Jeanne, was born on July 11, 1979. Both children join sister Julie Ann, 2½.

THE REVEREND MR. AND MRS. JAMES M. WEISZ, a son, Eric James, June 30, 1979.

'69 MR. AND MRS. WAYNE ROOSA (**CHERYL MUHA**), a son, Benjamin Wilson, June 30, 1979.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN ZUSKE (**ALICE HOFFMEISTER**), a daughter, Melinda Christine, March 7, 1979, in Kobe, Japan. She joins brother, Matthew, 3.

'70 MR. AND MRS. JOHN W. DIEDALIS, a son, Adam, December, 1978.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN HILL (**CAROLYN KOACHWAY**), a son, Andrew Ray, February 8, 1979.

'71 MR. AND MRS. JIM BARGER (**KATHY MC LEAD** '72), a son, Michael Jay, May 5, 1979.

DR. AND MRS. RICHARD F. MAYHEW (**CAROL WILHELM** '72), a son, Ryan Franklin, July 7, 1979.

MR. & MRS. ROBERT MOORE (**BONNIE ROSS** '71), as son Barry Alan, August 7, 1979.

THE REVEREND MR. AND MRS. WALTER J. WEAVER (**ELAINE D. SCHECKENGAST** '71), a son, Geoffrey Arland, July 19, 1979.

MR. AND MRS. RON WHITE (**JANICE MC CULLOUGH** '74), a son, Joshua James, August 24, 1979.

'72 MR. AND MRS. NEIL E. BAYER, a daughter, Rebecca Jo, December 7, 1978. She joins sister Elizabeth, 1.

MR. AND MRS. RALPH MARCANO (**SANDRA MC FEATERS** '72), a son, Gilson Warren, March 24, 1979.

MR. AND MRS. JAMES J. VAUGHN (**JEANNE MAXWELL**), a son, Robert Gordon July 2, 1979.

'73 MR. AND MRS. ROBERT BARNES (**JANET L. BECK** '74), a daughter, Jennifer Jane, June 14, 1979.

MR. AND MRS. PAUL D. FREDERICK (**MARGARET JONES**), a daughter, Paula Leigh, June 13, 1979. She joins sister Erin, 3.

MR. AND MRS. DONALD YEAGLE (**LYNETTE DAVIS**), a daughter, Amy Michelle, March 21, 1979.

'74 MR. AND MRS. ERIC LEHNER (**DEBBIE HALL**), a son, Adam Charles, July 31, 1979.

MR. AND MRS. DONALD PANGBORN II (**LISA DEAN**), a daughter, Jennifer Meem, June 6, 1979.

'75 MR. AND MRS. LARRY GRIFFIN (**MARY JANE STEWART**), a daughter, Lilia Adah, September 1, 1979.

deaths

'12 We received notice that **MILTON L. BARNETT** passed away. He is survived by daughter, **MARY FRANCIS '50**.

MARY ETHELYN CREAMER KROMER passed away August 14, 1979 in Glens Falls, NY while vacationing in the Adirondacks with family members. Mrs. Kromer taught piano and continued to play throughout her life. In addition she composed hymns and other musical selections. One of the best known hymns was "Walk Along Beside Me, Master." Mrs. Kromer was former vice president of North Western Club and a president of its Literature Group. She was a member of First Community Church of Marble Cliff and active in Twentieth Century Club of Group D. Mrs. Kromer is survived by her husband, Edward, four daughters, six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Her only son, Edward, Jr., preceded her in death.

'18 **DR. ROLLIN DURANT** passed away May 19, 1979. Dr. Durant was an assistant professor in the Ohio State University College of Medicine until 1941 and was in private family practice in Clintonville from 1932 to 1975. He served overseas with the Headquarters Co. of the 166th Infantry 42nd Rainbow Division during World War I. Dr. Durant was a member of the Academy of Medicine, the Ohio State Medical Association, Northern Kiwanis Club and North Broadway United Methodist Church. He was also a professional musician. He is survived by his wife, **GLADYS HOWARD '20**, three daughters and sons-in-law, eight grandchildren, five great grandchildren, a sister and two brothers.

'19 **J. RUSSELL GILBERT** passed away May 30, 1977.

'23 **THE REVEREND MURN B. KLEPINGER** passed away September 2, 1979. He was a pastor for 48 years, spending 28 at the Belmont United Methodist Church. The chapel at the church is named in his honor. Mr. Klepinger also pastored churches in Newport, Kentucky; New Madison and Eaton. After retiring from the Belmont Church in 1965, he was an assistant pastor at Ohmer Park Methodist Church in Dayton, OH and pastored at Bolousville United Methodist Church, Bolousville, OH. He graduated from the Bonebrake Theological Seminary in Dayton in 1926. Mr. Klepinger was a trustee of Otterbein College for more than 20 years. He was a supporter of Boy

Scouts of America and was a member of the Lions Club, Ta-wa-si Club and Masons. He is survived by his wife, Alice, a daughter, **JOANNE DITMER '50**, a brother and sister.

'28 **MYRTLE WYSONG STIRM** passed away December 2, 1978. She is survived by her husband, **ERNEST '29**, and two sons, David and John.

'30 **THE REVEREND WILBERT H. MILEY** passed away in August, 1979. He was a member of the First Church of the Brethren, Third Street, and former pastor of the Ashland Dickey Church of the Brethren, Ashland, OH from 1944 to 1955. He had served as interim pastor for various area churches in Ashland, OH. For 18 years, he had conducted a Sunday School program on the radio. He was a former president and member of the Mapleton Board of Education in Ashland, Oh., having served on the board for six years. He served as chairman of the citizens committee for construction of a new County Home and was a member of the Ashland Noon Kiwanis Club. He was a former board member of Westview Manor in Wooster, OH. Mr. Miley served on the board of the Northern Ohio District Christian Education and on the standing committee of the Church of the Brethren Annual Conference. He also served as director of the district conference. He is listed in "Who's Who in the Midwest" and in the "Directory of International Biography." He is survived by his wife, the former **ORPHA KAYLOR '29**, one daughter and two grandchildren.

'36 **RUTH HUNT GEFVERT** passed away in January, 1979. Ruth was a former editor of the *T & C* while she was on campus. She is survived by her husband, Arthur.

'38 **DR. DONALD B. APP** passed away July 19, 1979. He had been director of adult work for the Evangelical United Brethren Church in Dayton, OH from 1961 to 1968. He retired from active ministry in June, 1979 as pastor of the Christ United Methodist Church in Sterling, CO, and moved back to Dayton, OH. He had been a national executive of the former Evangelical United Brethren Church and an executive of the Rocky Mountain Conference of the United Methodist Church. As a member of the Rocky Mountain Conference, he was pastor of the First Methodist Church in Torington, WY, then became conference council director with offices in Denver. He had also been a pastor in the EUB Western, PA Conference serving for 14 years in Scottsdale, PA. He is survived by his wife, Grace, two daughters, a son and six grandchildren.

'41 We received word that **WANDA GRIMES FERRELL** passed away.

'50 **EDGAR J. CLINE** passed away November 10, 1978.

'71 The **WILLIAM PAUL WILSON** Memorial Scholarship has been established by **JACKIE LAVENDAR WILSON '73**. Bill was serving the Franklin Street United Methodist Church in Johnstown, PA at the time of his death last fall.

The scholarship is designated to help students who have interest in journalism (sports information), political science or religion.

Contributions may be sent to the Howard House, Otterbein College, Westerville, Ohio 43081.

'74 **LESLIE BURRELL MANGIA** was killed in an automobile accident August 10, 1979. She is survived by her husband, **ANTHONY '74**. A Leslie Mangia Memorial Scholarship Fund is being established. Contributions to this fund may be sent to Howard House, Otterbein College, Westerville, Ohio 43081.

FORMER FACULTY

WALTER GINGERY, associate professor of mathematics at Otterbein (1958-59) passed away July 30, 1979. He was a professor at nine colleges and universities including Mt. Union, Wittenberg University and Otterbein, all in Ohio. He was principal of George Washington High School in Indianapolis. He perfected and patented the Gingery Projection World Math, which is still widely used in schools, universities and aviation. He is survived by his wife, Clara, a sister, a twin brother and six children.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Miss Mabel Moore '04, oldest Otterbein alumna and holder of the Otterbein cane, celebrated her 100th birthday October 29, 1979.

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Julie Tallentire '83
Tammy Thomas '82
John Toeller '81
Janet Tressler '82
Kathryn Vance '80
Kerill Wagner '81

Eric Warner '80
Jane Witt '83
Douglas Wright '82
Kyle Yoest '80
Kristine Zagray Galitza '80

Mr. Howard D. Tallentire '59
Mrs. Paul E. Thomas '51
Mr. Joe M. Toeller '65
Mr. James A. Tressler '49
Dr. & Mrs. Robert F. Vance '49,'51
The Reverend & Mrs. James K. Wagner '56
Col. & Mrs. Robert E. Warner '56,'58
Mr. & Mrs. Elsley Willit, Sr. '49,'74
Mrs. Thomas S. Wright '51
Dr. Elmer W. Yoest '53
The Reverend & Mrs. Allan H. Zagray '54

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

ON-CAMPUS

December

- 22 Basketball: DEFIANCE 3 p.m.
- 24 Christmas Holiday
Offices Closed
- 25 Christmas Day
Offices Closed
- 26 Christmas Holiday
Offices Closed

January

- 12 Basketball: WOOSTER 7:30 p.m.
- 16 Basketball: BALDWIN-WALLACE 7:30 p.m.
- 17 Artist Series: Les Grands Ballets Canadiens
in "Romeo & Juliet" 8:15 p.m. (Cowan Hall)
- 26 Basketball: CAPITAL 7:30 p.m.

February

- 2 PARENTS' WEEKEND
Basketball: OHIO WESLEYAN 7:30 p.m.
- 6-9 College Theatre: "Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?"
8:15 p.m. (Cowan Hall)
- 9 Basketball: DENISON 7:30 p.m.
- 12 Affiliate Artist: Stan Bumgarner (guitarist)
8:15 p.m. (Cowan Hall)
- 13 Basketball: MUSKINGUM 7:30 p.m.
- 18 OAC Tournament at Home Site 7:30 p.m.
- 20 OAC So. Semi-Finals 7 & 9 p.m.
- 22 OAC So. Finals 7:30 p.m.
- 28 Opera Theatre: 8:15 p.m. Thurs. - Sat. & 3 p.m. Sunday

March

- 2 Opera Theatre - Battelle Fine Arts Center

OFF-CAMPUS

December

- 1 Basketball at Augusta, GA. 8 p.m.
Concert Choir - First U.M. Church, Johnstown, Pa.
- 2 Basketball at Armstrong State 8 p.m.
Concert Choir - Faith U.M. Church in Twinsburg, Ohio
- 3 Concert Choir - Lebanon, Ohio & Westwood U.M. Church in Cincinnati
- 4 Concert Choir - Sharonville U.M. Church in Cincinnati
- 5 Alumni Reception in Ft. Lauderdale 6 p.m.
Concert Choir - Indianapolis
- 6 Basketball at Rollins 8 p.m.
Alumni Reception in Orlando
Concert Choir - Crooksville (Ohio) H.S. & Lancaster
- 7 Alumni Reception in Tampa/St. Pete
- 8 Basketball at St. Leo College 8 p.m.
(Alumni reception - 7:30 p.m.)
- 12 Basketball & reception at Kent State 7:30 p.m.
- 15 Basketball vs. Wright State at U. of Dayton 7:30 p.m.
(Alumni reception at U. of Dayton Arena - 6 p.m.)

January

- 5 Basketball at Wittenberg 7:30 p.m.
- 9 Basketball at Marietta 7:30 p.m.
- 19 Basketball at Mt. Union 7:30 p.m.
- 23 Basketball at Ohio Northern 7:30 p.m.
- 29 Basketball at Heidelberg 7:30 p.m.

February

- 1 Alumni reception in Washington, D.C. with President Kerr
- 5 Basketball at Kenyon 7:30 p.m.
- 16 Basketball at Oberlin 7:30 p.m.
- 23 OAC Championship at Wooster 7:30 p.m.

Autumn, 1979

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