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Geography is the science of place, its attributes, and their relationships.

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THANKS!

Again we wish to thank all you C.U.G.S. at large who have supplied most of the information and financial backing for this issue. The response to the questionnaires sent out in the fall was very good! A few of you we still can't seem to locate, but we'll keep trying.

We only hope the information appearing under each of your names is accurate. In a few cases some editing of the information you sent was necessary for the sake of a uniform presentation. If there are errors, forgive us.

A suggestion comes in from Mr. Francis J. Schadegg, who teaches out in Washington, that regional C.U.G.S. groups be organized. It sounds like a fine idea, and we hope it will be well received by all Clark geographers. When it happens, let us know!

Hope to have a record response from you next year!

—THE STAFF

BELIEVE IT OR NOT

We don't know what the average life expectancy of a robin is, but the letter which twice a year for twenty-six years has made its rounds among eight members of the class of 1922-23 should represent some kind of record. The members of this group are Fred Branom, Marion Webster, Elmer Switzer, Marjorie Shank, Preston James, Ina Robertson, George Howe, and Julia Shipman.

SOCIAL SEASON

The spring social season for C.U.G.S. opened auspiciously at the Moors on the evening of March 28. All C.U.G.S., single and double, and the entire staff joined in a sumptuous banquet of lobster or steak, enjoyed a scintillating show, then danced the evening away. It was a huge success attended by about one hundred.

Rained out on the date scheduled 80 C.U.G.S., families and all, amply made up for the postponement of that most wonderful of all fair weather institutions—a picnic—on the afternoon of May 4. At their Lovell Street home, Dr. and Mrs. Henry J. Warman, our hosts, ably and graciously withstood the onslaught as they provided the climax to the C.U.G.S. social season.

Softball, badminton, and horseshoe pitching were the order of the day both before and after eating. Frankfurts plus all the fixings made the perfect outdoor meal. As dusk fell, order slowly returned to 193 Lovell Street as the crowd left, everyone agreeing that this had been an ideal day.

SUMMER SCHOOL

Two six-week summer sessions will again be offered this year, the first beginning on June 6, the second on July 18. Courses running through both halves are: PRINCIPLES OF

GEOGRAPHY, Dr. Olson; CARTOGRAPHY, Mr. Burnham; POLITICAL GEOGRAPHY, Dr. Olson. During the second half Dr. Lougee will teach PRINCIPLES OF PHYSIOGRAPHY and GEOGRAPHY OF NEW ENGLAND; also during the second half Dr. Van Valkenburg will teach CLIMATOLOGY and PRESENT EUROPEAN PROBLEMS.

STAFF ACTIVITIES

Dr. Van Valkenburg, attending the Lisbon International Geography Conference, writes that his plan for a world inventory has been well received. He has been appointed chairman of a committee to study further the possibilities of the inventory and agree on mapping scales and keys. A meeting of the committee, which includes Pierre Gourou (France), Leo Waibel (Brazil), Dudley Stamp (Gt. Britain), and Hans Boesch (Switz.) is scheduled at Clark in December. Guests at Dr. Van's Clark dinner at Lisbon included Mr. and Mrs. Raisz, Mr. and Mrs. Foscue, Mr. and Mrs. Boesch, Virginia Robinson, Messrs. Cressey, Brammell Atwood, Jr., Trueblood, Cain, Barnes, Adkinson, Fawcett, and Burrill. The conference over, Dr. Van is now studying changes in Europe since the war and will be back in time for summer school.

Dr. Ekblaw, after returning to full time duties in the second semester, has been recently confined with a broken rib suffered while coughing. This Spring he delivered a paper entitled "The History of Indian Groups on Cape Cod in Colonial Time" before the Nipmuck Chapter of the Mass. Archeological Society.

Dr. Raymond E. Murphy attended a meeting of the Committee on Economic Geography of the A.G.S. at Evanston, Ill. in February. The committee is preparing a chapter for the volume which is to be published in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the American Geographical

Society. Also in February, at the Seventh Pacific Science Congress at Auckland, his paper entitled "Changing Patterns of Agriculture in the Easternmost Caroline Islands" was read in absentia before a symposium on Changing Agricultural Economy of the Pacific Islands, "High and Low Islands in the Eastern Carolines" will appear in a coming edition of GEOGRAPHICAL REVIEW, and "The Economic Geography of a Micronesian Atoll" has been completed and submitted for publication. This summer Dr. Murphy will teach at the University of Colorado.

Dr. Richard J. Lougee has been traveling to Harvard University twice a week to teach Glacial Geology, including field trips in the Boston basin. On April 29 and 30, he represented the department at the New York State Geographical Association's meeting at the New York State College for Teachers in Buffalo. He will teach at Clark during the second half of the summer term and then direct the Fall Field Camp which is expected to be held in Bristol County, Mass. Friends of Dr. Lougee will be pleased to know that son Jerry has been recovering rapidly from his accident and is now able to ride his bicycle.

Dr. Henry J. Warman will teach this summer at the University of British Columbia, Vancouver. The course is entitled "Introductory Human and Economic Geography" and has been carefully planned for teachers, emphasizing content in the first half and method of teaching this same material in the second half. This past year he has added to his duties the task of consultant in Geography at the secondary level in the public schools of Quincy, Mass. Recent publications include "Some General Criteria for Teaching Local Geography," JOURNAL OF GEOGRAPHY, February, 1949; "Population of the Manor Counties of Maryland," ECO-

NOMIC GEOGRAPHY, January, 1949.

Mr. Burnham will teach the Cartography classes during both parts of the Summer term.

VISITING LECTURERS

Again this semester the regular schedule of courses in the geography school has been enriched by courses and lectures by visitors.

Dr. Sidman Poole, Head of the School of Geography of the University of Virginia, traced the development of military geography from ancient times to the present in a series of lectures delivered here during the first week in February. Dr. Poole also led a seminar on the subject of the new nation of Israel.

Dr. John C. Ayers and Mr. Harry J. Turner of the Woods Hole Oceanographic Institute have conducted a course in Oceanography during the second semester. The lecturers have drawn interesting parallels between the physics of the water masses and the more familiar air masses. Economic aspects of the world's fisheries and the potential resources of the oceans were also among the subjects discussed. This is the first time in many years that a course in Oceanography has been offered.

On February 16 Clark played host to the well known geologist and author, William H. Hobbs, emeritus Professor and Chairman of the Department of Geology at the University of Michigan. Dr. Hobbs spoke on "The Pleistocene Glaciers of North America," and illustrated his lecture with slides.

ALUMNI

Following are informational sketches on former Clark students. They have been prepared by the editors using the information sent in by you in the fall.

Wherever possible the following

information appears; name, Clark degree and year, or years attended if no degree, position and other activities, recent (1948-49) publications, comments as to activities.

Sherman R. Abrahamson (M.A. '48) Research Geographer; Military Planning Division, Research and Development Branch, Office of the Quartermaster General, Washington, D. C.

Burton W. Adkinson (Ph.D. '42) Chief, Division of Maps, Library of Congress, Washington, D. C.; Acting Assistant Director of the Reference Department, Library of Congress; three months' official visit to Latin America for the Library of Congress in 1948. Two articles, "United States Mapping Agencies," and "Maps," *The Library of Congress Quarterly Journal of Current Acquisitions*.

Agnes M. Allen (Ph.D. '37) Head, Science Department, Arizona State College, Flagstaff, Arizona; Director of Student Welfare; Executive Board, Arizona Education Association; Trustee, Museum of Northern Arizona. Golden Jubilee Homecoming of the College was dedicated to Dr. Allen in the fall of '48.

Leo Alpert (Ph.D. '46) Geographer, Topographic Detachment, Intelligence Division, General Staff, Department of the Army, Washington, D. C.; Meteorological consultant. "Notes on the Areal Distribution of Annual Mean Rainfall Over the Tropical Eastern Pacific Ocean," *Bulletin of the American Meteorological Society*, Jan. '48; in process, "Vertical Temperature Distribution in the Lower Troposphere Over the Tropical Eastern Pacific Ocean."

O. E. Baker (Staff '24-'26) Acting Head, Department of Geography, University of Maryland, College Park, Md. In process, "Atlas of the World's Agricultural Resources." Pamphlet, "The Population Prospect in Relation to the World's Agricultural Resources," '48, Univ. of Md.

Helen H. Balk (Ph.D. '43) Geography teacher, Stephens College, Columbia, Mo. "Wine and Grape Industry in the Ozarks."

Kenneth A. Battersby (M.A. '42) Graduate Assistant, Geography Department, University of Maryland; College Park, Md.; Researcher on "Atlas of the World's Agricultural Resources;" completing requirements for Ph.D. "Land Use and Rural Economy of Garrett County, Maryland."

Ruth E. Baugh (Ph.D. '29) Associate Professor, Department of Geography, University of California, Los Angeles, Cal.; field work in the Mother Lode Area during last summer. "California: A Type Study of a State," *Education*, Sept. '48; review of "The Sierra Nevada: Range of Light," edited by R. Peattie, *Pacific Historical Review*, June, '48.

George Beishlag (M.A. '37) Government position, Washington, D. C. In process, for ASPG, paper, "What's Wrong with Geographic Writing?"

Elizabeth Gregory Benedictus (M.A. '30) Research and study, 875 Fifth Avenue, New York 21, N. Y. Travel summer '48 through western Europe and England.

Malcolm H. Bissell ('27-'28) Retired, Route 1, Box 40, Calistoga, Cal. Field work in New Mexico this summer. In process, in collaboration with Edwin N. Ferdon, Jr., a study of the climates of Ecuador.

Clyde J. Bollinger Associate Professor of Geography, University of Oklahoma, Norman, Okla. Paper read at Oklahoma Academy of Science Dec. '48, "Our Jovian Rainfall Cycle."

Fred K. Branom (Ph.D. '23) Chairman, Department of Social Science, Chicago Teachers College, Chicago, Ill. *My World of Neighbors*, the first book in a new series of Geographies.

Dorothy V. N. Brooks (M.A. '26)

Dean of Women, Denison University, Granville, Ohio.

Meredith F. Burrill (Ph.D. '30) Director, Division of Geography, Department of the Interior; Executive Secretary, U. S. Board on Geographic Names, Washington, D. C.; Chairman, Committee on Social Geography, National Research Council; Chairman, Amalgamation Policy Committee, ASPG.

Everett H. Bush (M.A. '47) Assistant Professor and Head of Geography Department, Wittenberg College, Springfield, Ohio.

Robert G. Buzzard (Ph.D. '25) President, Eastern Illinois State College, Charleston, Ill.

Harry H. Caldwell ('47-'48) Instructor, Department of Geology, Geography, University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho.

Norman Carls (Ph.D. '35) Lecturer, School of Social Sciences and Public Affairs, American University, Washington, D. C. In process, sixth grade geography textbook to be published by John C. Winston Co.

Philip M. Caughey ('45-'46) Teacher of Geography and U. S. History and Chairman of Social Studies Department, Junior High School, Lexington, Mass.

Thomas W. Chamberlain (Ph.D. '46) Associate Professor of Geography and Head, Geography Department, University of Minnesota, Duluth Branch, Duluth, Minn.

Phil E. Church (Ph.D. '37) Professor of Meteorology and Climatology, Executive Officer, Department of Meteorology and Climatology, University of Washington, Seattle, Wash.; Consultant for Hanford Engineer Works; Assistant Director of Oceanographic Laboratories, Univ. of Wash. Paper, "Weather of the West," delivered at Pacific Division of the A.A.A.S., June '48; will give paper on "Meteorological Aspects of the 1948 Columbia River Flood" before

general session of Northwest Science Association, Dec. '48, Spokane, Wash.

Clyde E. Cooper (Ph.D. '27) Professor of Geography and Geology and Chairman of Department, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio. "Some Principles of Human Geography," *Journal of Geography*, Sept. '48.

George S. Corfield (M.A. '31) Assistant Professor of Geography, Geography Department, Oklahoma A. and M. College, Stillwater, Okla.; Chairman, Southwest Division of American Society Professional Geographers. "Recent Activities of Petroleum Industry, Venezuela," *Economic Geography*, Vol. 24, '48.

Catherine E. Cox (M.A. '42) Instructor of Geography, State Teachers College, Trenton, N. J. Will enter Regular Navy 1949.

Clark N. Crain ('42) Associate Professor and Chairman, Department of Geography, University of Denver, Denver, Colo. Field research for Colorado Minorities Service Clubs; Advisor, State Committee Air Education. In Process, *Handbook of Weather*.

George B. Cressey (Ph.D. '31) Chairman, Department of Geography, Syracuse University, Syracuse, N. Y. Vice President, International Geographical Union. Attended International Geological Congress and Executive meeting of International Geographical Union last summer in Europe. Will attend Lisbon Congress in April and give lectures in England.

James I. Culbert (Ph.D. '39) Associate Professor of Geology and Geography, New Mexico College of A. and M. A., State College, N. M. In process, *Geography of New Mexico*.

Samuel C. Dashiell (M.A., '42) Instructor, Eastern Washington College of Education, Cheney, Wash. In Process, "Palouse Area of Washington and Idaho."

Dorothy M. Day (Summers '47, '48) Teacher, Elementary Schools, Waynesville, Ohio.

George F. Deasy (Ph.D. '48) Associate Professor of Geography, Division of Geography, Pennsylvania State College, State College, Pa. Contractee, Office Quartermaster General; Treasurer, American Society for Professional Geographers. "Training, Professional Work, and Military Experience of Geographers, 1942-1947," *The Professional Geographer*, Dec. '47; "Geography on a University Level," *Mineral Industries*, May, '48; "Landform Regions of Manchuria," *Annals of the Association of American Geographers*, March, '48; "War-Time Changes in Occupation of Geographers," *The Professional Geographer*, April, '48; "United States of America," *The World Book Encyclopedia*, Quarrie Corp., Chicago, Ill.

John H. Dean (M.A. '48) Instructor, Department of Geography, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pa. Working on climate dissertation.

Veva Kathryn Dean (M.A. '40) Head, Department of Geography, State Teachers College, East Stroudsburg, Pa. Working on dissertation, "Political Geography of Newfoundland."

Sigismund de R. Dietrich (Ph.D. '31) Head Professor, Department of Geography, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida; Chairman, Southeastern Section ASPG; Governor's Committee on Florida Resource-Use Education. "Florida's Climatic Extremes: II Hurricanes;" "Fields of Knowledge in Academic Pigeonholes," to be presented at the November meeting of the Florida Academy of Sciences, Miami, Fla.; "Florida's Metropolises," *Economic Leaflets*, Winter, '48-'49; "Putnam County, Fla.: Its Resources and Use, 1849-1949," U. of Fla. *Geographic Series*, May, '49; "Okaloosa County, Fla.: Its Resources and their Use," *Economic Leaflets*, Spring, '49.

Sidney E. Ekblaw (Ph.D. '34) Pro-

fessor of Geography and Geology and Chairman of Department of Geography and Geology, University of Kansas City, Kansas City, Missouri; Vice Chairman, Kansas City Seminar of American Meteorological Society; Chairman, Geography Section, Missouri State Teachers Convention. Chapter, "Spain and Portugal, Empires of the Past," *World Political Geography*, edited by Fifield & Percy; chapter in *Yearbook, National Council for Social Studies*, to be published in Dec.

Van H. English (Ph.D. '42) Assistant Professor, Department of Geography, Dartmouth College, Hanover, N. H.; Map librarian, Baker Library. Map illustrations for *Triumph of Freedom*, June '48; in process, maps for *Dartmouth Bible*.

Wilma Belden Fairchild (M.A. '37) Research and Editorial Assistant, American Geographical Society, New York, N. Y. "Explorers: Men and Motives," *Geographical Review*, July, '48; "Renewable Resources: A World Dilemma," *Geographical Review*, Jan. '49.

Albert H. Farnsworth (M.A. '40) Associate Editor, *Holiday*, Curtis Publishing Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

Eleanor Fass (M.A. '44) Teacher, Geography and History, Ferry Hall, Lake Forest, Illinois.

Ashjorn Fause (M.A. '37) Cartographer, Pan American World Airways, New York, N. Y.

Edith M. Fitton (M.A. '29) Chief, Case Research Section, Division of Geography, Board on Geographic Names, U. S. Department of Interior, Washington, D. C.; Executive Council, Society of Women Geographers.

Marion B. Forsythe (M.A. '27) Retired teacher, Waddington, New York.

Edwin J. Foscue (Ph.D. '31) Chairman, Department of Geography, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas; Executive Committee, Division of Geology and Geography, National Research Council; National

Committee of the United States, International Geographical Union. Booklet, *Taxco: Mexico's Silver City*, '47.

Lawrence F. Fountain (Ph.D. '41) Studying on Cartography, Land Utilization and Conservation of Natural Resources; Supervising personal land holdings in the Adirondacks.

Otis W. Freeman (Ph.D. '29) Head, Department of Physical Science, Eastern Washington College of Education, Cheney, Wash. 1948—Specialist for Geography in Higher Education, U. S. Office of Education; 1949—Visiting Professor of Geography, University of Hawaii; President, Northwest Scientific Ass'n.—'48. Edited Geography number of *Education*, Sept. '48; Paper, "Geography as Seen from the Office of Education," for the National Council of Geography Teachers; "The Columbia Basin Project," *School Science & Mathematics*, Jan., '48; "Geography in Far-western Institutions of Higher Learning," *School Science & Mathematics*, Dec., '48; "Contributions of Geography to American Democracy," *Education*, Sept., '48; "Geography Offerings in Universities and Colleges of the U. S.," *Higher Education*, Nov. 15, '48; "College Field Courses and American Democracy," *Higher Education*, March 15, '48.

Guilbert R. Graham (M.A. '31) Adjunct Professor of Geography and Geology, University of South Carolina, Columbia, S. C.

Archie Greenberg (M.A. '43) Manager, Bancroft Hotel, Miami Beach, Florida.

Edna M. Gueffroy (M.A. '27) Assistant Professor of Geography, Illinois State Normal University, Normal, Illinois.

J. E. Guernsey (Ph.D. '41) Geographer, U. S. Government, Washington, D. C.

Hazel Handel (M.A. '41) Geography teacher, Junior High School, Painesville, Ohio; Visual Instruction and guidance work.

Ann Hanratta (M.A. '28) Teacher, Central Junior High School, St. Johns, Michigan.

George E. Harding ('31) Head of Department of Geography and Science and Math, State Teachers College, California, Pa. Collaborating on college text. Directed 1200 mile class tour in geography of Pennsylvania during the past summer.

Emeline C. Highberg (M.A. '46) Teacher, Calvin Coolidge School, Shrewsbury, Mass.

George F. Howe (M.A. '24) Associate Professor of Geography, Teachers College of Connecticut, New Britain, Conn.

Bert Hudgins (Ph.D. '30) Chairman, Department of Geography, Wayne University, Detroit, Michigan. "Michigan—Geographic Backgrounds in the Development of the Commonwealth."

Nancy Hudson ('44-'45) Publications Editor, American Petroleum Institute, Radio City, N. Y. Now back on the active lists.

Esther Kinch Hunter (M.A. '40) Housewife, Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Preston E. James (Ph.D. '23) Professor, Department of Geography, Syracuse University, Syracuse, N. Y.; Chairman, Ass'n of American Geographers Committee on Centennial Studies. "Geography," in Ten Eventful Years, *Encyclopedia Britannica*; "The Sao Francisco Basin: A Brazilian Sertao," *Geographical Review*, Vol. 38, '48; Chapter II of "Geography," *Yearbook 1948 of the National Council for the Social Studies*; *A Geography of Man*, '49; with Gertrude Whipple basal geographies series, *Our Earth, Using Our Earth and Living on our Earth*. Banquet address, National Council of Geography Teachers, '48, "On the Treatment of Controversial Topics in Geography;" AAG, annual meeting, '48, "Formulating the Objectives of Geographic Research."

J. Granville Jensen (Ph.D. '46)

Professor of Geography, Oregon State College, Corvallis, Oregon. "The Home Community," Chapter 16, *19th Yearbook of the National Council for the Social Studies*.

Clarence Fielden Jones (Staff '32-'42) Professor of Geography, Department of Geography, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois; Chairman, Committee on Latin American Geography of the Division of Geography and Geology of the National Research Council; scientific expedition in Mato Grosso for the Conselho Nacional de Geografia and the Office of Immigration and Colonization of the Brazilian Government; Chairman, Panel Committee on Desert and Tropical Environments of the Research and Development Board, Washington, D. C.; special committee of the Geographic Society of Chicago to prepare yearbook.

Mali Korgen (M.A. '47) Instructor, Department of Geology and Geography, University of South Carolina, Columbia, S. C.

Charles F. Lane ('46) Assistant Professor, Department of Geography, University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia.

Harry L. Law ('41-'42) Professor of Geography, Peay State College, Clarksville, Tennessee.

Louis E. Leopold (M.A. '46) Geographer, Topographic Detachment, General Staff, Department of the Army, Washington, D. C.; Serving on ASPG Placement Committee.

Minnie E. Lemaire (Ph.D. '35) Associate Professor, Mt. Holyoke College, South Hadley, Mass. Travelled in Central America this last summer.

Theodore J. Liard, Jr., (M.A. '48) Instructor in Geography, Boston College; instructor in Geography, Boston College Intown School, (Evening College), Boston, Mass.

Urban J. Linehan (M.A. '46) Assistant Professor, Department of Geography, Catholic University of America, Washington, D. C. Work-

ing on study of diurnal ranges in air temperature for selected stations in the U. S.

Trevor Lloyd (Ph.D. '40) Professor of Geography, and Chairman, Department of Geography, Dartmouth College, Hanover, N. H.; Editor, *Arctic*, Journal of the Arctic Institute of North America. *Canada and her Neighbors*, elementary textbook published in Canada, joint authorship with Dr. Griffith Taylor and Miss Dorothy J. Seiveright. On leave of absence '48 to establish the Geographical Bureau, Department of Mines and Resources, Ottawa, Canada.

Richard F. Logan (M.A. '37) Lecturer, Department of Geography, University of California at Los Angeles, Los Angeles, Cal. In process, dissertation, "Agricultural Abandonment of Western New England."

Harriet Ruth Long (M.A. '41) Associate Professor of Social Studies, Mississippi State College for Women, Columbus, Miss. In process, "Geography in the High Schools and Colleges of Mississippi."

Liu En-Lan (M.A. '31) Chairman, Department of Geography, Ginling College, Nanking, China; Executive Committee of Geographical Society of China; Foreign Relations Secretary of Natural Science Society of China. Articles recently published in Chinese: "The Geographical Background for the Territorial Expansion of China," *The Friend of China*, Vol. I, June, '48; "Political Pattern of Li-fan Sze-tu (Northwest Szechwan Highland Settlement)" *Frontier Affairs*, Vol. 2, June, '48; "Social Patterns of Li-fan Sze-tu," *Frontier Affairs*, Vol. 2, No. 3, Sept. '48; "Highland Settlements: Their Geographical Environments and Their Problems," *Journal of the Geographical Society of China*, Dec. '48.

Mary L. MacDonald (M.A. '41) Assistant to Promotion Manager of three trade magazines, *Mining and Engineering Journal*, *Factory Man-*

agement and Maintenance, *Coal Age*, New York, N. Y.

Grace Lee McIntosh ('30) Housewife, mother, and teacher, Rome, N. Y.

Bradford K. MacGaw ('38-'39) Assistant Professor of Geology and Geography, University of Chattanooga, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Tennessee Academy of Science, ASPG (SE Branch).

Shannon McCune (Ph.D. '39) Associate Professor and Head, Department of Geography, Colgate University, Hamilton, N. Y. "The 38th Parallel in Korea," *World Politics*; "Sequence of Rotation Agriculture in Ceylon," *Economic Geography*.

Wallace E. McIntyre (M.A. '47) Instructor in Geography, University of New Hampshire, Durham, N. H.

Eva E. Martens (M.A. '44) Head, Department of Social Studies, East High School, Aurora, Illinois.

Carol Y. Mason (Ph.D. '36) Associate Professor of Geography, University of Tulsa, Tulsa, Oklahoma. Taught at State Teachers College, Buffalo, N. Y. again last summer.

Frederick S. Merriam (M.A. '46) Geographer, Financial Department, Pan American Airways, New York, N. Y.

Helen Frick Molinas ('43-'44) Photogrammetrist, U. S. Geological Survey, Washington, D. C.

Jean Moore ('46-'47) Assistant Professor, West Texas State College, Canyon, Texas.

Paul C. Morrison (Ph.D. '41) Associate Professor of Geography, Assistant to Dean of School of Science and Arts, Michigan State College, East Lansing, Michigan; guest scientist at Inter-American Institute of Agricultural Sciences, Turrialba, Costa Rica, during January, February, March of '48. Hopes to return this spring. "Kelley's Island, Ohio: An Economy in Transition" to appear in *Economic Geography*. With Jorge León of Inter-American Institute of

Agricultural Sciences, Turrialba, Costa Rica, has lithoprinted map, "Land Utilization in Central District, Turrialba Canton, Costa Rica." Paper to go with map in process.

Merle W. Myers (Ph.D. '48) Associate Professor of Geography, Mississippi State College; taught summer school at Northwestern University for nine weeks in '48.

Robert M. Ney (M.A. '38) Manager of Industrial Relations at Baldwin Locomotive Works, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Addressed United States Chamber of Commerce on "Trends in Collective Bargaining—1948" last June.

Anne P. Kennedy O'Brien (M.A. '35) At home, Worcester, Mass.

Ralph E. Olson (Ph.D. '46) Associate Professor, Dept. of Geography, Norman, Oklahoma "Geographers and the Immigration Problem," *The Professional Geographer*, April, '48; "Building Anglo-American Understanding," *Social Education*, May, '48 reprinted in Austrian UNESCO magazine. Three book reviews: one in *Books Abroad*, summer '48, two in *Geographical Review*, October '48. Continuing research on Luxembourg, Benelux Customs Union, and economy of post-war Germany.

Leonard O. Packard (M.A. '26) Retired, living in Needham, Mass. Writing texts for the Macmillan Company. Published high-school text, *Geography of the World* in '48. Workbook to accompany text in process.

John L. Page (Ph.D. '29) Associate Professor of Geography, University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois. *Climate of Illinois* in press. *Climatic Hazards to Crop Production in Illinois* in collaboration with W. L. Burlison, head of Dept. of Agronomy at University of Illinois, in process.

Ruben L. Parson (Ph.D. '43) Professor of Geography, East Tennessee State College, Johnson City, Tennessee. Busy setting up weather bureau sub-

station and getting settled in new science building.

G. Etzel Percy (Ph.D. '40) System Geographer for Trans World Airline, Kansas City, Missouri. *World Political Geography*, Percy, Fifield, & Associates, Thomas Y. Crowell, 1948: Series of Air Age maps for forthcoming elementary textbook in geography in process.

Meta Pils (M.A. '32) Teaching in Shorewood, Wisconsin.

Paul Porochnick (Summers '39, '40, '41, '46, '47) Instructor in Geography, Classical and High School, Salem, Mass.: compiling data for master's thesis at Clark on the community of Salem, Mass.

Rafael Pico (Ph.D. '38) Chairman, Puerto Rico Planning, Urbanizing and Zoning Board, Box 876, Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico; Member, Caribbean Commission; From Nov. 30 to Dec. 18, '48, attended Third West India Conference and seventh meeting of the Caribbean Commission in Guadeloupe. A review of *Family Farm Policy*, Monthly Bulletin of the Caribbean Commission, Vol. 2 No. 4, Nov. '48; *Industrial Development of Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands of the United States*, in collaboration with Mr. Thomas Hibben, Adviser for Foreign Industrial Development, U. S. Department of Commerce. Recently visited the islands of Martinique, Guadeloupe, and Antigua.

Merle C. Prunty (Ph.D. '44) Professor of Geography and Geology and Head of Dept. of Geography and Geology, University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia, also research professor. Article, "Physical Basis of Agriculture in Dyer County, Tennessee," *Journal of Tennessee Academy of Science*, July 1948, in process: "Soybean Culture in Middle Mississippi Valley," and "Changing Land Use Practices in Northwest Tennessee."

Dr. Erwin Raisz, Lecturer in Cartography, Institute of Geographical

Exploration, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass., part-time professor of Cartography, Clark University, Worcester, Mass.; drawing land-form maps for the Quartermaster General and General Staff; Recently published *General Cartography*, 2nd Revised Edition, *Landforms of Alaska*, article on globes in forthcoming *Social Science Yearbook. Landforms of Canada and Near East* plus Relief Models of the states of New England, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and New York in process.

Agnes Renner (M.A. '40) Assistant Professor of Geography and History, St. Ambrose College, Davenport, Iowa.

Walter W. Ristow (Ph.D. '37) Assistant Chief, Division of Maps, Library of Congress, Washington, D. C.; secretary American Society for Professional Geographers; marketing maps in process.

M. Catherine Roberts (Ph.D. '38) Professor of Geography, Potsdam State Teachers College, Potsdam, New York.

J. Lewis Robinson (Ph.D. '46) Associate Professor of Geography, Department of Geography, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, British Columbia; directed research on Arctic matters of Geographic Bureau, Ottawa, during summer of '48; two articles, "Canada's Western Arctic," in *Canadian Geographical Journal*, December '48 and "Physical Geography of the Canadian Western Arctic," *Canada Year Book*, '48.

Ina Cullom Robertson (M.A. '24) Head of Dept. of Geography, State Teachers College, Valley City, North Dakota; cooperative observer, U. S. Weather Bureau; National Secretary-Treasurer, Gamma Theta Upsilon. Review of *Old World Lands* by Barrows and Parker in *Journal of Geography*, April '48, Review of *Living on our Earth* by Whipple and James to be published in *Journal of Geography*.

Virginia M. Robinson (M. A. '34)

Geographical Attaché, U. S. Foreign Service. Assigned post for last year has been Bern, Switzerland, but has spent more time in Portugal, Spain, Italy and France. Now en route to Pretoria, South Africa, by land route from colony to colony around West Africa.

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