

1942

David Rutledge Sargent

died January 22 of complications from Parkinson's disease. Dave was a leading financial publisher and civic leader. He was named president and CEO of United Business Service of Boston in 1961, a publisher of weekly reports on business and investments, having joined the company in 1946 immediately after his WW II service as an R.A.F. pilot and U.S. Air Force flying instructor. Dave was an active resident of Wellesley, Mass., from 1947 until his retirement to the family farm in Norwich, Vt., in 1992, serving for more than 20 years on various boards and commissions and as town moderator and selectman. Dave was active in 1942 activities and served as class secretary from 1982-86. He is survived by his wife of 57 years; daughters Karen Sirkin and Ann Walker; sons Dwight '72, Dave Jr., Carl and Thomas; and 10 grandchildren.

1944

Sherman Nott Dowsett

died December 23, 1999, at his home in Honolulu, Hawaii. Sherry left Dartmouth almost immediately following the declaration of war, joining the Air Force, where he served throughout WW II and sometime later in the Korean conflict. In business, as president of the Pantheon Co. and the Kalama Land Co., he was a successful land developer in both Hawaii and California. For a number of years he also held the coveted franchises for Fuller Brush products and the bottling and distribution of Pepsi-Cola in Hawaii. In the islands he served on the Territorial Boxing Commission and was a member of the Honolulu Redevelopment Agency. He played golf and tennis and was an ardent and record-holding deep-sea fisherman. He was predeceased by two wives, Carol and Joanne. He is survived by six children and five grandchildren.

1945

Ralph Gannett Tyler Jr.

died of cancer on January 16 in Conway, S.C. Bud came to Dartmouth from Phillips Exeter and was an active participant in football and wrestling. As a Navy V-12 student, he received a bachelor's degree in civil engineering from Thayer School. After serving as a lieutenant with the Sea Bees in the Pacific, he returned to Hanover for his master's degree in mechanical engineering. He was president of Green Key. He served '45 as secretary/chairman. Bud spent seven years with Bethlehem Steel, then became co-owner of Bolton-Pratt Construction Co. in Cleveland. After he retired, he was head of the Ashtabula County, Ohio, building department. He moved to Myrtle Trace, Fla., in 1995. His survivors include his wife, Dolores, daughters Elizabeth Hast and Martha Tyler, stepdaughter Karen Capadona and five grandchildren.

1947

Robert Theodore Moorehead

has died. The College was advised in 1997 by son Jonathan that Robert had passed away "about 10 or 12 years ago," but there are no further details. Robert was in the Navy V-12 Program at Dartmouth and served in the U.S.N.R. as an ensign and ending up in Kodiak, Alaska, as an

ordnance officer. He returned to Dartmouth after WW II but did not graduate. He subsequently became secretary and treasurer of Cannon & DeFina Co. in the Bronx; at that time he was living in Scarsdale, N.Y. His interests, outside of his family, were sports and dancing. Other than Jonathan, his only known kin was his wife, Faith-Elizabeth (Phelan).

1948

Francis Emil Hummel

died January 26. From being Mr. Everything at Crosby High in the Waterbury, Conn., class of 1944, Fran came to the Hanover Plain and made his mark on our class. Lettering in football, he was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and earned an M.B.A. from Tuck School with honors in 1949. For the next four years he taught marketing at the University of Massachusetts and Tuck School before joining manufacturers in Vermont and Connecticut as a marketing manager. In 1963 he settled in as director of marketing and advertising at the Stanley Works in New Britain, from which he retired in 1993. As late as 1997 he was still a part-time marketing director for a Connecticut ad agency. He and Gert would have celebrated their 50th anniversary in September. He not only was class agent for his Tuck class for 21 years but masterminded our 40th and 50th reunions as chairman. We have lost a loyal brother and share our sorrow with Gertrude, Francis '74, Peter TU '76, and Paul '78.

1949

Anthony Edward Sousa

died some years ago, the College has just learned. He came to Dartmouth in 1945 from Gloucester (Mass.) High School and roomed in New Hampshire Hall. He left after a short time and did not graduate, but returned to Gloucester and was self-employed in the fish business. He is survived by his wife, Alison, and son Gregg.

Robert B. Swift

died February 19 of a heart attack at home in Falmouth, Mass. Swifty came to Dartmouth in the V-12 unit, serving in the Navy as an aviation radioman from 1943-1946. He returned after his naval duty and completed his degree, also serving as a sergeant in the Marine Corps Reserve. While in Hanover he was a member of Phi Delta Theta and very active in inter-fraternity events. After graduation he taught for a time and coached Little League baseball and hockey, then went into the laundry and dry cleaning business. Bob was a pilot who held ratings in private, instrument and commercial aviation and was a member of the Experimental Aircraft Association. He served in local Dartmouth clubs as well as being the class treasurer and Alumni Fund agent. He is survived by his wife, Phyllis, two sons, two daughters and one grandchild. Another daughter predeceased him.

1951

Alfred Emmanuel Crehan

died in February 1999. Al came to Dartmouth from Boston English High School. Shortly before his death he wrote to '51 *Fables*, "I thoroughly enjoyed my (freshman) year at Dartmouth and went on to West Point somewhat reluctantly, but once there took up the challenge." He was commissioned upon graduation there in 1952, became an Air Force pilot of F-86 fighters in the Far East and later returned to

be a flight instructor in the United States. He retired as a lieutenant colonel to live in Franklin Lakes, N.J., and work in New York City selling large electronic telephone systems. He later moved to Chester, N.Y., and "fell in love with the Hudson Valley. Our proximity to West Point helped with the tailgates in football season." Al's wife, Bernadine, died of lung cancer in 1994. He is survived by six children and 10 grandchildren.

Andrew M. Drury

died December 9, 1999, at his home in Lewiston, Maine. Andy grew up in Hanover and Norwich and graduated from Kimball Union Academy. He left Dartmouth after freshman year and graduated from Emerson College in Boston in 1952. After serving in the Army in Japan during the Korean War, he earned a master's degree in history from Boston University and later embarked on a career teaching in public schools in Goffstown, N.H., and Kents Hill and Lewiston, Maine. His fellow teachers voted him Lewiston Teacher of the Year in 1984. Father Francis Drury graduated with the class of '26, TH'38. He is survived by daughters Donna Bleakney and Diana Snapp and brothers Francis Jr. '48 and Herbert '52.

Richard William Ellis

of New London, N.H., died January 21 at Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center after a long illness. He grew up in Newton Center, Mass., and attended Newton High School. At Dartmouth Dick majored in history and religion, rowed on the crew and was a member of Zeta Psi and photographic editor of the *Green Book* and the '51 *Aegis*. He then went straight to the U.S. Naval Academy, was commissioned in 1955, and served a career as a Navy Supply Corps officer. He retired with the rank of commander in 1981, lived in New Hampshire and was a longtime member and lay reader at All Saints Church in Peterborough and St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in New London. Dick's father, Richard, was a member of the class of '16. Dick was predeceased by daughter Kimberly in 1992. He is survived by his wife of 45 years, Barbara, daughter Pamela Ellis Averell and two granddaughters.

David Hale Hilton

died March 17 at Evanston Hospital, near his home in Winnetka, Ill. At Dartmouth he was *Aegis* advertising manager and member and treasurer of Alpha Delta Phi, Green Key, Undergraduate Council, Casque & Gauntlet and Palaeopitus. Following Tuck School and an Air Force hitch, Dave joined Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. and in a spectacular 38-year career sold an astonishing \$458 million in policies. For Winnetka he put in years of civic service and was a village trustee. For Dartmouth he spearheaded Alumni Fund and deferred giving, Alumni Council and class activities. A year ago Dave developed terminal stomach cancer. He calmly told everyone and eschewed debilitating treatment. He is survived by wife Ginny, son David Jr. and daughters Linda H. Garten and Laura W. Hilton.

1952

Bert Diker

died in September 1999 of cancer at home in Southampton, N.Y. An honors history major at Dartmouth, Bert received a degree from Harvard Business School and then served a two-year hitch in the Army. His business experience was wide-ranging and successful. He founded several textile-related companies and was asked to go to California to lead Pacific Holding Corp., a business which manufac-