

To Mrs. Harry Jellinek (Clara Gross), Sept. '46; Susan Lea; May 21.

To Mrs. Arnold N. Yanow (Helen Sternberg), Jan. '48; Scott Alan; Oct. 4.

To Mrs. Irwin D. Miller (Elaine Emmer), June '48; Steven Jesse, nephew and godson of Mrs. Allen L. Solomon (Elaine Miller), June '50; Oct. 18.

To Mrs. Herbert Yale Ehrich (Dorothy Diamond), Jan. '49; twins Marjorie and Marc; Nov. 21. ("Thanks for the NEWS each month; I await it eagerly.")

To Florence Perzell Hoffman, President of Jan. '50; Joanne Leslie; Aug. 17.

To Mrs. Allen L. Solomon (Elaine Miller), June '50; Ruth Ann, cousin of Steven Jesse Miller; Jan. 3.

To Mrs. Bernard L. Mann (Rita Staub), Jan. '51; Amy Frances; Dec. 5, in Los Angeles.

To Mrs. Norma Braun Maran, June '51; Douglas; Sept. 6.

To Mrs. Jules Whitman (Lottie Gottlieb), June '51, President of Panhellenic Assoc. and Central Sing Chairman; Claire Joann; June 11.

To Mrs. Irving Roschelle (Miriam Kostiner), Jan. '52; Marlene Patricia; Aug. 25.

To Mrs. James Shea (Peggy Beecher), June '52; Mary Beth; Sept. 21.

To Mrs. Melvin Freund (Judith Epstein), Jan. '53; Laurie Helen; May 27.

To Mrs. Sidney Brichta (Elaine Brooks), June '54; Donald Scott; Dec. 4.

### Deaths

We mourn the loss of the following:

Mrs. Warren A. Leonard (Isabel Nestelle), '87, of Old Bennington, Vt.; Oct. 12.

Willetta W. MacIntyre, '93; Oct. 23.

Alice Danaher, '11; Jan. 26.

Mrs. W. D. Barry (Mary J. McGowan), June '15, a teacher at P. S. 17 for 30 years, one of the first teachers of ungraded pupils in the city; Feb. 1.

Beatrice Gellert, Jan. '25; Aug. 8.

Mrs. Walfred Erickson (Elsa Sandvik), '25; July 17, as the result of an automobile accident.

Virginia Devlin, '41, of Miami Springs, Fla.; in New York, Nov. 6.

It is with deep regret that the Gallery Gods report the death of Carrie Coshland, a beloved loyal member of the class of 1901. In her memory we contribute \$6.00 to the Scholarship Fund.

Mattie Langenbahn      Mae Lazarus

Freda Freifeld          Sadie Lazarus

Mabel Richardson      Rita Asche

June and Jan. '25 were deeply grieved to learn of the death of Helen Rotberg and Elsa Sandvik Ericson. Helen, seriously ill for many years, was always with us in spirit. Elsa, whose death was sudden, was an active member of the class. We'll miss both girls.

SIBYLLA A. MELLOR

### IN MEMORIAM WINIFRED P. HATHAWAY

Mrs. George A. Hathaway (Winifred Phillips), '93, whose death on Dec. 1 at the age of 84 has already been announced in the NEWS, had a distinguished career. A native of Pembrokeshire, Wales, she was the holder of degrees from Radcliffe, N. Y. U., and Columbia. After serving as a Tutor in the Hunter College Department of Education from 1898 to 1905, she conducted courses for teachers at Columbia, Wayne U., and the Universities of Southern California, Chicago, Cincinnati, Hawaii, Minnesota, and Texas. Most of her work was in connection with the training of the blind. She was associated with the National Society for the Prevention of Blindness from 1916 to 1949, when she retired as Associate Director; she was a leader in the introduction of large-type textbooks and typewriters and of improved lighting fixtures, which enabled children with poor sight to receive normal educations; she was the author of many works dealing with children's sight, and worked with authorities in many American and European centers; and she was an adviser on school lighting for the Illuminating Engineering Society and the American Institute of Architects. She received two awards for her outstanding work: the Leslie Dana Gold Medal in 1937, and the Ambrose M. Shotwell Award in 1950.

### MARJORIE ANDERSON

#### A Tribute from a Colleague

On November 29 last, the English Department of the College lost its beloved chairman. Marjorie Anderson had been head of the Department since 1947; only last spring she was reelected to serve another three-year term.

Her birthday was Helen Gray Cone's — March 9. Helen Gray Cone had just retired when Marjorie Anderson first came to teach at the College in 1927.

Before coming to Hunter she had been at the Spence School in New York, and had worked as librarian in her native Sandusky, in Ohio. She had also taught at Smith College. She was a graduate of Smith, Class of '13. At the University of Chicago she took her doctorate *magna cum laude* in 1926, and she held a fellowship there.

A specialist in mediaeval literature and in the history of the English language, she wrote in collaboration with Blanche Colton Williams the *Old English Handbook*, which has been widely used in Anglo-Saxon classes since it was first published in 1935.

The scholar was admired, the woman cherished, — for her kindness, her generosity, her unwavering integrity, her friendliness and quiet charm and humor. Marjorie Anderson will be remembered by all her colleagues and former students. Her influence will long be felt, the memory of that influence held in high regard.

She was whole-heartedly devoted to teaching, and always interested in the work of the College and its Alumnae. She was known too outside the College. She had been president of the Phi Beta Kappa Alumnae in New York, had sat as a member of the Board of Managers of the Women's University Club for a number of years, and had held other offices in societies of scholars and teachers. In recognition of her work, of her writing and scholarship, of her service to the College, she was promoted to the rank of Professor in September, 1953.

Not only the English Department, but all the College mourns her loss, the loss, in Marjorie Anderson, of a friend to all Hunter.

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