College Names Honorary Degree Recipients

Trinity College will award honorary degrees May 21 to Mary Ellen Avery, M.D., professor of pediatrics at Harvard University; Ostrom Enders, retired Hartford businessman executive; president and chairman of United Technologies; Frank S. Jones, professor of urban affairs at Massachusetts Institute of Technology; and Marc Blumenthal, professor of psychology at the City University of New York.

The following notable individuals will also receive degrees:

- Robert B. O'Connor, architect and consultant
- W. Anthony Padden, M.D., director of Grenfell Association Northern Medical Services of Labrador

They will receive the honorary degrees during the afternoon commencement exercises for Trinity's 150th commencement. Bishop Kerr will deliver the traditional Baccalaureate address in the morning.

Mary Ellen Avery, who will receive the Doctor of Science degree, is both Thomas Morgan Bulch Professor of Pediatrics at Harvard University and Physician-in-Chief at Boston's Children's Hospital Medical Center. She received a B.A. degree in languages in 1946 from Wellesley (Mass.) and a M.D. degree from Johns Hopkins Hospital School of Medicine. She has served as special in child care, has served the staff of Johns Hopkins Hospital, McGill University and the Montreal Children's Hospital.

She has received honorary degrees from Harvard University, the University of Michigan and Wheaton College. A prolific writer who has written some 95 articles alone or in collaboration, together with chapters of 16 books. She is the author of "The Lung and Its Disorders in the Newborn Infant," second edition in its third edition, and is co-author of "Diagnosis of the Newborn." 

Ostrom Enders was chairman and chief executive officer of Hartford National Bank and Trust Company at his retirement in 1961, following joining the bank in 1939. A Trinity College trustee emeritus, he holds a number of directorships. Among them are the Cordell Laboratory of Ornithology, Yale Library Associates, Cool Memorial, Association Land Trust and the New York Zoological Society.

In the Hartford area he is a director of Trinity's Watkinson Library, Hartford Hospital Foundation, the Hospital Building and the Hartford National Bank.

He is a former director or trustee of the National Audubon Society, the Highland Community Chest, the Children's Museum and a benefactor of the University of Hartford. Enders is also a member of the American and the British Oriental Societies. He received the B.A. degree from Yale University in 1919. Trinity is awarding him the Doctor of Laws degree.

Harry J. Gray was elected president and chief administrative officer of United Aircraft (now United Technologies) upon joining the corporation in 1971. A year later he became chief executive officer and in 1974 assumed the additional title of chairman. Gray received a B.S. in 1941 and an M.S. in 1947 from the University of Illinois. He will receive the degree of Doctor of Laws degree from Trinity.

Prior to joining United Technologies, Gray served for 17 years in numerous executive posts with Litton Industries, including vice president and, in 1969, senior executive vice president. He also was elected to Litton's board of directors.

As a director of a number of manufacturing and financial institutions, including Citicorp and the First National City Bank of New York, the Aetna Life and Casualty Company of Hartford, the Greater Hartford Corporation, he is a member of the Executive Committee of the Greater Hartford Organization and the board of governors of the Aerospace Industries Association, the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers, and the Navy League of the United States. He is a corporator of the Hartford Hospital and of the Children's Museum.

Frank S. Jones is Ford Professor of Urban Affairs at Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He joined MIT in 1968 as executive director of its Center for Urban Affairs. Jones is an expert on urban development and planning. Formerly assistant dean and secretary to the faculty at Hartford Business School, Jones was named university in 1965. Trinity is awarding him the Doctor of Liberal Letters degree.

Among his directorships are the Bank of America, the Connecticut Insurance Corporation, Polkoid Corporation, the Hartford area, and the Hartford Academy Association and the.

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Assault Tightens Security

by Marc Blumenthal

Since Monday, May 10, 1976, all dormitory entrances have been kept locked between 1:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m. This tighter security measure comes as a result of an unexplained sexual assault upon a female student in North Campus Dormitory early Friday morning, May 7, 1976.

The decision to lock the dormitory doors overnight was made by Thomas A. Smith, vice president of the college, Alfred Sarro, director of security, J. Ronald Spencer, dean of students, and Elinor Tilles, assistant dean for college residences. The administrators had been meeting with students regarding security several days prior to the North Campus incident which sparked immediate action.

According to Spencer who was the administrator on call the night of the incident, a number of events were as follows. At approximately 1:45 a.m. Friday morning the student was in the women's bathroom on the second floor of North Campus, a young male knocked on the door and asked to use the facilities. The student told him to use the men's room on the first floor. The student left the bathroom.

The incident was somewhat ill-at-ease and first returned to her own door to be before deciding to report the man's presence to her R.A. As she walked south along the corridor past the bathroom, the perpetrator ran south and into another student's room where they locked the door and notified campus security and the Hartford police.

Spencer said that the period between late April and Commencement is particularly the most hazardous of the year, with many intruders in the dormitories. This was the reason for the security meetings in the days before the assault.

Spencer described the present situation as "unhealthy," unexplained and termed the present lock-up policy "just the beginning of the current academic year. Over the summer, he said that various proposals will be considered for tighter security with the fall.

Some of the proposals include stationing attendants in the dormitories, or installing key combination locks on doors. Costs may be prohibitive in the direction. Spencer asked the feasibility of stationing security attendants. Spencer replied that the college has always been "reluctant to put students in a security position." Spencer did say that the attendant idea "very well have to be considered." Spencer, himself, favors the combination lock proposal. He repeated that there would be a lack or be given to friends. Both Spencer and Garofolo admitted the lock-up policy to be a small investment, but worth it in terms of students' protection.

Kamber Chairs Languages

Gerald Kamber has been named professor and chairman of the Department of Modern Languages for three years, effective Sept. 1. Kamber's education includes the B.A. from Rutgers in 1950, M.A., Middlebury in 1952, Certificates in Phonetics, Philosophy and Literature from Paris and Florence in 1961 and Ph.D. from the Johns Hopkins University, 1963.

He has taught French and Italian at Goucher College, 1963-65, at Bowdoin College, 1962-69, at Reed State from 1969-72 and at SUNY, Fredonia from 1972 until the present. He has been director of summer programs in French at Harvard in 1961, 1966 and 1969.

Frank Sidney Jones, Doctor of Humane Letters

TRINITY COLLEGE
COMMENCEMENT WEEKEND
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS 1976

Saturday, May 22
3:00 p.m.
Phi Beta Kappa Meeting—
McCook Math-Physics Library
4:00 to 5:30 p.m.
Reception by the President and
Faculty for members of the
Class of 1976 and their guests—Austin Arts Center

Sunday, May 23
10:00 a.m.
Senior Formation
Baccalaureate Service
(Ferris Center in case of
inclement weather)
Mather Dining Hall will be
open for luncheon
Senior Formation
Procession
Commencement—The Quad
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Academic prizes and honors were presented Wednesday, May 12 to 71 Trinity College students including 28 from Connecticut during the 25th annual Honors Day Ceremonies at the College.

A senior English major received three awards. Michael C. Johnson of Northport, N.Y. was awarded second prizes in the John Curtis Underwood Memorial Prizes in Poetry and the Alumni Prizes in English Composition. He was also presented with a third (tie) Trinity Alumni Prize in Prose Fiction. Tied with Johnson was Theodore Hitchcock of Bloomfield, Conn., a senior in Trinity's Individualized Degree Program which permits students to tailor their own courses and work at their own pace. Hitchcock expects to graduate in 1977.

The Human Relations Award was presented jointly to senior Mildred Caraballo of Brooklyn, N.Y. and junior Mark Henrikson, Wilmington, Del. The awards are given to students for their endeavors to further the development of good human relations and understanding.

The Samuel S. Fishzhon Awards in the area of civil rights and civil liberties were shared by seniors Robert A. Gibson of New Haven, Conn. and Peter W. Jessop, Guilford, Conn., who was awarded the Jerome P. Webster, Class of 1910, Student Book Collector's Prize, was cited for his keen interest in assisting minority students to adjust to college environment. Jessop was lauded for his effective advocacy of civil rights of the Hartford Puerto Rican community.

The Fishzhon Awards for Community service were presented to seniors Marsha Cohen, Northampton, Mass. and Gino A. Barra of New York City. Cohen was cited for her extensive community work in the area of sex role stereotyping, particularly in children's literature. Barra received the award for his efforts on behalf of the Big Brother organization, where he served as case worker and staff recruiter. The awards were established in 1966 in memory of Samuel S. Fishzhon, a prominent figure in social work and welfare.

Other awards and prizes were given in chemistry, drama, biology, art history, art, economics, engineering, Spanish, French, education, government, Greek, literature, music, poetry, Italian, public speaking, mathematics and music.

### Honorary Degrees

Other works by O'Connor are the N.Y. Stock Exchange where he served as construction architect for the N.Y. City Union League Club, as well as museum building for the University of Louisville, Ballard College, Princeton and the International Christian University in Tokyo.

W. Anthony Paddon received the B.S. from Trinity College in 1958 and the M.S. from the State University of New York College of Medicine in 1940. In 1952, London University awarded him the D.D. Long Island University of Medicine presented him with the Franco-American Fund for distinguished medical service in 1975. Trinity is conferring the Doctor of Letters degree on Paddon.

R. Pressey is Director of General Northern Medical College.

### Students Receive Awards

Honorary on a reception at May 5 were four Trinity College staff members who are retiring. The familiar faces above (1/2) are Miss Doris Merwin, retiring after 42 years of service; Mrs. Edith L. Pratt, 16 years; Mrs. Helene S. Balan, 7 years; and Mr. Alphonso A. Perrenay, 13 years. President Lockwood made the presentations.

### Congratulations and Best of Luck to the Class of 1976 from the TRIPOD

Three faculty members who have each taught at Trinity for 25 years were presented college chairs by President Lockwood at a reception last week in Hamlin Dining Hall. From the left are Dr. August Sapega, professor of engineering; Robert D. Slaughter, associate professor of physical education; and Dr. Walter J. Kilicmaz, professor of mathematics.

### News Notes

TCGC gives Benches

Earlier this month, the Trinity College Girl's Club (TCGC) donated three benches for Quad use, which are located in front of the Chapel, midway of the Long Walk, and in front of the Chemistry Building. According to Lucy Mayhew, President of TCGC, "The benches are made out of concrete and redwood, and are very durable. They do not have back rests allowing people to sit on the benches from either side."

The Trinity College Girl's Club, organized in 1971, raises funds each year for gifts to the College and the Community. Last year's gift to the College was a donation of $500 to the Library. This purchase of benches represents a tangible investment by the Trinity College Girl's Club, and Mysticstrail.

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By the time Dorothy became aware of her predicament, the conscience-ridden exercises had long since ended. It was sunset, but the cold wind was still filled with empty wooden chairs, crumpled-up programs, and other assorted remnants of the seniors' special day. As Dorothy looked over the lonely scene, she began to cry. "Oh my God," she sobbed to herself. "How am I ever going to get home now?"

Suddenly two black dogs trotted up to the giant elm tree where Dorothy was sitting. One of them was a small and handsome pup; the other one was bigger, scraggier, and generally very ugly.

"Hello. My name is Bobbo," said the latter. "This is my friend Ranvier. We couldn't help overhearing your sobs. But don't be worried. You have always had the power to go home from college."

"You're kidding!"

"No," Dorothy replied Bobbo. "The power was right there within you all the time. The important thing was that you learn it for yourself, without anybody else's help."

"That have you learned?" asked Bobbo.

"Well," said Dorothy. "I learn all about the social stratification of T.V. dinners, and in Biology I learned that the spaces between adjacent Schwann cells are called nodes of Ranvier. Wait a minute! Is it...? Could it be that I should never have come to college in the first place?"

"You've got it, Dorothy!" barked the two dogs. "You've got it!"

"Are you ready to go now?"

"Yes," replied Dorothy. "I'm ready."

"O.K. All you have to do is close your eyes, click your Trottors together three times, and repeat after me: 'I shouldn't have come here. I shouldn't have come here in the first place... ."
Tennis Hammers Wesleyan

by John Gillespie

In an informal ceremony in the Tannasi Room of the Ferris Athletic Center, the recipients of five athletic awards were announced and presented with their gifts. Mrs. Fred Lockwood made the presentations before about thirty coaches, students, and parents.

Hobo Porter received the Blanket Award — a blue and gold Trinity blanket, and only the 10th to be presented since the first one in 1922. The award is presented to any athlete who earns nine varsity letters while at Trinity. Porter's collection of two letters (three each in soccer and squash, two each in tennis and track) is unsurpassed in the history of the college to date.

The second presentation was the Eastern Award, going to a non-student selected by the full-time staff of the athletic department for contribution to the department. New Haven resident Roy Montgomery was the recipient.

Don Bauer received the ECAC Scholar-Athlete Award. Bauer is the senior who has been most outstanding in scholarship and athletics. Bauer's 10.02 academic average, combined with the achievements of the varsity letter and the position of co-captain of the indoor track team made him a very deserving choice.

The Larry Silver class of '91 Award was given to Bob Williams by a contribution to the athletic department was presented to Karen Mapp. She founded the women's tennis program in 1974. While the final score was 19-9, it was short-lived as Williams got that one back on a very deft and Andy Vermilye had their final score was 19-9, it was short-lived as Williams got that one back on a very deft and Andy Vermilye had their

Women Laxers Whip Williams 19-9

by Susan Eckles

The varsity girls' lacrosse team defeated Wesleyan 19-9 in a very close game. In the first half, the teams alternately scored goals. Williams had one more. In the second half, Wesleyan played well and finished with a 9-8 score. The junior varsity team lost to Wesleyan 8-1 as our only defeat was to Yale 9-8. The senior varsity was undefeated with a 4-0-1 record as they tied Brown.

The scoring was evenly divided among the offense as both Eckles and Williams scored 3. Poole and Spitz added 2 apiece, and Hayden got her third goal.

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by J. D. Newcombe

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Trinity's only loss was in the doubles. Doubles specialists Jon Porter and Bob Purcell have played well all year. The first set and already smelled a victory. We were looking to the junior varsity trio of Eckles, Brown, and Bostwick was unrelenting. And while the final score was 19-9, it was not an easy game.

Williams was a good, solid team that kept pressing, and though we had a comfortable lead in the second half, we had to be constantly wary of their speed and ability to score. It was a win we all believe we were right. A few of us on the team had already talked to him before he wrote his comments and explained how we were unaware of just how un-skilled Smith was and as usual only dressed two substitutes. Robin Sheppard did play those subs and would have played more if she knew Smith's inferiority.

But the "Dia" did not tell you this, nor how we talked at halftime of switching offense and defense, but decided it would be more humiliating to Smith to obviously fool around. Whether or not this is a correct decision is up to the I believe we were right.

We clearly understand the "Dia's" point and even agree with him in principle. If we had realized Smith's ability, we would definitely have dressed more junior varsity players and played them, but this was not the case. I do not believe we were unpardonable and anyone who comes to our games would see this. I regret that the commentary was placed after our article for while we does mention the men's victory of 18-2 (but does not record their score), it implies we are the guilty ones.

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