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This year is reunion!

Cynthia Huggins has been named acting vice president for academic affairs at the University of Maine-Machias. An associate professor of English, she is one of only two Americans appointed to the editorial board of *Bronte Studies*, a journal published by the Bronte Society in Haworth, England. ■ **Cecily Nelms Jarvis** is a vice president with Merrill Lynch's private client division in Stuart, Fla.

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Next reunion in 2004

Laurie Cooley Bentley lives in Tampa, Fla., and is a computer teacher at The Cambridge School. ■ **Leigh Coulter**, a financial planner for AXA Financial Corporation in Fort Lauderdale, Fla., and a U.S. Army Reservist, has been on active duty as commanding officer of the 724th Military Police Battalion stationed in Arifjan, Kuwait. ■ **ADOPTION:** Kevin and **Edie Moore McGee**, a daughter, Madeline An An McGee, born in Qinzhou, Guangxi, China, on February 22, 2002; adopted April 1, 2003. Edie is an attorney with the U.S. Merit Systems Protection Board. They live in Millersville, Md.

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Barbara Griffin of Holland, Mich., has received Certified Investment Management Analyst designation through the Investment Management Consultants Association after completing coursework at the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania. ■ **Michael McLain**, president and CEO of Aearo Co. of Indianapolis, Ind., has been elected vice chair of the board of trustees of the International Safety Equipment Association, the leading trade association for manufacturers of such equipment. ■ **George Singleton**, who teaches creative writing at the South Carolina Governor's

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The Alumni Association Board of Directors, which represents the opinions, needs and interests of alumni to the Furman administration, will welcome four new members to its ranks for 2003-04.

Elected earlier this summer to five-year terms in voting by the Alumni Association were William A. Lampley '41 of Hendersonville, N.C., H. Furman Cantrell '61 of Piedmont, S.C., Clare Folio Morris '83 of Columbia, S.C., and J. Chris Brown '89 of Greenville.

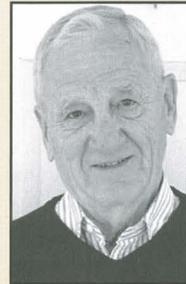
Because the balloting was so close this year, and because there are still openings for individuals to complete unexpired terms, the executive committee of the board is likely, in the near future, to invite one or more of the other candidates in this year's election to fill the open positions.

Among the newly elected members, Bill Lampley is a retired surgeon who holds a medical degree from the University of Maryland and did additional graduate work at the University of Pennsylvania. Active in medical associations and the Kiwanis Club, he is a three-time reunion chair for the Class of '41.

The aptly named Furman Cantrell is director of microbiology (research and development) for Daiichi Pharmaceuticals and is a leading lecturer about healthcare issues. He has served Furman as a head agent and as chair of the Presidents Club, and he is a former Class Agent of the Year.

Clare Morris is communications director and university liaison for the South Carolina Department of Commerce. She was press secretary and media aide to South Carolina governor Mark Sanford '83 during his three terms in Congress in the late 1990s. She chairs the 20th reunion committee for the Class of '83 and is a longtime class agent.

Chris Brown, an attorney with Babb & Brown, P.C., was named one of Greenville's "Best and Brightest" for 2002 by *Greenville Magazine*. Active in the Young Alumni Council and Paladin Club, he has been



Lampley



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Brown

a class agent and serves as fraternity advisor for Sigma Chi. In 2001 he was named Student Organization Advisor of the Year.

While the board is delighted to welcome these new members, it must say goodbye to five alumni who have completed their terms and served the university well. We extend special thanks to Bret Clark '88 of Newberry, S.C., Julia Meeks Glenn '63 of Vienna, Va., Rebecca Pullin Kay '86 of Mount Pleasant, S.C., Robert E. Poerschke '41 of Wake Forest, N.C., and Ronald L. Walker '84 of Lexington, Ky., for volunteering their time and talents for the betterment of alma mater.

We extend our thanks as well to everyone who took the time to cast their ballot. Through direct election, you help to choose an active and energetic board that consistently does a great job of promoting the Furman message.

— **Pam Underwood Thomason '76**
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