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## ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION BEING FORMED

FIRST ANNUAL MEETING SET FOR SEPT. 9, 1965

Sparked by the interest and enthusiasm resulting from our recent capital funds campaign, plans are truly under-way at last for a general Alumnae Association of the Buffalo Seminary - an association whose members will be all those who have attended the school for a semester or more as well as the faculty, past and present.

This general alumnae association will be independent of and will not conflict with the interests and activities of The Graduates' Association.

### BY-LAWS PREPARED

Your steering committee has met three times. We have prepared by-laws, which are now in the hands of a lawyer; they will be presented for your approval at the first annual meeting of the association on Thursday, September 9, 1965. Possible projects and activities will also be proposed at that time. The by-laws and the slate for the Board of Directors and the 1965-1966 Nominating Committee will be mailed to you with the annual meeting notice in August.

Chairmen, pro-tem, who will serve until the regular elections at the annual meeting are as follows:

General Chairman - Mrs. George W. Fisk

Chairman, Nominating Committee - Mrs. George C. Hamberger

Chairman, Projects - Mrs. William P. Stewart

Chairman, By-laws - Mrs. George Greenberger

### SEND IN SUGGESTIONS

The steering committee will welcome your thoughts and suggestions, whatever they be: by-laws, names for the Board of Directors and new nominating committee to be elected, projects, etc. Send your ideas to the chairman of the committee involved.

The nominating committee will be meeting in late May or early June to draw up a slate. Give your suggestions for the Board of Directors or the new nominating committee by letter or phone to Mrs. George C. Hamberger (Sue Woodworth '38), 28 Arbour Lane, Buffalo, 14220, TA 3-0028 or any of the following members of her committee:

Miss Dorothy W. Abbott, 38 Lincoln Pkwy., Buffalo 14222, TT 5-5961

Mrs. Thomas A. Jebb (Mary Truscott '47), 150 Highland Ave., Buffalo 14222, TT 5-1720

Mrs. Carl N. Reed (Margaret Barcalo '19), 123 Nottingham Ter., Buffalo, 14216, 877-2018

Mrs. Lockwood Rianhard, Jr. (Mary Elizabeth Wurst '56), 194 Voorhees Ave., Buffalo, 14214, 837-3267.

### FORWARD STEP

This can be a significant forward step in the history of the Seminary - meaningful and richly rewarding, not only to the school, but to us, the alumnae as individuals.

Your Steering Committee:

Elizabeth Doran Fisk '28

Dorothy Martin Foster '14

Evelyn Devine Stewart of '26

Luella Harder '57

Madeleine Breinig Reid '33 *ex officio*

Jane Reed Cole '45

Jane Guggenheimer Greenberger '29



### Message From Richard W. Davis, Headmaster

The exciting announcement of the formation of a general alumnae association takes precedence over all other school news this spring. It is no hardship, therefore, to limit my remarks to two. The first is to pledge my full support to the alumnae association and to express my enthusiasm for its purposes and ideas. Since my introduction to the Seminary six years ago I have been forcibly struck by the loyalty and affection of her alumnae. The new association will supplement the constant and effective efforts of the Graduates' Association to give direction and purpose to that loyalty.

My other remark is relative to the position of alumnae secretary. It is my great pleasure to announce the appointment to this office of Mrs. John Reid, whose long association with the school in many capacities, but most recently as a Trustee and coordinator in the Development Fund drive, fits her ideally for the position. Mrs. Reid replaces Mrs. William Stewart whose teaching duties have grown simultaneously with the increase in alumnae activity. Mrs. Stewart will devote herself entirely to speech and drama instruction.