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# **Commencement 1984**

Outside, the temperature soared near the 100 mark; inside the building it was somewhat cooler but the weather didn't seem to wilt the enthusiasm of the occupants as more than 1000 Suffolk students received degrees from the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, School of Management and Law School at separate exercises June 10 at Hynes Auditorium.

At the law school exercises, juris doctor recipients heard Washington, D.C. trial lawyer Jacob Stein implore them to battle injustice if they wanted to be true lawyers. Some 424 graduates, including a few with babes in arms, received their degrees. President Daniel H. Perlman conferred honorary doctor of laws degrees on Stein, the special prosecutor in the investigation of Edwin Meese, President Reagan's designate for attorney general, Sen. Paul E. Tsongas, Supreme Judicial Court Justice Paul J. Liacos, and John F. Dunn, chairman of the Massachusetts Board of Bar Examiners.

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TSONGAS CITED—U.S. Sen. Paul E. Tsongas is awarded a doctor of laws degree at Law School commencement exercises.



ARCHBISHOP BERNARD F. LAW received honorary doctor of humane letters degree at CLAS/SOM commencement exercises.

# Beacon Hill Civic Association Won't Oppose Ridgeway Project

The board of directors of the Beacon Hill Civic Association (BHCA) has voted 13-5 to rescind its opposition to the proposed student activities center at 148 Cambridge Street, between Hancock Street and Ridgeway Lane.

The board took the action at its meeting on June 14, following extensive discussions on the size, design and use of the building. The action reversed the BHCA vote of February 7 opposing the proposed building. The City's Zoning Board of Appeals has given its approval to the zoning variances requested by the University for the 4-1/2 story student services building.

The building is designed to enhance student life at Suffolk University. It will house a gymnasium, with locker and shower facilities, a bookstore and student activities offices.

Recent modifications approved by the University and the Civic Association include revisions in the design of the building's exterior and agreement on various conditions of use of the building. These conditions include agreement not to host post-season tournament basketball games, no lateevening events, and no interference with the quiet of the nearby residential community.

"We are very pleased by the board's decision," said President Perlman. "The architect, Jim McNeely, was able to make a number of modifications to accommodate community concerns and to make it a more attractive building and more appropriate for its site. The decision reflects the spirit of cooperation, patience and reason of the officers of the Civic Association."

Under the modifications, the building will be reduced in height from 65 to 58 feet, and the wall on the Ridgeway Lane side will be reduced from 73 to 48 feet by moving the elevator headhouse to the Hancock Street elevation. The building will be set back one foot from the property line on Ridgeway Lane, two feet from the property line on the first 66 feet of Hancock Street and five feet from the property line on the upper 26 feet. The building will contain approximately 44,114 square feet of space.





# President's Corner

(The following remarks were delivered by President Daniel H. Perlman at the Summa dinner for honorary degree recipients and Summa members June 9 at the Parker House Roof Ballroom.)

First of all, I want to welcome those special guests, our honorary degree recipients, who, at our Commencements will honor Suffolk University by joining the ranks of our alumni, thus linking their names and, indirectly, their distinguished achievements with the enterprise of this University.

And, with equal enthusiasm and appreciation, I welcome back to these festivities those who convened with us 12 short and busy months ago as the founding members of Summa—and those of you, new to Summa and to this occasion, who have caused us to set a greater number of tables for our festivities this year. May you return again and again, and may we be obliged to reserve ever increasing amounts of space for your growing numbers.

Those of you who will become honorary members of the Class of 1984 may want to know something about your classmates. Of the 1,015 students who will receive degrees, 424 will earn the doctor of jurisprudence degree from the Law School, 238 will graduate from the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences and 353 from the School of Management. Reflecting the social changes which have occurred in our society over the last 10 or 15 years, women represent 41 percent of the graduating class in the Law School and 35 percent of the graduates of the School of Management. Two hundred students will receive graduate degrees in management, public administration and education. Twenty-one are international students from such diverse countries as Lebanon, Nigeria, the Cameroons, Ethiopia, Cuba, Peru and Venezuela. The majority are from New England but 18 other states are also represented. Those who are completing graduate study received their undergraduate preparation at 188 colleges and universities.

The students who will receive their diplomas range in age from 20 to 73. The latter is a widow, Beatrice Cassidy of Wakefield, who worked as a secretary for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services during the day while studying business administration at Suffolk at night. She is the l0th person to graduate under our program of waiving tuition for senior citizens. Our students come from a very wide variety of social and economic backgrounds. Nearly all of them have worked to help support the cost of their education while attending school, and many have helped support their families as well.

Almost 40 percent of those graduating will have earned their degree the hard way, working full-time and pursuing their academic studies part-time in the evening or on weekends. For these students, especially, commencement is no empty ceremony. It represents years of dedication, commitment, hard work and achievement.

They and we have much to celebrate in this Orwellian-labelled year. This is the jubilee year, the 50th anniversary of the founding of Suffolk University's College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. If we in 1984 are acutely aware of the need for fortitude and resolution throughout society, think of the courage it took to expand the purpose of the University and to found a college in a year when unemployment stood at about 22 percent nationwide—and at as much as 40 percent in the neighborhoods of this city.

Our University historian, Professor David Robbins, tells me that the first class of 14 students in the College vanished without a trace at the end of the freshman year, something like the lost colony of Roanoke. Nevertheless, undergraduate education did take root on rocky Beacon Hill. Today, nearly 10,000 men and women hold degrees from the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences of Suffolk University, 9,000 from the School of Management, which was founded three years later, and over 12,000 from the Law School, which first opened its doors in 1906.

It seems to me that this anniversary gives us occasion to reflect on our American commitment to the idea that the opportunity for education is both birthright and obligation. Our oldest colleges and universities, indeed, our oldest secondary schools, antedate not only the founding of the Republic, but even the vision that it might come to be. That a strong and prosperous people must be literate beyond the rudiments of primary schooling was implicit in the public and private lives of the founding fathers. It takes no great leap of the imagination to associate Benjamin Franklin's involvement with the University of Pennsylvania with his own youthful good fortune in having passed stiff requirements for entry into the Boston Latin School, the oldest free academy in colonial North America. Thomas Jefferson wrote, with an asperity unusual in our first Olympian, that, "If a nation expects to be ignorant and free, in a state of civilization, it expects what never was and never will be." Little wonder, then, that we can chart the westward expansion of these United States across Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and beyond by the founding dates and locations of colleges and universities, public and private.

For the most part, our colleges and universities have proven to be the most enduring and hopeful of our secular institutions. In eras of national confusion, they have withstood knownothings and demagogues without loss of integrity or dignity. They have renewed and expanded American education at every level by producing our teachers and scholars. They are the principal source of our public servants, both elective and appointive, again, at every level. They enlarge membership in the professions and monitor the guality of preparation of professional



life, better to serve the people. More and more they are perceived as producing future leaders for commerce and industry. While we may not know the total number of American men and women who have earned degrees during the past two centuries, it is fair to say that hundreds of thousands of Americans have been assisted to greater achievement and more satisfying lives by American higher education. All that might be said in general about the value of colleges and universities is most emphatically true of Suffolk University, which has made higher education available to students solely on the basis of their ability and without regard to social class or station over the 78 years of its history.

If the plurality of opportunity in higher education is, as I believe, one of our most glorious national resources, then flagship rank belongs to the private sector that has proclaimed, and sustained by philanthropy, the Scottish covenant: "There shall be education in this land." There is no one in this room who has not, in one way or another, subscribed to that proclamation. In doing so, we together obey an even older injunction, issued by the great philosopher Moses Maimonides eight centuries ago, Anticipate charity," he said, "by preventing poverty ... This is the highest step and the summit of charity's golden ladder."



MAKING TRUSTEESHIP OFFICIAL— Newly elected University Trustee Thomas M. Mawn, Jr. was officially sworn in as a member of the board at the June 10 commencement. He had been voted in at the previous meeting. Doing the traditional honors is trustee Judge Lawrence L. Cameron.

# Mawn Elected to Board of Trustees

Atty. Thomas M. Mawn, Jr. of the Woburn law firm of Mawn and Mawn, P.C. has been elected a member of the Board of Trustees of Suffolk University, Board Chairman John S. Howe has announced.

Mawn, a 1965 graduate of Suffolk

# Disney World Lures Suffolk Interns

Mickey, Donald and all the gang at Florida's Disney World will be joined this summer and fall by 10 Suffolk University student interns who will work at the famous vacationland and take part in their Walt Disney World College Program for classroom credit.

According to Charles Bognanni of Career Planning and Placement, the students will be working in a variety of positions including tour guides, hosts/ hostesses and sales positions.

Disney World representatives were on campus March 12 and interviewed 20 students. "Thirteen were invited to take part in the program and 10 accepted," said Bognanni. "It was Disney World's first visit to Suffolk and we are pleased that so many were chosen out of the approximately 400 selected from schools throughout the nation."

The summer interns are Kathleen Davies, Paul DiPronio, Nancy Jakul, Robert Dicesare, Laura Fennell and Susan Taylor. Fall interns will be Linda O'Callaghan, Louise Myers, Christine Beatrice and David Howard.

## —And London Internships Available in '85

Government's John Berg has announced that beginning with the spring semester of 1985, Suffolk University students will be eligible to enroll in government internships in London. University Law School, was elected to a five-year term at the June meeting of the board. He was sworn in by Justice Lawrence L. Cameron, a Suffolk trustee, prior to the June 10 commencement. Mawn's daughter, Mary Beth, was among the graduates of the Law School.

Mawn was graduated from Northeastern University with a B.A. in economics. Before graduation from law school he was a supervisory revenue agent for the Internal Revenue Service. He is a licensed public accountant by the Commonwealth and a member of the Massachusetts Bar.

In addition to a law practice in Woburn, he has lectured on taxation, estate planning and valuation of closely held corporations at New England School of Law. He is a member of the Boston College Estate Planning Council and Continuing Education of Internal Revenue Agents.

Mawn is a trustee of Woburn Public Library, a director of the Woburn Bank & Trust Co. and chairman of the board of Choate-Symmes Health Services, Inc.

He makes his home in Woburn with his wife, the former Dorothy Allen of Lowell. They have seven children, Thomas, 29; Russell, 28; Catherine, 27; Mary Beth, 24; Martha, 21; Lawrence, 19; and Nancy, 17.

The internships will provide one semester of academic credit at an approximate cost of \$3000 plus transportation. They will be open to juniors of any major, and will include positions as assistants to members of both British and European parliaments. Placement and supervision will be provided by Educational Programs Abroad of Tarrytown, N.Y.

Interested students should apply to Prof. Berg, Sawyer 1220, with orientation programs scheduled for the fall. O





# **1984 Honorary Degree Recipients**

### **Edward F. McDonnell**

President of Seagram International of New York City. Since your student days at Suffolk University a guarter of a century ago, you have pursued an enviable career in corporate enterprises. In this chaotic world when one's perspectives are too often blurred, your seasoned judgments and sense of values as a major executive with such corporations as the Raytheon Company, General Foods Corporation, and Pillsbury Company reveal extraordinary qualities of leadership. At the same time, you have been continually active in community affairs and have devoted valuable time to civic and social organizations. Your alma mater wishes to recognize your achievements and the conscientious service you have displayed. By virtue of the authority delegated to me, I confer on you the honorary degree Doctor of Commercial Science.

### **Bernard F. Law**

Distinguished religious leader, eloquent preacher of the Gospel, and faithful guardian of your church's heritage, you have brought inspiration to the lives of countless people and have manifested practical Christianity in all your actions. As the newly appointed Archbishop of the Diocese of Boston, vou come to us after an illustrious career as a champion of religious ecumenism lending unflagging support and clearvisioned leadership to your fellowman. Your efforts have succeeded in developing better relations and understanding among various faiths in the United States. You have also been a friend to scholarship and learning and have ever been ready to counsel and guide youth in their formative years. Rejoicing in your exemplary achievements and grateful for your moral vision so sorely needed in our secular age, Suffolk University is eager to number you among her honorary alumni. By virtue of the authority delegated to me, I confer on you the honorary degree Doctor of Humane Letters.

### Colin M. Marshall

Chief Executive Officer of British Airways, who has risen from a Cadet

Purser with the Orient Steam Navigation Company to high executive positions with the Hertz Corporation, Avis, Inc., Norton Simon, Inc., and now with British Airways, you have demonstrated vigorous leadership in the enterprise which you now head. Fully conscious of the social and economic problems which can affect our welfare. you have worked to establish stronger ties between your organization and the countless thousands of citizens affected by it. Your work has shown how international business can strengthen the bonds between peoples and help to unify the countries of the world. Your untiring service on behalf of the community is eloquent testimonial that your many executive positions have not exhausted your energies. Suffolk University is honored to recognize your accomplishments which have established you as a constant promoter of merit and an international citizen always solicitous for the public welfare. By virtue of the authority delegated to me, I confer on you the honorary degree Doctor of Humane Letters.

### Michael L. Linquata

Dedicated alumnus of Suffolk University and former member of its Board of Trustees, you have combined your business acumen with service to cultural and humanitarian causes in your native city of Gloucester. You have never allowed yourself to forget the needs of your alma mater. As president of your class in 1950, as an active member of the Alumni Association, as General Chairman of the Annual Fund for the Colleges, and as Chairman of the building committee planning the renovation of the Frank Sawyer Building you have proved your ability as an administrator, and have served Suffolk University as diligently and successfully as you have served your community. As a tribute to your competence and notable accomplishments, and by virtue of the authority delegated to me, I confer on you the honorary degree Doctor of Commercial Science.

### Jacob A. Stein

Accomplished trial advocate in both civil and criminal matters; celebrated author of numerous books and articles on trial practice, torts, and damages; legal educator specializing in problems of trial practice and evidence—your reputation as one of America's most able and respected trial lawyers continues to grow.

A graduate of George Washington University Law School, admitted to practice in the District of Columbia in 1948, you are a partner in the Washington law firm of Stein, Mitchell, and Mezines. President of the District of Columbia Bar Association from 1982 to 1983, you have always found time to serve the legal profession and the courts in a wide variety of educational and advisory capacities.

Most recently, your stature at the bar was further demonstrated by your unanimous selection by a three judge federal panel to serve as Special Prosecutor to investigate all charges raised against Presidential Counselor Edwin Meese, President Reagan's nominee for Attorney General.

Suffolk University Law School is most pleased today to honor you, one of the nation's foremost trial attorneys, for your many outstanding accomplishments in the practice of law, for your innumerable contributions to the legal profession, and for your willingness to assume great public responsibilities at personal sacrifice in order to vindicate the highest ideals of public service of the legal profession.

By virtue of the authority delegated to me, I confer upon you the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Laws.

### John F. Dunn

Distinguished trial attorney in Massachusetts, justly renowned for your mastery of the trial of medical malpractice actions, you have for the past half century established the highest standards of trial performance for all lawyers to emulate.

Graduate of Boston College, Class of 1930, and the Boston University Law School, Class of 1934; naval veteran of World War II; long-time member of the American College of Trial Lawyers, your outstanding knowledge and consummate skill in the law have been recognized by the Supreme Judicial Court in your repeated appointments to serve as a member of the Massachusetts Board of Bar Examiners since 1971. In the faithful discharge of your duties as a member of the Massachusetts Board of



Bar Examiners in developing, administering, and grading the Massachusetts Bar Examination, and now as Chairman of the Massachusetts Board of Bar Examiners, you have effectively combined humaneness, sympathy, and understanding in your relationship with all applicants for admission to the Massachusetts Bar with rigorous maintenance of the highest professional standards.

Suffolk University Law School is proud to honor you today for a half-century of accomplishments as an active trial attorney, for your years of dedicated service as a member of the Massachusetts Board of Bar Examiners, and for your preeminent personal characteristics of civility and compassion which have endeared you to generations of lawyers in Massachusetts.

By virtue of the authority delegated to me, I confer upon you the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Laws.

### Paul E. Tsongas

Fearless, independent, and conscientious United States Senator from Massachusetts, your brilliant career of public service to your city, country, state and nation has been constantly exemplified by your firm and unwavering commitment to the highest ideals of personal honor and intellectual integrity.

As a city councillor in your home city of Lowell, as county commissioner in Middlesex County, as Assistant Attorney General for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, as a member of Congress from the fifth Massachusetts district, and as a United States Senator from Massachusetts, you have always demonstrated by your words and your actions an uncommon dedication to the promotion of the public interest.

Your outspoken, unwillingness to be categorized under the traditional political labels, your shattering of popular ideological myths in American Politics; and your clear-eyed vision of the shape and direction of sound public policy in the years ahead, have earned for you a well-deserved reputation as a respected advocate for peace, progress, and social justice at home and abroad.

From your days as a Peace Corps



LAW SCHOOL HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENTS—(1-r) Standing: John S. Howe, chairman of the board of trustees, Senator Paul E. Tsongas. Seated: Justice Paul J. Liacos of the Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court, President Perlman, Washington, D.C. trial lawyer Jacob Stein, and Atty. John F. Dunn, chairman of the Massachusetts Board of Bar Examiners.

volunteer in Ethiopia to your present service as a member of the United States Senate Foreign Relations Committee, you have never wavered in your idealism and faith that through sound governmental policies and programs, tomorrow can usher in a better day for all Americans and for the people of the world.

As you prepare to leave public service at the end of this year, Suffolk University Law School is most pleased to honor you for your outstanding record of public accomplishments and to join with the citizens of Massachusetts in the fervent hope that as you enter upon a new phase of your life your voice may continue to be heard for many long years to come on behalf of the principles, ideals and values to which your life has been so richly committed.

By virtue of the authority delegated to me, I confer upon you the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Laws.

### Paul J. Liacos

Learned, compassionate, and courageous jurist, zealously committed to the judicial protection of the civil rights and liberties of all of our people -your labors as Associate Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court have gained for you the deep respect and profound admiration of the legal profession and the undying gratitude of your fellow citizens. A magna cum laude graduate of the Boston University Law School in 1952, with a Master of Laws degree from Harvard University Law School in 1954, you served your country honorably and well as a First Lieutenant in the Judge Advocate General Corps of the United States Air Force on active duty from 1953-1956 and later as a Captain in the United States Air Force Reserve from 1956-1965.

For twenty years, from 1956-1976, you were Professor of Law at the Boston University Law School specializing in the teaching of legal evidence. During this time, you revised and authored what has come to be acknowledged as the leading and indispensable textbook on The Problems of Evidence in Massachusetts—The Handbook of Massachusetts Evidence.

Throughout your long career as a practicing lawyer and teacher of law you have given unselfishly of your time and efforts and have been actively involved in a wide variety of civic, community, and professional activities.

Since your appointment as Associate Justice of the Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court in 1976, you have consistently manifested in your legal opinions a complete mastery of the law. an abiding awareness of the frailties of human nature, and a keen recognition of the progressive role of the law in perfecting human institutions and creating a better society for all our people. Above all, you have repeatedly demonstrated uncommon courage by your willingness to dissent, even if necessary standing alone in vigorous and trenchant disagreement with your colleagues, when in your judgment justice and equity required such action.

Suffolk University Law School proudly salutes you today for the outstanding qualities of mind and spirit which you have brought to the discharge of your judicial duties and joins with the Massachusetts legal profession in wishing for you many more productive and fruitful years of service on the Supreme Judicial Court.

By virtue of the authority delegated to me, I confer upon you the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Laws.

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After a series of severe heart attacks, Education's TOM STEFANEY has made remarkable progress. He's still confined to Mass. General Hospital, but at this writing, he's feeling a lot better. Another member of the faculty, Law Prof. AL CELLA is on the mend after surgery at Mass. General ... A wedding with a definite Suffolk tinge to it was that of PHYLLIS PESCE, office coordinator in the CLAS/SOM Registrar's Office. She married CARMEN ADDARIO, BSBA'83. in St. Anthony's Church, Revere. The wedding party included STACEY **BELMONTE of CLAS/SOM Admissions;** MARY PEDRAZZI, Class of '83; ARTHUR BRUCE, '83; student FLORENCE D'AMICO: SCOTT SOLOMBRINO, '82: and Phyllis' brother, FRANK PESCE, a recent June graduate ... Among travelers to Europe were LESLIE MULFORD, secretary to Vice President FLANNERY, and Budget Analyst MAUREEN DOOLEY, who celebrated her MBA with a tour of Vienna, Rome, Paris and Budapest ... Law Prof. AL BRODY addressed a symposium sponsored by the Maine Lung Association at the Augusta Civic Center in Augusta, Maine, on "Legal Issues on Corporation Smoking Policies ... "DIANE RUDNICK, executive assistant to the President, has been named to the Governor's Task Force on Higher Education for 1984-85. She's also been appointed to a threeyear term on the National Long Range Planning Committee of the American Society for Engineering Education ... MIDGE WILCKE of IMC has been elected to the steering committee of the **Boston Education Consortium for Cable** Television and will co-chair the Public Institutional Network Sub-Committee ... ANN HARGRAVES of Career Planning and Placement Center has been selected to coordinate the placement center for the 1985 American **College Personnel Association national** convention in the Hub, which will attract some 3000 guests ... Prof. JOHN

SULLIVAN of Sociology was a U.S. Navy guest at the Pacific Missile Test Center in Point Mugu, Calif. where he presented a paper, "Human Factors Methods and the Air Traffic Control Professional .... The Quincy Bar Association has named Rep. TOM BROWNELL, "Man of the Year." Brownell, a lecturer in government, has two degrees from Suffolk, a B.S. and J.D. He received the award at the bar association's annual dinner meeting ... Public Management's DON LEVITAN addressed the Suffolk University College Alumni Club of Washington, D.C. at a reception in April ... Profs. TOM O'HARA and DEMIR YENER of Finance delivered a paper at the 20th annual meeting of the Eastern Finance Association in Orlando, Fla. The topic: "Building a Better Performing Portfolio Using the Value Line Rankings ....' SOM's BEN DIAMOND assumed the presidency of the North Atlantic Region **Business Law Association Conference** after coordinating activities for the conference hosted by Suffolk. Dean RICHARD L. McDOWELL was dinner speaker at the conference which attracted scores of members, including those from area business schools and representatives from Ohio State and University of Texas ... English's MARILYN JURICH had her poem "Still Another Definition of Poetry" published in the Winter, 1984 edition of Mythlore 37 ... Journalism Lecturer JIM CORNELL reminds us that Suffolk grad LIZ GERRARINI is making her mark in the field, notably with computer effort, Confessions of an Infomaniac (75,000 first printing) ... From the Learning Resource Center comes word that SUSAN CLARK THAYER has been invited to be a member of the 1984 New England Kindergarten Committee and will chair the Professional Standards and Ethics Committee for the Learning Assistance Association of New England. **KEVIN LYONS** has been elected to the board of directors of the Greater Boston Council of the International Reading Association and MARY McLAUGHLIN, receptionist and secretary, has been awarded her B.A. in sociology with honors from UMass/Boston ... Over Memorial Day weekend, the Biology Department opened the doors to the Friedman Field Station on Cobscook Bay with a field experience for eight students from the Peter Faneuil School on Beacon Hill, which attracts collegeoriented juniors and seniors from all

parts of the Boston Public School system. PETER BURN of Biology and CARL MERRILL, coordinator of programs at the station introduced students to beauty and attractions of the area, including marine life. A visit to Campobello Island and Franklin Roosevelt's summer cottage capped off the weekend ... Make this change in your Suffolk department directory. Personnel is moving to the l2th floor at 11 Beacon St. to make way for the expansion of the Data Processing area and new computers. And also moving up to the l2th floor from 7th floor at 11 Beacon is MIKE RUBINO, director of institutional research under Title III .... Public Management's FRAN BURKE, whose been assiduously putting together a 100th centennial observance for Eleanor Roosevelt, has been asked to chair the American Society for Public Administration's Committee on Three Centuries of Public Administration ... The following faculty will present papers at the October Symposium for the 50th anniversary of CLAS: JOHN C. BERG of Government; MARIA M. BONAVENTURA of Chemistry; GLORIA M. BOONE of Communications/Speech; **REBECCA McBRIDE DILIDDO of** Biology; KENNETH S. GREENBERG of History; JOHN C. HOLLEY of Sociology; **KEVIN LYONS of the Learning Resource** Center; JOSEPH M. McCARTHY of Education; GERALD RICHMAN of English; and ROBERT C. WEBB of Psychology ... Congratulations to Dr. BILL SAHAKIAN on his upcoming marriage to Karen Ellen Cary July 29 at the Riverside Congregational Church in Dedham ... Proud Daddy BILL COUGHLIN, wondering like all of us where the years go, was in Washington recently to watch his oldest son, BILL Jr., receive his medical degree from Georgetown Medical School. Seems like just yesterday the young man was on his father's knee posing for photos at the Suffolk Christmas party ... And Dennis Sullivan, son of Dean BRAD SULLIVAN, has won a seat on the General Alumni Association Board. Dennis will marry Diane Briggs in September ... Come fall, the Law and Sawyer libraries will make available to students coin-operated word processors. The students will be free to do papers, resumes, etal on the processors at a price to be determined per hour. The University acquired six DECMate II word processors through an agreement

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with Digital Equipment Corp. Dean RICHARD L. McDOWELL, who initiated the effort to acquire the equipment, said acquisition "provides a tremendous resource for student use in courserelated work, and keeps us on equal footing technologically with other schools." Suffolk is among 80 educational institutions taking part in the program with Digital ... A positive outgrowth of the Staff Suggestion Committee is the installation of a microwave oven in the Sawyer Faculty/ Staff Dining Room. It is available for faculty and staff use with the reminder "Keep it Clean ... " Best wishes to new bride IOSEPHINE AGLIATA, secretary in the Physical Plant, on her recent marriage to Mark Messier of Burlington, a salesman for Allied Security Co. They were married in St. Ann's Church, Somerville and first met when he was making a business call to her office ... Not in the Pavarotti class yet, but becoming a fixture in leading the audience in the national anthem at commencements is Athletic Director JIM NELSON, who did double duty this year (CLAS/SOM and Law exercises). Before doing the honors at the afternoon program Nelson quipped to honorary degree recipient ARCH-BISHOP BERNARD LAW, "Maybe you better bless my throat ... " Our sympathies this month to Law Librarian ED BANDER on the passing of his brother, Sidney ... History Professor Emeritus ED HARTMANN is back from a month's vacation in London, and retired Law Librarian JOHN LYNCH, who winters in Isle of Palms, South Carolina, is ensconced in his summer digs at Buzzards Bay. A pleasant summer to all. See you in the fall ...

# School of Management Shares in \$200,000 Grant

Suffolk University's School of Management is one of four graduate business schools to be awarded educational research grants totaling \$200,000. The grant was made by Interactive Data Corporation, the information services subsidiary of the Chase Manhattan Bank, N.A.

Other graduate business school recipients were Massachusetts Institute of



PERLMAN NAMED TO AICUM BOARD—Suffolk University President Daniel H. Perlman (right) was elected a member of the executive committee of AICUM (Association of Independent Colleges and Universities in Massachusetts) at its annual meeting at Holy Cross College. Also pictured are from left Lloyd H. Van Buskirk, president of Becker Junior College, also elected to the executive committee, Jill K. Conway, president of Smith College, chairman of AICUM, and the Rev. Bartley MacPhaidin, president of Stonehill College, chairman-elect of AICUM.

Technology, University of Georgia and Georgia State University.

Dean Richard L. McDowell said the awards are part of an on-going educational research grants program that has provided 12 other universities with access to Interactive Data's timesharing, data, software and support services. The schools, which included University of California at Berkeley and the University of Chicago, have used their one-year \$50,000 grants for both research and teaching projects.

Carl Wolf, president of Interactive Data, headquartered in Waltham, said, "Interactive Data is committed to developing the most effective computer-based planning and analysis tools for business decision makers worldwide. We recognized that these tools are valuable resources for business school faculties and students as well, which is why we inaugurated the education research grants program."

Interactive Data Corp. provides information services to 11,000 clients in 40 nations including 47 of the top 50 Fortune 500 corporations, 45 of the top 50 banks, 32 of the top 50 diversified financials and 30 of the 50 leading insurance companies.

"The School of Management at Suffolk University is proud to have been chosen to undertake research on the IDC data base. Faculty and students have access to the exceptional resources of IDC in further understanding the business decision-making process," said Dean McDowell.

# Suffolk Nine Competes in ECAC Tournament

For the first time in the school's history, a Suffolk baseball team competed in post season Eastern Collegiate Athletic Conference tournament play.

Coach Joe Walsh's hard-hitting Rams finished the season with a 15-8 record. Their performance during the season was good enough for them to win an invitation to the ECAC Division III Tournament at Amherst College May 10.

The Rams fell to Bates, 16-9 in their only tourney game. Amherst College won the tournament.

Suffolk's season record included four victories over Division II opponents. The Rams had a team batting average of .338 and two of their players, catcher Larry Chabre, a sophomore catcher from Arlington, and Outfielder John Lordan, a Matignon High alumnus, were named to the Division III Northeast All-Star second team. Chabre hit .470 while Lordan batted .385.

"It was quite an honor to compete in the ECAC tournament," said Coach Walsh, "and we are confident we'll be going back in coming years since we lose only pitchers John Dalton and John Wood from this year's team."





Massachusetts' junior solon, received a standing ovation from the graduates.

In the afternoon, Colin M. Marshall, chief executive of British Airways, told 591 CLAS and SOM graduates that success in business depends upon "being able to deal honestly and consistently with yourself and doing the same with and for the people with whom you work."

Marshall, 49-year old head of the 37,000 employee airline, was awarded an honorary doctor of humane letters degree. Also receiving honorary degrees were Archbishop Bernard F. Law, Edward F. McDonnell, president of the international division of Seagram & Sons, and Michael L. Linquata, owner of the Gloucester House Restaurant.

Law, asked by President Perlman to deliver a message to the graduates and give benediction, provided the biggest cheer of the afternoon exercises when he stepped to the microphone and said to the audience, "It's the Celtics by one," alluding to the Celtics Los Angeles basketball playoff game in progress at the Boston Garden.

Colin Marshall, who started his brilliant career as a 17-year old cadet purser with Orient Steam Navigation Co. and later became president of Avis, Inc. car rental agency, said there is no single secret way to success in business but that it is achieved purely and simply from an ability to understand, lead and work with people.

He warned the graduates of exploitation and greed.

"If you start out to be rapacious, you may well find yourself ending up as a piece of figurative shashlik, skewered by the force of something you started, but which got out of control," he said. "We tend to hear only of the successes, of the people who survived their own lust. The Deloreans are not always chronicled as well as they should be."

Atty. Stein said that to qualify as a real lawyer, one must undertake the cause of individuals mired in injustice.

"You will find that he is as important to you as you are to him. You must use your skill and knowledge for this



MARSHALS for the exercises were (right) Paul J. Cavanaugh of Medford, J.D. 1959 (Law School), and Vincent A. Polito of Woburn, B.S.B.A. 1959 and M.B.A. 1964, (CLAS/SOM).

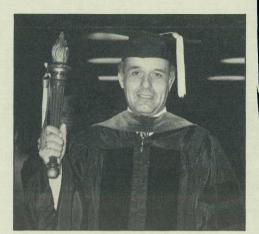
threatened, vulnerable, helpless person. You must use something else. You must use the quality of persistence. In the law, that is the golden quality. You must persist against injustice. That is what a real lawyer does. You must have that experience at least once before you can honestly call yourself a lawyer."

Among the graduates was a 73-year old Wakefield widow, Mrs. Beatrice E. Cassidy, who received her bachelor of science in business administration degree. She attended Suffolk evenings under its free tuition plan for senior citizens.

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At the afternoon exercises, alumni greetings were delivered by Carolyn E. Powers, B.S. 1979.

The following degrees were awarded: Bachelor of Arts, 29; Bachelor of Science, 194; Bachelor of Science in General Studies, 3; Bachelor of Science in Journalism, 38; Master of Education, 26; Master of Science in Business Education, 5; Master of Science in Counselor Education, 7; Master of Science in Counseling, 12; Master of Education in School Counseling, 1; Master of Science in Human Resource Development, 1; Certificate of Advanced Graduate Study, 1; Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, 268: Master in Business Administration. 281; Master in Public Administration, 41: Advanced Professional Certificate, 3.



# Graduation a Family Affair For Many Suffolk People

A number of Suffolk faculty and staffers were among proud parents who watched their children receive degrees at the June 10 commencement.

CLAS/SOM Admissions Director William F. Coughlin saw daughter, Maureen, receive her bachelor of arts degree magna cum laude while Vice President for Institutional Advancement Joseph M. Kelley watched his daughter, Laura, receive her bachelor of science degree.

Lisa Cella, daughter of Law Prof. Alexander Cella, was awarded a bachelor of science degree cum laude, Stephen Meyler, son of Accounting Prof. Bernard W. Meyler, received a bachelor of science and Deborah Stone, daughter of Accounting Prof. Harold M. Stone, was awarded a master in business administration degree.

Receiving juris doctor degrees were Beth Lemelman, daughter of Associate Law Dean Herbert Lemelman, Michael Maleson, son of Law Prof. Alfred I. Maleson, Laura Jo Callahan (cum laude), daughter of Law Prof. Brian T. Callahan, Thomas Linnehan, son of Trustee James F. Linnehan, and Mary Beth Mawn, daughter of Trustee Thomas M. Mawn.

