

John C. Stone II '53
80 Lyme Road, Apt. 266
Hanover, NH 03755
603 643 2939
jcstone53@yahoo.com
www.princeton53.org

February 27 for April 12, 2017

Two still active '53 Texans: My recent update on our geology majors overlooked **Bill Parker** who left Princeton to join the Army but then returned to San Antonio to apply his Guyot Hall skills to the family-run Lewis Oil Company. The recent summary of clerical classmates likewise overlooked retired Reverend **Jack Thomson** of Trinity Presbyterian Church and former Councilman in Denton, TX. Jack recently served a term as President of the Denton Rotary Club and now is active with Opening Doors International which helps with immigration problems.

Classmates who spend part of their winters in Florida soon will be heading north, but not Sandra and **Karl Velde** who sold their house in Lake Forest, IL when he retired from the Rothschild Investment Corporation and now make FL their permanent home. Although '53 has lost several of our Vero Beach '53 residents, there is still a sizeable group. The Veldes spend their summers at Sandra's home in Nantucket.

Eleanor and **Jay Cooper** wrote from NYC that Alice and **George Wallis** made their customary visit to the Coopers' summer home in Bar Harbor, Maine. "It's always a great opportunity to reminisce, because we both literally grew up here over decades of summers in our younger years, sailing, cruising, "tennisng" and meeting young ladies." The Wallis's former home was on Burnt Island near Stonington, Maine.

Long time news publisher for four years Lt. Governor of Massachusetts, **Don Dwight** and Nancy decided to reduce the back-and-forth travel. They now call their several years' residence in Palmetto Bluff, SC. "home". With several generations of involvement in New England, however, business and family interests (seven children and nine grandchildren as of 2013) will keep them returning north regularly.

Alas, I must again report the loss of classmates: **Thomas C. Henneberger, Jr.** on January 7, **Ansel Be Chaplin** on January 27, and **Thomas Lind** on January 29. Please check in at our Class website.
