



Readers of the *Alumnus* are familiar with the photographic talents of George W. Gardner, whose work has often appeared in the magazine. Two of his pictures carried in the *Alumnus* last year were selected among the twenty-three best photos to appear in alumni magazines in the United States and Canada. One was the portrait of the mime on the March cover (reproduced in the lower right hand corner of this month's cover); and the other was a portrait of Dr. Donald Drummond. They were chosen in the American Alumni Council Magazine Competi-

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tion and were exhibited at the AAC conference.

George Gardner was the 1962 winner of the National Collegiate Photography Contest. He is a senior in the College of Arts and Science, majoring in anthropology. George, just turned 22, was graduated from New Hope High School, in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, and became interested in photography as a means of recording a winter spent on a wilderness trapline in the Adirondack Mountains. His varied experience includes hitchhiking across the U.S. and a summer spent in Japan last year. He made

the trip to the Far East on a tramp freighter, American owned but manned by Japanese crews; the scene at right above was taken at sea. The photo at left above shows a mountain village, Hokkaido, a large hot springs resort on a northern island of Japan. In the center is a detail of the Agriculture Building on the University campus.

A shortage of Gardner photos in this issue is due to the fact that the roving young photographer made a motor scooter trip to Mexico in the summer and was late getting back to Missouri.

## GEORGE GARDNER