

**EDITH LANSING KOON SILLS**, graduate of Wellesley, who for the past thirty-four years has made 85 Federal Street the hearth and heart of Bowdoin hospitality, and has been *the* inspiring influence of her husband and an inspiring influence on every member of the Bowdoin family with whom she has come in contact; representing today that fine body of women who have done so much for Bowdoin, the wives of the faculty; greatly against her will but with the gratitude of the College.

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