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Name: CUSHMAN, BARBARA EDGECOMB
Place of birth: Rumford, Maine
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Publications: the Now and Then Cookbook

Biographical information
Graduated from Stephens High School 1931
Bachelor of Music, Eastman School of Music, Rochester, N. Y. 1935
Taught Montpelier Seminary, Montpelier, Ut.
Married 1936, Robert Earl Cushman, Educator, Professor and Dean at Duke University Divinity School, Durham, N. C. (1945 - 1979.)
Taught voice and piano privately, choir directing

Activities include:
Numerous roles in Duke Campus Club, including presidency
Chairman of Music for Methodist Churches, local & Conference.
Community Activities:
Board of Women-in-Action Against Violence
Chairman of its Clearing House.
Member of the Board of Trustees, N. C. Conference Methodist Retirement Home.
Secretary of the Board and of its Executive Committee.

Children:
Robert E. Cushman Jr. Newcastle, Maine
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The New and then cookbook was transferred from MAC to the regular collection 1-9-1995 per BHC
Dear Ms. Thayer:

We are about to return to our North Carolina winter home to move to a new address so I am carrying for the matter of sending a book to you myself, before departure. Next summer we will plan to visit the Maine State Library. It is an honor to have so slight a book in this collection.

One aside — Thomas Cushman teaches courses on Maine writers at Thornton Academy, Saco. My daughter is venturing into a little writing on her own. The Postscript of my book has been an additional mother-daughter bond.

More and more we will sojourn in Maine as my husband retires. He has "adopted" Maine, too.

Most sincerely,

Barbara Cushman.