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## *Washington's Birthday Exercises*

The annual observance of Washington's Birthday was held February 22 in Washington Hall. Three hundred and sixty members of the Class of 1927 took part in the ceremonies. The presentation of the flag by Lawrence Hennesy, Senior President, and its acceptance by Rev. P. J. Carroll, C. S. C., Litt.D., were marked this year by exceptionally fine addresses that stood out in the ceremonies.

The following Washington's Day Ode, written this year by Prof. Charles Phillips, M. A., was read. It breathes the permanency of Notre Dame's beautiful traditions in such a manner that *The Alumnus* is making exception to a general policy to reprint it.

### *Fathers of Sons*

*Fathers of Sons, for long have gathered here,  
Making a hallowed place of these old walls;  
Here still the spirit of the fathers calls  
With bugle note, year after rounded year  
To tell how, in the wheeling of the sphere,  
The circling of the sun, whate'er befalls,  
This ritual nothing mars nor aught forestalls;  
The name of Washington we still revere.*

*The name of Washington! There is a light  
Strikes rainbow-like across our skies at sound  
Of that ennobled and ennobling name.  
It is a torch above our darkest night,  
It is a star no darkness shall confound,  
Pillar of fire, sun of refulgent flame.*

*Fathers of Sons! True to your summoning,  
Behold how we, the sons of fathers, stand,  
Wide rank on rank, across our far-flung land,  
Saluting him, whom you, saluting, sing.  
Fathers of sons, now look you how we bring  
Here to this new forgathering, command  
Of loyal will, pure mind, unsullied hand,  
Pledged still to follow where your clarion rings.*

*Fathers of sons and sons of fathers, One!—  
One in the song that, echoing through the skies  
From snowy peak to sunlit surf outspans  
The planets' arc, saluting Washington.  
One in the voice that still unchallenged, cries:  
"HIS spirit was a father's and a man's."*

# THE NOTRE DAME ALUMNUS

A magazine which seeks to unify Notre Dame spirit among Notre Dame alumni; to keep alive the friendliness and democracy of the campus when campus days are gone; to acquaint Notre Dame alumni with the development of the University, and the broader development of the principles of Catholic education; to organize alumni activity so that it may better and in a greater measure attain its ends; to live in print as Notre Dame men live always, "For God, for Country, and for Notre Dame."

## Notre Dame Summer School 1927

THE remarkable expansion that has been Notre Dame's in the past several years is nowhere more evident than in the growth of the University's Summer School. The announcement of the Tenth Session of the University, opening June 22 and closing August 4, has just appeared. Its contents disclose the extent of the growth of this remarkable branch of the University's activities and the opportunities that Notre Dame offers to graduate study and to members of the religious orders. Alumni should be interested in the Summer School of Notre Dame. It offers excellent opportunities for the Notre Dame alumnus to receive a graduate degree. And it offers an opportunity to the religious orders and college graduates from all other communities to receive Notre Dame training. Notre Dame alumni ought to be familiar with the facts of the Summer School for their information and the information of those with whom they come in contact. The following paragraphs from the new bulletin will assist:

Graduate and undergraduate courses will be offered by all departments of the College of Arts and Letters during the six weeks course of 1927, and by all departments of the College of Science except Pharmacy and Agriculture. A limited number of courses will also be offered by the College of Law. A few courses in Engineering and Commerce of general interest to students in Arts and Science will be offered as electives commanding credit toward the A.B. and B.S. degrees.

The first summer session of the University was conducted in 1918, largely for the benefit of the religious teachers in Catholic schools. From the first, however, the sessions have been attended by lay teachers in both private and public schools, as well

as by other students not engaged in teaching. Beginning with the summer session of 1927 courses will not be open to lay women. The growth of the session may be seen from the following summary of enrollments by years:

1918	207
1919	331
1920	455
1921	623
1922	603
1923	726
1924	753
1925	795
1926	905

The requirements for admission to the summer session are the same as for admission during the academic year. Persons over twenty-one years of age who do not wish to become candidates for a degree may register as special students and attend those courses of instruction for which their training and experience have fitted them.

Students entering the University for the first time are required to pay a matriculation fee of ten dollars. The tuition fee for all courses other than painting and music is thirty dollars. A library fee of one dollar is also charged all students in the session. These are the fees asked of all, whether regular or special students. Laboratory fees are additional for certain courses in the College of Science.

The University has rooming accommodations during the summer session for eight hundred students. Room rental is two dollars the week. The University dining hall for women will accommodate three hundred. There is also a dining hall for men. The charge for board is eight dollars the week. Students are free to patron-

ize a cafeteria under private management located on the first floor of Badin Hall.

Ninety-four members of the regular University staff will teach during the 1927 Summer Session and nineteen visiting professors have been secured to assist in the special courses offered during this period. The quality of the summer work offered at the University can be gauged from the following list of these visiting instructors:

Ralph T. Ambrose, B.M., Gunn School of Music and Dramatic Art, Chicago, Illinois; Instructor in Piano.

Sister Mary Benedictus, C.S.C., Ph.D., St. Mary's College, Notre Dame, Indiana; Instructor in Economics.

Rev. Albert Blais, C.S.C., A.B., College de Saint-Laurent, Montreal, Canada; Professor of French Literature.

Katherine Boone, South Bend, Indiana; Instructor in Voice.

Sir Carl Busch, Kansas City, Missouri; Instructor in Musical Composition.

M. Gertrude Blanchard, Graduate Carnegie Library School, Pittsburgh, Penna.

Sister Mary Fidelis, O.S.U., A.M., Mary Manse College, Toledo, Ohio; Instructor in Latin.

Rev. Gregory Gerrer, O.S.B., LL.D., Sacred Heart Abbey, Oklahoma; Instructor in Art.

Glen Dillard Gunn, Director, Gunn School of Music and Dramatic Art, Chicago, Illinois; Instructor of Piano Pedagogy.

J. Hobart Hoskins, Ph.D., University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio; Assistant Professor of Botany.

John Lemmer, A.M., Escanaba, Michigan; Instructor in Education.

Sister M. Marcelline, O.S.D., Instructor in Biology.

Florence K. Michael, Eaton, Ohio; Assistant Instructor in Organ.

Wilhelm Middelschulte, LL.D., American Conservatory of Music, Chicago, Illinois; Instructor in Organ.

Rev. Michael L. Moriarty, Litt. B., Wooster, Ohio; Instructor in Latin.

Fred I. Myers, A.M., United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Maryland; Associate Professor of English.

Richard Seidel, Chicago Symphony Orchestra, Chicago, Illinois, Instructor in Violin.

Rev. Stephen Thuis, O.S.B., A.B., St. Meinrad's Abbey; Instructor in Gregorian Chant.

From this list of distinguished educators it is apparent that the 1927 Summer Session promises to be a drawing power that will break previous attendance records, and it certainly offers a course in Catholic education that would be difficult to surpass. Notre Dame men can build up Notre Dame and aid in the advancement of Catholic education by familiarizing themselves and their communities with the Summer course at Notre Dame.

A number of N. D. men, graduates and undergraduates, attended last summer's session and the growing demand for Catholic education makes an investment in higher education a decidedly good one for the young graduate. Summer sessions also offer an opportunity for men and women engaged in teaching during the year to attain advanced degrees without sacrificing necessary earning power. Notre Dame has responded to the call for development in Catholic education with every facility the University possesses. The success of the endeavor is contained in the announcement of the program for the 1927 Session.

## MEEHAN IS CHEMISTRY LIBRARY BENEFACTOR

Announcement has just been made by Prof. H. B. Froning, head of the Department of Chemistry, of the gift of \$750.00 to the Library of the Department of Chemistry by Augustus F. Meehan, of Chattanooga, Tenn. In addition to his degrees in course from Notre Dame, Mr. Meehan received an honorary Master of Science in 1926.

Mr. Meehan's generous gift is another recognition by the Alumni of Notre Dame of the growing needs of the various departments of the University. Buildings to house the students and classes are drawing upon every bit of strength the University has, and gifts to the intensive development of these departments, such as that of Mr. Meehan, who is President of the Meehanite Metals Corporation of Chattanooga, and affiliated with most of the metal and scientific societies of importance in this country, are unusually welcome.

## Student Activities, 1888



### A REAL NOTRE DAME PICTURE

The accompanying illustration was sent to THE ALUMNUS by John L. Heinemann, '88, Connersville, Ind. A letter from Mr. Heinemann stated:

"I am sending you a half-tone cut of a group, 'The Blessed Virgin Mary Sodality' of 1888, which I thought you might care to use in THE ALUMNUS.

"In the center of the picture is Rev. Pres. Thomas E. Walsh, C.S.C., (to the right of the statue), next is Father Regan, who was Prefect of Discipline. Next I think is Brother Hilarion (with the black beard) who is still on the campus. The last person on the right end is myself (seated), with ? Griffin standing behind me.

"To the left of the statue is Father Stafel, Prefect of Religion; Col. William Hoynes, and Father Kirsch of the Science department.

"The photo was taken in front of Brownson Hall in the spring of 1888."

Many Springs have passed at Notre Dame since this picture. A number of those who stand out in it have gone to receive the reward which their devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary has won for them. Some might tell you that everything has changed. Not everything! The Sodality has disappeared; Brownson Hall is no longer sought as background for pictures: the Colonel's moustache has disappeared; styles have altered materially.

But the big thing in the picture has always remained at Notre Dame and has grown strong from devotion which has passed through many forms—real devotion to Our Lady. A reading of Father O'Hara's *Religious Survey* will reveal to the men who find themselves in this picture that their purpose has been kept clear during the changes of time.

## American Legion Convention and N. D.

IT begins to look as though Notre Dame is going to have to lead the way for the Paris Convention of the American Legion. There have been theories of ultimate destinies, natural selection, and all that sort of thing. But it is only recently that Notre Dame alumni seem to be attached some way or other to leadership in about everything except the Ku Klux Klan.

"Morrie" Starrett's plan for a Notre Dame reunion in Paris has been outlined, and there hadn't ought to be less than 100% approval of that. There will be Notre Dame Legion men, Notre Dame men who have been drawn to Paris for various reasons, and many Notre Dame students who are joining the annual exodus of the undergraduates to the places that most students used to consider it romance to read of. So that the Paris reunion plan seems to be cut and dried. Perhaps dried is not a good word. Universal Notre Dame night is a good time to start actual plans on this proposition. Get your own gang started!

And now comes Francis Kilkenny, with a proposition that ought to reach as many Notre Dame men as Morrie's. The following article explains the project thoroughly. Notre Dame, the "capital of the Fighting Irish in America," certainly ought to be in the van of a "Back to Ireland" movement.

Members of the American Legion should combine a visit to the lands of their forefathers with the pilgrimage to Paris for the Legion's national convention next September, Howard P. Savage, national commander of the Legion, said today in giving his personal endorsement to the Legion "Visit Ireland" movement sponsored by Francis J. Kilkenny of Chicago.

The national commander in a letter to Mr. Kilkenny, made public here today by the latter, said:

"To me, as National Commander of the Legion, there is one outstanding obligation which rests on the entire organization, that is, the successful completion of the movement and convention of the Legion in Paris in September, 1927. To insure its maximum success, the cooperation and assistance of every member is required.

"Your cooperation in starting the "Visit Ireland" movement finds a particularly warm spot in my own heart. Thirty-seven different countries were represented in America's Armies during the War. This means that thirty-seven different nationalities are represented within the Legion. They have our highest admiration, and the pilgrimage to France would not be complete, to my mind, without giving these men an opportunity to visit the land of their ancestors.

"Your proposed movement has my endorsement, and I urge every Post to give this and like movements their thorough and careful consideration."

The following editorial from *The Boston Transcript* explains how the movement is regarded by the American press:

### A DREAM FOR IRELAND

After more than a decade and a half, the dream of Francis Kilkenny bids fair to come true. Kilkenny, Irish born, was brought to Washington from Chicago when the present Vice-President was made Comptroller of the Currency in the McKinley Administration. He stayed on as confidential secretary to successive comptrollers, and in 1910, solely for love of the Ould Sod, he instituted a "Back to Ireland" movement which at least reawakened interest in the land of their fathers in the hearts of many Irish-Americans. Some of the more prosperous visited Ireland, on the solicitation of Kilkenny and his skeleton organization, and Irish industry received more or less encouragement in consequence of these visits. But Kilkenny had no money with which to broaden his campaign, and with the subsequent ructions in Ireland and the coming of the World War the movement lapsed.

Now it is taking practical form again. Kilkenny, a prosperous business man of Chicago, is dreaming again of a new Ireland, rejuvenated, and developing under American encouragement and cooperation, and he has succeeded in arranging with the authorities of the American Legion, the steamship companies and others of importance that when the veterans of the A. E.

F. go to Paris for their annual convention this year, stop-offs shall be made at Irish ports going and coming; and through these adventitious circumstances, the dream of 1910 is coming true. No other immigrants to the United States have made more loyal and useful citizens than the Irish. No others preserve a tenderer spot in their hearts for the home land. Both countries should profit from the realization of Kilkenney's dream.

### OLDEST ALUMNUS RETIRES FROM PRIESTHOOD AT 84

The following article from a Lafayette, Ind., paper will be of great interest to the many friends of Rev. John R. Dinnen, A.B. '65, LL.D. '14, who has for years served a community from which many Notre Dame men have come, and whose interest in Notre Dame and Notre Dame Alumni has made his name familiar to all N. D. men.

St. Mary's Catholic church in this city, for the first time in a third of a century, is to have a new rector, it having become known that the venerable Rev. John R. Dinnen, rector of the church since 1894, is soon to retire from active ministry, and to be succeeded by the Rev. D. Lawrence Monahan, of St. John's church, Hartford City, Ind., formerly of Oxford. The change will mark the retirement of one of the best known and most capable Catholic clergymen in Indiana, and the bringing to St. Mary's of a priest of marked ability as a pulpit orator, a scholar and church leader.

The retiring rector of St. Mary's is now in his 84th year, and for several months past has been failing in health, until he is no longer able, physically, to conduct service. It was not until his condition became so feeble that the bishop, loath to accept the resignation of the venerable clergyman, was compelled to act, and summon Rev. Monahan to the local church, the rectorship of which is regarded as one of the most desirable and important in the entire diocese of Fort Wayne. Since the first of the year, St. Mary's has virtually been without a pastor, as Rev. Dinnen has been unable to officiate at mass and his assistant, Rev. Leonard Deininger, has been ill with rheumatism and a patient at St. Elizabeth hospital. It is understood that,

upon his recovery, Rev. Deininger will continue to serve as assistant at St. Mary's.

The Rev. John R. Dinnen, rector of St. Mary's since August 4, 1894, has long been prominent in the religious life of Lafayette. He is one of the oldest Catholic priests in Indiana and for years has been dean of the Lafayette district of the diocese. Born near Burlington, Vermont, in 1843, he moved to Chicago with his parents in 1857. His first position was that of office boy in the Illinois Central railway ticket office. In the winter he attended school and was graduated from a business college.

As a boy, he established the first news stand in the Chicago postoffice where he prospered. Two years later he opened a book and stationery store. After accumulating money enough to insure him a college education, he sold his store and entered Notre Dame university, where he studied and also taught book-keeping and penmanship. While at Notre Dame he determined to become a priest and then took up the study of philosophy and theology. He was ordained a priest by Bishop Lures in Fort Wayne on July 22, 1869, and three days later he said his first mass at St. Patrick's church, Chicago. Only July 22, 1919, on the occasion of his golden jubilee in the priesthood, Rev. Dinnen conducted services at St. Patrick's again.

His first assignment after ordination was as assistant at St. Mary's Church in this city of which the Rev. George A. Hamilton was then rector. From here Rev. Dinnen was sent to take charge of Catholic missions in Benton county. It was a difficult field, but he succeeded and prosperous Catholic parishes were later established there. Three years later he was sent to the cathedral in Fort Wayne and in 1875 he was assigned to St. Bernard's church, Crawfordsville, as rector. He remained there 16 years and made a host of friends. He was an intimate friend of the late Gen. Lew Wallace.

When he came to Lafayette in 1894 he succeeded the Rev. E. P. Walters, who had just died. Rev. Dinnen has been faithful and efficient in his work as rector during the long period through which he has served the church. The church has grown under his direction and occupies a high place in diocesan standing.



## AN ENGLISHMAN'S IMPRESSION OF FOOTBALL

(The following interesting account appeared in the February issue of *The Athletic Journal*. It is interesting both for matter and for the unusually literary style.)

That football is a "concrete expression of the life of America . . . of the ebullient and eternal youthfulness of the country, a nation exulting in its ardor, curiosity and strength" is the opinion of George Slocombe, an English journalist of note, who attended the Army-Notre Dame football game last fall and then wrote his impressions of the game as follows:

"It is ridiculous, of course, to pretend that American football is a game. It is a gladiatorial combat, an epic battle with some of the physical consequences of battle, demanding qualities of leadership, courage and will, not inferior in quality and not far different in kind from those which Foch and Ludendorff matched in other battles not long since. If I had sought a concrete expression of the life of America, its disciplined concentration and boundless energy, sometimes checked but never daunted by an equal resistance, I could have found no better instance than the football game of the colleges. When I saw it played for the first time at the Army-Notre Dame encounter in New York, I understood better than before the steel and stone arrogance of the new American cities, the singing towers of the metropolis, the scream of the steam crane and hard clank of riveting and the ceaseless music of New York Harbor. In these watchful figures, strange and even grotesque European eyes in rebot-like battle gear, I saw young America like young Sparta girding itself for the fray, looking with steady, appraising eyes into its own mirrored face and rejoicing that the game and the going were good.

"English Rugby is a fairly elastic, fairly respectable man's game. But it is mere child's play, compared with the play of the American children, the iron-drilled, ruthless, operating theatre football of the colleges here. This surely is the most scientific game in the world, more intense, more detailed, more precise, more cerebral, more

know. It is exhilarating to watch, like dogged and more complicated than any I chess played by masters, a chess vitalized and made violent.

"If to a European the American game, by its very austere, mechanical precision, its chess rules, seems unnecessarily to hang fire at moments in contrast to the running, leaping, scrambling, all-over-the-field Rugby game of the English schools, it more than makes up for this deficiency by its intensity and its dramatic silence. The knotted heap of grim players in the American game is truly gladiatorial in its quality, its appeal to repressed emotions. The field and its mathematical divisions, at first distracting to strangers, count for nothing in a dim oblivion. Time itself (as was evident at the end of the hard-fought Army-Notre Dame game) loses its urgency and is forgotten; the protagonist alone remains in the foreground of vision, and somewhere is a blurred immensity the great living mass of the American football crowd, exulting, defiant, challenging itself a participant, itself interposed between the player and the ball.

"And such a crowd! No assembly of elderly English cricket fans at Lord's, leisurely and silk-hatted, languid after tea; no French crowd at a race course jubilant when the favorite romps home; no German student rally at a song festival; not even a Spanish crowd, ardently sanguinaceous, at a bull-fight in Seville has the irresistible schoolboy elan, the exultant, exuberant urge of the American football crowd. At my first game I had the rare gymnastic experience of sitting behind a solid gray wedge of West Point boys, who rose and fell rhythmically in their seats with lightning-like and disconcerting rapidity, yelling like demons and involving considerable exercise of the calf and toe muscles on my part in vain endeavors to keep pace with their enthusiasm.

"Last, but not least, there are those diverting, energetic and priceless entertainers, the cheer leaders, who add zest to a game the exciting epic quality of which does not prevent the crowd from being amused. Singing in chorus, even when mechanically conducted, is a much-neglected sport in most countries save Germany, Russia and America, and here it strikes the

visitor as the inevitable expression of the ebullient and eternal youthfulness of the country, a nation exulting in its ardor, curiosity and strength."

Here is an Englishman's view of the things that stand out in our games as different from theirs. Our athletics, as Mr. Slocombe has suggested, furnish a concrete expression of the life of America as the Englishman's games depict his national characteristics and the Periclean Greek reflected Greek qualities in his attitude toward the athletics of his time.

When this writer suggests that "football is the most scientific game in the world, more intense, more detailed, more precise, more cerebral, more dogged than any that he knows" he appraises qualities in the game that are not appreciated by those who contend that football is to be condemned because the men cannot lightly play it and because it calls for grit, stick-to-it-iveness and a certain amount of Spartan endurance.

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### **GUILLERMO PATTERSON '11 ACHIEVES DISTINCTION**

In answer to a recent Class Letter sent out by Fred Steers, Secretary of the Class of 1911, the following very interesting data was secured concerning Guillermo Patterson, Jr., Ch.E., '11; M.S. in Ch. '12, Ph.D. '12.

Mr. Patterson taught electro-chemistry and chemical analysis at Notre Dame until June 1912. He returned to Panama as Director of the science department of the Panama National Institute. He taught there until 1924 when he made an enemy of the President for political activities and was removed from the Institute, as was his wife, (formerly Miss Angelica Chaves, a graduate of Hunter's College and New York University) who was Directrix of the Professional School for Girls.

Mr. Patterson received an LL.B. from the University of Chicago in 1920, was admitted to the bar of the Canal Zone the same year, and to the New Orleans Appellate Court in 1922. After his removal from the Institute, he gave all his time to Law and politics. He had already spent enough time in these fields to become President of the Municipal Council of the City of Pana-

ma, Mayor of the City, Vice-President of the Congress, etc. Then Mr. Patterson entered the diplomatic service with the rise of the new President of Panama, a personal friend.

He was appointed Attache to the Panama Legation at Berlin and later became Secretary to the Legation at Rome. Since October, 1926, he has become Charge D'Affaires in Rome, (Via Tirso, 49.)

Mr. Patterson has published sixteen books, some in English and some in Spanish, and one which Mr. Patterson is himself translating into Italian and French. He owned and published two newspapers during his work in Panama. He has been decorated a number of times, the latest honor coming when the Italian government appointed him an honorary member of the directing board of the Superior School of Malaria.

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### **ART GALLERY ENRICHED**

The University is the recipient of two well-known masterpieces, "Flagellation" by Murillo dated 1631 and "The Blind Belisarius Being Led by a Boy," the painter of which is unknown. These paintings were the gift of Mr. C. A. Wightman of Evanston, Illinois, who has donated practically the whole of the Wightman Collection as a memorial to his wife. It is necessary for Father Gregory to restore parts of these paintings and consequently they will not be placed upon public exhibition before next summer.

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### **BOY GUIDERS SECURE CAMP**

A boys' summer camp at Salem, Wis., has been secured by the University, according to a recent announcement by Rev. Wm. F. Cunningham, director of the Department of Education, and will be used as a training ground for members of the K. of C. Boy Guidance course. The camp will open under Notre Dame jurisdiction early in June.

Since the foundation of the course the Boy Guiders have been forced to spend some time attached to various recreation centers of the country to receive instruction in field work. The acquisition of the camp will eliminate extensive traveling.

## FOOTBALL TICKETS!!

Whether or not Coach K. K. Rockne believes that he will have another high class gridiron machine next fall, the fans of the country evidently expect the famous coach of the Irish to come through in his usual brilliant manner.

Ample proof of this may be obtained by a visit to the office of Art Haley, business manager of the Irish, and custodian of the tickets for the games in which the Fighting Irish appear. Every day Art receives letters from fans in all sections of the country, requesting that tickets for the game with Southern California in Chicago next fall be reserved for them.

But the eager fans are doomed to disappointment at this early date. The only answer that Haley can give them is that the tickets will not be reserved until Aug. 15, the first date on which tickets for all games during the season may be reserved.

To illustrate the far-reaching fame of the Rockmen, there came a letter from a doctor in distant Seoul, in Korea, requesting a copy of the Irish schedule for next fall. Evidently the doctor believes that it will pay to take his vacation at a time when he will be able to see the Fighting Irish in action. And a wise doctor he is, if such is his plan.

The above item from a South Bend paper indicates that football hasn't yet lost its grip on the American public. And in case any Notre Dame alumni are interested in the game, the following information has been volunteered by the Business Manager of Athletics, J. Arthur Haley, '26.

Application envelopes will be sent to Alumni early in the summer. Applications will be received beginning August 15, but not before. They will be filed in order of receipt, and the warning is to "Come early and avoid the rush."

Some of the Alumni Clubs are planning to attend several of the games in a body. These Clubs are advised to begin now making plans on the trip, the number of tickets needed, etc. The Association policy of asking that checks accompany reservations was successful last year and is a necessary protective measure for the Association apparently, and will probably be in force this year. Clubs are urged to have the members turn in the money for as many tickets as they need so that the block reservations can be made early, August 15 if possible, to get the best results. The Association has promised the fullest possible cooperation with the Alumni in the problem of tickets.



Dont' be alarmed! The University hasn't been buried under South Bend's growth. The above picture was taken by Harry Elmore, *News-Times* photographer, from a South Bend apartment house. The water tower, Harter Heights and the University blended into this odd picture.

# THE ALUMNI CLUBS

## NEW YORK CITY

"On Tuesday evening, Feb. 1, our Club tendered "Rock" a dinner at the Roosevelt hotel and it went over big. Frank Wallace of the *Evening Post* was in charge and acted as toastmaster. Frank had almost 15 sports-writers there including George Trevor of the *Sun*; Charles E. Parker of the *World*; Ed Hughes of the *Telegram*; Henry L. Farrell of *United Press*; Davis J. Walsh of the *International News Service*; Robert F. Kelly and Richard Vidmer of the *Times*; Alan Gould, Sports Editor of the *Associated Press*; Robert Harron and Homer Thorne of the *Evening Post*.

"Rock gave one of his best talks, principally on the shift but mixed it with some of his funny stories. We had about seventy men there and also had talks from Hugh O'Donnell, Joe Byrne, Peter McElligott and George Trevor."

Ed Hughes' Column in the *Telegram* was devoted the day following to the banquet. The opening paragraph said:

The Notre Dame Club of New York tendered Knute Rockne a banquet at the Hotel Roosevelt last night. Such an occasion is more significant than you think. For Knute Rockne always pays off his banquet obligations with a feast of his own—keen football criticisms, trenchant philosophy, and downright incomparable gridiron anecdote. It pays to "sit in" on both affairs . . .

Rockne's stand against abolishing or slowing-up the shift received wide publicity on this trip East, and the result was evidenced by the fact that the Football Rules Committee practically took his suggestions verbatim in the face of strong opposition by a number of prominent coaches.

## ESCANABA

Escanaba, Mich., Alumni entertained Rockne recently while he was in Escanaba to address the annual convention of the Upper Peninsula Older Boys' Conference.

Rockne made a big hit with the Conference and received wide publicity.

The Notre Dame Dinner for "Rock" was held Sunday, Feb. 13, in the Delta Hotel. It was open to all interested citizens of Escanaba and was very successful. Rock took a trip to the lumber camps around Escanaba while he was there and is reported to have enjoyed the whole of the Escanaba program.

## THE ST. JOSEPH VALLEY

Alumni near Notre Dame have stopped relying on University activities to entertain them and are very actively putting across their own projects. The Alumni Secretary has been privileged to attend several committee luncheons recently at which plans were formulated for a Glee Club Concert in South Bend the early part of May. At the last luncheon, a committee of St. Mary's alumnae were present and that organization will cooperate with the St. Joseph Valley Club to sponsor the Concert as one of the outstanding social events of the year in South Bend, and the first of an annual series of similar events. As plans stand at present, the Concert will be followed by a dance.

Paul Castner, '23, has been named chairman of a committee to arrange the local program for Universal Notre Dame Night, and this committee is already working on arrangements for the biggest event of the Club's history for April 21. The location of the St. Joseph Valley Club so near the University affords the organization an opportunity to secure talent for such an occasion that is denied the more remote Clubs.

President Dudley Shively and Vice-President Mike Donahue have been the leaders in the alumni activities in the Valley and are pushing the Club into the first division, where its membership and location certainly ought to find it.

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 UNIVERSAL NOTRE DAME NIGHT, THURSDAY, APRIL 21ST.
 

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## MEMPHIS

Hugh "Red" Magevney dropped a welcome line into the office a short time ago. Memphis is planning to be organized on the 21st for "some sort of blowout" Red said. He is planning personally on being on deck for the Alumni-Varsity game in June, and is busy at present coaching spring football, baseball and basketball at Central High School, Memphis.

## CHICAGO

Whatever the play "Chicago" may imply about the terrors of the metropolis, the Alumni Office "is agin it." Call it bribery or influence or anything you want to—but any organization that turns over \$500 to the Alumni Fund is bound to make an impression. And when, on top of that, the same organization places another \$500 in an Educational Fund to help worthy N. D. students from its community, what can you do but stand up and cheer?

The Alumni Board, with the exception of Rev. M. L. Moriarty, Hon. Pres., and Thomas J. McKeon, Director, had the opportunity to see this condition exemplified at the annual meeting of the Chicago Club on Feb. 14. The affair took the form of a dinner and business meeting afterward, at the Hamilton Club. In addition to the members of the Board, Rev. J. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., and George Keogan, basketball coach, were guests of honor and the speakers of the evening.

Having completed a record year with more than a thousand dollars in the treasury, the Club set about the election of a new set of Officers that could take up the high-powered torch of President George Maypole and his administration. Norman C. Barry, '21, was elected to the presidency; Austin A. McNichols, '17, to the Vice-Presidency, and James H. Brennan, '20, to the Secretaryship, as the triumvirate that will guide the organization through the current year. Those responsible for the success of the year passed were admirably placed on the Board of Governors, and are being arranged at this writing in the elaborate committee system that was responsible for Chicago's record year.

Father O'Donnell gave an excellent address at the annual meeting to more than a hundred members of the Club. He drew interesting comparisons between the administration of Notre Dame years ago, and the problems of the University today, linking up the function of the Alumni in solving these problems. Coach Keogan gave a fine talk on the development of basketball at Notre Dame, and having turned out a team that has completed two seasons with only two defeats, he knows whereof he speaks.

An excellent banquet and moving pictures of several of the games completed the program of an unusually fine Club meeting. (They won't admit it's unusual in Chicago, however.)

Chicago has been holding up Notre Dame's interest in civic activities recently. K. K. Rockne was one of the guest coaches and speakers at the testimonial banquet given by the Northwestern Alumni for the new coach, Dick Hanley. The following day he was the guest of honor and speaker at the Friday Forum of Chicago, in the banquet hall of the Central Y. M. C. A. Many Chicago alumni attended, including Norman Barry, Austin McNichols, and James Brennan, new Club officers, at the speakers' table.

The Chicago club continues to hold a weekly luncheon at the Old Town Coffee Room of the Sherman House.

And as for Chicago Alumni Spirit!!! Danny Hilgartner, '17, already has room reservations at the Oliver Hotel for the Alumni Reunion at Notre Dame June 3, 4 and 5.

## AKRON

A newsy letter from Akron brings the following dope:

Jeff Powers is connected with the B. F. Goodrich Co., in the mechanical goods sales department. Tim Rauh is with the same organization. Walter Haecker is also with the sales department of Goodrich and was in Akron for a while, but they deported him to Pittsburgh before we were aware of his temporary residence here. Dick Horan of N. D. and Georgetown is now

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running amuck in Canton, O., as adjuster for the P. and L. E. R. R. Tom O'Neil boasts of another addition to the family—just what the count is, at date of writing, I could not say authoritatively. Bion Vogel and "Lefty" Steinle are keeping bachelor apartments at Perkins Hall in this city.

Thomas Hansard, Class of '88, died shortly before Christmas. An N. D. Alumni banquet was held Feb. 2 at the Elks Club. Father Moriarty was expected as the guest of honor, but circumstances prevented his attendance. A short business meeting was held at which the following

officers were elected for the forthcoming:

Frank Steel, President; Bion Vobel, Vice-President; and John Dettling, Secretary-Treasurer.

**DENVER**

Alden Cusick has promised to rally the Denver Club for all proper celebrations and functions during the coming months, beginning with a special meeting this month, including Universal Notre Dame Night the 21st of April, and a meeting June 3, 4 and 5 adjourned to Notre Dame—a good suggestion for all of the Clubs.

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**ANOTHER N. D. STAR GOES TO BIG LEAGUE**

The following article by Arthur J. Lea Mond, president of the Notre Dame Club of New Jersey, and sports writer on the Newark News, was taken from the News of Feb. 28, and concerns the very promising career of Jim Silver, captain of Notre Dame's 1926 baseball team:

Jim Silver has arrived in Clearwater, Fla., where the Brooklyn Robins are about to undergo a hard siege of preparation for the ensuing National League baseball schedule. This former St. Benedict's Prep and Notre Dame University catcher is one of two Jersey-men with Wilbert Robinson's spring training expedition. Ed Strelecki, of this city, a pitcher of promise, is the other. Silver hails from South Amboy.

Thereon hangs a tale—and another fair example of the lure of the diamond.

Silver, who was graduated from Notre Dame with thirteen other Jersey-men last June, joined the Brooklyn Club with no illusions. He knew before he started south that his chances of making a regular catching berth with Robinson's aggregation were slim. In fact he had a well-founded suspicion that he will be sent to Pittsfield of the Eastern League or Scranton of the New York-Pennsylvania circuit. Though really he'd look well in a Newark uniform.

The Perth Amboy husky debated right up to the time he left New York whether to give up league baseball and to go into

business. On the one hand he has been given assurances that his catching ability will be worth a great deal to some big league club after another year in the minors. On the other he has recently embarked on a business venture which should eventually send him on the high road to success. Whether he admits it or not, the lure of baseball and the necessity to save some money from the game were factors in the final decision.

Off-hand Silver's chances of making the Brooklyn catching string are not so good. Especially when it is noted that Robinson has Walter Henline, Hank DeBerry and Charlie Hargreaves as veterans and George O'Neill as a recruit. Yet there is this to be said of the situation: Silver goes into training with the determination of proving to the Brooklyn management that he is worth retaining.

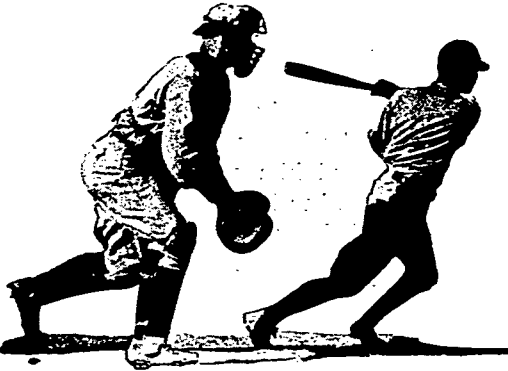
In college Silver was captain and a very good catcher with a penchant for heavy hitting. Last spring he learned much from Ed Walsh, former big league pitching star, who was assisting at Notre Dame. When Jim was graduated he joined Brooklyn on the say so of Larry Sutton, the local gent who digs up ivory for the Brooklyn Club.

In quick succession Silver wore a Jersey City uniform, a Reading suit, he helped Albany come through to a fine place in its league and then finished the season with Scranton. Silver's game took on a polish and now he looms as a fine prospect.

# Commencement -- June 4th and 5th

## THE ALUMNI BASEBALL GAME

It would be out of place for a '25 grad to try to dwell upon the interest of the Alumni-Varsity baseball game. No one who has said anything about those old games has said that interest in the game was responsible for its being dropped. It was just one of those cases where nobody had enough responsibility. This year the Alumni Office has assumed the responsibility because it feels that that game is one of the real Alumni features of Commencement.



Many baseball men have been written to, but it is hoped that any former player who didn't happen to receive a letter will pack up his kit and come along just as quickly. The more the merrier. Tommy Mills, the new baseball coach, and Big Ed Walsh, former White Sox star, are grooming the Varsity and it is going to take a lot of Alumni baseball men to stop the 1927 outfit. The captains have been asked to round up their teams, but probably your captain doesn't know your address. Write to him.

Here are a few of the answers that have already been received. It is early to make your plans definitely, but these answers assure the Office that the game is interesting the old players, which is its chief object:

"I hope to be there and on the diamond—The moths long ago took my varsity uniform but if golf togs will do I hope again to cover left field—more with 1927 avoirdupois that with 1903-04 speed.

Byron V. Kanaley, '04."

"Do you realize that I played on the Notre Dame baseball teams of '96 and '97 thirty years ago, and that I haven't been in a baseball uniform since I pitched a winning game against the United States Marines in Sitka, Alaska, in 1908? . . . But I am strongly for the game, and if you can persuade Angus McDonald, who was on the teams that I coached, to put on a suit, I am willing to make a spectacle of myself for the good of the cause. Good luck!

Frank E. Hering."

"Per your request, you may bank on me being at Notre Dame for June 4th. I kind of doubt my ability in playing ball but I'm going to get out the glove and shoes and try the Jack Dempsey act. I feel fit and in fighting shape but you know what age can do. Trusting everything works out for a glorious time . . .

M. J. Donahoe, '97, '01.

"Regarding the Varsity-Alumni baseball game to be played June 4th, I expect to be at Notre Dame at that time. As to my ability to play first base, the position which I held down in '02, '03 and '04, I might add that if they "get them up" I might still catch a few of them. Furthermore you are correct about the moths eating up the uniform. May be able to get some sort of a rig. Sincerely,

Anton C. Stephan."



SJOBERG AND BARRY



WALSH AND MOONEY

"To use your own words 'It's early to say definitely' but I'm going to try and be on hand for Commencement. It will be my first since leaving Notre Dame, but Hudson's Bay and Mexico seemed too far from South Bend. I've been at one extreme or the other. Mining takes you to the ends of the earth. However, if business allows, I'll be a young 'old-timer' you can count on for the Varsity-Alumni game.

Charles A. Sheehan, '16."

"I have your recent letter relative to the revival of the annual Varsity-Alumni baseball game and read it with much interest and pleasure. Personally I believe that the viewpoint of the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association for the Varsity-Alumni game is correct. Whereas an intercolleg-



LATHROP AND DUGGAN

iate game is just a ball game, the Varsity-Alumni game is a tradition or an institution and affords much more pleasure and interest to the returning Alumni, for they know some of the players and also it is replete with the unexpected . . . I am heartily in favor of the revival of the annual game and will do all I can to further it . . . Sincerely,

J. Frank Miles, '18-'21."

"Delighted to be there. About the game, well that is not so certain. Yours,

Lawrence McNerney, '06."

"You can count on me being there, ready to bat 1000%.

'Hunk' Anderson, '22."

"I'll try and be there on June 4.

Don Hamilton, '12."

"In those immortal words of "Hunk" Anderson, 'I'll do the best we can' to be there for the Alumni-Varsity game in June.

Paul Castner, '23."

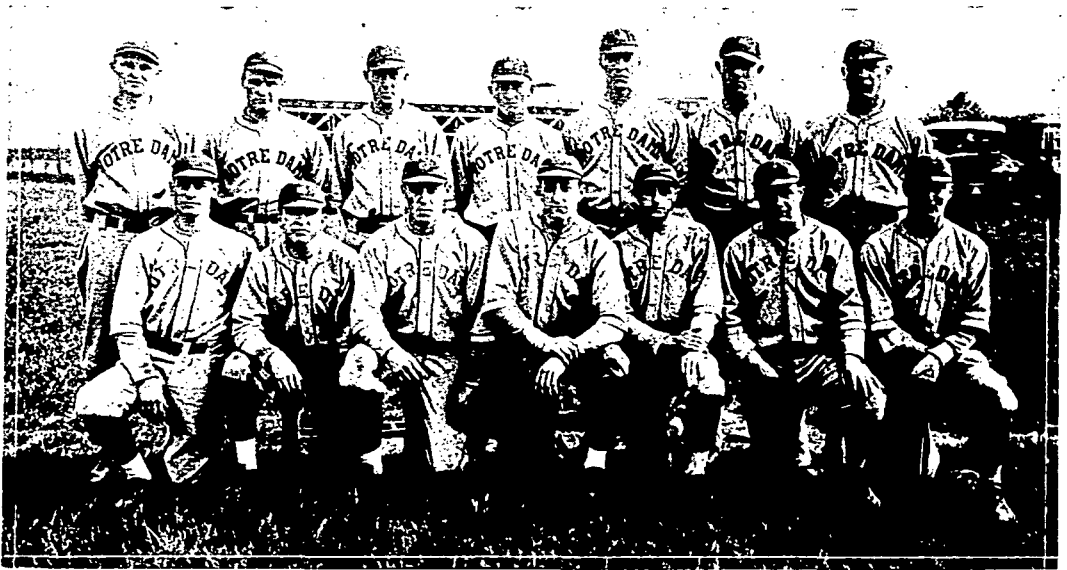


CHIEF MYERS

And that's just the start we've got early in March! So it's easy to see that there's interest. And there were at least eight other fellows on the teams that each of these men made. Nobody had visions of warming the bench when he was trying to make the team at Notre Dame, and this Office hopes that nobody who ever played ball at Notre Dame is thinking of warming the bench at Commencement.

If you have your old uniform, it brings back lots of things that a new one or a hit-and-miss outfit doesn't, but don't let haberdashery be the drawback to taking the field for the Big Game! It is a little early to expect definite results, but it isn't too early to begin planning to be here. And a line that you're planning to be on





THE 1923 TEAM

deck will help the Office in getting things set.

We've got a new Varsity Coach on the job. Come on back and show him that there's a twinkle in the old stars yet.



CY WILLIAMS AND ANDRES

### CALL QUEENSBURY!

The Alumni Secretary is trying to arrange to preside at the consolation meeting of the wives of returned Alumni, because from all indications wherever Alum-

ni foregather there will be argumentation and debating in all its pristine glamor. As witness:

"Let us have some of Notre Dame's famed debating—an extension course as it were. Here goes!

"The 1909 team was the greatest eleven which ever represented Notre Dame on the football field. Turning to the February *Alumnus*, page 180, you will find conclusive proof. Three members of the '09 team are found on the first team, three on the second, one on the third and one on the fourth. . . . Again, as a student I was privileged to witness the best N. D. football of all times. During my residence at Notre Dame I had the satisfaction of viewing the playing of five members of the first All-Time N. D. team, who were closely pressed by four members of the second team, one member of the third team, and one member of the fourth team, who added to the glory of that period and who played second fiddle to none in those days.

"Just to end all doubt as to the supremacy of those days we had as an end, the All-American Coach of all times, Rockne.

"The rules of this debate are that *The Alumnus* selections are correct and each contestant is his own judge. Let's go boys! What have you to say? The assistant unofficial coaches have the floor . . . Yours in superiority.  
Fred L. Steers, '11."

(And Fred didn't even have to wait till the next issue for an argument. Listen—)

"'Bout time that team of '13 (which I captained) got together as a mutual admiration society again. We were good and we should get together and admit it among ourselves where we would be assured of a good hearing.

"They probably have outgrown the respect they have for me, but I will add my efforts to yours in rounding up that crew. If you would assure them of another barrel of water (??) like we had in Texas I'm sure there would be a stampede . . . I'll be there,

Gus Dorais."

Now there is a difference of opinion about two teams that almost overlapped. Imagine what is going to happen when Judge McKeon and some of the other "early birds" and "The Four Horsemen" and their contemporaries join the argument. There'll have to be some new monograms awarded!

This argument and its sub-headings will take time. The actual Commencement dates are June 4th and 5th, but if you want to give your side of the question a break, you won't dare arrive later than the 3rd or leave before the morning of the 6th. Hammocks will probably be swung in Washington Hall for those unable to stand the all-night sessions.



U. N. D. NIGHT GREETINGS

It has been a fine custom on previous Notre Dame Nights for the various Clubs to send messages of greeting to The Rev. President of Notre Dame. This year, Daniel J. O'Connor, President of the Association, has proposed an expansion of this idea to include an exchange of messages of greeting and fraternity among the various Clubs. The idea needs no elaboration. Its unifying nature is evident. The April Alumnus will be issued before Universal Notre Dame Night and will try to carry the list of meeting places of the Clubs and Notre Dame groups that are observing the Night. (And by the way, Presidents please note and fill out the cards that were recently sent out inquiring this information.)



FEBRUARY GIFTS  
TO ALUMNI FUND

The Alumni Fund continues to grow as opportunity for responding to the special appeal of the Alumni Board permits. The response has enabled the Board to carry on the work of the Association so far without appealing to the University for aid, and unless the present conditions cease

suddenly, there is the prospect of ending a record year of activities with an added record of being on the right side of the book—even if the margin won't be great.

Those who have responded to the appeal since last issue of *The Alumnus* are as follows:

Notre Dame Club of Chicago	-----	\$500.00
Edw. C. McHugh	-----	50.00
Jos. M. Haley	-----	25.00
P. P. McElligott	-----	25.00
Robt. J. Andrews	-----	25.00
J. A. McNamara	-----	10.00
J. F. Musmaker	-----	10.00
Mark Duncan	-----	10.00
Fernando de Romana	-----	10.00
E. J. Weeks	-----	10.00
E. Morris Starrett	-----	5.00
E. F. Gruber	-----	5.00
J. K. Hammond	-----	5.00
R. J. Long	-----	5.00
E. J. O'Toole	-----	5.00
Charles W. Bachman	-----	5.00
F. J. Butler	-----	5.00
Anonymous	-----	1.00

Total Since February	-----	\$ 711.00
Total Previously In	-----	2048.39
Total Contributions and Pledges to Date	-----	\$2759.39

# ATHLETICS

J. P. McNAMARA

## UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME BASKETBALL SCHEDULE 1926-27

Notre Dame, 42—	Armour Tech., 12.
Notre Dame, 19—	Earlham, 8.
Notre Dame, 24—	Minnesota, 19.
Notre Dame, 19—	Iowa, 18.
Notre Dame, 28—	Northwestern, 20.
Notre Dame, 27—	Northwestern, 21.
Notre Dame, 41—	U. of Detroit, 25.
Notre Dame, 22—	Franklin, 34.
Notre Dame, 37—	Wabash, 26.
Notre Dame, 36—	Michigan State, 15.
Notre Dame, 28—	Marquette, 21.
Notre Dame, 19—	U. of Wiscon, 14.
Notre Dame, 36—	Franklin, 16.
Notre Dame, 35—	Wabash, 25.
Notre Dame, 36—	Pittsburgh, 16.
Notre Dame, 25—	Michigan State, 17.
Notre Dame, 24—	Detroit University, 23.
Notre Dame, 33—	Marquette U., 13.
Notre Dame, 35—	Creighton, 17.
Notre Dame, 34—	Creighton, 21.

## BASKETBALL

You fellows who can remember the dirt floor and the good old days when a basketball player at Notre Dame rated right alongside of stunt aviators and saxophone players as insurance risks will no doubt be interested in knowing that they held a big civic testimonial banquet for the "Victory Team" the other night. If you happen to wonder what a testimonial banquet is we might explain that the personages in attendance each rise and tell how, before seeing this squad, they were afflicted with nearsightedness, insomnia and so forth while after forty minutes of the Keogan Cure they are happy to report that they can hold their heads high and look any man in the eye—and so forth.

During the affair it seems as though the word championship was uttered several times. There was talk about everything from the St. Joe valley title to the international sweepstakes crown with references that indicated that those assembled thought a lot of this aggregation, which can consider itself pretty fair now that it has turned in a record of some thirty-eight wins out of forty starts over a two year

period. Jimmy Corcoran, the inimitable little sports editor from the *Chicago American*; W. F. Fox, Jr., of the *Indianapolis News*, whom a lot of you fellows knew as Frank back at Notre Dame in 1920 before he became the high potentate of sports scribes within the boundaries of this sovereign state of Indiana, and a certain Mr. Thomas Mills, had things to say on this occasion that would have made any member of the student body ambitious to learn to dribble, shoot and otherwise act in the manner of a basketballer.

And since we've pulled the student body into this it might be well to add that, experts or no experts, these Notre Dame students feel that their team is just about the best in the country. It happens that the critics, a major portion of the coaches including Dr. Meanwell of whom something has been said, all sort of agree with the aforementioned students. One thing is certain and that is that this quintet is the greatest that ever gave us a reason for humming the good old "Victory March" as we left the gym—be it at home or on foreign ground.

There were four members who made it rank right up in the money. These four were Johnnie Nyikos, captain, shooting star extraordinary and All-Western center last year; Louie Conroy who seems well on his way to having the honor of being the only man selected as an All-Western player for three straight seasons; Bucky Dahman, the Houdini of basketball who utilized more hidden ball tricks than Penn ever heard about; and Vince McNally who captained the team last season and who was one of the greatest floor players whom we have seen travel.

T'other evening these Big Four, as we playfully term them, turned in their last game while wearing the Blue and Gold suits. But they will always play in the traditions of Notre Dame men—gold bits of yesterdays with a blue haze of jealous years.

Their record is the greatest any net

team has left behind. And the going was not so easy. There was opposition enough for any ball club to shy at.

Northwestern, Wabash, Franklin, Iowa, Wisconsin, Pittsburgh, Marquette, Minnesota, Detroit and Creighton are names that are heard in hushed tones around the old hardwood circuit. Usually they represent teams that are hard to top but the season's record shows that is just what these men who are passing on did and did well.

### TRACK

A rapid survey of the sports world shows that all of the other activities are faring in great shape. The track squad took Marquette in fine style, showed nicely in the events entered at the Illinois Relays and then lost to Wisconsin. At present Joe Della Maria and his steppers are tuning up for the big Central Intercollegiate Track Meet to be held in the Notre Dame gym March nineteenth. This meet is open to all schools in the Mid-West having the three year rule and a freshman clause. Eighteen of the leading independent teams of the Central West have already entered men in this mammoth get-together that seems destined to grow into big things within a few years.

The spiked shoe brigade will then turn its attention to the outdoor season where prospects seem encouraging. The team, for the most part, has been in a formative stage and the outdoor days will probably see it whipping along in better shape. So far the main performers have been the three sprinters, probably the best balanced trio in the country, Joe Della Maria, Charlie Riley and Jack Elder. Then "Scrap" Young and Judge in the distances and Griffin, Lavelle, Bov, and others turning in nice marks in their events. McDonald, McGauley, Lahey, Quigley, have a corner on the middle distance steppings although they have some tough competition.

### SWIMMING

Ever hear of the Irish Navy?

Well, they're right in the swim and that's that. At least you will find any number of sports scribes around this part of the country who will admit this fact. These enterprising gentlemen splashed to

victories over Wooster, Carnegie Tech and University of Pittsburgh on their eastern tour and then smashed over an amazing win on Michigan State afterwards since we saw you last.

This is the third year that most of these swimmers have been together on Notre Dame teams. The squad is being coached by Jerry Rhodes, last year's captain, who is also somewhat of a star when it comes to this matter of breast stroke and all that. Then there's Captain Hugh McCaffery who has been adjudged as one of the neatest splashers in collegiate pools to-day. Hugh insists on breaking records no matter where he goes and probably several of the colleges he was so instrumental in defeating will remember him for some time to come. Then there's McTieman, McList who excel in their own line.

### BOXING AND WRESTLING

That Tex Rickard hasn't a complete monopoly is evident to anyone who will essay the whirr, whirr, whirr of the ropes and the rat, tat, tat, of the leather meeting the punching bag up in the apparatus room and watch Coach Tom Mills' charges work out. The boxing team has been successful this year. St. Xavier's of Cincinnati was the first victim of the old adage "training down to keep from going down" that is the rule of law among the punch-vendors representing this sequestered spot. Then the gentlemen from out-where-the-tall-corn groweth learned a thing about another kind of vegetable ears (notably cauliflower) and succumbed to a 4-2 count. Next came St. Xavier's, this time in their own ring, but that made little or no difference to the Irish and once again they rapped out a victory.

Guy Loranger, Jack McGrath, Pat Canny, Mike O'Keefe, Manuel Garcia and Frank Duquette are the men who have been responsible for most of the carnage within the squared circle for the Irish.

Wrestling, the "allay oop" sport, made its bow at Notre Dame this season and has been well received. Since a winning team was not expected in the first year, the idea being merely to get the sport on its feet, the actual results of the meets are of little

import, although the team performed most creditably. Suffice to say that the beginning as made this year promises great things to come next year and for years after. It is quite a task to "start anything" and the athletic office and especially Tom Mills are to be congratulated on the way this activity has come along.

## BASEBALL

### 1927 Schedule

- April 9—University of Purdue at Lafayette.
- April 15—Fort Benning at Fort Benning, Ga.
- April 16—Fort Benning at Fort Benning, Ga.
- April 18—Mercer University at Macon, Ga.
- April 19—Mercer University at Macon, Ga.
- April 20—University of Georgia at Athens, Ga.
- April 21—University of Georgia at Athens, Ga.
- April 22—University of Tennessee, at Knoxville, Tenn.
- April 23—University of Kentucky at Lexington, Ky.
- April 26—University of Wisconsin at Madison.
- April 29—West Virginia University at Notre Dame.
- April 30—West Virginia University at Notre Dame.
- May 4—University of Illinois at Champaign.
- May 7—Michigan State College at Notre Dame.
- May 11—Bradley Polytechnic at Notre Dame.
- May 14—Purdue University at Notre Dame.
- May 19—University of Iowa at Iowa City.
- May 20—University of Minnesota at Minneapolis.
- May 21—University of Minnesota at Minneapolis.
- May 25—Michigan State College at East Lansing.
- May 27—University of Iowa at Notre Dame.
- May 31—University of Wisconsin at Notre Dame.
- June 2—St. Viator College at Notre Dame.
- June 4—Alumni-Commencement Game.

From the above schedule it is evident that Coach Mills' team will be pretty well up on baseball by the time June 4 and the Alumni game come around. But they'll need to be to solve the system of the ex-stars.

Red Magevney and Paul Castner will be able to test the old south wings again and the Alumni outfielders will probably have a chance to get into the game with the heavy-hitting Red Smith leading the Varsity.

## CHANGE IN COACHING SYSTEM

The much talked of shift was called into play by the faculty board of athletic control recently and a revision in the athletic department at the University was the result. According to the new plans each major sport will be given into the charge of a separate individual acting as head coach in that sport. By this rule Mr. Knute K. Rockne becomes head coach of football; George Keogan, head coach of basketball; John Wendland '25, former captain of the track team, head coach of track; and Tommy Mills, head coach of baseball.

This is the system that is in vogue among all of the leading universities throughout the country. Its immediate effect at this time was to give baseball, which was formerly coached by George Keogan, into the care of Tommy Mills and at the end of this season John Wendland will succeed Rockne as mentor of the track teams of the university.

Mills has already taken the horsehide pastimers into hand and is working out daily material which looks mighty promising to say the least. He is being assisted in this work by Big Ed Walsh, former White Sox star who with two sons of his own at Notre Dame, is showing the cannonade squad a few new ones with which to make the opposing batsmen carve graceful arabesques in the clear ozone. John Wendland is having his second year as assistant track coach under the great Rockne who has produced such wonder thinly-clad squads in the past.

In the meantime the practice field out between the gym and Soph hall is thrilling to the call "All up!" In other words Rockne is back at it again. This time its spring training for the two hundred and sixty-seven worthies who reported about ten days ago and started in with vim and vigor. Rockne intends to cut this squad to one of some hundred and twenty-five members and then all workouts will be behind closed doors. Secrecy is the word that will reign for five weeks while the canny field leader prepares to meet the rule changes.

## "TOMMY" MILLS

There has been a figure about the campus this year that has grown to be familiar to the students, and who in a short space of time and in a most unobtrusive manner has proved himself to be a real



Notre Dame man in spirit, and a popular and capable coach in the varied work that has been assigned to him. He's Tommy Mills, who came down last Fall from Beloit College, and helped Rockne turn his football team into the fine organization that enjoyed such a successful season. Supposedly Mills name is Thomas, but he's the kind of a fellow that you'd never think of calling Thomas. He's a lot on the order of Rock, both in appearance and manner, and

he has a lot of Rock's versatility as a coach, speaker, etc.

Mills was a great all around athlete, starring in football, basketball and baseball, and being rather adept at boxing and wrestling. He was graduated from Beloit College and entered professional baseball, where he played with the Western and Three-I leagues. In 1911 he entered the coaching profession at Omaha High School. He coached champion teams in all sports at the Nebraska school until 1915 when he became head coach at Creighton University.

He was head coach of football, basketball and baseball at Creighton for six years. Creighton's basketball and football standards were exceptionally high during this period, and Mills teams lost but three games in four years. In 1921 he returned to Beloit, where he won three championships out of six in the Mid-West Conference in both football and basketball.

He had no regular baseball organization at Beloit, but with an unofficial organization and practically free lance scheduling of games, Mills carried the Beloit baseball records on successfully.

Mills took over the boxing and wrestling teams at Notre Dame this year and to date the boxing team has been undefeated,

conquering several squads that proved too much for the team last year. Wrestling has been given a start under Mills and is becoming popular.

Versatility is one of the new coach's strong points. He is a dramatic director of considerable ability and has coached plays, pageants, etc., wherever his other work has called him. He has joined heartily in the University Theater Movement having conquered several teams that proved class in dramatics. In addition, Tommy has spoken at several banquets and organization meetings and in general has entered into the life of Notre Dame so effectively that his appointment as head baseball coach probably means that Notre Dame has won him. Mills has a family who will probably move to South Bend when the children have finished the school year at Beloit.

## AHOY AGAIN!

This Dix Reunion Chart has some of the same sweet simplicity of the income tax report (hearsay). So gaze again upon the maze of years. Pick your Class—the vertical column on the left. Then pick the current year—1917 as far as most of us are concerned. If your Class is marked again in the 1927 column, you're due here in June. This year, if you're a member of the Classes of 1877, 1890, 1891, 1892, 1893, 1902, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912 or 1922, you're scheduled to appear.

But for those Arts and Letters men who never had the training under Brother Cyprian (and who certainly have been educated by income tax tangles) the Alumni Secretary has evolved a plan which reduces the Dix Chart to A B C simplicity:

Study the Chart as directed in Lesson A. Ask your Class-mates if they're coming. Get your business affairs straightened up,—will, etc. Say good-bye to your wife or somebody, and be here June 4 and 5. Under this plan nobody can make a mistake.







G. EWING, Washington, D. C., and GEORGE J. GROSS, Reading, Pa., complete the registered list of graduates for 1877, and it is hoped that every one of these men will be present in June.

The Alumnus received word this month of the death of PATRICK H. HAGAN, who registered at Notre Dame from Jolleytown, Po. Mr. Hagan was a student at the University from 1874 to 1880.

1888

John L. Heinemann, Connerville, Ind.

Word has just been received at the Alumni Office of the death shortly before Christmas of THOMAS F. HANSARD, A. B. '88, in Akron, Ohio. Mr. Hansard had been among the unclaimed at the Alumni Office for some months. No details of his death were given.

1890

Louis P. Chute, 7 University Ave.,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

#### "SENIOR" REUNION IN JUNE

Under the new Dix Plan the members of the 1890 Class will reunite with the men who were juniors, sophs and freshmen when '90 was the graduating class. The nucleus for a fine Class Reunion is found at Notre Dame in the persons of Rev. JOHN CAVANAUGH, C. S. C., former President of Notre Dame; Rev. JAMES FRENCH, Superior of the Holy Cross Mission priests; and Rev. RICHARD COLLENTINE, Superior of the Novitiate at Notre Dame. THOMAS J. McKEON, a Director of the Alumni Association, and WILLIAM P. McPHEE, former President, are also members of the Class of '90. JAMES H. MACKAY, Spokane, Wash., and FERDINAND LONG, New York City, are the only two members of the Class, except possibly Mr. McPhee in Denver, who is outside the "convenient attendance zone."

1891

Louis P. Chute, Secretary

#### "JUNIOR" REUNION IN JUNE

The Class of '91 will meet in June those men who were seniors, sophomores and freshmen when '91 was centering on the Prom.

1892

Louis P. Chute, Secretary

#### "SOPHOMORE" REUNION IN JUNE

The new Dix plan brings the men of '92

back to meet the senior, junior and freshmen school-mates of their sophomore year. BENJAMIN C. BACHRACH, of Chicago; DUDLEY M. SHIVELY, President of the Notre Dame Club of the St. Joseph Valley; OTTO ROTHERT, Louisville, Ky.; FREDERICK B. CHUTE, Minneapolis; DEZERA CARTIER, Ludington, Mich.; are among a few of the men who ought to be present for certain.

1893

Louis P. Chute, Secretary

#### "FRESHMEN" REUNION IN JUNE

1893 ought to be back in a body under the new Dix plan to show the men who were seniors, juniors and sophomores when '93 was green that even freshmen can amount to something. A special train from Washington ought to bring up TIMOTHY T. ANSBERRY, DR. JAMES A. FLYNN and CHARLES P. NEILL. The Middle West has held most of the other members of the Class, which means that distance isn't going to be an excuse for not being on hand June 3rd, 4th and 5th.

1899

Dr. Jos. F. Duane, 418 Jefferson Bldg.,  
Peoria, Ill.

REV. MATTHEW SCHUMACHER, C. S. C., Director of Studies at Notre Dame, attended the investiture ceremonies of Rt. Rev. Arthur J. Drossaerts, the first Archbishop of San Antonio, Texas, in that city last month. Father Schumacher, former President of St. Edward's University, Austin, acted as chaplain to Archbishop Hurth of Austin during the ceremonies. Rev. JOSEPH BURKE, C. S. C., '04, present President of St. Edward's, was also in San Antonio for the investiture and acted as chaplain to Bishop Morris, of Little Rock.

1901

Joseph J. Sullivan, 160 N. LaSalle St.,  
Chicago, Ill.

A short note reached the Alumni Office just as these notes were going to press that CHAUNCEY YOCKEY, of Milwaukee, has just been elected Exalted Ruler of the Wisconsin Elks for the fourteenth consecutive time. The Alumnus is not fully informed on the practices of Elkdom, but this would seem to be a rather singular distinction.

1902

Peter P. McElligott, 320 W. 23rd St.,  
New York City.

**SILVER JUBILEE YEAR**

The Class of 1902 is going to have to draw its members from the four corners of the United States, going out of bounds even, in several instances. But it's the Silver Anniversary of the Class' graduation and every member of the Class is urged to make special efforts to be back at Notre Dame. For instance, there's **GEORGE BURKITT, JR.**, from Houston, Texas; **WILLIAM H. CAMERON** from Centralia, Wash.; **FRANCISCO GASTON** from Havana, Cuba; **ALBERT KRUG** from Los Angeles, Calif.; **FRANCIS SCHWAB** from New York City; **CLEMENT C. MITCHELL** from Chicago, Ill., and **FATHER FREDERICK McKEON** right on the campus. It will be hard for these men to get together, but think of the real Reunion!

1904

Robert E. Proctor, Monger Bldg., Elkhart,  
Ind.

Another "Hello Bill" Alumnus steps out from the ranks. **FRANK J. LONERGAN**, Portland, Ore., will lead the Portland lodge of Elks for the coming year, the Portland Telegram of March 4 announces. The installation will take place April 17.

1906

Thomas A. Lally, Paulsen Bldg., Spokane,  
Wash.

A letter from **PRESIDENT DAN O'CONNOR**, '05, encloses the following interesting news from **FRANK SHAUGHNESSY**. "Shag" is coaching at McGill University, Montreal. His football team last fall tied for the Canadian championship and his hockey team is tied at present for the hockey title. "Big Shag's" hockey team has trimmed Yale, Harvard and Princeton. That's going some. Shag is going to be with us at Commencement, he tells me. "Put me down for a position on the Alumni team." That should make for increased odds on the Alumni to beat the Varsity.

1909

John B. Kanaley, 29 S. LaSalle St., Chicago  
"SENIOR" REUNION IN JUNE

Members of the Class of 1909 had bet-

ter be back in full force this year. The Dix Plan will bring you in contact again with the three lower classes of your senior year. And that will be the time for every good senior of 1909 to come to the aid of his class. The list shows plenty of members still close to Notre Dame, **PROF. JAMES HINES**, who is teaching history, 1909 included, to the present generation, and **HOWARD "CAP" EDWARDS**, one of the "patron saints" of athletics at Notre Dame, and **JOHN SCHINDLER**, who is practicing law in Mishawaka.

1910

Rev. M. L. Moriarity, 527 Beall Ave.,  
Wooster, O.

**"JUNIOR" REUNION IN JUNE**

1910 hasn't much to worry about. With Very Rev. **GEORGE FINNIGAN, C. S. C.**, Provincial of the Holy Cross Order for the United States, holding open house for his class-mates at Notre Dame, and live members from coast to coast with Notre Dame a logical meeting place, there ought to be at least 100% attendance. In fact Father Moriarty will probably turn in more members of the Class present at reunion than there were at graduation.

1911

Fred L. Steers, First National Bank Bldg.,  
Chicago, Ill.

**"SOPHOMORE" REUNION IN JUNE**

Why a Class like 1911 should turn out to be a disappointment to The Alumnus, neither the Class Secretary nor the Alumni Office has been able to figure out. But the fact remains that a Class that is live on paper turns out to be dead when results have been asked. The Class Secretary has been asking to resign regularly, and has been kept in only by the undying faith of the Alumni Office that out of such a list of names some good is bound to come. And this June is the time for it. The things that are said about sophomores aren't usually very flowery, and with the seniors, juniors and freshmen of your sophomore year back at Notre Dame, it's going to be just too bad if you aren't back to stick up for '11.

The "Old Guard" is on hand making preparations, but they are going to have more than their hands full unless the re-

inforcements arrive June 4th and 5th. REV. WILLIAM CAREY, rector of Sorin Hall; Rev. PATRICK J. CARROLL, Vice-President of the University; PEDRO DE LANDERO, who is teaching at Notre Dame this semester; REV. T. A. LAHEY; REV. JAMES McELHONE; REV. CHAS. MILTNER, Dean of the Arts and Letters College; REV. JOHN O'HARA, whose *Religious Survey* has attracted national interest this month; and REV. FRANCIS WENNINGER, Dean of the College of Science, are among the Class members on the campus.

KEENE P. FITZPATRICK, West Coast representative of Liberty Magazine, has had his offices moved from Los Angeles to San Francisco. Mr. Fitzpatrick is now at 821 Kohl Bldg., California and Montgomery Sts., San Francisco. The change was made March 1st.

## 1912

Edmund H. Savord, Sandusky, Ohio  
"FRESHMEN" REUNION IN JUNE

It's very probable when the Class of '12 was in its Freshman year that the predictions of the three other classes concerning its future were not of a promising nature. The Class of 1912 under the new Dix Plan will reunite with these three classes June 3rd, 4th and 5th. What a chance! It doesn't seem necessary to say any more. You've probably heard from Mr. Savord and have your plans already made by this time.

FRED STEWART, C. E., who went from Centerville, Ia., to Florida, is city engineer at Hollywood, according to a recent report. These Hollywoods and these Iowans seem to have many mutual attractions.

(Insert between '99 and '09)

## 1913

James R. Devitt, 921 Engineers' Bldg.,  
Cleveland, O.

A card from Ing. ANTONIO ALDRETE RIVAS indicates that he is working in Mexico City, but temporarily, as his mail is still being sent to Madero No. 682, Guadalajara, Jal., Mex.

## 1914

Frank H. Hayes, Union Bank of Chicago,  
25 N. Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill.

Hugh Fullerton recently picked KNUTE

K. ROCKNE as the second greatest football coach in this country "because not only is he a great field leader, but also a strong moral force." Yost of Michigan in substance, on the ruling in favor of the was placed first. But listen to this report, one-second shift at the Football Rules Committee meeting in New York this month. "Coaches from the Western Conference and prominent eastern schools were present to oppose retaining the one-second shift, but the ruling practically follows the recommendations of K. K. Rockne, director of athletics of the University of Notre Dame."

Take a look at the letter from GUS DORAIS in another part of the issue. The Class of '13 had better be on hand to help Gus at Commencement in his debate with FRED STEERS, '11, who has a communication along with the letter from Gus.

## 1915

James E. Sanford, N. W. Ayer & Son, 164  
W. Jackson Blvd., Chicago, Ill.

Mr. Sanford was at the meeting of the Alumni Board in Chicago on Feb. 14, one of the first meetings that health has permitted him to attend. He is back in the harness with enthusiasm enough to make up for time lost, with usurer's interest. A few letters from the Class of '15, and a big turnout for Commencement wouldn't be a bad way to celebrate.

An interesting communication was recently received from HAROLD F. MUNGER, B. Arch. '15. Munger has just completed work in Toledo, where he supervised the construction of a new City Hall. He is making plans to continue work in Toledo.

## 1916

T. P. Galvin, 708 First Trust Bldg., Ham-  
mond, Ind.

Ways and means are being sought for keeping this Class away from the University next June, but so far none seems to be adequate. The "friends in camp", REVS. J. HUGH O'DONNELL, E. VINCENT MOONEY, PATRICK J. HAGGERTY, and H. G. GLUECKERT, have been too zealous in extending invitations. The trouble is that if the Class of '16 gets on the campus the other Classes are going to have such

a terrible time keeping up the same amount of pep, and no other Class seems to be used to it.

DR. JOHN F. DELPH, who has been a member of the faculty of Medicine at Northwestern U., has been granted a fellowship under Dr. Chevalier Jackson, famous surgeon and professor of bronchoscopy and esophagoscopy at the U. of Pa. Jackson was recently awarded a Bok prize for his work. He developed the method of removal of foreign bodies from the lungs by the insertion of tubes through the mouth, and has contributed to the development of laryngeal surgery. Dr. Delph will return to Northwestern after his studies under Dr. Jackson and open a course there.

REV. JOHN CAVANAUGH dropped the following note of interest to The Alumnus: The REV. FATHER FRANCISCO MARIN, O. P., LL. D., '16, is Prof. of Theology at the world's famous University of Alvercinum, Fribourg, Switzerland. Though he has recently passed through an illness that caused some disquietude among his friends, his present condition of health is excellent. A letter just received from Father Marin brings the sad intelligence of the death of FATHER MANUEL FERNANDEZ, B. S., '15, M. S., '16, a Dominican who was a student at the University at the same time with Father Marin, and also information about the serious illness of FATHER DOMINGO MACALLANA. On the other hand, FATHER CANDIDO is doing excellent work in the Phillipines. Father Marin will be remembered as one of the best loved students on the campus who taught Spanish during his residence here.

The Alumni Office has had a hard time getting DR. J. A. McCARTHY moved from Chicago to Whiting, Ind. (539-11th St.). For months the change of address has been passed around the eternal triangle, alumnus to Alumni Office to the Ave Maria, where the mailing list is kept. Doc is about ready to perform a little laryngeal surgery on the Alumni Secretary (from the outside of the neck) so class-mates are advised to note the Whiting address.

1917

John U. Riley, 234 Pleasant St., Arlington, Mass.

DANIEL HILGARTNER, JR., gets his

big workout this month in Chicago when he acts as official representative of the University Glee Club at the Intercollegiate Glee Club contest for the Middle West District at Orchestra Hall on March 21. Danny has already sat in on so many meetings that he can sing all of the contest songs without a director. And in addition to getting things set for the contest all he has to do is to have all the Mid-West N. D. Alumni in Orchestra Hall on the night of the 21st as a cheering section.

REV. MICHAEL MULCAIRE has been bearing the chief burdens of the debating teams this season, and they have been burdens, too. The innovation of the one-judge system, and the growing preponderance of public speaking principles in debating as factors in the decision have changed debating at Notre Dame, and the Coach has had his hands full.

BERNARD VOLL has been active in the N. D. Club of the St. Joseph Valley, organizing the power of that organization, along with PRES. DUDLEY SHIVELY, for the greater glory of Notre Dame Night, a Glee Club Concert, Commencement plans, etc.

1918

John A. Lemmer, 309 S. 7th St., Escanaba, Mich.

The Class Secretary himself was pretty busy last month, organizing the uninformed citizenry of Escanaba for the meeting at which K. K. Rockne was the outstanding speaker. From newspaper accounts, John's efforts have established Notre Dame and "Rock" in the far north on the customary "Rock" foundation.

BOB McAULIFFE has been rather seriously ill, being confined to St. Joseph's Hospital for a number of weeks. An operation was threatened as this note was written, but Bob's condition was reported as favorable.

1919

Clarence W. Bader, 619 Pierce St., Gary, Ind.

DR. F. N. BONINE, LL. D., famous eye specialist of Niles, Mich., won new Notre Dame laurels this winter. Louis Conroy, All-Western back guard of the basketball team, was threatened the first of the season with eye trouble of a serious nature

that would have kept him off the team. He was rushed to Niles and the result was that Doc Bonine fixed him up so that he was at his regular berth all season, with results that are too well-known to mention.

## 1920

Vincent F. Fagan, Notre Dame, Ind.

VINCE has been so busy personally in connection with the construction of the new Dining Hall that news from him has been scarce. However, the new Dining Hall shows signs of attention, and when Aug. 1 rolls around, Vince has advised the Alumni Office to have a camera-man ready.

AL RYAN, former Secretary of the N. D. Alumni and now Regional Director of the National Catholic Alumni Federation, spoke before the Alumni of St. Mary's College at St. Mary's, Kansas, last month. Al addressed the organization meeting which was held in Chicago at an earlier date. K. K. ROCKNE has also appeared before the St. Mary's group in Kansas. Ray Graham, of the Graham Bros. Truck Co., and the President of the St. Mary's Alumni, stopped at Chicago for Al on his way from New York to St. Mary's.

LEO L. WARD, C. S. C., who is now at The Catholic University, Washington, won literary laurels recently when a story of his appeared in the January issue of *The Midland*, a magazine published at the University of Iowa. This magazine is ranked with the *Forum* and the *Dial* by America's foremost critics. The background of the story is Indiana's farmland.

ALBERT A. UEBBING, formerly of Buffalo, is now located at 6147 Greenwood Ave., Chicago, Ill. His brother, JOHN UEBBING, '24, is at 819 Fairfield Ave., Fort Wayne. Mr. Uebbing was at the annual meeting of the N. D. Club of Chicago, Feb. 14.

JAMES L. TRANT is located in Dayton, O., (437 Linwood St.).

PAUL R. CONAGAN has moved from N. Michigan Ave. in Chicago to Seneca Hotel, Chestnut and Seneca Sts.

Sunday, Feb. 20, was "MADIGAN DAY" at St. Mary's College, Oakland, Calif. The Day was a tribute to Edward P. "Slip" Madigan, football coach at St. Mary's. The program for the day included the presenta-

tion of an automobile to "Slip," a varsity-alumni baseball game, benediction, get-together period, and a dinner.

## 1921

Alden J. Cusick, 1940 Curtis Street, Denver, Colo.

J. P. McEVOY, El. '21, author of "The Potters," "Americana," etc., and Mrs. McEvoy, were in South Bend recently and visited the University. A son who has been in the Minims accompanied them when they left.

NORMAN C. BARRY has his work cut out for him for the coming year in Alumni matters, having been elected President of of the Notre Dame Club of Chicago at its annual meeting, Feb. 14.

REV. PATRICK J. DALTON, who has been at Sacred Heart College, Watertown, Wis., is now pastor of Holy Name Church, Henderson, Ky.

## 1922

Frank Blasius, Jr., 24 W. Main St., Logan, O.

JEROME F. DIXON has moved from Dixon, Ill., and is practicing law in Rockford—701 Forest City Bank Bldg. He is associated with North, Linscott, Gibbons and North.

THOMAS EMMETT OWENS is with the Nelson Construction Co., in South Bend, and Mrs. Owens and a 7 months' old baby are helping him in his work.

CLARENCE "PAT" MANION has been attracting attention as the author of a fine article in the last edition of *The Notre Dame Lawyer*, "What Price Prohibition?"

## 1923

Henry F. Barnhart, 343 S. State St., Marion, Ohio

JOSEPH CASASANTA has been working overtime getting his Glee Club ready for the Intercollegiate contest in Chicago on March 21. The club will sing as the "campus song" required, Joe's own composition, "The Hike Song."

FRANK DORIOT is in South Bend rather frequently. He is living at the Auditorium Hotel, in Chicago.

TOM LIEB was at Notre Dame last month, stopping over when the Purdue track team played host to Wisconsin at

Lafayette. Tom hasn't been any the worse for Wisconsin wear and was optimistic about Glen Thistlethwaite, ex-Northwestern coach, the new Badger boss.

PATRICK J. O'CONNELL, LL. B., died Feb. 16 after a lingering illness of two years. His home was at 2235 North Racine Ave., Chicago. He is survived by his widow and a daughter. Pat had passed the Illinois Bar exams and was practicing prior to his sickness.

CY DUNNE, a student at Notre Dame from '19 to '23, was married at St. Matthew's Church, South Bend, on February 24 to Miss Gretchen Baumgartner of South Bend. EDWARD FLEMING, '23, acted as best man, and Miss Jeanette Martin was the bridesmaid. Mr. and Mrs. Dunne left for Colorado after the wedding, where Mr. Dunne will be employed.

1924

Richard F. Gibbons, 520 Homer Laughlin Bldg., Los Angeles, Calif.

A letter from FERNANDO L. DE RO-

MANA, Box 98, Arequipa, Peru, S. A., indicates that Peruvian prosperity has not suffered from the Central American unrest to the north. Pizarro probably wouldn't have taken the draft treasure, but this office welcomed it as cordially as any Inca nugget that ever crossed the Peruvian border.

J. HOWARD HALEY, in spite of married life and a very attractive home, has managed to keep active in the St. Joseph Valley Alumni Club, probably to keep an eye on his brother, ART, and PAUL CASTNER. He has also continued teaching accounting at the University, probably with truer appreciation of its merits than ever before.

1925

John W. Scallan, the Allerton Club, Chicago, Ill., Secretary

"Justice of the Peace EDMUND J. LUTHER and Miss Phoebe Jane Welch, of Robinson, Ill., were married Tuesday, March 1, in Bridgeport, Ill., by Rev. C. A.

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Slattery, of St. Elizabeth's Roman Catholic Church . . ." reads a recent announcement from a South Bend newspaper. Eddie and his bride have returned to South Bend where he is practicing law and the new duties of the J. P. court.

BILL SHEEHAN is the proud father of another son, born March 3. And "proud" doesn't really do Bill justice. Cigars were passed around at a luncheon of the St. Joe Valley alumni committees on March 7, and all in all the new arrival in the Sheehan household has put Bill among the leaders in the Class for post-graduate activity, this being the second son. Bill's tire business and accessory trade is being expanded to make room for the new heir.

A letter from AL FELLNER, Belleville, Ill., reveals another member of the Class practically fallen away. Al's engagement to Miss Martha Yoch, of Belleville, was announced Feb. 23 and the wedding is scheduled for April 20. Al is Assistant Sales Manager of the Roesch Enamel Range Co. and has been busy for the past

several months in fighting an outlaw strike in the plant.

A letter from a nurse in St. Anthony Hospital, Oklahoma City, Okla., announces that JOHN T. QUIGLEY is ill with typhoid fever there. John's illness is severe, the nurse said, but not serious, and he was beginning to improve.

JOE SHELLEY'S last Alumnus came back last month marked unclaimed, but a letter to Joe showed him to be still very much at the address given. Probably the postman in the Glenwood Ave. district, Chicago, was thinking of Shelley the poet, or knows Joe by some other name.

OSCAR LAVERY, who is teaching at Notre Dame, had the pleasure of helping entertain his former public speaking teacher, Phildelah Rice, who gave several readings in Washington Hall recently.

BION VOGEL is keeping bachelor apartments in Akron, Ohio, with SYLVESTER "LEFTY" STEINLE, '22, at the Perkins Apts.

HUGH "RED" MAGEVNEY is coaching the Memphis High School athletic teams and has his hands full at present with spring football, baseball and basketball. Red said his basketball team was training for the state tournament, but that he had a green team and didn't hope to take the state championship again, repeating the 1925-6 success. Red expects to be in Wisconsin in June, but has promised to try to be on hand for the Varsity-Alumni baseball game.

WALTER "BUTCH" HAECKER, having studied the rubber industry through the medium of the Wurst industry in Toledo, is with the B. F. Goodrich Co. in the Pittsburgh branch, according to a letter from FRANK STEEL, Akron. Butch was in Akron but they recognized him and he had to transfer to Pittsburgh.

1926

Jerry Hayes, Columbia University, Portland, Ore.

FRANK A. DEITLE, Benton Harbor, has had to enter the Glockner Sanitarium, Colorado Springs, Colo., because of illness. This is the Sanitarium where REV. JOHN CAVANAUGH stayed for a while last year and if Frank improves as rapidly as Father Cavanaugh, the '26 fellows will

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have to hurry up and write to him to catch him at that address.

BILL DOOLEY, editor of the Scholastic last year, was on the campus occasionally during the week-end of Feb. 26 and 27. Bill was on leave from the Peoria Journal for the Junior Prom at St. Mary's. Journalism even in Peoria seems to agree with Mr. Dooley, but he appeared to be entirely happy during his stay here.

CHARLEY MARGUET and ROGER NOLAN were about the campus recently. Roge will play ball with Buffalo again this year, he said, and promised to be on hand for the Alumni game at Commencement if possible.

A nice check from BOB ANDREWS in Florida almost caused the Alumni Secretary to sink a little money in Florida real estate. Several factors dictated that almost. Bob states that a number of former N. D. men are around Miami—ED BARRY, DUTCH VOGELER, VIC TURNER and JIMMIE O'BRIEN, among others.

Word from JOHN TUOHY, Valmora, New Mexico, reports that he is gaining health rapidly.

The Class Secretary just came under the wire this month with the following interesting, though brief, information: (He has asked that a special appeal be made for news during the next three months, for the last three issues of The Alumnus this year.)

My dear Jim:

It doesn't take long for the fifth of the month to come around, does it? I hope some of the boys have been sending letters into the Alumni Office, as my notes are few.

Yesterday there was a letter from PAUL HARRINGTON. The address is now 115 N. Pearl Street, Buffalo, New York. The next time Paul writes, however, he may be in Scappoose or even Niles, Michigan. He and STAN BOYLE are connected with the Practice School of M. I. T. and at present he is working at the Lackawanna Plant of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation. Paul writes: "I often hear from GAIL GURNETT, who is thriving at De Pue, Illinois, in the home town sulfuric acid plant; and MAL KNAUS, who is promoted to office work on specification and design with the General Electric at Schenectady. AL

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VELIA'S home is here in Buffalo, but I haven't had a chance to look him up yet. Besides the Research Lab. App. Chem. Fellowship I have, the Institute gave Stan Boyle and me a \$150.00 scholarship for this semester, so we aren't kicking. I'm off to New York to take another licking from Carr in the Nat. A. A. U., so will say so-long." Regarding the last statement, I'll wager that before poles are salted away for another Fall, Paul will be smiling down at Sabin from a height ver yclose to 14 feet.

McELLIGOTT wrote a delightful letter from 11 Linnaean Street, Cambridge, Mass. He joined the boys at Harvard and is now looking forward to lots of work. Mac gave me the pleasant news that JIMMY STACK was elected Secretary of his class at Northwestern.

A surprise came from Belleville, New Jersey—an interesting note from ED HARGAN. Ed is struggling with the Law at Columbia in New York and RAY KEISER is keeping him company. He reports that he saw AL MEYERS and WIL. McELROY during the course of the year, but that

these men are buried in the "arts." And on TOM SHERIDAN: "Tom Sheridan, my one time room-mate, is endeavoring to rejuvenate the engineering department of the New York Telephone Company by introducing some of Instructor Sharma's theories of Telephony in Brooklyn. I guess Tom still maintains a residence in Bergenfield, but he had always either 'just left' or 'not come home yet,' when I call. That's nothing new, however, to one who has tried to locate him on the campus."

AL CONNOLLY, M. A. Boy Guidance, seems to be doing things with the Boy's Club of Detroit. The Detroit Club, according to a report of executives, has enjoyed the most rapid and healthy growth in the history of any Boy's Club in the International Federation. Al states that the Boy Guidance course at Notre Dame is great stuff, putting its graduates as far ahead when they complete the course as most practical workers are at the end of 25 years or so in the business. Al has also promised to steal a week-end at Notre Dame when business and family affairs permit.

## Local Alumni Clubs

### NOTRE DAME CLUB OF AKRON OHIO

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