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Alumni Religious Bulletin

BY REV. JOHN P. LYNCH, C.S.C.

("The Alumni Religious Bulletin" is henceforth to be a regular feature of the ALUMNUS, and in spirit, as well as in name, it will be more than a little reminiscent of the "Religious Bulletin" that has been such a potent part of campus life for the past 20 years. . . . Writer of the "Alumni Religious Bulletin": Rev. John P. Lynch, C.S.C., '25. Father Lynch finished in law at Fordham and practiced law in New York before he returned to Notre Dame in 1931 to enter the Congregation. He was ordained in 1937. He was assistant prefect of religion and prefect of religion until 1942, when he was given a leave of absence for a year. Father Lynch will be glad to answer any alumni inquiries directed to him in care of the ALUMNUS—Eds.)

KEEP THE FAITH!

That's as good a title as any for a few thoughts on religion, but come to think of it, it's too negative. It signifies too much a defensive attitude, just holding on. We Catholics have been on the defensive too long, just keeping the Faith (though that's a job, at times) and keeping it out of sight too, failing to bring it into our business, social and political life.



Father Lynch

Too many millions of Catholics have just "kept the Faith," on the defensive, instead of leading the way as is their right and duty on fundamental principles. While we've been on the defensive, others have grabbed the ball and run—the wrong way. Hence, the mess today, with no umpire to guide, rule and prevent dirty play. Sure, the metaphor is mixed, but so is the world—and almost everybody in it except the See of Peter who sees back almost 2000 years and also way ahead; so far and clearly ahead that he predicted and warned us about all this savagery, mess and confusion, 10, 20, 50, 100, 500 years ago.

OFFENSE IS THE BEST DEFENSE

Didn't Rock always use that principle? There's a lot of fun on the offense too; knocks and bruises, yes, but you can give it too. On the defense, it's mostly just

taking it, just holding on, and you never win by just holding on.

Rock had a lot of what is needed today in Catholics, when you come to think of it. Remember once the game was going badly? Rock sent in a young player, reminding him, "I'm sending you in there to fight." The kid eyed Rock solemnly with, "I'll fight in there till I die." Rock roared back, "Cut out that dying stuff. We need an offense, not defense. Fight to live—and win."

WHAT IS THE SPIRIT OF NOTRE DAME?

Fundamentally, it is spiritual though we see it more often influencing the body on the gridiron. It must be fundamentally spiritual if it has anything to do with Our Lady, and that spirituality shouldn't be anything negative, colorless, lifeless, fearful, defensive. "Fighting Irish" gives the lie to all those weasel words.

Yet doesn't the average Catholic regard the state of grace (the first step, in spiritual life) quite like this: "The state of grace is absence of sin," i.e., enmity with God?

All right, suppose you are married to Sally. I don't know it, and casually ask you if you love Sally. You answer merely, "Well, I'm not an enemy of hers"; or after the glorious 1942 Seahawk game, I ask you, "How did N.D. come out?" and you answer, "Well, she didn't lose."

Have you given me 1/1000th of the real picture of your true relations with Sally or of the game? Sure not; and "absence of sin" is just the absence of black compared to the blinding glory which is ours when in the state of grace. We then participate in the Divine Nature, are brothers of Christ, Sons of God and members of the Mystical Body of Christ. These aren't just nice phrases, but very explicitly explained, defended and backed up by the Rock of Peter.

That's our dignity, when in the state of grace, and it's subject to increase by every good act, every prayer, every Sacrament. All this, with its resultant dignity, was bought by Christ at the price of His Blood, so that we wouldn't just keep the Faith but share and spread it. With His Blood He paid for us, — gladly, willingly, lovingly, without a lot of whining and haggling. We're pretty expensive creatures and we shouldn't go to rust. Christ didn't expect us to crawl through life with our "dimmers" or black-out lights on. He asked us to be the

light on the mountain top, afraid of nothing and never "blacking out."

It's only when we're in the state of grace that we really live. And we ought to fight, not just against dying, but to live more—and to win; and to win not just for our own puny selves but above all for something outside, much bigger than ourselves—for Some One.

That theme is outlined in a story printed long ago in *The Ave Maria*, reprinted in the *Bulletin* maybe while you were here. Let's read it again and chew it over.

I AM THIRD

An outstanding leader on a college campus was admired by all for his excellent good nature, spirit of happiness, of charity, and of fearless leadership. One night a bunch gathered in his room to share his box from home.

During the chatter and horse-play one asked him: "Why that framed motto on your desk there—'I am third'? Is it a song or a story of a broken heart?"

The host ignored the question but his evasion and the guest's insistence centered everybody's attention on the motto. He had to explain:

"Well, I'll tell you. That's something that my mother gave to me just before I left for college. She is the finest woman that God ever put on this earth. She told me it was her motto and the cause of all her happiness, and that I'd have happiness too if I kept it. That's all there is to it. — Now on with the eats. I've been talking while you robbers have been eating and I've got to catch up."

"You'll eat when you give us the whole story. It's a good beginning, but what's the ending? What does the motto mean?" He was one against ten and couldn't dodge.

"All right, if you insist," he said after a pause. "It being my mother, her words sunk in: 'Here's the secret of my happiness, son; you won't find any better in any college or in any place in the world, than this—God is first; others are second, and I am third.'"

It takes years to see the wisdom of that, but you older alumni as you check back can see its truth in your own life and in others. Forgetting who comes first and second is the main cause of the corruption and misery, the greed, selfishness and savagery in the present world, internationally, nationally and individually. Just apply it in some personal lives you know, in business, in some marriages.

Incidentally, when did you last bring home some flowers or candy for the wife? Why not shock her by some unexpected show of affection?

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Club Communion Breakfasts May 2

Peace and Honoring of Service Men to be Theme; New Plan to Supplant Universal Notre Dame Night for This Year.

These are not normal times, as you know too well. Your alumni Board and the University administration have tried to work out a plan for Universal Notre Dame Night in keeping with current conditions.

Monday, May 3, the Monday after Easter Monday, would have been the traditional date. And Sunday, May 2, would have been the traditional reunion of alumni in conjunction with Commencement.

Travel restrictions and accelerated program have made the May 2 Commencement merely a convocation, without the fanfare of the Commencement week-end. And, of course, there will be no alumni reunion.

Banquet and transportation restrictions have made evening meetings of the Clubs difficult at best.

So, when the motives of this 1943 Night, the 20th annual program, came up, the whole picture changed.

Peace, and the honoring of the Notre Dame men in the service, were decided upon as the most universal appeals for this occasion.

The hundreds of Notre Dame men in service in camps and bases near to Local Clubs who might participate in the program should be definitely considered.

And the solution has shifted the traditional program for this year to the suggestion from your Association and the University that the universal observance be, not a meeting on Monday night, but a Club Communion Breakfast in all Clubs on Sunday morning, May 2.

This type of program obviously serves to best advantage the purposes and limitations of this year.

1. It offers an opportunity for prayers for peace and for the Notre Dame men of the Club, and in general, who are in the service, especially the 38 already dead. (See listing elsewhere on this page.)

2. It permits a speaker to the same extent that the evening meeting would.

3. Service men in nearby camps or bases will for the most part be free to attend this observance, whereas most of them would be unable to attend a week night observance.

4. In many cases these N.D. service

men can be invited to alumni homes for the week-end or for Sunday.

5. Most of the students now on the campus will be at home and can be invited to the Communion Breakfast. Large numbers of these boys will be leaving for service soon afterward.

6. A breakfast is much easier to arrange than an evening meal of any attractive proportion.

7. The Communion Breakfast combines the discharge of an obligation, with legitimate transportation allowances, so that the effort and the convenience of the members are both served to best advantage.

8. The whole publicity and tone of such an observance is more in tune with the seriousness of the war and the major part that Notre Dame men are already playing.

9. The Clubs will in effect be holding the alumni participation in Commencement in a nation-wide instalment plan, as against the complete severance of the tradition. While the Clubs are meeting, the Mass for the graduates of the May

Your Prayers Are Especially Requested for:

DIED IN SERVICE

Charles F. Bebeau, ex. '43
Matthew A. Byrne, Jr., '42
Edward J. Brockman, ex. '45
James L. Carroll, ex. '40
Francis X. Clarke, '39
James T. Connell, '40
Milton E. Connelly, ex. '43
Allen H. Elward, Jr., ex. '44
John P. French, '34
John V. Flynn, '36
Joseph C. Foley, '37
Robert E. Fordyce, ex. '42

Richard S. Freeman, ex. '29
Oliver P. Helland, Jr., '39
Hershel G. Horton, ex. '43
Fergus F. Kelly, '37
John B. Maas, Jr., ex. '42
William P. Marsh, '41
Newton L. Mathews, ex. '36
Hugh F. McCaffery, '27
William J. McJunkin, '41
Richard L. Novak, '29
Charles H. O'Donnell, ex. '40
Edward H. Phelan, Jr., ex. '40
Eugene A. Poletto, '40

Francis V. Quackenbush, ex. '38
Ambrose L. Rice, Jr., ex. '38
Joseph F. Riley, ex. '37
Edward J. Schreiber, '41
Anthony J. Seaman, ex. '40
Lionel V. O. Smith, '33
John T. Von Harz, '40
George C. Wassell, '31
George W. Weber, ex. '40
Thomas J. Webster, '40
John J. Whelan, Jr., ex. '43
John H. Wiechman, ex. '43
George A. Wolf, ex. '39

MISSING IN ACTION

Robert D. Bijur, ex. '42
John L. Crane, '40
Henry J. McConnell, ex. '37
Howard K. Petschel, ex. '42
Joseph J. Reardon, ex. '22
Edward F. Rorke, ex. '39

PRISONERS OF WAR

Richard J. Carroll, '37 (Italians)
Thomas P. Foy, '38 (Japanese)
George K. Petritz, ex. '38 (Japanese)
Mario G. Tonelli, '39 (Japanese)

Class will be celebrated on the campus, and some 150 more Notre Dame alumni will join our ranks.

10. May is a month particularly rich in the traditions of Notre Dame, with its devotions to Our Lady, the hymns at the Grotto, the special prayers, the Rosary.

Your Alumni Board and the University sincerely trust that the plan, based on the reasons above, will not only meet with your approval but will meet with an active response which will find Sun-

day morning, May 2, filled with the communions, the Masses and the prayers of Notre Dame men everywhere, in and out of the service, directed through a beloved channel, the Queen of Peace, to Her Son, the Prince of Peace.

The plan is left entirely in the hands of the Clubs. We will of course cooperate as best we can. This year it is not easy, as you can easily see. But we are most anxious to make this, despite its differences, one of the most universal of all the long line of Notre Dame observances.

Military Honors for Notre Dame Men

The War Department announced on March 3 that the advanced flying school near Seymour, Ind., would be named Freeman Army Air Field in honor of Capt. Richard S. Freeman, ex. '29, of the Army Air Corps, who was killed in a crash near Lovelock, Nev., Feb. 6, 1941.



CAPT. RICHARD S. FREEMAN

Dick, from Winamac, Ind., attended Notre Dame in 1925-26, then received an appointment to the United States Military Academy, where he was graduated in 1930 after establishing a brilliant record in both studies and activities.

His brilliance and achievement were to go on. At his death Dick was commandant of the all-important Ladd Field in Alaska, had been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross and had shared in the Mackay Trophy for exceptional skill in aviation. In 1934, when General (then Lieut. Col.) Henry H. Arnold commanded a flight of 10 Martin Bombers from Washington, D. C., to Fairbanks,

Alaska, Dick accompanied him as a member of the crew. Dick also participated in the historical flight of the Army Squadron to Molokai from whence the remains of Father Damian were taken to be placed in a transport vessel and sent to Father Damian's native Belgium.

Dick participated in the mass "Good Will Flight" of B-17 Flying Fortresses to Buenos Aires and return in 1938. Later he was co-pilot and navigator on a flight from Langley Field to Bogota, Colombia, and return, and for this flight he received the Distinguished Flying Cross. He was a member of the B-17 Flying Fortress which was used in filming the motion picture "Test Pilot." Dick flew with Red Cross supplies to relieve earthquake sufferers in Chile in 1939, and for this flight he received the commendation of the Secretary of War.

The Order of the Purple Heart has been awarded posthumously to First Lieut. Hershel G. Horton, ex. '43, Au-



1ST. LIEUT. HERSEL G. HORTON

rore, Ill., who was killed in action on Dec. 2 during a battle in New Guinea. (See February, 1943, ALUMNUS). Hershel was one of 367 American soldiers who were surrounded for three weeks by Japanese on Sanananda Road in Papua. They beat off all attacks and eventually aided in smashing the Japs who surrounded them. It is believed that Hershel was killed in this action.



1ST. LIEUT. C. G. OLIVEROS

1st Lieut. Charles Gard Oliveros, Jr., '41, was recently awarded the Oak Leaf cluster for "extraordinary achievement while participating in aerial flight."

As a co-pilot, Gard held his wounded companion off the controls with one hand while he took the plane for the bombing run and then flew it back to the base when the mission was completed.

This is his second award since he has been serving with the Army Air Corps in North Africa. Previously he was awarded the Air Medal.

FATHER BAUER ORDAINED

Rev. Edwin C. Bauer, C.S.C., '37, ninth member of a family of 14 in the religious life and fourth member in the Congregation of Holy Cross, was ordained in Washington, D. C., on Feb. 16, by the Most Rev. John M. McNamara, D.D., LL.D. '34. He celebrated his first solemn high Mass in St. Mary's Church, Manchester, Mich., on Feb. 21.

The newly-ordained priest is a brother of Rev. Lawrence T. Bauer, C.S.C., '31, a missionary in India, and of Brother Christopher, C.S.C., Watertown, Wis., and Brother Protase, C.S.C., at Notre Dame. Another brother is John B. Bauer, '31, St. Mary's, Ky. Four sisters are Sisters of Mercy and a fifth sister, now dead, was a member of that order.

The Campus in Wartime—It's Different

Dances are Merged; Publication of "Dome" Suspended; Dining Hall Routine Changed; Students Work in Defense Industries; Sorin Evil-Eye Club Plants Garden

The campus in wartime . . . it's the same . . . yet different.

The *Dome* gone for the duration . . . as in World War I . . . The venerable *Scholastic* published 10 times in each semester instead of 13 times . . . but there are three semesters now . . . Navy ads (uniforms) predominate and there is color on the cover and inside . . . *Scrip* once each semester instead of twice . . . the *Catalyzer* also out for the duration.

The Senior Ball and Junior Prom merged . . . Ted Fio Rito played on March 5 in that Palais Royale . . . do you remember it? the sophs danced too . . . on March 16 to Gracie Barrie's band . . . but the whole school was admitted . . . even freshmen . . . and it was "semi-formal" . . . the war you know.

Memories of pre-World I days revived as University Theatre presents "A Tailor-Made Man" . . . and it's a smash hit in eyes of prospective combatants in World War II . . . "The Spirit of Notre Dame," choral symphony portraying Notre Dame's 100 years, presented by Glee Club . . . and gets ovation . . . arrangements and original music by Professor Pedtke, club director . . . poetic narrative by Kelly Cook, Lexington, Ky., editor, December *Dome*, now Air Corps cadet.

The Dining Hall is different . . . cafeteria system installed last September in each wing . . . and now students receive cards each month to be punched at each meal . . . to facilitate punching only one entrance to each wing is used . . . east wing enters opposite Dillon . . . west wing opposite Rockne Memorial . . . each entrance has tentlike shelter for protection against weather . . . but there is no circus inside . . . rationing and manpower and womanpower shortage plus feeding Navy, have left their mark on efficient Jim Connolly, manager . . . imagine your domestic help difficulties and your head-scratching about points both multiplied a hundredfold—or a thousandfold . . . or two thousandfold . . . or more . . . but the boys still look remarkably healthy.

Mid-February and 150 Army Air

Corps Reserves called from the campus in one crack . . . and numerous others going daily since the semester started, mostly draftees . . . until the total enrollment is down below 2,200 from the 2,600 that began in January . . . the ERC's (Army Reserves) of whom there are several hundred locally are still worried but untouched . . . but will go the way of all young men come May . . . Father Trahey, campus coordinator of military affairs, the campus' most sought-after man . . . "what shall I do?" . . . "what shall I do?" . . . Father operates from suite in Engineering Building . . . suite marked by flag, waving in mechanical breeze as befits engineering building. . . . He directed A-12 and V-12 tests on

April 2, taken by 700 at Notre Dame . . . classes dismissed for morning.

Many students in defense industries in South Bend and Mishawaka . . . working 4 P.M. to 12 M. shift . . . or approximately such . . . Dining Hall cooperates by packing box lunches for war workers and allowing them to eat breakfast in Caf up to 9 A.M. . . . Red Lonergan, high-powered *Scholastic* promotion manager, promotes campus registration in Comptroller's office for those who want defense jobs . . . in cooperation with United States Employment office, South Bend . . . some campus defense workers take on only four hours work per night . . . several accountants at Bendix for instance . . . yes, this Notre Dame is different when the boys are getting back, at 1.30 A.M., from their jobs at Ball Band, Mishawaka.

Sorin Hall Evil Eye Club takes on Victory Garden . . . many pictures taken and rakes displayed in dug-up plot near Biology Building . . . but lifers are waiting for the actual lettuce . . . Father Burke, prefect of discipline, has picture taken, with his rake at workmanlike angle . . . Evil Eye Club sells defense stamps to Sorinites . . . and successfully . . . Sorin had lagged in stamp purchases . . . stamp activity sponsored by K. of C.

Only 48 show up for spring football . . . used to be almost that many end candidates. . . Baseball, golf and tennis crowding a lot of competition into about two weeks. . . Commencement May 2 according to present calendar you know . . . outdoor trackmen go to Drake and Penn Relays but no place else . . . pity, too, with such a team . . . Notre Dame's best ever, some say.

The midshipmen . . . they're everywhere . . . especially in South Bend on week-ends . . . and yet so accustomed to them have the campus and the city become that they're now an accepted part of the scene . . . the Service Men's Center in the Bend does a magnificent job for them and for all other service men . . . Navy officers and their families add brilliantly to the social scene . . . that is, after they find a house or apartment

BULLETIN

Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, C. S. C., president of the University, announced on April 7 that he had received official confirmation from the United States Navy department that 1,851 men had been assigned to Notre Dame under the new Navy V-12 training program, which will begin on or about July 1. This program is separate from and in addition to the Navy's midshipmen school now on the Notre Dame campus.

The new V-12 trainees will have the status of apprentice seamen. They will be taught by the regular faculty of the University under curricula described as basic, engineering, pre-medic and the N.R.O.T.C.

Father O'Donnell added that under the new program five residence halls of the University will be turned over to the V-12 trainees, leaving the remaining five residence halls free for the normal operation of the University's academic program.

Specific details of the Navy program will be announced at a later date, as will details of the University program which will be revised to meet the conditions of the Navy's new project.

to live in . . . no WAVES yet despite many rumors . . . the new Navy drill hall behind the Gym took part of Jake Kline's baseball diamond and forced the professor to build a new one nearby.

The campus in wartime . . . it's different . . . there's excitement . . . tenseness . . . sorrow . . . every week or oftener the *Religious Bulletin* asks prayers for an alumnus dead in service . . . the campus stands reverently while the Navy raises the flag at sunrise and lowers it at sunset . . . even the lights flooding the dome are no longer lit.

And yet it's the same Notre Dame. The dome is still there.

ATTENDS NUTRITION MEETING

Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., president of the University, attended the spring meeting of the Nutrition Foundations, Inc., in New York City.

The foundation has been established by 15 of the nation's leading food industries to develop nutrition as a basic science of public health. The meeting of the board will consider grants-in-aid, from the funds contributed to its work, to various colleges and universities in the country.

War, and the problems of rationing have intensified the research, conducted under the foundation, in its first year. Now public support is being solicited to further the purposes of the food industry, and the improvement of the food and diet of the people of America.

Among the other members of the board representing the public are Dr. Karl Compton, president of Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Mass., chairman of the board; Walter Coffey, president of the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minn.; Ray Lyman Wilbur, chancellor of Stanford University, Palo Alto, Calif.; and Dr. Thomas Parran, Washington, D. C., surgeon general of the United States Army.

STUDENT DIES

A freshman at the University, Edwin R. Matthews, age 19, of South Orange, N. J., died suddenly March 30 after a brief illness.

Cadets in the Naval ROTC attended a special high Mass in Sacred Heart Church for Matthews, who was a member of the group.

Prof. John H. Sheehan, '37, head of the Department of Economics at the University, underwent a serious spinal operation at the University of Michigan hospital, Ann Arbor, Jan. 19. Prof. Sheehan has been in bed in a cast since then, and will remain there for some weeks.

Gifts

The University acknowledges with deep gratitude the following gifts:

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Fred Gage, Beverly Hills, Calif.	15
Jack Carson, North Hollywood, Calif.	10
Rev. Denis J. Donovan, Barker, N. Y.	10
Paul Kohner, Hollywood, Calif.	10
Joseph B. Moorman, Cincinnati, O.	10
Keith Winter, West Los Angeles, Calif.	10

Alumni Participation*

Clyde E. Broussard, '13, Beaumont, Texas	1,000
Karl F. Johnson, '29, Kokomo, Ind.	1,000
Fred C. Miller, '29, Milwaukee, Wis.	1,000
Joseph M. Byrne, '15, Newark, N. J.	500
J. Bell Moran, ex. '07, Detroit, Mich.	500
Anonymous	100
Anthony Mulvaney, '35, Royal Oak, Mich.	25
John B. Kanaley, '09, Chicago	25
(Third payment on \$100 pledge.)	
Lieut. James P. Aylward, Jr., '41, Kansas City, Mo.	20
Ray Conrad, '21, St. Cloud, Minn.	10

TO THE NIEUWLAND FOUNDATION

J. Bell Moran, ex. '07, Detroit, Mich.	500
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TO THE UNIVERSITY LIBRARY

Shane Leslie, London, England, LL.D. '35: "Letters of Cardinal Vaughan to Lady Herbert of Lea"; and an autograph of A. W. Pugin's letter to the Earl of Shrewsbury.

C. A. Breitung, Dallas, Texas: a letter written by Charles Carroll of Carrollton; and a book "Tepotzotlan" (Art and Color in Mexico).

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Thomas F. Woodlock Is Laetare Medalist

Recipient Is Editor of "Wall Street Journal" and Author of Widely Heralded Book, "The Catholic Pattern"

Thomas F. Woodlock, distinguished author and editor of the *Wall Street Journal*, was announced on April 4 as the recipient of the Laetare Medal, awarded annually since 1883 by the University of Notre Dame to an outstanding Catholic layman in the United States.

Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, C. S. C., president of the university, in announcing the selection of the 61st medalist, said:

"Notre Dame honors Mr. Thomas F. Woodlock as one of the most vigorous and effective apologists among the Catholic laity of America over a long period of years. Moreover, this same ability and integrity have characterized his work with the *Wall Street Journal* and the Interstate Commerce Commission, bringing high principle and excellent example into the heart of the business and economic life of this country. In recent years the facile pen of Mr. Woodlock has broadened its scope and permitted the entire nation to enjoy the fruits of his fine mind. He has attacked the problems of our day with a clarity and a fortitude which have won for him preeminence as an apostle of truth."

Thomas Francis Woodlock was born in Ireland on September 1, 1866, the son of Thomas and Emilia Moran Woodlock. After early years of schooling in Ireland, he entered Beaumont College at Windsor, England, the Catholic "public" school corresponding to Eton and Harrow. He matriculated at London University in honors, third of 1,100 students. He later attended St. Francis College, New York City from which he received his honorary Master of Arts degree in 1905; he received the Doctor of Laws degree from Fordham University in 1906.

Before coming to America in September, 1892, Mr. Woodlock was a member of the London Stock Exchange for several years. When he arrived in New York he joined the late Charles H. Dow and Edward D. Jones in the Dow-Jones News Service, specializing in American railroads. He attracted notice as an economist, and after the death of Mr. Dow in 1902 he became the editor of the *Wall Street Journal*, which position he held until 1905.

After his resignation from the editorial chair of the *Wall Street Journal*, Mr. Woodlock became a member of the New York Stock Exchange, in partnership with Schuyler N. Warren. After a few years, however, he returned to newspaper work and economic writing, chiefly in connection with railroads. He was for some time a contributor on financial matters to the *Sun*, conducting the column, "By Way of Comment."



Thomas F. Woodlock

In the early days of the *Catholic News*, New York's official Catholic paper, Mr. Woodlock was a contributor of editorial articles.

In 1918 he joined the American International Corporation, becoming its secretary in time. He resigned this post in 1923, and two years later he was appointed by President Coolidge to the Interstate Commerce Commission, with which he served until 1930, when he rejoined the *Wall Street Journal* as contributing editor. When he resigned from the Interstate Commerce Commission President Hoover in a public statement regretted the resignation and said that Mr. Woodlock had rendered "very distinguished service to his country."

Mr. Woodlock is a trustee of Manhattanville College of the Sacred Heart, and is a member of the Catholic Club and many other clubs in New York City. He was a pioneer member of the National Catholic Alumni Federation and his brilliant addresses are highlights of many of the proceedings of that organization. Mr. Woodlock contributed several articles to the *Catholic Encyclopedia* and was a member of the board of directors of that project. He also pioneered in the retreat movement in this country, at Manresa, Staten Island, and is a former president and one of the organizers of the Laymen's League for Retreats and Social Studies. Catholic periodicals have carried many excellent articles in recent years from his able pen.

Among his published books are *The Anatomy of A Railroad Report* (1895), *Ton Mile Cost* (1899), and the book published in 1942 which has been heralded by all Catholic apologists, *The Catholic Pattern*.

Selection of Mr. Woodlock as the recipient on the 60th anniversary of the founding of the Medal will add a popular as well as a highly respected name to the long list of Medalists of whom John Gilmary Shea, historian, was the first. The 1942 Medal was awarded to Helen Constance White, University of Wisconsin professor and president of the American Association of the University women.

926 IN DEFENSE COURSES

Again this semester the courses under the engineering, science, management war-training plan of the U.S. Department of Labor and the U.S. Office of Education are being taught at the University.

A total of 926 men and women from various factories and other places of business in South Bend and vicinity come to Notre Dame each week for the sessions.

The following courses lead the others in enrollment: Basic Industrial Accounting, 74 men and women; Aircraft Engines, 96 men; Elementary Engineering and Drawing, 79, 68 of whom are St. Mary's College students; Basic Mathematics, 48 men; Motion and Time Study, 64 men and women; and Tool and Die Design, 39 registrants.

Notre Dame Books

Notre Dame readers have seldom had opportunities in new books so closely connected with Notre Dame as they have had in recent months. The Centenary seems to have provided a general stimulus to authors, and this particular field of Notre Dame action has been adding victory to victory, in a very diversified series.

Many alumni will welcome Frank Wallace's ('23) new novel, *Explosion* (William Morrow & Co., N. Y., \$2.50). Frank's earlier novels, most of them in his basic field of sports, have won him not only many friends for their clean and powerful content, but also considerable respect from critics for a rapidly developing style and literary quality.

In this new work, Mr. Wallace goes into another field that is also familiar background for him, the mines of his home territory on the Pennsylvania-Ohio border. This is a much deeper theme with much more subtle characters, in many respects, than the vivid but younger cast who peopled his sports novels. By the same token, the book is substantial evidence that Wallace has mastered a writing power much broader even than the high standard exhibited in some of his top novels of athletics.

In the part of the book that he knows from experience, the real mine, the real characters, the real drama of a mine explosion, the real life in a mine town, the book has a very mature writing touch. It is probably in the less familiar effort to create a romantic couple and to tie in the war with the plot that Frank showed the touches that caused the New York *Herald-Tribune* to mis-name it a first novel. Much critical praise and generous space in the leading review columns indicates that Frank is well into the high brackets of his field, and Notre Dame enjoys increased reflected prestige from the new achievement.

Rev. P. J. Carroll, C.S.C., editor of *The Ave Maria*, whose writing is already established in Notre Dame history and hearts, adds another of his best liked contributions with a new novel *Patch of Askeaton Days* (Ave Maria Press, Notre Dame, \$1.50).

The book is a juvenile in its text, dealing with more adventures of the boy already a widespread favorite. Patch, as the present title implies, moves ahead

in years and activities through a rich period of schooling in Askeaton in this volume.

But mature readers can find much pleasure in this little volume. If you remember the richness of home-baked bread with home-made jam, before "mother's pies" plied the highways in trucks; if you remember when "mischief" was not incorporated in the morbid nightmare of "juvenile delinquency," you will indeed enjoy Patch, in this or the previous work.

And if anywhere in your veins there is a drop of Irish blood, there is no age limit for readers of the present edition. For in this one, especially, the school theme gives Father Carroll a magnificent opportunity to draw the great parallel of Irish wisdom, the scholarly and state-ly forms of the rigid and respected schools, and the rich instinctive wisdom of the Irish mind, in the most humble and unschooled. Father Carroll does this with the success that comes from opportunity to know and power to portray.

International politics students are showing much interest in Prof. Yves Simon's new volume, *The March to Liberation*. (Tower Press, Milwaukee, \$2.)

Father Hope's *Notre Dame—100 Years* continues to acquaint a widening audience with the first century of Notre Dame's rich record, while Father Charles Carey's edition of *The Poems of Charles L. O'Donnell* is popular with many who are familiar with the work of the University's great poet-president.

Prof. F. A. Hermens has brought out a booklet on *P.R. and Good Government* through the *Review of Politics* which has an enthusiastic if specialized reader interest. (*Review of Politics*, Notre Dame, \$1.25, cloth; \$.75, paper.)

Notre Dame is represented by four alumni in a recent issue of *Books on Trial*, which is edited by John C. Tully, '11, a trustee of the University. The periodical is sponsored by the Thomas More Library and Bookshop, Chicago, also founded by Mr. Tully as a medium of Catholic Action.

Several columns are devoted to a review of *Nova Scotia, Land of Cooperators* by Rev. Leo R. Ward, C.S.C., professor of philosophy.

Brother Aidan, C.S.C., '27, of the Department of English, reviews *The World's Great Catholic Literature*, an anthology edited by Dr. George N. Shuster, '15, president of Hunter College, New York, and formerly head of the Department of English here.

John Pick, '33, has taken a leave of absence from Boston College, Chestnut Hill, Mass., where he has been teaching in the English Department, to serve with the government as an administrative aide.

His book, *Gerard Manley Hopkins: Priest and Poet*, which he worked at while studying at Oxford, was published in England last September and is to appear in this country this spring according to an announcement of the Oxford University Press.

Back in 1889, on the eve of the new era in aviation, a Notre Dame graduate began experiments which were eventually to lead to the position of curator of aeronautics in the Library of Congress.

The undergraduate was Albert F. Zahm, '83, and the scene of his experiments was the Notre Dame campus. His story is told by Jeremiah Milbank, Jr., in his book, *The First Century of Flight in America*, published by Princeton University Press.

Zahm, Mr. Milbank writes, spent some time experimenting with models, motors, propellers, and gliders. "Once," the author says, "even a glider dropped from a balloon was seriously considered, but at last rejected because of the expense of hiring a professional balloonist with his aerostat."

Such early attempts as these, Mr. Milbank declares, deserve a place in the history of aviation in America, even though they were not marked by actual flight success.

N.R.O.T.C. AWARDS

Capt. H. P. Burnett, U.S.N., commanding the Naval R.O.T.C. at Notre Dame, has announced that the Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., Trophy will be awarded on the completion of each academic year to that student of the senior Naval R.O.T.C. class who has attained the highest merit in the R.O.T.C. course.

A suitable award for excellence in Navigation will also be given at the end of the semester marking the completion of the Navigation course for each Naval R.O.T.C. class. Capt. Burnett has announced.

An additional N.R.O.T.C. award is needed. Any individual or group interested in providing it should communicate at once with Capt. Burnett.

George E. Keogan Dies Suddenly

Noted Basketball Coach Victim of Heart Attack; Had Raised Notre Dame to Basketball Heights in Twenty-Year Career on Campus

George E. Keogan, 52 years old, Notre Dame's brilliant basketball coach for 20 years, died in his home in South Bend



GEORGE E. KEOGAN

on Feb. 17, the victim of a heart attack.

Like Knute K. Rockne and John P. Nicholson, other members of the Notre Dame athletic Big Three in the late '20s, George went out suddenly: his death occurred little more than three hours after he concluded basketball practice in preparation for the all-important Great Lakes game in Chicago on Feb. 20. He had finished his dinner and was reading the evening paper when he slumped over in his chair. Dr. J. E. McMeel, University physician, arriving within a few minutes, pronounced him dead. Rock had crashed to the Kansas plains on March 31, 1931, and Nick had collapsed after a heart attack in the South Bend Y.M.C.A. on April 2, 1940.

And like Rock and Nick, George Keogan went out at the very peak of his career. His 1942-43 team winning 18 out of 20 games, (under Keogan and under his successor, Ed Krause) was generally considered to be second only to the Illinois Whiz Kids in national ranking; a noteworthy successor to the nationally-

famous Keogan teams of past years. Through 20 years, his Notre Dame teams had won 327 games, to 96 lost, for the amazing winning percentage of .771.

For some time George hadn't been in the sturdiest health. In mid-season of 1940-41 a trip to the Mayo Clinic resulted in orders that he had to curtail his activities in order to protect his heart. In was then that Ray Meyer, '38, outstanding basketball captain in 1936-37 and 1937-38, came in as George's assistant and ran the team for much of the season. Ray remained for the following season but left a year ago to become basketball coach at DePaul in Chicago, where his success in 1942-43 won him national acclaim. Ed Krause, '34, one of Keogan's greatest stars, was basketball assistant this year, as well as line coach in football. Though forced to cut down his former activity, George was in active charge of the team.

Coach Keogan was buried on Feb. 20 after a solemn high requiem Mass in Sacred Heart Church, Notre Dame, celebrated by Rev. John J. Cavanaugh,

C.S.C., vice-president of the University and chairman of the Board in Control of Athletics. Rev. James Gallagan, C.S.C., pastor of Christ the King Church, Roseland, Ind., was deacon and Rev. Philip V. Beaghan, C.S.C., pastor of George's home parish, Holy Cross of South Bend, was sub-deacon. The sermon was preached by Rev. Wendell P. Corcoran, C.S.C., pastor of St. Joseph's Church, South Bend.

In attendance at the funeral Mass were many prominent sports figures from the Middle West, especially coaches and other representatives of teams with which George's teams had traditionally done battle, as well as innumerable alumni who had come under George's basketball teachings. Frank Leahy, athletic director and head football coach, returned from Florida for the funeral. The Naval R.O.T.C. was present in a body and acted as a guard of honor.

Pallbearers were all members of the season's basketball team: Capt. Charles Butler, John Niemiera, Robert Faught, William Davis, Robert Rensberger and



Coach Keogan is Carried into Sacred Heart Church by His Last Team as Notre Dame N.R.O.T.C. Forms Guard of Honor.

Francis Curran. Burial was in Highland Cemetery, South Bend, where within a few feet lie also two of George's closest friends and associates in life—Knut Rockne and John Nicholson. Rev. Thomas Brennan, C.S.C., of the University, officiated at the grave.

Surviving George are his wife, Ruby, to whom he was married on Thanksgiving Day, 1932, his mother, Mrs. T. M. Keogan, and a sister, Mrs. Clark Deahl, both of Minneapolis.

Speaking in the absence of Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, president of the University, Father Cavanaugh issued the following statement at Coach Keogan's death:

"George Keogan has rendered 20 years of loyal and brilliant service to the University. There were very few men, if any, who excelled him in his profession. All who had known him well, and particularly the young men who played under him, will regret the passing of his intelligent, vigorous leadership. The prayerful heart-felt sympathy of all Notre Dame is with his wife, his aged mother and his sister in these days of fresh and deep grief."

Born in Minneapolis on March 8, 1890, George enrolled in the School of Dentistry at the University of Minnesota upon his graduation from high school. He gave up dentistry, however, to take, at the age of 19, a coaching position with Charles City, Ia., College. In the following years he coached at Lockport, Ill., High School, Riverside, Ill., High School, Superior, Wis., State Teachers' College, St. Louis University, St. Thomas College of St. Paul, Minn. While he was at St. Thomas and World War I was in progress, George enlisted in the Army and was assigned as an instructor to Fort Snelling, Minn., where he remained for the duration.

After the war, Coach Keogan produced, at Allegheny College, Meadville, Pa., the only unbeaten basketball team of his 34-year career; it won 18 straight in one season. Subsequently he became football, basketball and baseball coach at Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, Ind., where his ability came to the attention of Knute Rockne. George brought his football team to Cartier Field in 1921 for an early season game. Though Notre Dame surged ahead in the late stages to win, 28 to 3, Valparaiso led for more than half the game, 3 to 0, and Rock admired the opposition that his team had got.

The result was that, after a year at La Crosse, Wis., Central High School, George Keogan came to Notre Dame in the fall of 1923 as head coach of basketball and baseball and assistant coach of football. With the increasing pressure of his basketball duties he gradually

gave up most of his active participation in football and baseball but he retained until the end an intense interest in the gridiron as well as in baseball, serving frequently as a football scout.



COACH KEOGAN
(in his early Notre Dame days)

Though George Keogan was highly proficient in coaching both football and baseball, he will be forever gratefully remembered at Notre Dame as the man who put local basketball on its feet and brilliantly kept it there.

In the six years before Keogan's coming to Notre Dame, the "Victory Fives," playing all their home games on the dirt floor of the gymnasium, had compiled the not-too-impressive record of 35 won and 64 lost. That basketball at Notre Dame up to 1923 was not too highly regarded and that the facilities for playing it were inadequate, — well, those are simple statements of fact.

But from the day that Keogan stepped on the campus as a Notre Dame coach all that changed. In his first year, when the home games were played on the Y.M.C.A. court in South Bend, Keogan's team won 15 and lost eight. The following season, when the big addition to the gym made possible the return of the home games to the campus, George had the poorest basketball season in his Notre Dame career, —11 won and 10 lost.

But for the next three years Keogan turned out three teams which rank with

the great college teams of all time, teams which won 56 out of 62 games. In 1925-26 and again in 1926-27 the team lost only one game—each time to the "Wonder Five" of Franklin College by the same score, 33 to 22. Each defeat was on the Franklin floor. In each year, however, Notre Dame defeated Franklin on the N.D. floor, 40 to 19 and 36 to 16. Clem and Francis Crowe, Johnny Nyikos, Ed Smith, Lou Conroy, Vince McNally, Johnny Colrick and Joe Jachym were some of the stand-out names of those days.

In 1931-32 (18 won and two lost) and again in 1933-34 (20 won and four lost), each time with Ed Krause, All-American for three years, as the stand-out, George again had two of his greatest teams. And in 1935-36, with Johnny Moir and Paul Nowak heading a superb array of talent, the Keogan teams began a remarkable three-year era. Such well-remembered persons as Ray Meyer, Tommy Wukovits, George Ireland and Tommy Jordan combined with Moir and Nowak to bring about at the end of 1937-38 a record of 62 won, eight lost and one tied.

Came the high-scoring Eddie Riska for three years and finally the magnificent team of this year which in all truth deserves to be ranked with any great Notre Dame team of the past. (Details of the team's record for the year will be found in the sports section of this issue.) Taking over immediately upon the death of Coach Keogan, Ed Krause, assistant coach, carried the team to victory in six of the remaining seven games. The only subsequent loss was to Great Lakes in a tremendous overtime battle in the Chicago Stadium the day of George's funeral, but the boys avenged this at Great Lakes later.

Coach Keogan's lifetime record at N.D.:

1923-24, Won 15; Lost 8
1924-25, Won 11; Lost 10
1925-26, Won 19; Lost 1
1926-27, Won 19; Lost 1
1927-28, Won 18; Lost 4
1928-29, Won 14; Lost 6
1929-30, Won 15; Lost 5
1930-31, Won 12; Lost 8
1931-32, Won 18; Lost 2
1932-33, Won 16; Lost 6
1933-34, Won 20; Lost 4
1934-35, Won 13; Lost 9
1935-36, Won 22; Lost 2; Tied 1
1936-37, Won 20; Lost 3
1937-38, Won 20; Lost 3
1938-39, Won 15; Lost 6
1939-40, Won 15; Lost 6
1940-41, Won 17; Lost 5
1941-42, Won 16; Lost 6
*1942-43, Won 18; Lost 2

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* Coach Keogan died on Feb. 17, with a season record of 12 wins and 1 loss at that point.

Spotlight . . . Alumni

THE foremost public-works firm in New York, perhaps in the country, Madigan and Hyland have won honors for design, such as the American Iron and Steel Institute Award in 1939 for the Bronx-Whitestone bridge, but their greatest distinction comes from the part they played in the vast building program with which Robert Moses endowed New York City during the depression of the 1930s. The firm were engineers for the West Side Highway, the Bronx-Whitestone, the Henry Hudson and the Jamaica Bay bridges, among other projects. . . .—*Saturday Evening Post*, Dec. 12, 1942.

The Madigan of that firm is the noted Michael John Madigan, the dynamic "one-man war effort" at present in Washington as special assistant to the Under Secretary of War.



RICHARD V. HYLAND, C.E. '18

The Hyland is Richard V. Hyland, C.E. '18, of New York, brother of Justin E. Hyland, '22, and C. Joseph Hyland, '26.

Dick was with the Pennsylvania Railroad for six years and in the general contracting business for three years before he joined with Mr. Madigan in 1928 to form the firm of Madigan and Hyland, "using a furnished room at Rockville Centre, Long Island, and 'the back end of an automobile' for offices." The firm soon grew to occupy its own building in Long Island City.

Says Author Forrest Davis, in the

Post article of Dec. 12: "Jack [Madigan] thinks Partner Hyland 'the finest man I ever met' and sometimes wonders why the Church allowed him to escape the priesthood when it had him at Notre Dame. 'He would have made a wonderful archbishop,' says Jack."

WILLIAM J. MILROY, '13, of Chicago, is the new general attorney of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway System, having been appointed Jan. 2.



—Santa Fe Railway Photo

WILLIAM J. MILROY, LL.B. '13

A graduate of St. Bede College, Peru, Ill., as well as of the College of Law at Notre Dame, Mr. Milroy has been engaged in the practice of law in Illinois since 1915. He was associated in private practice with Arthur J. Hughes, '11, Chicago, when, in 1936, he joined the legal department of the Santa Fe.

NEW ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

Officers of the Alumni Association have served a double term without intention. In the war emergency, and in the interests of the Centenary Fund, it was agreed that the normal change of officers a year ago would have worked both hardship and actual harm. At that time, the Alumni Board advanced the suggestion of shifting the Association to the calendar year and the program was continued under that objective.

Increasing complications of the war and the Centenary made the change on Jan. 1 impracticable, and as a result, the Association approaches its normal election period after having imposed double duty upon its present board of directors. It seems obvious that progress has been made by such delay.

However, President Harry F. Kelly

has insisted on the normal processes of election resuming no later than the present, and has appointed two nominating committees, consisting of past presidents of the Association, who are already well along on the preparation of a slate.

One committee is headed by Bernard J. Voll, '17, South Bend, with Harry G. Hogan, '04, Fort Wayne, and Clement C. Mitchell, '02, Chicago, as members.

The other committee is headed by John H. Neeson, '03, Philadelphia, with John P. Murphy, '12, Cleveland, and William E. Cotter, '13, New York City, as members.

These committees bring to the nominating job not only the experience of past administration of the Association, but also excellent records without exception of individual participation in alumni affairs over a varying period of years. In addition, they represent membership in six of the leading Local Alumni Clubs.

Constitutional complications have prevented the reports of both committees from being printed in this issue of the ALUMNUS. Ballots will be mailed in May.

BONDED REUNIONS

From the Treasury Department we hear that:

Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau and Joseph B. Eastman, director of the Office of Defense Transportation, have joined in urging alumni of America's schools, colleges and universities to follow the lead of Cornell University, whose alumni have abandoned all class reunions for the duration and are devoting travel costs and other reunion expenses to purchase of War Bonds deeded to the university. The plan is described as a "Bonded Reunion."

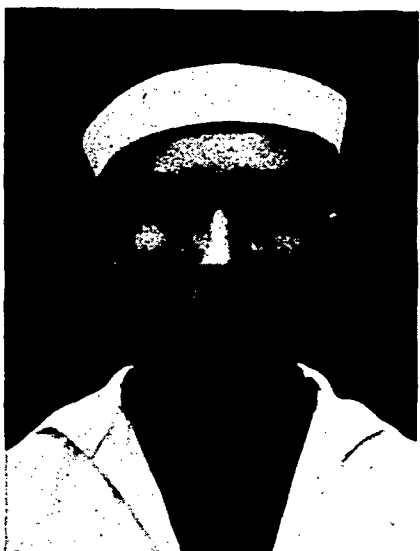
"It both relieves strain on our transportation facilities and assists our war financing," the Secretary said. "By following Cornell's example thousands of schools and colleges could help bring victory and at the same time strengthen their educational resources for after the war."

And the Alumni Office, Notre Dame, Ind., agrees.

MAILING RESTRICTED

In conformity with a letter mailed in January to non-contributors, this issue of the "Alumnus" will be sent only to those who fall within one or the other (or both) of these two classifications: (1) those who have made a contribution to the Alumni Association and/or to the Centenary Fund since May, 1942; (2) those who are in military service.

Grandsons of Late Warren A. Cartier, '87, Are Present Students



WARREN A. CARTIER, '46



MORGAN E. CARTIER, JR., '46



WARREN RAPHAEL CARTIER, '13

Two grandsons of one of the University's most notable alumni and benefactors, the late Warren A. Cartier, '87, donor of Cartier Field, are present students in the University. One grandson, Warren A. Cartier, '46, is the son of the late Warren Raphael Cartier, '13, of Ludington, Mich. The other grandson, Morgan E. Cartier, Jr., '46, is the son of Morgan E. Cartier, ex. '13, of Grand Rapids. Each of the boys is, therefore, a member of the third consecutive generation of his family at Notre Dame.

Both of the boys are grand nephews of George E. Cartier, ex. '91, Tacoma, Wash., D. E. Cartier, '92, Ludington, the late William E. Cartier, ex. '93, also of Ludington, and of Charles E. Cartier who detoured to the University of Michigan for his college education but who is now on the business staff of the University of Notre Dame.

FACULTY TO SERVICE

The war effort claimed two more members of Notre Dame's faculty as Stanley S. Sessler, head of the Department of Art, received a commission as first lieutenant in the Army Air Force, and Bernard Waldman, assistant professor of physics, was appointed to do special research on a government project.

Prof. Sessler left for Miami Beach, Fla., March 17 for basic training, and later will be sent to Randolph Field, Texas, for instruction as a reconnaissance photographer. Upon completion of training he will be attached to the Army Air Corps' Gulf Coast command, with the possibility of being sent into the combat zone.

Prof. Waldman came to the University as a research assistant in 1938 after receiving his doctor's degree from New York University where he did special work in nuclear physics. He has recently been doing experimental work with the University's giant atom smashing pressure electrostatic generator.

The nature of the work Prof. Waldman will do for the government could not be given out by the University, although it has been announced he will merely be on leave of absence.



WARREN A. CARTIER, '87

N.D. MIDSHIPMEN AT N.D.

The following Notre Dame alumni are currently studying at the Midshipmen school on the campus: Charles M. Brown, '38, Indianapolis; James J. Casper, '40, Louisville; John T. Donnelly, '37, Mackinac Island, Mich.; Edward J. Hickey, '43, Grosse Pointe, Mich.; Arthur G. Kirby, '43, Great Neck, N. Y.; Edward F. Neagle, Jr., '43, Orange, N. J.; Dudley K. Smith, '43, Excelsior, Minn.; and Robert C. Ronstadt, '43, Milford, Conn.

BROWN TO CHINA

Frank N. M. Brown, head of the Aeronautical Engineering Department at Notre Dame since 1935, has been named by the United States government to spend a year in China aiding the organization of aeronautical education in Chinese universities.

Twenty-seven specialists were requested by the Chinese government to help in the reorganization of certain curricula in Chinese schools, and Prof. Brown's unsolicited selection by the state department as one of these men is a high personal tribute to his record and reflects special credit on the College of Engineering at Notre Dame.

Prof. Brown's background of consulting engineering links him with many prominent firms as well as with the United States government. A graduate of the University of Michigan, he has been a consultant for the Ford Motor Company, the Bendix Brake Company, the Stout Engineering Laboratories, the General Tire and Rubber Company, the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company and the Goodyear Zeppelin Corporation. In addition, he has been technical editor for the material division of the Army Air Corps and aeronautical engineer attached to the U.S.S. Macon.

ATHLETICS

BASKETBALL

Paralleling some records of the classical quintets of Irish cage history and surpassing others, the Notre Dame basketball team this year drowned all hardwood marks established in the last decade.

Shovelling up 1,071 points during a normal 20-game span the cagers glued a new scoring leaf in the record books. Scoring 18 victories and two losses the Irish percentage swelled to its greatest bounds since 1927. The 53.55 average per fray is also an all-time high.

Spurred by a lobby full of competent men, Coach Keogan's shifting man-to-man defense spurned all opposition in early matches as Bob Faught, Frannie Curran, and Bob Rensberger collaborated in a scoring foray.

Wisconsin's offensive clicked early in the season but the Irish, with free-scoring reserves, finally won in a thrilling overtime, 61-59.

Skipping over such formidable opposition as Purdue, Northwestern and Western Michigan, Notre Dame barged into a long-range Kentucky five on a dull evening and were slashed to defeat for the first of two times, 60-55. The Wildcats opened weakly but a battery of mid-court tosses, which the shallow Notre Dame defense couldn't muffle, brought a Kentucky victory.

Following a triumphant eastern jaunt, during which the Blue and Gold cramped a N.Y.U. ensemble, 74-43, Coach George Keogan died suddenly.

Saddened, after attending the funeral of their beloved coach, the Irish swiftly sought to punish Great Lakes but dropped their second contest of the season in an overtime duel, 60-56. Eddie Riska, former Notre Dame captain, and George Sobek, another Irish court alumnus, rallied in the added five-minute period to goal the points that won for the naval five.

The Irish had a close call in Milwaukee late in the season when a red-hot Marquette five held the Blue and Gold on even terms during the second half after overcoming a 15-point deficit in the first half, but with the score tied at 47-47 and five seconds to play in the final period, Capt. Charley Butler followed up Bob Faught's long shot to give the Irish victory.

The stretching fingers of Tom Brennan netted a tie score in the second tus-

sle with Tony Hinkel's Great Lakes seamen and Frannie Curran and Capt. Charlie Butler scored a brace of baskets that marked up a 44-42 success for the Irish in another overtime.

Rangy Bob Faught fielded 196 marks to lead the scoring line for the second straight year. Frannie Curran, of the smudgy shirt, goaled 186 counters to come in second, while guard Bob Rensberger, scoring leader for most of the season but held to but three tallies in the finale with Detroit, banked in 185 points during the course of the campaign.

Final national rankings placed Notre Dame second in the nation, close behind Illinois.

The season's record:

Notre Dame 56; Ball State 42
 Notre Dame 53; Western Michigan 35
 Notre Dame 53; Northwestern 44
 Notre Dame 61; Wisconsin 59 (overtime)
 Notre Dame 46; Purdue 43
 Notre Dame 49; Northwestern 36
 Notre Dame 55; Kentucky 60
 Notre Dame 45; Butler 34
 Notre Dame 50; DePaul 47
 Notre Dame 50; Marquette 45
 Notre Dame 45; Michigan State 34
 Notre Dame 74; New York U. 43
 Notre Dame 55; Canisius 37
 Notre Dame 56; Great Lakes 60 (overtime)
 Notre Dame 64; Butler 32
 Notre Dame 45; Michigan State 42
 Notre Dame 69; Wabash 42
 Notre Dame 49; Marquette 47
 Notre Dame 44; Great Lakes 42 (overtime)
 Notre Dame 52; Detroit 43

TRACK

One of the best balanced track squads in the history of the sport at Notre Dame breezed through the indoor season without a blemish on its record. According to some reliable commentators, the present track team is the strongest in the history of the University.

The Irish opened the season with a smashing 94-10 triumph over hapless Navy Pier and in the only other dual meet on their schedule trounced Indiana, 76-28. Four meet records were broken, a gym record was broken and another tied, and a Notre Dame indoor record was tied as the squad completely outclassed the Hoosiers in the final home appearance of Coach Elvin R. Handy's squad this season.

Ollie Hunter faced the illustrious Greg Rice, Notre Dame alumnus, three times during the indoor season, each time keeping pace with Greg until his final spurt, only to finish from 15-35 yards behind

him. Ollie had the distinction, however, of running the distance faster than Greg ever ran while an undergraduate, as he finished second to Rice in the New York A.C. games. Ollie's time was 9:01.1.

The Erie, Pa., cinderman made another gallant attempt to overhaul his rival in the star-studded Chicago Relays, but Rice pulled away in the final two laps. Tony Maloney, Irish distance star, finished third in this event in Chicago Stadium, while the Notre Dame mile-relay team copped first place from Indiana and Purdue and the two-mile relay team faded in the final lap to finish third behind Michigan's powerful team and Illinois' crack squad.

After sharing honors with Michigan in the Michigan State Relays on Feb. 13, Notre Dame took three titles in four weeks during March. The Irish scored 64½ points in the Central Collegiate meet to leave Michigan State and Western Michigan far behind on March 7; counted 61 11/28 points in the Illinois Tech Relays on March 13 to trounce Illinois and Michigan's Big Ten champs; copped individual honors at the Chicago Relays on March 20; and brought down the curtain on the indoor season with a smashing triumph over a large field in the Purdue Relays on March 27. At Purdue, Capt. Jim Delaney established a new N.D. shot put record in winning at 53 ft. 4¾ in. And the four-mile relay team (Maloney, Leonard, Conforti, Hunter) established a new American indoor record at 17:31.1.

The only outdoor meets of the season will be in the annual Drake Relays and Penn Relays on April 23-24.

BASEBALL

A shortened spring semester is the only worry Baseball Coach Jake Kline has. Over 100 aspirants, the largest turnout in Irish diamond history, appealed to Jake for starting posts. Two sizeable cuts have pared the squad to a mere 35 members. Looking over the gathering Jake has to smilingly admit, despite schedule difficulties, that the outlook isn't bad.

The Irish will open on Cartier Field on April 13 with Michigan. The tentative slate arranges two contests with Indiana, a return affair at Ann Arbor, and a home-and-home series with Western Michigan and Michigan State. Games with Great Lakes, Camp Grant, and Navy Pier may be played.

In recent infield workouts Coach Kline has had Tom Sheehan, an outstanding backstop with plenty of competition buckled under him, behind the plate. John Hickey, Bob Kline, Tom Carlin, and Jim Carlin have been covering the inner lot while Angelo Bertelli, Dick Kisgen, Jim Thomas and Steve Pavella are patrolling the outer acres. Harold Smullen, only returning pitching letterman; John Creevey, like Bertelli a football quarterback; Juday and Manyak are four possible starters among the pitchers.

TENNIS

The Notre Dame tennis squad faces the new season confident of following closely in the steps of recent Irish tennis teams which have lost but one match in the past two seasons. As Coach Langford surveys the prospects now rounding into form, he gradually is losing the pessimism which imbued his comments during the fencing campaign. Principal among the causes for this change is the presence on the courts of Sophomore Jimmy Evert and Junior Bob Faught, destined to occupy the No. 1 and No. 2 posts on the team and to bear the brunt of a difficult schedule which will see all the matches compressed into the period between April 16 and May 1.

Evert, former National Junior indoor champion in both singles and doubles, as well as outdoor champ in doubles, shows perhaps the greatest promise of any player ever to represent Notre Dame on the tennis courts. Faught, star basketball center for two seasons, held down the No. 3 berth on last year's undefeated Irish tennis team while compiling the personal record of nine successive wins in singles and six out of seven in doubles. Backing up Evert and Faught will be John Troup in the third position, with the other places on the team presently in dispute between Artie Hoffman, Lyle Joyce, Ed Caparo, and various others, including some freshmen who are now eligible under the revised wartime code.

The schedule:

April 16 Wisconsin at Notre Dame
 April 17 DePauw at Bloomington
 April 17 Indiana at Bloomington
 April 22 Michigan at Ann Arbor
 April 24 Northwestern at Evanston
 April 29 Chicago at Chicago
 April 30 Michigan State at Notre Dame
 May 1 Western Michigan at Notre Dame

GOLF

The doleful story Father George L. Holderith, C.S.C., golf coach, can tell is one of the saddest of current athletic sagas. Father Holderith has lost five varsity candidates to the various reserve divisions during the past month.

University links champion, Dick Whit-

ing, left school at the bid of the Army Air Corps. Jim Casey and Sam Ward were called into action by the Army while the summer champion, Dave Sullivan, and runner-up, Joe Moore, were also tagged by the flying cadets.

Still left from last year's undefeated roster are Gene Fehlig, of the St. Louis golfing line and captain of this year's aggregation, and Frank Crowley, a competent niblick swinger with no previous varsity experience.

Tentative plans match the Irish with Big Ten and midwestern schools.

FENCING

In a season characterized principally by the steady depletion of the squad by graduation and entry into the armed forces, the Irish fencers wound up their 1942-43 season with a mark of two wins and four defeats, a highly distasteful situation to the swordsmen whose predecessors have been so uniformly successful. The results of this year's matches:

Notre Dame	.....13	Ohio State	.....14
Notre Dame	.....19	Purdue	.....8
Notre Dame	.....10	Chicago	.....17
Notre Dame	.....13	Michigan State	.....14
Notre Dame	.....8	Wisconsin	.....19
Notre Dame	.....12	Purdue	.....5

In the opinion of Coach Walter Langford, there are several explanations for the apparently poor showing of his fencers. The principal cause was inexperience. After losing five lettermen by graduation last May, the coach saw the remaining three monogram winners depart by the diploma route in December. The call of the armed forces accounted for all other experienced men, so that in the last half of the season there was not a single member of the team who had appeared in competition prior to this year. The coach likewise laments openly the cancellation, due to transportation or other difficulties, of three definitely scheduled matches, two with Marquette and one with Cincinnati, in all of which the Irish would have been odds-on-favorites.

FOOTBALL

Forty-eight varsity football candidates reported for the opening of spring drills on March 29.

The clarion call to the Cartier lot brought out a group of uncertain boys, lads that aren't quite sure they will see the stain of grass on their jerseys this fall or the narrow strips of chalk beneath their feet. But, with an alertness for condition and physical skill that will prove invaluable should they be called to active service, the candidates reported with an optimistic attitude and are working just as diligently as in pre-

vious unshadowed years.

Coach Leahy asked all students with high school or interhall experience to report for spring drills this year.

A revised schedule follows:

Sept. 25—Notre Dame at Pittsburgh
 Oct. 2—Georgia Tech at Notre Dame
 Oct. 9—Notre Dame at Michigan
 Oct. 16—Notre Dame at Wisconsin
 Oct. 23—Illinois at Notre Dame
 Oct. 30—Notre Dame vs. Navy at Cleveland
 Nov. 6—Notre Dame vs. Army at New York
 Nov. 13—Notre Dame at Northwestern
 Nov. 20—Iowa Seahawks at Notre Dame
 Nov. 27—Notre Dame vs. Great Lakes at Chicago

RICE SETS TWO NEW RECORDS

It is the somewhat monotonous, but altogether agreeable, duty of the ALUMNUS to record here that Joseph Gregory Rice, '39, one of the most famous of fa-



GREG RICE, '39

mous Notre Dame alumni, has broken a couple or more world records. In addition, at the last count before the ALUMNUS went to press, Greg had won 64 straight races, which, if it isn't a world record of some sort, certainly ought to be.

In Washington, D. C., on March 8 at the 10th annual Catholic University track meet, Greg broke his own record for the two and a half mile run when he covered the distance in 11 minutes, 23.3 seconds. His old mark was 11:32.6.

In Cleveland on March 26 at the Knights of Columbus Games, Greg ran the two-mile in 8:51, to clip one-tenth of a second off the mark he established in Chicago on March 22, 1941.

And for weeks and weeks, whenever we turned the radio on at 9:45 on Saturday night, there was Greg running in somebody's Garden or back yard or something. Urged on by Ted Husing and often by the Victory March, "Little Dynamite" (as Husing would have it) ran 'round and 'round and came out—always ahead.

Notre Dame is proud of the modest "Barrel Chest" because in everything that he does and says he lives up supremely to the highest teachings of the University.

ALUMNI CLUBS

CHICAGO

William P. Kearney, '28, 519 Cedar St., Winnetka, Ill., Pres.; Thomas S. McCabe, '22, 1448 Rascher Ave., Sec.

Chicago Notre Dame alumni turned out in unprecedented number to attend the annual election meeting on Jan. 26 in the dining room of the Chicago Real Estate Board.

Elected to office were: president, William P. Kearney; honorary president, Fred L. Steers; first vice-president, Richard Phelan; second vice-president, Joseph Henneberry; treasurer, Robert Irmiger; secretary, Thomas S. McCabe; and to the Board were added George Witteried, James Lewis, James Cronin, John Dorgan, Joseph Shelley and Ed McLaughlin.

Thomas C. Donovan, '24, presided very satisfactorily over what was termed the best annual meeting in years. Among those gracing the speakers' table were President-elect Kearney, Coach Ed Krause, Alumni Secretary Jim Armstrong, Lt. William Cerney, USNR, Lt. John "Botts" Crowley, USNR, and Commander Washburne of the Glenview Naval Base.

After election formalities were disposed of President Kearney spoke briefly of plans for the club in the year 1943. Then followed remarks from Jim Armstrong, Ed Krause, Lts. Cerney and Crowley. Commander Washburne presented a most interesting talk on the training given Navy Air Cadets at Glenview and elsewhere, after which a question and answer session on this subject occupied a very informative half hour.

The chairman of the affair was Richard L. "Chicago Title & Trust" Phelan.

On Feb. 4, despite a cold and stormy evening, the club turned out in sizeable numbers to an autograph party for Father Arthur J. Hope, C.S.C., at Holy Name Cathedral Library, where his new book "Notre Dame—100 Years" received an auspicious welcome. No doubt Father Hope had writer's cramps for several days, judging by the constant line of book purchasers awaiting autographs. The book has received numerous complimentary reviews in the local press.

The Chicago club, like N.D. clubs everywhere, is hard hit by the war. Among former officers and wheelhorses of the organizations now in uniform are Jack Clark, Barry O'Keefe, Art Conrad, Ray McGrath, Ray McClory, Don Fitzgerald, Frank Egan, Mark Mooney, Frank Downs, Ray Mulligan, John Cavanaugh, Jim Murtaugh, Don Wilkins, John Mohardt, John Nash, Tom Nash, Ed Melchione, Joe Dorgan, George Coury, Herb Burt and a host of others ranging in rank from lieutenant commanders to buck privates and scattered from the heights of Chicago's Board of Trade Building to the wilds of New York, Alaska, Cuba, and Guadalcanal. Efforts to compile a complete list of them are proceeding slowly.

Tom McCabe

CLEVELAND

Dr. Francis J. Gannon, '31, 10420 S. Highland Ave., Garfield Heights, O., Pres.; Lawrence P. Kial, '31, 276 E. 272nd St., Sec.

With Retreats at St. Stanislaus Retreat House on the week-ends beginning March 26 and April 2, the club, according to preliminary announcements, was all set to carry on one of its long-standing traditions. Frank Cull and Karl Martersteck were named co-chairmen of the Retreats.

DELAWARE

John J. Verbanc, '35, 1510 Delaware Ave., Wilmington, Pres.; Walter J. Cordes, '42, Sec.

The following men have been elected to hold office for the year 1943-44: president, John J. Verbanc, '35; vice-president, Russel A. Kurtz, '42; secretary-treasurer, Walter Cordes, '42. Board of Governors: Albert T. Mertes, '09; J. F. Froning, '37.

Dr. Russell A. Kurtz has been transferred from his research position in Jackson Laboratory to a supervisory post in the Semi Works of the du Pont Organic Chemicals Division.

We hear by the rumor road that Dr. Edward A. Bried has been transferred from his research position at the Hercules Experiment Station to the Wilmington Offices of the Hercules Powder Co.

The men of the Delaware Club send best wishes to Eddie Mahon of the University Chemistry Department and hope that his recovery from his accident is complete. Hardly a man in the club has not at some time or other come in for his share of Eddie's super service and friendly advice dished out in the stock room of the Chemistry Building.

The club extends sincere sympathy to Dr. Art Baum on the death of his sister.

John J. Verbanc

DENVER

John H. Humphreys, '32, 1423 Race St., Pres.; John F. Connell, '23, 2718 Fillmore St., Sec.

Highlighting early spring Notre Dame activities in Denver, the local lads proudly introduced the Denver club's first annual Pre-Lenten Ball on the evening of March 8. Credit for the outstanding success of the affair goes to the members and the committee headed by John Humphreys, Al Frantz, Charlie Haskell and Bart O'Hara.

Through the splendid and generous cooperation of good N.D. friends, Mr. Cockrill and Mr. Fitzgerald of Denver's Denham Theatre, the recent Notre Dame Benefit Week netted over \$1,000 for the Notre Dame Centenary Fund.

John Connell

We've had good news from all our Denver N.D.ers in service and the many other out-of-town N.D.ers who have been with us recently here in Denver.

Lt. Jack Akolt is still making the boys at Denver's Lowry Field "camera-happy" as a photography instructor of the Army Air Forces. Last we heard from Don Alexander, ex. '29, he was keeping things humming at Peterson Field, near Colorado Springs. Leon Archer, ex. '29, got a real break when he received his appointment to the Link Training School at Chanute Field, Ill. Marine Lt. Tom Barry, '39, has a South Pacific island under his thumb as assistant provost marshal; we've heard that "Boss" Barry has a Jap major locked up in his USMC clink there. Nice going!

Lt. Chuck Cassidy, '38, is commanding officer of the 312 Dive Bombers and Lt. Tom Tierney, ex. '40, flies with the 55th Bombardment Squadron; both these N.D. roomies are at Key Field, Miss. Lt. Geary Connor, is on active duty in

the Pacific after shoving off from the Armed Guard Center on Treasure Island, San Francisco. Recently, at San Diego, Geary ran into his classmate, Lt. Joe Dempsey, now a staff officer at the San Diego Naval Base. Frank Conway, '27, is in officer's school at the Army Air Base in Fargo, N. Dak., and passes on the word that Dave Hickey, '27, is working in Frisco's shipyards. By now, Tom Corrigan, '41, has completed his training with the Quartermaster supply school at Fort Warren, Wyo., and is probably at officer's school at Camp Lee, Va. Major Henry Dillon, '26, is in the medical corps at Fort George Meade, Md. Pat Dillon, ex. '29, from Castle Rock is on the high seas. U.S. Naval Reserve Aviation Base at Los Alamitos, Calif., is still the address for Ensign Joe Dunn, from Rocky Ford. U.S. Marine Herb Fairall, ex. '39, received his commission from the Marine officer's school at Quantico, Va.

Lt. "Dink" Grazier, ex. '39, is literally "up in the air" all the time as an Air Corps instructor with a bombing squadron at Columbia, S. C. Dink recently clinched a little deal over in Washington, D. C., and plans to be married in May. Lt. Art Gregory, '36, is with the 417th Infantry at Fort George Meade, Md. Cadet Jerry Hogan, is in pre-flight school at San Antonio. Cadet Harry Lawrence, '29, is ready for his commission at Camp Lee, Va., with the Quartermaster Corps. OCS selection beat Ed Mansfield, '34, to the gang-plank, and now Ed is at Fort Monmouth, N. J., in the Signal Corp officer's training school. Some day, Ed will tell you fellows how to get into a foot locker—and out of it again—at inspection. It's a good yarn, worth waiting for, as Ed tells it. Lt. Joe Nigro, '39, from Trinidad, last checked in from Camp Ritchie, Md. Capt. Dan Pfaffman, '32, is with the St. Louis plant of the Chemical Warfare Service. Lt. Felix "Bud" Poglane, '41, has been made battery commander of a coast artillery anti-aircraft unit somewhere in Central American jungles. Russ Sabe, '33, was expecting a transfer from Stuttgart Air Base in Arkansas. Lt. Joe Ryan has been advanced from a flight commander to a squadron commander at Taft Field, Calif. Sgt. Paul Sante is doing special work as an instructor at Lowry Field, Denver. Art Sandusky is expecting a call to Military Intelligence officer's school from his present post with the Troop Carrier Command at Stout Field, Indianapolis. Fred Sisk, '39, is attached to the Headquarters Company at Fort Custer, Mich. Ray Smith, '31, SK3c, finished with flying colors at Toledo's Navy Training School and after "washing up his whites" shoved off to an unknown port. Ensign Bob Stapp, '36, is training at Corpus Christi's Naval Air Station. On the subject of celestial navigation, Bob says: "O'Grady may be right about the universe being an example of perfect order directed by a divine plan, but it doesn't come out that way on my paper!" Cpl. Joe Stephen is tapering off (!) his training with daily 20-mile hikes, obstacle course, and two-hour bend-overs at Camp Murphy, Fla. Jesse Sutherland is at OCS at Dayton, O., Signal Depot. Ensign Ed Wartzbach, '40, stopped at the campus on his way to the Naval Station at Gulfport, Miss.

Lee Robidoux, '41, from Fort Collins, was married recently in Milwaukee. Wis. Bob Dick, '29, enjoys his work with the aircrafts in Los Angeles. George Starbuck, ex. '34, ditto, with North American Aviation in Kansas City.

Among the out-of-town N.D.ers with us in Denver are: Lt. "Bill" Barton and Jim Fisk.

er, '36, from Indianapolis; Charlie Callahan, '38, who is on medical furlough, at present, at his home in Lexington, Mass. S/Sgt. Bob Dolan, '40, is counting the days at Buckley Field until April 26 when he's going to test the "Two-can-live-as-cheaply-as-one" theory with the little lady in K.C.-Mo. Ensign Paul Morrison, '40, of Lynchburg, Va., is doing a fine job at Fitzsimmons General Hospital; he'll be ready to go full-steam-ahead before long.

Recently with us, have been: Joe Burke, '25, from Rockaway Beach, N. Y., who is now at the Army Air Base at Santa Maria, Calif. Pvt. George Gipp, nephew and namesake of N.D.'s famous "Gipper," who is now at the Bombardier School at Childress, Texas, 1st Lt. Maurie Leahy, '39, of Tiffin, O., now in the Personnel Office of Truax Field, Madison, Wis. O/C Jim Dwyer from New York state now at OCS in Miami, Fla. Sgt. Paul Neville, '42, of Massachusetts, now editor of the weekly paper at the Army Air Base at Richmond, Va. And, Francis Sanfilippo, ex. '44, now an aviation cadet at San Antonio.

Gene Blish

DETROIT

John W. Brennan, '27, c/o American Blower Corp., 632 Fisher Bldg., Pres.; Paul Foley, '37, Seon Inc., 34th Floor, Eaton Tower, Sec.

John Brennan, president, writes that the club has undertaken the publication of a monthly news letter for the benefit of Notre Dame men in service from the Detroit area. The committee will meet weekly or semi-monthly in John's office to go over the material and establish telephone contacts with the families of the service men.

Hanover Club (new)

Ensign Quinten Sturm, USNR, '43, Pres.; Ensign Ed Roney, USNR, '43, Sec. (Address for both until early May is N.T.S., Dartmouth College, Hanover, N. H.)

With 30 N.D. men literally on the steps of Dartmouth College, we decided to form a club, if for no other reason than to retain our mid-western accents and talk over old times at the Alma Mater.

Accordingly a meeting was held in the Hanover Inn on the first Saturday we were here. Ensign Quince Sturm, '43, was elected president, Lt. (j.g.) Bill Miller, '30, was elected corresponding secretary, while Ensign Ed Roney, '43, was made recording secretary. In order to give all those present executive positions, Ensigns J. J. Becker, Joe Callahan, Tom Cooney, Bill Dvorak, Tom Finucane, Gail Fitch, Jim Girard, Fred Gore, Louis Kurtz, Pete Moritz, Bill Stryker, all '43, and Tom Walker, '42, were all elected vice-presidents.

Miller said that he would contact the Boston Club for entertainment the week-end we all invade their territory.

President Sturm promised a weekly meeting at the same place.

This is believed to be the only Notre Dame alumni club composed of all officers and situated on the campus of another college.

Ed Roney

NEW YORK CITY

George H. Rohrs, '33, 6107 Spencer Ave., Riverdale, N. Y., Pres.; James M. Carroll, ex. '31, Hotel Capitol, 840 Eighth Ave., Sec.

We recently had an election of 1943 officers with the following results: George Rohrs, president (vice-president of Storewide Sales Inc.) Jack Lavelle, vice-president (athletic director of C.Y.O.) Wilfred Kirk, treasurer (branch manager of National City Bank) James Carroll, secretary (general manager of Hotel Capitol).

The Board of Governors now consists of: elected, Georges Rohrs, James Carroll, Jack Lavelle, Tim Toomey, Gregory Rice, Warren Fogel, and Leo McLaughlin. Members named to the Board: Wilfred Kirk, John Fogel, John Roach, Francis Walther.

PHILADELPHIA

Harold E. Duke, '30, 3040 Broad St., Pres.; Charles A. Conley, '33, 100 E. Turnhill Ave., South Ardmore, Upper Darby, Pa., Sec.

At the annual election held at the regular meeting of the club the following officers were elected for the year 1943-44 to take office immediately: president, Harold E. Duke, '30; vice-president, Walter R. Ridley, '31; treasurer, E. Bradley Bailey, '22; secretary, Charles A. Conley, '33.

The following were elected to fill vacancies on the board of governors: Bob Duffy, Al D'Amora, Fred Frick.

A committee to determine the boy to be chosen for the scholarship from the club was picked by retiring president E. B. Bailey as follows: Hon. John H. Neeson, chairman; Dan Young, Joseph J. Toland, M.D., Rev. J. P. Lynch, C.S.C., Tom Byrne.

Charlie Conley

RHODE ISLAND AND SOUTHWESTERN MASSACHUSETTS

John J. McLaughlin, '34, Mendon Rd., Cumberland Hill, R. I., Pres.; Russell L. Hunt, '39, 493 S. Main St., Woonsocket, R. I., Sec.

At a meeting held recently in the Crown Hotel, Providence, the club voted to donate a \$200 war bond to the University's centenary fund. In addition to this, the group's quota of personal contributions was almost a certainty.

President McLaughlin was a recent visitor on the campus and reports changes too numerous to mention. Mac says, "Ya'd never recognize the place."

Due to the war restrictions and gasoline rationing the prospect of future meeting looks rather dark at present. The club would like to hear

from any of the alumni who are members of the armed forces and stationed in this vicinity. In the event of a possible gathering we would like to have their names and addresses so they could be invited to attend.

Dan Keefe, '39, is now attending officers' candidate school at Miami Beach, Fla. He should be receiving his gold bars any time now.

Russ Hunt, '39, is the newly appointed assistant secretary of the Chamber of Commerce in his home town.

News from any of the club members in service is sought so that it may be relayed to friends through this column.

Russell L. Hunt

ROCHESTER

Kenneth E. Power, ex. '28, 173 Hazelwood Ave., Pres.; William D. O'Toole, '39, 176 Hillside Ave., Sec.

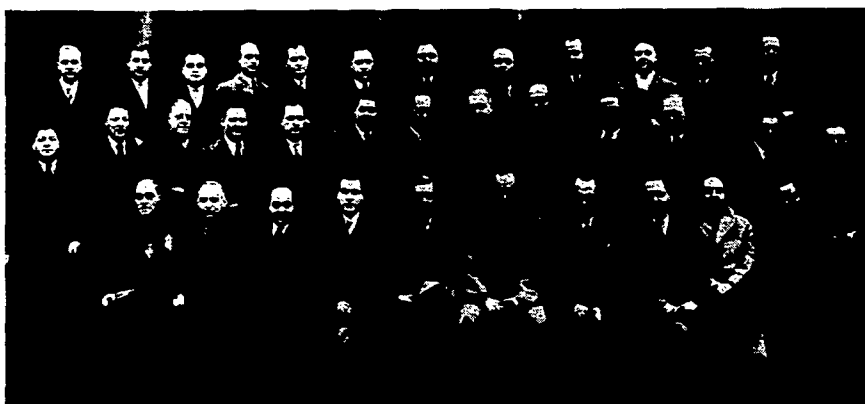
Johnny Odenbach, '36, and Bob, '41, are building boats for the war effort, and from all reports are doing all right. They were awarded the Navy E a short time ago. Both John and Bob have daughters born recently.

Jerry Farrell, '34, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the Cavalry and is stationed in California according to the latest report.

Frank Connelly, our past-president, was recently commissioned a lieutenant in the Marines. Pete, I understand, is in Officers' Candidate School.

Latest reports were that Leo Hofschneider, '36, is in Australia in the Medical Corps.

Frank, '32, and Charley, '39, Norton, are in the Army Ordnance having been drafted together last October. Both were sent to Aberdeen for their Basic Training and later split up. Here are their addresses: Pfc. Francis A. Norton, Jr., Co. A, Hdqtrs. Bn. ORTC, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Aberdeen, Md. Pvt. Charles M. Norton, 1st Provisional OVTC, Texarkana, Texas. Frank has a son, Francis III, born Nov. 22, 1942. As for me, I am working as assistant chemist at Delco Appliance Division here in Rochester. We also have a new son, our second, born Feb. 6, 1943, and named Edward Lucas Norton.



NOTRE DAME CLUB GROUP AND DENTISTS GROUP
At St. Paul's Retreat House Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 15-17

Front Row, left to right: Fr. Linus Monahan, C.P., Retreat Master, J. A. Briley, Dr. E. A. Nicotira, H. A. Gallagher, J. F. McMahon, J. A. Bach, F. Wilson, Dr. G. P. Boucek, Dr. G. H. Foster, Fr. Romuald Walsh, C.P., Retreat Director.

Second Row: J. F. Caspero, J. A. Breig, J. B. Beardon, J. T. Rooney, E. J. Coyne, Dr. J. J. Corrigan, A. J. Deibold, Jr., E. J. Hayes, J. W. O'Brien, E. J. O'Connor, P. H. Loedding, R. C. Crnkovic, W. J. Magarrall, Jr.

Third Row: A. J. Vater, W. N. Steitz, Dr. C. A. Petraglia, J. C. Sheedy, H. C. Boyle, R. J. Gallagher, Dr. C. A. Flecker, M. Sheridan, H. S. Sheedy, Dr. R. J. Ging, Dr. S. Laskowski, Dr. J. G. Huth. Not on picture, H. T. Harka.

There have been no activities sponsored by the local club since Christmas, but here's hoping there will be some affairs planned for the summer so that we can all get together again.

John Norton

ST. LOUIS

Valda Wrape, ex. '22, Heil Packing Co., 2216 LaSalle, Pres.; Dr. Francis L. Kennedy, '25, Missouri Theatre Bldg., Sec.

Several years ago the St. Louis Notre Dame Club offered a trophy in memory of Knute Rockne to the most outstanding high school football team in the St. Louis district. This year it was the pleasure of the club to present St. Louis University High School this award. The presentation was made by Joseph McGlynn at the annual Father and Son Banquet sponsored by the St. Louis High Club.

The Notre Dame Club was represented by many alumni including Tom "Kitty" Gorman, coach at Washington University; Paul, Vince, and Lou Fehlig, Valda Wrape, Jerry Arnold, Fred McNeill, Dr. Vince Gorrilla, Dr. Bernard Crowley, Al Ravarino, John Corley, Dick Klohr and Tom Glynn.

At a recent smoker, attended by alumni and students, we were entertained by Joe Shea and his unequalled dialect jokes and by Don Gilliland's singing and miscellaneous facial expressions. By the way, it is now Private Don Gilliland.

Our next big get-together will be Universal Notre Dame Night and we are looking forward to seeing more soldiers from Jefferson Barracks.

Roland Dames

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA

John McMahon, '28, 446 Longridge Drive, Mount Lebanon, Pa., Pres.; William H. Ginder, Jr., '31, 504 Gettysburg St., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Bob Kvatsak, '39, beamingly reports the birth of Barbara Jeanne, weight 7 lbs. 9 1/4 oz. (and don't forget the 3/4 oz.) on January 15. This is No. 2. As you'll recall his first was a boy.

The annual Retreat was attended by 18 of the gang. We are certain that this comparatively small attendance does not reflect an indifference on the part of our members, many of whom found it impossible to be there because of business trips, week-end meetings, etc. I personally feel that many of us who were unable to attend were there in spirit and thereby benefited indirectly from the Retreat.

Lieut. Joseph C. Clark U.S.N.R., ex. '34, replied with regrets to the smoker invitation which

was somehow forwarded to him at 512 East Shemon, Ave., Hutchinson, Kans., where he is now located. Says Dave McCaffrey, '34, is a lieutenant (j.g.), engineer in the supply corps at Hutchinson. (It's a U.S. Naval Reserve Aviation Base according to his letterhead.)

The morning paper contained a picture and the following write-up—"George J. Schill ['27], superintendent of the municipal garage, Pittsburgh Department of Public Safety, for the last six years, has been commissioned a captain in the Army Ordnance Department. He will be in the motor transport service, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland."

Jim Devlin, '33, is the proud father of James Dennis, born recently. (This is his first.)

Henry Horka, '30, now with the F.B.I., dropped into town recently. Ed Boyle, '38, has been with the FBI in Pittsburgh for the past two years, Joe Sheeketski, '32, was recently transferred from Pittsburgh to Detroit; with Ed Fitch, '31, in Washington and George Fitch, '29, here and there—Notre Dame is well represented in the FBI.

Bill Ginder

YOUNGSTOWN

Charles B. Cushwa, Jr., '31, 1866 Coronado Ave., Pres.; Clarence T. "Pete" Sheehan, '40, 215 Granada Ave., Sec.

Confined to bed for a week, Charlie Cushwa got out pencil and pad and let go with the following:

"Jack Kane is a special U.S. district attorney and as such has had to spend considerable time in Toledo and Cleveland. He was appointed to succeed Paul Fleming, '26, who is new counsel for the alien property custodian in New York City. . . . John Buckley was again elected to represent us in the Ohio legislature. Bill Dunlevy, Pete Sheehan and numerous others are in the Army. Bud Bernard was an ensign in the Navy, the last I heard of him.

"The bowling team continues, although Sheehan and Dunlevy are sorely missed. When they were here the rest of us didn't have to worry about the worst bowler! Doc Leonelli is still the only reasonable facsimile of a bowler, but Steve Repasky is helping to hold the team together. Jack Kane is greatly improved over last year, which isn't necessarily saying much. John and Gabe Moran, Gerry Wolf and I go along for fun. At present we are tied for first place in one league and fourth in another."

Charlie's company, the Commercial Shearing and Stamping Co., is going full blast in war production and some months ago won the Army-Navy "E".

ADDITIONAL MILITARY MEN*

(Including names received and classified up to March 18).

Abraham, Eli M., '34, Pvt., U.S. Army Air Corps, Training Det., Flight C, Wilburton, Okla.
Adamonis, Stanley C., '40, Ensign, U.S.N.R., Naval Training Station, Princeton, N. J.
Albert, Richard S., '40, Ensign, U.S.N.R., Naval Training Station, Princeton, N. J.
Aleksis, Norbert A., '39, 2nd Lt., U.S. Army.
Altman, Arnold D., '41, Ensign, U.S.N.R.
Altman, Herman S., '41, Ensign, U.S.N.R.
Atwater, Julian G., '43, Ensign, U.S.N.R.
Anderson, Edward N., '22, Major, U.S. Army Medical Corps, Veteran's Hospital, Clinton, Ia.

Anderson, Norman I., '39, S/Sgt., U.S. Army Air Corps, Sq. 16, Advanced Glider School, A.A.F.-A.T.S., Stuttgart, Ark.
Aubrey, Francis G., ex. '40, Corp., U.S. Army, A.P.O. 786, c/o Postmaster, New York City.
Aubrey, Francis Y., '40, Pvt., U.S. Army, Co. G, R.R.C., Fort Devens, Mass.

Bader, Clarence W., '19, Lt.Com., U.S.N.R., Norfolk, Va.

Baldinger, Edward J., '40, Pvt., U.S. Army, Group 4, Regulating S.T.A., Camp Hathaway, Vancouver, Wash.

Ball, Gerald J., '31, (Lt. (j.g.)), U.S.N.R., c/o Postoffice, San Diego, Calif.

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Engagements

Miss Thelma Towne and Dr. Vittorio G. Arcadi, '35, of Whittier, Calif.

Miss Mary Worthington and Frederick W. Honerkamp, '39, of New York City.

Marriages

The marriage of Miss Mary McGrane, and Lt. Charles F. Colton, '29, took place on Jan. 25, at Buckley Field, Colo. Lt. John J. Cody, ex. '42, was the best man.

Miss Gabriella Kinney, and Dr. Frank A. Manzione, '30, were married on Dec. 27, in Paterson, N. J.

The marriage of Miss Sarah Irene Metz and Charles A. Conley, '33, took place on Feb. 13, in Merwood, Pa. At the altar during the marriage ceremony were Rev. John P. Lynch, C.S.C., '25, and Rev. John A. Molter, C.S.C., '29. Maurice W. Lee, '33, was the best man. Harold E. Duke, '30, and Walter R. Ridley, '31, were the ushers.

Miss Estelle Broussard and Lt. (s.g.) Francis J. Schlueter, U.S.N.R., '35, were married on Feb. 20, in Beaumont, Texas. Mrs. Schlueter is the daughter of Clyde E. Broussard, '13.

The marriage of Miss Elsa Marie Muenster and Bernard F. Hartz, '37, took place on Nov. 26, in Indianapolis.

Miss Madeleine Claire Shannon, and Lt. Raymond E. McGrath, U.S. Army Air Corps, '37, were married on March 2, in Houston, Texas.

The marriage of Miss Janet Patrice Walsh and Ensign John F. Tangney, Jr., U.S.N.R., '38, took place on Feb. 12, in Washington, D. C.

The marriage of Miss Eleanor Cavanaugh and Lt. Joseph M. Corcoran, U.S.N.R., '39, took place on Feb. 16, in New York City.

Miss Patricia Engle and Lt. John C. Cole, '40, were married on Feb. 3, in Orlando, Fla.

The marriage of Miss Caroline Rachel Galbreath, and Lt. James E. Curran, '40, took place on March 6, in South Bend.

The marriage of Miss Helen Elizabeth Phelan and John J. Gilrane, '40, took place on Oct. 3, in Whittier, Calif.

Miss Pauline Churchill and Ensign William F. Halpin, U.S.N.R., '40, were married on Sept. 18, in Portsmouth, N. H.

The marriage of Miss Dolores M. Nelson and James P. McClarren, '40, took place on Jan. 2 in Beaverville, Pa.

The marriage of Miss Frances Bray and John B. Aelage, '41, took place on Feb. 18, in Delta, O.

Miss Marie Ellen Walsh and Jerome J. Froelich, '41, were married on Feb. 13, in Newark, N. J.

The marriage of Miss Victoria Puddicombe and Ensign John M. Kelly, U.S.N.R., '41, took place on Oct. 17, in Corpus Christi, Texas.

Miss Ellen Trimarco and Ensign Donald E.

Kralovec, U.S.N.R., '41, were married on Feb. 27, in Oak Park, Ill.

The marriage of Miss Virginia Marie Raiss and Edward A. Mahoney, Jr., '41, took place on Feb. 6, in Buffalo, N. Y.

Miss Evelyn Moll and Daniel E. Sullivan, '41, were married on Dec. 6.

The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Kieffer and Lt. John H. Verdonk, '41, took place on Feb. 2, at Notre Dame.

Miss Jean Elizabeth Devine and Ensign John J. Gavin, U.S.N.R., '42, were married on March 2, in Indianapolis.

The marriage of Miss Anne Humphrey Keller and Ensign John W. Gilbert, U.S.N.R., '42, took place on Dec. 26, in Mount Sterling, Ky.

Miss Barbara Flynn and Ensign Francis B. Quinn, U.S.N.R., '42, were married on Jan. 30, in Indianapolis.

The marriage of Miss Mary Donahue and Ensign Quentin J. Marshall, U.S.N.R., '42, took place on Feb. 2, in Jacksonville, Fla.

Miss Marian Helen Loughery and Donald A. Potter, '43, were married on Feb. 6, in Indianapolis.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. W. Joseph Maloney, ex. '22, announce the birth of a daughter on Dec. 25, in Chicago.

A daughter, Susan Kay, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Russell H. Arndt, '25, on Feb. 7, in Mishawaka.

A daughter, Regina, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Frey, '30, on Sept. 22, in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Regis Kuhn, '32, announce the birth of a son, John Regis II, on Feb. 22, in Latrobe, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Murray, '32, announce the birth of a son, Thomas George, on Feb. 3, in Battle Creek, Mich.

A daughter, Joanne, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond J. Naber, '33, on Jan. 28.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin H. Weinstein, '33, on March 11, in South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Gleason, '34, announce the birth of a son, James Patrick, on June 19.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Reilly, '34, announce the birth of a son, Paul Vernon, on Feb. 6, in Orange, N. J.

A daughter, Susan Mary, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Van Huisseling, '35, on Nov. 20, in Elmhurst, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Verbanc, '35, announce the birth of Barbara Anne on Jan. 18, in Wilmington, Del.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius P. Recca, '36, announce the birth of a daughter, Marie Anne, on March 16, in Linden, N. J.

A son, Larry, Jr., was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence F. Sibr, '36, on Jan. 19, in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Dehnalek, '37, announce the birth of a son on Feb. 3, in South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl G. King, Jr., '37, announce the birth of a son, Karl III, on Dec. 15, in South Bend.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Francis F. Valetich, '38, on Jan. 25.

A son was born to Lt. and Mrs. Francis T. Farrell, '39, on March 12, in South Bend.

Ensign and Mrs. Francis B. Kelly, '39, announce the birth of a son, Frank III, in Jacksonville, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius R. Kristan, '39, announce the birth of a son, Michael Damian, on Oct. 11, in New Haven, Conn.

A son, Michael Hugh, was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. Hugo Winterrowd, '39, on Nov. 22, in Washington, D. C.

A son, Michael Richard, was born to Pfc. and Mrs. William R. Dillen, '40, on Dec. 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Farrell, '41, announce the birth of a son, Charles Joseph II, on Nov. 28.

FOR GOD, COUNTRY, NOTRE DAME IN GLORY EVERLASTING

Corp. Richard L. Novak, '29 (class of '28), died in Lawson General Hospital, Atlanta, on Feb. 27.

Dick was inducted into the Army in May, 1942, and after being stationed at Fort Monmouth, N. J., and Washington, D. C., was attached to the 801st Signal Regiment, Camp Murphy, Fla. He was to have entered the Officers' Candidate School at Fort Benning, Ga., when an illness necessitated his removal

to the Atlanta hospital. Before he entered the Army, Dick was doing freelance writing, residing with his mother in Clifton, N. J.

One of the most active and successful journalists of his day at Notre Dame, Dick was editor-in-chief of the 1927 *Dome* and was a leading staff member of both the *Scholastic* and the *Jugler*. In addition, he edited the football program of 1927.

Surviving Dick besides his mother are a sister and four brothers, one of whom, Rev. Daniel G. Novak, O.S.B., Cleveland, officiated at the funeral Mass on March 4.



CORP. RICHARD L. NOVAK

Newton Lee Mathews, Jr., ex. '36, of Chicago, was killed in service in the Philippines in January, 1941, according to information just received at the University. His brother is Lieut. John R. Mathews, USNR, '32, 4418 Greenwood Ave., Chicago.

Lieut. James L. Carroll, ex. '40, of Charleston, S. C., was killed on March 12 when the Army plane which he was piloting crashed at Orlando, Fla. Jim, a graduate of Christian Brothers Academy, Syracuse, N. Y., had trained for a time at the Napier aviation training center in Alabama. He received his wings in October, 1942.

John B. Maas, Jr., ex. '42, Grosse Pointe, Mich., died on Guadalcanal according to authentic information received by the Alumni Office, but all details of his death are lacking. John was at Notre Dame from 1938 through 1941.

Capt. Thomas J. Webster, '40, of the United States Marines, died as the result of injuries which he had suffered in the action on Guadalcanal on Nov. 24. He had been removed by plane from the battle site to a nearby hospital base.

Tom was born in South Bend on July 13, 1918, and was graduated from South Bend's Riley High School. Entering the Marines in 1940, he received his second lieutenant's commission in San Diego, before leaving for active

duty. He received his captaincy while serving in the south Pacific.

Tom made his home with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Schindler ('09) of Mishawaka. Surviving also are a sister, another aunt and five cousins.



CAPT. THOMAS J. WEBSTER

John J. Whelan, Jr., ex. '43, Bloomfield, N. J., died at Corpus Christi, Texas, on Feb. 3, as the result of injuries suffered in a plane crash.



JOHN J. WHELAN, JR.

Jack enlisted in the Naval Reserve in January, 1942, while he was still at Notre Dame, and then in May, at the end of his junior year, he began his preliminary flight training at Glenview, Ill. He had been at the Corpus Christi base since August and had expected to

receive in February his second lieutenant's commission in the Marine Corps to which he had recently become attached.

A magician of wide talent, Jack was the premier campus entertainer of his day. While he was still in Sacred Heart grammar school in Bloomfield he became known for his magic and at the age of 14 he applied for membership in the Society of American Magicians. Barred from this group by his age, he was made an honorary member. At Notre Dame he won first prize in the K. of C. vaudeville in his freshman year; and gave numerous professional shows throughout the South Bend area during his three years. Many of his best shows were given in the cause of charity.

Surviving Jack besides his parents is a brother, William, five years old.

2nd Lieut. Allen H. Elward, Jr., ex. '44, of West Lafayette, Ind., the son of Lieut. Comm. Allen H. "Mal" El-



Lieut. Allen H. Elward, Jr., with his father Lieut. Comm. Allen H. "Mal" Elward, '16.

ward, '16, was lost after his pursuit plane and the plane of a fellow officer collided over Panama Bay on March 3. Both pilots parachuted to the water but could not be found in the gathering darkness despite an all-night search. Elward's body was found the following day floating in a lifejacket.

Surviving the boy besides his parents are a sister and a brother. Mal Elward, the father, formerly director of athletics and head football coach at Purdue University, is now stationed at the Navy base at Lakehurst, N. J.

Deaths

Brother Raphael, C.S.C., one of the most brilliant younger members of the Congregation, died in St. Joseph's Hospital, South Bend, on Feb. 11 after an illness of several months. The holder of four degrees from the University (B.S. '30, M.A. '36, M.S. '39, Ph.D. Dec. '42), Brother had been since September, 1942, a member of the Biology faculty of the College of Science.

Born in Chicago 36 years ago, Brother Raphael entered the Congregation in 1923. Displaying a rare aptitude for mathematics and science, he taught in several of the Congregation's high schools before he returned to Notre Dame to study for his Ph.D. degree. He had just completed his dissertation for his doctorate when he was stricken with the malady which took his life.

Dr. Joseph F. Duane, '99, prominent eye surgeon and a resident of Peoria, Ill., almost all his life, died in his home on Jan. 21. Though he had been ill for a year, his death was unexpected.

A post mortem examination, done in accordance with Dr. Duane's wishes, proved that he had died from a generalized amyloidosis—only the fourth such case in all medical literature.

Born 62 years ago in Auburn, N. Y., Dr. Duane moved to Peoria when he was six years old. Following his graduation from Notre Dame, where he won a monogram as a member of the track team of 1898-99, he was graduated from Rush Medical College, Chicago, in 1903. He did post graduate work in Vienna, Austria, specializing in internal medicine. Following his marriage in 1914 he returned to Vienna and other European points to center his studies on the eye, ear, nose and throat. Eventually he confined his work to the eye.

Dr. Duane was a member of many medical societies, local, state and national, and of various social organizations in Peoria. He is survived by his wife and by a son and daughter, the former a medical student at Northwestern University.

William H. Malone, ex. '00, Niles, Mich., died in February according to a note in the "Religious Bulletin."

Ray E. Danaher, ex. '02, of Detroit, died in Detroit on Feb. 21 after a brief illness. Surviving him are his wife, two sons (one of whom is James P. Danaher, ex. '44), a daughter and his father. Member of a family long outstanding in the Michigan lumber industry, Mr. Danaher was president of the R. E. Danaher Co. in Detroit and the Booth Lumber Co., Eugene, Ore., as well as vice-president of the Michigan California Lumber Co., Grand Rapids. He was born in Ludington, Mich., 61 years ago.

Howard R. Parker, '17, Sacramento, Calif., one of the most active, popular and talented students of his day at Notre Dame and one of the most devoted alumni ever after, died in Sacramento, on Feb. 22 after an illness of several months. He was a brother of Jerome Parker, '30.

Howard came to Notre Dame from Woodland, Calif., where he had studied piano for nine years with the Sisters of the Holy Cross. On the campus his musical ability quickly made him prominent. Eventually he became pianist for the then-young Glee Club and for a time was its director.

In journalism also Howard was a stand-out. A journalism major under Dr. John M. Cooney, he was editor-in-chief of the 1917 "Dome" and an editor of the "Scholastic."

Recommended for Officers' Training School by the late Father John Cavanaugh, Howard became

a second lieutenant in World War I. He joined the staff of the California National Bank, Sacramento, in 1919, and rose to become its vice-president as well as general manager of the California National Corporation. After ranking number one in qualifying examinations, he was appointed by Governor Young in 1936 as manager of the Department of Corporations of the state of California. His work took him to San Francisco, where he became ill last September from a blood infection. In San Francisco, he served as president of the Notre Dame Club of Northern California.

Howard was married in the Log Chapel at Notre Dame in 1935 to Miss Helen Basic of Sacramento, with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard J. Voll as the attendants. (Howard had been Bernie's best man in 1921). Surviving are his wife and three sons, as well as four brothers and a sister.

Howard returned frequently to the campus (despite the distance) and was particularly active in arranging reunions of his class. His piano-playing was, as always, a highlight of the 25th anniversary reunion of the class last May. (See 1917 news, this issue, for further comment.)

William H. Sheehan, '35, Oakland, Calif., died in Oakland on Jan. 22. He was a brother of Eileen Sheehan, Manchester, N. H., who received her A.B. at Notre Dame in the summer of 1929. Bill had been an employee of the American Trust Company, Oakland, since 1936.

Surviving are two sisters and three brothers. The body was returned to Manchester for burial.

Howard H. "Pat" Flannery, '34, East Hampton, L.I., N. Y., died on Jan. 31 as the result of a kidney ailment from which he had been suffering for more than a year. Since 1939 he had been East Hampton manager of the Long Island Lighting Company and had worked for the same company since 1935.

Pat was married in 1937 to Miss Mary Eliza Thomas. Surviving are his wife, his young son, his father, stepmother and a half-brother and half-sister.

Frank J. Wukovits, Jr., '38, of South Bend, brother of Thomas J. Wukovits, '38, and William Wukovits, a present student, died on March 12 after a heart attack suffered in the yards of the New York Central Railroad. Frank was employed by the N.Y.C. Born in South Bend, he had spent all his life there. His parents, two sisters and three brothers survive him.

The "Alumnus" extends sincere sympathy to **George L. O'Brien**, '93, upon the death of his wife; **Rev. Charles C. Miltner, C.S.C.**, '11, upon the death of his brother; **Maurice F. Smith**, '21, upon the death of his mother; **Rev. Henry J.**, '24, and **Frank S. Bolger**, '26, upon the death of their mother; **James R. Mehan**, '24, upon the death of his mother; **William V. Dielmann, Jr.**, '25, upon the death of his father; **John F.**, '28, and **Joseph F. Robinson**, '31, upon the death of their mother; **James P. "Pat" Canny**, '28, upon the death of his father; **Bernard E. Loshbough**, '29, upon the death of his mother; **Bruce (minim)** and **Wallace M. Rogerson**, ex. '29, upon the death of their father; **Donald J.**, '29, and **Devere T. Plunkett**, '30, upon the death of their father; **Bernard J. Roethel**, '32, upon the death of his daughter; **Eugene S. Blush**, '34, upon the death of his wife; **Edward H.**, '36, and **John P. Daley**, '38, upon the death of their father; **Edward R. Goggin**, '40, upon the death of his father; **William V. Jordan**, '37, and **A/C Cecil E. Jordan**, '40, upon the death of their mother; **Ensign Richard E. Ball**, '41, upon the death of his father; **Lt. (j.g.) Thomas J. McGee**, '41, upon the death of his father; **George T. O'Connor**, '41, and **J. Ready O'Connor**, ex. '44, upon the death of their father.

Personals

Before 1890

P. E. Burke, '88, 301 Camp, New Orleans, La.

Contributors, Jan. 15-March 15

Francis H. Boland, '87, San Francisco; **J. H. Fendrich**, '85, Evansville, Ind.; **Thomas Hale**, '79, (additional) Pryor, Okla.; **Vincent E. Morrison**, '89, Minneapolis.

1890-99

Rev. J. A. MacNamara, '97, Saint Joseph's Mineral Baths, Mount Clemens, Mich.

Contributors, Jan. 15-March 15

Dr. Francis W. Barton, '96, Danville, Ill.; **Eustace Cullinan**, '95, San Francisco; **Frank W. Davis**, '95, Constantine, Mich.; **James R. Fitzgibbon**, '92, Newark, O.; **John M. Manley**, '90, Cincinnati; **Frank McCarthy**, '94, Kokomo, Ind.; **Dr. Richard C. Monahan**, '96, Butte, Mont.; **Oscar F. Smith**, '95, Rock Island, Ill.; **William A. Walsh**, '97, Yonkers, N. Y.; **Louis C. Wurzer**, '96, Detroit.

Alumni of the era will learn with keen regret of the death of **Dr. Joseph Duane**, '99, of Peoria, Ill., one of the most able and best known men of his profession in central Illinois. Details of Dr. Duane's death will be found under "Deaths" in this issue.

Death struck again into the family circle of 1890-99 men when the wife of **George L. O'Brien**, '93, of South Bend, a lay trustee of the University, was taken. Mrs. O'Brien was known and admired by a great many persons connected with the University.

Father Mac writes from Mt. Clemens that he had a good reunion there with **Father Leo Szybowicz**, pastor of St. Casimir's Church, Lansing, Mich. Father Szybowicz was at Notre Dame from 1898 to 1904.

Father Mac had recently heard from **Christopher C. Fitzgerald**, '94, of Havana, who despite the '94 graduation, is trying to get into the current war, having already served in the Spanish War and World War I. Regarding the death of **Dan Murphy**, '95, Mr. Fitzgerald writes, "The last time I saw Dan was on Christmas Eve, 1898. He was down here representing some newspaper and I was here with the 2nd U.S. Vol. Engineers . . . outside the city where we had been working for six weeks preparing the camp for the 7th corps, which formed the Army of Occupation, and also cleaning up Havana. . . . **Rollo Adelsberger** of N.D. was in the 2nd Engrs. also."

Mr. Fitzgerald writes also of his operation, on Nov. 17, 1917, by the late **Dr. Emilius McKee** and of later experiences in World War I, particularly his meeting with **Father Matthew Walsh** aboard the Leviathan on the way to France.

Wanted by 1890-99 secretary: news—any time, anything. All letters promptly answered.

1900-04

Robert E. Procter, '04, Menger Building, Elkhart, Ind.

Contributors, Jan. 15-March 15

Francis F. Dukette, '02, Los Angeles; **George Halpin**, '01, Lapeer, Mich.; **Francis B. Hughes**, '03, Los Angeles; **Clement K. Quinn**, '02, Duluth, Minn.; **Joseph P. Sheils**, '00, Chicago; **J. L. Spalding Slevin**, '00, Peoria, Ill.

1905-09

Rev. Thomas E. Burke, C.S.C., '07, Notre Dame, Ind.

Contributors, Jan. 15-March 15

J. A. Caparo, '08, Notre Dame; **James D. Jordan**, '07, Scranton, Pa.; **Paul R. Martin**, '09, Cumberland, Md.; **John B. Kanaley**, '09, (additional) Chicago; **Edmund L. McBride**, '09, Pittsburgh; **Alexander W. McFarland**, '06, Cleveland; **John E. Moore**, '07, Detroit; **Joseph F. Oelerich**, '09, Chicago; **Varnum A. Parish**, '08, Momence, Ill.; **Joseph D. Sinnott**, '08, Seattle; **Henry E. Weiss**, '08, Kenmore, N. Y.

A recent news note brings word that during the 32 years **Father Henry Kemper** has been pastor of Notre Dame Church, Kerrville, Texas, he has distributed 274,000 Communion, heard more than 130,000 confessions and officiated in 1,600 baptisms, including 204 adult baptisms.

Postmaster General **Frank C. Walker**, '09, announced on Feb. 15 the resignation of **Ambrose O'Connell**, '07, as first assistant postmaster general, effective March 1. Mr. O'Connell resigned to become vice chairman of the Democratic national committee of which Mr. Walker is chairman.

1910 Rev. Michael L. Moriarty, 8215 St. Clair Ave., Cleveland, O.

Contributors, Jan. 15-March 15

Samuel K. Dolan, Corvallis, Ore.; **Wales E. Finnegan**, Dayton, O.; **Lawrence J. Janszen**, Cincinnati; **Rev. Michael L. Moriarty**, Cleveland.

Father Mike Moriarty writes from St. Philip Neri Church in the good city of Cleveland to tell the Alumni Office that there should be 1910 news for the next issue of the "Alumnus." Reason: the secretary has written a letter to the class, and he anticipates an overwhelming response.

1911 Fred Steers, 1666 First National Bank Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

Contributors, Jan. 15-March 15

Chester D. Freeze, Los Angeles; **Anton R. Hebestreit**, Albuquerque, N. M.; **James L. Hope**, Astoria, Ore.; **Joseph B. Murphy**, Dayton, O.; **Carl Pick**, West Bend, Wis.; **Elmer J. Whitty**, Chicago; **Alba H. Wrape**, Paragould, Ark.

1912 B. J. Kaiser, 324 Fourth St., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Contributors, Jan. 15-March 15

Benedict J. Kaiser, Pittsburgh; **Jay L. Lee**, Detroit; **Joseph B. McGlynn** (additional) East St. Louis, Ill.; **Paul Rush**, Memphis; **Edward J. Weeks**, Grosse Pointe Woods, Mich.

1913 Paul R. Byrne, University Library, Notre Dame, Ind.

Contributors, Jan. 15-March 15

Dr. William J. Corcoran (additional) Chicago; **Keene Fitzpatrick**, San Francisco; **C. Byron Hayes**, Fort Wayne, Ind.; **William N. Hogan**, Wheeling, W. Va.

1914 Frank H. Hayes, 642 Third Ave., Chula Vista, Calif.

Contributors, Jan. 15-March 15

Dr. John R. Dundon, Milwaukee; **Simon T. Farrell**, Joliet, Ill.; **Eugene A. Kane**, Rocky River, O.; **Raymond T. Miller**, Cleveland; **M. Emmett Walter**, Houston, Tex.

In response—favorable—to a letter regarding the Centenary Fund, Mr. Ray T. Miller, Union Commerce Building, Cleveland, wrote to Mr. **Frank H. Hayes**, Chula Vista, Calif., in part as follows, "Why the . . . don't you find out something about your classmates and write about them in the 'Alumnus'?" Every month I turn to 1914 and see the name of 'Francis Hayes' but no information. If you don't know about anybody else, why don't you write about yourself?"

To which the aforesaid Mr. Hayes replied in part:

"The only other '14 men in the immediate vicinity are **General Mulcahy**, whom I see infrequently; and **Bill Cusack**, who is practicing law in Los Angeles; and **Bill Cook**, who used to live in St. Joe Hall with us, is in Los Angeles.

"Every time I receive the 'Alumnus,' I, too, turn to 1914 hoping to find some word of our classmates, so I am going to follow your suggestion and tell how little I am doing—and then ask all our classmates to write the 'Alumnus' and do likewise.

"Mrs. Hayes and I live in Chula Vista, a suburb of San Diego, about four miles from the Mexican border. I am not actively engaged in any business, but do occasionally buy a piece of real estate in the hope of selling it at a profit.

"San Diego has grown from a retired citizen's paradise to a city of 350,000. The aircraft plants have brought in thousands of workers. The crowds on the streets today remind one of South Bend.

"Now, instead of 'turning the heat' on me, why didn't you give us the 'low-down' on 'Nig' Kane and Joe Smith and any other '14 men in Cleveland? Well, now it is up to you and other '14 men to write a letter to the 'Alumnus' telling what you are doing. Don't forget to tell of any news of our classmates that you are in touch with."

And now the Alumni Office is waiting to be swamped by '14 letters. **Herbert Hellrung**, Alton, Ill., who has a freshman son in the University, visited on the campus on March 19, renewing his friendship with **Father Hugh O'Donnell** with whom he was in school.

1915 James E. Sanford, 5236 N. Lakewood Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Contributors, Jan. 15-March 15

Norman C. Bartholomew, Iron Mountain, Mich.; **Alvin Berger**, Fort Wayne, Ind.; **Albert A. Kühle**, La Grange, Ill.; **Bernard M. Regan**, Mandan, S. Dak.; **Howard J. Rohan**, Cincinnati; **Dr. Elmer E. Sexton**, St. Louis; **Henry B. Snyder**, Whiting, Ind.; **March F. Wells**, Bloomington, Ill.

1916 Grover Miller, 610 Wisconsin Ave., Racine, Wis.

Contributors, Jan. 15-March 15

Edward J. Beckman, Manhasset, N. Y.; **Jerome F. Cermak**, Chicago; **Dr. John F. Delph**, Chicago; **Joseph P. Flynn**, Rochester, N. Y.; **Thomas A. Hayes**, Grand Rapids, Mich.; **Frank J. Laverman**, Jr., Marinette, Wis.; **William B. Meuser**, Dubuque, Ia.; **Richard C. Muckermann**, St. Louis; **Dr. D. M. Nigro**, Kansas City, Mo.

1917 B. J. Voll, 206 E. Tutt St., South Bend, Ind.

Contributors, Jan. 15-March 15

Oscar J. Dorwin, New York City; **Bernard V. Haber**, Fort Worth, Tex.; **Thomas C. Kelly**, Pittsburgh; **Frederick L. Mahaffey**, Indianapolis; **W. Breen McDonald**, San Mateo, Calif.; **Edward J. McOsker**, Cleveland Hgts., O.; **Bernard H. Miller**, Racine, Wis.; **Charles M. Reagan**, New York City; **Rigney J. Sackley**, Chicago; **John C. Shea**, Dayton, O.; **James R. Walsh**, Chicago; **Lawrence J. Welch**, Indianapolis; **Claude R. Yockey**, Alpena, Mich.

From **Bernie Voll**:

On Feb. 22, 1943, **Howard R. Parker** was called to his eternal reward. He will be remembered by all of his classmates as one of our most versatile and colorful companions of campus days.

Because of an exceptional ability as a pianist, and the many hours of comfort and entertainment which he afforded us, he will generally be remembered in that capacity. His activities on the campus, however, were manifold, as attested by the fact that he was editor-in-chief of the "Dome," editor-in-chief of the "Scholastic," and after **Father O'Donnell's** retirement from the Glee Club, director and manager of that organization.

No one whom I have known since graduation had more devotion to Notre Dame than **Howard**, and his visits to the campus were regular, either annual or bi-annual, which is something when one considers it necessitated 4,000 miles of travel to make the round trip. These visits were looked forward to by those of us on the campus and close to the campus because of the happy spirit of the man and the hours of pleasure which his magic touch on the piano keys gave us.

His illness dated back to September of 1942, and from October 4 of that year when he was taken to the hospital, until the date of his death, he was fighting a losing battle.

The infection that got into his blood stream was strep veridans, for which apparently there is no known cure.

His brother **Jerome**, '30, writes that his mind was alert and active up to the very end, in spite of the fact that almost continuous fever for five months had taken terrible toll of his physical being. Even though emaciated in body, his faith was strong, and his determination to live inspired the admiration of his attending physicians.

During his long siege of illness a request for prayers had been broadcast and the response from Notre Dame and the Sisters of St. Mary's scattered throughout the country was a noble one. **Howard**, upon being informed regarding this, came up with a typical Parker remark: "All bases are certainly covered."

May God have mercy on the soul of a great Notre Dame man. We shall miss him terribly, but a beautiful memory lingers.

John Cassidy, former attorney general of Illinois, has been appointed national counselor of the Illinois Chamber of Commerce. John, practicing law in Peoria, is a director of the Peoria Association of Commerce.

From **Mrs. Lenna Shea**, of Dayton, O., wife of **John Shea**, '17, has come to **Father Hugh O'Donnell**, president, a gift of \$25 to the Centenary Fund, in honor of the late **Father John Cavanaugh**, former president. Mrs. Shea writes that John has been ill for 10 years.

1918 John A. Lemmer, 901 Lake Shore Drive, Escanaba, Mich.

Contributors, Jan. 15-March 15

Clarence H. Brown, West Dearborn, Mich.; **Vincent C. Giblin**, Miami, Fla.; **Thomas J. Hoban**, Elgin, Ill.; **Francis J. Hurley**, Chicago; **John A. Lemmer**, Escanaba, Mich.; **Dr. Rene Rodriguez**, Denver; **E. Morris Starrett**, Port Townsend, Wash.

Charlie Call, former New York newspaperman, is now Lieut. **Charles W. Call**, USNR. In late January, Charlie was stationed at Ambrose Naval Base, Tompkinsville, S.I., (and if "S.I." doesn't stand for Staten Island, then don't ask the editors what it does stand for).

Another '18 man now in the service is **Jack Meagher** who in early February gave up his job as director of athletics at Auburn to become a lieutenant commander in the Navy, serving in the physical education division. Jack was a captain in the Marines in World War I.

1919 Lieut. Comm. Clarence W. Bader, 650 Pierce St., Gary, Ind.

Contributors, Jan. 15-March 15

Maurice J. Carroll, Kansas City, Mo.; **Philip J. Kiley**, Marion, Ind.; **W. Joseph Maloney**, Chicago; **Joseph A. Meyer**, Cincinnati; **William P. Mullen**, Grand Island, Nebr.



Major McDonough

Andy McDonough is now a major, having been promoted recently from a captaincy. Ed Meehan, South Bend, conveyed this information by telephone, then followed up with the handsome picture of Andy which appears here. The address is 337th Service Group, APO 942, c/o Postmaster, Seattle, Wash.

And just to keep 1918 from gathering all the naval honors, 1919's secretary joined up and, at last reports, was carrying on at Norfolk, Va. Yes, it's **Lieut. Comm. Clarence W. Bader, Gary, Ind.** Chick reported to Norfolk on Feb. 2, according to a note from his best campus representative, the **Rev. Charles Doremus, C.S.C.**

1920 Leo B. Ward, 1012 Black Bldg., Los Angeles, Calif.

Contributors, Jan. 15-March 15

Leo J. Hassenauer, Chicago; Eugene W. Hauser, Cedar Rapids, Ia.; Humphrey L. Leslie, Waverly, Ia.; Albert Uebbing, Chicago.

Time keeps marching! Two of the latest students in the University are the sons of **Ed Mehan and Dillon Patterson**, both of South Bend. Ed is advertising manager of the "South Bend Tribune" and Dillon is general agent for the Northwestern National Life Insurance Company.

Art "Dutch" Bergman, as the new coach of the Washington Redskins of the National Football League, joins a large and growing Notre Dame group in the latter organization. As Francis J. Powers puts it in the "Chicago Daily News," "the Notre Dame Victory March can now do double duty for the National Football League. The Irish are taking it over. There's **Elmer Layden** as commissioner, **Curley Lambeau** coaching the Green Bay Packers, **Hunk Anderson** with the Bears, **Gus Dorais** with Detroit, and now **Arthur Bergman** has signed with George Preston Marshall to direct Washington while Ray Flaherty is in the Navy. Besides, **Chuck Sweeney** is a league official and **George Strickler** (non-athlete) primes the publicity pump."

Since this story was written, the appointment of **Chili Walsh** as coach of the Cleveland Rams has been announced.

Dutch Bergman scouted the Chicago Bears for Washington last season and was credited with devising the defense which stopped the Chicagoans in the championship game.

1921 Dan W. Duffy, 1600 Terminal Tower, Cleveland, O.

Contributors, Jan. 15-March 15

Raymond J. Conrad, St. Cloud, Minn.; Otto J. Drasek, Berwyn, Ill.; Thomas C. Kasper, Aberdeen, S. Dak.; Stephen F. Nyikos, Gary, Ind.

Pfc. Vincent A. Nagel a couple of months ago was with Co. D., Army Administration School, Branch no. 3, Brookings, S. Dak. In civilian life Vince was with the National Photo Identity Corp., Chicago. His home is in Plymouth, Ind. Vince asked especially to be remembered to **Father Tom Irving**.

1922 Gerald Ashe, 46 West Avenue, Hilton, N. Y.

Contributors, Jan. 15-March 15

Raymond A. Black, Connellsville, Pa.; Daniel M. Coughlin, Waseca, Minn.; Lt. Vincent J. Hanrahan, Raleigh, N. C.; George P. Heneghan (additional) Chicago; Urban Hubert, Detroit; John J. Huether, Schenectady, N. Y.; Fabian T. Mudd, Los Angeles; Leo F. Mullin, Washington, D. C.; John B. Reardon, Pittsburgh; John M. Rice, Cleveland; Herbert R. Schnettler, Saginaw, Mich.; Alfonso A. Scott, Los Angeles; Robert D. Shea, New York City; Walter L. Shilts, Notre Dame; Clarence R. Smith, Bemidji, Minn.; Joseph Stewart, Kansas City, Mo.; Chester A. Wynne, Chicago; Clarence A. Zwack, Dubuque, Ia.

From **Kid Ashe**:

"Orphans of the Storm" might well be a fitting title for a drama enacted in Portland, Ore., in mid-January. Your secretary, who was traveling in the Northwest, came upon the good city of Portland when that metropolis was somewhat embarrassed with an overabundance of something which to all appearances was snow. It was almost impossible to get accommodations in the overtaxed

hotels. Just when things looked darkest, **Bill Schmitt**, '10, who had an option on a hotel room, was seeking contact with other Notre Dame men in distress, and offered shelter to **Charlie Hirschbuhl**, '22, who accepted pronto. At this time, the wayward secretary entered the scene, and Messrs. Schmitt and Hirschbuhl very kindly arranged additional accommodations in their suite to provide for him. Portland hospitality is really something to talk about.

Bill Schmitt, '10, of Portland, is president of the Schmitt Steel Co. Bill takes a very active interest in all things connected with Notre Dame, and rates second to none in loyalty to N.D.

Our own **Charlie Hirschbuhl** was one of the helmsmen of our class during its four-year voyage in sheltered waters at N.D., and he still stands by the wheel of the good ship "22" now as she rides in the open sea. Some idea of Charlie's loyalty to '22 was manifested last June when he traveled all the way from Portland to South Bend to attend our 20th reunion. Charlie, as president of the Monarch Forge and Machine Works in Portland, is very busy these days turning out steamship parts and fittings for Uncle Sam's boats. Charlie has a charming wife, and two fine daughters, Margaret and Johann, who attend high school.

In Portland a most welcome visit was had with **Father Bob Sheehan, C.S.C.**, of the University of Portland faculty. You may recall that Father Bob while a member of our class took a pre-med course at N.D. and went to St. Louis University for further studies. Father Bob is a professor of pre-med subjects at the U. of P.

Father Tom J. Tobin, C.S.C., '20, is vicar-general of the archdiocese of Portland. He is pastor of a local parish. These war times most vividly recall to Father Tom the days when he was "Top Kick" of Company 2 of the SATC at Notre Dame. One recalls with amusement when Sergeant Tom would exhort **Private Zuber** to increase the cadence.

Dr. Eddie Anderson, formerly head coach of football at the University of Iowa, is now Major Anderson of the U.S. Army Medical Corps. As this is written, he is in special training in the veterans' hospital in Clinton, Ia.

The 1922 medical men in the U.S. Army are **Major Eddie Anderson**, **Major John Mohardt**, and **Capt. Tom Keefe**. Of course, there may be others in service as yet unreported.

A belated report on the attendance of 1922 men at the Great Lakes-N.D. football game in Chicago includes **Tom Spencer McCabe**, **Jerry Dixon** and **Clete Lynch** and wife of Rockford, Ill.

Your secretary had December visits with the very gracious **J. P. Cullens** of Elmhurst, Ill., and the ever-hospitable **Gerald "Midnight" Murphys** of Chicago.

The place of honor this month goes to **Captain Charles "Red" Crowley** of Boston, who is now in New Guinea with the Fifth Bomber Command. Red sent us a note from New Guinea, dated Feb. 13. Among other things, he stated that he has been in New Guinea for several months, and that he hears regularly from **Eddie Anderson** and **Hunk Anderson**, and that he does not recommend New Guinea for permanent habitation. We can well imagine that maybe "Chuck" had a hand in the blasting of 22 Jap ships destroyed in an attempt to land forces on New Guinea recently. Mail intended for Chuck should be addressed: **Charles A. Crowley**, Captain Air Corps, V Bomber Command, A.P.O. 929, San Francisco.

Lieut. Arnold McGrath is with the U.S. Army, Service of Supply, and is located at Oakland, Calif.—San Francisco sub port of embarkation. Arnold received his commission in the Coast Artillery, but recently was transferred to Service of Supply by reason of his present assignment.

A letter from **Father George Fischer, C.S.C.**, written in mid-February, imparted the news that

he was giving a mission in Victoria, Texas, with **Father Gleason**, also of the Eastern Mission Band, Holy Cross Congregation. Father George's itinerary called for him to leave Texas on Feb. 28, thence to New York City for three weeks, beginning March 14, and Rochester, N. Y., for Holy Week.

Dan Young, of Dry Dock Associates, Philadelphia, wrote a very interesting letter recently furnishing news of **Bill Castlemini**. As previously reported Bill is in charge of public relations for the city of Cincinnati. Recently, he handled details for the Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Convention held there. Bill also is busy two nights a week at Xavier University, where he is teaching journalism and applied psychology. In addition, he is manager of the Cincinnati Savings and Loan Exchange.

Reported missing in action is **Joseph J. Reardon**, of Fort Wayne, Ind., who was at Notre Dame in 1918-19. In the Navy for a number of years, Joe was reported to have gone down with the cruiser *Houston* but his death hasn't so far been officially announced.

1923 Paul H. Castner, 137 South Ave., New Canaan, Conn.

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Harry Flannery delivered the Commencement address to the graduates of Loyola University, Los Angeles, on Feb. 7. His subject was "Youth in This Troubled World."

1924 J. F. Hayes, 393 7th Ave., Room 1515, New York City.

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Herman Haflner, a Fort Wayne physician specializing in dermatology, is now a captain in the Army and at the latest report was stationed at the station hospital, Camp Campbell, Ky.

Cliff Noonan, Chicago, was the resident engineer in charge of all design and engineering work on the vast new U.S. Naval Ammunition Depot, Hastings, Nebr. Working for Graham, Anderson, Probst & White, architects and engineers of Chicago, Cliff directed a staff of 221 men at Hastings. Associated with him on the job was **Tom Cooke**, also of '24 and Chicago.

1925 John P. Harkey, 2085 Brookdale Road, Toledo, O.

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Two military addresses from two '25 youngsters: Pvt. Albert E. Foos, 10th Ferrying Sq., Bolling Field, D. C.; John James O'Toole, Co. C, 32nd Railroad Battalion, New Orleans Staging Area, New Orleans, La.

Remember the South Bend boy, Dave Weeks, who for one year, before he went to Michigan for medicine, was an outstanding high jumper on the Notre Dame track team? Well, he is now Major David M. Weeks, of the United States Army who is doing heroic medical work in North Africa, according to a recent International News Service story from Inez Robb. Dave until last August when he entered the Army practiced in New York City and was attached to Roosevelt Hospital there.

Dave while competing for N.D. won the Indiana state high jump title in 1923, tied for first in the Western Conference meet of that year and also finished second in the national intercollegiate high jump competition.

John Traynor, says the "New York Times," has been named manager of real estate for the Mutual Life Insurance Company, effective Feb. 15. An inspiring picture of Mr. Traynor accompanied the story in the "Times."

John had been deputy superintendent of the New York State Insurance Department. His new position, one of the most important in his company, is new evidence of his outstanding ability in his field.

1926 Victor F. Lemmer, Box 661, Ironwood, Mich.

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Joseph A. Bailey, Chicago; Joseph E. Broussard, Jr., Beaumont, Tex.; Edmund D. Callahan, Chicago; Rev. Bernard J. Coughlin, St. Paul; Dr. George H. Dolmage, Buffalo Center, Ia.; Edward J. Duffy, Essex Falls, N. J.; Bert V. Dunne, San Carlos, Calif.; John J. Endres, Oak Park, Ill.; Roman C. Feldpausch, Hastings, Mich.; James J. Glynn, Lancaster, O.; Rudolph A. Goepfrich, South Bend; George F. Hartnett, Wilmette, Ill.; Capt. Gerald W. Hayes, M.D., East Orange, N. J.; Charles F. Heintz, Quincy, Ill.; J. Paul Johnson, Detroit; Dr. Thomas M. Joyce, Portland, Ore.; Brother Justin, C.F.X., Bardstown, Ky.; Ernest L. Landry, Holyoke, Mass.; Edwin J. Le Blanc, Beaumont, Tex.; Charles P. Marguet, New Albany, Ind.; Charles A. Mooney, Jr., Cleveland; Thomas J. Murphy, Cambridge, Mass.; George P. O'Day (additional) River Forest, Ill.; John J. Ryan, Pittsburgh; Wade Sullivan, Algona, Ia.

'26 medical notes: Major John Worden Kane (Binghamton, N. Y.) can be reached through Third Auxiliary Surgical Group, APO 647, c/o Postmaster, New York City; Capt. Gerald Weldon Hayes (East Orange, N. J.) is receiving mail in North Africa (no specific address here yet).

Gerry, according to two different Associated Press dispatches, is in North Africa with the Air Force. One story made special mention of his leading in Catholic services on the ship going over, where he was affectionately known as "Cardinal Hayes"; the other story singled him out as sanitation officer of the ship for the trip.

From Chuck Mooney, of Mooney and Cogan

(insurance service), 1065 Union Commerce Bldg., Cleveland, comes a most welcome missive, which is considerably, if not exclusively, about '26ers, viz.:

"Doc Gelson 'phoned me between planes at the airport the other night on his way back to New York from Chicago. It's the first time I'd heard from him in years, and we had a nice talk about a lot of fellows that one or the other of us hadn't seen or heard of in a long time—one of them being my old roommate Charley Judge, who, he tells me, is in Africa with the Army. As my brother Bill is there with the Air Service Command, I'm hoping they may meet, although I'm wondering if Charley is still keeping training the way he did when he was running the mile. . . . Ben Bourne's name also came up—he's been dead a little over a year now and left two little boys whom I saw last summer. One looks and the other acts just like Ben. Gelson is still in the insurance brokerage business, as I am, but he tells me he has five boys to pit against my girl and two boys.

"A good many of the Notre Dame men from around here are in service and are scattered all over the globe—however, some of us comparatively old-timers are still around and occasionally get together or see one another. Chuck Rchr has me cut down to one pat of butter and one cup of coffee, and I guess he's done the same to Pat Canny, Bill Van Rooy, Gene Kane, Fritz Slackford, Johnny Chapla, Matt Trudelle, John Powers, Jack Reidy and others whom I see at his place fairly often.

"I hear of John Hurley of Toledo every now and then through his brother-in-law George Hahn here. George is an officer in the Colonial Woolen Mills and is busy trying to make enough blankets to keep the Army, Navy and maritime services warm. My brother-in-law, Bill Bryder, is busy making sponge rubber for the same outfits, as president of the Oak Hill Rubber Co. in Oak Hill, O. John Butler is on the legal staff of the O.P.A. here in the same building, so I see him occasionally. John Murphy's and Ray Miller's law offices are also in this building, so the same goes for them. Once in awhile I hear from Tom McGuire, who is secretary-treasurer of Interlake Iron in Chicago, and Jim Devitt, he and I generally get together when Tom hits town. I understand that dapper Dan Brady is now located here as an expediter with the Parker Appliance Co., but haven't seen him as yet. Billy O'Neil is commuting between here and Syracuse where he runs the Niagara Freight Lines.

"Mrs. Mooney and I saw Pete and Mrs. Champion at a party the other night and learned that their boy is at Notre Dame; also that Marty Daly just recently became a proud papa out in California—Mrs. Champion and Mrs. Daly are sisters—and that everyone is doing fine, including Marty! Johnny Dore, Ray and Don Miller and their wives were there too."

Chuck quoted a story from the "Cleveland News" of Feb. 11 which gave high praise to Don Miller for his accomplishments during his first year as United States attorney for the northern district of Ohio. Don "hasn't been scored against in the more than 185 criminal cases his régime has handled." Two of Don's assistants are Jack Kane, '25, of Youngstown and Frank Steel, '25, of Akron.

Chuck reported that Frank Call, '08, of Cleveland, had been recently appointed hearing officer for conscientious objectors in the northern Ohio district.

Joe Quinlan is in Indianapolis, having moved up another notch, or several, in the Bell Tel organization after a considerable spell in South Bend as plant manager of the district. How about coming through with the details, Quinlan? You might even succeed in getting Mason or Redding-ton or other such local hermits to break down and give out with news.

Father Joe Toomey has been appointed director of Catholic Charities for the diocese of Syracuse, N. Y.

Secret: Vic Lemmer is the new secretary of the class of '26. He doesn't know it yet, and won't probably until he sees these words in print. The Alumni Office is, however, following a well-established principle in appointing Vic: give the job to the busiest man you can find. Vic is doubtless one of the busiest, and most successful, young men in Michigan, and we'll take in a lot of other territory if you want.

It was Vic who sent out those Centenary Fund letters to the class and, while the result hasn't been exactly astonishing financially, we're hoping that Vic picked up some '26 news in the process. It's your ball for the June issue, Vic.

1927 Joseph M. Boland, Station WSBT, South Bend, Ind.

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Lieut. Gerry Froehlich, USNR, can be reached through 203 A Fleet P.O., Balboa, Canal Zone.

George Gordon, formerly of Fort Wayne, is now with the Securities Exchange Commission, Standard Bldg., Cleveland.

Jim O'Connor, according to a news note now a good many weeks old, is a corporal at the Infantry Replacement Training Center, Fort McClellan, Ala., attached to Company A, 23rd Battalion, as a cadremman-instructor.

1928 Louis F. Buckley, 4481 MacArthur Blvd., Washington, D. C.

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Milwaukee; Russell R. Smith, Sandusky, O.; Dr. S. David Solomon, Ebensburg, Pa.; Charles A. Totten, Pittsburgh; Vincent T. Walsh, Monticello, Ill.; Laurence A. Wingerter, San Antonio, Tex.

From **Lou Buckley**:

No doubt most of you read the sad news in the death notices of the February "Alumnus" about the death of **Leo A. Schneider** of Pittsburgh. His wife and five children have the sympathy of his classmates. I just received word of the death of **Corp. Dick Novak** on Feb. 27 in Lawson General Hospital in Atlanta. I do not have any particulars. I know you will all regret to hear about Dick's death as he had many friends in our class although I believe he received his degree in '29.

Dr. Frank Hegarty, who is now a major, called a few days ago. Frank is here in Washington for a short time taking a course in tropical medicine at the War College.

Tony Ceres called recently while he was in Washington looking for a commission. Tony is married and is practicing law and teaching in Perth Amboy, N. J.

I had a fine letter from **Lt. Bob Fogerty** from Ellington Field, Texas, where he has been teaching in the Bombardier-Navigator Pre-Flight School. Recently he was assigned to teaching in the department of Maps, Charts, Target Identification and Photo Interpretations. Bob received his Ph.D. in history and government from Minnesota University in June. Bob mentioned that **Clair Blackall**, '30, has finished OCS, Anti-Aircraft, at Camp Davis, N. C. He is now **Lt. Clair Blackall**, Battery K, 613 C. A. (A.A.), Camp Stewart, Ga.

John Antus, one of our guest writers, came through in fine style with the following:

"Happy to receive your letter. It brought back to memory some pleasant scenes in our rooms of old Freshman Hall with **Willard Wagner**, **Jim Sexton**, **Englert**, yourself and a host of other hopefuls.

"Concerning '28ers whose paths I cross in some way from time to time, the following telegraphic notes are available by way of information to friends who might well wonder whatever happened to some of them:

"**Charles "Bud" Topping**—A contented married man with a lovely wife and a couple of children. He is with the Johns Manville Corporation. We attended the rally together at the Waldorf before the big game here, along with

"**Frank Gagliardi**—Frank, I believe, works with Bud, is not married, and looks fine. He and I closed up the Waldorf that night. With us also were

"**Bernard Garber**—and Dorothy, his charming Mrs. They have bought a fine home in the country, up Mt. Kisco way, have a lovely son, John, all of 10 months old. Bernie commutes to his office off Columbus Circle, and doesn't look a day older than he did back on the campus. He has just heard from

"**Oliver Schell**—who is in the Navy, a seaman 1C, outbound unit at last accounting. He was stationed at Great Lakes Naval Training Station. Was voted the most popular among the seamen, which we can understand. I have just visited

"**Howard Ochs**—Howie and Betty, his wife, are ever the gracious host and hostess. Every time I call they send me away refreshed fully. Howie has a war job with the Copper Recovery Corporation, and looks speculatively at anything that passes by in copper, all with a view no doubt to seizing and reducing it to scrap nuggets.

"Jan. 28, we had a meeting of the Notre Dame Club at the Hotel Woodstock, which is practically next door to my office here. The first '28er I ran into was

"**Larry Culliney**—still the bank examiner, considerably on the road and away from home, the father of **John Lawrence Culliney** who arrived

some months ago. We talked like well satisfied fathers about our respective offspring (my item infra) until other members began giving us queer looks. At the meeting spoke with

"**Jack Lavelle**—who objected that there were too many ex-presidents present. He was big enough—his friends will understand—to renounce any mention this time on the ground that he is receiving a spread of publicity in the 'Alumnus' about to come off the press. At the meeting heard that

"**Bob Hamilton**—basketballer and master arranger, is in Miami, connected with Pan American Airways. He has taken his wife and children. Heard this was on a temporary assignment and that we may expect him back eventually. Spoke with

"**Harvey Daly**—who is quite loyal in attendance at meetings. He is still his jolly, smiling self, full of vigor and enthusiasm, and helped with information about some of our members. Recently saw

"**John Robinson**—of Bridgeport, Conn. John had a lot of fine publicity in the Connecticut papers about a month ago when he was made head of the State Selective Service. Before that I understand that he was executive assistant to the Governor. He is the type of political leader we ought to have more of, along with

"**John Cullinan**, who is now Judge Cullinan in Bridgeport. John handed down a judicial opinion in a matrimonial case very recently which was publicized widely for its clarity and wisdom. Had a letter from

"**Francis "Nip" Zappone**, the close to the campus day-dogger. He went to Washington, D. C., found himself a nice wife, then found himself a job in Spokane, Wash. He is attorney and assistant manager of a department with Aetna Insurance. They have three lovely children, and Nip is the solid happy citizen.

"Concerning myself, I am married to **Marjorie Lawrence**, of Stamford, Conn. Nearly two years now. **John Lawrence Antus**, our first, was born Dec. 16. All doing well. I live in Stamford, have my law office on 43rd Street, New York. Still teach in Columbia Law School. Law business is good. My book "Law Secretary's Manual" selling well,—in about the fourth printing now. Two brothers in the army, one wants to go to N.D. on return. Hope so."

Our second guest writer, **Ron Rich**, gives us up-to-the-minute news about a number of the fellows concerning whom we have not had a report in some time. Ron writes:

"**Wayne (Dutch) Ewing**, the banker from Weston, O., is now one of Uncle Sam's sailors. After boot camp at Great Lakes, and some time at the Naval Armory in Chicago, he is now in radio school at Texas A. & M. He is still a bachelor, as is **Tony Benning**. Tony is still with duPont in Wilmington. I believe officially he is with a subsidiary, **Kinchie Chemicals**. He has a brother here at N.D. who is a senior chemical engineer. I have seen Tony every year or so since graduation, and he seems to change very little—has as much hair and as little waistline now as then.

"**Charlie Williams** has been operating a small plant in Klamath Falls, Ore., for several years but a letter from him within the last few weeks reveals that he is anxious to get into some serious war work and to that end was diligently putting irons in the fire.

His old sidekick, **Hank Persyn**, is living in Cranford, N. J. Hank works for the Reilly Tar and Chemical Corp.—has been with them for several years. He is married and, I believe, has one youngster. Another Cranfordik is **Bob Hannon**. I have neither seen nor heard directly from Bob since we left the gym in '28. He is one of those to whom I wrote. I know he's married—but have no other information.

"The one fellow who has dropped completely from sight is big **Joe Repetti**. I've written him several times but have never raised an answer. At our 10-year reunion I saw **Tony Ceres** who was one of Joe's good friends and fellow Easterners. He told me he hadn't seen Joe since graduation. If anyone knows anything about the big lummo, I'd certainly be happy to hear it.

"**Walt Toussaint** holds down a very responsible job with Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Corp. in South Charleston, W. Va. He has been in their research department since he got his M.S. in '29. He is married and has a family, size of which I don't remember.

"**Jack Cosgrove**, who started with us but finished up in '29, paid his first return visit to alma mater last summer. He has a very nice private consulting chemical and biological laboratory in Newark and teaches part-time at Rutgers.

"**Bill Mahin** is metallurgist in the feeder engineering division of Westinghouse in Pittsburgh. He is married and has quite a family. I haven't seen or heard from him in years and can't give you any more complete dope."

I saw **Sam Romane** at his home in New Orleans a couple of years ago. Had dinner with him and his charming wife and an opportunity for a good bull-session. Sam is teaching surgery at Tulane and had just recently become a daddy for the first time.

Concerning myself, I have been married for several years and have three children, two future Notre Dammers and a candidate for "across the road." Last summer I was appointed head of the Department of Chemical Engineering and have been trying to keep my head above water ever since.

Thanks a lot, **John Antus**, **Bob Fogerty** and **Ron Rich** for making it possible to give the fellows another newsy column.

With your cooperation, our guest writers for the next issue will be able to keep up the good work. I am expecting the Commerce men to drop a note to **Les Carrig**, 2116 14th St. Columbus, Nebr., the engineers who failed to answer the letters sent out by **Ron Rich** should write to him immediately at Notre Dame or to **Martin Kirwan**, 159 N. Hite Ave., Louisville, Ky. The lawyers will be expected to write to **Bill Hurley**, 70 Montrose St., Springfield, Mass., and the A.B. men to **Floyd Searer**, 318 E. South St., South Bend, Ind. If you drop a note at once to one of these guest writers so they can meet the deadline, I assure you they will come through as the others have done all these years.

1929 Capt. Joseph P. McNamara, 236 E. 15th St., Indianapolis, Ind.

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Larry Moore, according to a card from his mother, is in motion picture laboratory work with the Navy and can be reached as follows: Laurence A. Moore, SP (P) 2/c, 2129 F St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

Dr. Frank Kane, coroner in Binghamton, N. Y., is a lieutenant in the Navy and, at last reports, was assigned to an eastern naval hospital. His brother, **John**, ex. '33, is also a lieutenant in the naval service, and his brother, **Joe**, '28, is in the Army.

1930 Harold E. Duke, 4030 N. Broad St., Philadelphia, Pa.

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Charles S. Atchison, Houston, Tex.; Kenneth H. Cassidy, New Albany, Ind.; Patrick J. Conway, Hyattsville, Md.; Frederick L. Cunningham, Portland, Ore.; Lt. William F. Doyle, Bridgeport, Conn.; Harold E. Duke, Philadelphia; Laurence F. Enright, Waban, Mass.; Pvt. George E. Erwin, New York City; Henry R. Frey, Bronx, N. Y.; John W. Gibbons, Washington, D. C.; Henry E. Hinsenkamp (additional) Plainfield, N. J.; Charles F. Klefeker, Newark, N. Y.; Thomas F. Lantry, Tuckahoe, N. Y.; James C. Leahy, Tiffin, O.; James E. Leahy, Chicago; Joseph J. Lordi, New York City; Walter H. Luedtke, Erie, Pa.; James A. Malloy, Hollidays Grove, W. Va.; James L. McDonald, Glenview, Ill.; Thomas E. McDougal, Antigo, Wis.; John B. McGee, Kenmore, N. Y.; John T. Moran, Oak Park, Ill.; George F. O'Malley, Dixon, Ill.; Arthur E. Peterson, Evanston, Ill.; George B. Pope, Bunkie, La.; Francis T. Ready, Monroe, Mich.; William A. Reisert, Jr., Louisville; Francis J. Rooney, Bridgeport, Conn.; Albert J. Shipacasse, Cleveland; August T. Sieron, Chicago; Harold N. Simpson, Oak Park, Ill.; Dr. Gerald W. Sinnott, Jersey City, N. J.; Raymond J. Spahr, Bainbridge, N. Y.; Fred A. Sprenger (additional) Dallas, Tex.; R. Zeno Staudt, Jr., Wooster, O.; Rudolph E. Sturm, Jasper, Ind.; John D. Voss, Chicago; James T. Williamson, Lake Villa, Ill.

From Harold Duke:

THE letter of the month is from Frank Amato. It is so interesting and chuck full of news that I quote it as received. Writes Frank:

"... Through **Bob Hellrung's** influence, I've again become a member of the St. Louis Club, having attended several of the recent meetings. One couldn't mention the St. Louis Club without telling about **Bob Hellrung**, who is just as active in everything, in and out of the club, as he ever was. He has one boy. . . .

"**Paul App** wrote to me at Christmas. He operates three liquor stores. He has one child, a girl much cuter than her daddy. Paul is still a hefty 140-pounder. Speaking of Fort Wayne, the thought comes to my mind that I haven't seen **Frank Corbett's** name in print. Where are you hiding, orator? Then also I wonder why we don't hear something about hibernated **Robert (Rink) Pequignot** who was quietly entrenched in Elk-hart, or was when I last visited him.

"**Jim McDonald**, who now lives in Glenview, Ill., is a partner in Hallenscheid & McDonald, a bathroom accessories manufacturing firm (you owe me a steak dinner for the plug, Mac) which is suffering for the lack of materials. Mac has three children. He also has a whale of a big back yard, so he will be able both to keep the kids out of mischief and raise a big Victory garden by combining the two projects. He sent me a card the other day, and that was the first I've heard from him since I was in Chi last fall.

"**Larry Enright** lived close to Mac at Deerfield, Ill., but he was transferred to Boston by his firm, Dictaphone. He has two daughters. Why don't you send me an acknowledgement or some kind of word, so that I'll know you're alive, Larry?

"**Ed Yorke** wrote me a while back, notifying me that he had joined up with Uncle Sam as a medico. He is now Lt. at Station Hospital, Fort Jackson, S. C. He sent some pictures of himself and **Ed Conroy** that were taken when the two were visiting each other. Conroy is in the Navy. What's your rank, Ed?

"Yours truly is the proud father of four children—two boys and two girls. All live wires.

"**2nd Lt. Frank Downs**, the Oak Park insurance executive, is executiving with Uncle Sam. He is the supply officer for the 19th Academic Squadron, Scott Field, Ill. He's been married a little more than a year and reports that he has one child. I had a 'phone conversation with him and expect to see him as soon as he returns from his present leave. When he gets back he'll probably have some news of the Chicagoans of our class and if he is too busy to write, I'll act as his ghost writer to convey the dope. Maybe we'll hear something about **Dick Savage**, **Bob Savage**, **Bill Bromann**, **Art Peterson**, **Paul Heidkamp**, and other fellows we don't hear about. We ought to be able to fill column after column in the 'Alumnus' about '30ites. Let's see if we can't arouse some interest and get the fellows to cooperate with the secretary. All the past secretaries did a fine job, but we didn't furnish them with enough items to write about. [Thanks, Frank, for this boost.]

"**Jack Sigler** is still in Atlantic, Ia., judging by the Christmas card we received from him. I wonder where **Back Slack** is?

"Last year I wrote your old roommate **Fitz—Laurence Fitzsimmons**—a card but he ignored me. Wait until the '45 reunion rolls around and I'll show him how to hold a pen or pencil.

"If any of the fellows are shipped to Jefferson Barracks or Scott Field tell them to call me."

Thanks, Frank, for a swell job of reporting.

Chet Ashman writes that he has been with the cost department of the Tennessee Valley Authority but received induction orders for the Army and expected to leave with his wife for Los Angeles. He contemplated seeing **Doug Daley** at L.A. Swell to hear from you, Chet, and let us know where you can be reached.

Mike Bishko writes that he is doing credit and collection work with American Oxygen Service Corporation at Harrison, N. J. Mike is the proud father of a boy, two years old. He reports running into **Joe Abbott**, who is assistant personnel manager of the International Telephone & Radio Mfg. Corp. in East Newark. Also mentioned receiving a card from **Ed Arthur**, who at that time was stationed at Fort Riley, Kansas, but was expected to be moved shortly.

Bill Clear came through nicely with the following: "Your 'SOS' was a pleasant surprise. 1939 seems such a long time ago—when we met on the train. Looking back, I realize how remiss I've been, not keeping in touch with you and others of our class whom I've seen at various times. But for the news as I know it—**John Hoffman** is in the Army. He enlisted last November and is now at Camp Pickett, Va. Just before enlisting, John became engaged to Miss **Mary Margaurite Flannigan** of Pittsburgh. John had been working for some time in the Ordnance Department. He is now a corporal. [Congrats, Johnny.]

"You of course remember **Pat Conway** from Warren, O. Well, I've seen and talked with Pat many times in the past eight or nine years. He was head coach at La Salle Prep School at Cumberland, Md. Our local Catholic high school, on whose Athletic Association I've been privileged to be a member since its start in 1930, has had athletic relations with LaSalle, and Pat and I always got together when his teams played here in Altoona. However, Pat is now in the Navy.

"As for myself, I'm managing a young men's and boys' clothing department. I have been married since 1936, and we have a grand little boy, **Bill, Jr.**, 19 months old. I'll not start talking about him because I never know when to stop. We live in a suburb of Altoona, and at the present time am planning my Victory garden—which is one way of keeping my waist line within bounds."

I have a letter addressed to **Frank Finnegan** returned with a notation that he is in the armed forces. Let us hear as to where you are and what you are doing, Frank.

Another returned communication sent to the **Kankakee Flash**, **Ed Halloran**, was forwarded to various points including Urbana, Ill., and Richmond, Va. If this catches up with you, Ed, give us the latest.

Ed Sweeney forwarded a note which was received just before this report was closed. It is now **Sgt. Sweeney** of the Headquarters Company at Jackson, Miss. Ed advises that he has been an instructor in Administration since going there last September. According to Ed, he will still take the good old Utica climate in preference to the Sunny South.

Bernie Conroy writes from 435 Charles Ave., New Kensington, Pa.: "The latest news from **Tom Cunningham** is that he is now a lieutenant and is located in London. His address is 0-1637250, A.P.O. 887, c/o Postmaster, New York City. I am now working for the Aluminum Company as an industrial engineer. Things are going well and we are breaking all records getting the metal out. **Con Carey** sent me a Christmas card and said he is up for reelection as judge this year. He sees **Tom Lantry** now and then."

A recent news note confirms what has probably been said here before—that **Howard J. Smith** is athletic director of Mt. St. Michael's High School in the Bronx, New York City.

Jim Bartley has been assigned as assistant Red Cross field director at Camp McQuaide, Watsonville, Calif. Jim received his M.A. at Notre Dame in 1936.

Devere Plunkett, associate professor of history, was in February commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army Air Corps and assigned to Miami Beach for training. A teacher at Notre Dame since 1930, Devere will also do teaching in the Air Corps. His wife and two children are remaining in South Bend for the present.

Tim Toomey has temporarily transferred his abode from the Great White Way to the Whittle Springs Hotel, Knoxville, Tenn., where he is in charge of a claim office opened by his company, the Royal Indemnity. And the boy, according to his recent letter, misses the bright lights, especially those that shine 'round about the New York City N.D. Club. The Smoky Mountains are all right in their way, sez he, but there isn't a N.D. alumnus in Knoxville or within 50 miles of the place, and Toomey, the erstwhile most able secretary of the N.Y. Club, just doesn't feel at home unless 200 alumni are demanding Army tickets. How about a letter to the boy?

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John Bergan, 838 E. Colfax Ave., South Bend, Ind.

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Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear John:

Thanks for the nice letter. I tried to write the words on **George Wassell** that you requested more than once before now but I just couldn't do it. I can't explain the psychological barrier, but every time I sat down to the typewriter to get it done my mind just blacked-out.

An ironic recollection came to me in thinking back over our days at Notre Dame. And I'm sure that others of the class of '31 will think of it, too.

In old Sophomore Hall, when George was a chunky, grinning kid, looking much younger than the boys about him, he developed a sudden passion for airplanes. He bought all the aeronautical books and magazines he could lay his hands on and talked on the subject so much that it became a daily routine in the hall to cry, "Wassell, Wassell—here comes a plane" every time the old mail ship passed over the Golden Dome.

George's plane hobby subsided, however, when he set his course for an M.D. And I believe he would have forgotten it had not the war turned him inevitably to the skies, to a brief but notable career as the flight surgeon of a Flying Fortress squadron, and to his tragic death in a crash in the British Isles.

I say he turned inevitably to the skies because he had found his first months in the Army Medical Corps unbearably routine and unexciting. And Wassell was one man who could not stand the easy life.

I recall that he quit his A.B. course at Notre Dame because he couldn't find enough problems to challenge his scientific and technical mind. He turned to science and found delight in roaming through the "ology" fields that are still uncharted territories to guys like you and me.

He took his medicine at the University of St. Louis and then came back to Pittsburgh for a residency at a hospital here. And I well remember his grumbling over the restraints of conservatism that this conservative town imposes on medical practice.

He wanted outlets for his imagination and tests of his skill and challenges to his learning.

And I know that when he folded up his practice in Sharon, Pa., where he had settled and prospered, he went into the army with eager hopes for new exploration and research and experience to occupy that busy intellect and restless heart of his.

So it was inevitable that he seek out air service. And it was inevitable that he meet the extremely high qualifications for the work.

They were brave, happy days he had before he met his death last October. He had flown thousands of miles, criss-crossing the country from coast to coast. He had worked and studied and met all the requirements to go on duty in an active war zone.

He got his orders to go abroad. His parents joined him in New York for a final few days

with him. They bade him farewell and a week later George was dead.

... I can believe that George's death was a serious loss to our Air Force in England. I imagine that at that time, and even now, we have few men trained in the scientific specialty which he studied. And I'm sure he was on the road to a brilliant career when fate intervened in the skies over England.

There will be memories of George Wassell as a good friend and as a war hero with me the rest of my life—and prayers for him, too. He was a fine Notre Dame gentleman, a devoted doctor and a brave American.

Dick O'Donnell

Lt. (j. g.) Tom Ashe was a campus visitor not long ago enroute to his new station in New York. Tom had given up his sales promotion job in Los Angeles for the duration and was to complete his naval course in New York before being sent to sea duty. A chronic knee injury has forced Al Culver out of military service so he has returned to the insurance business in Chicago. **Colman O'Shaughnessy** is now with the Stanley Brass Works in New Britain, Conn.

Paul Hinrichs, who was a member of the '31 class for a year, is purchasing agent and controller of the Midwest Manufacturing Company, Galesburg, Ill. **Hobie Shean** postcards that he is a lieutenant (j.g.) in the U.S.N.R. At the time of his writing he was stationed in Bermuda.

In case you haven't noticed it elsewhere in the magazine, the present address is **Lieut. (j.g.) Frank J. McAdams, Jr.**, Amphibious Forces, N.O.B. Norfolk, Va. Spike left his law business and three children in Chicago to join up, and went to Princeton for training. There he generously compiled a list of all the N.D. men in his training class—there were 14 of them—and sent it to the Alumni Office. Spike said that **Lieut. (j.g.) Charlie Medland** was an instructor in navigation at Princeton.

It's **Lieut. (j.g.) G. J. Ball**, USNR, Destroyer Base, Ship Repair Unit, San Diego, Calif. Jerry was commissioned on July 4, 1942, and trained at Newport, R. I., according to his letter to **John Bergan**.

Still another lieutenant (j.g.) is **Frank Buterae**, who is assigned as physical director to the Navy's machinist mate school at the University of Kansas. Before his commission came through, Frank was a non-commissioned officer in the N.D. Navy School.

Sister M. Agnes Cecile, C.S.C., writes from St. Mary's that two alumni-brothers are in military service. When she wrote, **Vincent Michael Teters**, '31, was a lieutenant (j.g.) and stationed with the Navy in the Alaskan area. **S/Sgt. Bob Teters**, ex. '34, was at Fort Logan, Colo.

1932 Lt. James K. Collins, 1135 Manchester Ave., Norfolk, Va.

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From Jim Collins:

I had quite a surprise about ten days ago when I walked into the Officers' Club at the Base and ran into **John Kramer**, '32, in the uniform of a lieutenant (j.g.) He has been in the Navy since last fall, and took his indoctrination at Princeton. He is in the Amphibious Force and is slated to be executive officer on a new hush hush type of ship. His present address is Amphibious Base, Solomons Island, Md.

This was the first time I had seen him in about seven years, so we had plenty to reminisce about—all the way from S.A.C. fenagling to the Stevens and back.

John's brother, **Leland "Bud" Kramer**, '34, was also here for that week-end, so it was an all-around reunion. Bud is on a mine sweeper on duty out of this base, and has been in the Navy since last spring. He is also a lieutenant (j.g.) and is one of those fortunate ones who took his indoctrination on the campus.

Pete Streb writes from Camp Stewart, Ga., that he was commissioned on Jan. 15, and is now in an anti-aircraft unit at that field. This unit is comprised of college men from all parts of the country who are former reserve officers. He says he found out the first day that he is no longer 21 years old.

I had a swell letter from **Joe Kennedy** a short time ago—the first he is guilty of writing since he used to write home for a check. He is chief interviewer for the U.S. Employment Service in New Haven and says he is working day and night. He is married and has a daughter two and one-half years old. He is president of the Knights of Columbus glee club and can still hit the high ones.

Joe also said that he had been with **Ed O'Mahoney** some time ago, having met him at a wake. Ed is married, and has one child. He is with the Jenkins Company in Bridgeport, Conn. **Glen "Red" McDermough**, whom I last saw heading back to Iowa, is with the FBI in New Haven. Joe is wondering what has become of **Bernie Heitz**.

Charley Hitzelberger did me the great favor of writing this month, and I say great favor reservedly. He is working 11½ hours a day making .50 caliber machine guns, which does not give him much time for correspondence. He went into defense work last November after getting a leave of absence from his work of the last few years of coal selling. 11½ hours a day to a coal salesman is a lot of hours but he says he is getting used to it.

He writes that **Hank Denalty** weighs 175 pounds, has three swell children, and is operating a restaurant in Utica. **Wee Harrington** is practicing law in Carteret, N. J., is married, and has two fine boys. **Al Stewart** recently took an appointment with the FBI and was transferred to the West Coast. **Dan Malley** is living in Clyde, N. Y., where he is the postmaster. He is married and has two children.

To get back to the bachelor's section. I had a letter from **Baden Powell** in which he said that he was on his way to the Navy Training School at Harvard, having been commissioned a lieutenant (j.g.). Unfortunately, we just missed each other in Norfolk when he was here. He has been in the Navy for over a year, having been a yeoman, first class, when commissioned.

Jack Jordan is back in his beloved Bronx after spending some time in Washington. He is a special attorney in the Condemnation Division of the Department of Justice, and spends most of his time in the work of acquiring military sites.

Jack's office is in Brooklyn but he says that the only member of the class that he ever sees around there is **Eddie O'Connor**. He says that **Frank O'Kane** is a corporal in the post office at Camp Beale, Calif., 13th Armored Division, APO 263. **Paul Howe** is still a specialist with the Quartermaster Corps of the Army Engineers stationed in Philadelphia. **Bill Hall** is in the steel business in Buffalo and doing very well in that he is contracting for defense plants in all parts of the country.

Jack also said that he saw **Joe Holbrook** who says he (Joe) and **Frank Madden** were each planning to be married soon. Joe sees **Smoky Coyne** quite regularly in Pittsburgh. **Ed Koontz** writes that all is well in Asheville.

Our deepest sympathy is extended to **Charlie Quigley** whose wife has been seriously ill. **Charlie** and **Ted Halpin** still get together every time **Ted's** paint business takes him to Richmond.

I often see alumni from other classes around the Naval Base here, among them **Charlie Morrison**, **Johnny Broderick**, **Jack Yaeger** and others.

As for me, I moved my family to Norfolk last month and manage to be home almost every week, at least for a day. I have been instructing communications officers on the various ships of the Amphibious Force and this keeps me at sea most of the time. It is very interesting work, and I sometimes feel that I am reversing **Jack London's** description of "Sailor on Horseback."

Cpl. Stan Obelenus wrote a couple of months ago from **Camp McCoy, Wis.**, to which "winter wonderland" (quoting him) he had been transferred after maneuvers in Tennessee. Sez he, "The N.D. 'Alumnus' is sure a welcome piece of mail nowadays." Thanks, pal. A lot of the boys seem to go for the rag in these war days. Guess rationing makes them stay home and read.

In case you missed it in the Denver Club news in the February issue: **Bart O'Hara**, one of the most active members of the club, was appointed assistant United States district attorney for Colorado. **Bart** had been practicing law in Denver and was legal assistant to the public administrator. He is married and the father of two children.

Frank O'Malley, the possessor of a large and growing reputation as a writer, editor and speaker, recently began a series of seven lectures on contemporary Catholic literature before the faculty and students of **St. Mary's College, Notre Dame**. Besides conducting some of the most popular English courses on the campus and assisting in the production of "Scrip," **Frank** gives generously of his time and talents as associate editor of and a principal writer for "The Review of Politics," published at **Notre Dame** under the editorship of **Dr. Waldemar Gurian**. The "Review" in the few years since its beginning has won world-wide acclaim in scholarly circles.

Regis Kuhn (father of **John Regis Kuhn, II**, on Feb. 22) is with the **Robertshaw Thermostat Co., Youngwood, Pa.**, as assistant purchasing agent, and likes the company and the job. There are two other young Kuhn's, both feminine.

A V-mail note came in not long ago from **Sgt. Ray Geiger**, who is somewhere in the Southwest Pacific. His address is **Hq's., I Corps, A.P.O. 301, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco**.



2ND LIEUT. ROBERT C. STREB, '32

Pete is with the Coast Artillery Anti-Aircraft and has been in special training at various points since he reported for duty on Jan. 13.

Frank Iuen was promoted from first lieutenant to captain in the Quartermaster Corps, effective Feb. 15. He is stationed in the **Kansas City Quartermaster Depot** as chief of the fiscal branch of the administrative division. With his wife and two children he resides at 7421 Jarboe, K. C., Mo. Before he entered the service on Feb. 24, 1942, **Frank** was an attorney for the **Central Surety Insurance Company, K. C.**

Lieut. (j.g.) Joe Petritz is leading his class at **Princeton**, scouts report.

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It's **Lieut. (j.g.) Edward A. Cogley, U.S.N.A.-T.B., Solomons Branch, Washington, D.C.** Ed got his training at **Princeton**. When he entered the service he was merchandise control manager at **Sears, Roebuck & Co., Chicago**.

Dr. Bob Donovan is in practice at 430 Common St. **Belmont, Mass.**

Art Becvar is in **Fort Wayne, Ind.**, as an ordnance inspector, having moved from **Cleveland**.

Norm Duke is a lieutenant (j.g.) in the deck volunteer class. He took his first training at **Dartmouth** and was to go to **Princeton** on **March 11** for further instruction. **Norm** said that **Don Ryan, '32**, was on the staff at **Dartmouth** and that **Baden Powell, '32**, was, like **Norm**, a student officer there.

1934 Joseph R. Glennon, Jr., Brook Manor, Pleasantville, N. Y.

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Joe Glennon has generously agreed to take over the '34 duties for **Lieut. Cahill**. He comes through nobly as follows:

Now that **Bob**, our most able secretary, has been called to arms (and congratulations to him) you have inherited a new reporter. To live up to both **Jim Moscow's** and **Bob's** reputation will require a good deal of support from all of you, the majority of whom I have not seen or heard from since that hot week-end in 1934. Don't hesitate to write and tell us of yourselves and of the other members of the class.

This fall at nearby **Maryknoll** I had a brief visit with **Bishop O'Hara** who was looking as chipper as ever.

Ran into **Ensign Mike Fox** and **Mrs. Fox** in town some time ago. **Paul Laframbois** became a father for the third time this January. He has one

girl and two future Notre Dame men. Paul has been living in Quebec for some years.

Gerry Farrell was graduated with a cavalry unit this January from Fort Riley, Kans. Knowing Gerry is in there pitching gives one confidence. Met the **Conway brothers**, **Dr. Bill** and **Steve**, '37, also their attractive wives, at Cavanaugh's after the Army-Notre Dame game. They were looking very well. Hear from **Nick Gamboa** of Cuba every New Year's. He is a lawyer practicing in home territory and doing well.

John Gleason has been stepped-up to manager of Loeser's Department Store, Garden City, N. Y., branch. He is married and has one daughter. Received a V-letter from **Jim Hallahan**, ex. '34. Believe it was from northern Ireland. Ed "Sleepy" **McCarthy**, ex. '34, is in the Engineering Corps. When last heard from he was in California honeymooning.

The campus reports that **Bob Cahill** is still at Harvard and will be there until June 1 because he got in the way of a case of pneumonia and was in the hospital for three weeks. The result was that he had to drop back a class in his naval studies. He's all recovered in health fortunately.

Congratulations from the class to **Ed Krause** who did a swell job at the end of the basketball season as successor to the late **George Keogan**. The team's victory over Great Lakes in the second last game of the season was as one of those super Notre Dame accomplishments.

As for myself, I was married in June, 1936, to the same Kath whom many of you met at the Senior Ball. We have two children, **Joseph 3rd** ("Nibs") Notre Dame, '62, and **Kate Holley** who learned to walk last month. I have been with **Commercial Solvents Corp.** since July, 1934, and spent two years in **Terre Haute, Ind.**, one in **Jersey**, five in **Boston**, and a year in **New York**. We are busy now passing ammunition in the form of alcohol, acetone, etc.

From **Gene Blish**, the Denver super operator, comes this '34 news:

"Chicago's **Bob Hanley**, after shuttling back and forth between Fort Sheridan and Sheppard Field, landed at Sioux Falls, S. D., Air Base, writes: 'I have been classified as a radio operator and mechanic and been training for the past three months and should finish here sometime in April. The weather here has been plenty tough; the temperature as low as 45 degrees below and plenty of snow. I hear from **Dick Mullen**, whose home is in Sioux Falls, and I have had several nice visits with his folks; also **Bob Kamensky**, who, by the way, is a new father of a baby girl. Both **Dick** and **Bob** live in California.'

"From far off India, we heard from **Ted Gabreski**, a major, no less!, in the Army Medical Corps. Says things are going fine for him, but would welcome some letters from his N.D. buddies. Address: SOS, Base Sec. No. 1, APO 886, New York City.

"**Ed Mansfield** is mid-way through his officer's training at the U.S. Signal Corps, Fort Monmouth, N. J. Ed's due for his well-earned commission on April 24. **John O'Hanlon**, now a first lieutenant, left Fort Monmouth just before Ed arrived there from Sioux Falls and Atlantic City.

"S/Sgt. **Gil Coyne** is with the Force Hq. Co., Procurement Section, APO 913, San Francisco; but other than that didn't give us any idea as to his location. Says that **Jim Murphy**, '34, is with his outfit as a captain in the medical corps.

"**Art Sandusky** has been with the Troop Carrier Command at Stout Field, Indianapolis, but when he wrote he was awaiting his call to Military Intelligence officer's school."

From **Bill Green**, Corpus Christi, comes word that things in Texas and with the Greens are in hand. "**Ensign George Kerwin**, '38, sings in our

choir, besides taking care of his naval duties in these parts." Bill says. . . "My brother **Jerry**, '39, is an aviation cadet at Enid, Okla., and my brother **Tom**, in Minneapolis, is the proud papa of twins (last October), bringing his total of young 'uns to five."

Dick Tobin, Rochester, N. Y., is employed in research development and production work with the Beech-Nut Packing Co., has been given a leave of absence by the company to become a field supervisor for the War Department, specifically engaging in the dehydration of foods for the U.S. Army Quartermaster Corps. On March 5 Dick spoke over WGY, Schenectady, on the subject, "Food—Dry as a Bone—but Better." His talk was featured on the General Electric Farm Forum.

It's **Lieut. (j.g.) Francis W. Honerkamp**, Junior B.O.Q., S-3, Naval Air Station, Norfolk, Va. Frank was married on April 11 last to **Ruth McManus** of Brooklyn. He entered the Navy on Nov. 15 and reported to the Naval Aircraft Factory in Philadelphia. On Jan. 31 he was ordered to his present post, where he is on the staff of the supply officer.

Walt Kennedy comes through handsomely for '34, as witness:

"My new home address is 383 Oaklawn Ave., Stamford, Conn. My new business address, and also my new position since last September, is in the editorial department of **Loyola University Press**, 3441 N. Ashland Ave., Chicago, Ill. I am their eastern representative.

"On January 16, 1943, the Kennedys had a new son, y-clept **Robert Francis**, weighing 8 lbs. 2 ounces. This makes two sons, the other being 16 months, named **David Michael**. Incidentally, **Dr. Thomas Cody**, New Canaan, class of 1931, was the attendant deliverer.

"At the Notre Dame-NYU game I had a long talk with **Lieut. Robert Cahill**, (my how formal that guy makes you feel when you see him in uniform.) and also **Charley Quinn**, both of the same '34 gang. Cahill looks handsome as Amedee in the blue, although a bit peaked because of the tough strain of studying at Harvard. His wife, **Mary**, seemed glad to see the bright lights of Broadway. . . Quinn, as usual, looked prosperous, although since he is in the oil business, one wonders how he manages to do so. He had his old seat on the bench, taking care of the spare balls, and soothing poor **George Keogan's** feelings whenever **Pat Kennedy** called a bad one. Charley has had the same seat since the winter of 1933, thus making himself a 10-year man."

In case you miss the note elsewhere, you ought to be told here that **Bob Halpin**, ex. '34, is Sgt. **Robert H. Halpin**, No. 135151, with the Royal Canadian Air Force attached to the Royal Air Force. Bob wrote on Jan. 20 from England that he had been in the RCAF since September, 1941, and was then a pilot in the Bomber Command. "Interesting work," to quote him.

Dr. John Kavanaugh, who was at N.D. in 1930-31 from Portland, Ore., is temporarily connected with the Union Memorial Hospital, Baltimore, Md.

1935 **Franklyn C. Hochreiter**, 340 Rosedale Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

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John A. Baker, Lexington, Ky.; **Lt. Clyde C. Batcheller**, Elba, N. Y.; **John J. Besinger**, Buchanan, Mich.; **Ensign Edward A. Bracken**, Brooklyn; **John R. Braymer**, Bartlesville, Okla.; **Dr. Edward A. Bried**, Wilmington, Del.; **Frederic R. Brookmeyer**, Chicago; **Clare B. Burger**, Sandusky, O.; **William M. Coen**, Afton, Ia.; **Arthur L. Conrad**, Chicago; **James R. Cronin**, Chicago; **Anthony W. Crowley**, Salem, Ill.; **Thomas F. Gallagher**, New York City; **James J. Glenn**, Whiting, Ind.; **Sgt. William G. Hoffert**, San Francisco; **John F. Holahan**, Lancaster, Pa.; **George L. Iselmann**, Bronxville, N. Y.; **Wade P. Kelleher**,

Chicago; **Robert J. Klaiber**, Lemoyne, Pa.; **William J. Klima**, New York City; **Tobias Kramer**, Montclair, N. J.; **Pfc. George P. Krug**, New York City; **G. Albert Lawton**, Lakewood, O.

Francis G. Matavovsky, Chicago; **Anthony J. Mulvaney**, Royal Oak, Mich.; **Bernard M. O'Brien**, Chicago; **William J. O'Connor**, Milwaukee; **William J. Otte**, Coldwater, O.; **Lt. August P. Pettrillo**, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.; **Thomas G. Proctor**, Elkhart, Ind.; **Roland Rouleau**, Peoria, Ill.; **Rocco V. Schiralli**, Gary, Ind.; **Dr. Roy O. Scholz**, Baltimore; **Robert E. Shanahan**, Williamsport, Pa.; **Thomas W. Thompson, Jr.**, Detroit; **Edward J. Van Huisseling**, Elmhurst, Ill.; **Dominic M. Vairo**, Houghton, Mich.; **John J. Verbanc**, Tuxedo Park, Del.; **Francis J. Vukovich**, Washington, D. C.; **Carl Weber**, Aurora, Ill.

From **Hech**:

Here we are again, fellas, and we must admit that our effort to get news from correspondents has just about flopped. So, this time we are not going to extend the list of reporters. Guess we'll just return to the old system—catch as catch can!

Three letters came through this month: one from **Tom Proctor**; another from **Ensign Art Conrad**; and a long discourse from **Bernie O'Brien**. To all of this in a moment. But first of all, we really do appreciate the cooperation of these three. Without them there would be no column this trip to press.

Tom enclosed a clipping in his letter. It was printed in the "Elkhart Truth," Jan. 27, 1943: "**T. G. Proctor** gets post in OPA office." **Tom** was to begin immediately in the district office in South Bend. "At his OPA office in the Pythian building Mr. Proctor will be chief price attorney and a deputy enforcement officer, supervising the work of 14 investigators operating in 17 Indiana counties, including Elkhart. His duties include interpreting price ceilings." This, in part, gives you an idea of what **Tom's** prospects were. We are wondering if he stayed on the job very long, because he mentioned in his letter "I had previously made application for the Navy—and in several months I may be an ensign." What cooks, **Tom**—are you OPAing or Navying? In either case—lots of luck!

Now to **Art Conrad**—his letter came just before we were off to Chicago for the Midwest Conference of Community Chests and Councils, Inc., so we saw him and checked everything in the letter. In part he says this: "I am in the Navy, **Ensign A.L.C. AV (P) USNR**, here in Chicago with the Flight Board. I was to go to Dartmouth, but a change of orders keeps me in Chicago. I have been assigned Cook County, including Chicago, for the new 17-year-old program for Naval Aviation. 75 schools, if you please. I am a busy little boy. In April I am on my way to Quonset, R. I., for indoctrination—then back to Chicago and the Flight Board.

"**Jack Clark** (lieutenant j.g.) is in Tucson now for indoctrination—desert boats I suppose—he should be back in about three weeks. He says it IS tough—but then the Wranglers will come through, won't they?

"Today I met **Johnny Jordan** here on the S.S. Board of Trade and Johnny is taking the oath today (j.g.) and then leaving for Chapel Hill for indoctrination.

"There are a number of N.D. boys around the class of '37, '40 and others. The secretary of the Skipper, **Lt. Comm. Carl G. Olson**, is **Father John Cavanaugh's** former secretary, **Joe Mulcrone**. He has been, and is, a swell lad. I swore an ensign in today—**Jerome Clays**, '37,—I think he said from South Bend. **Wally O'Brien** is on the high seas—"tis said—an ensign we hear."

Art looked very prosperous in his uniform, and in his job. After all we know about that **Conrad** guy, do you know what he was doing when we walked into his office—fleeing his fellow officers

for the Red Cross. If he hadn't shown us a letter from the Admiral assigning him the job—well, you know what we would have thought! Virginia and Art are anticipating a playmate for Carol Ann in May. Lots of luck, kids! Enjoyed our stay with you!

And now to **Bernie O'Brien**: We'll quote him in full as follows:

"I suppose you will be surprised to receive word from a phy. ed. major who is supposed to be mightier with the sword than the pen, but in appreciation of the fine work you have done in the past years, I am sending along a few items about fellows I have seen or heard about in the past six months.

"**Phil Heinle**, his wife and daughter are living in Oak Park where he is in defense work at the Amertorp Corp. Phil is still as handsome as ever.

"**Phil, Frank Leonard**, Ed Simpson and their wives were up to our apartment one night last month and we had quite a session. Frank has two daughters. For the past four years he had been working as a salesman for the Arnold Schwinn Bicycle Co., but last November, because of priorities, he changed to Hallmark Greeting Card Co. After a two-month training period in Kansas City, he is now assigned to the Chicago area. Ed has one girl and is still with the Illinois Bell where he was recently promoted to assistant district manager.

"Saw '**Bull Molloy**' before he went into the Army around the first of the year—he is the proud father of John G., Jr., born Nov. 15. Have heard that **George McElligott**, one of the few N.D. bachelors in these parts, is also in the Army but don't know where. Ran into John Breen in the Loop not long ago—he is married, has two children, and is now working for the FBI. John Morley is now a salesman for Fabst Blue Ribbon and has one boy. **John 'Red' Ryan** has been in the Navy for the past year.

"**Joe Flynn**, wife, and daughter were in Chicago around Thanksgiving, but we didn't see them. He is still with the Abbott Pharmaceutical House in Buffalo. Mt. Carmel gave a large send-off party for **Johnny Jordan** before he entered the Navy as a lieutenant (j.g.) in the Physical Education division.

"I am still in the Phy. Ed business as an assigned teacher at Fenger High School, a nice spot on Chicago's far south side—I am married and have two girls."

Thanks a million, **Bernie**—you really came through with the goods—and all of it tops. We appreciated the kind words about our work.

Your scribe is not sure where he will be at the time of the next issue. Attempting to make the armed forces with a commission he found himself short of the necessary qualifications: vision in the Navy; age in the Army; and Military Police for Occupied Countries. Right now, with a reclassification into 1-A just around the well known corner, he is up a tree. Taking a long shot gamble he has accepted the position of Director of the Council of Social Agencies, Paterson, N. J.

It may be that this work will be considered essential to civilian needs as it means planning for all social work in that New Jersey community. If it is not so considered, and unless they find something wrong inside the machine at the Barracks, we will likely have a "private" label attached to us before long. In the meantime, however, send any letters to the same address here in St. Louis. Wife and child will continue here until we are sure of our future. We had resigned our post at the University last fall, effective May 1. Many prospects came along, and we selected N.J. as the most essential. Maybe Uncle Sam won't think so.

Al Vitter is engaged in government research at M.I.T., Cambridge, Mass. He still finds time to write, as is indicated by the 20-page paper on

"Secondary Recovery in Louisiana," which he has contributed to the volume, "Secondary Recovery of Oil in the United States."

A welcome note (with a generous check enclosed) from **John Lehan's** father, Dunlap, Ia., told of John's presence in Africa in early January. No word since (when Mr. Lehan wrote on Feb. 20). John was commissioned as a lieutenant (j.g.) in the Navy in April, 1942.

Through an oversight, **Jack Nye Duffer's** contribution of \$25 to the Centenary Fund was, in the February "Alumnus," credited to the class of '32 rather than to the class of '35. Incidentally, **Jack**, formerly special agent for the Springfield Fire and Marine Insurance Company in Boston, entered the Army in mid-March.

1936 Joseph F. Mansfield, 34 Fifth St., Pelham, N. Y.

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Robert F. Bernard, Neenah, Wis.; George A. Binder, Gary, Ind.; Lt. John C. Brady, M.D., New River, N. C.; John F. Bray, Paducah, Ky.; Robert W. Cavanaugh, Washington, D. C.; August J. Church, North Plainfield, N. J.; Robert F. Cook, Mishawaka, Ind.; John C. Donly, Newport News, Va.; James J. Dutton, Norwich, Conn.; William J. Farrell, Cambridge, Mass.; Henry W. Grubb, Louisville; Dennis J. Hickey III, Davenport, Ia.; Joseph P. Hmurcik (additional) Bridgeport, Conn.; Norman L. Johnson, Louisville; Francis M. Joyce, Seaford, Del.; Lt. Edward S. Kirby, San Francisco; Lt. John P. Lehan, Dunlap, Ia.; Howard C. Link, Pittsburgh.

Robert A. Manning, Chicago; Robert F. McCabe, Johnson City, N. Y.; James F. McKenna, Dallas, Tex.; Edward T. McNally, Pittsburg, Kans.; Rev. Russell J. McViney, Warwick Neck, R. I.; Lt. Francis J. Murray, M.D., Elizabeth, N. J.; Stephen B. Novak, Claremont, N. H.; Michael J. O'Connor, Charleston, W. Va.; Joseph N. Ott, Chicago; Lawrence S. Palkovic, Johnstown, N. Y.; Lt. Leo J. Palumbo, Seattle; Charles M. Pieroni, Muncie, Ind.; Lt. Joseph P. Prendergast, Seattle; Lt. Joseph W. Schmidt, New York City; Lawrence F. Sibr, Chicago; Ensign James J. Siddall, Chicago; Robert F. Simmons, Rochester, N. Y.; James D. Swords, Point Pleasant, W. Va.; Matthew J. Thernes, St. Bernard, O.; Maurice F. Wallensach, Elgin, Ill.; Ensign George R. Wentworth, Millinocket, Me.; John F. Whitaker (additional) Kansas City, Mo.

From Joe Mansfield:

We had hoped that the mailman would haul to our door as many letters for this issue as he did for the last. Alas! 'twas not to be. As we pored out these lines we've received only one letter. We're hoping that you'll have time to drop a card this way in the next month, so that we'll be able to put a lengthy column together.

John Moran, **Andy Hufnagel**, **Sherb Herrick** and I got together a few weeks ago to talk over old times. It was a dandy evening and we hope to make it a regular thing, rounding up as many more of the lads who are in the neighborhood. John is now a lieutenant (j.g.). He was afraid that he was jinxed by the premature mention of his promotion in the last edition of the "Alumnus." But now it's a fact and John is quite proud of his new and shiny half stripe.

Sherb Herrick is an ensign, stationed in the Public Relations Office in New York. His work keeps him in daily contact with radio, the field in which he also labored prior to the war. Sherb is proud as all get out of his few-months-old off-spring and will haul out snapshots of the pride and joy at the drop of a hat.

Andy Hufnagel is stationed at one of the Army posts near New York and reports that married life is agreeing with him. It must be because he looks fit as a fiddle.

After partaking of a very fine dinner, we were standing in the lobby of the hotel indulging in a little small talk. **Sherb**, very natty in his uniform, was standing with his back to us when a departing guest of the hotel rushed up to him, and thrust a room key into the hand of the startled **Herrick**. "Here boy," remarked the stranger, "drop this key at the desk." **Sherb** glared at the man—what a glare it was—and then the stranger spotted the stripe and star on **Sherb's** sleeve. He beat a very hasty retreat.

I understand that **Dan McLaughlin** is now stationed here in the city. He's with the F.B.I. We're hoping to get him to join us one of these nights.

Radio has been keeping me occupied. In addition to the many shows that I handle in the studios, I've been spending a lot of time hopping around the east on special assignments. For instance, I was in Buffalo a few weeks ago to handle the National Barn Dance. Last week I was at Wellesley College to put together a show which featured a talk by **Madame Chiang Kai-Shek**. Then this week I spent two days at an army camp outside Harrisburg, Pa., where we originated a portion of the "Army Hour." On all these trips, I've intended to look up Notre Dame men who might be in the vicinity but each time I find that business interferes.

Ed Crotty, '37, was in town with his basketball team a few weeks ago. Ed is doing a terrific job at Providence College. His record this year shows something like 16 wins against four losses. To date, he's lost his top eight men to the services, yet continues to win games.

Dr. Ken Laws, 501 Lafayette Life Bldg., Lafayette, Ind., contributed the lone letter we've received and I'll pass some of it on to you. Ken is still single. He writes:

"... Last November I was in Chicago for three days at a meeting and during that time I tried to contact as many of the boys as I could, but luck was not with me and I didn't reach a one except **George Demetrio** who happens to be an assistant manager at the Palmer House.

"... **Mike Crowe**, '38, has just become the proud father of a son who will be another Crowe, to keep the name running at N.D. Mike is a lieutenant in the Quartermaster Corps and is stationed at Paris, Texas.

"... If **Fred Cox** and **Don McKay** are still readers of the 'Alumnus,' I certainly would appreciate hearing from them. I saw in the 'Northwestern Alumni Journal' where Don had entered the Navy but it did not give his address. If they will contact me I promise to answer them as soon as possible as we have not seen or corresponded since we left Medical School.

"You can believe it or not, but I've been up to South Bend but once since the Reunion and that was last year to the Northwestern game. . . .

"I have it lucky in one way in that I'm practicing with Dad and in that way manage to get a full night's sleep every other night as we take turns doing the night work."

Many thanks, **Ken**. Write again when you have the opportunity. I'll be looking forward to hearing from all of you.

It's **2nd Lieut. Edward S. Kirby**, U.S. Marine Corps Unit 115, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco.

Capt. John S. Gleason, Jr., Chicago, can be reached through H.Q. 33rd Infantry Division, Fort Lewis, Wash., APO 33.

Jim Siddall, who as a yeoman went around the world with the Navy and was later stationed in London at the American Embassy, was at last reports in this country and all dolled up as an ensign. Mail will reach him through his home at 7724 Yates Ave., Chicago.

1937 Paul Foley, 910 Hawthorne Road, Grosse Pointe, Mich.

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Ralph L. Bernard, New London, Conn.; Sgt. Allen F. Bride, Springfield, Mass.; James R. Burke, Chicago; Lt. John J. Coyle, Chicago; Robert J. Cronin, Chicago; Joseph R. English, Maryknoll, N. Y.; Lt. Edward A. Fox, Chicago; J. Fendall Froning, Wilmington, Del.; John A. Gillespie, Westfield, N. J.; Lt. Robert L. Grogan, Terre Haute, Ind.; Bernard F. Hartz, Indianapolis; Ensign K. Joseph Heatherman, Huntington, W. Va. Francis P. Kelly, Joliet, Ill.; Cpl. John E. Kelly, Fort Sill, Okla.; William J. Kennedy, Chicago; Karl G. King, Jr., South Bend; Wilfred B. Kirk, Tuckahoe, N. Y.; Harry F. Koehler, South Bend; Eugene F. Ling, West Los Angeles, Calif.

Justin C. McCann, New York City; Joseph P. McMahon, Arlington, Va.; Edward R. Neaher, Bronx, N. Y.; Walter J. Nienaber, Cincinnati; James J. Nolan, East Hempstead, N. Y.; Pvt. Anthony F. O'Boyle, New Cumberland, Pa.; James T. O'Donnell, Brooklyn; Henry F. Fojman, Berwyn, Ill.; Emil J. Peter, Louisville; Robert E. Puryear, Jonesboro, Ark.; Francis J. Reilly, Brooklyn; Robert J. Schmelzle, Freeport, Ill.; Pvt. Albert J. Schwartz, Salina, Tex.; Alexander L. Sloan, Peoria, Ill.; Robert V. Trousdale, Mott, N. Dak.; James A. Waldron, Trenton, N. J.; John M. Wallach, Brooklyn; Leo M. Willick, Detroit.

From the South Plains Army Flying School, Lubbock, Texas, comes news that Capt. Frederick Mueller (M.D., St. Louis University, '40), is surgeon of a troop carrier group. He was commissioned in June, 1940.

Pvt. Al Schwartz could, when he last reported, be reached through No. 586 TSS, Flight No. 285, St. Petersburg, Fla. A scout sends word that Al registered 151 out of a possible 160 in his I.Q.



LIEUT. GEORGE J. BONFIELD, '37

George was recently promoted to first lieutenant at Daniel Field, Augusta, Ga., where he is assistant post officer. He was employed by the Harris Trust & Savings Bank, Chicago, before entering the service on April 23, 1941.

tests following his induction at Fort Leavenworth on Jan. 13.

PRISONERS OF WAR

The February "Alumnus" carried word that Lieut. Richard J. Carroll, '37, Chicago, of the Army Air Corps, had been listed as missing in action in Northwest Africa. On Feb. 8, the War Department reported that Dick was officially a prisoner of war in Italy according to an announcement by the Rome radio.

For many months Ensign George K. Petritz, ex. '38, Rockford, Ill., had also been listed as missing in action, following the Japanese invasion of the Philippines. It's now revealed, however, that George is held as a prisoner of war by the Japanese. George is a brother of Lieut. (j.g.) Joseph S. Petritz, '32, former athletic publicity director of the University.

Lieut. Bob Grogan, AC of S., A-3, Maxwell Field, Ala., writes that he has seen Lieut. Jim Rocap, '39, and has heard from Lieut. George Bonfield, Augusta, Ga. Bob is flying planes all over the Southeast.

Frank Reilly, one of the champion clippers and letter-writers in the business—he's what an editor dreams about but seldom sees or hears from—sends a contribution to the Association, a clipping about Gerry Hayes, '26, and the news that Bob McClain is an ensign in the Navy. How about checking in with more details, McClain? We can't get a rise out of Foley, the demon journalist and father. One child shouldn't slow him down that much. Armstrong, with five, and Dooley, with four, still get the "Alumnus" out. (What was that crack?)

Jim Bacon is an assistant in the School of Journalism at Syracuse University and was named to the University honor roll for the fall semester. Besides his work for the University, Jim is night editor for the "Syracuse Herald-Journal" and "Sunday Herald-American." He was on the "Herald-Argus" in La Porte, Ind., before he went to Syracuse.

Sending the picture of Major Charles "Monk" Meyer and himself (which you'll find nearby in this issue) Lieut. Tom Cassidy writes from the Headquarters, 300th Infantry, Fort Benning, Ga. Says Tom of the former All-American from West Point, who commands the third battalion of the 300th Infantry, "I've gotten to know Monk pretty well, and he's a fine, competent soldier and man. He remembers lots of the boys from N.D., and of course many of the games."

And Tom adds: "... There is another Notre Dame man in my regiment, Lieut. Bill Dreux, '33, who is also on the regimental staff. Came across a couple of other officers here at Benning who are N.D. men—Bob LeMire, '36, and Ennis, '39. Both are lieutenants, LeMire with the Infantry School, and Ennis with the 29th Infantry."

1938 Harold A. Williams, 4323 Maribhall Rd., Baltimore, Md.

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Paul H. Anderson, Pittsburgh; Sgt. John J. Beer (additional) San Francisco; Cpl. George O. Belanger, Whitehall, N. Y.; Daniel E. Boyle, Philadelphia; Charles T. Brosius, Baltimore; Dr. Robert J. Bryan, Baltimore; John L. Buckley, Elmwood Park, Ill.; Maximilian Burnell, Detroit; Sgt. John A. Callahan, Bristol, Conn.; Capt. Joseph A. Callahan (additional) New York City; Michael P. Clouse, Jr., Somerset, O.; E. F. Connolly (Elected) Notre Dame; Joseph M. Corcoran,

Brockton, Mass.; John C. Cottingham, Cincinnati; Lt. Emmett H. Crowe, Clearwater, Fla.; Lt. Timothy J. Cruice, Detroit; Donald F. Currier, Detroit; Lt. Melville E. Dark, Springfield, Mo.; Ensign John P. Fox, Jr., Buffalo; William H. Gallin, Jr., Bronx, N. Y.; John J. Gorman, Detroit; John I. Head, Waterville, N. Y.; Joseph A. Henebry, Plainfield, Ill.; George C. Howard, Bethesda, Md.; John L. Jehle, Alton, Ill.; George W. Johnson, Taylorville, Ill.; Edward S. Kavanaugh, Notre Dame; Maurice J. Kennedy, Ogden, Utah; Edwin M. Kinderman, Portland, Ore.; Edmund S. Kowalski, South Bend; Capt. James H. Lahey, South Bend.

Carleton G. MacDougald, Providence, R. I.; Ensign Christopher R. Masterson, Summit, N. J.; William J. Mathey, Clifton, N. J.; Sgt. Edward J. Mattingly, New Orleans; Ernest P. Maurin, Jr., Hollywood, Calif.; Robert A. McGrath, Oak Park, Ill.; John C. McKendry, Eggertsville, N. Y.; John Murrin IV, Butler, Pa.; Ralph L. Pope, Columbus, O.; Andrew J. Puplis, Maywood, Ill.; Daniel O. Quinlan, Soperton, Wis.; Thomas J. Radigan, Gary, Ind.; B. Scott Reardon, Grand Rapids, Mich.; William L. Sixsmith, Pittsburgh; Robert N. Tharinger, Wauwatosa, Wis.; Richard J. Thompson, Toledo; John L. Tobin, Brunswick, Me.; Capt. Edward A. Uniacke, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; Lt. Francis F. Valetich, Macon, Ga.; Robert C. Weaver, Coshocton, O.; Francis J. Winter, LeSueur, Minn.

From Hal Williams:

We have three letters, two postal cards, and a personal visit to report this month. Business is picking up.

The first customer is Burnett "Swede" Bauer who writes from 1613 Richards St., La Porte, Ind. Writes Swede: "Jerry Kane has just returned from South America to take up the position of sales engineer with Douglas Aircraft, Los Angeles. Tom Bohlen is now at Camp Roberts, Calif., but will soon be at Fort Benning, Ga., as he has just passed his examinations for OCS. Tom welcomed a son, Mike, into the household a month before he left for camp.

"Celly" Ball was a proud papa several months ago. "Celly" is an accountant with Bendix in South Bend. I saw Herb Weber at Bendix last week. The last I heard of Jim Leahy was that he was a captain in the Marine Corps, married, and living in Philadelphia. Jack Scott is also a Marine captain and was last reported in the East. Otto Scherer is with the FBI. My wife is directing the local Little Theatre club's next play—she taught speech and dramatic art at St. Mary's—and I am staying home with our seven-months-old daughter tonight, holding her in my lap and trying to type. We have a game—she types a word and then I try to type one. You can tell the words she has typed; they aren't misspelled.

"I have just changed jobs myself. For the past two years I was manager of the local Soft Water Service Company, but last week I took a job as cost accountant for a local factory, the Metal Door and Trim Company. We have quite a bit of war work. ... Jim Simen, my wife's cousin, was a member of the first graduating class of Navy Training School at Notre Dame. Jack is married and has a son. ..."

And that's the word from Swede, the boy from Good Thunder, Minn., who has made good.

And here's a letter from Johnny Murphy of Oak Park, Ill. He says, "John Monaca, Jr., class of '38, enlisted in the Air Corps and was graduated from Kelly Field, receiving his commission in May, 1942. He was just recently promoted to the rank of major. He is now at Macon, Ga. Lt. Ted Knauman received his juris doctor degree from Northwestern in '41. He was graduated from OCSchool, receiving his commission at Fort Ben-



MAJOR CHARLES "MONK" MEYER, LEFT, AND LIEUT. THOMAS E. CASSADY, '37

West Point and Notre Dame fight on the same side! The former Army All-American and former Notre Dame Glee Club president and "Scrip" associate editor serve together at Fort Benning, Ga. (See 1937 news, this issue.)

ning, Ga., on Feb. 10. He is now an instructor at Fort McClellan, Ala. He was recently home on leave and his old friends, Tiger McGrath, Johnny Buckley, Ed Fanning and Johnny Murphy gave a party in his honor. McGrath is working for the Securities Commission, has a wife and child. Buckley is the father of three youngsters, all boys. Any time any of the N.D. boys get to Chicago have them get in touch with us fellows in Oak Park, Ill."

Thanks, Johnny, for the letter. And congratulations to Monaco. I believe he is the first in our class to attain the rank of major. And also congratulations to Johnny Buckley. I believe he leads in the number of offspring. Has anyone beaten him?

T/Sgt. Eddie Mattingly writes, this time from the Civilian Defense School, Loyola University, New Orleans. He is planning on OCSchool in the near future.

And this from Leon Lancaster, Class 13, Company A, OCS, Fort Washington, Md. "Just got a copy of the February 'Alumnus' and it inspired me to drop you a line. I am now in the OCS here, after a little over two years in the army spent in Alabama, Arkansas, Louisiana, and California. Expect to be commissioned a second lieutenant on St. Patrick's day. My brother, Art, '39, is now in the South Pacific, messing it up with the Japs. Got a letter from my old roomie, Owen Kane, and he is married and a father. Another roommate, Chuck Daley, '39 and '40, is married to an old girl friend of mine and he is a second lieutenant in the Air Corps in California. Bob Gartland and Jack Ward are in Washington."

Thanks, Leon. Try to drop over to see us if you have the opportunity..

And then a postal card, dated Jan. 19, from Cleveland, signed J. M., saying, "Lt. Robert J. Mazanec, '38, Commerce, and is now stationed at Co. H 377th Inf., Fort Sam Houston, Texas. He was home for the holidays and was at the Cleveland Alumni Christmas dance. Met up with some of the boys here along the way."

Tom Hutchinson, now of the National Opinion Research Center, New York, stopped off in Baltimore for a visit while making a business trip South.

This June the '38 class will celebrate its fifth reunion; however, I'm afraid it won't be much of a reunion with practically everyone in uniform and spread out all over the world. Very few of us would have the chance to get back to Notre Dame even if there was going to be an alumni reunion—and there isn't.

I'm letting myself in for a lot of work, but here's a suggestion. If all you bums will drop me a line—a postal card will do—and let me know the answers to the following questions—Are you in the service? What is your rank? What is your address? Are you married? Any children (enumerate)? What is your occupation if you are a civilian?—I will compile a class list, giving the data, and maybe we can get Jim Armstrong and Bill Dooley to run it in the June "Alumnus." Let me have this information by the end of April. And I want to hear from all of you, including such dilatory fellows as Schemmer, McGrath, Larry Larkin, Tom Jordan, Dillon, and all the rest.

Lieut. Francis F. Valetich writes from Box 36, Herbert Smart Airport, Macon, Ga. He was graduated on Dec. 23 in chemical warfare from the OCS at Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

Bill Green, '34, sent from Corpus Christi, Texas, a note on the banns of marriage published in the local cathedral on Jan. 31 for Miss Anne Locaer and Ensign Arthur J. Waldron, USNR.

The efficient Mr. W., your sec., along with Tom Morrison, '41, did a noble job of calling to the attention of the "Baltimore Sun" an error in an A.P. story from S.B. Somehow, the late track coach had appeared as "John P. N. Cholson" in this story, instead of Nicholson.

Bill Mathey is a veterinary student in the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, and a second lieutenant in the Reserve. Lieut. Kyle Donnell was coming along nicely when he wrote on Feb. 1, having been able to leave the Naval Hospital, Philadelphia, for the first time in seven months. His wife and year-old daughter have been living in nearby Wayne, Pa.

Chuck Terry came through a serious operation in Kewanee, Ill., and is back on the job with the Boss Mfg. Co. in Findlay, O.

Russ Fitzgerald wrote as follows on Feb. 1. "Right now I'm out on an island in the Pacific, baking in the sun and being an involuntary blood donor to hordes of famished mosquitoes."

Cpl. George O. Belanger, 3222516, his mother writes, can be reached through Headquarters 603rd C.A. (A.A.), Burbank, Calif.

Tom Garvey is a metallurgist with the Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corp., Duquesne, Pa.

Justin Paul Lavin, Haverhill, Mass., was commissioned an ensign in Naval Reserve at Jacksonville, Fla., in February.

1939 Vincent W. DeCoursey, 1321 Georgia, Kansas City, Kans.

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Lt. John P. Akolt, Denver; Thomas N. Armel, Chicago; Ensign Thomas C. Barnett, West Newton, Mass.; Charles R. Bennett, St. Augustine, Fla.; Thomas R. Bossort, Milwaukee; Major Francis X. Bradley, Bennettsville, S. C.; William J. Brennan, Bellefontaine, O.; Sgt. Luino L. DaPra, East Chicago, Ind.; John J. Deane, Milwaukee; Albert G. Denten, Chicago; Lt. Charles J. Englehart, Chicago; Bernard J. Fagan, Bath, N. Y.; Edward G. Farrell, Jr., South Bend; Lt. Robert E. Fitzsimmons, Brooklyn; Harvey G. Foster, Bronx, N. Y.; Francis P. Fransioli, Gary, Ind.; Robert J. Gallagher; Pittsburgh; John M. Haggerty, Washington Court House, O.; Joseph H. Harrington, Ancon, Canal Zone; William R. Herick, Proctor, W. Va.; Robert B. Heywood, New

Richmond, Wis.; Sgt. Hugo J. Hildebrandt, Cleveland; Arthur L. Istanovic, Portland, Ore.; Dr. James A. Johnson, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Walter H. Johnson, Jr., Bronxville, N. Y.; Ensign Francis B. Kelly, Jacksonville, Fla.; Julius R. Kristan, Wallingford, Conn.; Lucien J. Lacroix, Hackensack, N. J.; Howard L. Lardie, Texas City, Tex.; Francis J. Lauck, Indianapolis; Ernest F. Lavigne, Geneseo, N. Y.; Bernard F. LeRoy, Escanaba, Mich.; Francis W. Lloyd (Elected) (additional) Notre Dame.

William H. Malesh, Mahway, N. J.; Marion J. Maurello, Trinidad, Colo.; Lt. Edward G. McDermott (additional) Grand Rapids, Mich.; Joseph E. McDermott, Chicago; Alfred B. McEneaney, New York City; John A. McGuire, Chicago; Charles J. Metzger, Rockville Centre, N. Y.; James G. Meyer, Livermore, Ky.; Mark J. Mitchell, Jr., Chicago; George B. Morris, Detroit; Carl J. Nagel, Buffalo; George J. Neumann, Chicago; Lt. James H. Penrose, Cohoes, N. Y.; Francis R. Pfaff, Roselle, N. J.; Sgt. Louis A. Radelet, Wichita Falls, Tex.; William H. Ricke, Akron, O.; Dr. Charles R. Riley, Richmond, Va.; Pvt. Chester P. Sadowski, Washington, D. C.; Salvatore P. Scarlata, Lodi, N. J.; Lt. Robert F. Schirf, (additional) New York City; Daniel C. Schmidt, Toledo; Harry J. Schroeder, Jr., Fort Madison, Ia.; Walter J. Short, Alexandria, Va.; Pvt. Frederick E. Sisk, Trinidad, Colo.; Edward M. Stubbelfield, Evansville, Ind.; Bernard J. Sullivan, Wichita, Kans.; John D. Sullivan, Fall River, Mass.; Edwin A. Von Hoene, Peekskill, N. Y.; Ralph F. Wachter (additional) Frederick, Md.; Lt. Thomas A. Walker, Harlingen, Tex.; Cpl. John E. Walsh, Jr., Chicago; Eugene R. Zinn, Ironwood, Mich.; Joseph C. Zuendel, Evansville, Ind.

Joe Harrington writes that, instead of working for the customs service in Panama, he is now administrative assistant for the Rubber Development Corporation program in the Republic of Panama. In the same work is Joe Apodaca, '30, former professor in the University, who is in charge of the rubber development program in Central America.

Father Craddick, prefect of religion, sends word that Bernie Sullivan was married on Jan. 25 in Gesu Church, Detroit. No details.

Mike Benedict writes from Kenrick Seminary, St. Louis, that he will be ordained some time this spring for the diocese of Lafayette, La.

Harry Penrose, Utica, N. Y., was commissioned a second lieutenant in early February, following his graduation from OCS at Fort Benning, Ga.

Jack Ryan is in the research department of the American Potash and Chemical Corporation and receives his mail at P.O. Box 702, Trona, Calif. He has been married since last October, to a nurse from Trona hospital. From '39 and until January, '42, Jack was in the research department of the Hudson Bay Mining and Smelting Company, Flin Flan, Manitoba.

"Coming through Milwaukee last year," Jack writes, "I ran into John F. Jaeger, working for Cudahy meat packers at the time. As of Oct. 14 last year, he is also married. In Joliet, Ill., I found Edward Tracey, also of '39, working as a chemist for duPont."

Paul Kelley, South Bend, is a first lieutenant in the Air Corps in New Guinea, acting as adjutant of his squadron and mess and transportation officer. Paul has seen John Henebry, '40, and Phil North there. He says that his group has Mass every Tuesday night.

John Duffy is a mechanical engineer with the U.S. Rubber Co., 6600 E. Jefferson St., Detroit, a recent postcard notice says.

Ensign (Coast Guard) Frank Reppenhausen's latest address is C.G. 83304 N.O.B., Fleet Post Office, Norfolk, Va.

(See page 39 for additional 1939 news.)

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Lt. John E. Mack, San Juan, P. R.; Ensign Edward J. Maher, Camp May, N. J.; Cpl. Joseph R. Mathey, Clifton, N. J.; Edward J. Mathieu, Hawthorne, N. J.; Thomas J. McKenna, Gary, Ind.; William S. McKenna, Detroit; Sgt. Robert R. McManus, Indianapolis; James R. McQueen, Mishawaka, Ind.; John W. Meaney, San Francisco; George J. Millford, Marion, Ind.; Francis H. Miltner, Cadillac, Mich.; Thomas J. Minogue, New York City; James T. Moore, Detroit; John B. Morgan, Arlington, Va.; Gerald E. Morrissey, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.; Cpl. William J. Morrissey, Haverstraw, N. Y.; Francis J. Murphy, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; Harry L. Norris, Trenton, N. J.; Pvt. Kenneth L. Oberbrunner, Fort Lewis, Wash.; Sgt. John J. O'Brien, Indianapolis; Hugh K. O'Donnell, Rockville Centre, N. Y.; Kevin M. O'Gorman, Buffalo; Capt. Thomas M. Philpott, New Rochelle, N. Y.; Roy W. Pinelli, San Francisco; Cpl. Carl E. Quinn, Macomb, Ill.; Medard J. Rafalske, South Bend; John J. Reddy, Brooklyn; Peter J. Reilly, Pleasantville, N. Y.; John F. Rogers, Belleville, N. J.; Edward G. Rosanelli, Brooklyn; Lt. Leo A. Santini, New York City; John E. Savord, Sandusky, O.; Lt. Robert F. Sayia, Montclair, N. J.; Lt. Robert J. Schultz, Oak Park, Ill.; John W. Skelly, Avon, N. Y.; Pvt. Norbert J. Spencer, Indianapolis; Robert G. Sullivan, Binghamton, N. Y.; Joseph R. Thesing, Cincinnati; Robert J. Tiernan, Des Moines, Ia.; Francis W. Toyne, Kansas City, Mo.; Walter K. Warburton, Brooklyn; William R. Wicks, Hopkinsville, Ky.; John B. Willmann, Williamsport, Pa.; John E. Wilson, Yeadon, Pa.; Walton J. Wuebbold, Hamilton, O.; Ensign Edward P. Wurtzback, South Bend.

Jerry Bordeaux on Jan. 7 received his second lieutenant's commission at the AAF Bombardier School, Big Springs, Texas.

Paul Hickey, attending OCS at Fort Belvoir, Va., was scheduled to receive his commission about April 1. He had been with a hospital unit in the South Pacific.

Lieut. Frank Biagi is at Camp Clark, Mo. Another footballer, Al Mooney, was a drill instructor and candidate for Officers' School when the last word came in the Marine Corps base at Parris Island, S. C.

Lieut. Jim Donoghue (who, incidentally, gets a prominent mention in Richard Tregaskis' recent popular book, "Guadalcanal Diary") writes a swell letter to Herb Jones, '27, business manager of athletics, from this address: "A" Co., 1st Bn., 5th Marines, c/o Fleet P.O., San Francisco. Here is a quote from Jim's letter:

"I went up to the Solomons with the first outfits, early in August, and had a rather interesting time until the middle of October when a Jap shell landed almost in my lap, and I was evacuated with shrapnel wounds, so I took it easy until my outfit was relieved in the combat area. We are now having a nice time on the outskirts of a large city, while the men get back in shape for another crack at our little yellow friends. I lost most of my gear when wounded, Herb, but am enclosing a piece of Jap invasion money which we found. The denomination is English because the Solomons were British before the war.

"Ran into quite a few N.D. boys on Guadalcanal while there. Tom Barry, '39, Ed Kirby, '35; Capt. Murray, '37; Lt. O'Connell, '39 (VSW) of Indianapolis, and Doug Bangert, '40, who is in a torpedo bombing group. The Ferneding twins of '40 are Navy lieutenants (j.g.'s) and were in this area for quite a while. So, you can see that a N.D. Club here would be quite popular.

"We get the scores on all the games, but little of the details until just recently. Had quite a rivalry cooked up over the Michigan game, since there are three of our officers from there. But our record for the year was better than theirs anyhow, so I promptly covered some bets for next year's game, and I hope to see it."

John Mack sends in his contribution from San Juan, Puerto Rico, where he has been since last August as a lieutenant (j.g.) in the Coast Guard Reserve. Lieut. Jim Curran was (a couple of months ago) at the Bedford Airdrome, Bedford, Mass. It's 2nd Lieut. Robert W. Blake, Marine Corps, Unit 865, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco. And Art Lancaster's address is A.S.N. 32034699, 27th Infantry, Anti-Tank Company, APO 25, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco.

Don O'Neill, South Bend, in North Africa with an intelligence unit, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant. Jim Cleary has been promoted to a captaincy with the Medical Administrative Corps. He is at Carlisle Barracks, Pa., the Medical Field Service School. Lieut. (j.g.) Robert J. Beaudine, VP 73, Morcan Annex Navy Desk, c/o Postmaster, New York City, is in Africa, his mother writes, and would be very happy to hear from the boys.

Capt. John P. Henebry is with the Army Air Corps in New Guinea and has met many N.D. men there according to his mother's welcome letter. His address: APO 710, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco. And Jim Plummer, now a lieutenant (since his graduation at State College, Miss.), can be reached through Transportation Section, Belle Mead QM Depot, Belle Mead, N. J. Jim's mother says that Jim reported that Fred Stubbins is in finance work with the Navy in Hawaii.

Jim Varga, at the last report, was an ensign, USNR, studying at 78 Mt. Auburn, Cambridge, Mass. Jim had been with Caterpillar Tractor, Peoria, as an electrical engineer. Joe Hartzler was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Marine Reserve and received his wings in ceremonies at Jacksonville, Fla. In the same class was Ensign Paul Purcell who is now a Navy flyer. Both boys

had undergone elimination flight training at Glenview, Ill.

Recently receiving their wings and commissions as ensigns in the Naval Reserve were Ed Doyle, Duluth, Minn., and John McIntyre, Providence, R. I., along with George Knobel, ex. '39, Napanee, Ind.

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D. Wrape, Paragould, Ark.; Charles L. Ziebarth, Idaho Falls, Idaho.

Joe Hughes recently changed his employment from the Bendix Corp., South Bend, where he had been since graduation, to the Stewart-Warner Corp., Chicago, his home city.

John O'Brien is a second lieutenant in the Field Artillery following OCS at Fort Sill, Okla. When he wrote (late January) he was on his way to Camp Roberts, Calif., for duty. He had seen **John Meyer** and **Joe Casey**, both of '41, at Fort Sill.

When **Daniel Gerard Sullivan**, the newly-married, wrote in late January he had just been sworn into the Navy under the V-7 program and was spending his evenings brushing up on his mathematics at New York University. He expected to be called into active training soon from his Hollis, N. Y., home. From the "Holy Cross Courier" (St. Mary's) for February we get two '41 marriages, both of which took place in 1941: Mary Catherine Theis to **Richard R. Everrood** on May 5; and Mary LaRouche Walsh to **Lawrence M. Walsh**, on Oct. 25.

One of the greatest dive bomber pilots in the Pacific, according to all the dope coming back, is a guy named **Bob Saggau**. No details yet.

Jerry O'Dowd, recently commissioned an ensign at Notre Dame, comes through with a swell letter from his new post: U.S.N. A.T.B., Solomons Branch, Washington, D. C. Writes Jerry in part: "I'm hardly alone here—in fact if any more N.D. men show up here we're going to add to your headaches by requesting Universal Notre Dame Night to emanate from here. Here are the names of those I've seen so far: Ensign **Bob Connelly**, ex. '40, who has just come into the Navy Supply Corp and is attached to the base here; Ensign **Bob Hargrave**, '42, Ensign **Ned Weinfurter**, '42, Ensign **Urb Kokenge**, '41, just fresh from Navy training at Princeton; Ensign **Mike Kelly**, '42, Ensign **Bill McAuliffe**, '42, Ensign **Mike Comerford**, '42, and Ensign **Sig Wesolowski**, '42.

"Managed my first 52-hour leave in a month last week and saw the old N.D. chums in a whirlwind race with time. **Jim Barrow**, ex. '40, is still in Washington, working as mechanical engineer with a tool company, but nevertheless expects a draft call soon.

"In New York had dinner with Ensign **Dan Sallows**, '40, who recently finished indoctrination at Dartmouth and who confided in me only to the extent that he expected to be traveling soon. **Jack Doyle**, '39, came over to the city from Passaic where he is still with U.S. Rubber in their experimental lab, and, believe me, for the short time he's been in the East he sounds like a Met Club operator already.

"A Christmas card from the **Bill Mooneys** hints that he's still with the FBI in Milwaukee and that daughter **Priscilla Ann** is the wonder child of the age. Speaking of '39 and '42 'sleuthers,' word has it that **Jim McGoldrick** is with the Detroit Bureau of the FBI this month (March).

"I'm sure that many of the ensigns from the first midshipmen school at N.D. feel they are adopted sons of the University as they proudly point out they've come from Notre Dame — especially to our Ivy League brethren from Princeton.

"Never enjoyed the 'Alumnus' more—so please keep it coming."

Lieut Joe Gullinan's father sends word from Pittsfield, Mass., that Joe's address is as follows: Co. C, 206 Q.M. Bn., APO Annex, c/o Postmaster, Shreveport, La.

Jim Murray from 561 Davis Ave., Staten Island, N. Y., sends some generous help for **John Patterson**, as follows: "I've just resigned my job [letter written on Feb. 18] as supervisor of training with Bethlehem Fairfield Shipyard, Inc., Bal-

timore, to enter the Coast Guard Academy at New London, Conn., to strive for an ensign's commission. **George Rausas** also was employed at Bethlehem Fairfield in the Outfitting Department. George is the man who makes sure everything is ship-shape before the ship goes to sea.

"**Jerry Sullivan** of '41 fame, better known as D. G. Sullivan, recently resigned his job to enter the V-7 school at Columbia. **Jerry Ryan**, who won fame at N.D. in the Bengal Bouts, is employed at Glenn Martin's, Baltimore. Jerry is completely sold that the B-26 is the best plane in the world.

"**Ted Hynes**, of Roslyn, L. I., has an APO address at San Francisco. **Tom Pilgrim** is a lieutenant with an anti-aircraft outfit in Georgia."

The newly-married **John Aselage** is an ordnance inspector for the Cleveland Ordnance District. When he wrote, March 3, he was working in the Westinghouse plant, Mansfield, O. His wife is also an ordnance inspector in the Westinghouse plant.

Lieut. Roger Shouvin's mail is to be addressed as follows: O-1548552, 380th Bomber Squadron, 310 Bomber Group, APO 520, c/o Postmaster, New York City. Another overseas lad who would like to hear from a lot of the boys back home is **Lieut. John Grobmyer**, O-561155, Headquarters 12th Air Force, APO 650, c/o Army Postmaster, New York City.

Lieut. Francis J. Behe, 181st Field Artillery, Camp Roberts, Calif., sent along a grand letter with a generous contribution to the Centenary Fund. Frank says, "I have run into a few alumni, namely **Matt Goning**, '40, an officer in the field artillery, **Sam Neill**, '41, the same as Matt, and **Gene DeLay**, '41, who is a Q.M. lieutenant at Fort Ord, Calif., and we spent most of our time talking about campus days."

Al Lee was commissioned an ensign in the Naval Air Service at Jacksonville, Fla., in recent ceremonies.

Joe Stephen, Longmont, Colo., has been assigned temporarily to the 681st Signal Co. at Drew Field, Tampa, Fla. While at West Palm Beach, Joe met **Dan Stack**, **Larry Schmidt**, who is at Camp Murphy, Fla., and **Jack Powers**, who is a pilot at nearby Morrison Field.

Jim Garland of Marion, Ind. and **Ed Mansfield**, '34, are in the same barracks at Signal Corps officer's school, Fort Monmouth, N. J.

Roy Bairley has been transferred from Lowry Field, Denver.

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John E. Keenan, Belvidere, Ill.; **William L. Kelleher**, Seneca Falls, N. Y.; **Maurice S. Kelly**, Buffalo; **Paul W. Kelley**, Syracuse, N. Y.; **Chester S. Lampert**, Rochester, N. Y.; **Robert C. LeJeune**, Baltimore; **Ensign Paul L. Lillis**, Chicago; **Stanley V. Litizzette**, Helper, Utah; **Charles B. Lohr**, Dallas, Tex.; **Cpl. John L. Luthringer**, Petersburg, Ill.

Ensign Harrison T. MacDonald, West Lafayette, Ind.; **Ensign William B. Madden** (additional) Lake Placid, N. Y.; **John J. Mahon**, Cleveland; **Ensign Quentin J. Marshall**, Kansas City, Mo.; **Horace J. McDonnell**, Tulsa, Okla.; **Richard E. McHugh**, Manhattan, Ill.; **Robert J. McKee**, South Bend; **Coe A. McKenna**, Portland, Ore.; **James J. McNulty**, Chicago; **Walter C. Miller**, Notre Dame; **William J. Minges**, Charleston, W. Va.; **Ensign Roy E. Murray**, Butte, Mont.; **Thomas D. Nash**, Chicago; **Charles F. Nelson**, Plymouth, Ind.; **Herbert G. Nilles**, Charleston, W. Va.; **John H. Nolan**, Chillicothe, O.; **Cpl. Frederick H. Paulmann**, New Rochelle, N. Y.; **Ensign Francis J. Pollnow**, Clayton, Mo.; **Ensign Arthur W. Pope**, Chicago; **Ensign Robert H. Raaf**, St. Clair, Mo.; **Jacob M. Reichenstein**, Dallas, Tex.; **James J. Rice**, Reedsburg, Wis.; **Floyd F. Richards**, Lawrence, Mass.; **Ugo D. Rossi**, San Diego; **Richard V. Ruppe**, Hancock, Mich.; **Gerhard J. Schroer**, Kansas City, Mo.; **John A. Shedy**, Indianapolis; **Joseph M. Shields**, Pelham Manor, N. Y.; **Edward J. Sullivan**, Trenton, N. J.; **Henry E. Storek**, Baltimore; **John E. Treacy**, Chicago; **Paul E. Wack**, Council Bluffs, Ia.; **Thomas A. Walsh**, Omaha, Nebr.; **Cpl. Julian R. Walters**, Nappanee, Ind.; **George L. Westenberger**, Springfield, Mass.; **Bernard P. Wojcik**, Elizabeth, N. J.; **Leonard H. Wolfe**, Memphis; **Robert E. Wright**, Chicago.

From Scoop Scanlon:

Sandwiched between the regular feature picture and news reels was a community song—the stillness eased into a popular eastern University's song, followed with a southern favorite, and continued with a west coast standby—all met with mediocre response. Suddenly the slow strains of the Notre Dame "Victory March" seeped into the Fort Sheridan theatre—and like a last-minute touchdown, the soldier audience spontaneously rocked the atmosphere. Everybody knew the words, the recruit from Alabama at my side. So did the officers. It seemed like a page lifted from a memory book of pep rallies at Notre Dame. All that was missing were those characteristic interrupting phrases like "Haaaay Eilllllmer," "Men of Notre Dame," "Father Sorin," and "Now, Lads."

Fort Sheridan for a moment became a mythical Notre Dame. Most of the soldiers were sidewalk alumni—but the "Victory March" took on a new meaning for them that night.

Another similar experience of old came with the unexpected arrival from some place overseas of a letter from roomie **Lt. Jim O'Laughlin**. He writes:

"By my address you can tell I'm overseas, but I can't say where or what I'm doing. But one thing I will say is that it's been one long time since I've received any mail. In fact I haven't seen any since leaving the States. Before this week (written Feb. 10), there was a long period when I couldn't write any letters, so maybe that explains.

"Would give anything for a few copies of the 'Alumnus' to get the dope on all the boys. Incidentally, my commander is **Capt. Murray**, '37. **Lt. Jim Donoghue**, '40, is also in this regiment. I guess we'll have to hold a Notre Dame Night some time. I feel awfully proud to be a member of this outfit I'm in. It is tops in the Marine Corps. We have the 'fightinest' bunch of darn fool leathernecks that you would ever want to see. Sorry I can't tell you more, but the censor says 'no.'

"I've had an education in travel and practical experiences since leaving Notre Dame. Seen places I've read about, others which I hadn't even heard of. So you can understand, I'm not sorry I joined the Marine Corps. I only hope our N.D. representation increases. I ran into Joe Postpack on the West Coast just before I left. He's an ensign and looked swell—naturally. We were both pretty surprised at meeting there.

"One of the biggest thrills I've had yet was on board one of the transports. The chaplain was Methodist (and incidentally, a fine guy). Sunday came and he asked me to conduct Catholic services for the men! And that wasn't all. There was just as large a percentage of non-Catholics at my services as Catholics! I never felt so proud in my life as I did that morning. From then on, I was tabbed as 'assistant chaplain.' Please give my best to your folks and say a few prayers for my boys over here."

More power to you, Jim—

A newcomer to our writing corps, takes over from here, it's Lt. Bill Morrow from Louisville, Ky.:

"This is the first chance I have had to write because I have been well occupied in the Army. At this time I am nearing the end of my 10-day leave after having completed OCS at Camp Barkley, Texas. I was commissioned a second lieutenant in the medical administrative corps. I have been assigned to the Army Air Depot at Warner Robins Field, Ga.

"Dan Hilgartner also graduated with me and he has been assigned to a hospital in the midwest some place. Larry Aubrey and Chuck Gehres are in finance. They were sent over to England back in October and from there they went to North Africa and have been there ever since."

Another newcomer to our list is Pvt. Bernie Wasilewski of Nanticoke, Pa., and Fort McClellan, Ala., who postcards: "Have been always enlightened by the class of 1942 columns in the 'Alumnus' and now more than ever it lifts my morale. Finishing up six weeks' basic training and starting seven weeks of clerical schooling. It's really a swell life. Saw Tom Johnson a few weeks ago. He is a corporal at this camp."

Ensign Eddie Emmenegger, of the Naval Air Station, Miami, Fla., joins us with this comment: "Just a note to let you know that I am now an ensign in the supply corps of the Navy and am stationed at the Naval Air Station as an assistant to the commissary officer until I go to Harvard on June 14 for the four-months course in supply and disbursing.

"While waltzing along Miami Beach I very accidentally ran into Mr. Devere Plankett, my former history prof. at Notre Dame, and we had an enjoyable chat together. Here's hoping that the world is treating you as well as it is me. This basking in the Florida sun is really a treat after leaving the 18 below zero climate of Monroe, Wis."

George Haniger, the engineer from El Paso, Texas, says: "I am at Newark, N. J., working for the Federal Telephone and Radio Corp. My work is just fine and I like it very much. A couple of other N.D. fellows are working here also so I have a little company. I heard from Charley Kleibacker of Cullman, Ala., at New Year's. I just wrote an answer a couple of weeks ago (Feb. 7)."

One of the recent issues of the "New World," newsy Catholic weekly in Chicago, carried a glamorous picture of that nifty punting ace of the football squads of our era—Don Hogan. He's now Ensign Hogan, serving in continental U.S. at that time. Don's brother George, an alumnus of Georgetown U., is on duty in the Caribbean.

Another news flash, via Associated Press, reports Knute K. Roekne, Jr., son of the coach, was inducted into the army at Camp Perry, O., on Feb. 13. Welcome, chum.

Tom Duffy, former basketball manager, recently

got his bars as second lieutenant from Marine Officers' training school, Quantico, Va. Among graduates of hundreds of fighters and bomber pilots in Class 43-B—largest class ever turned out by the Army Air Forces Gulf Coast Training center at Randolph Field, Texas—was Lt. Donald B. McNally. And Tom Henney of Portage, Wis., the one-man welcoming committee when I arrived there last spring, is now a private in the Air Corps at Kessler Field, Biloxi, Miss. He and Bob Uhl ought to get together some time.

When the ERC received the call, Fort Sheridan became a veritable receiving room for N.D. men. Tony Girolami, Bob LeMense, Tom Costello, Joe Trilling, John Solon, Stanley Pyritz, Alfred Oliver, Jr., Blair McGowan, Jim Godfrey, Frank Ebner and Bill Carroll have gone past. LeMense went to Camp Roberts, Calif., but have no record of others.

That popular assistant coach, chief scout and B squad mentor for so many of our class, Lt. Bill Cerney, is now athletic officer at the Glenview, Ill., Naval Base. He is one of the founders of the Service Men's Baseball league which organized Navy and Army units around the midwest into what looms as one of the classiest loops in the country.

Tom Walker is now an ensign in the Naval Reserve. The Navy also claims Joe Petritz, '32, known so well to all the athletes. The ex-publicity chief of the sports department is now a lieutenant (j.g.) at Princeton, N. J. Ted Carpenter, publicist of Marquette sports, postcards that Petritz was one of only two in his entire class to climb a 20-foot rope! Remembrances of school days, eh Joe!

Just before press time, Petritz postcarded, "I saw the Hunter-Rice race a few weeks ago and have bumped into a lot of N.D. guys here and in New York and Philadelphia."

An air mail letter brings the latest dope on several lawyers, according to the news-gathering eye of Mrs. Lora Lashbrook, Dean Clarence Manion's careful observer:

"The Navy has or will soon commission Joe Miller, Jerome O'Dowd, Ed Kelly and Hank Schrenker. The Army took James D. Lancaster, Rocco Montegna, Ernest Timpani, John Ward, Alex Tsiolis and John Verdonk. The last two were recently commissioned as second lieutenants in the Provost Marshal's Division. The FBI made special agents of William B. Mooney, Jim McGoldrick, John J. Killen and Bob Richardson, but their addresses change so often it is difficult to keep up with them. Richardson was the last to report to us that he was located in Louisville.

"Dick Swisher is still with the Haskins and Sells accounting firm in Chicago. John Speca was preparing to practice law according to his last letter, which was quite some time ago, and Harry Anderson is engaged in preparation for the practice of law, and is now awaiting the result of the March bar examinations. Ed Porten, Al Burns and Ward Rafferty have failed to furnish us with current information as to their present location and occupation. Anthony Bernard is a Navy officer, and Bill Syring is with the legal division of the Internal Revenue Service in Detroit. Jim Nea recently reported a change of address 'at the request of the President' from the legal division of the Columbia Broadcasting System in New York to Fort Sill, Okla.

"Pete Alonzi is soon to be commissioned an ensign, Mervin Bagan is also an ensign stationed in Bermuda, and Jordan Hamel is presently practicing law in the legal division of a Chicago trust company. Louie Anderson is now preparing for the Indiana bar examinations; Joe Barr is soon to be commissioned a Marine officer at Quantico, Va.; Jim Daner is presently employed in a defense plant in South Bend; Jim Diver is in the Army in the Far West; Lawrence Ferguson is awaiting the results of the March Indiana bar examinations after receiving a medical discharge from

the ERC; Bill Hogan has been employed in a South Bend defense plant; Bill Hesinski, a member of ERC, was called into active service in February and is stationed at Camp Lee, Va.

"Cecil Jordan, soon nearing a commission in the Naval Air Force, completed his pre-flight training at Iowa City and is now training at Minneapolis; Joe Lavery is in the Army—exact location not known but he definitely promised to keep us posted; Lee Linck, who was admitted to the Michigan bar and expected to enter military service, suffered a broken arm and is working in the Supreme Court of Michigan pending recovery.

"Tim Maher, another ERC graduate, was called to active duty and is at Camp Robinson, Ark. Harry Murray took the Pennsylvania bar exam recently and was slated to enroll for graduate work in the University of Chicago and accept a position with the Chicago Title & Trust Co.

"Charley Hansen is now at Lowry Field, Colo; Bob Sullivan was recently commissioned a lieutenant in the Air Corps; Jack Meyer and Danny Dahill haven't written us lately; and Jim Lang, '41, was accepted as an FBI special agent with headquarters at Louisville."

From Miami Beach, Fla., Lt. John Diages takes time out from basking in the sunshine to write: "I went to OCS at the Army Administrative School at Fargo, N.Dak., and met Bill Woerner, '38, and a fellow named Wise of the class of '41. From Fargo I was assigned to Miami and in my squadron I found Lt. Frank Conboy, N.D. '32, and an English major. At present I am adjutant and he is assistant plans and training officer for our outfit.

"And guess whom he and I met—Frank Leahy! He is living (Jan. 17) on our same street and getting a tan on the nearby beach. My ex-roomie, Frank Pollnow, was an ensign at Cambridge, Mass.; Joe Palmer was awaiting the Navy's call as a pharmacist's mate the last I heard—that was around Christmas. Along in September Brother Tom Kauffman was expecting to be in khaki. Hank Dahm finally got his degree. I'm especially sorry to hear about Matty Byrne. I'd also like to hear of or from Bill Kirby, Mama Clark, Kauffman. And what about Doc Cooney?"

It's Corp. Paul Neville now, editor-in-chief of the "Reflector" at Richmond, Va., Army Air Base. He writes:

"We've got a bunch of WAACs coming in soon. What's the low-down on them? Emmett Keenan is about set for OCS. I haven't even applied yet but may some day. Have you heard from Tom Powers? When last heard from, Joe Lane was in New York awaiting the Navy call. He had passed his math at New York University, so was all set on the V-7 deal.

"George Stratigos is still holding forth in the base legal office here and one of the defense officers. Lt. Frederick M. Crolland, '40, is assistant intelligence officer with a fighter squadron. We had a three-way get-together the other day.

"George Keegan's death was sure a shock, and that Great Lakes game must have been impressive. Joe Hrachovec is in Tonopah, Nev., with a bomber outfit. Keenan, by the way, must have returned to Camp Bowie, Tex., after a furlough. I hear Tiny Ford was out at Buckley Field in Denver, my Army alma mater, attending armament school."

George Uhl, the engineer, reports in from Indianapolis: "I am still situated in Indianapolis and in mid-February was given a new assignment which will probably keep me here for some time.

"I'm taking another chemistry course here at Indiana U. Extension, and am still learning. I had a letter from Bart Crowley, and also a letter from Gene Huttmacher. Bart is still working at Seagrams, and Huttmacher is an ensign in Pearl Harbor. By the way, what happened to John Donnelly?"

"Paul Deery was home this past week but I didn't get to see him. Also Frank Fox was in town about a month ago. In the first part of February I went to Cincinnati for a week-end. Of course, I didn't see or call Irene." Now, George, you're breaking her heart.

Recently I received a letter from Bill Kearney, '28, major domo of the Chicago club. He writes: "Notre Dame isn't sure yet as to whether we'll have Universal N.D. Night this year. We are going to have some affair that night anyway—if we can find a hotel to feed us without ration books."

A couple weeks ago Dave Henes, editor of the "Fort Sheridan Target," went convoying to California—one of his recruits was Bob LeMense, '43, of N.D. I took over and at Libertyville, Ill. Keystone printing shop the director was genial Edward A. Cogley, father of Edward A. Cogley, Jr., '33. Ed, Jr., is currently in Atlantic duty and received his lieutenant's rating in the Navy from Princeton, N. J. Jim Rice, the red-head phy-ed from Reedsburg, Wis., is still assistant coach and a teacher at his home town high school. That team recently went to the semi-finals of the Wisconsin state high school tournament at Madison. It will be Ensign Jim Hackner soon, at Columbia U., New York.

On the Hiawatha recently, I happened into Hans Helland of Wisconsin Dells, Wis. He reports that Danny Dahill was at school recently, visiting Father Ryan. He also said Red Lonergan inaugurated a new employment service for South Bend merchants and industries. Those needing part-time help can contact Notre Dame students through the "Scholastic's" energetic promotion system, cooperating with the U.S. Employment Office in South Bend.

Ray Ebli, operatives report, is fully recovered from injuries sustained playing football for the Chicago Cardinals last fall and is currently doing well for an independent team in hometown, Ironwood, Mich., while awaiting the call to some of the military services.

Red Oberbrunner, popular red-head basketball, is captain of the Fort Lewis, Wash., basketball team. Wonder if it is the same team that competed in the national A.A.U. tournament at Denver.

Notre Dame's representation on the Great Lakes basketball team—Eddie Riska, George Sobek and Buster Hiller—helped the club to 34 victories in 37 games, N.D. halting a 24-game win streak.

Thanks to the combined courtesy of the late George Keogan and Joe Petritz, I got a bench seat to the hectic triumph over Ray Meyer's '38, dangerous DePaul team in Chicago's Stadium. Eddie Sadowski was on hand, too. He played for Sheboygan Redskins which won the National pro title. Next night after he was with us, he looped in 15 points for the Redskins.

Also have a postcard from Joseph E. Howard, new financial secretary of the Knights of Columbus, which officially announces that Brother Eli J. Shaheen, '35, known to so many as Eli Abraham, left for Army service on Jan. 2. Another report says Allen H. Elward, son of the former Purdue coach, lost his life in a plane crash over the Bay of Panama on March 4.

St. Patrick's night, Tommy Coyne of Letterpark, County Galway, Ireland, a corporal at Fort Sheridan, and I attended the 63rd annual celebration by the Ancient Order of Hibernians. And one of the fellows we bumped into appraising the dark-haired colleens was Miland Edmonds, '41, who is also still at Sheridan.

By the way, it now looks like there is considerable room for improvement in the Alumni Centenary contribution list. Only 107 from our class were listed in the February "Alumnus."

In the meantime, "If it's news—write Scoop." And don't forget, YOU are news!

Bob McGowan is second lieutenant at Camp Luna, N. M., according to a note received a couple of months ago from the camp public relations office. He had finished OCS at Miami Beach, Fla., on Oct. 28, after enlisting in the Army in April, 1941. Ed Nigro, Kansas City, Mo., is in med school at Creighton, Omaha.

2nd Lieut. Victor F. Corcoran, of the Army Chemical Warfare Service, reported for duty at the Army Air Forces Flexible Gunnery School, Tyndall Field, Fla. He took his OCS at Edgewood Arsenal, Md. Walt Desel's address: Platoon No. 1946, Recruit Depot, Marine Barracks, Parris Island, S. C.

Dan Hilgartner, having finished OCS at Camp Berkeley, Texas, on Feb. 24, was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Medical Administration Corps. He is now stationed at the 250th Station Hospital, Camp Phillips, Kans.

Cpl. Vince Hogan's address is Hq. 8th Air Force, APO 633 (Hold), c/o Postmaster, New York City. Ensign Dan Shouvin, USNR, is also overseas.

Recently commissioned ensigns in the Naval Air Service include Quentin Marshall (married same day he was commissioned), Bob Raaf, George Thompson, John Gavin, Walt McCourt, Ed Manglesdorf, Herman Oberhofer, Don O'Brien, Ed Dunlavy and Bill Grady. A second lieutenant in the Marines is another flyer, Bob Smith, who was commissioned on March 10.

1943 Ensign Edward C. Roney, 1723 Iroquois Ave., Detroit, Mich.

Contributors, Jan. 15-March 15

Robert O. Baker, Dundas, Wis.; Frederick G. Christman, Terre Haute, Ind.; Carl S. Coco, Lake Charles, La.; John J. Gilligan, Cincinnati; Ensign William H. Grady, Holyoke, Mass.; George O. Hays, Cleveland Heights, O.; John D. Hunt, Brooklyn; Peter F. Moritz, Mansfield, O.; Robert P. Nenko, Notre Dame; Edward C. Roney, Detroit; Leigh R. Sullivan, Milwaukee. From Ed Roney:

Well, here we are three-months-old alumni and I have a second edition of "1943" to get out. As was to be expected, the theme this time changes from engagements and marriages to service news.

Just a little late for the last edition Bill O'Connell wrote: "I've not been doing much of anything so far as most of my friends have returned to school. Last Tuesday I was in Philly for our club dance. It was a very nice affair and most of the fellows were there. Paul Toland, Ralph Carabas, Joe Kreesoc, Ed Casey, Bud Dudley, and Bill Costello are a few of the boys who came. Tomorrow I start work so it really looks as though the party is over." What kind of job is it, Bill, anyway?

Shortly after an envelope arrived from Pvt. John D. Hunt, No. 32720706, 235 Q.M. Co., Camp Sutton, N. C., with a copy of the Class Ode. Thanks a lot, Jack. It's even better than I told you it was.

While roaming through downtown Detroit a while back I ran into Jim "Red" Murphy who said that he and the E.R.C. had been called up in mid-January. Among those he said were going were Jim O'Donnell, Blair McGowan, Lee "Bulldog" Raymond, Joe Trilling, Frank Ebner, and Bill Carroll.

After hanging around doing nothing since Christmas (this town has no jobs for men on 12-hour call) I decided to take another trip down to school, and then to Chicago, with the hope of picking up some more news and seeing the fellows and someone else in both places. Just before leaving on the 19th I received my orders

to report to Dartmouth College on March 8 and Princeton on May 11.

Down at school I bumped into Frank King, the old roomie, now living in town, Bob Martin, Jim Girard, Reggie Flynn, and Zig Sandom. Ziggy said that Ensign Jerry Gainer is in D-V(P) training at Tucson, Ariz., while Ensigns Bob Walsh and Ed Nichols are at Princeton. All had been gone about two weeks. Girard had received orders like mine and was in town for the day picking up uniforms.

Dropped over to Morrissey Hall where now reside (by this time) Midshipmen Ed Hickey, Ed Neagle, Dud Smith and Frank Fitzpatrick. All said the work was tough as could be, and Hickey claims that by the time he finishes working and studying he has all of five to ten minutes free-time a day.

Then on to Chicago where a visit to the Blackhawk produced Midshipmen Hank Kane, Pat Donovan, Ray Schoonhoven and Pat Bradley. Also there was President, and now Air Corps Cadet, Jack Tallett. Jack and I arranged to meet at the Notre Dame-Great Lakes game that night. This was undoubtedly the greatest game I've ever seen, and there was a most impressive ceremony honoring the memory of Coach Keogan just before it. Gail Fitch and Midshipmen Bob Sweeney, Roge Cummings and Jack Gilligan popped up around the bar at half-time. After the game Tallett, Bill Johnson, Pete Moritz, Bob McKee and I took a little of the town in for good measure.

Fitch was able to tell me that Bill Dvorak was to be at Dartmouth and Cummings and Gilligan said their roommate, Quince Sturm, was going also. Moritz got a call from home over the week-end telling him that his orders arrived too. There should be quite a Notre Dame crowd there.

Back at school on the way home, Jim Byrne listed Bill "Mose" Moorhead as stationed at Fort Hayes, Paul Malloy at Fort Sill, and Bill Brady at some unknown camp in the East.

About 145 men were called out of school the week of Feb. 15 for the Army Air Corps. Tallett was one of these and is in Miami by now. Jack Edwards was another.

Also seen at school were Don Heltzel, Bob Browning, Bob Nenko, Tom Miller, Ollie Hunter, Bill Scherer, Jack Morrison, and Ensign Joe Allard who joined the Naval Air Corps in mid-junior year and is now an instructor at Glenview, Ill. All those still in school were struggling through their last semester and wishing they were out.

When I finally got home a couple of postcards and a letter were waiting for me. The first was from Radio Clubman Tom Cooney who gives out with the following: "Congratulations for your work in the 'Alumnus.' You have no idea how good it is to read about 'the boys.'"

"Just was released from St. Vincent's Hospital in N. Y. C. where I had an operation on my jaw. Everything fine now, but would like a steak if I could eat it or buy it. Tomorrow I go off the liquid diet. The day I came out of the hospital I was sworn into the Navy, Ensign, D-V(S) and report at the Navy Indoctration Station at Dartmouth on March 8. After six weeks there on to Princeton for a few weeks and then?"

"James 'Bud' Purcell, who finished his sophomore year with our class, is at Nashville, Tenn., with the Army Air Corps. He was engaged over the holidays. Bill O'Brien, Bronxville, left last week in the ERC. Will let you know where he ends up.

"One of the naval doctors who examined me was 'Bucky' O'Connor of football fame. An officer who was going over my papers saw I was from Notre Dame and introduced me to him. He is a grand guy and we had quite a chat as he had not been to N.D. since 1935. Congratulations again and keep up the good work." It took two cards

to hold all that. Thanks a lot for the news, Tom. The letter was from **Gail Fitch** reporting on himself and **Sweeney** but I had seen them in Chicago. Thanks for the effort anyway, Gail.

Then a card from **Al Clark** saying: "Just received February 'Alumnus.' Lots of luck in keeping class of '43 together in print. Leaving Feb. 23 for Army Air Corps Pre-flight school at Miami Beach. **Joe Mara**, **Joe Gibbons** and **Jim Murray** are at Fort Monmouth in Jersey, while **Bill O'Brien** and **Veet Cappello** are at Upton on Long Island.

"Met **Bill Olvany** on the Great Black Way. He's heading for V-7 school at Columbia. Ran into **John Tracy** and **John Roeser** at the N.D.-N.Y.U. rout at the Garden—both Army bound. **Ray Wilmer's** at Camp Perry, O., **Mike Comerford's** in the Navy 'somewhere in Maryland.' **Dick Powers** goes in the Army next week."

Couple of days later a letter arrived from **Jack Wiggins**. It must have taken his training as a football manager to get all the news he gave on one page. Jack checks in as a contributor with—"Since you petitioned for news of the class of '43, I feel almost duty-bound to get a few names in print in an effort to scrap 'Scoop' Scanlon's record column.

"This kid reports to Fort Sheridan on March 1 for the uniform of a Pvt. I'll also get the knock-out shots, etc. It's merely the area reception center. I imagine that the 16 ERC's from Notre Dame have vacated by now. **Jim O'Donnell** informed me that most of them reported on Feb. 15. I imagine that **Frank Ebner** was in the group; I do know **Jack Solon** was grabbed then.

"When I saw **Jim O'Donnell** I was with **Ed Hanrahan** who is now in the employ of U.S. Steel in Gary. I had an offer from them to work in Pittsburgh but was forced to discard the idea when the induction notice was mailed. **Ed** and I met **Jack Tallett** and **Don Miller** at the Randolph St. Station; they were awaiting **Pete Moritz's** arrival from Savanna, Ill., where he holds down an accountant's position. While we were talking together, **Joe Hillebrand** happened along to give us the dope on the Abbott Hall men.

"**Joe Callahan** writes that the Navy IS going to call the D-V(P)'s after all! He is set for Dartmouth on the 8th of March. I imagine that you, **Julie Durbin**, '**Cholly**' **Sturm** and the rest will report to the same place.

"And **Paul Weber** writes that he is working for an auto parts dealer in Albany—claims he is living on borrowed time though.

"On one of my nights out, I saw **Jack Donlevy** in the Panther Room; he had a few hours between trains en route to Iowa pre-flight. He reported that my football buddy, **Art Keating**, was a traveling tax expert for **Haskins & Sells**.

"I've also managed to see **Bob Kuipers** at the Loyola-DePaul game and **Dick Creevy** (now a Marine) at the Loyola-Chicago walk-away. Then there's **Ed Ferguson**, now an ensign. At the time he was awaiting orders to be put on duty in carrier-based aircraft. And I hailed **Frank Kelly**, another ex. '43, on Randolph St. He has graduated from chauffeur for **Father Burke** to a med student at Northwestern. He says that **Jack Bennett** is there with him."

The Marines listed in the last edition are now graduated and at Quantico, with the exception of **Ed McKim**, who spent some time in the hospital and is therefore slightly behind the rest.

Then today another letter; this time from deep down in the south and **Carl Coco**:

"... The February issue ... I received and read from cover to cover with much enjoyment, especially your news of the latest graduating class. ...

"**Bob Corrigan** is now Pvt. Robert Corrigan. He was stationed at New Cumberland, Pa., but was awaiting transfer at any moment when I heard

from him. I am at present waiting to be called to the Army Air Corps."

This column is longer and newssier this edition due to the efforts of men who took time off to write in what they knew. You can all see from this just how good we can make it if we all get busy and keep punching. As you can see, quite a bit of news can be put on a penny postcard. And it won't even cost a penny for those in the service.

And, by the way, your copy of the "Alumnus" is sent to your home address until you are permanently stationed somewhere. So, when you are, send in your new address.

According to last issue's plan, those having birthdays the next two months are: April 1, **Bill O'Connell**; 5, **Bill Murrin**, **John Nicholson**; 6, **Bill Ford**, **Blair McGowan**; 8, **Joe Goeken**, **Bob Palenchar**, **Paul Weber**; 9, **Julian Atwater**, **Jim Price**; 15, **Ed Murray**; 18, **Joe Becker**, **Bob Kasberg**, **Bob** and **Dick Padesky**; 19, **Wayne Zeller**; 25, **John Schindler**; 26, **Joe Hillebrand**; 28, **Jay Gibson**.

May 1, **Pat Donovan**; 2, **Bill Dvorak**, **Joe Norris**; 5, **Al Muench**; 6, **Ray Duggan**; 7, **Bob Baker**, **John Fearon**, **Bob Hallein**; 8, **Herb Becker**, **Bill Scully**; 13, **Harmon Spina**; 14, **Bob Baughman**, **Fred Doulet**, **George Thompson**; 15, **George Hayes**; 17, **Bob Walsh**; 18, **Bill Frye**; 22, **Frank Kasper**, **Ed Palman**, **Jim Pappas**; 24, **Leo Linck**, **Ray Schoonhoven**; 28, **Frank Fenante**; 30, **Dick Tupta**, **Paul Toland**.

The deadline for these men is May 1 and I'd like to hear from all of them.

'Till the next edition then, good luck, and remember

NEVER TAKE THAT NEWS TO BED
SIT DOWN FIRST AND WRITE TO—ED.

When **Fred Christman** wrote a couple of months ago he was still working for **Haskins & Sells**, but had been ordered to report at Fort Hayes, O. No word from him since. **Bob Baker** sent a grand letter from Dundas, Wis., where, as production manager of the Baker Canning Company, he was getting set to prepare lots of peas for lots of people. **Bob** sent the address of his former roomie, **Joe Farwell**, who was then at Miami Beach for Air Corps training but expecting to be moved.

Bill Mengel is a junior engineer in the airplane division of the Curtiss-Wright Corp., Buffalo, N. Y. **Joe McGovern** is a second lieutenant in the Marine Corps Reserve following successful completion of his flight training course in the Naval Training Center, Pensacola, Fla.

Late 1939 News

From **Vince DeCoursey** (even later than usual):

The past two months or so brought a rather unusual amount of news, for which thanks, and let's keep up the good work. First, announcements: **Tom Foye**, Ensign, USNR, and **Miss Kathleen O'Connor** were married in Los Angeles on Jan. 5. On Feb. 16, Class 43-B of the Columbus Army Flying School graduated **Jack Neumann** as a lieutenant in the Air Corps.

Concerning **Tom Foye's** nuptials, a letter from **Bob Heuther** received just a few days too late for the last edition was full of information, **Bob** being one of the wedding party. **Tom** is in charge of a Navy crew on a merchant marine ship and a clam about information, according to **Bob**. Much news in the letter. (Incidentally, we're writing this from the little town of Anaheim, Calif., about 30 miles from Los Angeles, and as yet have been unable to get in touch with **Bob**). At the S.C.-N.D. game there was a disappointing turn-out as compared with former years and only **Frank Meyer**, **Sweeney Tuck**, **George Mecker** and **Bob Ossenbach** made an appearance at the Biltmore. Among other news in **Bob's** letter: **Win**

Schulte was married in the spring of 1942 and **Bob Waldeck** a few months after that. **Win** still in Engineering at Douglas and **Bob** with Turco Products (**Bob H.** is, of course, at Lockheed). Ensign **Joe Dunn** is still stationed at Long Beach. At Lockheed also are **Dan Morgan**, **Bill Stevens**, **Art Fiedler**, **Bob Burd** and **Bob Hiff**. **Bill Barton** was recently married; he is stationed at Lowry Field, Denver, in the Air Force. **Vince Duggan** is working at Santa Monica, married and with one child. **Bob** also added that his old roomie, **Jake Jaxtheimer**, was married in Sharon, Pa., during the last year and is still with Westinghouse in Canton, O.

Shortly after **Bob's** letter, came another from **Jim Tansey**, written from the Army and Navy "Y" in Boston and announcing that he was now a sailor for Uncle Sam. Among others he has seen here and there: **Duke Ellis** and **Chet Godleski**; **Boody Albert** is in Boston doing some type of athletics with the Navy. **Bill Piedmont** is with the Navy at Fort Sampson. **Jim** says that perhaps the best way for anyone to write him (and he sure would like to hear from as many as possible) would be to write to his home at New Haven, since he has no permanent orders.

A letter from **M. S. McGinnis**, captain, A.F.S., Fort Knox, Ky., but more recently a neighbor at Fort Riley, Kans. **Marty** has been in the army for 25 months; (this may be news to **Marty**, too, but we missed him by about four hours on one of our trips to his part of Kansas looking for cream; he had just left on something or other and we didn't get to see him). The Memphis situation was pretty well covered in **Marty's** letter: **Jim Montedonice** was a lieutenant in the QM.; **Dorsey Mathis** is a civilian automotive instructor in the second army; **Larry Sutton** is an air cadet; **Frank Fransioli** is still at Gary. **Marty** is apparently just temporarily going to school in Tactics at Fort Knox—in his class is **Charles B. McFarland**.

After a long delay, a letter from **Pete Sandrock**, Ensign, USNR from somewhere out of the N.Y. postoffice where it is hot and he gets seasick. **Pete** really has been moving since he, a chemistry major, turned up in one of the A.B. philosophy classes and, Lord help us (or him!) if it wasn't **Father Brennan's** Logic. He has been employed by the Army in Portland; then to the Navy at Northwestern, Boston, Miami (all schools) and since February this year has been an "exec," communications, gunnery, supply, medical, censor officer.

Comes word from **Dino Falsioni**, now graduated from Albany Law School, and waiting to hear from the FBI. He had seen **George Maloy** in Clyde, who was waiting for a call into the VOC. **John Lynaugh** is teaching near Clyde at Savannah High School.

Luke Lacroix's mother dropped us a welcome line about the new ensign (**Jacksonville** Air Station, where we wonder if he has run afoul of **O'Mealia**).

All the interest in **Joe Leising's** whereabouts has borne fruit. Not from **Joe**, of course, who is well known as the world's worst correspondent, but from his sister, who thoughtfully provided the information. In June, '41, **Joe** was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Marine Air Force at Pensacola and made an instructor; in June, '42, he was made a captain. From then until he was transferred in December he was head of the Instructor's School at Pensacola. His address at present is Capt. **Joe E. Leising**, Third Marine Air Wing, Squadron 321, Cherry Point, N. C. **Joe** is also married, and, by way of interest, to his sister's husband's sister, which is, of course, perfectly clear if you study it long enough. We do want to thank **Mrs. Guastaferra** and assure her that anytime she has any information about **Joe** or any of his classmates we will be only too happy to send it on to the "Alumnus."

Have You Heard the Story About . . . Father Sorin and Schuyler Colfax?

Have you ever heard the story of how Schuyler Colfax, a South Bend celebrity, tried to wheedle Father Sorin into supporting his own political party? It happened during the Civil War. Father Sorin had always shied away from politics and wanted to mind his own business—that of education. But the Brothers of the University were called up in the draft and Father Sorin was distressed because he had already given most of his priests who were serving as chaplains. He felt that for that sacrifice the Brothers ought to be exempted. One of his priests, Father Carrier, was down at Vicksburg with Grant and Sherman. He wrote to Father Carrier asking him to prepare a statement requesting the exemption of the Brothers and to show it to Grant and Sherman. These two generals agreed with Father Sorin and wrote to Lincoln recommending the exemption. In a few days, the war-President granted the request.

Then Schuyler Colfax, who was running for a seat in Congress, approached Father Sorin and suggested that this might be the very time to show the party in power that Notre Dame appreciated the favors that had been granted him by voting for Schuyler and the rest of the men on his ticket. "Remember," he continued, "you are post-master at Notre Dame, an office you hold only at the good pleasure of the president!"

Well, Father Sorin realized that Colfax had him in a tight spot. Still, he didn't want it known that he was getting mixed up in politics. He told Colfax that he would do what he could. He called together the members of his council and explained the situation. One of the Brothers was authorized to go around quietly to all the voting members at Notre Dame explaining how they must vote.

When the votes were counted, alas, Colfax received no votes! Why? Some say that the Brother misunderstood the instructions. Others say that the members were indignant that Father Sorin should tell them how to vote. Then, too, most of the Brothers were Democrats in those days and they looked upon the Republicans as almost some heretical party!

Whatever the explanation, Colfax was very angry. He told Father Sorin that the post office would be taken away from him, and that the exemption for the Brothers would be withdrawn. Sure enough, in a couple of weeks, the Brothers were notified that they must respond to the draft.

Father Sorin was distraught. But he tried again. This time, he urged Mrs. Sherman to intercede with Lincoln. That good lady did. It just happened that on the day Lincoln received her message of intercession, it was announced by telegraph that General Sherman had captured Savannah. This happy coincidence moved Lincoln to relent. And since Schuyler Colfax had been elected without Notre Dame's help, no harm was done and everyone was happy.

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