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3,000 Naval Trainees on Notre Dame Campus

Standing at attention on the mall in front of the Rockne Memorial on the Notre Dame campus are the 3,000 young men of the naval training station at Notre Dame as they appeared this spring from a plane of the Civil Air Patrol. In the foreground are the midshipmen who were commissioned as ensigns May 31. Directly behind them are members of the N. R. O. T. C. at Notre Dame. In the center section are the Marine trainees and back of them are the Navy students enrolled in the University's V-12 program, now a year old.



Alumni Religious Bulletin

📥 BY REV. JOHN P. LYNCH, C.S.C., '25 🚃

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"SCIENTIFIC" EDUCATION

The educators are all upset over the current delinquency of youth. They have spent billions giving their "scientific"



education, i n cluding emphasis on self - expression and health, to produce the body beautiful. One would think that they at least w o u l d have turned out physically perfect specimens. B u t t h e "scientific"

educators have

Father Lynch

flopped even on that.

Draft records show a very high rate of rejection for physical unfitness and this despite our boasted highest standard of living in the world.

But it is in the field of mental development, or soul development if you wish, that the flop is most evident—with an enormously high percentage of youth being rejected or released as neuropsychiatrics—unable to face difficult situations, particularly discipline, and the necessary regimentation in the first six months of service.

Do you remember at N.D. when we felt the system was too tough and old fashioned, not up to progressive standards of "Sweetwater University," where the fellows were allowed so much more freedom and to do as they pleased? Our education was old fashioned, but not unscientific, because we were being prepared by a real Alma Mater, a nourishing mother, for life, which has lots of difficult situations, including war.

We were being taught "to take it" though at times we did doubt the wisdom of that philosophy.

MICE-NOT MEN

You can't blame the neuropsychiatrics for wilting before difficulties nor the kids for wilting in the face of the temptations and war excitement. They have been taught that they aren't men and are not expected to act like men. They've been taught they are just little animals with responsibilities to no one except to themselves—and that is to get as much fun, ease and pleasure out of life as possible and to avoid any denial, suffering or hardship of any kind. They have been taught they are just animals and it isn't very hard to live down to that standard.

You can't blame the kids—the responsibility belongs to the "scientific" but fuzzy-thinking educators.

♦ INTELLIGENCE?

Here is what the Commissioner of Education for a large state says in a recent book entitled *The Meaning of Intelligence.*

"Feeble in mind are the persons whose intact brains, giving the highest promise up through childhood * * * have been so systematically drugged with the vapors of dogma, superstition, and pseudologic as to fall at the lowest attribute levels.

"Man-made concepts, such as devils, witches, totems, taboos, hellfire, original sin, divine right, predestination, reincarnation, salvation-through-death-in-battle and divine revelation, related to no genetic patterns, but kept alive in an unending chain of emotionally tinged spoken and printed words, have distorted the intellectual processes of millions of persons over the centuries..."

COMMISSIONER OF MIS-EDUCATION

The Commissioner writes on intelligence. He shows his lack of it by classifying dogmas, devils, hell-fire, original (Continued on Page 22)

AN UNKNOWN SOLDIER POET TALKS TO GOD

Look God, I have never spoken to You, But now I want to say How Do You Do; You see God, they told me You didn't exist, And like a fool, I believed all this.

Last night from a shell hole, I saw Your sky, I figured right then, they had told me a lie; Had I taken time to see things You made, I'd have known they weren't calling a spade a spade.

I wonder, God, if You'd shake my hand, Somehow I feel that You will understand; Funny, I had to come to this hellish place, Before I had time to see Your Face.

Well, I guess there isn't much more to say. But I'm sure glad God, I met You today; I guess the "Zero Hour" will soon be here, But I'm not afraid, since I know you're near.

The Signal—well God, I'll have to go, I like You lots, this I want You to know; Look now, this will be a horrible fight, Who knows—I may come to Your house tonight.

Though I wasn't friendly to You before, I wonder God, if You'd wait at Your door; Look, I'm crying—me, shedding tears! I wish I had known You these many years.

Well . . . I have to go now God—goodbye! Strange . . . since I met You—I'm not afraid to die!

The verse above, author unknown, taken from the CHAPLAIN'S DIGEST, was found on the body of an American after a battle in Italy. The poet's pseudo-scientific educators had failed him. He had to find God in a foxhole.

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(Editor's Foreword: If any alumnus thinks that the current liberal arts, and general educational, turmoil has passed Notre Dame's calm and centuried curriculum by, let him mention the subject at his own risk. The Editors, knowing that at least two faculty groups had launched intellectual offensives, approached the leader of one of these groups, Rev. Leo R. Ward, C.S.C., for clarification. Father Ward's answer which follows is indicative of the live interest on the University campus in the trend of modern higher education. The ALUMNUS hopes to keep all alumni informed of the developments here which will without question reflect faculty and administrative study of current academic problems as they are related to Notre Dame's welfare and progress.)

DEAR ARMSTRONG AND DOOLEY:

You think things have certainly gone bad when a crowd of professors set out to read and discuss the classics on education, and you want to know what we are up to. Not very much at all. We only want to find out where the professors and the colleges are and what they might best be doing in these rough days and for the prospective post-war days. We'd like to clear matters up, and to know what is our business and how we could hope to get it done.

For one thing, we'd like to know what may reasonably be meant by a liberal education and what place it has in a democracy. I don't say that any of us intended to ask this question, but it just naturally bounced out at us when we had looked once or twice at Plato's and Aristotle's theory of education for an aristocracy. Here we are, nice people no doubt, and in a social sense and a political sense very democratic, and yet to some extent we carry with us, out of an ancient and mediaeval and an early modern past, an aristocratic theory of college and university education. Our grandfathers of long ago held such a

Invasion of the Professor's Mind

theory and it made very good sense within their aristocratic societies. To some extent we hold on to it, too, of course in an unconscious and not very intelligent way. But we are supposed to be within a democracy. What sense then can the old educational ideals, so far as we still have them, now make?

President Hutchins, like Cardinal Newman before him, has said the schools should develop the intellectual virtues or perfections. This is the language of Aristotle. We should like to know whether Aristotle has nevertheless dealt here with realities that are valid and possibly important for all societies.

Well, that is one of the problems wished this long time on the schools, and sure to be wished on them tomorrow. What is college education, for and within and by a democracy? What special freedom does it allow, or even demand? What deeper and truer and more Christian goals are proper to it? The colleges are for the most part democratic in their recruitment, or at least not consciously anti-democratic, and democratic also in their procedures, and I may claim in passing that Notre Dame has always been the seat of an almost incredible social democracy. I'm not just saying this, a matter that is so evident to college people who visit here for the first time. And, at that, the colleges, and Notre Dame itself, to some degree, carry on an aristocratic tradition. For instance, not a long time ago a student said to me, and a priest had said it independently, that the people, the mere *hoi* polloi, cannot be humanists, by which I could only understand them to mean that the people cannot be richly and profoundly humanized.

A hang-over like that from an undemocratic tradition is something we need to examine. In a Christian democracy, what is a liberal education, and for whom is it, and how can it be? The very idea of "liberal" as attached to education was, in some earlier contexts. essentially an aristocratic idea. But the question is whether it also has in it a meaning that makes sense in every man's life. At least the Greeks meant by "liberal" that which is proper to the aristocrat, the only man then free, the man who wouldn't dare to soil his hands with work. Is it people of that sort that our colleges and universities nurse and want to nurse?

This is one of twenty vital questions that come up every time we go over one of the educational classics. So, Mr. Armstrong and Mr. Dooley, you have asked me what it is that a few of us are doing in our tiny and cell-like and quite informal studies. Nothing aristocratic, I can assure you. Didn't we invite you! All we do is to study the elemental educational classics, and then in group discussion to let questions appear as they will and to go as a body at them. So far we have taken off from the Greeks, and we are sure to return to them, but we mean to go on and study the Romans and the early Christians on education and the ninth century revival under Charlemagne and then the twelfth century renaissance and on into modern and current times. And of course any classic on this subject is a springboard into our present education melée.

What good does it do? We can't say in advance. But it's lots of fun. One man says it's the professors' element and two others have told me nothing has made them so happy for a long time. We started with one cell and now have two operating, and probably must form a third, since we keep each down to fifteen persons. One idea is a very dangerous thing in a fellow's head. But

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if he'd get two ideas and pound them together, or if a crowd would get half a dozen ideas and begin to churn them around, possibly something good for persons and society would result. So when we study matters so diverse as Aristotle's notion of education and St. Bonaventure's order of sciences, and Rousseau's Emile and the Jesuit Ratio, we might have some right to hope. Besides, you two have been long enough in and around schools to know that the teacher who tries to remain merely a teacher and does not read and re-read great sources and see what these have to do with the present moment, soon turns out to be rusty and at certain points loose and rattly. Above all, if he does not work with and against others on the great ideas that have made our world, he is as good as dead.

You tyrants then will please let us scrutinize our own status, and the status and very meaning of all arts and sciences, and the integration of these among themselves and in the life of society. In the thick of things and under the pressure of the new turns in our local and national and international life we have to be honest and ask where we are and what it is we do and what right we have to be.

Sincerely,

(REV.) LEO R. WARD, C.S.C.

Wartime Physical Education

By John A. Scannell, Head, Department of Physical Education

An average of 2,700 men a day in physical education classes over the past year!

That has been Notre Dame's load in this one phase of the wartime program on the campus. And, though such a load obviously strains facilities to the utmost and creates problems in staff, the program has been rated highly by all inspectors visiting the campus.

Good cooperation from the University maintenance department has served to make the most of the facilities. We have been fortunate in the quality of the specialists sent us by the Navy as teachers, as well as in the officer in charge of them. A contract which calls for the navy to "supplement" the University staff to compensate for increase in load has meant that the department has retained direction of the program without the worry of locating additional staff. The present staff is made up of five members remaining of the regular staff in physical education, three members of the coaching staff, 15 navy specialists, and two officers.

This staff is responsible for 2,100 of the men referred to above. The difference in the figures represents midshipmen (half the midshipman school's 1,200 men are in class each day) for whom the University furnishes facilities but not staff. Facilities for the midshipman program comprise the new Navy drill hall, a drill and athletic field of approximately 50 acres east of the stadium, and partial usage of the Rockne Memorial.

The program for the V-12 and civilian students—no distinction is made between them in this program—uses the Rockne Memorial and the old Gym for the indoor season. Various fields on the campus are brought into use for the outdoor work, with old Minims Field, south of the Biology Building, and the parking lot south of the tennis courts carrying most of the load.

A major piece of construction has just been authorized for the latter field. A group of eight asphalt surfaced tennis courts will be laid directly to the south of the clay courts, duplicating them in size and lay-out. These will be used for basketball and volleyball sections during the class day, and they will provide much needed tennis space over the week-end. The parking field to the south of these courts will be graded from Notre Dame avenue to Eddy street, and south for a distance of 300 yards. This will provide ample space for the field games of the class program. It will offer excellent facilities for interhall sport.

In addition, an obstacle course, 800 yards in length and including 16 obstacles, has been set up east of the Biology Building. St. Joseph's lake takes a share of the load by providing an opportunity for functional (combat) swimming.

The activities conducted on these areas are varied and provide plenty of opportunity for the learning of skills, as well as the vigorous work-out needed for the development of the trainee. The indoor program finds classes in swimming, apparatus, tumbling and basketball in the Rockne Memorial. The apparatus room upstairs in the old Gym has been converted to a wrestling room by removing all floor pieces and covering the floor with four mats each 20 feet square. The area under the north stands of the basketball court has become the boxing room. One full sized ring, six heavy bags, six light bags and platforms, plus ample room for rope skipping and shadow boxing, make this a very satisfactory space. Classes in track and mass combatives cover the dirt floor in the old Gym during the day.

The outdoor season finds some of these activities continued, some dropped, and some new ones added. Wrestling remains under cover because of the difficulty in handling mats. Boxing moves out of doors when possible. Track sections transfer to Cartier Field and the obstacle course. Advanced swimmers move to functional swim classes in the lake. while weak swimmers are held in the Rockne Memorial pool. The three standard field games of soccer. speedball and touch football are added. Volley ball, omitted from the indoor program for lack of space, takes its place. Cross country is added to the track and obstacle work.

Class assignment to physical education is made by each dean as a part of the registration. An effort is made to assign 300 men per hour for physical education, this being the number best handled by staff and facilities. This group is broken into seven instructional sections for actual work. A seven period class day, from 8:00 to 4:00, allows for the clearing of areas for interhall, recreational and varsity uses in the late afternoon.

Interest in interhall sport has remained at a high level. The earlier fear that the man who had a required gym class during the day would not be interested in sport in his free time has long since been dissipated. During the past year there has been interhall competition in football, basketball, track, swimming, volley ball, boxing, wrestling, handball, badminton, tennis, golf and softball. In softball play just completed, 38 teams were entered. Varsity athletics have continued without the dropping of any sport or the cutting of any schedule.

A vigorous program, reaching everybody, using all available facilities and staff, retaining many of the best features of peacetime and adding many new ones—that's physical education at Notre Dame in wartime.

TRANSLATE SPANISH BOOK

Hubert J. Tunney, St. Louis University, formerly a teacher at Notre Dame, and Philip Riley, professor of Spanish at Notre Dame, a member of the faculty since 1924, have completed a translation of an outstanding Spanish novel, *El Escandalo*, by Pedro Antonio de Alarcon, which Alfred A. Knopf is publishing.

UNIVERSITY AFFAIRS

ALUMNI TECHNIQUES

On May 10, 11, 12 and 13, James E. Armstrong and William R. Dooley of the Alumni Office attended the annual national convention of the American Alumni Council in Chicago, held at the Medinah Club. This is the convention which brings together the alumni secretaries, magazine editors, fund raisers, placement directors, and other Jekyll-Hyde variations of alumni associations and their executive officers throughout the country, men's, women's, state, private, large, small. It is also a comfortable place in which the "union" gathers to lick its wounds received from alumni who fail to recognize the genius of the sundry programs and scale the response down from that Utopian 100 per cent. It is, without question, the most efficient presentation of alumni work, with an occasional possibility of question, for modesty's sake at least, in such things as the paper by Notre Dame's alumni secretary this year on "College Enrollment Problems."

ST. MARY'S BACCALAUREATE

In her Centenary year, Saint Mary's College, Notre Dame, invited Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., president of the University, to give the baccalaureate sermon in the Chapel of the Holy Ghost there on Friday morning, June 2. Addressing the senior class, Father O'Donnell condemned a present day tendency to overemphasize the "career woman."

NEW V-12 EXECUTIVE

Cmdr. Walter S. Gabel, USNR, whose naval service dates back to World War I when he was an ensign aboard a navy transport, arrived at Notre Dame to take over the duties of executive officer of the navy and marine corps V-12 units.

Lately commanding officer of the V-12 units and Diesel school at State College, Pa., Commander Gabel will be assisted in his new position by Capt. John W. Finney, USMCR, who came here a year ago as officer in charge of the marine V-12 detachment but recently has been acting executive officer of the entire V-12 program. Capt. Finney will continue as marine officer in charge and also will serve as aide to Commander Gabel.

The commander, remaining in the naval reserve after World War I, was a banker in New Kensington, Pa., before he reentered active service March 15, 1941, as a lieutenant commander aboard the battleship *New York*, on which he served until November, 1941. The ship was part of the contingent which escorted the first United States troops to Iceland.

Following his service aboard the New York, Commander Gabel was executive officer of the U.S.S. Pegasus, a supply ship, until January, 1943, when he was named commanding officer of the ship. He continued in that position until he went to State College last November.

WEEKEND MANEUVERS

Something new (although if you ask an oldtimer the erstwhile Ball Weekend had everything but the uniforms) was added with the introduction of Maneuvers Week for the V-12. Friday night, May 26, the Navy Drill Hall housed a giant Ball. A full review of the Notre Dame units on Saturday, May

MEMORIAL DAY FIELD MASS



With the vivid background of the Navy training program of World War II and the beautiful Memorial Door of World War L Notre Dame observed Memorial Day with a field Mass at the Door on Sunday, May 28.

The Band. Moreau Choir, the N.R.O.T.C. color guard and firing squad, a platoon of 52 flags, Navy and Marine detachments and civilian students and visitors gathered for the Mass, celebrated by the Rev. John J. Cavanaugh. C.S.C. The address of the day was given by Capt. J. Richard Barry, U.S.N. The Rev. J. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., president of Notre Dame, introduced Captain Barry, and read the already impressive roll of honor of Notre Dame dead in World War IL numbering then just 100.

27 gave the feminine visitors thrills and navy uniform technique (the midshipmen were reviewed also). At 4:30 on Saturday afternoon, the V-12, on leave, entertained their guests at a picnic in South Bend's Potawatomi Park. A supper was followed by an outdoor stage show of V-12 talent, "Nights and Daze." On Sunday morning various churches and the University held Memorial Day services. And on Sunday afternoon, the week-end closed with a V-12 tea dance at the Indiana Club in South Bend. Principal departure from older traditions was in the smooth manner in which the events were run off by a committee accustomed to Navy organization.

CHINESE BISHOP VISITS

Most Rev. Paul Yu-Pin, distinguished Chinese bishop, spoke at Notre Dame in late April when he was guest of Rev. John A. O'Brien and the University. Bishop Yu-Pin spoke of economic relations between the United States and China. He also spoke to students and faculty at St. Mary's.

LYNCH WINS SECOND TIME

John F. Lynch, Green Bay, Wis., son of Robert E. Lynch, '03, member of the Marine detachment of the V-12 unit at Notre Dame, captured first prize of \$100 in the University's annual Cavanaugh-Goodrich oratorical contest, and chalked up his second win in Notre Dame speech tourneys. He also took top honors in the Breen Medal contest held on the campus last February. "Rehabilitation of the Negro" was the subject of the entry in the contest provided for by former Governor James P. Goodrich, LL.D., '17, in memory of the late Rev. John W. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., '90, former president of Notre Dame.

John attended St. Thomas College, St. Paul, before coming to Notre Dame as a member of the first group of Marine trainees.

His father, Robert E. Lynch, who attended Notre Dame for four years, was an entrant in the Breen Medal contest while a student, reaching the finals of the competition. A member of Notre Dame's baseball team, he captained the nine of his senior year, and later played professional ball with the Philadelphia Phillies.

Private John's interest in athletics runs to boxing. In 1940 he was runnerup in the middleweight division of the regional Golden Gloves bouts sponsored by the Green Bay *Press-Gazette*, and later took the middleweight title at CCC Camp Blackwell, Wis. The summer following he taught boxing at Camp Lincoln for boys on Lake Hubert, Minn.

WINS YALE AWARD

Rev. Paul Beichner, C.S.C., A.B. '35, A.M. '41, has been announced as a research fellow by President Charles Seymour of Yale, to edit the Aurora of Petrus Riga, a canon of Reims. The fellowship is designed, it was announced with several others, "to keep alive during the war years research and scholarship in the liberal arts." Worth \$750, it is also a high honor for Father Beichner who has been at Yale for two years studying for his doctorate.

FATHER CUNNINGHAM

Rev. William F. Cunningham, C.S.C., faculty director of the University, is enjoying in May and June a five-week trip to the Southwest, and Mexico.

Points of special interest in Father Cunningham's trip are San Antonio, Dallas, Austin, and Mexico City. While in Mexico, he is making a study of local educational systems and will act as advisor to several Latin-American groups.

Movies of Notre Dame, accompanied by a sound track in Spanish, will be shown at the meetings which Father Cunningham planned to hold.

Father Cunningham has long been interested in Latin-American affairs, and is recognized as one of the Catholic authorities in this field. His previous trips touching all but one of the South American countries have made him understand the language, customs, social life, and culture south of the Rio Grande.

K. OF C. ELECTION

Notre Dame Council of the Knights of Columbus on May 29 elected new officers, and set up a tentative program for the coming summer months. At the same time, a drive for new members got under way, with several men from the campus taking the first degree in the South Bend Council rooms. Delegates to the state convention were Ernest Howard and Bernard Teah.

Elections resulted in the selection of the following men: Grand Knight, Timothy Cotter, South Bend; Deputy Grand Knight, Benjamin Mammina, South Bend: Chancellor, Richard Sadowski, Grosse Pointe, Mich.; Recorder, Peter Runcano, South Bend; Treasurer, Brother Meinrad, C.S.C., Notre Dame; Warden, John Kramer, Pottsville, Pa.; Advocate, Bernard Teah, South Bend; Inside Guard, William Clemency, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Outside Guard, Louis Lauth. Burlington, Ia.; Trustees, Richard Murphy, Oak Park, Ill, John DeMoss, South Bend, and Rev. Charles Carey, Notre Dame.

STRAKE IS NEW TRUSTEE

George W. Strake, Houston, Texas, a leading independent oil operator and producer, is a new member of Notre Dame's Associate Board of Lay Trustees. His appointment was announced on May 19 by Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., president of the University, at the board's semi-annual meeting at Notre Dame.

Mr. Strake, a native of St. Louis, attended St. Louis University. In 1931, he discovered the Conroe, Texas, oil field, third largest in the United States, and subsequently discovered other fields in Texas and Louisiana.



GEORGE W. STRAKE

A devout Catholic, Mr. Strake received in 1940 from Rome the papal decoration of Knight of the Sovereign Military Order of Malta, the highest papal decoration that can be conferred upon a Catholic layman. In 1937 he had received the papal decoration of Grand Cross, Equestrian Order of the Knights of the Holy Sepulchre.

Mr. Strake is a member of the National Board of Trustees, National Conference of Christians and Jews and of the executive board, Sam Houston Area, Boy Scouts of America. He is a director of the Independent Petroleum Association of America, the Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association, the American Petroleum Institute and the National Bank of Commerce of Houston.

As a Christmas present Mr. Strake gave to the Houston Boy Scouts last year a 2,400-acre lake and woodland camp site. His benefactions to Catholic institutions have been numerous and substantial.

Mr. Strake and his wife have two daughters and a son.

Campus Is Beautified by New Statues

The inauguration of a campus beautification project at the University was officially started in May when statues of St. Joan of Arc and St. Michael the Archangel were placed in niches flanking the portico on the east wing of Sacred Heart church.

Placing of the statues brought about the completion of the Notre Dame World War I memorial which was erected 20 years ago in May in memory of "Our Gallant Dead." When the portico was erected, niches were left for statues of Joan of Arc and St. Michael. The statues executed by Rev. John Bednar, C.S.C., '33, of the University's Art Department, are about two feet high.

Plans also are being made to place statues in niches of the University's newer residence halls and other buildings. The work is under the supervision of the University's art committee composed of Rev. James W. Connerton, C.S.C., '20, Rev. Eugene Burke, C.S.C., '06, and Rev. Arthur J. Hope, C.S.C., '20. The program was instituted after the University's art department closed for the duration.

The beautification project will be completed with the execution of a World War II memorial. This will be executed by Eugene Kormendi, native of Budapest, Hungary, who has been at Notre Dame for the last two years as an artist in residence. At present Mr. Kormendi, who is directing the program, is at work on a statue of Christ the King, which will be about six feet tall and will be placed in the Law Building.

Included in the beautification project is a three-sided drinking fountain, executed by William J. Schickel, '44, of Ithaca, N. Y. Tentative plans call for the fountain to be placed in the square in front of the post office. The three sides of the statue depict Christ washing the feet of his disciples, Christ at the well, and Christ preaching from the boat.

The entire program is not expected to be complete for two years. Mr. Kormendi has done a statue of St. Joseph, to be placed in the niche at Lyons hall. War Memorial Door of Sacred Heart Church Is Completed by Addition of Statues of St. Joan of Arc and St. Michael.

St. Joseph was the patron saint of Prof. Joseph Lyons for whom the hall was named. A statue of St. Timothy, patron saint of Timothy E. Howard, for whom Howard hall was named, is slated for that residence building.

Father Bednar is now working on a statue of St. Bonaventure to be placed in Alumni Hall.

Notre Dame's memorial for the Spanish-American war, a monument of Wisconsin granite with a nine-inch shell from the U.S.S. *Maine*, was dedicated May 29, 1915, by Josephus Daniels, then secretary of the navy. It was erected in memory of John Henry Shillington ex-Notre Dame athlete who went down with the *Maine*. The second memorial was erected following World War I, and Mr. Kormendi is formulating plans for the third.

Sacred Heart church, to which Notre

Dame's World War I memorial was added, was laid in 1871. The building is of Gothic architecture. The windows in the church were designed by the Car-melite nuns of Le Mans, France, birthplace of the Congregation of Holy Cross. The Stations of the Cross are the work of Luigi Gregori, who stayed at the University from 1874 to 1891.

Mr. Kormendi's first project, executed at the age of 18, was a war memorial for a park in Budapest. He arrived in this country almost five years ago. He and Mrs. Kormendi were on a boat headed for the United States when war broke out in Europe. They could not return home and remained here. Since then, they have taken steps to become citizens.

Father Bednar studied art at Notre Dame and received his master's degree in sculpture from the Chicago Art Institute.



Eugene Kormendi, left, artist in residence at Notre Dame, and Rev. John Bednar, C.S.C., head of the art department, work on new statues for campus.

OSCAR JOHN DORWIN, '17, was in March, 1944, elected general counsel of The Texas Company, with headquarters in New York City, after serving since Jan. 5, 1942, as associate general counsel.

Attending Harvard Law School both before and after his naval service in World War I, Oscar received his law degree there in 1920. He practiced law privately in Chicago until Jan. 1, 1926, when he became counsel for the Indian Refining Company, Lawrenceville, Ill. Later he was appointed general counsel, and continued as chief attorney for that company, until 1931, when control of the company passed to the Texas Company.

In 1933 Oscar was transferred to Chicago and given charge of the new legal office of The Texas Company being organized there. He remained in Chicago until 1934, when he was transferred to the New York office of the legal department.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorwin (the former Mrs. Olive McKay Hedge of Chicago) were married in St. Paul in 1927.



OSCAR JOHN DORWIN

CHARLES M. REAGAN, ex. '17, New York City, was on April 6 elected a vice-president of Paramount Pictures, Inc. At the same time the directors of Paramount approved a five-year contract for him as general sales manager for the distribution of Paramount pictures in the United States and Canada.

Charlie's latest recognition tops a steady rise of almost a quarter of a century in the Paramount organization. Born in Lawrenceburg, Ind., he joined the company in 1920 in Cincinnati as a salesman. He was promoted to the branch managership of Indianapolis in



1922, and in 1925 he was advanced to district manager, supervising Cincinnati, Indianapolis and Louisville. In 1932 he became district manager in charge of Chicago, Detroit, Milwaukee and Indianapolis, and in 1934 he was summoned to the Paramount home office in New York City as western division sales manager. He became assistant general sales manager in 1941.



CHARLES M. REAGAN

A WEST POINT MAN and a Notre Dame man got together along about 1936 to work out what has now become the world's largest builder of shortwave radio communication equipment, The Hallicrafters Co. of Chicago.

The West Point man was Bill Halligan, whose son, Bob, was a Notre Dame student until the U. S. Navy requested his services not long ago. The Notre Dame man was Ray Durst, '26, who along with Jack Benny, has brought greater fame to Waukegan, Ill., his birthplace. Bill and Ray are co-partners in the Hallicrafter organization.

Ray started in radio as soon as he finished at Notre Dame. He was first with the Fansteel Company, makers of Bakelite radio receivers, then with the Ahlbell Battery Case Co., later with Echophone.

Says the Hallicrafter Tuner, employe publication: "Ray has hobbies like all of us and one of them is Raymond, Jr., who has the special advantage of calling Grace Durst his mother. Ray enjoys his



RAY DURST

family life, golf, penny ante, cribbage, tic-tac-toe, martinis and gin rummy."

Also in the Hallicrafter organization are William "Red" Maher, '24, nationally known halfback of the early '20's, who is an expediter de luxe, and Matt Heinz, at Notre Dame in 1917-18, who is head of the cost department.

LIBRARY GIFTS

Sir Shane Leslie, LL.D., '35, formerly a lecturer in Irish literature at Notre Dame, has presented to the University a treasure of his family, the manuscript of the martyrology of St. Aengus the Culdee, an Irish abbot. The manuscript, which dates back to the eighth century, was transcribed by Eugene O'Curry, a century ago.

Only six known copies of the new Notre Dame acquisition exist. Two are in the Bodelian library of Oxford University, one is in Rome, one in Brussels and one in Dublin.

Sir Shane has inscribed the volume to the University in "appreciation of the doctorate conferred upon him by the president of the same University." The book was inscribed in Dublin on Ash Wednesday of 1944 and was brought to Notre Dame through the diplomatic channels of the British government, crossing the Atlantic in a bomber.

The University has also received, from John T. Howell, assistant curator of the Herbarium, California Academy of Sciences, Golden Gate Park, San Francisco, a copy of the extremely rare Part IV of *Flora Franciscana* by the late great botanist and Notre Dame benefactor, Edward Lee Greene. Dr. Greene, as alumni will readily recall, donated his herbarium to Notre Dame and is buried in the Community Cemetery on the campus.

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Convocation Address, June, 1944

By Rev. Thomas J. Brennan, C.S.C., '23, Professor of Philosophy

(Ed's. note: 140 persons received degrees at the term convocation in Washton Hall on June 23 at 8:00 p.m. Joseph H. Murnane, Chicago, was the valedictorian, Father Hugh O'Donnell presented the degrees and Father Brennan gave the address.)

I am well aware of that famous graduation day game called "How Many More Pages." And so I promise forthwith not to be long.

A few weeks ago I was privileged to talk with an American boy, a Notre Dame graduate of the '41 class and lately returned wounded from the European theater of war after a good number of bombing missions over the continent. He, my friends, had felt flak in his face and I was eager to hear what he had to say. From that boy, only three years removed from cap and gown ways and now a veteran soldier, I got a great deal of what I have to say to you this evening. He told me how much he appreciated Notre Dame in separation. He assured me that when he returned for graduate work as he planned he would spend more time with the Little Lady at the Grotto and with the God-Man in the chapel, that he would in a word try ever so hard to get from Notre Dame many, if not all, of the numberless good things she had to give.

In the course of our chat I asked him this question: "What do you think is the need of education today?" And his answer came back frankly and quickly and with confident conviction. "We need," he said, "an honest evaluation of things."

I took that to mean that what education needs today, and will ever need if it is to be the virile and beneficial and lasting thing it ought to be, is a full measure of honest realism. And by honest realism I mean a frank recognition of things as they are—God and the Universe and man.

What about God in education? The Infinite Being who, as the Bard of Florence tells us, "moves the sun in heaven and all the stars" and Who so aptly describes Himself in the four monosyllables "I am Who am," should certainly be the touchstone of education. But in how many, many university and college and high school bulletins is He never, never mentioned?

And what about the Son of God, the Second Person of the Blessed Trinity, whose coming upon earth is certainly the central fact of all history? In how many halls of learning so called is Truth Himself not even recognized? And what about the Holy Ghost, the Spirit of Wisdom and the Giver of Grace, Who presided at the first commencement on the original day of Pentecost, ten days after Christ delivered the first Baccalaureate Sermon? Is He, as He should be, universally recognized? The too evident answer is "No."

Without God in education we may have keenness but not thoroughness, quickness but not accuracy, consistency but not truth. And these add up to so many contradictions. Keenly unthorough, swiftly inaccurate, consistently false. What concepts! What ideals! In education God is not well known nor do many know Him well.

And what about the universe in education, the earth and the things thereof? Should not educators in their educating teach on the truthful assumption that material things be acquired and used as means and not as ends. If that were done there would certainly be more just acquisition and more rational use.

And what about man in education? The simple fact is this. Too many educators do not have a whole and wholesome and truthful concept of man. Too many of them do not recognize the dignity of man as measured by the immutable truths of rational psychology. The concept of man as a person is too close to being lost. The notions of spirituality and immortality, correctly predicated of man's soul, are too seldom known and too often denied with painful disregard of evidence.

And what about the human intellect? That wondrous faculty that produced the great cathedrals of stone, Paris and Cologne and Rheims and the rest, the massive basilica of St. Peter's and its all embracing colonnades, that produced that immortal cathedral of principle, the *Summa Theologica*, that matchless cathedral of song, the *Divine Comedy*, what is education doing for it? Are educators mindful of their duty to train the intellect of youth to think correctly? Too many of them are unmindful.

And what of the human will? All of us know too well how — inconsistent though it is—men use their free wills to deny their freedom and consequent duty. Take the freedom from a man's education and you take virtue out of the world. Substitute convention for virtue and you substitute sand for rock.

This incomplete, truncated notion of man has done ill in education. It has brought us the sophisticate. It has decreased the number of the learned. It has made too common the false notion that some men are common whereas every man is an aristocrat because he is a person. It has done so much harm that I could not begin to tell you a small part of it.

Whoever it was who said that we have need of going back to the three R's-Reason, Responsibility, and Resourcefulness-gave a lot of us loads of advice. Reason by which we think correctly, responsibility that comes from a recognition of person understood in the fullness of its meaning, resourcefulness that comes from good habits of intellect and will. Certainly we have need of these three R's. We need a rededication of the human intellect to truth, a rededication of the human will to moral good. And we should not forget that the Intellect and the Will should be educated for as long as they are to be. They are to be forever, so they should be educated forever.

Too many educational institutions even one is too many—have curricula that do not meet the requirements of honest realism. And so we have too many curricula that are incomplete, inarticulate, and hence almost meaningless.

To educate a man is very like the building of a cathedral, whether of stone or principle or song. And what would Notre Dame of Paris be without the spire and the cross, what would Saint Peter's of Rome be without the majestic dome and the massive facade and the all embracing colonnades? The first would not be like a prayer nor the second like a rock. What would the Summa Theologica be without the treatises on God, what would the Divine Comedy be without the Paradiso? The first would be ill called the classical digest of reasons for the faith that is in us and the second would be ill called a synthesis of medieval culture. It was not, my friends, without reason that King Louis built La Sainte Chapelle next to the Palace of Justice.

And now a short word to the graduates. From your very first days at Notre Dame you were, whether you knew it or not, in a very real sense members of her faculty. This evening you have become in a different sense members of Notre Dame's faculty - at - large, commissioned to teach by word and example as is every other alumnus and alumna what you (Continued on Page 12)

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CHICAGO TRUSTEES GIVE DINNER



Seated at the head table, left to right: Rear Admiral Arthur S. Carpender, USN, Byron V. Kanaley, Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., Rear Admiral E. G. Morsell, USN, and Hon. Edward J. Kelly, Mayor of Chicago. Standing, left to right: John C. Tully, William J. Corbett, Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., and Edward J. Doyle.

On June 7, the members of the Board of Trustees of Notre Dame who reside in Chicago, namely Byron V. Kanaley, '04, chairman, Edward J. Doyle, William J. Corbett, and John C. Tully, '11, held a dinner in honor of Rear. Admiral Arthur S. Carpender, commandant of the Ninth Naval District, and Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., president of the University. The dinner was in the Chicago Club.

Before the short and informal talks by Father O'Donnell and by Admiral Carpender, Mr. Kanaley, toastmaster, had the following to say:

"Ties founded in tradition and history have bound Navy and the University of Notre Dame for nearly a century. Annapolis and Notre Dame were founded at about the same time-Notre Dame in 1842, and Annapolis in 1845, so their years have been parallel. Especially have the relations and contacts between Navy and Notre Dame been very close and treasured since the days of World War I and Admiral Benson, commander of Naval Operations in that war. Admiral Benson and Mrs. Benson kept in close touch for many years of their lives with the University and evidenced in many ways their interest.

"This tradition of mutual affection and respect between Navy and Notre Dame has been carried on and intensified by their close cooperation in this war. This cooperation has been made manifest in many directions, and so in this modest way tonight, by this informal dinner, the trustees of the University have asked in a few friends of Notre Dame, so that we may express, in a necessarily inadequate way, our deep regard for Navy, represented tonight by Rear Admiral Arthur S. Carpender."

Admiral Carpender in responding, said, "The relationship between the Navy and your great University has always been on the highest level. It is this kind of mutual understanding between civilian organizations and the Armed Forces which makes possible the superb record of our country in mobilizing her manpower to meet the threat of the barbarian nations.

"Notre Dame, through the high offices and leadership of Father O'Donnell and the Board of Trustees, has served and will always serve her country in a magnificent manner. The Navy is humbly grateful to her and to her fighting. men."

Among the navy officers attending the dinner were: Rear Admiral E. G. Morsell, district supply officer of the Ninth Naval District, Great Lakes; Capt. J. Richard Barry, commanding officer of all naval units at Notre Dame; Capt. Joseph T. Casey, chaplain at the U. S. Naval Training Station, Great Lakes.

Capt. Robert R. M. Emmett, commanding U. S. Naval Station, Great Lakes; Capt. Ola F. Heslar, director of training, Ninth Naval District; Capt. Emanuel A. Lofquist, chief of staff to commandant, Ninth Naval District; Capt. Alfred J. Toulon, commanding officer, U. S. Naval Hospital, Great

Notre Dame Books

Four faculty members of the University shared honors in the publication of *Out of the Midwest*, an anthology of short stories edited by John T. Frederick who, for many years, was professor of English on the campus, and is now on leave of absence.

Besides the author and compiler of the volume, the three other faculty men honored in the publication are: Rev. Leo L. Ward, C.S.C., Prof. Richard Sullivan, and Rev. Leo R. Ward, C.S.C.

Mr. Sullivan, whose story "The Women" appears in the anthology, is the author of the novels Summer After Summer, and Dark Continent, and has written short stories for the Atlantic Monthly, Columbia, Scribners', The New Republic, Mademoiselle, Accent, and the New Yorker. "The Women" was also chosen to appear in the 1943 edition of O'Brien's Best Short Stories.

"New Neighbors Looking for Land" is the selection of the Rev. Leo R. Ward, C.S.C., in Out of the Midwest. Father Ward's contribution is taken from his book, Holding Up the Hills. Professor of philosophy at Notre Dame, he is president of the American Catholic Philosophical Association, and has written The Philosophy of Values, and Values of Reality. He has also written God In An Irish Kitchen, and Nova Scotia, Land of Cooperators.

Rev. Leo L. Ward, C.S.C., head of the English Department at Notre Dame, is represented in the new anthology by his "Black Purple In the Corn." In addition to short story writing, he collaborated with Mr. Frederick on *Good Writing*, which appeared in 1934, and *Reading* for Writing, which appeared in 1935.

Mr. Frederick, now on leave of absence from Notre Dame, has been a member of the faculty since 1930. For the past six years he has broadcast a weekly program, "Of Men and Books," over a national hook-up. He is the former editor of *The Midland*, a post which he held for 18 years. He has also taught at Northwestern, State Teacher's College, Moorhead, Minn., University of Pittsburgh, and the State University of Iowa.

Lakes; Capt. Edwin A. Wolleson, commanding officer, Navy Pier, Chicago; Capt. B. B. Wygant, commanding officer, U. S. Naval Reserve Midshipmen's School, Abbott Hall, Northwestern University, Chicago; and Lt. Cmdr. Henry E. Russell, aide to commandant, Ninth Naval District.

ATHLETICS

LEAHY JOINS NAVY

With the entrance of Lt. Frank Leahy into the Navy on May 25, Ed McKeever, ex. '34, became acting director of athletics and head football coach. The football coaching staff was rounded out with the appointment of Clem Crowe, '26, and Adam Walsh, '25, two former Notre Dame captains. In addition to his football duties, Crowe will also take over for the duration the basketball coaching job of Lt. Edward Krause, USMCR, '34.

McKeever, for five years first assistant to Leahy, both at Boston College and Notre Dame. thus completes a foothall career which reads like a Hollywood scenario. In 1930. Ed was a freshman at Notre Dame, played regularly on the frosh team of that year and won numerals in track and basketball. He returned briefly the following fall, but due to the serious illness of his father, he returned to his native Texas. His father's health improved later in the fall, so Ed entered Texas Tech, where he played and starred as a regular halfback during the 1932-33-34 seasons. After graduating, he became assistant, to Coach Pete Cawthon (now Brooklyn pro coach) at Texas Tech.

In 1938, McKeever and Leahy met when they both were lecturing at the summer coaching school of the Texas High School Coaches Association at Lubbock. Leahy was impressed with Mc-Keever's personality, presentation and knowledge of the game. When Leahy was offered the Boston College head coaching post, he immediately called Mc-Keever, asking him to become backfield coach. When Leahy came to Notre Dame in 1941, McKeever came with him.

Clem Crowe, captain of the 1925 Notre Dame football team, has been coaching since his graduation. He was head football and basketball coach at St. Vincent's in Latrobe, Pa., from 1928-32. Since 1932 Clem has been at Xavier University in Cincinnati, where he has been successively and inclusively, basketball coach, football coach and director of athletics. Clem has been given a leave of absence from Xavier, to enable him to coach at Notre Dame for the duration.

Adam Walsh, all-American center and captain of the undefeated 1924 team, also will be on "lend-lease" for the LT. FRANK LEAHY, USNR . duration. For the past several years Adam has been head coach at Bowdoin

Adam has been head coach at Bowdoin College in Maine, and he was given a leave of absence by Bowdoin officials. After his graduation, he became head coach at Santa Clara on the Pacific coast. He later coached the line at both Yale and Harvard.

Rounding out the football coaching staff will be three holdovers from the 1943 staff. Hugh Devore, co-captain of the 1933 team, will act as line coach; Jake Kline, head baseball coach, will assist with the backs; and Walter Ziemba, center on the 1942 team, will also coach the line.

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FOOTBALL PROSPECTS

The annual spring practice this year failed to arouse any enthusiastic hopes among the coaching staff for a highly successful 1944 season. With all but four lettermen from last year's great squad gone from the campus, and with the newcomers, in the main, youngsters of 17 and 18 years of age, Ed McKeever and his assistants have a tremendous job cut out for them.

The four monogram winners returning are John Adams and George Sullivan, tackles; Frank Dancewicz, quarterback; and Bob Kelly, halfback. Sullivan and Kelly are members of the Navy V-12 unit: the other two are civilians.

By J. WALTER KENNEDY, '34 Publicity Director

There is a possibility that Herb Coleman, varsity center last year, may be back. He is in the Navy V-5, but has never been called. Due to a slight physical disability, he may be given a medical discharge.

The outstanding newcomer is 17-yearold Joe Gasparella, a quarterback from Vandergrift, Pa. Gasparella weighs 205 pounds, stands 6 feet, 3 inches tall, and wears a size 12 shoe. He promises to be another passing wizard like Bertelli and Lujack, although McKeever claims he'll wait until the end of the season to pass judgment. A natural leader, Gasparella will be entrusted with the play-calling in spite of his age and inexperience.

Other standouts among the spring practice candidates are: Don Lesher, fullback, a Navy V-5 trainee from Chicago; Bill O'Connor, a 6 foot, 3 inch end, from New York; two midget halfbacks, weighing 150 pounds each, Don Doody from Chicago and Nunzio Marino, Windber, Pa.; Walter Kondratovitch, a halfback from Bridgeport, Conn.; and Emil Ladyko, a 200-pound end, also from Bridgeport.

The 1944 football schedule follows:

Sept. 30—Pittsburgh at Pittsburgh Oct. 7—Tulane at Notre Dame Oct. 14—Dartmouth at Boston Oct. 21—Wisconsin at Notre Dame Oct. 28—Illinois at Champaign Nov. 4—Navy at Baltimore Nov. 11—Army at New York Nov. 18—Northwestern at Notre Dame Nov. 25—Georgia Tech at Atlanta Dec. 2—Great Lakes at Notre Dame

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SPRING SPORTS

Notre Dame spring sport teams enjoyed unusual success this season, the tennis team going undefeated, the golf team winning all but one of its seven matches, the track team winning three of four dual meets, and the baseball team winning 11 of the 22 games played.

Walter Langford's tennis outfit, sweeping nine straight matches, came through with Notre Dame's third undefeated season. The 1927 team and 1942 team had similar records. Jerry Evert and Charley Samson, Navy V-12 trainees, and Bill Tully, a civilian from New York, led the team to its fine rec-



ord. Five Big Ten teams fell before the Irish, including Michigan, the Big Ten champ.

Only one full point kept Father George Holderith's golfers from matching the tennis team's undefeated season. Notre Dame dropped its opening match against Purdue, $9\frac{1}{2}-8\frac{1}{2}$, and then took six straight wins. One victim was the Michigan team which later won the Big Ten championship.

Jake Kline's baseball team had a rough season. Navy duties and withdrawals from school all but depleted Jake's squad as the weeks went by, and at one stage of the season he found it difficult to field nine men.

Doc Handy's outdoor track team lost only to the Great Lakes track squad in four dual meets. In addition, Frank Martin, distance runner; Joe Kelly and George Sullivan, shotputters, and Phil Anderson, pole vaulter, were point winners in the Drake Relays, Central Collegiates or NCAA meets.

Summaries follows:

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Notre Dame 8, Northwestern 1 Notre Dame 7, Wisconsin 2 Notre Dame 5, Michigan 4 Notre Dame 5, Chicago 2 Notre Dame 6, DePauw 3 Notre Dame 6, Indiana 0 Notre Dame 8, West, Mich, 1 Notre Dame 6, West, Mich, 1 Notre Dame 7, DePauw 2

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Notre Dame 2, Great Lakes 8			
Notre Dame 15, Purdue 0			
Notre Dame 7, Great Lakes 13			
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Notre Dame 46, Great Lakes 72			

Notre Dame 46, Great Lakes 72 Notre Dame 93, De Pauw 39 Notre Dame 73¹/₂, Seahawks 57¹/₂ Notre Dame 67, West. Mich. 54

IOWA AGAIN

Director of Athletics and Head Coach Ed McKeever (for the duration) has announced the signing of a new series with Iowa to be played at Notre Dame

1944 WESTERN TENNIS CHAMPIONS



These players won the 1944 western tennis championship for Notre Dame. Left to right, back row. Coach Walter Langford, Leonard Buchstaber, Billy Tully, Jim Griffin, Darrell Black and Bart O'Brien. Left to right, bottom row, Charles Samson, Jerry Evert, Sanford Warshawsky, and Joe Wood.

on Oct. 27, 1945, and at Iowa City on Oct. 26, 1946. Iowa has a new, but familiar coach, in E. P. "Slip" Madigan, '20. But the Iowa tradition has not depended entirely on coaches there, with Howard Jones defeating Knute Rockne's great team in 1921, and Dr. Eddie Anderson's ('22) eleven turning the trick twice against otherwise able Layden elevens in 1939 and 1940. It is the only team with a complete series record of defeats in Notre Dame's history. War or peace, the new series will undoubtedly repeat some of the epic qualities of the earlier games.

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WINS FOUR MONOGRAMS

Johnny Lujack, 19-year-old Navy V-12 trainee, from Connellsville, Pa., who entered Notre Dame as a civilian freshman in the spring of 1943, this spring became the first Irish athlete in 29 years to win four monograms, and the first man in Notre Dame history to win four letters in first-year competition.

Only two other men in Notre Dame history have won four monograms — Alfred "Big Dutch" Bergman and Rupe Mills. Both won their awards prior to 1915.

Johnny won his first monogram as a regular quarterback in football, then, with only one week of practice, he gained a first string basketball position. This spring he competed as a high jumper and javelin thrower in track (he was undefeated in the latter event) and was a second baseman and right fielder on the diamond squad. At Notre Dame, against DePauw (in track) and Western Michigan (in baseball), he competed in track between innings of the baseball game, in his baseball uniform. He repeated the performance against Western Michigan at Kalamazoo when the two Notre Dame teams were there on the same afternoon.

CONVOCATION ADDRESS

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have learned here if you have learned what you should have learned.

You graduates of this evening should be thankful—thankful to your parents and any one else who made selfless sacrifices that you might become graduates of a great University. You should be satisfied and justly proud to have done the intellectual work required to become members of the ever expanding teaching family of Notre Dame. You should be resolved to live what you have here been taught.

And so, in the words of an old pedagogue to one of his favorite departing students, I say to all of you from all of us at Notre Dame, "Go for good, and don't forget to return.

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Seuffert, Joseph A	200.00	MacClements, Ens. John E.	25.00	Kelly, Thomas E.	2.00	Conerty, Joseph A
Sheedy, Pfc. Kenneth J	2.00	Madden, Ens. Robert T	25.00	Lynch, John A.	1.00	Llord. Francis W 75.00
Shiely, Lt. Vincent R	5.00	Maher, Lt. Thomas D	1.00	Mason, Richard L.	25.00	N.D. Club of Cleveland
Freacy, Pfc. John E	5.00	McKeon, Pvt. John J	10.00	McLaughlin, Pvt.		(Scholarship Fund) 1,000.00
Uhl, George A	5.00	McKnight, Ens. Henry J	2.00	Thomas E.	10.00	N.D. Club of Detroit
Yaeger, William J	5.00	Menard, Cpl. Everett W	10.00	Platt, Raymond J.	2.00	(Scholarship Fund) 500.00
York, George E	20.00	Melton, Herbert S	10.00	O'Brien, Ens. James F.	10.00	McCarthy, Joseph P 25.00
		Middendorf, Ens.		O'Connor, Pfc. Thomas J	20.00	Reitz, John M
\$	633.50	William B	2.00	O'Reilly, Joseph T.	2.00	
943		Pacheco, Pvt. Leopoldo A	5.00	Pons, Pvt. Joseph P.	5.00	\$ 1,628.50
Baker, Robert O\$	25.00	Padesky, Richard R.	35.00	Raley, Charles F.	2.00	Grand Total
Sehr, Pvt. John L	2.00	Poinsatte, Pvt. James A	5.00	Scheuch, Joseph W.	1.00	Previously reported
Bonyai, Pvt. William J	10.00	Reale, Robert J.	10.00	Snyder, William T.	5.00	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Brady, William J	2.00	Reis, Ens. John F	2.00	Stechschulte, Donald W	1.00	Total
Christman, Frederick G	10.00	Rogers, Ens. Robert M	5.00	Thornton, Pvt. John F.	5.00	Deduct Duplications less
Conley, Ens. Edward T	5.00	Roney, Ens. Edward C	25.00	Urruela, Charles M	1.00	Omissions 1,682.20
Doutel, Cpl. Frederick C	10.00	Russell, John C	2.00			Grand Net Total
Faggan, Joseph E	5.00	Tallett, A/C John H	25.00	\$	189.25	to June 1, 1944\$53,004.60

FATHER ILL'S GOLDEN JUBILEE

The golden jubilee anniversary of the ordination to the priesthood of Rev. Bernard J. Ill, C.S.C., professor of German at Notre Dame, was observed at the University April 20 when Father Ill celebrated Mass in the Sister's chapel behind Sacred Heart church.

Father III is the oldest active member of the University faculty and was head of the Department of Modern Language until he resigned in October, 1939, to be succeeded by Mr. Earl F. Langwell, professor of French.

In 1885 Father III came to Notre Dame from Cincinnati, O., to study for the priesthood after completing his college work at St. Joseph college in that city. He entered the novitiate at Notre Dame and in 1887 began his first teaching duties when as a novice he was asked by Rev. Thomas Walsh, C.S.C., president of the University, to teach German.

The erection of every residence hall on the campus has been witnessed by Father III. Recalling when they erected Sorin Hall, as the first experiment in residence halls at boarding schools, Father III said that they were skeptical about the success of the venture. From the number of residence halls later erected on the campus the experiment must have been a success, Father III agrees. Father III at one time was prefect in Sorin and Walsh Halls. "It was good," he said. "You get to know boys."

Father III is one of the most enthusiastic sports fans at the University and was among the spectators in the spring of 1887 when the University of Michigan football team came to Notre Dame to teach the Irish the game. Father III said that two teams were formed and they let Notre Dame use some Michigan men and had players from both sides on each team.

Father Ill sees most of the home basketball and baseball games, too.

Father Ill was ordained in Sacred Heart church at Notre Dame and celebrated his first Mass at St. Francis church in Cincinnati. He studied at Harvard and Cornell and was president of St. Joseph's college in Cincinnati from 1907 to 1914. He also has served briefly at Portland University, at Portland, Ore.

For 17 years Father III has been chaplain of the Sisters of the Notre Dame community.

FIFTH MIDSHIPMEN CLASS

Fifth class of midshipmen in the Notre Dame school was commissioned on Wednesday, May 31, in the usual impressive ceremonies in the Navy Drill Hall. Ensign's commissions were awarded to 1,087. Capt J. Richard Barry, U.S.N., commander of the Notre Dame naval program, presided. The address to the class was delivered by Capt. James L. Halloway, U.S.N., Washington, D. C., of the bureau of naval personnel.

IMPOSTOR INDICTED

George C. Rahm, Jr., a private in the Army, one of three men accused in a 29count indictment charging them with the theft of \$26,000 from small investors and the attempted stealing of \$91,000 from an import and export company, is the man who impersonated William Shakespeare, '37, for several years while Bill was in South America. The impersonation caused the genuine and well-known Shakespeare (whom the impostor resembles) no little embarrassment, and alumni ought to know the circumstances to dispel any possible holdover criticism. Rahm admitted his guilt and has been held without bail.

BENEFACTOR DIES

Dr. Deno O'Connor, prominent Chicago physician, known to many Notre Dame monogram men for his treatment of George Melinkovich and Dan Hanley and his interest in Notre Dame athletics over a long period of years, died on April 18 in Chicago.

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ALUMNI CLUBS « « •

CHICAGO

Richard L. Phelan, '28, Trust Dept., Chicago Title & Trust Co., 69 W. Washington St., Pres.; Thomas S. McCabe, '22, 1448 Rascher Ave., Sec.

The club held a very successful Universal Night celebration on April 17 at the Knickerbocker Hotel. At the speaker's table were numerous leading industrial figures in the area. Edward J. Doyle. president of Commonwealth Edison Company and a lay trustee of the University, was toastmaster, The principal speaker was Father John J. Cavanaugh, vice-president of the University, who spoke on present trends in education which are being clcs:1/ studied by the University.

Lt. George Meltzer, '41, a Chicago boy, gave an interesting recital of his experiences as navigator on some 23 missions over Germany and occupied Europe. George is still recuperating from serious wounds.

Among other guests were Capt. J. Richard Barry, USN, the commanding officer of the Naval School at Notre Dame, Col. Chester L. Fordney of the U.S. Marines, Neil C. Hurley, Jr., president of the Independent Pneumatic Tool Company, William R. "Red" Maher of Hallicrafters Company, Byron V. Kanaley, John C. Tully and William J. Corbett, trustees.

The very splendid attendance and arrangements are attributable to the prodigious efforts of Chairman Jim Lewis and his committee consisting of President Richard Phelan, Elmer Layden, William Kearney, Joe Shelley, Bob Irmiger and Ed Gould.

Tom McCabe

CENTRAL OHIO

Louis C. Marphy, '33, 2357 Livingston Ave., Columbus, Pres.; Daniel F. Cannon, '30, 8 East Broad St., Columbus, Sec.

Lonis C. "Bud" Murphy, president, Dan Cannon, secretary, and Lt. Col. Bob Riordan, former University registrar, now stationed at Fort Hayes. near Columbus, all sent word of the club's luncheon get-together on April 17. Since an evening meeting was impracticable due to wartime conditions, the club observed U.N.D. Night at noon, in the University Club, Columbus. Col. Riordan was a special guest, along with Capt. Gerald Bischoff. chaplain at the Lockbourne Air Base.

Present from the club were Bud Murphy, Joe Ryan, Dan Cannon, John Fontana, Bill Dore. T. J. Sheehan, P. J. Broderick, Don Hamilton, Dr. J. C. Flanagan, Rev. H. E. Mattingly, Ray Eichenlaub and E. G. Cantwell.

Club members meet for lunch every Monday in the University Club. Out-of-town visitors are particularly invited.

CLEVELAND

Pierce J. O'Connor, '23, 2123 Lamberton Rd., Pres.; James R. Bigley, 2425 Overlook Rd., Sec.

The club held its annual meeting May 15. New officers are: president, Pierce J. O'Connor, '28; vice-president, Hugh E. Ball, '32; secretary, James R. Begley, '40; treasurer. Norman J. Mc-Leod, '29. Thomas E. Roche, '39, is a first lieutenant with the 38th Engineers. Bob Hackman, captain with USMCR, saw Lt. Tom Mullizan and Charley Macaluso recently.

Dick Prezebel is a first lieutenant, Army Air Corp. in India. Capt. Tony Anzlovar, home for Universal Notre Dame Night, said he saw Lt. Dan Brick, '34, in New York City. Dick McMonagal is a lieutenant at Ft. Schuyler, New York City.

Mothers of Notre Dame men honored at Universal Notre Dame Night were Mesdames Galyassy, Leppig, Mazanec, Horak, Dubbs, Prezebel, Payne, McGroder, (Howard) Miller, Reidy, Bringman, and Grisanti and, among the wives, Mesdames Prokop, Viktoryn and Crawford.

Correction please — it's Jim Begley married. Lt. John is enjoying single bliss at the Chicago Athletic Club.

James R. Begley

DAYTON

DENVER

W. Edmund Siea, '13, 2316 Davue Circle, Pres.; Amcs K. Chy, ex. '14, 818 Callahan Bark B'dg., Sec.

Universal Notre Dame Night was celebrated by the club with a strg dinner meeting at the Biltmore Hotel.

W. Edmund Shea was elected president and Amos Clay, secretary. Col. James F. Early of the Air Service Command, graduate of West Foint and guest speaker, addressed us on "West Point. Notre Dame and the War." Major F. C. Frechette, Catholic chaplain at Patterson Field. spoke a few words, anticipating special Mothers Day services at Patterson Field. After the dinner motion pictures of the Notre Dame-Georgia Tech football game of last season were shown.

Among the Notre Dame alumni present were: Andrew Aman, E. Walter Bauman, Peter Beemsterboer, Lt. Col. Salvatore Bontempo, Sylvester Burns, Lt. James Carroll, Amos Clay, Walter C. Dickerson, Leo Fettig, Wells Finnegan, Capt. Harry Francis, Robert W. Kennedy, Fred Laughna, Eugene A. Mayl, Joseph B. Murphy, Frank Pachin, Dr. Carlos J. Sawyer, W. Edmund Shea, William L. Struck, James L. Trant and some civilian and military guests.

Red Shea and Col. Bontempo were co-chairmen of a most successful evening.

William L. Struck

A. L. Douds, '26, 1124 Holly St., Pres.; Eugene S. B'i:h, '34, 1550 Oneida St., Sec.

Denver's mile-high alumni observed 1944's Universal Notre Dame Night with an "open house" get-together for Notre Dame men in service stationed in Denver and the dads of all our Denver Notre Dame men. We met in the new pinepaneled rooms of the Knights of Columbus club. There was a fine turn-out of dads and Army officers and men, all of whom helped to make our observance of U.N.D. Night one of the most successful in the records of the Denver club.

Of our 48 local N.D.ers in service, Lt. Harry Lawrence, was the only one on hand to join in the celebration.

Newly elected officers for the new year are: president, Al Douds; vice-president, Al Frantz; secretary, Gene Blish, treasurer, Jim Hankon; directors: Fred Gushurst, Charlie Hackell and Jack Sheehan.

Among the visiting alumni at the Denver meeting were: George Frazier, New Rochelle, N. Y.; Jack Barry, '41. Wisconsin: Charlie Cash, '23, Iowa; Vince Trainor, '40. New York; Jim Fisher, Indianapolis: John Flynn, '23. Cleveland; Phil Dunleavy, '32. Chicago: Harry Locke, '82. Chicago.

Bart O'Hara and Charlie Hackell were in charge of plans and arrangements for the evening.

From nearby Buckley Field, Chaplain Norman Johnson, C.S.C., '28, tells us that most of the N.D.ers there whom he has met have been transferred and that "only the shepherd remains."

Father Ed Murray, C.S.C., '34. chaplain at Camp Carson's Timberwolf Division, gets his N.D.ers together in the Mountaineer office: Guido Alexander, Ray Flynn, Leland Howard, Bob Pohle, Joe Newfield, Bill Hura, Tom Tadross and Warren Kane. Capt. "Doc" Lieser is acting regimental surgeon.

Gene Blish

DETROIT

Henry J. Clark, '30, 220 East Merrill St., Birmingham, Mich., Pres.; George B. Morris, '39, 610 Blaine Ave., Detroit, Sec.

TO DETROIT SERVICE MEN

If you are in the armed forces, anywhere, the Detroit Club wants to have you on the mailing list for "Notre Dame In Service," a monthly club news-letter to and for service men and their parents or wives. Send full service address to: Notre Dame in Service Committee 632 Fisher Bldg., Detroit 2.

The first meeting under the new officers was held at the Fort Shelby Hotel on Feb. 21. Paul Rist, chairman, assisted by Edmond DeBaene and Charles Kaiser, representing the engineers, arranged an excellent program. Among the 75 members and guests present was Capt. Ray Fitzgerald, now at Romulus Air Base near Detroit, who has been ferrying planes around the world for two years. Major Hugh Corr:ll is now at Romulus too.

The annual retreat was held during the weekend of Feb. 25-27 at Manresa, Jesuit Retreat house north of Detroit. Thirty attended. Art Cronin was the chairman. taking over again for Governor Harry Kelly, who was retreat chairman for so many years.

John W. Babcock, assistant U.S. district attorney, was the principal speaker at the meeting on March 20 in the University Club. Tom Kavanagh was chairman, assisted by Marv Martin. Universal N.D. Night on April 17 turned out the largest crowd of the year. Dr. Harvey Brown and John Brennan were the committee, the place was the Fort Shelby, and the speaker was Father T. M. Kenny, of the Shrine of the Little Flower, who discussed Eire's neutrality.

Our club news letter to our members in service (nearly 100 mailed each month) continues to be a large success, thanks in large measure to the heroic and talented efforts of its editor, Bill Fury. The club's thanks go abundantly to Bill. George Morris Louis F. Niezer, '29, 503 Old First National Bank Bldg., Pres.; Martin Torborg, '32, 1142 Westover Rd., Sec.

Luther M. "Mike" Swygert, '27, judge of the northern Indiana U.S. district court, was the chief speaker as the club met on Universal N.D. Night for dinner in the Fort Wayne Athletic Club. Fifty were present.

Louis F. Niezer was elected president of the club to succeed Henry Hasley; Norbert Schenkel, retiring treasurer, was named vice-president; Martin Torborg was elected secretary; and John Williams, treasurer. Byron Hayes and Maurice De Wald were the retiring vice-president and secretary, respectively. Football movies were shown.

GOGEBIC RANGE

Joseph G. Raineri, Jr., ex. '31, 1307 Second Ave., N., Hurley, Wis., Pres.; Eugene R. Zinn, '39, 105-6 Brogan Bldg., Ironwood, Mich., Sec.

2nd Lt. Robert O'Donnell, ex. '29, was placed on the inactive list by the United States Army about three weeks ago. At present he is in New York City.

Eddie Simonich, '39, is back in the home town awaiting his call to service.

G. W. (Doc) Harrisson, '33, is in England, and recently was promoted to the rank of captain in the Army Medical Corps.

Tom McKevitt, '32, was recently commissioned a lieutenant (jg) in the Navy.

I received a surprise call from Art Gregory, '36, about two months ago. He's a first lieutenant now. His outfit was on winter manuevers, and God's country really impressed him. Art gave me Joe Gregory's address. Joe, ex. '35, left N.D. to join the Jesuit order, and is now in his tenth year of Jesuit life. He expects to be ordnined in June, 1947. His present address is Regis College. Denver.

Gene Zinn

INDIANAPOLIS

Walter J. Stuhldreher, '22, 215 Circle Tower Bldg., Pres.; George A. Smith, ex. '11, 4007 Park Ave., Sec.

"It is high time for an official admission of the fact that 'morale' is no adequate substitute for 'morals.' Dr. Clarence "Pat" Manion, dean of College of Law, asserted on April 17 as he addressed the Notre Dame Club of Indianapolis at its celebration of Universal Notre Dame Night in the Knights of Columbus auditorium. His subject was "The Pagan Pattern for World Demoralization."

"Stripped of its ethics," he said, "civilization becomes a depraved, disorderly and despairing mob. Such a civilization has lost its morals. It has, in short, become demoralized.

"Nevertheless," he continued, "the drive for complete demoralization is the popular passion of the hour. On both sides of all fighting fronts 'morale builders' are energetically talking about such concepts as freedom, democracy, survival and liberation in completely demoralizing terms.

"Such studied secularism makes a mockery of the high purpose which justifies the bloody fight we are waging throughout the world."

The Very Reverend Monsignor Henry F. Dugan, chancellor of the diocese of Indianapolis. spoke on "The Responsibilities of Notre Dame Men Today and Tomorrow." He cited the Legion of Men, a Catholic organization which has been so active in welfare work in Indianapolis. "It is an organization that demands spiritual discipline," he said.

Arthur C. Shea, past president of the club, presided and introduced the speakers to the 500 who attended.

Italy (new club)



The Notre Dame Club of Italy is organized. Left to right, in a picture taken after the first Communion-breakfast, are Sgt. Robert F. Coleman, '42, S/Sgt. John Cackley, '37, T/4 Charles Gehres, '42, Major John V. Hinkel, '29 (wearing the Purple Heart and the Silver Star as the result of action at Cassino), T/Sgt. Frank Shay, '35, the Cardinal's secretary, Capt. Edward J. Butler, '34, Ed Tighe, '23, Lt. Col. John F. Laboon (honorary member of club-member of the Athletic Board at Carnegie Tech and long a friend of Knute Rockne) and Capt. John W. O'Neil, '34.

May 16, 1944

The Notre Dame Club of Italy is now organized and is a going concern. Our first formal get-together was last Sunday, when we fittingly commenced our activities with a Communionbreakfast. It is particularly significant that our club was born on Mothers' Day. We were honored in having a Mass presided over by His Eminence, the Cardinal of Naples.

Present for the Communion-breakfast were those shown in the picture enclosed. Also members of the club, but not present for the first meeting, were 1st Lt. Harry Erd, ex. '42. Major John Mohardt, '21. (who had just left for the states on rotation), T/5 Frank Ernst, '40, Pvt. Robert J. Nesbit, '33. T/4 Chris Quinn, '41. T/3 Joe Beck, '35. Pvt. Bill Gwinn, '44. Lt. (ig) Jack Walsh, '38, and Lt. (ig) Ed Weinfurtner, '42. Our chaplain is Father Joe Barry, C.S.C., '29, who is one of the best known and most admired chaplains in Italy. And. of course, there are a lot of other N.D. men in Italy of whom we haven't so far heard.

Our first regular meeting is schedultd for tomorrow night in a censored city . . . despite the difficulties we are going ahead with our plans. One is to give either a tablet or statue to the Cardinal's new church — which is an exact half size replica of St. Peter's — in honcr of Our Lady from the Notre Dame Club of Italy. We will have monthly Communion-breakfasts and weekly meetings.

Bob Coleman, '42, Secretary

LOS ANGELES

Martin B. Daly, Jr., ex. '26, Formax Oil Company, 516 Chapman, Pres.; Herbert C. Gocke, ex. '32, Sec.

Universal Notre Dame Night found us without any officers. John "Judge" Carberry, the then president, being in the Navy, stationed at San Diego, Mike Shannon, the secretary, still in Arizona, the only officer was Ed Ashe. Because of the fact that Los Angeles is in a labor shortage area and because of ration points and the increased number of service men around this area, hotels or clubs will not accept reservations for a public meeting.

Accordingly, several of the brothers got together, principally the ex-presidents of the club, and held a meeting at my house. There were present Ed Ashe, who presided as president. Francis Wallace, Bill Cook, Carrell O'Meara, Joe Suttner, Harry Denny, Frank Brealin, L4. Jack Chevigny, Louis Berardi, Tom Heara, Charlie Casack, Ed Cunningham, Herb Gecke, Martin Daly, Jim Kel'y, Paul McCaffrey, Ed Mc-Mahon, Verme Rickard, A. A. Scott and yours truly.

After a social hour, courtesy of Louis Berardi, and a Dutch supper. it was decided that the members present should be considered a committee to rejuvenate the Los Angeles Notre Dame Club. Accordingly, an election was held. Martin Daly was elected president: Louis Berardi, vicepresident: Herb Gocke, secretary: and Ed Canningham. treasurer.

Lt. Jack Chevigny, of the U.S. Marines, reported that the Fifth Division of the U.S. Marines has with it Lt. Marty Brill, Capt. Clipper Smith and Lt. Harold Wright.

A. A. Scott was re-elected judge of the Superior Court and now presides in one of the juvenile departments. Senator Downey, who was nominated on the Democratic ticket for U.S. senator, has as his campaign manager Mike Fanning, a former student at Notre Dame. Henry Deckweiler, '12, ran second for district attorney. Bill Cook, of the class of 1916, and Joe Gallagher, of the class of 1906, were managers of the campaign for William Bonelli, defeated for nomination on the Republican ticket for U.S. senator.

Al Howard is now in the U.S. Maritime Service, having forsaken his duties as auditor for the cafes who make cafe society in New York. Dr. Frank Noian who, in civil life was a police surgeon and operator of a private clinic, was recently seen in San Francisco. He had spent a number of months in Alaska. He is a warrant officer in the U.S. Army.

Leo Ward

ST. LOUIS

Reland N. Dames, '33, 3154 Locust, Pres.; Louis C. Fehlig, '33, 7571 Backingham Dr., Sec.

Our Universal N.D. Night at the University Club was a surprisingly successful affair. We had two War Front pictures, and they were really good. Jee Shea entertained the assemblage.

We had many N.D. service men from Scott Field, Lambert Air Field and the Jefferson Barracks.

All the ol' timers still make the affairs. Although the armed services took the better portion of our membership, we feel we have done a good job in the past year by holding our membership pretty well intact.

SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS

Our club hasn't functioned, officially or otherwise, in the past two years due to the fact that all of our elected officers and most of our membership have "gone to war." However, thore of us left here did get together at the Elks Club on Universal Notre Dame Night. We did not attempt a program. The following were present: Harold Stone, Clare Hafel, Richard Necson, Kirby Shafer, Floyd Miller, and myself.

We hope to reorganize the club. If the outlook is bright enough, we will try to get the members together for another "gabfest," which will determine the future of our club for the duration.

Last week the tentative list of speakers scheduled to appear in Springfield in connection with the local Te Deum Forum, for 1944-1945, was released, and Rey. J. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., was included. We sincerely hope that our club will be functioning so that we can take an active part and assist in making this meeting a huge success.

Charlie Corcoran

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Leo F. Mullin, ex. '22, Wardman Park Hotel, Pres.; Joseph L. Borda, ex. '33, 1734 "P" St., N.W., Sec.

The annual Rockne Communion Breakfast was held at Holy Cross College, Brookland, D. C., on March 26. Rev. Robert F. Sweeney, C.S.C., was the celebrant at the Mass. Twenty-one members of the Notre Dame club attended the Mass and received Holy Communion for our beloved "Rock."

Seven members of the club made a retreat at Manresa-on-the-Severn, Jesuit Retreat House, near Annapolis, Md. This was the fourth annual club retreat. Despite the small representation, we were very much pleased, considering the conditions at the present time. Our main object is to keep the retreat idea alive so as to make it one of the leading club functions when conditions return to normal again.

Sam E. Richard

ST. JOSEPH VALLEY

Joseph M. Boland, Station WSBT; South Bind, Ind., Pres.; Richard C. Kaczmarck, '40, 317 Napoleon Blvd., South Bend, Ind., Soc.

At a meeting of the board of directors. held on April 3, the following were elected to terms of one year: honorary president, Max Adler; chaplain, Rev. Matthew Schumacher, C.S.C.; president, Frank Ochlhoffen; vice-president, Eugrene. O'Brien; secretary, Richard C. Kaczmarck; treasurer, Albert McGann. By an amendment to the club by-laws it was provided that the newly elected officers take office on Universal Notre Dame Night.

Universal Notre Dame Night was observed by the club on April 17, in the LaSalle Hotel, with 150 in attendance, including the wives of members and guests. The master of ceremonies. Walter Langford, retiring president, read a message from our University president, Rev. J. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., who was unable to attend. Father Sheedy read interesting letters from Notre Dame men in service, and was then joined by those in attendance in a prayer for Notre Dame men who have died in the service of their country. Father Schumacher related an interesting history of Notre Dame. Bernard J. Voll, chairman of the recently organized national placement committee in the Alumni Association, outlined the initial steps taken by the committee to aid Notre Dame servicemen gain employment at the end of the war. Arthur Ruppe of Hancock. Mich., father of several alumni, who was in attendance at the University in 1879 was presented to the club, as were the newly elected officers and directors of the club.



The directors elected Joe Boland, lately returned to South Bend, to succeed Frank. Joe was elected president of the club in the spring of '43, then resigned soon after because of his move to Chicago.

The club announced on May 20 that Ralph E. Witacki, South Bend, a graduate of Central High School, had been selected by a committee of judges as the 1944 recipient of the club scholarship. Ralph became eligible to receive \$880 from the club over eight terms in the University, as well as additional aid from the school in the form of campus employment. He is the son of Lee Witacki, ex. '19.

The judges selected Ralph after interviewing 10 applicants representing various high schools in St. Joseph County.

Richard C. Kaczmarek

YOUNGSTOWN

Charles E. Cushwa, Jr., '31, 1866 Coronado Ave., Pres.; Clarence T. "Pete" Sheekan, '40, 215 Granada Ave., Soc.

Seventeen members attended the Universal Notre Dame Night celebration at the Steel City club. I was fortunate that it occurred during my furlough and I was able to see the old gang again.

Rev. John J. Reynolds, C.S.C., assistant pastor at Immaculate Conception Church, was guest of honor. Several members knew Father Reynolds as their history prof, or prefect in St. Ed's or Morrissey, so it was quite a reunion.

Don Allen, '38, former Irish cager, now with the FBI. attended his first Youngstown meeting. The legal profession was represented by State Representative John J. Backley, George Prokop, and Al Mastriana, while George Kelley and Dick Riley took time off from their duties at the "Vindicator."

Old standbys on hand were Joe Wallace, Walter Vahey, Paul Kane, Gerry and Ivan Wolf, Steve Repaakey, Charlie Cushwa, John Moran and Eli Leonelli.

At that time Lt. Chuck McCab: had completed eight missions over Europe and Gabe Moran had just arrived at a naval air base in Newfoundland. Pete Sheehan



Present for the recent Communion-breakfast of the Washington, D. C., Club at Holy Cross College were this group. Included are Joe Borda, Bill Karl, Father Robert Sweeney, C.S.C., Chaplain; John Baczenas, Bill Greer, Leo Mulqueen, Tom McKevitt, Leo Mullin, Lt. Bill Kenefick, Capt. Joe McNamara, Sgt. Anthony Kuharich, Lt. Steve Miller, George Howard, Jr., Sam Richard, Dr. James A. Flynn, Lt. Col. B. G. Du Bois, Adam John Wolf, John Braddock, Lt. Dick Donoghue, Lt. Joe McCabe, Rev. Christopher O'Toole, C.S.C., Rector of Holy Cross College.

MRS. F. N. M. BROWN DIES

Mrs. Ruth Lee Brown, wife of Prof. F. N. M. Brown, head of the aeronautical engineering department, died on May 26 in South Bend. Mrs. Brown was seriously ill while her husband was in China last winter on a mission for the state department. She is survived by her husband, her father, and a sister. She was a talented musician, a supervisor of music in the Detroit schools, and a prominent member of the faculty wives club.

FOR GOD, COUNTRY, NOTRE DAME

IN GLORY EVERLASTING

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The Religious Bulletin reports the death of Albert A. Wallace, '32, who died at home in Davenport, Ia., while on a furlough. The ALUMNUS has no other details.

Capt. John F. Finn, '35, San Antonio, Texas, has died in foreign service according to marking on mail returned to the Alumni Office. No other details are available.

1st Lt. Raymond J. Shea, '35, member of the ground force in England, went out with a mission and was lost in the English Channel, according to the report from the chaplain of his field. Notre Dame is proud of Lt. Shea for the things which the chaplain said of his fervent faith and his splendid example. Ray's wife and a coming baby, the chaplain's note adds, survive him and were foremost in the high Christian life he practiced. Ray was a graduate of the Department of Physical Education. He was assistant coach of the Springfield, Mass., High School of Commerce. He entered the infantry and transferred to the air corps. He was graduated from O.C.S. at Miami Beach in 1942. He served at several New England bases, was ordered to the army intelligence school at Harrisburg and served at Mitchell Field until he went to England last November. He was married in June, 1943, in Harrisburg to Ann Bartley.

Lieut. Frank R. Huisking, A.B., '37, Huntington, L. I., member of a distinguished Notre Dame family, was lost in action in Italy in April. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Huisking, and the brother of Charles L., Jr., '34; Sgt. William W., '34, USA; Lt. Edward P., '37, USMC, and Lt. Richard V., '39, USN. Three sisters also survive. Frank was an economics major at Notre Dame. He was a trustee of the Metropolitan Club, and participated in interhall athletics.

Lt. James R. "Bunny" Veeneman, '40, Chicago, was killed on April 10 in a training flight at Santa Ana, Calif. He had been in the Navy and Marine Air Corps 22 months at the time of his death. Surviving him are his wife. Geraldine, a bride of three months, his father Harry A. Veeneman, three brothers in service, Ensign Robert S., Pvt. Harry A. Jr., and S/Sgt. John K. Two sisters also survive. Bunny attended DePaul University before coming to Notre Dame. Writing in connection with his death, his chaplain, Rev. Bede Scully, says: "Lt. Veeneman was a credit to the Church and a splendid example of what the training at Notre Dame will do for a man. May I commend his soul to your prayers. . . ." A letter to the family from his commanding officer also praised his ability as a naval aviator and his personal qualities as a member of his squadron.

Lt. Theodore Henke, '42, Oakmont, Pa., was killed in action in April, but the ALUMNUS has not received details of location, or other circumstances.

2nd Lt. Walter I. Koness, '43, Chicago, was killed in action on Aug. 27, while serving with the Army Air Forces. The ALUMNUS received confirmation of this from his sister, Miss Charlotte Koness, 7819 Colfax Ave., Chicago 49.

2nd Lt. Henry C. Priester, '43, Davenport, Ia., was killed in the Aleutians in February. He was the pilot of a P-38 fighter. He failed to return from a bombing of Paramushiro, Jap naval base. Lt. Priester left Notre Dame in his junior



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year to become an aviation cadet. He was commissioned at Chandler, Ariz., in April, 1943. Four brothers, including Edward now at Notre Dame, two sisters, and his parents survive him.

According to a list of casualties in a national magazine last July, Louis L. Kmet, '44, Maywood, Ill. was killed in the service before that time, the ALUM-NUS has been informed, without further detail or confirmation. Louis had spent but one year at Notre Dame before entering the war in its early stages.

S/Sgt. George S. Hamilton, '44, Elgin, Ill., tail gunner on an English-based Liberator bomber, was killed in action over Germany on May 8, his parents have been informed. George received his silver wings after completing his junior year at Notre Dame and his air training at Las Vegas, Nev. He was graduated from Marmion Military Academy in 1940

MISSING IN ACTION

The ALUMNUS is happy to report that Lt. Edward B. Kunkle, '41, listed as missing in the April issue, surprised his family by walking into the South Bend farm home just nine days after they had been informed that he was missing. Forced down in Yugoslavia in a Liberator bomber on March 17, the crew made its way by a naturally undesignated underground to safety. It was Lt. Kunkle's first mission over enemy territory after his arrival in the European theater in January.

Lt. John W. McLaughlin, '39, Alton, Ill., is reported missing in action over Holland in March, 1944. He was awarded the Air Medal after completing five missions over occupied Europe.

Lt. John E. Walsh, Jr., '39, Chicago, is missing since April 18 after a raid on Berlin, according to word from his father. It was John's fifth mission over the continent. A graduate of Mt. Carmel High school before entering Notre Dame, John was a veteran of three years in the Army, and was navigator on a B-17.

Charles Edward Reynolds, '41, Mount Carmel, Ill., is reported by the *Religious Bulletin* as missing over Italy since April 18.

2nd Lt. William R. Wright, Jr., '42, who spent a year at Notre Dame after two years at Wabash, is missing over France, according to word received by

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his wife and parents, South Bend. He also has an infant daughter. Bill was commissioned in Sept., 1943 in the A. A. F.

Little hope is held for Hercules Bereolos, '41, whose plane crashed in the Southwest Pacific in April. The former monogram football player and track star, was a naval aviator lately assigned to the Pacific theater. He is one of seven boys, two others of whom are also in service.

2nd Lieut. John B. Hynes, '43, West Roxbury, Mass., is missing according to a letter returned to the Alumni Office from his base in England, by the captain of his squadron.

Lieut. John Guldan, '44, Sleepy Eye, Minn., was missing in action over Austria since April, 1944, according to word from the Prefect of Religion's office. A later word reports him a German prisoner.

Lt. James W. White, ex. '43, Danville, Ill., was, like Lt. Ed Kunkle, reported in the April ALUMNUS as missing in action, the victim of a raid over Austria. But shortly after the April issue appeared, Jim White appeared in Danville, having made his way for almost two months through German-occupied territory. He could not, of course, make known many of the details of his escape. He returned through Africa and South-America.

Jim has been awarded the Air Medal and has been recommended for the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Purple Heart. He expected, after a month's rest, to get back into the fight.

ADDITIONAL SERVICE MEN

(Including names received and classified up to June 1, 1944)

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- former Notre Dame students are in the service of their country according to Alumni Office records as of June 1, 1944. (Obviously not included in this figure are the many former students — probably several hundred — who are in service but who haven't notified the Alumni Office accordingly).
- Abowd, Richard G., Jr., ex. '46, Pre-Meteorology, AAFTTD, International House, Room 519, University of Chicago, Chicago 37, Ill.
- Adams, Hugh C., '43, 2nd Lt., Co. A. 135th Bn., Camp Hood, Texas
- Ahern, John J., ex. '44, Pvt., 93rd TSS. Bks. 824. Scott Field, Ill.

Alfs, George W., '41, Ensign

- Alien, Raymond G., ex. '44, A/C, 55 FTD Sqdn. G. Palmer Field. Bennettsville, S. C.
- Andres, John J., '44
- Anthony, David H., ex. '45, Pfc., 627 TSS Bis 1654 Truax Field. Madison 7, Wis.
- Arnold, Leonard L., ex. '46, A/C Class 44C, SAAF, Stuttgart, Ark.
- Ashbaugh, Russell G., Jr., ex. '44, A/C, Gp. A. Sqdn. 2, Class 44 G 65th AAFFTD, Decatur, Ala.
- Atwater, John S., ex. '45, A/O (2148) 55th AAF-FTD Sqdn. G, Palmer Field, Bennettsville, S. C.
- **Pacon, James R.**, '37. Ensign, D-V(S) USNTS, Fort Schuyler, New York City
- Baker, Robert O., '43, Pvt., 379th Ord. MAM Co., Camp Howze, Texas

Bambrick, William S., ex. '30

- Barbu, Walter P., ex. '45, A/C, USNR, 42-L2-101 Stacy Hall, USN Pre-Flight, Chapel Hill, N. O. Barnett, John E., ex. '45, NROTC
- Bastyr, George P., ex. '46, USNTS, Great Lakes, Ill.

- Baty, John R., '44, Ensign
- Beck, Joseph G., '35, T/3, In service in Italy Bereolos, Hercules, '42, Lt. (jg) "Missing in action" after plane crash.
- Biegen, Robert J., '44, Midshipman, USNR, U.S. Prairie State, 135th St. & North River, Section 15, New York City
- Biger, Rev. John T., ex. '33, RCAF, Sta. Trenton, Ontario, Canada (MPO 303).
- Boland, Rev. Frank J., C.S.C., '18, Lt., 114 Bn. Lido Beach, N. Y. (Chaplain).
- Borkowski, John J., '44, Pfc., USMCR, Co. A, Candidates School, OCS Marine Bks., Quantico, Va.
- Brady, William J., '43, RT 2/C, U.S. Navy.
- Breen, Richard J., '31, Pfc., 115th AAF Base Unit, Section G. (Bomb) (M), Box 75, Godman Field, Ky.
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- Brown, James G., '40, APO, New York City.
- Byrnes, Robert J., '44, (Awaiting call-USNR). Burnett, Robert A., '42, U.S. Army, Santa Ana
- Army Air Base, Santa Ana, Calif.
- Carrico, William E., '44, V-12 Navy, Co. F. Bn. 2. Bks. 12, Camp MacDonough, Plattsburg, N. Y.
- Cassidy, T. Donald, '41, Ensign, Bowdoin College, Brunswick, Maine.
- Clark, James R., ex. '43, A/C, USAAF, 910 Ntr. Gp., Flight 711A, AAFTC 1, Miami Beach, Fla.
- Coaker, John F., '44 A/S, U.S. Army 78th College Trng. Det. James Milliken University, Decatur, Ill.
- Coleman, Jerome A., '44, 2nd Lt., USMCR. Quantico, Va.
- Collins, William N., ex. '33, Ensign, Washington, D. C.
- Cunningham, Edward F., '39, LSM 309, Amphibious Trng. Base, Little Creek, Va.
- Dick, Robert A., '29, A/S, Co. 733, USNTS, Great Lakes, Ill.
- Doyle, James P., '42, Ensign, USNR, c/o Fleet P.O., San Francisco.
- Duncan, Vincent J., '44, Ensign, USNR, Commissioned at Columbia U.
- Dunigan, Edward B., '44, U.S. Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Calif.

Dunleavy, John J., ex. '45, Pvt., APO New York City

Ephgrave, Charles W., '40, Pfc.

- Fitzgerald, Joseph A., '29, Was in service. Fitzpatrick, Joseph W., '43, Ensign, USNR
- (South Pacific).
- Flanagan, John H., '30.
- Flyke, Milton J., '44, Ensign, USNR, USNTS, Columbia, New York City
- Gempel, Kenneth E., '43.
- Giragi, Louis J., '38, Ensign, USNR.
- Glaser, Edward J., '42, ASTP, Loyola Med. School, Chicago.
- Geodman, Morton R., '30, Pfc., 7th Detachment. Spec. Troops, XIII Corps, Camp Butner, N. C.
- Gerrell, James S., '40, A/C, U.S. Army Air Forces Bombardier School, Carlsbad Army Air Field, Carlsbad, N. M.
- Griesedieck, Edward J., '42.
- Gwinn, William R., '44, Pvt., APO N.Y.O.
- Hasser, Norman B., '44, A/C Pre-Tech School, Seymour Johnson Field, N. C.
- Haggar, Edmond R., '38, 2nd Lt., Wendover Field, Utah.
- Hamel, P. Jordan, '41, U.S. Army.
- Hannan, William F., '44, Pvt., Co. A. 2312 Serv., UASTU, Johns Hopkins Univ., Baltimore 18, Md.
- Hansberry, William J., '44, Pvt., U.S. Army Co. A. 606 T.D. Bn., Unit 2, Camp Cooke, Calif.
- Hartman, William W., '42, Lt. (jg) USNR, 208 Flamingo Hotel, Miami Beach, Fla.
- Hayes, Warren G., '44, USNR (V-7).
- Hays, George O., '43, Ensign.
- Hearn, William G., '27.
- Heckman, Richard G., '42, Lt.
- Hickey, John P., '44.
- Haisking, Edward P., '37, Lt., USMC.
- Huisking, Richard V., ex. '39, Lt., USNR.
- Husiking, William W., '34, Sgt., U.S. Army.
- Hunt, Eugene F., '42.

Jandoli, Russell J., '40.

- Kelleher, William L., '42, Lt., USMC.
- Kelleher, Stephen L., ex. '45, Pfc.
- Kerver, John K., ex. '45, A/C 35th TEFTG, Freeman Field, Ind.
- Kerwin, William F., Jr., '40. 1st Lt., Oklahoma City Air Service Command, Tinker Army Air Field, Oklahoma City, Okla.
- Kilbane, John H., '42, A/S, Sqdn. 114, Flight D-AAFCC, SAACC, San Antonio, Texas.
- Kirley, Philip H., '35.
- Klack, Prosper F., ex. '46, A/C Gp. 44-2, Sqdn. E. Fit., Ellington Field, Texas.
- Kmet, Louis L., ex. '44. Pvt., U.S. Army. Killed in service, per "Life" magazine, July 5, 1943. issue.
- Kuhn, Robert J., '41. Discharged. September, '43.
- Lamb, Robert R., ex. '39, A/C AAFTC, Pre-Flight School, Maxwell Field, Ala.
- Landmesser, Charles A., '35, Lt., USMCR. c/o F.P.O. San Francisco.
- Lankenan, Robert G., Jr., ex. '46, A/S, Sqdn. E 65th CTD (AC), Syracuse, N. Y.
- Lecour, Paul L., ex. '47, S1/c, Armed Guard Center, 52nd First Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y. Lemicux, Joseph P., ex. '45, Pfc., APO, N.Y.C.
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- Leyd, Carl E., ex. '47, U.S. Navy.
- Lunneen, Thomas E., ex. '45, Pvt., Sqdn. 767, Bks. 330, Buckley Field, Denver.
- Mans, John B., Jr., '42, U.S. Marine Air Corps.
- MacClements, John E., '43, Ensign, USNR.
- Macdonell, Donald J., ex. '46, A/C USN, 21720

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- Macfarlane, Charles R., ex. '42. Pfc., U.S. Army, 193rd Sig. Rep. Co., Camp Forrest, Tenn.
- Mahoney, Joseph W., ex. '46, Lt., U.S. Army Air Force, 84th Fighter Gp., 491st Fighter Sudn., Harding Field, Baton Rouge, La.
- Makielski, Louis J., ex. '43, Pfc., 1551st S.U., Co. G. Medic. Indiana University, Bloomington, Ind.
- Manglesdorf, John F., ex. '46, A/C, Air Corps, Sqdn. 112, Flight B, AAFCC, SAACC, San Antonio, Texas.
- Mannix, Robert D., ex. '46, U.S. Army Air Corps, Lowry Field, Colo.
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- Martersteck, William J., '33, Lt., USNR, c/o F.P.O., San Francisco.
- Marat, Walter M., '46, A/C. Class 44-E. Flight B, GAAF, Greenville, Miss.
- Maschke, Patrick R., '44, A/G. 81st College T.D., 3312 Vine Army Bks., Class 44-C-5, Group 2, Sioux City, Ia.
- Maurer, Frederick G., '44, Pfc., Marquette Medical School, 3109 W. Highland Ave., Milwaukee.
- McCabe, Emmett A., '29, U.S. Army.
- McCabe, John H., '44. A/C, Sqdn. B-1. Class 44F, Helena Aero Tech., Helena, Ark.
- McCalley, Richard E., ex. '45, A/C, 824th AAF-BFS, Flight H, Bks. 13, Class 44E, GAAF, Coffeyville, Kans.
- McCarthy, Charles M., '40.
- McClure, John C., '43.
- McDermott, Clare B., ex. '46.
- McDermott, Joseph E., '39, Lt.
- McDonald, Joseph L., Jr., '39. Pharmacist Mate, 2/O, USNR.
- McDermott, Shaun A., ex. '46, Pvt., ASTU 3920, Co. A. University of Oregon, Eugene, Ore.
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- McEneaney, Edward G., ex. '46, Pvt.
- McGee, Patrick D'Arcy, '39, Lt. (jg) USNR, (formerly with RCAF).
- McGarty, John R., ex. '46, Pvt., U.S. Army, 34th TSS, Bks. 721, Scott Field, Ill.
- McInerney, John T., ex. '46.
- McKenna, James A., ex. '38, U.S. Army Air Corps, AAFBS, CAAF, Childress, Tex.
- McKeon, James D., ex. '46, Aviation Cadet, AAF Pilot School, (Basic) Garden City Army Air Field, Garden City, Kans.
- McLaughlin, James J., ex. '46. Pvt. U.S. Army Air Corps, 16th TSS, Box 794, Chanute Field, Ill.
- McLaughlin, John W., '39, Lt. Missing in action over Holland on March 16, 1944.
- McLaughlin, Thomas J., ex. '46, A/C 44th CTD, Jackson, Tenn.
- McMichael, Guy H., '37, Lt. (jg).
- . McNally, Edward T., '36, Ensign, USNR, Wellesley College, Wellesley, Mass.
- McNamara, Edgar C., '44, 2nd Lt., U.S. Marines Co. D, Quantico, Va.
- McNeill, John J., '33, U.S. Navy.
- Menard, Everett W., '43, Cpl., APO, N.Y.C.
- Miley, Francis D., ex. '46, A/C, Sq. B, Sec. 29, TSAAAF, TTE, Yale Univ., New Haven, Conn.
- Minczewski, Richard C., ex. '41. U.S. Army Med. Student, Co. C, 1551st SUASTU, Indiana University Medical Center, Indianapolis, Ind.
- Mitchell, Paul M., ex. '46, A/C Det., Strother Field, Winfield, Kans.
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- Morley, Harry J., ex. '39, U.S. Army Quarter-

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- Munroe, Joseph R., ex. '46, A/C. Army Air Corps Advanced Trng. 44C-6, CAAF. Columbia, Miss. Murphy, Stewart F. P., ex. '45, A/C. Carlstrom
- Field. Arcadia, Fla.
- Murray, Calvin J., ex. '47, AMM 3/C. USNR, Aviation Machinist Mate.
- Nelson, George J., ex. '45, U.S. Army Air Corps, 44-B, Sqdn. CBAAF, Blytheville, Ark.
- Nicol, Thomas M., ex. '46, Pfc., U.S. Army Air Force, 619 TSS, Bks. 1428, Truax Field, Madison 7, Wis.
- Nolan, James J., '37, Ensign, USNR, c/o F.P.O., San Francisco.
- Nook, Lawrence J., ex. '45, Pvt., Co. B, ASTU · 3875, Arkansas Univ., Fayetteville, Ark.
- Noonan, John W., ex. '45. Sgt., U.S. Army.
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- ice Command in England. O'Connor, Philip F., ex. '46, Cpl., APO. N.Y.C.
- O'Donoghue, John B., ex. '45, A/C, Bks. 146,
- Majors Field, Greenville, Texas.
- O'Mailey, John B., ex. '45, A/C, Class 44-6-9, 839th Gp., Hondo, Texas.
- O'Neil, Edward T., ex. '33, A/S, U.S. Navy, Co. 678, USNTS., Great Lakes, Ill.
- O'Neil, Thomas F., Jr., ex. '47, Pvt. U.S. Army, 4th Platoon, Btry. B. 4th AART Bn., Fort Eustis, Va.
- Padesky, James E., ex. '44, A/C, USAAC, Sqdn. 1, Section 4, Class 44E, Malden Army Air Field Malden, Mo.
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- Pearsall, James D., ex. '44, A/S, U.S. Navy Co. 705, USNTS, Great Lakes, Ill.
- Peasenelli, John J., '43.
- Pesut, Nicholas C., '40, T/5, c/o Postmaster New York City.
- Petrillo, John A., '35, Pvt., U.S. Army.
- Pfeifer, Paul E., ex. '43, A/C, Sqdn. E-2, AAF-PFS (B-N), Selman Field, Monroe. La.
- Pickhardt, Charles L., '44, Pvt., 8262 Flight 22, Sq. 2, Trng. BTC, Gulfport Field. Miss.
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- Powers, Michael K., ex. '32. 594th Joint Assault Signal Co., Fort Ord. Calif.
- Prats, Raymond S., ex. '47, c/o F.P.O., San Francisco.
- Prendergast, Henry J., '33, Pvt., Co. C, 55th Med., Trng. Bn., Camp Barkeley, Texas.
- Price, James M., ex. '43, Pfc., APO c/o Postmaster N.Y.C.

Quinlan, Harold F., '35, Lt., Btry. A, 782nd AAA (AW) Bn., Camp Haan, Calif. Quinn, Christopher J., '40.

Redd, Patrick M., '41.

- Reilly, Henry E., '43, Ensign.
- Reynolds, Joseph M., '39, APO, N.Y.C.
- Rhodes, Arthur D., '41, 1st Lt., Fort Meade, Md.

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- Redgers, James F., ex. '46, A/C NAAC, Sodn. A-3, Nashville, Tenn.
- Roman, John P., ex. '44, Pvt., Hospital Branch. Post Medical Div., Camp McCoy, Wis.
- Roney, David T., '44, Midshipman, Abbott Hall, Chicago.
- Resey, William C., ex '46, Pvt., Co. B, Platoon 7, 3318 ASTU, Drexel Institute of Tech., Philadelphia, Pa.
- Reency, William P., ex. '46, Pfc., Hqs. & Hqs. LAAF, Laredo, Texas.
- Bothing, Francis J., ex. '46, A/C Detachment. Class 44E-G, AAF, Greenwood, Miss.
- Ryan, Lawrence P., '41. A/S, USNR, Co. 713, USNTS, Great Lakes, Ill.
- Sallee, William T., ex. '46, Pvt., U.S. Army 3655th S.U., Mich State College, East Lansing, Mich.
- Salvi, Albert S., ex. '46, Pfc., Co. F, ASTP, Campbell Hall, Princeton, N. J.
- Scanlon, Michael T., ex. '43, Pvt. Air Force Service Command in England.
- Schatzlein, Lawrence J., '44, USNR, Harvard Univ., Cambridge, Mass.
- Schreyer, John J., ex. '35, T/Sgt., APO c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C. Schultes, William A., ex. '44, A/C, Class 44-6,

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Sharp, Austin R., '44, A/S, Co. 4204, Bks. 418U,

Shay, Francis J., '35, T/Sgt., c/o Postmaster,

Shea, Joseph T., ex. '45, H.A. 2/C, USNR, c/o

Shimer, Ralph W., ex. '46, 2nd Lt., Co. B, 139

Slater, John F., ex. '44, A/C. 305th AAFCPS(P),

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Smith, Maurice O., ex. '44, A/C, 44-D, WRAAF,

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Sullivan, David B., ex. '45, 395th Signal Aviation

Sullivan, John J., ex. '44, A/C, Flight E. West

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USNTS, Bainbridge, Md.

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- Tebin, George E., ex. '45, A/C, Navy Air Corps, Dallas, Texas.
- Trageser, William J., ex. '46, A/C-Army Air Force, Prov. Sqdn. B. Flight 58A, Class 44-5. AAFNS, Selman Field, Monroe, La.
- Trottier, Donald J., ex. '44, A/C, U.S. Army-Pilot Trng., Class 44F, Sodn. 2-B, CAAF, Courtland, Ala.
- Twomey, James F., ex. '46, Pvt., 305th Trng. Gp. Bks. 210, Sheppard Field, Texas.
- Vanderwyst, Harry J., ex. '39, A/S, U.S. Navy, Co. 538, USNTS, Great Lakes, Ill.
- Van Dyke, Joseph M., ex. '44, A/C, Bks. 97, Class 44D, Shaw Field, Sumter, S. C.
- Venneman, Jacques M., ex. '44, A/C. Army Air Corps, 44E, BAAF, Bainbridge, Ga.
- Wakl, Robert L., ex. '46, Army Air Corps, Air Corps Station, 616 Trng. Group, Flight 135, Lincoln, Nebr.
- Wallace, Albert A., '32. Died on furlough while at home in Davenport, Ia.
- Walsh, James J., ex. '43. A/C, Army Air Enlisted Reserve. Class 44E, Cadet Det., WRAAF, Walnut Ridge, Ark.
- Walsh, John E., ex. '45, A/C. Sqdn. H. Class 44, Souther Field. Americus, Ga.
- Walsh, William R., ex. '46, Pvt., U.S. Army, 370 TSS, Bks. 106, Scott Field, Ill.
- Walter, Charles F., ex. '33, Pvt., U.S. Army, Co. D, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.
- Ward, John J., Jr., ex. '45, A/C, Army Air Force, Waco Field. Texas.
- Watson, Eugene C., II, ex. '46, Aviation Cadet. U.S. Army, Class 44E, Sqdn. 4D, AAFPS, CAAF, Courtland, Ala.
- Wechter, Franklin J., ex. '47, Pvt., APO c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.

Weibler, John O., '31, Lt. (jg), USNR.

- Whitaker, Charles C., ex. '46, A/C, U.S. Army Air Corps, 44E, Bar 213, Shaw Field, Sumpter, S. C.
- White, John Bracken, Jr., ex. '45, A/C, Gp. B, Sq. 19, Class 44H, AAFPS, SAACC, San Antonio, Texas.
- Whitely, John T., ex. '44, USNR Midshipmen School, Columbia Univ., New York City.
- Whiting, Richard L., ex. '45, 2nd Lt., AAF, AAF Gunnery School, Laredo, Texas.
- Wiley, Martin B., ex. '46, Pvt., APO, N.Y.C.
- Wilkins, Clint K., ex. '45, A/C. Sqdn. M6, Flight 1, Maxwell Field, Ala.
- Willett, Francis M., ex. '46, A/C, Class 11-D, Cadet Regt., U.S. Naval Air Training Center. Corpus Christi, Texas.
- Wilson, James D., '44, A/S, USNR, Co. 682, USNTS. Great Lakes, Ill.
- Wilson, Richard J., ex. '44. Pfc., U.S. Army Air Corps, 500 Fighter Bomber Sqdn., 85th Fighter Bomber Group, Harris Neck, Army Air Base, RFD, Townsend, Ga.
- Winberry, John J., '28, Capt., USMC, Camp Lejeune, New River, N. C.
- Wolff, John K., ex. '44, Moody Field Advanced Trng., Class 44C, Bks. 128, Moody Field, Valdosta, Ga.
- Wood, James J., ex. '30, A/S, USNR, Co. 127, USNTS, Great Lakes, Ill.
- Worth, Robert C., ex. '46, Pfc., 807 TSS, Bks. 837, Army Air Base, Sioux Falls, S. D.
- Wright, William R., ex. '42, 2nd Lt. Co-pilot of a Liberator bomber, U.S. Army Air Force. Missing in action over France since Mar. 11, 1944.
- Young, John P., ex. '45, 2nd Lt., Casual Officers Pool, Camp Haan, Calif.
- Younghaus, Albert Edward, ex. '44, A/C, Group 2, Cadet Det., Strother Field, Winfield, Kans.

Zimmerman, George W., '32, U.S. Navy.

Zimmerman, Harold J., ex. '46, Pfc., USMC, c/o FPO. San Francisco.

Zimmerman, Victor L., Jr., '28, Lt. (sg) USNR-Zuelke, Gustave A., '44, Ensign, USS LCT(5). 348 Flot. 13, Group 37, c/o FPO, San Francisco. Zupko, Eugene M., ex. '44, Cpl., U.S. Army, Center Hdqs. Co., IRTC, Camp Blanding, Fla.

LONDON PARTY

Headquarters, European Theater of Operations .-- Traditional gridiron rivalries between the Universities of Notre Dame and Minnesota were forgotten (well, almost forgotten), and brass-hats and G. I. Joes were "rankless" when alumni of the two universities had a reunion dinner recently in London.

News was exchanged about classmates. and former professors, college songs were sung, and tentative plans were made for a second Minnesota-Notre Dame reunion to be held in Berlin.

Brief talks were given by Gerald Fitzgerald, athletic director for the American Red Cross in the European Theater of operations, who holds degrees from both universities, and by Lt. Col. Frank McCormick, who is on leave from his position as athletic director at the University of Minnesota.

They were introduced by Capt. Harrison D. Kohl of the staff of The Stars and Stripes, Army daily, which sponsors the alumni dinners in London.

Attending were the following from Notre Dame:

C/M Winfield D. Khine, USNR, Sgt. Paul T. Leonard, Lt. Thomas E. Cassidy, 1st Lt. Clyde A. Lewis, 1st Lt. Harold J. Barres, Capt. R. E. Langlois, Sgt. Andrew J. McMahon, Pvt. John G. Malloy, S/Sgt. Donald F. McGinley, Capt. M. E. Williams, Pfc. Elwood J. Lavery, Ens. J. W. Gilbert, 2nd Lt. John E. Busse, 1st Lt. J. Thos. Tranghher.

1st Lt. Robert W. Boyle, 2nd Lt. Robert V. Rademacher, Capt. Neil Farrell, Maj. (now Lt. Col.) Donald J. Wilkins, AC, Sgt. W. J. Beaupre, 1st Lt. John O'Brien, Lt. Daniel F. Curley, Cpl. W. H. O'Brien, T/3 Thomas J. Sullivan, 1st Lt. Maurice F. Quinn, T/Sgt. James J. Brugger, T/Sgt. Robert W. Hughes.

Capt. J. F. O'Marah, AC, S/Sgt. Paul E. Neville, Capt. Thomas P. Liston, AC, Cpl. Lawrence J. O'Connor, Ens. Joseph M. Lane, USNR, 1st Lt. Gus Ryan, Pvt. John E. Ryan, Sgt. Carroll P. Pitkin, T/5 William J. Matson, 1st Lt. Donald G. Smarinsky, Edward J. Kelly, Joseph S. Moon, E. F. Vaslett, James E. Boyle, Pvt. Michael T. Scanlon, Gerald Fitzgerald.

FATHER STAUNTON DIES

Rev. John Staunton, who was ordained late in life after his conversion from the Anglican Church, died in Hammond, Ind., May 17. Father Staunton, a brother of Prof. Henry Staunton. was ordained at Notre Dame by Bishop John F. Noll, D.D. He made his residence with the Franciscans at Graymoor, until a year and a half ago. He was buried in Brooklyn, N. Y.

RELIGIOUS BULLETIN

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sin and divine revelations as superstitions.

He calls them man-made concepts, again showing lack of intelligence.

These concepts came from Christ and Christ is God and God created intelligence.

We probably shouldn't correct the august Commissioner of Education but we'll take any tips regarding intelligence from God, Who created intelligence. As its Creator, He is the expert on intelligence. Compared to Him, even the august Commissioner of Education is comparable to the village blacksmith tinkering with a Flying Fortress.

He doesn't even know the purpose of intelligence-to aid us to get to Heaven. He limits its use merely to get pleasure and fun out of life, to stay right on this earth and to make this earth a heaven. The village blacksmith at least knows the Fortress' purpose is to fly.

PENTECOST

We might yawn at such disclosure of ignorance except that the foundations of our liberty and of our civilization can well be at stake.

Such commissioners of mis-education are the ones who are and have been educating the youth of our country. It is they who are trying to set the pattern for the post-war world.

Atheistic education, denying or ignoring God and the soul, wipes out the foundation of our American democracy. Our natural rights, including liberty, rest on the existence of God, as our Creator, Who endowed us with these natural rights. The founders of our country recognized and affirmed this.

Our pseudo-scientific educators and philosophers are fast and surely undermining the basis of our liberties. With God and our natural rights gone or ignored, we become mere creatures of the state. Thus despite victory on the battlefield, we'll have lost the fight against tvranny.

We're soldiers of Christ by virtue of Confirmation and there's a battle for every one of us not only to defend but to profess and promote the Faith; to profess and promote Christ and Christian principles in government, education, family life, every phase of society.

Defense never won any battle and unless we start on the offensive now, we'll wake up to find the game-and our liberties-lost.

Our Church and our Alma Mater give us a program.

The Holy Ghost will give us strength.

THE ALUMNI

Engagements

Miss Betty Louise Boot and Lt. Thomas G. Barry, Jr., '39.

Miss Edna Stark and Lt. (jg) Albert G. Denten, '39.

Miss Loretta M. Gorka and Edward J. Tomcik, '41.

Miss Flavia Trucco and Pvt. George Marcucci, '41.

Miss Georgia Kelly and Lt. John F. O'Dea, '41.

Miss Helen Weinkauf and Gilbert A. Zimmerman, '42.

Miss Mary Lou Dahm and Lt. Joseph J. Barr, '42.

Miss Frances Ann Gilray and Paul Colianni, Jr., '44.

Miss Doris Anne Gilman and Pfc. John C. Baum, '44.

Miss Virginia Dreibelbis and William J. Eaton, '44.

Miss Evelyn Marie Cressy and Cpl. Robert J. Firth, '44.

Marriages

Miss Ameline Darcy and James J. Clark, '23, in the Log Chapel. June 17.

Miss Jeanne Currie and Lt. Robert Rohrbach, USNR, '32, in Oxnard. Calif., April 28.

Miss Elizabeth Jane Newcomer and John Thomas Campbell, '35, in Detroit, April 22.

Miss Gwen Healy and Lt. Harry A. Baldwin, '37, in Oak Park, Ill., May 6.

Miss Judith Holden and Lt. Martin T. Burns, USNR, '37, in Washington. D. C., May 27.

Miss Carol Keating and Lt. (jg) Frank R. Witte, USCG, '40, in Chicago, April 8.

Miss Elizabeth Cagney and Lt. George J. Mc-Morrow, '40, in Kalamazoo, Mich., April 15.

Miss Bette Jane Claeys and Lt. Robert J. Schultz, USNR, '40, in Sacred Heart Church, June 10.

Miss Frances A. Trippel and Ernest J. Williams, '40, in South Bend. May 27.

Miss Geraldine Irene Hayes and Lt. Francis D. McKelvy, '41, in Atchison, Kans., March 10.

Miss Frances Boltz and Edward L. Hultgren, '41, in Fort Wayne, Ind., April 22.

Miss Ruth Schindler and Lt. Charles Gerard, USMCR, '41, at San Luis Rey Mission, Calif., May 20.

Miss Frances Boltz and Edward L. Hultgren, '41, in Fort Wayne, Ind., April 22.

Lt. Martha L. Mitten and Lt. William A. Hosinski, '42, in Boston, April 11. Miss Bernice Charlotte Gutman and Edward F. O'Kane, '42, in Glenview, Ill.

Miss Molly Frances Gayle and Lt. Donaid F. Connors, '42. in Shreveport, La., April 16.

Miss Jean A. Nimtz and Lt. Robert O. Kuchl, ex. '44, in Marianna, Fla., May 27.

Miss Jane Ditsch and Ensign Raymond J. Ruetz, '44, in Boston, April 26.

Miss Eleanore Hoyle and Cpl. Denald M. Hoover, ex. '44, in South Bend, June 10.

Miss Elaine A. Moran and Lt. William E. Mills, ex. '46, in Tallahassee, Fla., June 17.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Nolan, '24, announce the birth of their fourth child, a son, on Jan. 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Searce, '28, announce the birth of a daughter, June 5.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Joseph Langton, '28, announce the birth of William Michael, in Sept. '43.

Capt. and Mrs. J. F. Dunne, '28, announce the birth of a daughter, Kathleen Ann, on May 15.

Capt. and Mrs. Charles F. Colton, '29, announce the birth of a daughter, Charlotte Ann, on April 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick McCasker, '30, announce the birth of a son, May 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam E. Richard, ex. '30, announce the birth of their third child, Kathleen Diane, on May 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Brieger, '31, announce the birth of a daughter, Susan, on Feb. 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Raddatz, '33, announce the birth of a daughter, Irene Leslie.

Mr. and Mrs. Raiph Else, '34, announce the birth of a daughter, Leslie Anne, on May 28.

Lt. and Mrs. John J. Maher, Jr., '34, announce the birth of a son, John Joseph, III, on March 17.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Otte, '35, announce the birth of a son, William Henry, on May 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. McNally, '36, announce the birth of their second daughter, Peggy, on Nov. 14, 1943.

Dr. and Mrs. Daniel L. Sexton, ex. '36, announce the birth of a daughter, Joanne, on Feb. 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Dohnakk, '37. announce the birth of a son, June 15.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Sheedy, '37, announce the birth of a daughter, Barbara Scott, on March 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Murdock, '37, announce the birth of a daughter on May 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Burnett C. Bauer, '38, announce the birth of a son, Burnett Patrick, May 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Shine, '38, announce the birth of a son, Michael John, on April 19. Ens. and Mrs. John Plouff, '38, announce the birth of a daughter, Patricia Marie, on May 22.

Major and Mrs. James H. Lahey, '28, announce the birth of a daughter, May 21.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. McGuinness, '39, announce the birth of a son. John Luke, on May 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burkhelder, '39, announce the birth of a daughter; Molly Eilees, on March 20.

Capt. and Mrs. Philip J. Maleney, '39, announce the birth of a daughter, Maureen. on March 10.

Lt. (jg) and Mrs. William Mahar, '40, announce the birth of a son. James William, on June 1.

Lt. and Mrs. E. J. Hart. '40, announce the birth of a son, Corey William, on April 6.

A/S and Mrs. Louis Rymkus, '43, announce the birth of twin sons, on April 14.

Deaths

Oscar F. Smith (formerly Schmidt), LL.B. '96, Rock Island, III., died in Rock Island on May 16, after a long illness. He was president of the Notre Dame Club of the Tri-Cities. Mr. Smith was third baseman on the Notre Dame baseball teams of the early nineties and was proud of a rich collection of Notre Dame photographs of that era.

James Oliver II, distinguished citizen of South Bend, a former student in the University's preparatory department, 1900-01, died in Indianapolis, on May 20 from a heart attack. Mr. Oliver, who contributed generously to the Centenary Fund through the Notre Dame Club of the St. Joseph Valley, had been a member of the Alumni Association since 1923. He is strivied by his widow, a brother, and two sisters. He was a director of the Oliver Equipment Co. and active in civic and political affairs of South Bend and Indiana.

Jeseph L. Teshey, A.B. '02, Chicago attorney, died on April 12 after a long illness, according to recent advice from Frank McKeever, '03.

Albert B. Oberst, LL.B. '06, died suddenly on last Jan. 5 in the Circuit Court Room in Owensboro, Ky., where he had been an attorney for many years. This word was received by James A. Dubbs, Cleveland, a classmate. Mr. Oberst had sent in his subscription to the "Notre Dame Lawyet" just a short time before his death.

Thomas D. Quigley, LL.B. '12, died April 12 in Chicago, where he had been an adjuster for an English insurance company. He is survived by his widow, Mae, and two sisters. Tom was a monogram basebail player at Notre Dame in 1910 and 1911, and went on to play with Pittsburghand other major league teams. Among alumni at the funeral was Joseph B. McGlynn, East St. Louis, a classmate.

William Helshan, '32, La Salle, Ill., is deed according to a late "Religious Bulletin," without further detail. **Thomas W. Green, Jr.**, '34. died May 20 in St Paul, Minn., where he had been representing the Perth Amboy Shipbuilding Corp. of N. J. He was born in Sioux City, Ia., and came from there to Notre Dame in 1930. being graduated from the Department of Economics in 1934. He went to Minneapolis with the International Harvester Co. after graduation and has lived in the Twin Cities for 10 years. He is survived by his wife, Catherine, five children, Catherine, Mary Teresa, Tom W. III, and twin girls, Julia and Jane; his parents, and his brothers, William, '34. Frank, A/C Jerry, '39, and his sisters, Catherine and Isabel.

The Notre Dame "Alumnus" joins the whole world of Catholic education in mourning the death of one of its great leaders. Following is the dramatic story, in part, of the death of Mgr. George Johnson, as it appeared in the New York "Times" of June 6.

The Right Rev. George Johnson, associate professor of Education at Catholic University, died yesterday while delivering the commencement address in Notre Dame Auditorium at Trinity College. He was 55 years old.

His last words were:

"We must do more work in educating youth for Christ."

Mgr. Johnson, who had devoted his life to education, was midway in his address when he collapsed at the microphone. He fell from the speakers' stand and died at the feet of the Most Rev. Michael J. Curley, archbishop of Baltimore and Washington, presiding officer at the ceremony.

Mgr. Johnson was one of the country's leading Catholic educators. A strong supporter of our war against the Axis. he declared in 1942 that "the forces which are arrayed against our country are the same forces which in other lands are arrayed against the church." Disruption of school programs, from "the kindergarten to the university," he said on another occasion that year, should prove beneficial in bringing about future reforms in educational values.

Opposed to Government interference in education, Mgr. Johnson also spoke against mass methods in education. Unlike some Catholic educators, he was not opposed to some forms of progressive education, and in 1935 he started a model elementary school attached to Sisters College of Catholic University. He built around traditional Catholic doctrine a structure of activities which included erection of an altar with breakfast-food boxes the fashioning of miniatures of Bethlehem and Nazareth with water and sewage systems, and visits to farms, stores, police stations. postoffices, airports and radio stations. He was the school's director.

He was careful to separate himself from lay progressive educational systems.

"We Catholics," said Mgr. Johnson, "believe in original sin and so we believe in discipline. A good many progressives don't seem to believe in any sin at all."

In April this year Mgr. Johnson was elected to his sixth three-year term as secretary general of the National Catholic Welfare Conference and editor of the "Catholic Educational Review."

The "Alumnus" extends sincere sympathies to: the Knute K. Rockne family in the death in Chicago on May 18 of Mrs. Martha Rockne, 85, mother of the late Notre Dame immortal; to the **Eugene** "Scrap" Young family on the death of his mother, Mrs. Rosa Young, in Dover, O.; to Francis M. Marley, '32, and Capt. Harold Marley, '37, on the death of their father in Fostoria, O.; to Jack Ullmann, '37, on the recent death of his wife and one of his children. Your prayers for these and other deceased relatives and friends of alumni are requested.

Personals

1960-04 Robert E. Proctor, '04, Monger Building, Elkhart, Ind.

Byron V. Kanaley, a member of the advisory council of the Community Chest and War Fund of Chicago, recently was elected president of the Winnetka Community Chest in his home, suburban community. He is a member of the executive committee of the Illinois Association for the Crippled and of the board of directors of the Catholic Charities of the archdiocese of Chicago.

1905-09 Rev. Thomas E. Burke, C.S.C., '07, Notre Dame, Ind.

Governor E. P. "Ted" Carville of Nevada issued the following proclamation in April:

"I ask that when word reaches us that the major European invasion has started, and when D-day is officially announced, that all persons in Nevada kneel in prayer in their own homes or assemble in their churches, to petition the merciful God for the success of this operation and for the safety of the boys taking part.

"The future of freedom in the United States, and for the Allies, depends largely upon the success of this gigantic undertaking," the Governor declared.

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

A clipping, now some months old, has come through to tell us that Major Jesse Roth, Jamestown, N. D., is (or was) head of the eye, ear, nose and throat clinic of the laboratory services at the station hospital, Camp Van Dorn, Miss. A veteran of World War I, the Major rejoined the Army in 1942 and was assigned to Van Dorn last February.

Major Roth is the father of two sons and two daughters; one of his sons is a Marine paratrooper and one daughter is married to an Army bomber pilot. Dr. Roth is a dry-fly-fishing enthusiast, making his own rods, files and leaders. His proudest fishing possession is a Lancaster rod more than 100 years old.

1912 B. J. Kniser, 324 Fourth St., Pittburgh, Pa.

Alfred R. White, at Notre Dame in 1908-09, enlisted in the U.S. Coast Guard in February, 1943, and was rated as a chief boatswain's mate. He has been serving in the Navy shipyard of the Los Angeles Shipbuilding and Drydock Corp. San Pedro, Calif.

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

Maj. Gen. Francis P. Mulcahy has assumed command of the Marine Fleet Air, west coast, it was announced on May 15 in San Diego. This organization, known as Marfair, embraces all aviation tactical training activities at the Marine Corps air station at Mojave, Santa Barbara, El Toro (at Santa Ana), El Centro and Camps Gillespie, Kearny and Pendleton.

General Mulcahy won his first Distinguished Service Medal for heroic work as a marine aviator in France in 1918 and was recently awarded the Gold Star in lieu of a second Distinguished Service Medal for his skillful leadership as commander of the United Nations air forces on Guadalcanal. During the crucial period of the initial Solomons campaign, his strategy and determination against superior enemy forces are credited with contributing immeasurably to the successful occupation of Guadalcanal and destruction of numerous enemy surface vessels, aircraft and shore installations.

1916 Grover F. Miller, 610 Wisconsin Ave., Bacine, Wis.

From Grove Miller:

My recent letter to all the members of our class, which included about 70 mailings, brought me unclaimed letters from: Manuel Gonzalez, Havana, Cuba: Thomas Hayes, Detroit; and Luke Kelly, Roslindale, Mass. I have since learned that Tom Hayes is living at 812 Iroquois Drive, S.E., Grand Rapids, Mich., and that Luke Kelly's latest address is 886 Cleveland St., Apt. 8, Oakland, Calif. Does any one know Manuel's address?

Frank Swift is working for the Navy. His address is 2715 First Ave., Hadden Heights, N. J. Bob Carr is looking for a 1946 reunion. Father Patrick Haggerty, at St. Bernard's Church, Watertown, Wis., would like to hear from old friends. Ray Kelly, a lieutenant colonel. C.A.C., is stationed in Washington, but can be reached at his Detroit address.

Tim Galvin, a supreme director of the K. of C. and supreme master of its fourth degree, presided in late April at a particularly successful exemplification of the degree in South Bend. The fourth degree members and the candidates assisted at Mass on Sunday in St. Patrick's Church. South Bend, of which Father Pat Dolan, C.S.C., '15, is pastor. Father Dolan gave the "ermon at the Mass and the tenediction following the evening's banquet. Barney O'Neill, ex. '29, South Bend, was the general chairman of the committee in charge of the exemplification.

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

Governor Harry Kelly of Michigan gave the Commencement address at the University of Detroit on May 31 and received in the same ceremony an honorary degree. Rev. Carroll F. Deady, who was a graduate student at Notre Dame in 1930-31 and is now superintendent of schools in the Detroit archdiocese, also received an honorary degree. Most Rev. Edward Mooney, LL.D. '36, archbishop of Detroit, presided at the University's baccalaureate services a few days before.

Danny and Ruth Hilgartner celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary on June 7 at a special Mass of thanksgiving in their parish church, followed by a breakfast in the South Shore Country Club, Chicago, for the members of their wedding party and their families. Open House afterwards at the Hilgartner manse, 7300 S. Constance Ave., for all Seventeeners in the area. The only blot on an otherwise joyful occasion was the absence of Lt. Dan, III, '42, who is serving in North Africa.

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

Through a slight mix-up in addresses. Vic Lemmer, '26 secretary (and brother of the '18 secretary) had a letter from Mark Cullen, who is a member of the contracting firm of J. P. Cullen & Son, Janesville, Wis.

John Lemmer writes that Dan McGlynn, corporation counsel for East St. Louis, Ill., will again be a delegate to the national Republican convention in Chicago.

John, a clipping says, has been appointed by Governor Kelly of Michigan to the 10-man Michigan Adult Education Advisory Committee, which will assist in planning a new program of education for adults, to start on an experimental basis this year. John is superintendent of schools in Escanaba.

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1919 Lt. Comm. Clarence W. Bader, U.S.N.R., N.A.S., Franklin Field, Franklin, Va.

Father Thomas J. Hanifin, a major-chaplain in the Army, is at present post chaplain at Ft. Meyer, Va., according to Father H. L. Collins, pastor of Sacred Heart Church, Youngstown, O.

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

Leo Ward, in Los Angeles, collects nationwide news, as follows: "I received a notice from C. P. J. "Jock" Mooney, who announces that he is no longer assistant U.S. attorney at Memphis, and is now engaged in private practice, the firm name being Wilson, Cohn and Mooney. The AP recently carried an account of Slip Madigan delivering papers. It seems his son was down with the flu and Slip, being as thrifty and energetic as ever, carried the route during his son's incapacity."

A report is circulating that Col. Sherwood Dixon, after a long period of training infantrymen in Natchez, Miss., is now on General Marshall's staff in Washington, D. C. Is there a verification in the house?

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

Ray McGarry has just completed superintending the construction of a very large housing project for the federal government in Wichita, Kans. He expected to leave soon for Washington. D. C., for another assignment.

1922 Gerald Ashe, 19 Dorking Road, Rochester, N. Y.

From Kid Ashe

Clete Lynch, having just completed a fast spring business trip to the West Coast, made a flash visit to St. Louis from his midwest headquarters in Peoria, Ill. St. Louians resent Clete's rationed seven-hour stopover.

Jim Jones is commander of American Legion's Sergeant Force Post in Rochester, N. Y. Several members of Jim's post are back in service in World War II, and most of them hold high commissions in the armed forces.

In St. Louis, Dr. Dan Sexton is holding up well despite long hours of hard work. In addition to his own medical practice, Dan is a member of the faculty of St. Louis University's College of Medicine.

A postal was received from Lt. Arnold Mc-Grath of the Army Service Forces attached to Oakland, Calif., sub port of embarkation. Arnold's address is 308 Eddy St., San Francisco.

Al Carroll and Art Valley are living and working in the Chicago area.

Earl Walsh is the new football coach at Mt. Carmel High School, Chicago, taking the place of Wally Fromhart, '37. who entered the Navy as a lieutenant (jg). Last fall Earl handled the St. Ambrose Academy team, Davenport, Ia. He had been at Fordham since 1934, as line coach and chief scout, and succeeded Jim Crowley, '25. there as head coach when the latter joined the Navy in 1942. Fordham subsequently dropped football for the duration.

Mrs. John F. Kelley,1609 Sherman Dr., Utica 2, N. Y., thoughtfully sends word of her naval husband, along with a check for his contribution to the Alumni Fund. She writes: "Dr. John F. Kelley entered the Navy Dec. 7, 1942, as surgeon with the rank of lieutenant commander. He served six months at Sampson Naval Hospital, Sampson, N. Y., after which he transferred to the Naval Air Force. He was assigned to the U. S. Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla., July 3, 1943, where he took his flight course, and on Nov. 13, 1943, was graduated as naval flight surgeon. Since that time he has been serving as flight surgeon at the Atlanta Naval Air Station, Atlanta, Ga."

1923 Paul H. Castner, 26 Hoyt Ave., New Cansan, Conn.

Cpl. Neil Flinn, according to Paul Castner, reports his arrival in New Guinea. He says that he would probably enjoy the place a lot more if he had some '23 buddies along. Also, says P. C., Michael F. Seyfrit, Carlinville, Ill., is now secretary of the Illinois State Democratic Central Committee. Mike is a candidate for states attorney of Macoupin County.

Jim Clark, as chipper as ever, stopped in at the Alumni Office in May to report that he is training director of the Magnavox Radio Co., Fort Wayne, Ind. But he still has Lafayette. Ind., as the home port. Jim was in the Air Corps for a year, leaving when the over-38 business went into effect.

1924 J. F. Hayes, 393 7th Ave., Room 1815, New York City.

Lt. Col. Bob Riordan has moved from Purdue to Ft. Hayes. Columbus 18, O., where he is director of storage for the Fifth Service Command. Bob's family temporarily remained behind in Lafayette, Ind., pending the close of schools and further planning.

Bob sends word that Pharmacist Mate 1/C Charlie McGenagie is aboard an LST, receiving his mail through N.Y.C. This word by way of Charlie's sister, to Dr. James T. Finnigan of Columbus, to Riordan.

Word also (late April) from Lt. Tom Hodgson, USNR, who was in England and enjoying (somewhat) the English countryside.

1925 John P. Hurley, AFD, American Red Cross, Camp Patrick Henry, Va.

George Driscoll, Chillicothe, O., will, with the start of the new term in early July, give up his attractive position with the Southern Ohio Quarries Co., to take over as a professor in the Civil Engineering Department, Notre Dame. He and his wife will move to South Bend as soon as they are able to find quarters.

Studebaker sends word that A. J. Porta is now with the home offices in South Bend. having returned from the Pacific Coast branch in Los Angeles.

George Chao is teaching philosophy in Aurora University. Shanghai, China, according to word brought to Notre Dame by his good friend, Most Rev. Paul Yu-Pin, bishop of Nanking, who, exiled from his own country, has been in this country for some time.

NOTRE DAME PARTY IN THE ATLANTIC



Lt. Hobie Shean, '31, writes: "A very successful Notre Dame party was conducted at this naval base in the Atlantic on Universal Notre Dame Night.

"We managed to dig up 12 loyal Notre Damers from the far corners of the base and from ships in the vicinity. Fortunately, 11 of the 12 were able to make the dinner. There were many good friends there as guests, so that 37 sat down to a steak dinner at the officers' club.

"Leo Cantwell, '26, was toastmaster. He introduced the following speakers: Capt. John B. Rooney, USN, Rev. R. J. Ireland, S.J., Navy chaplain here, brother of George Ireland, '36, and Lt. Jerry Moore, USNR, former sports writer for the Boston Herald' and a good friend of Frank Leahy.

"We were very fortunate to have for the evening the football pictures, 'Highlights of 1943.' The pictures came in by air and arrived just as the meeting was getting under way."

Pictured (just a bit out of focus) are the 11 N.D. men at the dinner. Sitting, left to right, are Lt. Bernie Crawford, '39, Lt. Hoby Shean, '31, Lt. R. J. Ireland, S.J., Lt. Leo Cantwell, '26, Lt. (jg) Al Lee, '41, Lt. (jg) Bill Wade, '40. Standing, Lt. (jg) Bill Lynch, '37, Lt. (jg) Frank Kelley, '39, Lt. Lee Kramer, '34, Lt. (jg) Frank Griffin, '37, Lt. Tom Ashe, '31, and Lt. (jg) Frank Quinn, '42. Ensign Art Heigel, '43, was unable to attend because of his duties. A handsome picture of the handsome Cunningham, appearing in a Toledo paper, made known the fact that Lt. Ray, USNR, recently gave the Commencement address for St. Vincent's School of Nursing, Toledo. Ray's headquarters are in Cleveland.

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

Vic this time sent out letters requesting '26 news to: Lt. Herb Burt of the Navy. Francis "Lew" Cody, Indianapolis, Lyman Clark, Kenosha, Wis., Bob Carey, Chicago, Capt. (Dr.) George Dolmage of the Army, Norb Engels, Notre Dame, and Frank Klein of the "Globe-Democrat." St. Louis.

Two of the three that came through with responses were those in the armed forces, Burt and Dolmage. Herb, down at the Naval Air Station, Corpus Christi, Texas, was in touch with some of the local civilian alumni, especially Mike Needham, Paul Martineau and Tom McArdle. Some time before he wrote. he and many of the other N.D. men on the station — at least 30 — had the pleasure of assisting at Bishop O'Hara's Mass and eating dinner with him, by courtesy of the admiral commanding. Herb was the bishop's aide for the local tour and John McManmon was the master of ceremonies, assisted by Joe Clark. Bob Rohrbach and Steve Graliker served the Mass.

George Dolmage writes that he has been in the Army for nigh onto two years, and in Nashville, Tenn., for a year. He is now a surgeon in the Air Service Command, and he is engaged in getting under way a convalescent-rehabilitation center for air force personnel. He sees practically nobody from Notre Dame except John Griffin, on trips through Chicago.

Vic wrote to Engels: "Are you still a musician?" Engels replied: "Only for the children once in a while, in the basement. Too many dogs around!" He then made modest reference to the Engels' versatility whereby the good professor, in these days of peculiar stress within the University, is teaching both Shakespeare, as of old, and engineering drawing, a required subject for most V-12 naval trainees. Occasionally too, as you've noticed, this veteran of Denny's tours, breaks into print in "Columbia," "America," etc., and he still makes elegant furniture.

Sgt. Bob Coleman, '42, wrote to Vic from Italy, enclosing a late April clipping from the "Stars and Stripes" wherein was a paragraph about Cpl. Chuck Guinon, of the Canadian Army, "who couldn't wait until the United States got into the fight." Said the "S. and S." of Chuck: "He likes being with the Canadians, but has a hell of a time keeping up with the Notre Dame football team. He learned only a few days ago how his old school fared in the 1943 season."

Ed Hargan, sending a contribution, writes from 450 W. 24th St., N.Y.C. 11, that he has joined the legal department of the American Petroleum Institute and really enjoys the work.

Charlie O'Connell, from Holyoke, Mass., who was with the '26 class in architecture for several years until illness forced him to drop out, is now in the Hampshire County Sanatorium, Haydenville, Mass., and would be delighted to hear from any of the old N.D. crowd. Until he landed back in the hospital, Charlie, who is in the contracting business in Holyoke with his uncle and his cousin, was tied up with much war construction. He adds: "Expect to be able to get back in the business this coming fall, with the help of the Lord and prayers."

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

From Joe Boland:

In the last issue, the estimable Mr. Dooley let

fly with what could be termed a hunk of innuendo anent ye scriv.'s scrivening consistency. That has already been cared for — man-fashion, face to face, and Mr. D. was lucky to be able to walk away from the scene of the crash.

Actually, any absence from this accustomed space has been due to an on-again-off-again-finnegan act we've been guilty of in recent months, which saw us move from WSBT to WGN and back to WSBT: any day now, we expect to land in WBP, NLRB, or maybe even AMGOT, alphabets being what they are!

For news, prime concern of this space, we've had to dig back into an alleged file to find an old clipping with the by-line of **Joe Breig**, under a heading titled "City Hall," a column which appears in the Pittsburgh "Sun-Telegraph."

While in Chicago, we attended the election meeting of the Chicago Club and there ran across any number of alums — with our usual trouble: we can't tell whether they're '27 or '87: it's getting so they both look alike! Freddy Collins, with a medical discharge from the Army, probably tattooed on his chest, was there — but you know Freddy: couldn't pin him down. Judge John Wallace was toastmaster . . . which explains a lot about the meeting. Richard "Red" Smith, until he takes up his new job as assistant coach of the N. Y. Giants (football), is coach with the Milwaukee Brewers in the American Association. His most recent baseball picture indicates that he could act as chief Brewer.

The other Red Smith — Walter — is now sports editor of the "Philadelphia Record."

Jim Quinn, of Rahway, N. J., is a Navy lieutenant — in Washington, at last reports, after overseas duty.

Jerry Le Strange is still headquartering in Chicago, with the "Southern Agriculturist."

And Ed White is performing his legal duties with the Emmco Insurance Co., home office, South Bend.

That's all for now — pardon me while I look around: someone may have a new job for me!

Frank Oehlhoffen, sales manager and advertising director of the Bantam Bearings division of the Torrington Co.. South Bend, resigned that position in May to take up one as assistant to the president of Kaydon Engineering Corp., Muskegon, Mich. Frank had been with Bantam since 1928. A month before, he had been elected president of the St. Joseph Valley N.D. Club, and he was, of course, forced to resign that position also. Joe Boland was thereupon elected club president (just to keep the matter in the '27 family, it doesn't say here).

Don Wilkins, promoted to lieutenant colonel, had been overseas for 10 months when he Vmailed in early May: He said: "Have been with Eighth Air Force PRO until recently, when I was assigned as air adviser to the public relations division. supreme headquarters." Which means, doubtless, that our boy is seeing plenty of the biggest invasion stuff. Don was at the big Minnesota-N.D. party held in London by "Stars and Stripes" in January, but the only "old timer" he's run into over there is Capt. Joe Reedy.

Gene Knoblock, patent attorney in South Bend, has been appointed by Federal Judge Luther M. "Mike" Swygert as U.S. commissioner for the South Bend division of the northern Indiana federal district, and Al Smith, La Porte attorney, has been appointed referee in bankruptcy for the same division.

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

Buckley, the Magnificent, on the road for the WPB, forwarded. with his customary efficiency, '28 letters from John McMahon, George Martin and Tom Collins. John, in St. Louis on business, said: "I established contact with the long-lost Tex Williams some time ago. Tex is in a responsible post with some booming war industry in Nashville. He is the father of four fine daughters. Mrs. Williams is a St. Mary's girl.

"Has anyone ever located Jim Morrissey, of the old Walsh Hall firm of Morrissey and White? Dr. Sol Solomon of Ebensburg, Pa., attended our smoker on the eve of the Pitt game . . . last fall. It was the first time I had seen him since the class broke ranks on the Sunday evening in early June 16 years ago. Sol is a living refutation of the poet's lines that only a tree and truth retain their youth.

"We elected Fritz Wilson president of the Western Fennsylvania Club on Universal N.D. Night. Jack Sheedy is a rising star in the insurance industry in our parts. One seldom sees or hears of Turk Meinert. He changed jobs some time ago and is no doubt immersed in new responsibilities. I spent a very enjoyable evening with Larry and the charming Mrs. Culliney in New York last December."

John modestly neglected to say that he himself is doing an outstanding job as managing director of the Air Hygiene Foundation in the Mellon Institute, Pittsburgh. He is also one of the most effective members of the Alumni Association's committees newly formed to investigate placement activities within the Association.

George Martin, writing from 917 7th Ave., Altoona, Pa., says: "The only Notre Damer I hear from is my old Sorin Hall roommate, John E. Brannan, of Mt. Horeb, Wis., who is now a sergeant in the quartermaster division and who is located in Sicily. I got a letter from him just last week. . . . I am still an employment interviewer with the U.S. Employment Service . . . and have been for the past seven years. I have been extremely busy for the past two years, staffing two war plants in this city. I would very much like to hear from the following 1928 . . . graduates: John Antus, John and Peter Beirne. I manage to take in at least one N.D. football game a year and have still never seen a Notre Dame football team lose."

Tom Collins (unmarried) resides at 166 New Boston Rd., Fall River, Mass., and among N.D. alumni. sees only Walt Goff (also unmarried). Tom is overseer of spinning, spooling and slashing for the Sagamore Mfg. Co., a textile concern in Fall River. He's been in his present job for more than five years and with the company for 12 years. Walt has his own business: the installation and servicing of the vending machines in Fall River.

Continued Tom: "John Burns is employed by the Soldiers and Sailors Relief Society. Jim Cooran is a lieutenant (jg) in the Navy, and at this writing is somewhere in the Atlantic. Both Jim and John are married."

Lt. Cmdr. John Robinson, state director of selective service in Connecticut, has moved his family from Cheshire to 54 Robin Road, West Hartford Cpl. Al Gury is assistant business manager of "Brief," the official publication of the 7th AAF, APO 953, San Francisco. Joe Langton writes from 5838 Neosho, St. Louis, to report the arrival of William Michael last September to join Molly and Susan, aged four and five.

Charlie Short is chief review attorney for the regional WLB, 21 S. 12th St., Philadelphia 7. **Pierce O'Connor** has returned from the armed forces to civilian life, on an inactive duty status. and is again practicing law at 1044 Hanna Bldg., Cleveland. The Cleveland-N.D. Club celebrated his return by electing him president, to succeed Jack Reidy, '27, who had admirably led the club to a remarkably successful year. wartime obstacles notwithstanding.

Bill Kearney, 514 Cedar St., Winnetka, Ill., an assistant states attorney in Cook County (Chicago). Ill., for the past 11 years, recently resigned to become negotiator for the surgeon gareral of the U.S. Army, handling legal matters in connection with medical purchases. Jim Cullen, according to Dr. Andy Boyle, head of the Chemistry Department, is a licutenant (sg) in the Navy, receiving his mail through N.Y.C.

1929 Capt. Joseph P. McNamara, 1814 N. Court House Rd., Arlington, Va.

Frank Smola is superintendent of schools in Nome, Alaska. Stephen Schneider (M.A. '29) is manager of the field office of the Social Security Board in Racine, Wis. From the Great Lakes, Ill., public relations office: Ollie Schell had been promoted to storekeeper. first class; Bob Dick had been graduated from recruit training as honor man of his company. Bob spent his boot leave with his wife and two daughters in Denver.



P. T. Chin, right, Chinese engineer, points to the "picture" of a voltage wave which saves 10,000 or so words of complex electronics data. E. E. Moyer, '29, center, operates industrial electronic equipment being studied. Both engineers are members of the electronics section, industrial control division, of the General Electric Schenectady plant. They demonstrated to members of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers in Boston how wave diagrams like those in the upper left hand corner of the photo can become real war-laboratory short - cuts in computing engineering data.

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

John Rocap, Indianapolis, is state treasurer of the K. of C., elected at the recent state convention. Henry Hasley, '28, Fort Wayne, past state deputy, was named a delegate to the international convention in Toronto. as well as a trustee of Gibault Home, Terre Haute, which is operated by the C.S.C. Brothers.

Mrs. Frank Hand wrote from 7 Memorial Square. Webster, Mass., to tell **Harold Duke** and the "Alumnus" that **Dr. Frank**, her husband, a lieutenant USNR, had been in service since October, 1942, and that he was then in the South Pacific. Frank had been practicing in Epping. N. H.

Vernon Slack has moved from Detroit to join the personnel department of the Oliver Farm Equipment Co., South Bend.

Four '30 law graduates are deeply involved in the November elections. Bob Grant, South Bend, Republican, and Marshall Kizer, Democrat, Plymouth, are opposing each other for congressman from the third district of Indiara. Bob is the incumbent. Lining up the ranks in St. Joseph County are Lou Chapleau, South Bend attorney, who was recently elected county Democratic chairman, and Ed Smith, also a South Bend attorney, who was reelected county Republican chairman.

1931

Ellis Blomstrom writes from his ship in the Pacific (his first ship duty since he was called to active duty in 1941) to tell of his pleasure in receiving the "Alumnus" and Father O'Donnell's letters to service men.

Tom Monahan, still at the old broom corn stand in Arcola, Ill., is wondering, as he sends his contribution for 1944, as to John Bergan's successor. The Alumni Office is wondering too, and would be pleased to have any nominations, votes, suggestions or what have you from the '31 brethren.

John Raleigh, representing the Cleveland Metal Abrasive Co., Howell, Mich., stopped in at the Alumni Office for a brief chat on May 15. Lt. Joe Keegh, Jr., USNR, a chest surgeon from Youngstown. O., is now operating out of the Fleet Post Office, San Francisco.

Lt. Joe Gardewine is, or was, stationed at the Newton D. Baker General Hospital, Martinsburg, W. Va., according to word from Capt. Charlie Colton, '29, who is also there. Joe was to be godfather for the Coltons' new daughter. Charlotte Ann, born April 25. Kid Ashe, '22, wrote that his brother, Tom, '31, recently promoted to lieutenant (sg), was due back in this country on leave in early June. Tom had been on a ship in the Atlantic.

Billy Sullivan has been transferred from the big leagues to an even bigger one: as a lieutenant (jg) in the Navy, he was at the latest word, training at a southern base. Larry Mullins, still at Iowa Fre-Flight, has been promoted to lieutenant commander.

One of those right out in the front of the invasion of Normandy was a '31 man. Lt. Joe Kirby, Chicago, skipper of LST 315, according to Robert Cromie's dispatch to the "Chicago Tribune." Joe, originally from Waukegan, a Chicago suburb, had been a theater manager, a brokerage home employee and air conditioning expert with General Electric before he joined the Navy in 1942. Trained partially at the Notre Dame V-7 school, he was assigned to an LST as executive officer, becoming a skipper on his own ship only three months ago. And before joining the Navy he had "never performed a nautical task more difficult than rowing a boat in Lincoln Park," according to Cromie.

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

From Jim Collins:

Lt. Bill Jones stopped by from an Army transport recently for lunch and it was good to see him after all these years. He has been in the Navy since Sept. 21, 1942, and has been at sea with the Armed Guard for the past 16 months. His wife and 11-month-old son (born in June, He wrote me a letter which stated in part:

"Really good seeing you after, migosh, 12 long years! Talk of Notre Dame and the class of '32 has not really inspired my memory as yet but the next month or so at sea will give me a good chance to mull things over and give you a better report. Most of the fellows I have run into from N.D. were from classes other than ours. For instance, one named **Broderick** (about '41): I met him in the American bar in Glasgow. Just back from a long and rather ardous Murmansk trip - we had a long and interesting talk about men neither of us knew in common. Frank Councily, ex. '35, although a Navy lieutenant, was loaned to the Marines for construction on one of the more torrid South Pacific islands. The last I heard he was suffering from one of the jungle illnesses and possibly to be shipped home-Frank Norton, '32, has been at Aberdeen Proving Grounds for some time, involved in Army personnel work. Tommy Burns was in the Army briefly but an old eye injury from basketball kept him from staying. He is back with Eastman Kodak's accounting department. Herb Wehrlen is still milling about New Jersey and had the misfortune to lose his newly-born infant some time back. Frank Oberkeetter is still with Eastman Kodak in Rochester and doing fine."

TRIBUTE

Recently, from an infantryman on the Anzio beachhead, came this remarkable tribute to a '29 man:

"... Father Joe Barry is from Notre Dame — the most popular and truly-loved man in the regiment. Small and wiry—a bundle of energy—a great understanding of men—and a sharp Irish wit. He can make you grin any time."

Another welcome visitor was Lt. Bill McCermick who is stationed with the Amphibious Force at Little Creek, Va. He is in charge of organizing repair units for ships of that force, which keeps him extremely busy. His wife and daughter recently moved here.

Lt. (jg) Baden Powell, sunburned and dehydrated from a gunnery training cruise on a battleship dropped in recently and to'd of the activities of many of the fellows. He said Art Himbert is working for the "Miami Herald" and taking care of his young daughter; his wife died about a year ago. Bob Leppert was in Miami while he was there and is now in the Navy: Don Garrity, '33, is a lieutenant (jg) in the DE training program in Norfolk. Jim Saccareccie is a Navy lieutenant, and is the senior medical officer at Quonset, R. I. Hudson Hausman, married and father of three children, is a C.P.A., and living in Dumont, N. J. Lt. (jg) Bill Webster and Lt. Bill Gosselin were in Miami this winter. Both are in the Navy.

Baden also said: "Jack Mahoney, my civilian roommate in Houston, a '37 N.D. man, got married when the Army decided he was 4F and then he couldn't take the idea of seeing me and our other roommate, name of O'Bryan (now an Army captain), in uniform, so he enlisted in the Marines and is now going to R.O.C.S. for a commission. Tom Hardart, '38, is a lieutenant (jg) and Tom Dunley, '41, is a shipmate. They were both with me at Newport."

Lt. (ig) Bob Lee writes from Frinceton that he expected his permanent orders about June 1. He had heard from Lt. (ig) Charley Deerr recently and Charlie had been sent to the Armed Guard Center at Gulfport, Miss.

A fine letter from Ted Halpin states in part: "I ran into Andy Barton the other day in Indianapolis. He has taken his physical exam for the draft and expected to be in uniform soon. He is married and has three children and lives in Cincinnati. His brother Dan, '30, is somewhere in Italy in the Army.

"I received a letter from John Kenney from

England, where he is a major in the Army. He wrote that he had a recent visit with John Bannon there. I believe Bannon has seen lots of this war because the last I had previously heard of him he was in Africa; he was inducted here in January. '42. and spent a week with us when he could get away from Fort Harrison. Keañey's son, John, Jr., is a year and a half old now, and he and his pappy have never seen each other.

"I have lost the address of Kenneth Kreps since he went to Camp Chaffee, and would like to have it. Also the addresses of Joe R. Kenny, Jack Skeehan, Bill Maywalt, George Owen, Frank Trieweiler and Bob Hartman.

"A luncheon meeting of the Indianapolis N.D. club to commemorate the granting of the charter to the school by the state, was well attended; it deserved to be because there were several fine talks by several state brass hats and climaxed by a brilliant talk by Father O'Donnell. I sat with John, '34, and Mike, '42, Carr and we saw practically everyone who ever went to N.D. and is still in town. I see Charley Quigley regularly when I go to Richmond. I know all his friends will be happy as I was to learn that his wife is in good health again. My twin brother, Ed, ex. '32, is a flight engineer on a troop carrier plane stationed in Sicily and has the Air Medal. He is a staff sergeant."

Ted, incidentally, was scheduled for his physical exam by his draft board during May but I have not heard the result.

Stan Czpalski writes that the Universal N.D. Night banquet in Chicago was well attended, and among those he saw there were Jim Lewis, Neil Hurley, Ernte Hechinger, Paul O'Toole (now in the Navy as a lieutenant. jg), Lt. Bill Kirby, Ed Ryan, Bert Metzger, '31. and Major Ray Naber, '33. He says that Jim Dowrs is at Camp Beals, Calif., Moon Mullins is in Chicago with a blue printing company, and Barney Bernhardt is a lieutenant in the Navy, somewhere in the southwest Pacific in charge of a gunnery crew.

Gabe Moran was sent to Newfoundland with a draft of men from Sampson, N. Y. He likes it very well, and expects to receive a commission in the Navy soon. Lt. (ig) John Litcher has been sent to the Communications school at Harvard University from Miami. He says that Bill Blind, Frank Nulty and Joe Willis are also there in the officers school.

I had an interesting visit with Spike McAdams, '31, recently on his new ship. His is the first of this type of ship to be commissioned and Spike is very proud to be in command of it. He said he had recently been home to see his wife and four children but missed seeing Nick Bohling drafted.

Jack Jacger, '33, has been commissioned pay clerk, a chief warrant officer rating, in the Navy after serving as a storekeeper for over two years. He is assigned as disbursing officer and is at sea at present.

FATHER BURKE IS CHAPLAIN

Rev. John J. Burke, C.S.C., '32, prefect of discipline at Notre Dame, was sworn into the Navy as a chaplain in May and is now at the College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Va., for his training course. Rev. Joseph Kehoe, C.S.C., '33, is acting prefect of discipline in Father Burke's absence. Promotions: Joe Petritz, Bob Cahill, '34, and Nappy Napolitano, all at N.D. until they entered the Navy as lieutenants (jg), all have been upped to senior grade. Joe continues in the armed guard, Bob continues to hold down a South Pacific base in air communications, and Nappy is still one of the large links in the phyed set-up at Iowa Pre-Flight.

Pvt. Jim Doucet writes that his current address is 3700 AAF Base Unit, 1108 15th St., Denver. John Gostisha, Jim says, is APO 516 out of N.Y.C.

SIX O'TOOLES

When Paul O'Toole, '32, Chicago, joined the Navy in May as a lieutenant, junior grade, he became the sixth member of his family in the armed forces. Four of them are Notre Dame alumni. The other three are: Sgt. Justin, AUS, '36; 1st. Lt. Bartholomew, AUS, '39, and 2nd Lt. Kevin, USMCR, '42. In addition: 2nd Lt. Vincent, AUS, and Ensign Patricia of the WAVES. Robert is currently a Notre Dame student.

Lt. Kelly Powers wrote in April to give his address: 594th Joint Assault Signal Corps, Fort Ord, Calif. He was mighty eager to hear from some of his classmates. Wilfrid de St. Aubin of Griffith. Ind. (near Hammond) is a club director with the American Red Cross in North Africa.

1933 Tighe Woods, 7944 Ellis Avc., Chicago, III.

Catching up with Woods and with some of Woods' mail (forwarded by the same as he was leaving with his other shirt on one of his practically continual trips for the OPA out of Chicago):

Jack Breen, Detroit, purchasing agent for the General Detroit Corp., manufacturers of fire extinguishers and allied products, sent on an extensive clipping from the Detroit "Free Press" which contained a thrilling story by Lt. Eddie Moriarty, USNR, on a surface action in the Pacific which resulted in the destruction of a fourship Jap convoy by a lone U.S. destroyer. Eddie joined the Navy soon after Pearl Harbor and is, or was, gunnery officer aboard an aircraft carrier. He used to be on the sports staff of the "Free Press."

Jack said that on Feb. 1 he became a father for the second time. Two girls now.

Major Ray Naber wrote from the Jeffersonville. Ind., Q.M. Depot (this was long ago) with news of Sgt. John Barrett, then at Camp Claiborne, La., and Cpl. Jim Gerend, then at the Marine Base, San Diego.

Ray continued: "Pat Burns is an officer in an anti-aircraft outfit and was at Camp Haan, Calif. Jim Gilfoil (Omega, La.) and I exchange our yearly letter with the note on Christmas greetings. He is now the father of two girls and a boy. Russ O'Shea passes through Louisville once in a while. He is selling insurance and is also business agent for a river boat pilots' association."

Ray has been at the one post since reporting for duty as a second lieutenant on April 3, 1941. And he's right across the river from his home in Louisville. Tighe said that Mort Goodman, '30, is a pic. at Camp Butner, N. C., and "has high hopes of making judge advocate through OCS."

Lt. (jg) Jim Bourke writes from the Naval Air Station. Seattle, where he is an instructor. He says: "Fred Zeitlow of Indianapolis is stationed at the Puget Sound Navy Yard, serving there as a welding officer. Lt. Cmdr. Bill Hawkes is out here with a naval air transport squadron. Several weeks ago at a local Notre Dame get-together I had the pleasure of bumping into Dick Meade, Lt. (ag) Johnny English and Lt. (jg) Paul Meyers, of the class of '28.

From Jackson, Mich., Bill Martersteck's mother writes that Bill is now a lieutenant (sg), serving in the South Pacific. In the service since January. 1943, Bill ended up his training in this country with a session at the aircraft turret school in Detroit.

Paul Janson, Cincinnati, is serving with the American Red Cross in the South Pacific area. Lt. (jg) Kitty Gorman is still serving in phy-ed at the pre-flight school, Chapel Hill, N. C. Lt. (jg) Frederick Scion Staley is assigned to Armed Guard out of New Orleans. His wife and their two sons are at their home in Cincinnati.

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

Jim Kearns, as you doubtless noticed, was the co-author of a fine piece in the "Saturday Evening Post" on Byron Nelson, golf pro. Jim continues as sports writer and sports columnist for the "Chicago Sun." and in outstanding style. Charlie Howard, formerly of South Bend, is in England as an assistant field director for the American Red Cross. Before entering the Red Cross, he was district supervisor of the Farm Security Administration, with his headquarters in West Lafayette. Ind.

Ralph Else, inspector of naval material, writes from 23 Lansing St., Auburn, N. Y., to tell about seven-pound Leslie Anne. born May 28. Pvt. Joe Voegele was in early April at Camp Blanding. Fla., according to a note from his wife. Mrs. Voegele was still in Fort Wayne, Ind., where Joe had been teacher and coach in Central Catholic Hich.

Some months ago Capt. Joe Spalding was with a portable surgical outfit somewhere in Burma. The censor allowed Lt. Joe Clark, USNR, to say in a V-mail letter that he was, late in April, on the island of Oahu in Hawaii. Lt. Larry O'Neill, USNR, is a blimp pilot on anti-submarine patrol duty. Paal McManus has been promoted to lieutenant (sg) at Fairfax Field. Kansas City. Kans., where he is ship's service officer.

MURPHY IS DECORATED

Capt. James P. Murphy, '34, a former staff member of the St. Louis City Hospital, has been recommended for the Bronze Star for meritorious service while on offensive patrol in the wild Laruma River district of Bougainville Island. Jim is already the recipient of the Silver Star for gallantry in action on New Georgia last summer. He is medical officer of an infantry regiment and has been in the Southwest Pacific for the past two years.

1935 Franklyn C. Hochreiter, 2118 Treasure St., New Orleans 19, La.

Charlie Landmesser's mother wrote from East Orange, N. J., on May 28 to tell the Alumni Office that Charlie, a first lieutenant with the Marines. had participated in the Marshall Island invasion and in some other hot action. He was married two years ago and his wife and sevenmonth-old daughter are back in Jersey.

Elmer Burnham, who received his Notre Dame degree with the class of '35 (when he was head coach at South Bend Central High School) recently moved as head football coach from Purdue to the University of Rochester. Gerry Molinari, according to latest word from him (March 21), is, and has been for the past two years, employed by an American aircraft firm in the British Isles. He was married on Oct. 15. 1943, to Alice Patricia Bradley in Holy Cross Church, Belfast. He adds: "I haven't seen any N.D. men over here yet. I did hear that there was a tough Marine at Londonderry from N.D., but never got to meet him."

Arnold Morrison, Syracuse, N. Y., was all set to enter the Navy, Fort Schuyler, N. Y., on May 29 as a jg lieutenant. And when he wrote he and his wife were waiting for their third child to join two previous daughters. Dick Prezebel, in India with the Air Transport Command, has been promoted to first lieutenant.

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

From Joe Mansfield:

The letters have been few since the last issue and the amount of news on the slim side. We've been hoping to hear frcm John Moran who is somewhere on the high seas as skipper of a gun crew.

Here are some excerpts from a letter regarding London written by $S_jSgt.$ Andy McMahon: "During January I attended an ETO reunion of Notre Dame men. There were about 50 present and I heard of about 10 others who didn't make it. I spent the evening with Clyde Lewis. '34, and Neil Farrell, '35. Capt. Lewis is in the Air Corps, while 1st Lt. Farrell is in the Signal Corps. . . . As per usual, the Jerries were around that evening, as they have been on all my visits. . . . Our life here is quiet. with little or no variation in our program." [Ed's note: This was written before the invasion.]

.Capt. Fred Gabriel crashes through in his customary 100 per cent style. He says in part: "I'll not deviate from my practice of writing about the five of us who went to Jefferson Medical School together. They are the only ones in our class I have kept in contact with very well. . . . Our group really numbers only four now. As you probably know, Jimmy Quinn, Captain, M.C., was killed in a plane crash in England last July. There was one fine fellow. God rest his soul! John Brady wrote me this week from somewhere in the Central Pacific (I believe), where he saw action not long ago as medico with the Marines. John Francis Regis Shaffer, the Pittsburgh kid, now is a captain and is with an M.P. outfit at Camp Custer, Mich.

"My brother, Lou, . . . is now on the last lap of a course in tropical medicine at the Army Medical Center in Washington. Then he returns to Camp Campbell, Ky. . . I am now a veteran of four months overseas duty. . . I always get a bang out of receiving the 'Alumnus.' . . I find the music of the Victory March and mention of Notre Dame as arresting as ever; invariably they make people look twice. . . Today I had a letter from Lou. He recently received an announcement of the marriage of Leo Hofschneider (Capt., M.C.) to an American Army nurse, Australia, last September. A cousin of **Bill Gottsacker** is in our outfit.

I have a clipping sent on to me by Fred Gabriel. It is from the Buffalo (N.Y.) 'Evening News' of April 12 and in it is reprinted a magnificent letter from Leo Hofschneider to his mother. [The 'Alumnus' is proud to reprint the letter nearby in this issue—Ed.] Leo entered the Army on July 1, 1942, and was sent overseas after spending 26 days at Carlisle Barracks, Pa. His wife, the former 1st Lt. Margaret Rose Cangany, is at her Indianapolis home awaiting the birth of their child."

Lt. Al Rohol, Chicago, has been in both the Atlantic and Pacific with the Navy and has seen lots of action. At the latest word from his Chicago employer, the W. A. Alexander insurance firm, he was in the Pacific. Lt. Cmdr. Tom DuMont, South Bend, former county surveyor, returned recently to his home on leave after spending 22 months in the South Pacific. His new duties are in Norfolk, Va.

Irwin Crotty is immigrant inspector at the U.S. Border Station. St. John. N. D. Major Ed Theis is now in England. Dick Saseks was elected recently a director of the American Industrial Bankers Association and appeared on the program of the association's annual convention in St. Louis. Later he was elected vice-president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce in St. Joseph. Mo.

Ist Lt. Jee Schmidt, Q.M.C., APO 812, Miani, Fla., writes that he's recently seen the "Alumnus" of Capt. Fred Simon, '39. Joe's been in the same spot for many months. Den Martin, '34, is in the same neighborhood. Bob Manning writes from the Aircraft Material Office. Naval Supply Depot. Oakland, Calif. He's in the Navy. Genersee Lambiente, a dentist, has been in the Army M.C. for two years and in Northwest Africa since January, 1943. Lt. (ig) Bob Haley reported in New Orleans on May 22 for assignment as commander of an Armed Guard crew.

1937 Paul Foley, Apt. 1-D, Unit 4, Pinewood Apt., Hartsdale, N. Y.

You'd never know it, of course, but the class secretary has since early in the year been an important part of fashionable Westchester County, which is an hour, or something, northward out of Grand Central Terminal. N.Y.C. The ad-

THE THINGS I DREAM OF NOW

The following letter was written to his mother from the South Pacific by **Capt. Leo Hofschneider**, M.C., '36, a doctor in an infantry regiment. It speaks, eloquently, for itself. It was reprinted first in the Buffalo, N. Y., "Evening News" of April 12, 1944.

"I've gotten so used to this business in the past couple of years that I sometimes wonder if there is any other way to live.

"I've done enough and seen enough to last me for two lives. I've enten yams and coconuts with natives, and traded razor blades for bunches of bananas: I've picked and eaten pineapples hot from the sun. with juice so sweet I've needed water afterwards. But I've changed a bit—and now I eat my meat and beans from cans—without a fork; it smears my face, but I can wipe that off. My sleeves are dirty anyway.

"I've watched our planes go out in numbers, and when they came back. I've counted them and breathed a silent prayer for those whose place in line was vacant. I've seen planes fight, in spiraling arcs over the sea, and jumped and shouted for joy when a red Rising Sun turned black and fell in flames, with streamers reaching out behind. I've watched our Air Corps bomb and blast the little buzzards to their Shinto heaven, and I've been below while Japs bombed us and tried to send me onto mine! I've groveled on the ground at night when bombs fell near, and prayed for dawn, yet feared its coming because it meant attack!

"I've counseled men who feared what's coming next, and I've sought advice from grizzled veterans of 23 to learn how to protect myself—they taught me, too. I've seen these same men dash to certain death; I've seen others crack—and cry and curse, and still go back for more. I've held them in my arms to die, and laughed and joked with them to keep their spirits up.

"I've seen big ships, and crouched in a small boat beneath the scream of their shells passing overhead, while smoke and flame obscured the guns, and noise like thunder shook our small assault craft.

"I'm with the infantry. I've seen that queen of battles charge from bonts upon a hostile beach and plunge into the stinking jungle where you couldn't see a foot ahead. I've gone with them—so scared I shook and sweated yet couldn't give my feelings any vent because my men were near, and I'm supposed to be a man to lead. I've slept in water to my waist, and used my poncho to cover my supplies instead of me. I've lugged a pack so heavy that I couldn't straighten up—because men with bullets in their bellies need plasma right away, and chafes across my back don't hurt as much.

"I've stood out on the beach and watched a hundred dawns, and looked towards home across the sea and wondered how the traffic was on Main St. It can't go on forever, and some day. I hope I can get home to do the things I dream of now. To sit and smoke and listen to a band; to take a rum and coke; to eat fresh mayonnaise and lettuce; to go to church and see the gang around the corner afterward. Simple things, themselves, but their importance grows.

"Now I have a wife, and a family will be mine pretty soon, and there's nothing I want more than to come home and watch it grow, but if coming home means that I have to turn my back just once and shirk my duty, then, I won't be back. I rather like this life, though at times I get discouraged, but I realize that 1'm useful here, and I enjoy the respect and confidence of the men it's my job to patch up.

"Occasionally, these Japs drop bombs on us —they're either bombs or something else. They scream when they come down. They may be just old peanut roasters. I don't think so though, because I've looked into the holes they make. and never found a whistle. or any peanuts, either. dress is above. About Jan. 2, Paul joined the Overseas Branch of the Office of War Information. 224 W. 57th St., N.Y.C., on a six-months working-training basis prior to overseas assignment. At the latest code message from him he was awaiting a particularly interesting chaperoning assignment in the U.S.A. Overseas work is scheduled for late summer. The Foleys sold their elegant new home in Grosse Pointe, Mich.



Lt. Richard J. Carroll, '37, flew a P-38 to England in July, 1942, and was one of the first Americans to put a Lightning into action in Algiers, landing there Nov. 8, 1942. He was shot down over Gabes, Dec. 30, and captured by the Italians after being on 20 missions.

As a prisoner of war being taken from Africa to Italy, Dick was put on a submarine that was bombed by the R.A.F. and sunk in the Mediterranean, Jan. 14, 1943. His parents in Chicago haven't received any further word about the accident or about him. He is a brother of Bill Carroll, '33, and a brother-in-law of John O'Leary, '39.

Father Joe English, M.M., was ordained a priest of the Catholic Foreign Mission Society of America at Maryknoll, N. Y., on June 11. He sang his first solemn Mass in his home parish, Newburgh, N. Y., on June 18. He has been assigned to special work for the Maryknoll Fathers in N.Y.C.

Larry Weiss, SK 3/C was at the naval base in San Bruno, Calif., when he wrote in March. Lt. John E. Kelley was with the 805th F.A. Bn., Camp Barkeley, Texas, in early May. Capt. Bill Fitzpatrick, in the Army since July, 1941, is APO 595, N.Y.C. Larry Danbom was promoted to lieutenant (ig) at the Iowa Fre-Flight School. Ensign Jim Bacon was scheduled to report to Fort Schuyler. N. Y., for indoctrination on April 28, following eight months for the AP in Albany, N. Y., where he was early N.Y. state editor. One of his co-workers there was Jim Munn, '33, Bochester, N. Y., correspondent for the AP.

Ensign Jim Nolan writes from the Central Pacific: "I have been with the Navy since October of 1943, and am in the Pacific area now, on duty with Naval Aviation. Prior to entering the Navy, I worked for Republic Aviation on Long Island as manager of their control tower and airfield. "I have a lovely daughter, Margaret Diane, just past two years old. Have not heard much from William "Boots" McCarthy and Harrison Pierce but understand they're both officers in the Army and Navy respectively. . . . Saw Dan Hanley . . . several months ago in San Francisco. . . I was indoctrinated with Hoffmann, the former N.D. football player and coach."

Phil Bondi has found it necessary, unhappily, to return to Rockford Sanitorium, Rockford, Ill. (Box 877). Say a prayer for him so that he'll get out quickly. And by all means drop him a line at your first opportunity.

1st Lt. Al Schafer is (or was in March) aidede-camp to the commanding general, Major General Frederick Gilbreath, at the San Francisco Port of Embarkation. Capt. John F. "Sam" Dunne, '28, is on the staff in the same spot. Lt. (ig) Bernie Niezer is operating in the Pacific for the Navy.

1938 Harold A. Williams, 4328 Marblehall Rd., Baltimore, Md.

From Hal Williams:

Just a few letters, several notes, and a newspaper clipping for the column this issue. You fellows are slipping. How about some news?

First, a V-mail note from Lt. William J. Cour. APO, N.Y.C. Writes Bill: "Sweating it out in a foxhole these days. . . In six more days I will have completed two years overseas. Have seen the British Isles, put in almost a year in North Africa and have been battling around Italy for quite a while . . . Haven't run across many of the fellows. (He mentions one of the boys but I can't make out the last name). He also says . that Tom Flynn is stationed in Baltimore. How about making yourself known, Tom?

Now a V-mail letter from Cpl. Edmond Bartnett. Ed. now in England. says that just before embarking he came down with pneumonia and was hospitalized for three weeks. Ed has bumped into 1st Lt. Bill Toumey, now a public relations officer, and had a letter from T/4 Jim (Binghamton) Sullivan who is in the Pacific.

Now a note from Father Dave Fosselman, C.S.C., class of '39, stationed at the Holy Cross Seminary at school. He writes, "Thought you might like more news about Major Bill Mehring. I had the happiness of seeing him on St. Patrick's Day in Huntington, Ind., It was his first trip home in 15 months." Father Dave also says that Bill was seeing his baby for the first time; at first she ran away from him, possibly because Bill was sporting a six-inch handlebar mustache.

Pfc. Charlie Callahan, still writing sports for the Peterson Field (Col.) "Wingspread." had a nation-wide audience recently when he was a guest star in Hugh Fullerton Jr.'s AP sports column. Nice going. Charlie!

I'm expecting a visit from my old roommate, Bud Sherwood, this week-end, and that's about all the news I have.

There is brief word of Father Tom Cleary, of the diocese of Rochester, N. Y., who was ordained in June, 1942. Lt. (ig) Bob Bryan after some exciting service as a doctor in the Atlantic is assigned to the U.S. Marine Hospital, Detroit. Lt. (ig) Bill Mahoney gave up California for the heauties of Georgia Pre-Flight, Athens. 2nd Lt. Ed Haggar, having finished OCS at Miami Beach on March 5, 1944, is civilian personnel officer at Wendover Field, Utah, according to a note from his wife.

Fromotions: Jack Lacey, once secretary to Father Hugh O'Donnell, to lieutenant colonel in the Air Corps; Paul Nowak, to lieutenant (jg) in the Navy. Lacey, he said in a V-letter not too long ago, had worked a lot with **Capt. Tem Meagher**, baseball player of the early thirties, who is with the Air Force engineers. At one airport Meagher had charge of building and Lacey had charge of running.

Ray Meyer has signed a three-year contract as athletic director and head basketball coach at DePaul, Chicago, where he's enjoyed super success. Dan Boyle, having got his M.D. in December, 1943, is doing his interneship in St. Mary's Hospital, Philadelphia 25. Spt. Paul Schaub was with the Service Co., 311th Inf., Camp Pickett, Va.

Sgt. John Beer in many months overseas (he's in the Pacific) has met only two N.D. men: Int Lt. Jack Clifford, '42, serving with a Marine tank outfit, and Father Heindl, a C.S.C. chaplain. He spoke of them in a recent letter to Father Hugh O'Donnell, president. He ended: "Had some experience with prayer in a foxhole and its efficacy cannot possibly be overestimated."

When he wrote on St. Patrick's Day, Lt. Dave Connor, also in the Pacific, had just read the October and December issues of the "Alumnus" and wanted to give '38 a lift. But he, like John Beer, hadn't seen many N.D. men. Bob Michlos, '37, was with him but Capt. John Cella, '39, had moved on.

1939 Vincent W. DeCoursey, 1321 Georgia, Essass City, Kana.

Lt. (ig) Dave Meskill, along with his check for the Second Annual Alumni Fund, sent in a lot of news on March 29 from his ship in the Pacific. He said: "Don't see very many of the old gang, but ever so often one turns up. Ran into **Charlie McCarthy**, '40, the other day, fresh out of the States, and supply officer of an advanced air base. Joe McDermott, '39, is running around on a tanker as assistant first lieutenant, and we managed to have a couple of beers together a couple of weeks ago.

"Phil Lucier, '42, is paymaster on another destroyer that has seen plenty of action for over a year. Had a good session with him not long ago, but haven't seen him since. Gus Dereume, '42, was paymaster of another can in our squadron, but was relieved recently by another N.D. man. Ray Roy, '43. . . Still hoping they will send me back one of these days, especially in time for that Notre Dame-Dartmouth game in Boston in October."

Norb Aleksis, serving with the Air Transport Command, in India, has been promoted to captain. He's been in service since July 2, 1942. Lt. (jg) Chuck Reddy recently spent a leave with his wife and with his parents in South Bend. When he sent in his contribution in April, Pvt. Ray Kane was at Camp Claiborne, La. And when Lt. (jg) Ed Broscoe did ditto in ditto month, he was at the Naval Air Navigation Radio School, Gainesville, Fla.

Capt. Phil Maloney of the Marines wrote from the Pacific to send in his contribution and to tell the "Alumnus" about his new daughter. Maureen, born in Washington, D.C., on March 10.

940 Lt. Robert G. Sanford, 3934 N. Maryland Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.

From Pete Sheehan:

Heard from Chick O'Brien, who had completed his course here and was gathering his crew at the Air Force Replacement Depot in Tampa. He said, "I have run into Bob Dorn, here as a co-pilot, and Ted Prekowitz, who has just finished his ASTF course and is now at Drew Field for assignment. I've got all my crew but the navigator." A. M. (Bad) Bernard writes from the South Pacific: "Met Ed Doyle, '40, at a field some 10 or 15 miles from here where he is on duty with a Black Cat squadron. He is a naval pilot and recently made lieutenant. George Moriarity, '36, is on duty as recreation officer at this base. Is doing a swell job, too."

Bill O'Hare and John Ward are at Quartermaster OCS at Camp Lee, Va., and will be commissioned in July.

The class secretary, Lt. Bob Sanford, is quartermastering in New Guinea. A letter he wrote on May 5 said that he had arrived on April 21 "on this island of mud, rain and insects. . . Have acquired a pair of hipboots and I practically sleep with them on. It's not safe for a short guy like me to go very far off the beaten path 'cause some of these mudholes are plenty deen."

Bob's dad in Milwaukee (like Mr. Patterson for '41, a grand acting secretary) forwarded to the "Alumnus" a couple of recent letters addressed to Bob. The first was from Lt. (ig) Ed Fulham in the Pacific. He wrote: "Yesterday was like being back in old St. Ed's. Saw a copy of 'Our Sunday Visitor' containing Father Gartland's smiling photograph. Two 'Alumnus' came aboard in the mail — first ones I've seen in nearly a year — and then at the movies that night I saw the Great Lakes-N.D. game in the newsreel. If we had beaten G.L., it would have been a perfect day.

"I've been bouncing around the Pacific on a destroyer for about 15 months now. We've covered a lot of ocean and I'm always looking for a familiar N.D. face — no luck so far. The last one I saw was **Bud Gentner** in Los Angeles over a year ago. . . **Jim Casper**, now at Seymour Field, N. C., sent me a photograph of **Norb Schickel's** wife and child."

The second letter to Bob was from **Tom Duffy's** mother in Evanston, Ill. Tom is serving in the Pacific as a first lieutenant in the Marines. He and his wife are the parents of Tom, Jr., born Feb. 25, whom Pop hasn't seen yet. Mrs. Duffy continued: "Tom says he has met a great number of Notre Dame men out there, and that each meeting brings a new thrill."

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford heard some time back from Capt. Tom Barry of the Marines, also in the Pacific, who, though wounded in action, had recovered fully and was back with his company. Tom had seen or heard of in that area. John Quinn, '41, Jock Henebry, Jim Donoghue and Joe Zuercher, '41.

Bob forwarded letters he had received from Lt. (jg) Louis Cenni, U.S. Naval Hospital. Brooklyn, N. Y., and from the father of Capt. Tom Liston, APO 638, N.Y.C. At the hospital Louie was, of course, seeing plenty of the horrors of war. In N.Y.C. he had seen Lt. (jg) Bill Mc-Cloy and he was in touch with Dr. John Flynn and Dr. John Kelleher who were doing their internship at Kings County Hospital, Brooklyn; both of the latter will soon be in Army uniform. Louie had also had a pleasant chat with Father Lee, C.S.C., who is doing graduate work at Columbia.

Mr. Liston said (on April 4) that Tom Jr., went to England around Dec. 1, 1943 and that he had been on combat missions several times. He had been awarded the Air Medal in February and, soon after, the Oak Leaf cluster. He had attended that N.D.-Minnesota reunion in London in mid.January but hadn't seen any '40 men.

"Generally recognized king of Southwest Pacific attack bomber pilots" is the title which has been accorded in recent press dispatches to Jock Hene-



Six former students of the University were recently working together at a Ninth Air Force station in England. They are, left to right, Cpl. Robert E. Duffy, '31; Sgt. Frank J. McDonough, '41; Lt. Col. Robert E. O'Hara, '20; 1st Lt. James E. Curran, '40; Cpl. Michael T. Scanlon, ex. '42; and Cpl. Lawrence J. O'Connor, '38.

bry, a lieutenant colonel. According to these dispatches, in May, Jock had accumulated 470 hours of combat time while carrying out 118 combat missions. He had made two crash landings. He was leader of a group which had, among other things, destroyed 440 Jap planes. sank 104.000 tons of shipping and probably sank or damaged an additional 120,000 tons. His group, flying medium bombers, specializes in masthead bombings.

Lt. (jg) John D. Gavan, '40, Milwaukee, was awarded the Air Medal for meritorious achievement in an attack against the Japs at Rabaul on Nov. 5. The following citation, signed by Admiral W. F. Halsey, USN, tells the heroic story about John:

"For meritorious achievement while participating in an areial attack against the enemy as leader of a fighter plane section during the raid on Japanese warships in the strongly fortified harbor of Rabaul, New Britain, on November 5, 1943. Lieutenant Gavan followed his division leader into terrifically heavy and accurate antiaircraft fire following his particular group of dive bombers. With utter disregard of his personal safety and intent only with the purpose of getting the group he was protecting in and out again, he approached, dived and pulled out with them, dodging antiaircraft bursts and beating off enemy fighters until the attack was completed and the danger over. His daring ability contributed largely to the success of the attack both in enabling the bombers and torpedo planes to concentrate on their respective targets free of fighter opposition and in protecting the group in the most vulnerable stage of its attack. Although his plane was damaged, he probably destroyed one enemy fighter and damaged an additional one. His courageous conduct was in keeping with the highest traditions of the United States Naval Service."

In April John participated in an air blow against Saban Island and Lhonga airfield on Sumatra, managing to fly back to his carrier although he had lost a third of his tail surfaces. John had returned from an earlier strike off his carrier with 54 holes in his plane.

Jim Byrne, teaching now at Culver Military Academy. 35 miles south of South Bend, hits the N.D. campus occasionally. The PRO of the Ninth Air Force in England says in a lengthy dispatch that 1st Lt. John O'Brien, an ordnance officer for a troop carrier wing, played nine holes of golf on recent leave at a senside resort. Tom Hosty, sending his contribution to the Second Alumni Fund, writes from Sincere and Co., stock brokers, 231 S. La Salle St., Chicago.

Flight Officer Tommy Shields, a glider pilot.

not long ago was named the outstanding athlete of his graduating class at Lubbock. Texas Jim Casper entered the AAF photography school at Yale on April 11 and will be a second lieutenant upon successful completion. 1st. Lt. Bill Kerwin is assistant maintenance officer at Tinker Army Air Field, Oklahoma City, Okla.

Promotion: Bob Salivas, executive officer with a troop carrier unit of the Ninth Air Force in England, now a captain. Commission: Dan Hanman, second licutenant in the AAF: graduated, Columbus Air Field, Columbus, Miss., May 23.

Harry Stevenson, in the Signal Corps, is in charge of the athletic program at an Army replacement depot in England. John Schrweitr, S.J., writes that he is now at Springhill College, Mobile, Ala.

You of course read, or heard about, the magnificent article, "The Battle Without a Name," which Capt. Bob Blake of the Marines had in the "Saturday Evening Post" not too long ago. Bob told a fascinating, psychological story of a battle experience in the South Pacific. It's something.

Capt. Manrice Noonan, '40, Eagle Grove, Ia., has been awarded the Air Medal for meritorious achievement as a Marine fighter pilot in the Solomon Islands area last year.

Maurice teamed with another fighter pilot to destroy an enemy dive bomber, Aug. 21. Three days later, while on patrol, his two-plane fight was attacked by a formation of 16 Zeros. Although hopelessly outnumbered, he dove to the attack and shot down one Zero and assisted in scattering the remainder.

1941 Lt. John W. Patierson, Jr., 5530 Dar-Hagton Rd., Pittaburgh, Pa.



LT. JOHN W. PATTERSON, JR., '41

[Ed's. note: We asked Mr. Patterson for a picture of himself so that you of '41 could have a look at the man who, in the absence overseas of his son, is doing so much to keep class interest alive. He modestly refused the request, asking that we use instead, if we wished, this picture of John, Jr. So here it is, and very handsome too, we think. Pat, in England at the latest report, after service in Africa and Sicily, is athletic officer of his outfit and editor of the division paper; "The American Traveller," By now he is probably in Normandy or Leyond.]

Mr. Patterson forwarded some letters, as usual. One, written April 6, was from 1st Lt. Pat Patnam, who was then at Selman Field, Monroe, La., in the Air Corps. Pat had recently seen only three N.D. men: Frank Hellenderer, who was stationed at Selman Field as a pilot; Greg Rice, an ensign with the Merchant Marine in New York; and Chet Sullivan who, with his wife, was momentarily in Dalhart, Texas, but had just been ordered to report to Gulfport, Miss., to handle phy-ed work.

On June 10. Dake Murphy, lieutenant, USNR, wrote from Miami, Fla., as follows: "Just returned to the States after 20 months in the Southwest Pacific and, needless to say. I am very happy to be back. It was a thrill to fly over the Golden Dome last week, while en route to Cleveland to see Babs McCormack and make final plans for our wedding there on the 17th of this month.

"Al Perine was on his way to the West Coast while I was heading East. Tom Mulligan just rated chief petty officer and transferred to Camp Wallace, Texas Bill Kramer, lieutenant, AC, was in Africa at last letter writing. Have been trying to get a line on Ed McHugh but no luck yet.

"When my leave expires I report in Florida; will be there two months. Then your guess is as good as mine."

Mr. Patterson had had word of the Dillon brothers, through their father, from Butler, Pa. Charlie, president of the class of '41, is now a first lieutenant in New Guinea, serving, at the latest report, as aide to one of the generals. He was commissioned in Australia. John Jr., '40, is a lieutenant (jg) in the Navy and was recently serving in the Atlantic.

Aviation Radio Technician 3/c John Cissne returned to Corpus Christi, Texas, after a leave with his wife and son and his parents in South Bend. Lt. (jg) Walt Fegan, also of South Bend, is aboard a supply ship in the Atlantic.

2nd Lt. John A. Stack, co-pilot of the Eighth AAF Flying Fortress "Liberty Ship," has been awarded the Air Medal for meritorious achievement while participating in the heavy bombing assaults on vital Nazi military and industrial targets in Europe.

Jim McGrath, a veteran of almost two years in the Coast Guard, recently was advanced to quartermaster, first class. He is serving in the Atlantic Dick Mincezeski, who received his M.D. from Indiana University, is interning in Mercy Hospital, Gary, Ind. He has his commission as a first lieutenant in the Army. Frank McDonough, a correspondent with Ninth AAF in England, was advanced to the grade of staff sergeant.

A note from his wife (with his contribution to the Second Alumni Fund) says that Lt. (jg) Bob Howley is operating a PT boat in the South Pacific. Ensign Emery Beres, also in the Pacific, says that Fred Hover, '42, is with him (or was). Emery had also seen Jerry Killigrew, Bob Saggau, Bob Raaf and Danny Bradley in various spots. Mrs. George Ferrick writes that George, a first lieutenant in a service group, is in England. Ensign Don Tiedemann is assistant supply officer at the Naval Auxiliary Air Station, Fallon. Nev.

1942 Pvt. William E. Scanlon, Public Relations Office, Ft. Sheridan, Ill.

From Scoop Scanlon:

Late in April came the bad news that Lt. (jg) Hercules Bereolos was reported missing by the Navy. Herky is believed to have lost his life in a plane crash in the Pacific.

This time we introduce a new contributor to the '42 doings. He is Lt. (jz) Bob Matthews, who air-mailed a splendid communique from somewhere in the Facific, dated May 12:

"... I am in the Naval Service, serving on a PC boat in the South Pacific as executive officer. I expect to get command Sept. 1 of this year.



Capt. Milton E. Williams, '41, of South Bend and Elkhart, Ind., is shown chatting with Queen Elizabeth of England in the Churchill Club in England. Milt is an Army intelligence officer and has been overseas for nearly a year and a half. He was commissioned Oct. 14, 1942, and married the same day to Miss Mary Bowser.

Bill Baader is in our squadron and is engineer of the _____ I have seen quite a bit of him lately. I don't know how fine arts and diesel engineering ever got together. but Baader has the job.

"Bander and I met Bob Hargrave, Wade Noda, Bob Maddock and Mike Kelly, all in one fell swoop at one of the Island officers' clubs last month. Hargrave is a boat officer on an attack transport. Maddock and Noda are cargo officers on the same transport, and Kelly is a communications officer. Needless to say, we had quite a reunion. after which I was delegated to 'write to Scoop.' We have since heard that Phil Lucier was on board a tin can not 600 yards from the club, but none of us got to see him. Maddock, who when I last saw him, was nervously awaiting the arrival of a blessed event which certainly must have occurred by now.

". . . I met 'Colonel' George Saxon in San Diego late last summer and he was flying a big PBM for the U.S. Navy. Yes, it is true. Saxon has the trousers of his uniforms pegged. I remember that there were quite a few bets on that item in Alumni Hall right after George enlisted.

. . . Will be looking forward to that five-year reunion in '47."

Another of the class of '42 is in the thick of action. John A. Deery of Indianapolis, father of Lt. Paul, reports that Paul was rushed over to the Anzio beachhead early in March as a replacement. Inside of five weeks he was permanently assigned as battalion adjutant. An extract from one of Paul's letters said: "I've seen planes disintegrate in mid air, others spin in leaving a smoky trail. Have also heard the whine and then the dull thud of shells." Paul has been living in a fox hole which he helped build with two other lieutenants.

From somewhere in New Guinea, Pfc. Olen Parks, the bouncing tennis ace of our era, on April 14, V-mailed this communique: "We are plugging along out here in the swamp and, I am telling you, I'll be glad when it is over. The past winter I was stationed in Hawaii and played a great deal of tennis. Played in several matches at the University of Hawaii and out to Hickham Field and other places. When we got ready to leave Hawaii for our next stop. I put two rackets in my belongings and now I can't even find a tennis court in this forsaken place.

"Had a very nice letter from Professor Langford the other day, telling me all about the coming tennis season at Notre Dame, and he still sounds like Frank Leahy: 'Not much hope this year, etc.' But he should have a good club with Jerry Evert, younger brother of Jimmy, and I hope that he can beat old Northwestern."

At last report, Steve Juzwik, a chief specialist, was teaching boxing to naval trainees at Northwestern University. Imagine the repercussions of war — Juzwik, a Chicagoan, at Northwestern and he may be on the football team there this fall if he is still assigned to the V-12 program.

From the San Antonio, Tex., Aviation Cadet Center, A/C Leo Lintk posteards: "So far it's been a great place, but they haven't turned on the heat yet. Got in the Skyline Patrol Chorus." Leo, who had been doing library research for Justice Boyle of the Michigan Supreme Court in Lansing before entering the Army in the last week of April, donned the khaki at Fort Sheridan and we met at a dance in the Post gymnasium.

While home on furlough from duties as intelligence officer for a bomber group at Greenville, S. C., Lt. Jack Dinges telephoned from Downers Grove. Ill. Jack said he had run into Jerry Orosz, a naval aviation cadet, while in Chicago. He also reported that Cpl. Hank Dahm last wrote from Camp Roberts, Calif., and that Tom Kaufmann's latest address was Camp White, Ore. Jack got to visit Bill Reynolds' folks in Asheville, N. C., a while back, and he ran into Bill Kirby at Camp Croft, S. C.

From somewhere in North Africa, S 1/c Steve **Pavela** V-mailed that he is working in the clothing division of the Navy. ""Oh, for good old Carroll Hall back at Notre Dame — I'd never complain again." Steve wrote.

After donning the blues of a Naval Ensign at Fort Schuyler, Bronx, N. Y., George Uhl, the ex-engineer, took up the pen and wrote: "I met some Wave ensigns at the Ritz-Carleton party, and one was from Oneonta, N. Y. She knew two of the old gang: Joe Rorick, who is still a civilian, working somewhere in Massachusetts in a war machinery plant, and Bill Hampel, who, she says, is flying (USAAC) in Burma. Bill is married and has a child. Joe Rorick was also married recently, to a St. Mary's girl."

Uhl had called while visiting Chicago just before entering Schuyler and let him take over: "I left Chicago and visited school where I saw Sommers, Bannigan and also Father Hooyboer, as well as Jim Armstrong and several other profs and members of C.S.C."

While attending the New Rochelle College senior ball the last week in April. Uhl bumped into Fred Paalman, who lives in New Rochelle, and Johnny Moser, '43. Greg Rice was there too. Paulman later wrote Uhl and said he saw John Redmond in church the next day and that he is getting to see Byron Kanaley quite often.

T/5 Eddie Edmonds, class of '40, stopped at Fort Sheridan, after a tour of duty at Camp Grant. He was expecting a new assignment overseas. Pfc. Sal Lapilusa, the former waiter de luxe of Bayonne, N. J., also came up one day from Loyola University in Chicago, where he is learning to be a doctor the Army way.

Among his med school buddies are Ed Glasser,

Felix Lowrick and Joe Bergan. While visiting at St. Louis University not long ago, Sal ran into Frank Murphy and Ed McGlew, both students there.

Another ex-Notre Dame journalist working in Army public relations is **Pvt. Jim McDonough**, he with the golden voice, at Scott Field, Ill. Jim came through with some mighty newsy notes:

"Cpl. Jim Whalen, ex. '44, is now an MP in India where he has been for eight months and he dislikes the climate and the lack of civilization around Calcutta. Dick Bedie is in Loyola Med school and S/Sgt. Mike Kinnare is now stationed at a POE on the west coast. Lou Ronder is now in Australia, taking care of maintenance. Sgt. Charles R. Sidner has been in New Guinea for two years, and is credited with numerous Jap skulls. Pvt. Joe Taaffe is at a POE on the west coast.

My brother Frank, '41, is now officially a war correspondent, just made staff sergeant, and is stationed in England.".

From Mrs. Lora Lashbrook, the Law School's favorite, comes this news-filled communique:

"Ens. Jim McVay has troubles trying to get a copy of the 'Alumnus.' He hasn't received one since graduation. Lt. Ray Quinn, Army Air Force, supplemented a nice letter with a welcome photograph this week. He is stationed at the Sioux City, Ia., air base but expects a change of address soon. Lt. Bill Hosinski of the air corps flew in for a brief visit and brought his new wife out for a call. Bill was apparently using his customary good judgment in the selection of a bride. She is a beautiful blonde, but unfortunately for Bill, outranks him. She is a WAVE lieutenant.

"Those who received the April issue of the 'Alumnus' have the story of our Lt. J. J. Barr of the Marine Corps. Since publication we have a detailed report of the Tarawa battle from one of Joe's men, one Mr. Bey of St. Louis, who lost his sight as a result of the fight. He tells us that Joe led a platoon of the first 600 men to go ashore on Tarawa, and that of the 600, only 40 survived and that of 40 survivors practically none escaped injury of some kind.

"According to Mr. Bey, the second group of Marines arrived to relieve them 18 hours later, at which time the injured 40 received medical attention and were later moved to hospitals. The picture on the cover of the April 'Alumnus.' as well as this newest information, was obtained through the cooperation of Joe's sister, Marjorie, after repeated pleas to Joe failed to elicit the slightest bit of actual information about the affair. Elsewhere in this number is the announcement of Joe's engagement to Miss Mary Lou Dahm of St. Louis. I have this much news from Joe himself.

"Someone told us that Danny Dahill is stationed at the Naval Air base at Corpus Christi, Tex. Can someone confirm this? Ens. John Baty is undergoing additional training at the subchaser base at Miami, Fla., while his law partner, Ens. McVay, is on duty in the South Pacific.

"We had a letter in mid-May from Jim Daner, in the Army at the air corps base at Yuma, Ariz. A fine letter arrived this week (May 15) from Capt. Robert Sallivan of the Air Corps in England. Bob is the second captain among the '42 lawyers. The other is John Verdonk, who is with the Army Intelligence and is at this time not in a position to communicate with us, and he so advised us at the time of his assignment. Letters also arrived from Ensigns Bill Lawless, who was vacationing on Guadaleanal waiting for his ship, and Jack Lawler doing the same thing in New Caledonia. Bill's new wife is living with her mother in Buffalo for the duration.

"Dick Fogarty is in occasionally and will be a candidate for admission to the Indiana Bar this year. He is employed in South Bend. The wedding of the year was held in Our Lady's Chapel on the campus on May 13 when Ens. William Martin was married to Kathlean O'Donnell of Chicago. We are inclined to agree with Bill that any attempt to describe the bride would be useless. You have to see her to understand but we can say that Bill must have developed a good argument for she is very lovely.

"Ens. Joe Farmar's mother attended the Martin wedding and reported that Joe is stationed in New York awaiting assignment to his ship. Joe was commissioned at Columbia a month ago, and Bill was commissioned at Abbott Hall just before being married.

"Barney Grainey wrote from Camp Roberts, Calif., that he was undergoing the rigid training of an infantryman. He was a casualty of ASTP but is attached to the Intelligence Section of his outfit, which is a part of the Headquarters Company. Nick Villarosa was home for a short leave about May 1. He did manage to find time to get a ring on 'that' girl's finger, though, during his week's leave. He is stationed at Fort Jackson, S. C.

"Lt. Thomas Tearney, USNR, paid a visit to the campus a few weeks ago. He has been up in the North Pacific and has added an extra stripe. Another recent visitor was **Pvt. Fran Brinkman**, on leave from his job of training recruits for the infantry. Fran was unable to pass the physical exams for overseas duty. John Baczkswaki wrote recently from his station at Louisville, Ky., in the Army hospital there. From time to time he gives us up-to-the-minute reports on recent additions to the hospital laboratory, with appropriate annotations!

GABRESKI IS LEADING ACE

Lt. Col. Francis S. Gabreski, ex. '42, Oil City, Pa., a student at Notre Dame from 1938 to 1940, stands revealed as a leading American ace and a member of one of the most famed fighter squadrons in the war, the Žemke outfit or Wolf Pack. His picture and several references to his exploits were contained in the leading "Saturday Evening Post" feature of June 3, 1944.

At the latest available count, when the Zemke outfit had run up a record of 347 German planes blasted from the sky, Frank's score of enemy planes stood at 20. There are 26 aces in his outfit; one of them had got 22 German planes; another 21.

Col. Gabreski is a brother of Major Thaddeus S. Gabreski, '34, on duty with the medical corps in India. "Jack Tallett was last heard from at the Army Air Base at Monroe, La. Jim Clark dashed in to see us on his way home for a short furlough. From his wife, I learn that Eas. Cecil Jordan is land-based at present at a Navy station in Australia. Mrs. Jordan is living in South Bend for the duration. Jee Miller's mother told me that Joe has been promoted to lieutenant, (ig), and that he has had the good fortune to see his brother, Jack, also down in the South Pacific on active duty.

"Rec Meategaa was over for a visit a month ago. He had been discharged from the Army for physical reasons, after spending some time in the hospital while in training. He reports having seen John Speca, who steadfastly refuses to reinstate us on his mailing or visiting list. He promised to drag John over for a visit but so far has failed us. Jim New of the Army is attached to Gen. MacArthur's headquarters in Australia, according to our latest postcard.

"Lt. Alex Cheils was moved from his station in Italy and is now in England, studying the civil government of the next country to be occupied by the Allies and instructing others on some of the fine points of procedure of the Allied Military Government. A card arrived in mid-May announcing the change of address from Eraie Timpani from a training camp in the U.S.A. to a base in England.

"Warren Deahl is training at an Army base in Florida and was recently joined by his wife. Lt. Tim Maker checked in from his Los Angeles AFO. Cpl. Jim Diver, who for a while showed promise of being conscious of his obligations as a correspondent, has recently moved and failed to furnish us with a new address.

"Ens. Gerard Feency wrote us recently from the west coast. He had just heard the report of Paul Kashmer as missing in action. In that connection, answering our inquiry, we had letters recently from Lt. Thomas Stritch of Paul's outfit, and from Paul's personnel officer, and neither contained any encouraging information. Graham McGewan, who was assigned by the ASTP to Jefferson College in St. Louis, was another victim of the closing of that program. He is now at an Army camp.

"Another soldier reporting in this week (May 16), was Pvt. J. B. Guthrie, now stationed in England, awaiting invasion action. A feminine representative from Notre Dame went down to New York to see him off. Walter Ivancevic has accepted a position with the Equity Corporation in New York City. Mike Steparich has been sent by the Navy to the west coast where he is doing legal work in the administrative section of the Navy Department."

Well, that takes care of things for another time. And in the meantime.

IF IT'S NEWS, WRITE SCOOP.

From Camp Haan, Calif., Cpl. Frank Fex wrote on May 8: "Was home on furlough about one month and was constantly with Mike Carr. Mike told me George Uhl received a commission in the Navy. That's fine. One of the worst bits of news that came my way was that of Jim Hackmer and Don McNally. Also that of Matty Byrme and Cy Miller. Also spent one evening with Dick and Mary Everode and the two small additions to what is a fine family.

"I hear from Paul Deery quite often. The last letter I had came from Anzio beachhead. About six weeks ago I wrote to Jim O'Laughlin but haven't heard from him as yet. Jee Barr certainly deserved all the credit given him. Hope he's fully recovered. Have received three Jetters from my roommate, Tom Herak. He's in England with a bomber command. He has seen Don Mo-Gialey once or twice. "While home. I attended a dance at the Indianapolis Athletic club and saw Jack Reis, '43. He said he saw Jim Hackner just a few days or weeks before death took Jim. Jack also ran into Deery. Bob Contract was well on his way to a commission last I heard."

Commissions: Charlie Kirby and Anthony Rinella both won their Navy "Wings of Gold" at Pensacola, Fla. Charlie is a second lieutenant in the Marines; Tony an ensign in the Navy.

Promotion: Joe Ragolia to first lieutenant with the Ninth AAF Service in England.

Ensign Fred Hoover (due, with Jerry Killigrew to be a jg on July 1) wrote on May 20 to Mrs. Lora Lashbrook, the dean's secretary in the Law School, from his spot in the Pacific. From Aviation Supply School in Jacksonville. Fla., following Harvard, Fred had been sent to San Diego for duty with a Carrier Aircraft Service unit. Spending six weeks in San Diego, he had seen Bob Raaf, Lt. (jg) Al Perine, '41, and Lt. (jg) Bill Ohler. Jim McVay had just left San Diego with his amphibious squadron. As indicated in the '41 news, Ensign Emery Beres, '41, had been with Hoover at Harvard, Jacksonville and San Diego.

Bill Brady is on a ship in the Atlantic. Sgt. Bob Coleman was, when he wrote on March 23, in Italy and still with Ned Weinfurtner and Charlie Gehres. Bob was a leading light in the organization of the Notre Dame Club of Italy, about which you'll read in the club section of this issue. He had been shortly before entertained royally by Lt. (jg) John Walsh, '38, skipper of an LCI.

Lt. (jg) Leo Lee, sending in his contribution to the Second Alumni Fund, said that he had been on a ship with Bill Madden, his roommate of his senior year, and that he had seen Frank Quinn and Tom Walker. When he wrote on April 13, Leo was spending a brief holiday with his wife, the former Catherine Moran of St. Mary's, to whom he was married on March 15 in Chicago.

Lt. (jg) Bill Hartman was, when his father wrote on April 4, stationed at the Flamingo Hotel, Miami Beach, Fla., but momentarily expecting a change. Bill was married on April 6, 1942, to Anna Lee Keeley, formerly of South Bend. Bill and his wife are the parents of Nancy Lee. and all three of them are (or were) in Florida.

Lt. (jg) Roy Murray's father, in mailing Roy's contribution, said that Roy was in New Guinea.

What rppears to be certain proof that Cpl. Charlie Buterworth, South Bend, is alive, although a prisoner of the Japs, was received recently by his mother in a letter from him in which was enclosed the negative of an official Japanese government photograph. Developed and printed, the picture shows a shaved head, gaunt expression, sunken eyes and a scar on the man, but Mrs. Buterworth is convinced that the man is her son.

Charlie enlisted in the Army Air Corps when he was a student at Notre Dame. Eventually he was sent to the Philippines and was at Clark Field when the Japs captured it. His mother has a recording of a short wave broadcast coming out of Tokyo to the U.S. in which her son greets her. The broadcast was picked up on the West Coast, where a listener made a transcription of it and sent it to Mrs. Butterworth.

1943 Ensign Edward C. Roney, 1723 Iroquois Ave., Detroit, Mich.; Robert Lonergan, The Chicago Tribune, Chicago.

From Red Lonergan:

The Irish have always been known for their high quality of blarney — well, how about a little of it, boys? Just drop us a note every once in a while, telling us that rigor mortis hasn't set in, and that you ran into so and so and that he had seen this fellow or that one.

SPRAGUE IS HONORED

The Navy announced on May 8 the award of the Silver Star Medal to Ensign John F. Sprague, ex. '43, Sunnyside, Wash., who is missing in action. John was commended for his gallantry in action as a pilot hunting German submarines in the Atlantic.

While he was on a patrol flight in a torpedo bomber, John attacked submarines but was forced by anti-aircraft fire to come down at sea. Even then he "fearlessly continued his daring attacks on the German ships in the face of their deadly fire." He failed to return to his base after this exploit.

I received a newsy letter from Jane Cahill, informing us that her brother, Jim, and Lee Raymond have been through all the actions on Munda, Guadalcanal, and Bougainville together. They left this country last July. Both were awarded the Infantry Badge. Lee is now attached to Headquarters and Jim is with the personnel division. This letter was a real surprise, and may we say that any relative reading the "Alumnus" will always be welcomed as a contributor. Just drop a line to either Ed Roney or me and give us that all-important news about your grandson, brother, cousin, or son.

Another family letter from Wenzel Dvorak of La Crosse, Wis., has this to say about his son Bill: "After graduating Bill took his training at Dartmouth and Princeton along with quite a number of other Notre Dame men, and then went to Little Creek, Va., and subsequently to Fort Pierce. Panama City and New Orleans, from there to New York via the Atlantic. Mr. Dvorak tells us that Bob Hackner and Dick Padesky are now in the Marines and Army, respectively, and are expected to be definitely assigned in May. Enclosed in this letter were excerpts from some of Bill's letters. Here is one:

From his base in England: "We could surely 'throw' a Notre Dame class reunion here and get a big turnout, if we had the time. I keep my eyes on these ships as they roll in and spot the ones I know the boys are on. then drop over to their ship and surprise them. I haven't found any trouble running across somebody I know.

"Bob Rhim, Jack Mahoney, Bob Casey and Hugh Ayers are all at this base and we had a glorious get-together with them. Gene Fehlig is in the near vicinity. Also saw Tom Finucame. He's on a PC. and worked with us recently. One night I went aboard his ship and we had a good old-fashioned bull session. I hope to see Gail Fitch and Lou Kurtz one of these days. They are near here, but I haven't located them yet."

We always can be sure of at least a post card from our old standby, Sunny Randolph. This time he has an address which goes something like this: Class 44-F, Columbus, Miss. He cries long and loud for more news from Zeke Woods and a few more addresses of former pals. How about it, boys? He has only 12 months more to go in advanced flying and he will have his wings.

Another contributor is **Bill Middendorf**, who gives us this information: "Got my April issue of the 'Alumnus' the other day and I thought I would start contributing too. I am a skipper on a YP, doing Atlantic patrol, but may soon go to SCTO in Miami. I noticed in the 'Alumnus' that J. J. Becker has already been there. It was really swell reading about all the fellows of our class, and just what they are doing.

"Saw Jack Barry, Red Ryan, Tom Connelly, Ollie Hunter and Chuck Butler in N.Y.C. There are two Notre Dame men at our base, Fred Hoelsinger, '41, and Jack Sandrock, '39, both swell fellows. I am now married and the papa of a baby girl."

Congratulations from all the boys on that new addition to the family, Bill.

Eddy Ryan is waiting to be called, as he has decided to go into service rather than go on with his medical training, at least for the time being.

Dave Condon has joined the copy desk of ye Chi. "Trib." He was on the South Bend "Trib." In the first part of the present term he was editor of the "Scholastic."

Bob Kuipers has just returned from an interesting trip to the east coast. Being an air lines executive now he took the entire trip via the air, and on the house. He had short stays in New York City, Philadelphia and Washington.

Kevin O'Toole is in the Pacific. He had a short chat with Harry Florence, who was just returning from Tarawa. Harry said he saw Dudley K. Smith at Tarawa, where he was master of a tug. Kev and Wally McNamara are stationed together.

One of the outstanding basketball teams in the east last winter was the team representing Columbia's Midshipmen's school. It was composed mostly of Francis Curran, Orlando Bonecelli, James Meagher and Bobby Faught. Bobby now holds the scoring record in the Payne Whitney fieldhouse at Yale.

From Ed Roney:

Almost nothing happens down here and I've received exactly zero letters this time. That's probably due to my missing an issue; the class thinking I wasn't going to be able to continue. From now on for a good long time there'll be something from me every issue. I must repeat, though, that what I write depends upon what you write.

Jim Girard is now on his way to the states. Understand that the complete lineup of '43 now in England (at least those together), includes Loais Kurtz, Fred Gore, Joe Callahan, Gene Fehlig, Bill Strycker, Jim McElroy, Bob Rihm, Paul Tierney and Pete Moritz. All of these excepting McElroy and Fehlig became lieutenants (junior grade) on May 1. Congratulations are in order. Jim Girard and the others who were at Dartmouth and Princeton together will have the same thing to report, while those who reported to Chicago Dec. 2, 1942, will have theirs in about a month.

Quince "Cholly" Sturm, the last time he wrote any of my correspondents, was down in New Guinea. I'd give a lot to hear one of his speeches these days. The one he made our last night at Princeton was one for the books.

Jack Reis has had an exciting and interesting experience but I can't print it until he writes in and gives an O.K. I might say, though, that he's no longer on the same ship.

I only hope Red was more successful this time.

Ist Lt. John A. McNicol, Binghamton, N. Y., has been awarded the Air Medal for meritorious achievement while participating in heavy bombardment missions over Europe. A member of the Eighth AAF in England, he is pilot of a Fortress and was commended for his "courage, coolness and skill." John is a nephew of Father James Connerton, C.S.C., registrar of the University, and of Judge Daniel M:Avoy, of Binghamton, who was a Notre Dame student in the early '20s.

Commissions: Francis H. Sosnoski, South Bend,

a second lieutenant in the AAF; John C. Yavorsky, an ensign in naval aviation.

Lt. Carl Coco was somewhere in Italy when his father wrote early in June. Ensign Tom Miller was on a ship in the South Pacific when his father. Harry Miller, '10, sent a note on May 17. Joe Tracy should by now be through with OCS at Miami Beach, Fla., according to his estimate in March.

Bill Tracy, of South Bend, who spent two years in the class '43, left his wife and children behind in May to join up with the Army via the draft. Bill (Joe's brother) had during the past year done an outstanding job as assistant football coach for Central Catholic High School, South Bend, helping to produce the finest team to date in C.C.'s history. His full time job was with the South Bend Lathe Works.

Bill was particularly honored at Central Catholic's annual athletic dinner on April 16 at which Bernard J. Voll, '17, was the toastmaster. Other alumni on the program were Rev. Patrick Dolan, C.S.C., Brother Gerard, C.S.C., principal of the school, Brother Edgar, C.S.C., Brother Johann, C.S.C., Joe Boland and Ed McKeever.

1944 and Later

David R. Condon, care of Alumni Office, Notre Dame, Ind.

Commissions: John G. Smith, ex. '45, Park Ridge, Ill., second lieutenant, AAF; James P. Burke, ex. '44, Sioux Falls, S. D., second lieutenant, AAF: Francis M. Willett, ex. '46, Wharton, N. J., ensign, naval aviation: Charles J. Patterson, ex. '44, Gretna, Nebr., ensign, naval aviation.

Norm Hasser and Earl Englert, both '44, are at the AAF Training Command School, Yale University, for training in engineering and will be commissioned second lieutenants upon successful completion.

George Bastyr, Pittsburgh, was graduated from

boot training at Graet Lakes, Ill., as honor man of his company and was sent on for further training as a storekeeper.

Jack Denniston, then at Camp Van Dorn, Miss., but probably not there now, wrote on May 27 to give some typical Denniston dope, viz.: "Rempe Cronin is down in the mid-Atlantic on some island as a weather observer (he is related to Father Shea, the one who wrote the Victory March). Jack Ford is in the Air Corps at Keesler Field, Miss. Tom Egan is over in England with a Signal Corps outfit. J. H. Johnston sent me a (change of address) card nearly a month ago, but haven't heard from him since then. He's still in the paratroops.

"Ted Weber, in his latest letter from New Caledonia, states that Bob Goraki is stationed a short distance outside Ted's hometown. Ypsilanti, Mich. Ted also says that Gene Slevin has moved off the island to spots unknown. Lyle Jøyce is still there with him. Father Hewitt of the Notre Dame mission band is on New Caledonia as a chaplain. Ted met him the other evening at the conclusion of a mission they were holding on the island.

"Bob Kopf is still down at Wheeler, Ga. One of his training partners landed at Van Dorn a month ago, namely, Frank Waldeck. His stay at Van Dorn was short for he left for Texas last week. Jack Decgan is still with the 78th division. Glad to hear that Dave Conden got promoted from the "South Bend Tribune" to the "Chicago Tribune." He is working on the sports desk there but manages, I hear, to hit South Bend just about every week on his days off."

Ensign John Whitely, '44, returned to Notre Dame for a visit on April 19 and found time to review the naval V-12 company to which he belonged before he left the University. John was a member of that company for four months, then left for Norfolk. Va., for two additional months of training. He was later assigned to the midshipmen school at Columbia University, where he was an honor man and received a gold sword

Notre Dame Club of Wellesley



The Notre Dame Club of Wellesley was the totally precedented organization put together early in the year by the Notre Dame men of the class of '44 who were in training at Wellesley College for the Navy Supply Corps. This picture comprises the club members. Left to right are, in the front row, John Fitzpatrick, Frank Stumpf, John Hickey and Omer Sturm. In the rear are John Prince, Ed Schmid, Dick Doermer, Tom Brennan, Jack Watters, Don Davis, Ray Ruetz and Bill Robinson.

All of the club members, with the exception of Watters received their degrees in absentia at the Feb. 25 convocation at Notre Dame. To commemorate the day they carried out appropriate ceremonies at Wellesley, Hickey gave the "valedictory," Brennan was the "president of the University," Stampf presented the "degrees," Prince was the "principal speaker" and Watters served as "alumni secretary," to welcome the graduates into the Alumni Association. Most of the club were commissioned as ensigns on April 19. for leadership. His next stop, after his visit here. was Fort Pierce, Fla. His brother, Bill, is a eivilian student at Notre Dame.

Larry Schatzlein, who had been at Abbott Hall. Chicago, wrote on April 30 from the Navy communications school at Harvard. He had seen Dick Herilhy in Boston; Dick was a sergeant in the Army and on his way back to Alabama. Others on the Schatzlein list: Frank Garibaldi and Dave Remey, both now commissioned in the Navy; Bill Schweder, on the Pacific side as a paratrooper, and Jack Weelfe, a corporal who had crossed the Atlantic; John McCabe, out in Helens, Ark., and expecting to get his wings in June.

Capt. Exra (Red) Smith is with the AAF in England. Pvt. Dick Terry, Co. A (Pre-Med), AST3873, University of Oklahoma, Norman, Okla., finally landed back in his N.D. specialty, pre-med, after a year of shifting around the country, and it looks as though he'll be in Norman until the first of the year at least Pfe. Fred Maurer is a medical student at Marquette in Milwaukee. Vince Duncan was commissioned an ensign at Columbia in N.Y.C. and sent to New Orleans for assignment.

At the latest reports from the two of them and they're regular correspondents — Ed Cashman and Harry Yeates were still together in the South Pacific. Leaving New Caledonia for a new spot, they met up on the boat with Eusigans Carrell, '34, and DeLay, '42, and the gang went over Notre Dame days in detail. Ed is a chaplain's assistant and even has a portable organ at his disposal, which is really a set-up for him, as he admits.

Major William J. Clasby, chaplain at Santa. Ana Army Air Base, Calif., wrote last March to tell us that three of his best helpers there were Bob Burnett, ex. '42, Bob Schemmer and Al Fester.

CAMP FOR GIRLS

Alumni having daughters between five and 16 will be interested in Camp Marie-du-Lac, operated by the Sisters of the Holy Cross at Lakeside, Mich. The camp is in an attractive wooded spot on Lake Michigan, about 25 miles from Notre Dame and St. Mary's. Sessions run from June 25 to July 23 and from July 23 to Aug. 20. Inquiries (until Aug. 20) may be addressed to Sister Edward Joseph, C.S.C., at the camp.

SONGS AFTER SUNDOWN

The ALUMNUS has received a copy of Songs After Sundown, a book of verse by John F. Sullivan, Jr., '33, Holyoke, Mass.

John was originally a member of the Class of 1926 having spent two years here from 1922 to 1924, returning in 1931 to complete his course. The educational interim evidently resulted in a very pleasing Gaelic approach to the poetry in the things around him. For nature, his family, his country, he has a rich sentiment, expressed with a combination of fluency and light humor that livens up the pages. The book is dedicated to his wife.

Attractively published by the Doyle printing company of Holyoke, (\$1.50) the volume makes pleasant reading. JEA

Publications in Medieval Studies

The seventh volume of Publications in Medieval Studies has recently been published. The work, the first of three parts bearing the same title, is called Sententiae Petri Pictaviensis. Father Philip Moore, C. S. C., general editor of the series, and Miss Marthe Dulong, a French medievalist, are its authors. Peter of Poitiers (Petrus Pictaviensis) was a twelfth century theologian whose master, Peter Lombard, was one of the key men in the development of theological science in the Middle Ages. Living in a period of great intellectual ferment, when many problems of theology were being explored, Peter Lombard presented in his Sententiarum libri IV the. problems of the whole field of theology in logical and orderly form and gave his own solution or opinion (sententia) on each problem. The clear and orderly presentation of the material immediately made the work tremendously popular in the medieval schools of Europe, and it became the standard textbook in theology.

The medieval professor "commented" on the textbooks in use, v. g. the Bible, and the Lombard's Sentences were no exception to this generally accepted pedagogical method. The professors, as is customary and fitting, did not always agree with the master, and so expressed themselves in their classrooms and in written works, likewise called Sententiae. Many of these works still unedited have come down to us in innumerable manuscripts, and of these Peter of Poitier's is one of the first and most important.

To the Catholic scholar, the queen of the sciences must be theology, the science of God. The history of theological thought must necessarily command his interest and be of great importance in the study of theology itself. It is a commonplace that theology enjoyed its greatest development during the twelfth and thirteenth centuries. And it is to the intellectual life of this period that the *Publications in Medieval Studies* is primarily devoted. The most important volume of the series to date is this most recent one giving the Latin text of the *Sententiae* of Peter of Poitiers. Critical editions of other medieval compendia of theology are in preparation here at Notre Dame and elsewhere and only when these editions have appeared will it be possible for the historian to write the history of theological thought in these great centuries.

The series of Publications was inaugurated in 1936 during the presidency of Father O'Hara, with Father Moore's Life and Works of Peter of Politiers. The author here gives the first complete life of this twelfth century theologian, and then a literary history of his works. This volume was preparatory to the publication of the most important of these works.

It has been the aim of the *Publications* to publish one volume annually. This has meant, and was intended to mean, the publication of critical, historical, doctrinal and literary studies in the several branches of medieval learning by professors of other universities. The second volume for example, cntitled *Commentarius Cantabrigiansis in cpistolas Pauli e schola Petri Abaelardi* is the work of a German scholar. Bishop Artur Landgraf, fomer professor at the Catholic University of America. This volume contains the Latin text of an anonymous twelfth century commentator on the Pauline Epistles. To medievalists it is significant for the author was a follower of the colorful founder of a new method of Biblical exception.

In Petri Pictaviensis allegoriae super tabernaculum Moysi Father Moore and Professor James A. Corbett of the History Department collaborated in editing this allegorical commentary on Chapters 25-31 of Exodus. This is a pioneer work in a field which, in large part, still remains to be explored: the study of the development of the four senses of Scripture so widely used in the Middle Ages, and the limitations on their use.

Brother Edmund Hunt, C.S.C., professor of classics and of ancient history, prepared volume four, an edition of the *Lucula noctis* of Johannes Dominicus. This Italian Dominican of the Renaissance culled the arguments used by his contemporaries for the revival and study of the classical pagan authors and then answered them from the viewpoint of the theologian. The text is of particular value for an understanding of the intellectual conflict inherent in the Renaissance.

In 1941 appeared Sachsenspiegel and Bible by Guido Kisch, visiting professor of history at the Jewish Institute of Religion in New York. The Sachsenspiegel (Mirror of Saxon Law) was the earliest and most important private compilation of customary law in medieval Germany. Written in thirteenth century German before Roman Law was well-known in Germany, it represents a purely German concept of law. Prof. Kisch in this study shows the influence of the Bible and of Jewish thought on the Sachsenspiegel. Members of the alumni particularly interested in law and its development will enjoy this interesting study.

The volume in the series most likely however to attract the cultivated general reader and lover of the Middle Ages is *The Life and Times of St. Bernward of Hildesheim* by Prof. Francis J. Tschan of Penn State College. This life of St. Bernward is a fascinating study of a saint, a bishop and an artist of the late tenth and early eleventh centuries of imperial Germany. Written with a rare charm of expression, he makes the intensely human and colorful bishop stand out in unusual fashion.

Such in brief are the works published to date in this unique collection. We say "unique" for, while a number of European and Canadian Catholic universities publish series of texts and studies in special fields of medieval history, the *Publications in Medieval Studies* is the only such collection published in the United States by a Catholic university. During its short life of eight years, the series has already more than justified the work and modest subsidization involved. Each of its volumes has been very favorably reviewed in the outstanding scholarly journals devoted to medieval studies in America and abroad.

The academic reputation of a University is built up by the faculty it has and the publications it fosters as well as by the achievements of its students in later life. Father O'Hara, recognizing this, worked to increase the university's academic prestige by developing the graduate school, building up its faculty and encouraging its scholarly publications. With the coming of the war which has caused the enrollment of the graduate school to decline and deprived the University of a number of younger professors, the administration of Father O'Donnell has placed added' emphasis on scholarly research work and publications of a learned character.

A series like the *Publications* with volumes of such a specialized character must needs seek its justification in the academic prestige it brings to the University rather than in financial profits. Yet with each new volume the series has gained new friends among scholars and libraries, friends who soon wish to have the complete set. With each new volume the *Publications* joins the *Review of Politics*, *The American Midland Naturalist*, and *Reports of a Mathematical Colloquium* in gaining greater recognition in academic circles in America and abroad for Notre Dame. -*James A. Corbett.*