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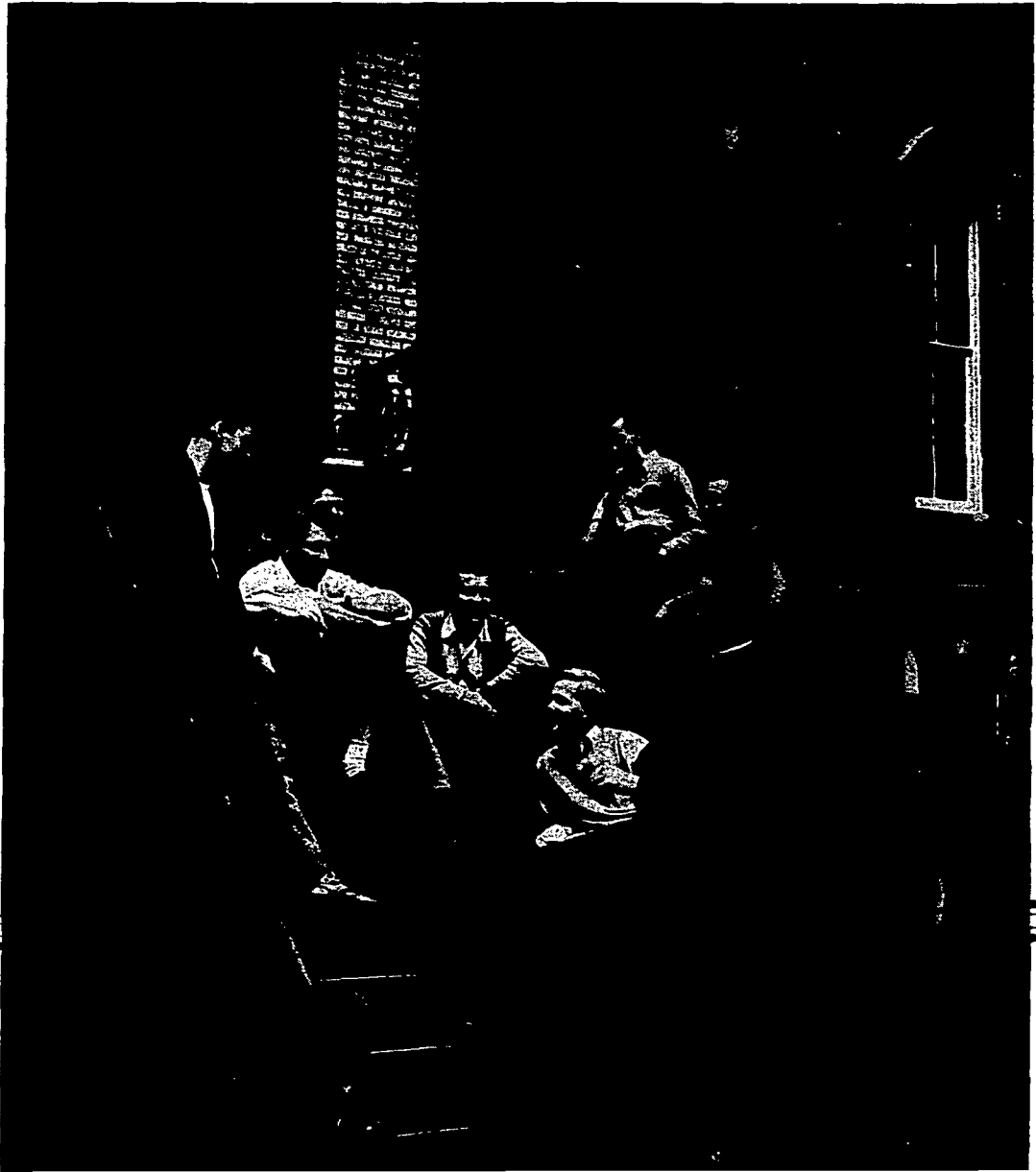
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The "Sessions" Go On

In uniform or out, in sunshine or "Indiana weather," year upon year, Notre Dame students have their daily "sessions." This one was conducted by Brother Vincent Ferrer, C.S.C., and seven of about 600 civilian students now on the campus. The scene is, of course, the familiar steps of Carroll Hall.



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Alumni Religious Bulletin

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

"IS HEAVEN SO 'HOT'?"

He was a freshman then, as he tossed that question at me a few years ago. Glum and frowning he was, just back

from a week-end at home and dates with the girl.

"You know, Father," he explained hesitatingly, "maybe I am a little heretic but I've been wondering if heaven is so 'hot,' whether it can match up to the joys of this

earth. For example, will we be just flapping around up there in our angel clothes, just praising God, centering everything on Him? What I mean is, will we ignore our relatives and families and—?"

"And the girl too?" we added, "because that's the one you're really worrying about, isn't it?"

"Oh," he mildly objected, "I wouldn't say that"—but his manner and his eyes said just that.

"Sure, you'll know her, Bart," we assured him, "and get this: The happiest week-end imaginable here on earth is just the very tiniest, the very faintest, reflection of the joys of heaven. Those joys will be yours and the girl's if you make the grade. And you will, if you both continue the lives you're leading today. And think of this too, Bart—there won't be any parting Sunday night. Your union with God and with her will be for keeps then, forever, everlasting."

"Don't ever get the idea," we continued, "that the ties and relationships of earth are blasted, severed or ignored in heaven. In fact, the ties and relationships are closer and happier, purged of all selfishness, jealousy, boredom, quarrels or fear of loss. That means that your love for her will be even far greater in heaven, and hers for you too; likewise, your joy in each other's company will be immensely increased. That may not seem possible to you right now, but it's a fact.

JUST A STARTER

"Take that immensely increased love and joy as a starter for comparison—and it is just a starter," we advised Bart, "then multiply that imagined joy till your imagination stretches and almost bursts—and that's the joy that will be

yours due to your seeing and possessing God—because your greatest joy and happiness will be in seeing God and being with him.

"That's pretty hard to grasp, Padre, especially if you knew how much I love this girl."

"Perhaps—unless you remember that any real goodness or beauty on this earth that thrills you, any such goodness or beauty is a mere product of and reflection of goodness and beauty in God who is the very source and model of all lasting and real goodness. All creatures, everything in nature, were created by God to lead you to Him, to be used as steps leading you up to Him."

"God created those things to lead us to Him, to be used to advance toward Him in accordance with His Will.

"We're always acting to get happiness. We can't help it any more than we can help breathing. God made us that way. God alone has the power. God is our real and final good—the only Person that can make us really happy. We'll see perfectly in heaven and will realize that our greatest happiness is in possessing God Himself, infinite Power, infinite Wisdom and infinite Love, the source and cause of all beauty and goodness or anything desirable.

"Sin on earth is reaching out contrary to God's Will for something that we foolishly think will make us happy—and we are really reaching, as it were, for the reflection in the mirror and ignoring the real thing—God. Which do you really love—the girl herself or her reflection in the mirror?"

STUPID!

"Sin is really being stupid then," marveled Bart, as he followed through.

"Sure," was the answer, "the Saints are the happiest persons ever on earth because they are the smartest and also the greatest lovers. They've reached for the real thing—God. It costs them something, sure, but they're not dumb and they're willing to pay for a good thing."

GALLERY OR ORCHESTRA SEATS?

"And the more they pay here on earth, the better seat they'll have, like in a theatre?" queried Bart.

"You shouldn't picture heaven as a glorified theatre in which the blessed will sit around in endless rows, tier upon tier, gazing at the infinite beauty of God from a respectful distance. His love demands much greater intimacy than that.

"Heaven is not the mere vision of God

but union with and possession of God. God won't be standing aloof from us, receiving our respectful praise and adoration. He will unite Himself to us in the most inconceivably intimate manner—and remember He is infinite Power, Wisdom and Love, inexhaustible beauty and supreme good.

"Here's one quote, Bart, about heaven that I always like to keep at hand for questioners. Its from Bishop Vaughan's '*Life Everlasting*.' Discussing this union with God, he says it 'is to be filled and flooded and wholly inebriated with entrancing joy and gladness. It is to feel every fibre thrilling with exquisite joy and every nerve vibrating and pulsating with delight, throughout our whole being. It is to plunge and to lose ourselves in a boundless sea of undreamed pleasures: to be engulfed in a bottomless ocean of ecstatic happiness—in short, it is in very truth to enter into the joy of the Lord.'"

"WHY BE SO DUMB?"

"Then, why are we so dumb," Bart asked, "that we go chasing after sinful things—pull 'the wine, women and song' act and toss away heaven?"

"Remember the little catechism, Bart," we asked, "and what it said about original sin darkening our intellect and weakening our will? There's your answer. Original sin threw us into almost complete reverse and it took our elder Brother, Christ, to come down and show us the way to real happiness, God.

"He knew how much heaven is worth. He didn't have any such question as yours—'Is heaven so hot?'"

"He knew the answer! He as God had created heaven! He came down here and brought heaven for us because He knew it was worth so much. But we're still pretty dumb, Bart, pretty dumb and weak—and we grab at the mirror's image instead of the real thing."

DON'T TAKE OUR WORD

"Don't take our word for it. St. John describes heaven this way in the Apocalypse—

"'And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes. And death shall be no more: nor shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain, any more, for all these things have passed away.'

"Or take St. Paul who seemed never stumped for words. He could lyrically and thrillingly write on the deepest truths of faith. Yet when he came to describing heaven of which he had had a slight glimpse by a vision, he was just about stumped, finally saying this—

"'Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard nor hath it entered into the heart of man to dream what God has prepared for those who love Him.'"

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Universal ND Communion Sunday-Dec. 10

All Local Clubs Are Asked to Plan for This Appropriate Observance of a Great Feast With Multiple Benefits for Our Alumni in This Year

The Notre Dame Club of New York, in 1938 (on Dec. 11) under the leadership of Daniel J. O'Neil, '25, instituted an annual Communion Sunday, nearest the Feast of the Immaculate Conception. It was the hope of the Club then that the practice would spread to other clubs, so that this beautiful custom might be as universal as the Feast itself.

In this thought the University and the Alumni Association heartily concurred.

On Sunday morning, Dec. 7, 1941, Myron C. Taylor, President Roosevelt's personal representative at the Vatican, was addressing the fourth annual Communion Sunday breakfast of the New York Club, when news of Pearl Harbor broke over a startled America.

Now, another Universal Communion Sunday will be observed, on Sunday, Dec. 10. Many of the young men who were listening to Myron Taylor three years ago are veterans of the subsequent years of war. No one who was listening to him then remains unaffected.

Notre Dame Clubs have suffered from loss of leadership; loss of membership. Centralized direction of the Club program, through the Alumni Office, has suffered from the complexities of the war program.

But there is every indication that our Blessed Lady, whose Feast has remained steadfast and who, under her title of the Immaculate Conception, is the patroness of the United States and the Armed Forces, has been with those who have loved her. Success, not without further sacrifice, seems in sight.

This then is a year for a truly universal Communion Sunday to seek her intercession. This is the year to thank her for blessings received; for successes won; for lives spared; for consolation in the greater sacrifices; to pray to her to intercede for a quick, just peace.

This is a year to assemble every Notre

Dame man, who bears her name on his shield, to renew his participation in the perpetuation of the ideals he learned under her statue on the Dome.

This is a year to bring together the families of Notre Dame men. Mothers and fathers are often glad to gather in a meeting where the son can not attend until the peace for which you will all pray is won.

There are wives to whom this occasion would be a highlight in the weary and worried waiting through the lengthening months.

There are Notre Dame men already back, some in civilian life, some in home assignments, some in hospitals, who can join you to bring vivid reasons for the Masses and prayers you will offer.

No club is without its members in service for whom the Mass and its attendant communions and prayers should not be willingly offered.

Thirty-seven clubs have gold stars on their membership rosters, in some instances a group of them.

Most of the prisoners of war, most of the missing, are members of clubs. Their plight, and that of their families, cries for your full charity.

The Communion Sunday is one of the most adaptable to war time conditions. There is no need for banquets. Most pastors will welcome the opportunity to cooperate in offering facilities to the Club for a central observance which will minimize transportation difficulties. Breakfast can be as major or as minor a part of the occasion as facilities permit.

Whatever the scope of your program, it is the Mass first, the communions and the prayers, and the other features as you can.

But we want **ALL CLUBS TO PARTICIPATE! DON'T LET YOUR CLUB FAIL!**

Father Michael Quinlan Dies

Death took, on Aug. 29, a priest familiar to generations of older alumni, the Rev. Michael A. Quinlan, A.B. '93, A.M.'97. One time the secretary of the Alumni Association (1908-09), Father Quinlan's interest in students and alumni was a stimulus to the reorganization of the Association toward its present status.

As hall rector, prefect of discipline, and teacher, Father Quinlan was of the old school of stern but respected counselors, who knew his boys, a friend to whom many of them turned in later years for continuing advice.

Always a sports enthusiast, Father Quinlan had records of early Notre Dame sports which formed the basis for the first publication of such records in 1929.

In his later years, health interfered with his regular duties, and Father Quinlan joined the diocesan clergy in the Northwest where he exercised pastoral duties in Chehalis, Wash., at the time of his death. Three brothers, Rev. James Quinlan, C.S.C., '08, John Quinlan, '04, and Jerry Quinlan, and a sister, Mrs. Catherine Kelly, survive.

Father Quinlan was returned to Notre Dame for burial, where Rev. James Quinlan, C.S.C., celebrated the requiem Mass. Rev. Michael Mulcaire, C.S.C., and Rev. James Mulcaire, cousins of Father Quinlan, were deacon and sub-deacon, and another cousin, Rev. William Craddick, C.S.C., was master of ceremonies. Two other cousins in religious life, Rev. James Carroll, of the Holy Ghost Fathers in Pittsburgh, and Rev. Patrick J. Carroll, C.S.C., were in the sanctuary.

Letter to Notre Dame Men from the President of the University

Dear Friends of Notre Dame:

In accordance with the custom I inaugurated two years ago, I am presenting through the *Alumnus* a statement of the operations of the University so that all who are interested may know Notre Dame's income and expenditures, which are typical of most privately-owned and operated schools. The delay in publication is due to the innumerable demands made on our accounting office by representatives of different government agencies. The statement is printed in summary form and was prepared by Pearson and Dwyer, certified public accountants, 111 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Ill.

OPERATIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED MAY 15, 1943

Received

From tuition and student fees; U. S. Navy; interest on general endowment; returns from scholarships; and from all auxiliary operations, including athletics.....\$4,585,946.69

Paid Out

For the operation of all Colleges of the University—Arts and Letters, Science, Law, Engineering, and Commerce (including administrative and faculty salaries, pensions) as well as operation of the Graduate School; for interhall athletics, student activities, and publications; for operation of residence halls, dining halls, infirmary, laundry, Rockne Memorial golf course, and general maintenance.....4,575,989.63

Net gain from University and Auxiliary operations.....9,957.06

Received

From miscellaneous sources, exclusive of University and auxiliary operations (interest on investments, profits from sale of securities, bad debt recoveries, property rentals, etc.).....29,365.39

Net credit to surplus (to be used for purchase of new laboratory, shop, classroom equipment, additions to libraries, for research, graduate departments, etc.).....39,322.45

If you recall the last operating statement I presented to you, you will note at once that the University's income has shown a very large increase, which, however, has been offset by a correspondingly large increase in expenditures. That is because during the fiscal year 1943 Notre Dame's schoolyear consisted of three semesters instead of the two that were characteristic of pre-war years. Furthermore, our arrangement with the Navy is on a cost basis. Therefore, stepping up the tempo and maintaining a relatively good enrollment involved more intensive academic and auxiliary operations and larger sums of money but did not substantially widen the narrow margin between income and expense.

The entire surplus available for new equipment in laboratories, shop, and classrooms; for additional books and magazines in the General Library and in the libraries of the various departments of the University; for carrying on research projects already undertaken; for maintaining the Graduate School, and for the retirement program, is \$39,322.45, as compared with \$20,196.02 the year previous.

If Notre Dame's progress is not to be seriously hampered in her contribution to the post-war, once a peace with justice and charity has been established, it is obvious that she must have the continued—and increased—help of her friends. I have every reason to believe that such help will be forthcoming, and I base my hope on the experiences of the past few years. For example, more persons contributed to Notre Dame's unrestricted endowment funds in 1943 than in 1942; the number of donors was larger in 1942 than in 1941; and there were more in 1941 than in 1940.

It is not enough to say that successive changes in federal income tax laws have provided an unusual opportunity to contribute to the support of privately-endowed colleges and universities, and that more taxpayers are taking advantage of the 15 per cent deductibility clause by making annual gifts. (Yet the per cent participation is still small). A more basic reason is that more and more philanthropically disposed persons realize the necessity of preserving the American tradition of education as a sound foundation upon which to build the future.

It is a source of intense gratification to the administration and faculty that so many alumni should be numbered in this group. I have already expressed my appreciation of the part they played through participation in the Centenary Fund, in making it possible for Notre Dame to continue undertakings which, without the support of the alumni, we would have had to suspend, or at least curtail, because of the war. The 1944 operating statement, soon to be published, will illustrate a statement that I have made previously: that one of the brightest promises for Notre Dame's future is the growing realization among alumni and friends that their support is an essential part of Notre Dame's growth and development.

In an early issue of the *Alumnus* I hope to tell you what is contemplated for the future, and to set forth in some detail how Notre Dame plans not only to carry on, but also to augment her services to God and Country through the education of American youth. Meanwhile, in the name of the Notre Dame of the future, I invite all those who are proud of what she has accomplished, and who can visualize the great opportunities that lie ahead, to contribute to Notre Dame's endowment fund, in any amount they see fit, in order that they may share with Notre Dame the promise that the future holds for her.

Yours very sincerely,

Hugh O'Donnell C.D.C.
President

New Office of Veterans Affairs at N. D.

By Rev. John J. Lane, C. S. C., '30

Director of the Office

On June 17 of this year, within a few days after the President signed the Servicemen's Readjustment Act, giving the Veterans Administration authority to provide among other things educational assistance to discharged veterans of this war, Father O'Donnell announced the establishment of an Office of Veterans Affairs to make and maintain liaison on the one hand between the University and the Veterans Administration, and on the other hand between the University and returning servicemen.

Organization: The work of the office is carried on by the Director of Veterans Affairs and clerical assistants. To consult with the Director of Veterans Affairs and to make recommendation concerning policies to the proper University officials an advisory committee on Veterans Affairs has been appointed. The committee consists of the Director of Students' Accounts, and the Deans of the five colleges and the graduate school.

Functions. 1. Liaison between the University and the State Director of Veterans Administration: The first function of the Office of Veterans Affairs is to keep abreast of matters affecting the administration of the Veterans Rehabilitation Act and the Servicemen's Readjustment Act through close contact with the State Director. It is also necessary to provide for him information regarding the eligibility of veterans for admission, certification of costs chargeable to the Veterans Administration, reports of the academic progress of each student, and recommendations concerning veterans' unsatisfactory work in studies or in discipline.

2. Advising Veterans Concerning Educational Benefits: Generally servicemen are aware of Public Law 16 of the 78th Congress, the Veterans Rehabilitation Act, and Public Law 346 of the 78th Congress, the G. I. Bill, which provides five hundred dollars an academic year for tuition, books, supplies, and medical expenses, and subsistence at the rate of fifty dollars a month for single men and seventy-five dollars a month for men with dependents. A large volume of correspondence results,

however, concerning the specific applications of the laws at Notre Dame.

3. Evaluation of Previous Schooling and of Off-Duty Studies While in Service: Although many of the veterans who have indicated their desire to attend Notre Dame on discharge from service are Notre Dame men whose studies were interrupted by the call to the Armed Forces, by far the greater number of inquiries come from students whose thoughts first turned toward higher education with the signing



FATHER LANE

of the G. I. Bill or who were by force of economic circumstances attending colleges nearer their homes. Practically all of them have had training of one kind or another in specialized training schools, or they have taken correspondence courses for off-duty study under the auspices of the Armed Forces Institute or the cooperating colleges. Since the Academic Council of the University has quite properly authorized the granting of credit for courses of this nature when they are an adequate substitute for courses in our own program of studies for degrees, it becomes necessary to secure data concerning them and to give them provisional evaluation in terms of semester. I say "provisional evaluation" because these students will be required to demonstrate on examination given by the University satisfactory competence in the handling of college subject matter before acceptance of credit is made final.

4. Testing: One of the long-standing deficiencies in admissions procedures in universities and colleges has been reliance almost solely upon high school academic records for the admission and placement of students. Although we have

not yet arrived at the point of being ready to require entrance examination of all students, we shall require general educational level tests and specific achievement tests of veterans asking advanced standing on the basis of knowledge acquired other than in the resident courses of accredited colleges and universities.

Where in particular cases it seems desirable, the student may be asked to take, or he may himself ask to be given special aptitude and vocational placements tests.

5. Guidance: Since its very beginning Notre Dame through its system of perfecting in residence halls and through personal contact between instructors and student has had a rather successful, but entirely informal, method of academic counseling and guidance. It served well a good many generations of Notre Dame men and the present effort to systematize and give orderly continuity to the guidance of each student is a recognition of its merits rather than a criticism of its shortcomings.

With the hope, therefore, of rendering more effective our academic counseling and taking advantage of well tried and responsible techniques of guidance, the President has been asked to appoint as student counsellors several highly-qualified members of the faculty to assist the Director of Veteran Affairs in this particularly important phase of his work. These men will be relieved of a considerable portion of their class loads for this purpose.

6. Personnel Record Keeping: One of the concomitants of a successful counseling program is a rather complete and serviceable personnel record of the subjects of the counseling. The Office of Veterans Affairs will, in consequence, find it necessary to keep rather adequate personnel files for veterans returning to school under the Rehabilitation and the Readjustment Acts. Our records will be useful for occupational placement as well as academic guidance.

Present Status of Program: At present the number of servicemen at the University is not large. Twelve are now receiving benefits under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act, and about as many

more have filed applications which should be approved soon.

Thirty-six veterans eligible for educational benefits have been accepted for admission in the semester beginning Nov. 3 and 30 additional applications are being considered. Only two applicants have resented such unsatisfactory records that their applications had to be rejected.

Prospects for the Future: During the brief period of six weeks during which the Office of Veterans Affairs has been actually in operation, approximately five hundred inquiries of servicemen concerning the University have been answered, and the mail grows heavier each day. This does not include letters from former students who simply indicate their intention of returning to complete their courses.

Until these men have returned, or at least until they have indicated what kind of education or training they shall seek, there is no way of knowing what the precise impact their coming will make upon the colleges.

This much I think can be said. That for the great majority of those who plan on coming to Notre Dame the measures thus far taken or envisioned will with such slight modifications as experience may dictate prove adequate to doing a necessary work well and thoroughly.

Whether we shall have facilities and staff to render further service to the veterans and the community at large by the offering of short terminal courses, evening courses, and special remedial courses for particular kinds of handicaps are matters to which a considerable amount of study must be given.

We feel that we are at least well-started on a work of tremendous importance to our country and to Notre Dame, and we trust that with God's blessing we shall do it well.

ERIC GILL PRESS DEDICATED

The Eric Gill Press, a gift to Notre Dame Catholic Action students from a friend of the University, was formally dedicated in the Law Building on Sept. 24. The blessing was by Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., vice-president. Rufus W. Rauch, professor of English, gave the dedication address and Rev. Louis J. Putz, C.S.C., explained the principles of Catholic Action. Harold Berliner, chief student-printer, presided.

On the press, a small, Colt's Armory hand-fed machine, the Catholic Action students, under Mr. Berliner's direction, will produce a variety of printed matter. The idealism of Eric Gill—"disinterested, unselfish work"—will prevail.

Three C. S. C. Brothers Succumb

N.D. CLUB OF ALASKA

The Notre Dame Club of Alaska had its first meeting in Anchorage, with the following five present: Major Andrew McDonough, '19, Lt. John Regan, ex. '43, T/4 John Morrison, ex. '30, Cpl. Thomas Higgins, '37, and Sgt. Paul Toland, '43. Capt. Charles O'Connor, '35, and Cpl. Kenneth "Red" Oberbruner, '40, had expected to be present but were detained.

The next meeting was planned for Oct. 16 in the quarters of Major McDonough, with the major as host and chef de luxe. The secretary of the group is Paul Toland. Notre Dame men traveling through Ft. Richardson or through Anchorage can easily reach Paul at the M.P. station in Anchorage or through the Alaska Travel Control office there.

ENGINEERS NEEDED

Aeronautical engineers, mechanical engineers and electrical engineers are urgently needed by the Bureau of Aeronautics, Navy Department, Rm. 3913, Aer-A-43-RRB, Washington 25, D.C. Those interested should communicate directly with the Bureau. Positions open have good prospects for the post-war period.

E.S.M.W.T. CLASSES START

The 12th term of tuition-free engineering, science and management war training classes began at Notre Dame on Sept. 18. The present term includes a group of 35 courses, taught mostly at night on the campus and largely by members of the Notre Dame faculty. Rev. James J. Leahy, C.S.C., administrative assistant, is in charge of the classes.

Since the spring of 1940, when the first series of defense training classes were conducted at the University, more than 7,000 students from 150 industries have participated in 250 courses. Special courses have also been conducted in individual war plants requesting them for their own employees.

Lt. (jg) Frank J. Hanley, former teacher in the Art Department at Notre Dame, is now a veteran of all the amphibious operations in the Mediterranean theater, participating most recently in the southern France invasion on Aug. 15. He is publications officer on the staff of Rear Admiral Frank J. Lowry, Jr., USN.

Three prominent Brothers of the Congregation of Holy Cross were lost by death in recent months.

Brother Anastatius, who entered the Order in 1926, and who, at the time of his death, was director of St. Joseph's farm, near Notre Dame, died on Aug. 22. He had taught in the Ohio public schools for many years before entering religious life. He also had taught at Cathedral High school in Indianapolis, and Reitz Memorial High in Evansville, as well as Sacred Heart College, Watertown. Brother Anastatius was 64.

Brother Howard Martin, C.S.C. (Martin B. Coyne), A.B. 1941, died in New Orleans, on Sept. 24, at Holy Cross College where he was teaching. Death from an embolism followed an appendectomy. Brother Howard Martin was born in Norwood, Mass., Oct. 18, 1907, and was received into the Brothers of Holy Cross on Aug. 15, 1939. He had just made his profession in August of 1943.

Brother Aloysius, 66, for many years a familiar figure on the "thrones" of Brownson and Carroll Hall, died on Oct. 5 and was buried the following day in the Community cemetery after a solemn requiem mass celebrated by the Rev. J. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C. In failing health, Brother Aloysius had in the war years served as guest master at Corby Hall. Brother Aloysius was born in Ireland and is survived by a sister and a brother, both in Croagh in that country.

NEOPRENE IN RUSSIA

Details of the manufacture of neoprene synthetic rubber have been made available to the Soviet Union without charge "while Russia is at war with Germany," E. I. DuPont de Nemours & Co. announced, according to an AP dispatch.

The step, taken at the request of the U. S. government, is the first large-scale agreement of its kind to be announced.

DuPont said neoprene, the first successful general purpose synthetic rubber, was developed by its chemists who based their work on "fundamental research by the late Father Julius Nieuwland of Notre Dame University" and was announced in 1931 and has been produced commercially since 1932.



These members of the Vocational Committee and several guests met on Oct. 6 in the lounge of the Rockne Memorial. Left to right, sitting, are John T. Balfe, '20, New York City; Thomas F. Byrne, '28, Cleveland; Bernard J. Voll, '17, South Bend; William C. Schmitt, '10, Portland, Ore.; Edward F. O'Toole, '25, Chicago; and Joseph F. Donaldson, '23, Louisville.

Standing are Clayton F. Leroux, '27; Cleveland; L. William Fury, M.A., '27, Detroit; James E. Armstrong, '25, Notre Dame; Henry

J. Clark, '30, Detroit; Daniel H. Young, '22, Philadelphia; William A. A. Castellini, '22, Cincinnati; John F. McMahon, '28, Pittsburgh; John W. Brennan, '27, Detroit; J. Arthur Haley, '26, Notre Dame; and William R. Dooley, '26, Notre Dame.

Bill Fury is editor of "Notre Dame in Service," published by the Detroit Club for its members in service, and Henry Clark is the president of the Detroit Club. Bill Castellini is manager of the civic affairs department of the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce.

Vocational Committee Meets at N.D. Oct. 6

Setting an amazing attendance record in these days of war stress, 10 of the 11 members of the Alumni Association's Vocational Committee came from coast to coast to meet at Notre Dame on Friday, Oct. 6 for an all-day discussion in the Rockne Memorial lounge.

The only missing member of the committee was Clyde E. Broussard, '13, who was detained in far-off Beaumont, Texas, by urgent business demands. Mr. Broussard, in a fine letter to the secretary of the committee, expressed his regrets and his vital interest in the Vocational Committee's affairs.

The names of the ten members of the committee who were present appear in the picture caption elsewhere on this page.

Members of the committee were guests of Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., president of the University, at luncheon on Friday and Saturday and at the Tulane-Notre Dame game on Saturday. They gathered for dinner on Friday in the home of their chairman, Bernard J. Voll, and on Saturday evening in the home of the committee's secretary, William R. Dooley.

On Friday morning the committee heard: a general report by Mr. Voll; a

report by Mr. Dooley on the vocational questionnaires so far returned; a discussion by John F. McMahon of the many types of veterans' assistance offered by various governmental agencies; and a report by Rev. John J. Lane, C.S.C., on the Office of Veterans Affairs which has recently been organized in the University under his direction.

Father O'Donnell and Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., vice-president, addressed the committee at the Friday luncheon. Friday afternoon was given over to a general discussion of the experiences of the Alumni Association, and, particularly, of several clubs, in placement activity and to a detailed consideration of the committee's report to be made the Alumni Board. Edward F. O'Toole and John T. Balfe spoke on their alumni placement work in Chicago and New York City, respectively, and Daniel H. Young outlined some forms and methods in current use in industrial employment offices. Thomas F. Byrne, president of the Alumni Association, in his concluding remarks summed up the purposes of the committee and of the meeting.

As the result of the meeting (deemed by all in attendance and by the University to have met with exceptional suc-

cess) the committee will make a comprehensive report to the Alumni Board for consideration at the next Board meeting. The Board will then recommend to the University a plan of action for handling vocational matters, with particular reference to the employment needs of war veterans.

Mr. Dooley reported that, up to Oct. 5, 907 questionnaires had been returned, or approximately 20 per cent. He reported in addition: (1) Of the 907, 38 per cent of the men expressed a need for future job aid; 33 per cent said they probably would not need job aid, and 29 per cent expected to return to Notre Dame to school; (2) in general, those who have been graduated since 1940 will apparently most need job assistance; (3) those recent non-graduates taken away from the campus for service in the armed forces will, in almost every case, return to finish their education; (4) those not specialized in certain fields (i.e., those who are not engineers, accountants, etc.) are leaning in their work desires toward a) aviation, b) personnel work.

The vocational questionnaires are still being returned in large numbers from all parts of the world and a comprehensive tabulation of them will not be possible for another couple of months.

Graduate School Is Reorganized

Rev. Philip S. Moore, C. S. C.,
Is Appointed As First Dean

After a consideration of a survey made by the Committee on Postwar Problems, the Rev. J. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., president, on Aug. 22 announced the reorganization of the Graduate School. This important administrative change has been made, Father O'Donnell said, because of the rapid development of the Graduate School in pre-war years, and in anticipation of even greater expansion in the postwar period.

The reorganization, which consists of a dean and council supplanting the Committee on Graduate Study, becomes effective Sept. 1. The dean of the graduate school, according to Father O'Donnell's announcement, will be the Philip S. Moore, C.S.C., Ph.D., Arch. Pal., who has been secretary of the Committee on Graduate Studies since 1934.

The council will consist of Rev. Matthew J. Walsh, C.S.C., Ph.D., president of the University from 1922 to 1928; Rev. Thomas P. Irving, C.S.C., Ph.D., Rev. Louis M. Kelley, C.S.C., Ph.D., Rev. William F. Cunningham, C.S.C., Ph.D., Rev. Henry J. Bolger, C.S.C., A.M., Rev. Thomas T. McAvoy, C.S.C., Ph.D., Rev. Francis J. Boland, C.S.C., Ph.D., and Professors Edward G. Mahin, Ph.D., Theodor K. Just, Ph.D., Andrew J. Boyle, Ph.D., and Karl Menger, Ph.D. During the absence of Father Boland, who is on military service, his place on the council will be taken by Prof. Paul C. Bartholomew, Ph.D.

The Graduate School of the University was first organized in 1921 as an outgrowth of graduate courses offered to students of the summer sessions, beginning with the summer of 1918. The number in the summer sessions gradually increased until in 1941 there were 631 students enrolled, and 160 during the regular academic year. With the adoption of the accelerated school program, the summer sessions were discontinued for the duration.

At the outset the degree of doctor of philosophy was offered only in the Department of Chemistry. In 1932 the doctor's degree in biology was announced, and then came metallurgy, philosophy, physics, mathematics, and politics. In addition to the doctoral work in these seven fields, programs of study for the master's degree—master of arts or master of science—are offered in 13 departments.



REV. PHILIP S. MOORE, C.S.C.

"The war," said Father O'Donnell, "has naturally caused a great decrease in graduate enrollment at the University. Although it has made necessary a curtailment in the graduate program, we have held our faculty personnel almost intact as we have gone ahead with research projects especially assigned to us. At the same time, insofar as we can under wartime conditions, we have continued to expand laboratory and library facilities for the graduate student.

"The armistice will undoubtedly bring a resurgence of graduate study. In this anticipation and in preparation for the many problems that future rapid development will raise, Notre Dame at this time takes this step in its reconversion program and reorganizes the Graduate School, making it an autonomous body within the University."

NEW CAMPUS MOVIE

Announcement has been made by Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., president of the University, that a colored moving picture of the University is now being filmed, to be released in December.

When released the picture will be available for alumni meetings, high school showings, veterans hospitals and luncheon clubs throughout the country. Showing campus scenes, classrooms, laboratories, and activities of students, the film will reach friends of Notre Dame from coast to coast.

Accompanying the 30-minute picture will be the story of Notre Dame related by a narrator. Richard Sullivan, author and professor of English at Notre Dame, will write the script. Other members of the picture story committee include the Rev. Eugene P. Burke, C.S.C.; J. Arthur Haley, director of public relations; and James E. Armstrong, alumni secretary. The committee is also making plans for an additional sound track in Spanish.

Beginning with the founding of the University by the Rev. Edward F. Sorin, C.S.C., in 1842, the narrator will sketch the story of Notre Dame as the camera picks up campus spots of historical significance. The picture will dwell largely on present-day phases of University life but will include shots of the various Navy programs now in progress at Notre Dame. It will be a historical record of the part that Notre Dame played in World War II.

Charles T. Chapman of Evanston, Ill., is cameraman for the project. Former newsreel cameraman and reporter, he recently completed the stories of campus life at Indiana, Michigan, and Kentucky universities.

A. C. S. MEETING IN N. Y.

Efforts to repeat in New York the successful dinner meeting of Notre Dame alumni and faculty representatives at the American Chemical Society which marked the Cleveland convention of last spring, resulted in organized failure and impromptu success.

As so frequently happens, setting up definite times and places that were mutually agreeable proved very difficult for the proposed sponsor of the meeting, the Notre Dame Club of New York, working with the University and the Convention officers. Rather than risk a real waste of Club effort, the projected meeting of N. D. men was officially called off.

But a substantial delegation of alumni turned up at the meeting, and through the efforts of John T. Balfe, '20, director of the Alumni Association, and Frank Sowa, '30, brilliant young chemistry alumnus, an impromptu dinner was held in the Pennsylvania Hotel on Sept. 12.

Nineteen persons attended the dinner. Thirteen N. D. alumni at the convention were unable to attend the dinner.

These things we point out, because there is now no doubt of the desirability of these Notre Dame sections for all major conventions of any national group in which we have alumni representation. All Clubs can aid this development.

Dr. K. N. Campbell was the University's faculty representative, presenting a paper before the Organic Division.

Marines to Leave Notre Dame

40 Per Cent Cut In V-12
Quota Is Effective Nov. 1

Withdrawal of the Marine Corps detachment of the Navy V-12 school at Notre Dame will go into effect Nov. 1.

Discontinuance of the Marine detachment is in line with the all-over reduction of Navy V-12 programs in colleges throughout the country. The number of Navy V-12 students to continue studies at Notre Dame after the close of the present semester has been slashed 40 per cent, as previously announced. Marine trainees, who have not completed V-12 training by Nov. 1, will be transferred to other colleges.



MAJOR ERNEST W. JONES

Now attending Notre Dame are 175 Marines, whose number has been gradually reduced from the original 700 quota established when the V-12 program was initiated at the University, July 1, 1943. Major Ernest W. Jones, appointed in August as officer-in-charge of Marine training, will probably be reassigned when the program is discontinued Nov. 1. Major Jones succeeded Capt. John W. Finney who organized the Marine detachment at Notre Dame.

In announcing the withdrawal of the Marine unit, the Rev. J. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., president of the University, revealed a letter received from Lt. Gen. A. A. Vandegrift, USMC, stating:

"The Marine Corps appreciates deeply the splendid work that your institution has done in the training of prospective Marine officers. It is hoped that the cordial relations between the University of

Notre Dame and the Marine Corps will continue even though it has been found necessary to withdraw the Marine detachment from your University."

Father O'Donnell, commenting on the Marine cutback, said:

"Notre Dame will always cherish the memory of her happy and cordial relationship with the United States Marine Corps during its participation in the V-12 program at the University.

"Capt. Finney, Major Jones, and their associate officers, have endeared themselves to all here, as upstanding Christian gentlemen, faithful and true to the best tradition of the Marine Corps."

Enrollment of navy V-12 students at Notre Dame assigned to continue studies after Nov. 1 will be restricted to 1,107.

Included in the November quota will be 386 students in the basic course, 98 premedical students and 376 engineering students. In addition, 247 cadets in the Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps will be stationed at the University.

ANOTHER CLUB PRODUCES

Many Local Clubs have "closed for the duration." We have not argued the point that all Clubs have been seriously affected. Nor, frankly, have we been in a position to supply adequately the fraternal plasma, sulfa, penicillin, iron lung, or whatever the cases called for.

But our strongest argument against the many unheard-from Clubs is the heroic group of Clubs that have not surrendered, that have held their ground.

In fact, some clubs, like the Notre Dame Club of St. Louis, have counter-attacked, strengthening their positions.

A small item may slip your attention, but during the summer this St. Louis group was not only spurring the two major league ball clubs on to pennants and the intra-mural Series, but they established a \$1,500 scholarship fund at Notre Dame for post-war use, and accompanied it with the statement that this was only the beginning.

Two hundred (200) members and families attended the annual summer picnic.

The annual award of the Rockne Memorial Trophy by the Club has continued, rewarding the outstanding high school football team in the area.

A Club Retreat is in the offing.

A football trip to the Illinois game under Club auspices has been arranged.

Yes, the Club has felt the war, Of 190

members, half are in the service. But the other half have carried on so that the absent brothers will return to gained ground and a more alert Club than they left.

It can be done.

COOPERATIVE MEETING

Members of the Catholic Committee celebrating the Rochdale Centennial co-operative movement begun in England in 1844, will meet at Notre Dame, Nov. 21, it was announced by Rev. Leo R. Ward, C.S.C., co-chairman of the event and professor of philosophy at Notre Dame. Working with Father Ward is the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Luigi G. Ligutti.

Held under the sponsorship of the Catholic Rural Life Conference, *The Queens Work*, and the University of Notre Dame, the conference will be attended by many members of the hierarchy. Most Rev. John F. Noll, bishop of Ft. Wayne, will celebrate the opening Mass of the conference and Most Rev. Aloysius J. Muench, bishop of Fargo, N. D., and honorary chairman of the Catholic Committee, will speak on "Church and Cooperation." Most Rev. Karl J. Alter, bishop of Toledo, will lead a delegation of priests from his diocese.

Other speakers will include Congressman Jerry Voorhis of California and Elmer J. Milliman, Detroit, president of the Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees.

Official celebration of the 100th anniversary of the founding of the first successful cooperative in England was held in Chicago, Oct. 9-13. At this convention, Rev. Leo R. Ward, C.S.C., conducted a session dealing with religion and cooperatives.

LAETARE MEDALIST DIES

Rev. James F. Connerton, C.S.C., registrar, represented the University of Notre Dame at the funeral of Alfred E. Smith, 1929 Laetare medalist, on Oct. 7. At the same time, Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., president of the University, offered Mass here on the campus for the repose of Mr. Smith's soul. Later, Father O'Donnell issued the following statement:

"Notre Dame will always remember her distinguished Laetare Medalist, Alfred Emanuel Smith, for his fidelity to God and country. He came up the hard way and achieved success, but he never lost the human touch along the road to greatness. His tolerance and forbearance, firmly rooted in a Christlike charity, won for him the esteem and regard of all classes of society that had come to know and respect him for what he was—a true Catholic American. His noble soul will be generously remembered in the Masses and prayers of all at the University. May he rest in peace!"

Second Annual Alumni Fund

Contributors, July 16 to Sept. 15, 1944

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1887 to 1904

Long, Ferdinand G., '90	\$ 5.00
Adler, Max, '92	25.00
Cooney, James J., '93	5.00
Kirby, Maurice D., '94	10.00
Barton, Dr.	
Francis W., '96, (deceased)	5.00
Dannemiller, Albert J., '97	5.00
Weaver, Dr. W. Burnett, '97	25.00
Ferstel, William G., '00	25.00
Coquillard, Alexis, '03	25.00
Hammer, Hon.	
Ernest L. E., '04	75.00
Stephan, Anton C., '04	10.00

Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$4,700.50	72
No. in Classes	% Contrib. to date
263	.273

1905 to 1909

Van Rie, Dr. Leo P., '05	\$ 100.00
McCarthy, Frank A., '06	10.00
Craig, Leo F., '07	15.00
Cull, Frank X., '08	25.00
Martin, Paul R., '09	25.00
McCarty, Dr. Hiram G., '09	10.00
Scanlon, Raymond J., '09	5.00

Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$12,472.50	35
No. in Classes	% Contrib. to date
140	.25

1910

Coppinger, Lucien B.	\$ 10.00
Foley, Andrew E.	20.00
McDonagh, Harry F.	25.00

Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$1,525.00	13
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
27	.481

1911

Glynn, Edward J.	\$ 100.00
Steers, Fred L.	10.00

Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$695.00	18
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
67	.27

1912

Howard, Rev. Edward J.	\$ 5.00
Wrape, Alba H.	10.00

Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$1,260.00	14
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
44	.318

1913

Baader, Ernest J.	\$ 10.00
Broussard, Clyde E.	100.00
Schumacher, Leo A.	25.00

Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$420.00	18
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
62	.297

1914

Clifford, Twomey M.	\$ 25.00
Eick, Louis F.	25.00
Anonymous	200.00
Newgass, Mitchell C.	5.00
Pepin, Donat J.	10.00

Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$875.00	17
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
67	.254

1915

Lenihan, Lt. Col.	
Emmett G.	\$ 10.00
Munger, Harold H.	15.00

Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$325.00	16
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
67	.24

1916

Beckman, Edward J.	\$ 5.00
Eckel, Jacob E.	10.00
Swift, Frank E.	5.00
Welsh, Frank B.	10.00

Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$393.00	18
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
71	.253

1917

Dorwin, Oscar J.	\$ 200.00
Egan, Col. William J.	10.00
Grady, William A.	10.00
Kelly, Rudolph L.	10.00
Anonymous	10.00
Mahaffey, Frederick L.	25.00
Maher, Thomas F.	5.00
Odem, Bryan S.	5.00
O'Donnell, Dr. Leo D.	50.00
Quinlan, Daniel J.	10.00
Scott, Harry E.	10.00
Walsh, James R.	25.00

Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$1,505.00	39
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
108	.361

1918

Argueso, Louis M.	\$ 10.00
Cullinan, Frank L.	25.00
Eigelsbach, Carl F.	10.00
Kazus, Maximilian G.	5.00
LaFortune, Joseph A.	1,000.00
Lemmer, John A.	25.00
Wagner, Louis E.	10.00
Williams, Rev. Charles J.	10.00

Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$1,425.00	23
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
61	.377

1919

Abbott, John V.	\$ 10.00
Rademaker, Theodore C.	10.00

Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$2,160	11
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
48	.23

1920

McCabe, Raymond J.	\$ 2.00
O'Toole, Eugene J.	10.00
Uebbing, Albert	5.00
Walsh, Herbert M.	25.00
Ward, John J.	25.00

Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$382.00	20
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
83	.241

1921

Craugh, Gerald J.	\$ 5.00
Dettling, John A.	10.00
Gorrilla, Dr. L. Vincent	5.00
Sullivan, George D.	10.00

Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$849.60	29
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
94	.31

1922

Dooley, James R.	\$ 100.00
Kirby, Arthur C.	5.00
Mullin, Leo F.	100.00
Murphy, Hon. James E.	10.00
Murphy, William J.	25.00
O'Connell, Daniel J. (W. O.)	10.00
Sullivan, Joseph P.	5.00
Weinrich, Arthur C.	10.00
Young, Daniel H.	70.00

Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$1,272.50	39
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
150	.26

1923

Alt, Cornelius A.	\$ 10.00
Culhane, J. Daniel	5.00
Desch, August G.	25.00
Disney, Francis X.	5.00
Galvin, Frank J.	25.00
Ryan, Edwin S.	5.00

Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$521.00	33
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
182	.18

1924

Boehm, Alfred M.	\$ 10.00
Donovan, Thomas C.	10.00
Glynn, George H.	25.00
Gordon, Thomas E.	3.00
Johnston, James F.	10.00
McGee, Raymond A.	5.00
McKeown, Joseph P.	20.00
Miller, Howard M.	10.00
Miller, Richard C.	5.00
Murphy, Timothy J., Jr.	10.00
Padden, Henry M.	10.00
Sullivan, Edward S.	5.00

Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$1,860.00	55
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
208	.264

1925

Bischoff, George A.	\$ 5.00
Connell, Daniel R.	5.00
Corboy, Stephen C.	100.00
Cyr, Walter J.	5.00
Guth, Dr. Charles E.	25.00
Hall, Harold F.	10.00
Jones, J. Willard	25.00
Kaiser, Clarence J.	5.00
Kennedy, Dr. Francis L.	5.00
Mouch, Charles M.	10.00
Mullaney, Richard L.	25.00
O'Neil, Daniel J.	30.00
Rodighero, Rudolph G.	3.00
Traynor, John P.	5.00
Wurzer, Henry C.	100.00

Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$1,992.50	82
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
289	.284

1926

Adams, John Q.	\$ 25.00
Campbell, John F.	5.00
Collins, Patrick F.	5.00
Coughlin, Rev. Bernard J.	10.00
Farrell, Thomas A.	50.00
Anonymous	50.00
Griffin, John T.	5.00
Haley, J. Arthur	25.00
Herbst, Frederick F.	2.00
Hurley, Francis B.	5.00
Lemmer, Victor F.	10.00
McGinley, Gerald J.	25.00
Slater, Frank X.	9.40
Tuohy, John O'Hern	3.00
Velie, Alton C.	10.00
Waldron, James R.	5.00

Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$1,826.40	77
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
326	.236

1927

Cohen, Maurice	\$ 5.00
Corcoran, Henry J.	15.00
Degen, William J.	10.00
Eicher, Henry W.	5.00

Foley, John A.	6.00
Halpin, John J.	12.50
Halpin, Richard L.	12.50
Holland, William M., Jr.	25.00
Leroux, Clayton G.	5.00
LeStrange, Henry G.	10.00
Madden, Thomas P.	5.00
McCluskey, Daniel W.	5.00
McDonald, Chester P.	3.00
Mullen, Dr. George C.	5.00
O'Connor, Cpl. James J.	5.00
Petrone, Dr. John C.	5.00
Travis, William L.	20.00

\$ 153.00	
Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$880.50	71
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
318	.223

1928

Antus, John J.	\$ 5.00
Canny, James P.	10.00
Carringer, Edward J.	5.00
Cavanaugh, John P.	5.00
Claska, John M.	10.00
Conley, Maurice B.	10.00
DeBott, Joseph T.	5.00
Flanagan, Frank M.	10.00
Fagan, John J.	25.00
Galardy, Frank M.	20.00
Geraghty, Joseph M.	5.00
Hatch, Glenn M.	10.00
Herbert, John R.	25.00
Kelly, Frank J.	5.00
Mahar, Allen H.	5.00
Massman, Henry J., Jr.	25.00
McCabe, Herbert P.	5.00
McCormack, Edward J.	5.00
O'Neill, William J. H.	10.00
Ricks, Michael T.	10.00
Schulz, Herbert	20.00
Shelansky, Charles J.	5.00
Solomon, Dr. David S.	10.00
Topping, Charles G.	5.00
Toussaint, Walter J.	10.00

\$ 260.00	
Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$837.00	78
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
414	.188

1929

Brown, William E.	\$ 10.00
Burke, John F.	10.00
Carney, Vincent F.	100.00
Curry, James M.	10.00
Doan, Franklyn E.	25.00
Donelan, William J.	5.00
Johnson, William J.	5.00
Jones, Thomas J., Jr.	50.00
Kelly, Joseph H.	10.00
McDevitt, Lt. Cmdr.	

Harley L.	25.00
McNamara, Major Joseph P.	25.00
Mulhall, Joseph H.	25.00
O'Connor, John P.	5.00
Ouellette, Jerome E.	3.00
Regan, Louis J.	10.00
Shea, Thomas C.	5.00
Sullivan, L. (jg) John B.	5.00
Verilli, Daniel M.	30.00

\$ 358.00	
Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$1,437.50	69
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
318	.217

1930

Bennett, Gordon	\$ 5.00
Bohrman, Charles D.	10.00
Bromann, William H., Jr.	5.00
Conroy, Edward G.	25.00

Dempsey, Edward J.	10.00
Draves, Lt. Harry W.	10.00
Driscoll, James F., Jr.	25.00
Eggeman, Robert F.	10.00
Folks, T. John, Jr.	5.00
Gibbons, John W.	10.00
Hennessy, Joseph W.	5.00
Hill, Rev. John J.	5.00
Houghton, Walter C.	5.00
Lillig, Lt. (jg) Francis N.	5.00
Malloy, James A.	7.50
McGee, James M.	10.00
Nardone, Mario P.	20.00
Parmegiani, Joseph A.	10.00
Rooney, Sgt. Francis J.	5.00
Schaffer, James M.	5.00
Toomey, Timothy J.	5.00

\$ 197.50	
Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$1,252.50	93
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
444	.21

1931

Barber, Richard J.	\$ 10.00
Beasley, Howard C.	10.00
Collins, Thomas H.	5.00
Cushwa, Charles B., Jr.	105.00
Dolan, John M.	10.00
Draves, Dr. Edward F.	10.00
Espósito, Dr. Louis W.	50.00
Flannery, Francis E.	5.00
Gordon, C. Blake	10.00
Griffin, James J.	5.00
Halpin, Daniel D.	100.00
Higgiston, James A.	2.00
Huetz, Robert G.	10.00
Hughes, Lt. Cmdr. John M.	10.00
Kearney, Joseph J.	3.40
Kendall, Robert D.	12.50
McCarthy, William C.	10.00
McClallen, Edward G., Jr.	10.00
Mulvaney, James L.	2.00
Murphy, Carroll B.	5.00
Murphy, James G.	5.00
Murphy, Walter J.	5.00
Murray, James H.	25.00
O'Connor, George L.	5.00
O'Hara, Joseph	25.00
O'Shea, Lewis J.	10.00
Perry, Gilbert V.	5.00
Sullivan, Lt. John F.	5.00
Terre, Wilbert L.	10.00
Wachsmuth, Frank C.	10.00
Zuber, Lt. (jg) John H.	10.00

\$ 499.90	
Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$1,220.90	93
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
427	.218

1932

Barry, John S.	\$ 5.00
Carey, Joseph H.	5.00
Collins, Lt. James K.	5.00
Colville, John E.	10.00
Consolati, Francis A.	2.00
Culver, Alvin S.	10.00
Killian, Donald B.	10.00
McLaughlin, Leo V.	5.00
Murnane, D. Frank, Jr.	5.00
O'Connor, James P.	5.00
O'Hara, Bart W.	5.00
Pfeiffer, Raymond L.	10.00
Prodehl, Clifford E.	25.00
Ryan, Major George B.	10.00
Slader, William T.	5.00

\$ 117.00	
Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$1,426.00	95
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
532	.179

1933

Bolger, Lt. George E.	\$ 5.00
Darmody, (Lt. (jg) Philip A.	5.00
Eckert, Edward J.	10.00
Enright, Thomas E.	25.00
Fayette, Frederick J.	10.00
Frank, Lt. (jg) Carlos H.	5.00
Grattan, Henry A.	5.00
Hoyt, John A., Jr.	5.00
Joseph, Francis M.	10.00
Kaskiw, Dr. Eugene A.	5.00
Mahaffey, Thomas J.	10.00
O'Brien, Dr. Allison J.	15.00
Reilly, George H.	5.00
Rohrs, George H.	7.00
Rossiter, Claude L.	10.00
Sexton, Thomas W.	25.00
Sullivan, John F.	10.00

\$ 167.00	
Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$957.50	81
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
422	.192

1934

Blaha, Dr. George C.	\$ 10.00
Blish, Eugene S.	5.00
Casaretta, Raymond D.	10.00
Corcoran, Robert L.	5.00
Devine, John A.	10.00
Forrest, James J.	10.00
Gartland, Francis B.	
(deceased)	10.00
Glennon, Joseph R., Jr.	5.00
Hallauer, Edward W.	10.00
Honerkamp, Lt. (jg)	
Francis W.	10.00
Huisking, Lt. William W.	5.00
Kennedy, J. Walter	25.00
Kenney, William J.	5.00
King, Grenville N.	10.00
Land, John B.	10.00
Mariani, Hector J.	5.00
Martin, John B.	25.00
Moran, Cpl. Edward M.	1.00
Powell, William J.	2.00
Quinn, Charles F., Jr.	25.00
Reilly, William C.	1.00
Rickus, Sgt. Russell B.	5.00
Seward, Capt.	
Edward J. (Rev.)	100.00
Straub, Walter J.	5.00
Turner, Ralph M.	10.00
Wenz, George E.	500.00
Winter, Francis C.	5.00

\$ 824.00	
Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$3,103.36	96
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
426	.228

1935

Brookmeyer, Frederic R.	\$ 10.00
Burkhardt, William G.	10.00
Catalane, Bartholomew W.	25.00
Cushing, Jerome J.	10.00
Doyle, Gerald P.	5.00
Edwards, Capt. John R.	25.00
Fitzpatrick, John P.	5.00
John, Joseph A.	3.00
Keating, Raymond B.	25.00
Kunz, Ens. John J.	5.00
MacDevitt, Capt.	
James C., Jr.	10.00
Maholchic, Paul J.	5.00
O'Hara, Edward L.	5.00
O'Shea, Russell J.	5.00
Reishman, Vincent J.	10.00
Ryan, John J.	10.00
Shields, Robert J.	10.00
Sluska, Sigmund J.	5.00

\$ 223.00	
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Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$2,407.46	90
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
452	.20

1936

Ball, Lt. George W.	\$ 10.00
Binder, George A.	5.00
Cane, Frank E.	25.00
Church, August J.	10.00
Fisher, Lt. Patrick J.	25.00
Fitzmaurice, Joseph L.	5.00
Gabriel, Lt.	
Frederick R., M.D.	25.00
Kumrow, Edward F.	5.00
MacDonald, Joseph V.	10.00
Mahar, Cpl. Joseph A., Jr.	5.00
Malloy, Lt. Patrick H.	25.00
Murray, Dr. Francis J.	25.00
Odenbach, John M.	15.00
Owens, Ens. Edward F.	5.00
Sullivan, Lt. Joseph D.	5.00
Tancredi, Nicholas J.	20.00
Tofuri, Paschal A.	3.00

\$ 223.00	
Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$1,020.00	79
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
443	.178

1937

Bailey, Capt.	
William J., M.D.	\$ 25.00
Bates, Dr. George N.	3.00
Brovelli, Charles C.	10.00
Cardinal, Sgt. Ralph M., Jr.	10.00
Cronin, Arthur D., Jr.	50.00
Crotty, Edward J.	5.00
Cullinan, Lt. Daniel J.	10.00
Darcy, John F.	10.00
Delligan, Dr. Francis W.	5.00
Donnelly, Bernard P.	25.00
Doran, Paul T.	10.00
Froning, José F.	5.00
Harley, John F.	5.00
Kunsch, Rev. William C.	3.00
McCarthy, Lt. Thomas L.	10.00
McClain, Lt. Robert C.	5.00
McIntosh, Joseph K.	10.00
McKenna, John F.	10.00
McMahon, Joseph P.	10.00
Pierce, Lt. Harrison J.	5.00
Quinn, Yeoman	
Joseph P., Jr.	10.00
Shields, Lt. Edward M.	10.00
Tiernan, Capt. Luke J.	10.00
Yazaki, Paul M.	5.00

\$ 261.00	
Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$1,000.00	90
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
472	.19

1938

Atkinson, Thomas H.	\$ 5.00
Bowes, Lt. Richard J.	5.20
Brosius, Charles T.	3.00
Cleary, Lt. John F.	10.00
Cosgrove, Francis P.	4.00
Doyle, John J.	10.00
Fitzpatrick, Lt. (jg)	
George F.	10.00
Gallin, William H., Jr.	5.00
Hickey, Ens. Donald F.	30.00
Howard, George C., Jr.	5.00
Irwin, Carl F.	5.00
Kelley, Lt. John R.	10.00
Kinnealey, Thomas F.	10.00
Monaghan, Sgt. Charles P.	5.00
Nowak, Lt. Paul T.	10.00
Peterson, Bernard F.	20.00
Reynolds, Ens. Clark L.	5.00
Ruge, Emil V.	10.00

Schmitz, Pfc. John G.	1.00
Sidler, August W.	30.00
Sullivan, Lt. (jg) George R.	5.00
Sullivan, Robert R.	5.00
Terry, Charles P.	5.00
Vaslett, Lt. Eugene F.	5.00
Wrape, Lt. H. Edward	10.00

\$ 223.20	
Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$1,367.20	98
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
565	.173

1939

Bolz, Robert C.	\$ 3.00
Bulger, Sgt. Thomas R.	10.00
Coscarella, Arthur L.	5.00
Costello, John W.	5.00
DeCoteau, Roland E.	5.00
Detzer, Harry J., Jr.	10.00
Dollard, Lt. (jg) Vincent E.	5.00
Feeney, Sgt. Bernard J.	5.00
Felts, Cpl. Allen F.	5.00
Foster, Harvey G.	10.00
Gerend, Walter J.	10.00
Geyer, George E.	10.00
Gutowski, John Z.	10.00
Heywood, Robert B.	10.00
Honerkamp, Frederick W.	5.00
Kennedy, Major Robert D.	10.00
Kiefer, Alfred O.	5.00
Kinnealey, Sgt. Joseph F.	5.00
Kling, Ernest F.	10.00
Kovalick, George J.	25.00
Kristan, Julius R.	10.00
Lardie, Howard L.	10.00
Merkle, Major Matthew H.	5.00
Pfaff, Francis R.	5.00
Schirf, Major Robert F.	2.70
Sheedy, Lt. Daniel C.	2.00
Sullivan, Joseph P., Jr.	5.00
Tansey, James C.	3.00
Tonsmeire, Ens. Julian C.	3.00

\$ 208.70	
Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$1,461.94	139
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
606	.229

1940

Albert, Lt. (jg) Richard S.	\$ 10.00
Allen, Raymond R.	5.00
Bowler, Ens. Harold H.	5.00
Browning, John T.	10.00
Callan, Alfred J., Jr.	20.00
Chamberlain, Robert V.	25.00
Chaput, Elmer P.	25.00
Ciolino, Lt. Francis V., Jr.	25.00
Coquillard, Alexis E., Jr.	15.00
Curran, Lt. John M., Jr.	25.00
Donoghue, Capt. James V.	31.40
Duffy, Lt. Thomas J.	5.00
Ephgrave, Pfc. Charles W.	5.00
Flynn, Lt. John B., M.D.	2.00
Gavan, Lt. John D.	20.00
Geary, Lt. Cornelius E., Jr.	10.00
Gerve, Lt. John J., Jr.	5.00
Grisanti, Cpl. Robert C.	2.00
Gschwend, Paul J., II	5.00
Heinz, Edward J.	5.00
Hiss, Lt. Bernard F.	5.00
Howard, Capt. Robert I.	5.00
Huff, Lt. Edward G.	5.00
Hutchens, Charles K., Jr.	10.00
Karr, Lt. James J.	5.00
Kelleher, Dr. John C.	2.00
Kelsey, Charles M.	10.00
Kmieciak, Thaddeus S.	25.00
Laughlin, Yeoman Daniel F.	5.00
LePage, Sgt. Jean R., Jr.	10.00
Letcher, John C.	10.00
Mathey, Pvt. Joseph R.	10.00
Metzler, Capt. James P.	5.00

Miholich, Ferdinand E.	50.00
Montedonico, Lt. James H.	25.00
Moore, Sgt. James T.	5.00
Morrison, Ens. Paul M.	10.00
Norbert, Brother, C.F.X.	2.00
Norris, Harry L.	5.00
O'Donnell, Edward J.	5.00
O'Gorman, Pvt. Kevin M.	1.00
O'Meara, Lt. Edward F.	5.00
Penrose, George C.	1.00
Plummer, Lt. James W.	1.00
Rogers, Capt. John F.	10.00
Rosanelli, Edward G.	5.00
Ryan, Major Joseph A.	15.00
Ryan, Pvt. Vincent J.	5.00
Sayia, Lt. Robert F.	5.00
Skelly, Joseph W.	5.00
Sprafke, David W.	3.00
Sullivan, Lt. James H.	5.00
Summachowski, Stephen A.	5.00
Wallace, George S.	5.00
Warburton, Walter K.	25.00
Zeglob, Dr. Charles G.	5.00

\$ 565.40	
Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$2,718.60	201
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
695	.29

1941

Belden, Richard F.	\$ 10.00
Belladonna, Capt. Roland L.	5.00
Brennan, Lt. John C.	10.00
Brennan, Pfc. Walter J., Jr.	5.00
Brewer, Edward T.	5.00
Broussard, Joseph E.	50.00
Carbine, William C., Jr.	10.00
Clarke, Capt. Stephen R.	20.00
Cronin, Ens. Walter J.	10.00
Daly, Lt. William T.	10.00
Delia, Thomas A.	25.00
Dunham, William J.	2.00
Edmonds, Millard S.	5.00
Farrell, Cpl. Eugene R.	25.00
Froelich, Jerome J.	10.00
Gallagher, Ens. Charles R.	25.00
Guiney, John J.	10.00
Joyce, John L.	5.00
Judge, Thomas G.	10.00
Justen, Sgt. Daniel A.	10.00
Katter, George W.	5.00
Kegelmayer, Carl J.	10.00
Leonard, Sgt. Robert J.	10.00
MacCarry, Sgt. Noel J.	10.00
Maddalena, Lt. Arthur D., Jr.	25.00
McGowan, Lt. William C.	5.00
McGroder, Lt. Francis J., Jr.	30.00
Manix, Joseph C.	10.00
Miholich, Lt. Matthew J., Jr.	10.00
Monaghan, John H.	5.00
Murphy, Lt. (jg) Edward F.	100.00
Murray, James H., Jr.	2.00
Ronstadt, Lt. Robert C.	10.00
Schaffner, Irwin J.	5.00
Schulz, Robert M.	5.00
Shevlard, Sgt. Edward V.	10.00
Sullivan, Ens. Daniel G.	5.00
Tremblay, Pfc. Norman C.	2.00
Underriner, Lt. Bernard W.	25.00
Wrape, Capt. James D.	10.00
Zubras, Robert L.	10.00

\$ 566.00	
Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$7,380.00	198
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
688	.288

1942

Amato, Sgt. Angelo B.	\$ 5.00
Borda, Lt. (jg) John N.	10.00

Cahill, Jones F.	5.00
Carr, Michael J.	3.00
Cutlip, Lt. Lorenzo G.	20.00
Davis, Warren A.	5.00
Deery, Lt. Paul C.	10.00
Degnan, Thomas F.	10.00
DeMoss, Lt. Robert W.	5.00
Devine, Eugene J., Jr.	10.00
Donahoe, Robert R.	10.00
Donnelly, Ens. John T.	5.00
Doyle, Joseph D.	10.00
Farrell, Pfc. William J.	10.00
Fushellerger, Robert J.	5.00
Guthrie, John	20.00
Hanifin, Ens. John F.	10.00
Hartman, Lt. William W.	20.00
Kelley, Paul W.	5.00
Landers, Ens. Maurice D.	5.00
LoGiudice, Dominick J.	2.00
Morrissey, Pvt. Donald M. C.	5.00
O'Brien, Sgt. Eugene L.	10.00
O'Laughlin, Lt. James P.	10.00
Paulmann, Cpl. Frederick H.	2.00
Platt, Lt. Francis J.	10.00
Pope, Lt. (jg) Arthur W.	5.00
Pottetti, Mario A.	5.00
Powers, Thomas V.	10.00
Reardon, John J.	10.00
Reilly, Thomas J.	10.00
Schumaker, Sgt. Eugene J.	25.00
Sheedy, Pfc. Kenneth J.	2.00
Trenkle, Frederick A.	15.00
Verde, James J.	10.00
Wathen, Joseph L.	5.00
Wilcox, Gordon R.	5.00

\$ 324.00	
Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$1,797.70	197
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
512	.385

1943

Baddour, Maurice F.	\$ 10.00
Carabasi, Ralph A.	10.00
Carroll, Cpl. William M.	10.00
Cleary, Edmund P.	15.00
Cooney, Lt. (jg) Thomas J.	20.00
Delaney, Ens. Francis J.	5.00
Doerr, Pvt. John H.	5.00
Dunn, John H.	10.00
Feeney, Ens. Francis G.	10.00
Fennell, James J.	25.00
Flynn, John E.	10.00
Fogarty, Cpl. John F.	10.00
Guiney, Daniel J.	10.00
Haley, Lt. Francis J.	5.00
Heiser, Ens. Carl R.	10.00
Heltzel, Ens. Donald T.	10.00
Ivanecvic, Walter C.	2.00
Kelly, George J.	5.00
Kotz, Donald H.	3.00
Kresock, Joseph W.	10.00
Leonard, Sgt. Paul T.	2.00
McGladrick, James C.	21.00
McKnight, Ens. Henry J.	10.00
Neagle, Ens. Edward F.	25.00
O'Donnell, Cpl. James J.	10.00
Potter, Donald A.	2.00
Rummel, Melville S.	10.00
Schroeck, Bernard A.	5.00
Spagnuolo, Pfc. Louis J.	5.00
Stewart, Sgt. William J.	10.00
Stuart, Franklin H.	50.00
Tracey, John F.	10.00
Walsh, Joseph G.	10.20
Zagame, Anthony F.	5.00

\$ 370.20	
Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$1,768.45	175
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
323	.541

1944

Amato, Nicholas J.	\$ 5.00
Anhut, Ens. John W.	5.00
Bajorek, Matthew J.	1.00
Barnett, Ens. John E.	5.00
Benning, Richard F.	7.00
Bremer, Thomas F.	1.00
Brown, Pvt. Kenneth M.	5.00
Carrico, Ens. William E.	1.00
Charters, George A.	7.80
Collins, John F.	5.00
Cunningham, Ens. James V.	10.00
Dugan, Paul D.	20.00
Eck, Franklin E.	2.00
Fitzpatrick, John C.	5.00
Gaffney, Gerald P.	5.00
Grafe, William H., Jr.	5.00
Healy, William M., Jr.	10.00
Hickey, Ens. John P.	5.00
Kavanaugh, Edgar L.	5.00
Kelley, James A.	2.00
Kelly, Ens. James R.	10.00
Kenny, Pfc. William J.	10.00
Kiely, Michael M. F.	1.00
Kimmel, Victor M.	10.00
Kroth, Robert J.	5.00
Leary, Pvt. Warren D.	10.00
Lyden, Ens. Charles G.	2.50
McGuire, Albert P.	10.00
McManus, Frank L.	1.00
McSweeney, John E.	5.00
Merrill, Ens. Charles F., Jr.	50.00
Mileti, Otto J.	20.00
O'Connell, John G., Jr.	10.00
O'Connell, William G.	5.00
Raff, Robert W.	5.00
Rourke, Daniel J.	2.00
Sochalski, Edwin S.	10.00
Simons, Ens. Joseph L.	10.00
Strong, George A.	2.00
Tierney, Cpl. Lawrence J.	15.00
Vignola, Ens. Francis J.	10.00
Webb, William P.	5.00

\$ 320.30	
Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$674.55	101
No. in Class	% Contrib. to date
253	.40

1945

Slattery, Pvt. David D.	\$ 10.00
Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$51.50	3

Subscribers

Ethelreda, Sister Mary	\$ 3.00
King, Edward H.	10.00
Lloyd, Francis W.	50.00
Matson, Albert J.	25.00
Notre Dame Club of St. Louis	1,500.00
Tracy, Gerald B.	5.00

\$1,593.00	
Total to date	No. Contrib. to date
\$6,410.17	36

RE-CAPITULATION

Total this period	\$11,281.60
Grand Total	\$75,843.33
Less published errors	\$ 4,187.20
NET TOTAL TO DATE	\$71,656.13
Total in Classes	10,667
Total No. Contributors	2,698
Per Cent of Contributors	25.29
Average Contribution	\$26.55

1944 FOOTBALL SQUAD

Name	Pos.	Home Town	Prep School	Age	Wt.	Ht.
80 Adams, John W.	R. T.	Charleston, Ark.	Subiaco H. S.	22	218	6:7
15 Angsman, Elmer J., Jr.	F. B.	Chicago, Ill.	Mt. Carmel H. S.	18	190	5:11½
57 Archer, Arthur	L. G.	Chicago, Ill.	Proviso H. S.	18	180	5:9½
47 Berezney, Peter, Jr.	L. T.	Jersey City, N. J.	Dickinson H. S.	20	215	6:2
67 Bernhardt, Richard	C.	Toledo, Ohio	Central Catholic H. S.	18	192	6:1
37 Burke, Francis	R. H.	New York, N. Y.	Mt. St. Michael H. S.	18	165	5:11
66 Bush, Roy Alvin	L. E.	Davenport, Iowa	St. Ambrose Acad.	17	160	6:1
1 Cadieux, Roger	Q. B.	Springfield, Mass.	Cathedral H. S.	18	160	5:9
19 Cash, Anthony	R. E.	New Orleans, La.	Holy Cross Coll. H. S.	20	185	6:2½
45 Chandler, William	L. H.	Chicago, Ill.	Amundsen H. S.	17	1½	5:9½
8 Clasby, Edward	Q. B.	Natick, Mass.	Natick H. S.	18	175	6
74 Corbisiero, John V.	F. B.	Medford, Mass.	Medford H. S.	18	180	5:10½
29 Dailer, James H.	L. G.	Wheeling, W. Va.	Central Catholic H. S.	17	180	5:9
69 D'Alonzo, Alfred	L. G.	Orange, N. J.	Orange H. S.	18	190	5:10
4 Dancewicz, Frank J.	Q. B.	Lynn, Mass.	Lynn H. S.	19	177	5:10
55 Davlin, Michael F.	L. E.	Omaha, Nebraska	Creighton Prep	16	180	6:1
43 Endress, Frank	F. B.	Evansville, Ind.	Reitz Memorial H. S.	17	195	6
58 Fallon, John J.	R. G.	Alton, Ill.	Marquette H. S.	17	205	6:½
59 Fay, Edward	R. G.	Pittsburgh, Pa.	Central Catholic H. S.	21	190	5:11
52 Filley, Patrick J.	L. G.	South Bend, Ind.	Central H. S.	22	182	5:8
56 Fitzgerald, Arthur	R. H.	Ridgefield Park, N. J.	Ridgefield Park H. S.	18	185	5:11
13 Franklin, Raymond	L. H.	Claremont, N. H.	Stevens H. S.	21	175	6
50 Ganey, Michael J.	L. G.	Chicago, Ill.	Leo H. S.	18	187	6
48 Gasparella, Joseph R.	Q. B.	Vandergrift, Pa.	Vandergrift H. S.	17	203	6:3
38 Guthrie, Thomas F., Jr.	R. E.	Newark, N. J.	Seton Hall Prep	17	200	6:4½
41 Iliff, Robert	L. H.	Montclair, N. J.	Montclair H. S.	18	185	5:11
23 Kelly, Robert J.	R. H.	Chicago, Ill.	Leo H. S.	19	182	5:9½
70 Kelly, Joseph	L. T.	Akron, Ohio	Akron North H. S.	20	220	6:7
65 Krall, Rudolph A.	F. B.	Gary, Indiana	Lew Wallace H. S.	19	190	5:11
53 Lanigan, John	R. G.	Cleveland, Ohio	Holy Name H. S.	17	175	5:10
22 Lebrau, John	L. H.	Baltimore, Md.	Calvert Hall H. S.	20	165	5:9
34 Limont, Mark	L. E.	Pittsfield, Mass.	Yarmouth H. S.	18	190	6:3
60 Maggioli, Achille F.	L. H.	Mishawaka, Ind.	Mishawaka H. S.	22	180	5:10½
17 Manzo, Michale B., Jr.	L. T.	Medford, Mass.	Medford H. S.	23	200	6:2½
32 Marino, Nunzio R.	R. H.	Windber, Pa.	Windber H. S.	18	160	5:8
63 Martz, George	L. G.	East St. Louis, Ill.	Central Catholic	17	200	6
75 Mastrangelo, John B.	R. G.	Vandergrift, Pa.	Vandergrift H. S.	18	200	6
33 McGee, Joseph	R. G.	Grand Rapids, Mich.	Creston H. S.	18	182	5:10
31 McGurk, James S.	F. B.	Montclair, N. J.	Montclair H. S.	18	190	6:1
62 Mieszkowski, Edward T.	L. G.	Chicago, Ill.	Tilden Tech	18	205	6:2
20 Nemeth, Steve J.	R. H.	South Bend, Ind.	Riley H. S.	21	166	5:10½
25 O'Connor, William F.	L. E.	Ft. Montgomery, N. Y.	Mt. St. Michael H. S.	18	208	6:4
39 Parry, Thomas	L. T.	Arnold, Pa.	Arnold H. S.	18	198	5:11
9 Ratterman, George	Q. B.	Cincinnati, Ohio	St. Xavier H. S.	17	160	6
46 Ray, John William	C.	South Bend, Ind.	John Adams H. S.	18	188	6
42 Rovai, Fred Joseph	R. G.	Hammond, Ind.	Hammond H. S.	21	198	6
40 Ruggerio, Frank A.	R. H.	Orange, N. J.	Orange H. S.	21	200	5:8
72 Schuster, Kenneth R.	R. T.	Chicago, Ill.	St. Rita H. S.	17	215	6:2
51 Scott, Vince	F. B.	LeRoy, N. Y.	LeRoy H. S.	19	190	5:8
18 Skoglund, Robert W.	R. E.	Chicago, Ill.	Loyola Academy	19	194	6:1
21 Statuto, Arthur J.	C.	Saugus, Mass.	Saugus H. S.	19	190	6:2
61 Stewart, Ralph	C.	St. Louis, Mo.	McKinley H. S.	20	186	5:10
54 Sullivan, George A.	L. T.	East Walpole, Mass.	Walpole H. S.	18	212	6:2½
30 Terlep, George R.	L. H.	Elkhart, Indiana	Elkhart H. S.	21	166	5:8
44 Waybright, Douglas G.	R. H.	Saugus, Mass.	Saugus H. S.	17	178	5:11½
71 Welch, Robert F.	L. T.	Wauwatosa, Wis.	Wauwatosa H. S.	18	220	6:1
58 Wendell, Robert F.	F. B.	Chicago, Ill.	St. George H. S.	17	195	5:9
49 Westenkirchner, Joseph	R. G.	Toledo, Ohio	Waite H. S.	18	195	6

Note: Filley, Kelly, Adams, Sullivan and Dancewicz are the only returning lettermen from the 1943 squad.

1944 Football Gets Under Way



Contrary to the ancient traditions of the coaching craft, the 1944 football staff at Notre Dame smiles en masse for the photographer at the beginning of the season. This beaming delegation is composed, left to right, of Adam Walsh, Hughie Devore, Jake Kline, Head Coach Ed McKeever, Clem Crowe and Wally Ziemba. After this picture was taken, Creighton Miller, extraordinary halfback of the 1943 team, was added to the staff to assist McKeever in coaching the backs. Creighton will begin his law studies at Notre Dame at the beginning of the next term in November.

LATER

For those in the far places who are pretty completely "out of touch," the ALUMNUS is gratified to report here that Notre Dame beat Pitt, 58-0, and Tulane, 26-0, in the first two games of the season. The first game was easy, because N.D. was able to profit from many Pitt mistakes, but the Tulane game was much tougher than the score would indicate. Bob Kelly was, as anticipated, the "people's choice" in the backfield—unquestionably one of the outstanding stars of the season. He scored four touchdowns in the Pitt game.

This little report is being written before the season gets under way, as Bill Dooley's fascinating publishing schedule necessitates my getting copy in to him some time before the ALUMNUS actually gets rolling on the presses. Because this is being written prior to the opening kickoff, I am on the spot: if I make predictions, they may explode in my face. If I say that we are going to be good, we'll probably lose the first three games. If I say that we will have a very poor ball club, fate will have us winning the first few games by big scores. Maybe I'd better say we'll be poor. That will help solve McKeever's problems.

After four weeks of summer drills, and three and a half weeks of fall ses-

sions, the picture is roughly this: Ed McKeever and his staff are still making first team changes, with the Pittsburgh game only three days away. That indicates that the team isn't ready, in spite of the long and arduous work done by the coaches. Then, too, if we are to have a successful season, there are many "ifs."

IF Pat Filley's knees respond to treatments, and he can play regularly, our guard positions, now the weakest spot, will be strengthened. IF Frank Dancewicz, number one quarterback, can continue the amazing playing that he has shown in fall workouts, our passing game and all around offense may be adequate. IF the promising freshmen and first year players progress as well as we all hope, we will have fair reserve strength. IF Bob Kelly's injured leg (he hasn't worked out for two weeks as this is written) holds up, Notre Dame will probably have the best running and kicking back in the country.

There are a few more "ifs" but there is the general idea. Ed McKeever believes we will have a typical Notre Dame team: aggressiveness, an abundance of team play and fine team spirit. That has been demonstrated already on the practice field. But he also faces the situation in the true light of facts. Navy, Army and Great Lakes probably carry too much manpower for Notre Dame to overcome, and we undoubtedly will stumble over

obstacles in meeting our all-collegiate opposition.

The squad roster, which you'll find nearby, will give you a comprehensive idea of our personnel and especially its youth and lack of experience.

THE ARMY GAME AGAIN

Once more, the Alumni and Athletic Offices have suffered from the increasing, traditional magnetism of the Notre Dame-Army football game. The sell-out for the general public this year came on Aug. 23. Alumni applications were received until Sept. 5. And by heroic measures on Herb Jones' part, including inducing some early and farsighted fans to have their order for eight reduced to four, a few late alumni applications were received until Sept. 15. On the application blanks, by the way, in capital letters, that Sept. 15 date for preference is conditioned thus: "In case of sellouts, all preferences are cancelled." Lots of alumni missed that and wrote letters of a nature to elicit this reminder.

LOOK AT THIS SCOREBOARD

(Ed. Note: Notre Dame's endowment handicap, which is reflected largely in progress in research and the graduate school, is reflected in a few new figures of comparative endowments, taken from the *World Almanac* of 1944. The schools listed are just a few, varying in size and location and nature, but sharing with us the high educational objectives which demand substantial resources.)

Amherst	\$ 18,710,595
Calif. Inst. Tech.	13,400,000
Carnegie Institute	17,031,993
U. of Chicago	71,350,268
Columbia U.	89,135,728
Cornell U.	32,922,580
Dartmouth	19,667,788
Harvard	154,140,303
Johns Hopkins	30,082,848
Mass. Inst. Tech.	37,266,000
U. of Michigan	15,860,469
Oberlin	20,158,582
Princeton	35,000,000
Stanford	30,800,000
Western Reserve	13,483,995
Yale	106,153,510
NOTRE DAME	1,135,000

Two Notre Dame electrical engineering professors have been honored by appointment to committees of the American Institute of Electrical Engineering.

Prof. John A. Northcott, head of the E. E. department, already serving his third term as a member of the Institute's committee on education, has been added to the committee on student branches. Prof. Harold E. Ellithorn has been named to the committee on communications.

ALUMNI CLUBS

BUFFALO

John C. McKendry, '38, 85 Hildedge Drive, Eggertsville, Pres.; Joseph F. Ryan, '39, 145 Winston Road, Sec.

On Sept. 27, 1944, ten of our group met at the American Legion 40 and 8 club rooms: John C. McKendry (elected president), Doc Burns (elected vice-president), the writer (elected secretary), Henry Burns (elected treasurer), Carlos Frank (now a lieutenant, jg), Frank X. Bennett, Joe Dunn, Jack Hodgson, Bill Davis and Bill Biggs.

Due to the fact that many of our members are in active service, while those remaining have been unusually busy, alumni club activity in Buffalo has been at a standstill. However, the above members decided at our last meeting to hit the ball, and I will write you at greater length in the near future.

Joseph F. Ryan

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 Board of Governors met Sept. 11, at the University Club and discussed plans for the coming season. As a step in the club's postwar program it was decided to embark on a series of neighborhood gatherings to be conducted this fall and winter in various parts of Chicago and suburbs. Immediate plans were inaugurated and the Chicago members will soon be hearing from their neighborhood committees.

Recent Navy dispatches indicate that: Lt. (jg) Art Conrad is in New Orleans; Lt. Jack Clark is in Seattle; Lt. Ray Drymalaki is in the office of Strategic Service in Washington, D. C.; Lt. Spike McAdams is in command of an LSM in the Pacific; Lt. Cmdr. Ray McClory is at Moffat Field in California; Lt. Herb Bart is still at Corpus Christi, Texas.

Lt. Barry O'Keefe furloughed in Chicago recently. Barry is stationed in Washington. His brother, Ens. Joseph O'Keefe, is at Harvard. Lt. Tom Gorman is at Chapel Hill, N. C. Frank Gaul and Bud Kerr are at the preflight school at Wooster, O.; Lt. Bill Cerney was recently transferred to the San Diego naval base; Lt. Ed Beinor is in the South Pacific with the Marines.

The Army reports that Sgt. Joe Dorgan after almost two years of combat service in the Mediterranean area, was recently commissioned a first lieutenant in Rome. Nice going, Joe. Lt. Ray McGrath was recently in town from Texas, visiting his wife and seven-month-old daughter; Major John Mohardt returned to the U. S. in June after 18 months overseas and is now at Camp Knox, Ky.; Lt. Daniel E. Hilgartner is still in the Mediterranean area; Capt. Joe Kinneary of Cincinnati is stationed in Chicago. T/Sgt. A. J. "Tony" Gorman, '23, member of a B-29 crew, writes from India that the climate there is warm but not so hot as it was in Kansas. Radio correspondent Harry Flannery, '23, covered the recent Democratic convention here for the West Coast stations. John A. Smith, '29, has announced the opening of his CPA office at 231 S. LaSalle St.

Tom McCabe

GREATER LOUISVILLE

Frank B. Bloemer, Jr., '22, Ash St., Pewee Valley, Pres.; Dr. Norvin Casper, '36, 1722 Windsor Pl., Sec.

Current officers are, president, Frank B. Bloemer, Jr.; first vice-president, E. P. Moran; second vice-president, Dr. Norvin Casper; secretary, James Costello; treasurer, Marion Heffernan.

On July 22, we had a stag at Fairview Beach attended by: William Bosler, Cornie Pfeiffer, Ed Pfeiffer, Bill Reisert, Joe McGee, Pat Greene, Jack Carney, Ervin Weiler, Joe Donaldson, Dr. Norvin Casper, Frank Cahill, Louis Hollenbach, John Ratterman, Marns Pope, James Costello, Gene Steurle, Marion Heffernan, Dr. John Forsee, John Dant, John Guthrie, E. P. Moran, James Casper, Al Saleh, John Grubb, William Sherman, Jerry McDermott, Doc Holland, Majer Hetreed, Norb Toussaint and Frank Bloemer. It was a swell party.

Sunday, Aug. 13, the club attended Mass and received Holy Communion in a body for our first member killed in action, Capt. John Hennessy, '41. We attended St. James Church, which was his parish church.

Frank B. Bloemer, Jr.

ITALY

Aug. 6, 1944

The club continues to function although the exigencies of being in a country where a war is going on, in fact being a part of that very war, like the communiques—sometimes our lines of communication become very tenuous and somewhat hazy.

The last couple of months have seen us split up and fan out and only a few of the reliables are left. But most of us when we have time off climb out of our foxholes and hitchhike back to the certain spot that we call headquarters.

Major John Hinkel, '29, has left and moved to larger fields. Sgt. Bernie Chenal continues to send those bombers into the sky from a nearby airbase. Lt. Jim Rizer is also stationed there.

There seems to be some argument as to whether Lt. Joe O'Connell, '41, or Pvt. Johnny Lynch, '44, was the first N.D. man into Rome. As the dust clears away, we have to give the nod to Lynch; apparently all that separated them was a hair. Incidentally, nobody yet knows how O'Connell got out of the infantry and into the Air Corps, much less himself. He is at a nearby airbase. Capt. Jim MacDevitt, '35, of the now famed 88th Division, is still a hard man to find. His terse communiques reveal that he has uncovered half a dozen N.D. men in his drive north.

Bob Coleman

Southern France
Aug. 21, 1944

The N.D. Club of Italy undoubtedly is still hitting on all sixteen—this is just an inside tip that the Notre Dame Club of France is about to start functioning. I don't know how many of the boys are up north with General Bradley, but when we join forces we had ought to be getting in some returns.

As far as I know "Fighting Father" Barry was the first man to hit the beach down here and apparently I was second (and last so far). But he had the advantage, I claim, for he didn't have to carry two barracks bags, a three-blanket pack, gas mask, pistol, musette bag and camera. Besides, I hear he hardly got his feet wet.

S/Sgt. Jack Cackley, '37, Capt. Ed Butler, '34, T/Sgt. Frank Shea, '35, are all waiting until the smoke has settled and we can lay out the rug for them.

Bob Coleman

MEXICO CITY

On July 18, a group of 50 or more alumni and friends of Notre Dame gathered in the spacious home of Belling Wright in Mexico City. The meeting was the third in a series of Notre Dame gatherings initiated this year by the visit of Father William F. Cunningham, C.S.C., of Notre Dame, to the Mexican capital. With the number of Notre Dame graduates throughout the various cities of Mexico increasing every year—possibly a hundred within the environs of the capital itself—the idea of organizing a Notre Dame Club was the logical outcome of these meetings.

After a dinner held during his stay in Mexico, at which over 20 alumni assisted, Father Cunningham turned the promotion of the club idea over to Roberto Carriedo, professor at the Preparatory School of the National University of Mexico, who was a graduate student at Notre Dame during the winter semester of 1943-44. In making arrangements for another and larger Notre Dame meeting, Mr. Carriedo received the assistance of Rev. John A. O'Brien, well known professor of Notre Dame, then visiting in Mexico City. Father O'Brien gathered 20 or 30 alumni, their families and friends at an informal, preliminary reunion on the veranda of the beautiful Country Club of Mexico City. There plans were concluded for a larger meeting at the home of Mr. Wright, featuring the presentation of a 45-minute movie with sound track in Spanish, "The Story of Notre Dame," made at the University in the spring of 1941.

Early on the evening set the guests began to arrive at the home of Mr. Wright. Mr. Wright, for many years an amateur motion picture addict, received his guests, served refreshments, and then ushered them into his private theater. In the setting of Mexican paintings and pottery decorating the room, the show began—a series of short films of Mexican life and countryside, followed by the film of Notre Dame.

After the film Father O'Brien called upon those present to continue this fine beginning toward a strong, vital association of alumni and friends of Notre Dame in Mexico. A three-man committee, including Mr. Carriedo, was appointed to direct the nomination and election of officers, in this way putting the Notre Dame Club on a formal basis. Following this the meeting concluded with the singing of the Victory March and a hearty round of applause for the generous host of the evening, Mr. Wright.

Father Cunningham

PHILADELPHIA

Harold Duke, '39, 4030 N. Broad St., (Rad-cliff 6900, Hancock 3153) Pres.; Joseph F. Cattie, '41, 6302 Gardenia St., (German-town 0308) Sec.

The 1944-45 season started Sept. 12, at the Philopatrian Club, Philadelphia, and it looks as though we will hold forth there the second Tuesday each month from now on. Any of you who are in the neighborhood are more than welcome. John H. Neeson, Sr., was present and said son John was on duty at the Navy Yard or he would have been on hand.

You nice people mustn't be surprised that the club's officers change oftener than a white shirt

in Pittsburgh—you see between the draft and the other fellows rating commissions we are getting to the bottom of the barrel.

The most recent additions to Uncle Sam's Navy are **Joseph Cattie**, '40 (former club secretary), now an ensign. **Vince Donahue**, '32, and **Joseph Wackerman**, '35. All were sent to Princeton University. **Capt. Mulqueen**, '40, USMC from Minnesota, was in town recently, returned from the South Pacific. Saw his second youngster for the first time. Is now back on the West Coast as a major. Joe's wife was formerly secretary to **Ed Bailey**, '22.

Jim Bailey (Ed's son), a frosh in the Old College (pre-war N.D.), is now at Fort Blanding, Fla. **Paul Devers**, '22, is now a CPO in the South Pacific. **Jack Ridley**, '42, safely returned to base after 72 missions as a fighter pilot in the European theatre. **Lt. Dan Hurley**, '43, native of Hadfield, N. J., has had some close ones serving as bombardier in AAF—European war.

Listed among those who have been "drafted" away are **Father John P. Lynch**, '25, who served as chaplain to the Medical Mission nuns here in Philadelphia. We are sorry he's gone but are delighted to have **Father Charles Mahoney**, '36, as successor. **Dan Young**, '22, builder of those two huge drydocks at the Philadelphia Navy Yard, is slated to take up further operations at the Indian Coal Mines, Calcutta, India. I know you all join us in extending condolences to Dan whose father died.

Is **Bill Coogey** with Worthington Pump in Baltimore? **Bryan Hayes** was up to his ears in work on the occasion of **Connie Mack's** golden anniversary as a big league manager. **Ed Bailey** (what again!) was gold-bricking in the Abington Hospital for a couple of days—wouldn't you think he could sleep at home? Oh, kidney stones! Anyway, **Ed** has recuperated and is back on the job at **Davidson Chemical** in Baltimore. **Dick McClure**, recently made sergeant of police, has two prize-winning boxers (four paws each) who are taking as many blue ribbons as Pabst.

Dr. E. J. Lyons recently moved to a new office in the Spruce Medical Bldg., where he is busy filling cavities. **Ed** likes living in New Jersey, too—Haddon Heights—it adjoins Haddonfield, home of ye scribbler.

The National Baby Sweepstakes is augmented by the recent arrivals of a daughter at **Walt Ridley's**, twins at **Connie Byrnes** (yeah team!), daughter at **Frank Shapiro's**, and a son at the **Louis Ullman's**, a daughter at the **Joe Cattie's**; **Charlie Conley** added a daughter to his menage. Football candidates are scarce here.

Lt. Norman E. Duke, '35, is stationed in France according to latest advices. **President Hal Duke** is biting his nails trying to get some compressors from **Wayne Pump**. Did you know that **Vince McNally**, '27, is line coach at **Holy Cross**? That **Charley Dougherty** is serving faithfully at the Bureau of Immigration and Naturalization here? **Jim O'Donnell's** two boys are in the AAF and stationed in this country for only a short while longer? **Jim's** daughter will soon take vows in the Notre Dame order.

Jack Reilly

ST. JOSEPH VALLEY

Joseph M. Boland, Station WSBT, South Bend, Ind., Pres.; **Richard C. Kaczmarek**, '40, 317 Napoleon Blvd., South Bend, Ind., Sec.

On Aug. 15, 150 Notre Dame men and their guests gathered for the annual Notre Dame golf day and dinner at the South Bend Country Club.

Eugene O'Brien, assisted by **Albert McGann**, was chairman of the golf tournament, and **Joe Boland**, club president, presided at the dinner.

The alumni low gross prize went to **C. R. Grathwohl** of Niles, Mich., who had a 76 score.

Father Patrick Dolan, C.S.C., **Milo Wolf**, C. J. O'Neill, W. J. Fortier, **Leo Hoffman**, **Bob Proctor**, **Bernard O'Neill** and **Paul M. Butler** were other alumni prize winners.

The faculty low gross prize was won by **Father Edward Shea**, C.S.C., who scored an 83. Other faculty prize winners were **Father James Leahy**, C.S.C., **Father Charles Carey**, C.S.C., **George Driscoll**, **James A. McCarthy**, **Frank Lloyd**, C. F. Chizek and **Paul Fenlon**.

Capt. J. Richard Barry, USN, commanding all the naval units at Notre Dame, was aboard and graciously acknowledged the receipt of a navy autographed leather brief case, a gift of the club. Many other Navy officers from Notre Dame were also present. **Lt. Walt Fagan** of South Bend managed to be present as the result of a short leave from his ship which has seen action in the European theatre.

Richard C. Kaczmarek

ST. LOUIS

Jerome C. Arnold, '24, 7409 Arlington St., Richmond Heights, Pra.; **Frd C. Weber**, Jr., '36, 6639 University Drive, Sec.

It is my painful duty to inform you that I have fallen heir to the job as secretary of the Notre

Dame Club of St. Louis. This happened at our last regular meeting, late in June, at which time the following officers were elected: president, **Jerome C. Arnold**; vice-president, **Albert J. Ravarino**; treasurer, **Louis C. Fehlig**; secretary, **Frd C. Weber, Jr.**

Since that meeting in June, the St. Louis Club has had its annual picnic at the farm of **John L. Corley**. In attendance were 180 Notre Dame alumni and guests. Unfortunately, this year the greater proportion of those in attendance were guests, as so many of our younger boys from the St. Louis Club are in military service. The picnic was, as usual, a success, principally because the refreshments were cold, the day was hot and the swimming was good. **Roland Dames** was chairman of the picnic committee, and was assisted by **Al Ravarino**, **Frd McNeill**, **Frank Amato** and the officers of the club.

A directors' meeting soon will formulate plans for our yearly program, which will include our scholarship fund, our annual Communion Breakfast, presentation of the Knute Rockne Trophy to the outstanding football team in St. Louis, in addition to our regular meetings.

Fred Weber

FOR GOD, COUNTRY, NOTRE DAME IN GLORY EVERLASTING

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED

The deaths of 119 Notre Dame men serving in the armed forces of the Allies in World War II have already been listed in the ALUMNUS. (A total of 56 Notre Dame men lost their lives in World War I).

1st Lt. Donald E. Dixon, USMCR, ex. '34, Cincinnati, was killed as he led his company on July 21 in the invasion of Guam in the Pacific.



1ST. LT. DONALD E. DIXON

Don enlisted in the Marines in June, 1942, trained at Quantico, Va., and was commissioned there in December, 1942. Leaving for the Pacific in January, 1943, he participated in the invasion and capture of Bougainville and saw service in New Guinea.

Don had practiced law in Cincinnati with the firm of Ragland, Dixon and Murphy. He is survived by his wife, his daughter, 2½ years old, his parents, also of Cincinnati, a sister and a brother, the latter a captain in the medical corps in the South Pacific.

Chief Petty Officer Omer A. Kelly, ex. '38, Algona, Ia., was shot and killed in Chicago on Aug. 3. He was an athletic instructor in the Navy V-12 unit at Purdue University.

Lt. Robert J. Simonds, ex. '38, South Bend, was killed on Sept. 4 in a training accident at Ft. Benning, Ga., where he was an instructor in a tank destroyer battalion.

Bob had attended Purdue University as well as Notre Dame. After working for a Detroit tobacco company, he entered the army on April 9, 1941. He was commissioned at Camp Hood, Texas, on Jan. 21, 1943, and transferred to Ft. Benning in May, 1944.

His wife, to whom he was married in November, 1943, in Austin, Texas, survives him, together with his mother and his brother, who is serving with the Army in France.

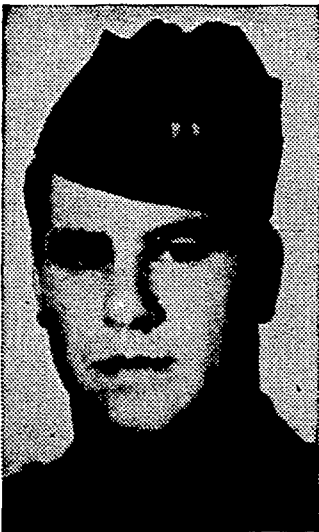


LT. ROBERT J. SIMONDS

Capt. Francis W. Pieri, '40, Mahanoy City, Pa., was killed in action in France on Aug. 22. He had been overseas since late in 1943 with the Army engineers.

Following his graduation from Notre Dame, Frank was associated with his father in the operation of the Central Bowling Alleys, Mahanoy City, then entered the employ of the B. F. Goodrich Co. He was inducted into the Army on June 28, 1941, had his early training at Camp Wallace, Texas, and was sent to Ft. Belvoir, Va., for OCS, where he was commissioned.

He later served at Pine Camp, N. Y., and was subsequently injured in desert maneuvers in California. Confined to a hospital there for three months, he was offered a discharge from the service but



CAPT. FRANCIS W. PIERI

refused it. He was later assigned to Camp Bowie, Texas.

On Aug. 8, 1942, Frank was married to Miss Adele Lynch and she and a son, Francis, Jr., now 15 months old, together with the parents and a sister, survive.

Capt. John M. Hennessy, Jr., '41, of Louisville, was killed in Italy on July 14. John entered the Army in October, 1941, following a short association with his father's insurance business, and had a long period of field artillery training in this country. He was commissioned a second lieutenant on May 26, 1942.

One of the outstanding and most popular students of his day at Notre Dame,



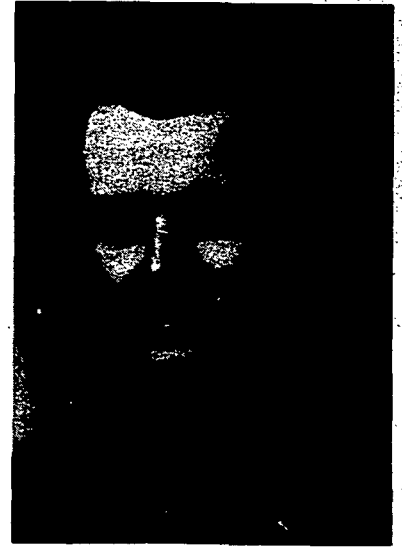
CAPT. JOHN M. HENNESSY, JR.

John was particularly known as a leader in the St. Vincent de Paul Society, the Wranglers, the Economic Round Table and the Commerce Forum. He sang in the Glee Club and was chairman of his Sophomore Cotillion and he participated in interhall basketball and freshman tennis. He was graduated *cum laude*.

John is survived by his parents and by four sisters and a brother. The members of the Notre Dame Club of Louisville assisted at a Mass for him and received Holy Communion in a body in his home church, St. James of Louisville. He was the first member of the club to die in service.

Capt. Charles Donald Stapleton, '41, Brooklyn, N. Y., was killed in action in France on July 12.

Don enlisted in the army in February, 1941, and trained at Ft. Dix, N. J., and at Camp Du Pont, Del., with a period of North Carolina maneuvers in between. Assigned to OCS at Ft. Benning, Ga.,



CAPT. DONALD STAPLETON

he was commissioned there in August, 1942.

Subsequently, Don moved around the U. S. rapidly: to Ft. Jackson, S. C., Ft. Benning, Camp Atterbury, Ind., Camp Blanding, Fla., Ft. Benning, and maneuvers in Tennessee. He sailed for England in February, 1944, and remained there until early June.

Don is survived by his parents, two brothers and a sister. His older brother is a first lieutenant, serving with the Fifth Army in Italy.

Lt. (jg) Gordon A. Love, ex. '41, Buffalo, N. Y., a veteran of four major invasions, was killed in action in the Pacific in mid-summer. Only a short while before a plane piloted by him was the first American plane to take off from Japan. In an emergency, he had landed on the island on an unfinished Jap airstrip which Marines and Seabees were grading there.



Lt. Love

Gordon attended the University of Buffalo law school after leaving Notre Dame. He had his early naval training at Northwestern University in Chicago and had been in the Pacific for eight months.

Gordon is survived by his father, a sister and three brothers. One of his brothers is Ensign Donald W. Love, '35.

1st Lt. Joseph M. Shields, USMCR, '42, Pelham Manor, N. Y., was killed on Aug. 6 in an air crash near Johnson,



LT. JOE SHIELDS

Kans. Stationed at Norman, Okla., as an instructor in primary acrobatics, Joe was returning to Norman from a cross-country flight to Colorado Springs when the accident occurred. Shortly after his graduation in '42, Joe entered the pre-flight school at Chapel Hill, N. C. Subsequently he trained at Memphis and Pensacola, where he was commissioned, and at the flight instructors' school in New Orleans. He was assigned to Norman on Aug. 6, 1943, just a year before his death.

Surviving Joe are his mother, four sisters (one a WAVE and two in the Nurse Cadet Corps) and a brother. His father died suddenly four years ago.

Ensign Paul J. Kashmer, '42, La Porte, Ind., missing in action since Feb. 15, 1944, is known to have lost his life on that day. He was a victim of the landings in the Anzio-Nettuno area in Italy.

For his heroism in the port of Anzio on Feb. 7, 1944, Paul has posthumously been awarded the Silver Star medal by the Navy Department. When a large bomb struck close to an LCI near his LCT, Paul, "with complete disregard of



ENSIGN PAUL J. KASHMER

his own safety, assisted skillfully in directing the fire-fighting activities and later donned a gas mask and went below decks into smoke filled compartments to remove injured personnel trapped initially by the flames. His unhesitating and self-sacrificing action in all probability contributed to the saving of several lives."

Paul, one of the best known students of his day, was president of the campus Law Club. Taken from his law course for navy service, he was commissioned at Tower Hall in Chicago and was sent directly to North Africa. He is, as far as is now known, the first Notre Dame law student to be killed in World War II. Surviving him are his parents, a sister and a brother, George B. Kashmer, ex '46, now in the Army at Ft. Knox, Ky.

Lt. John P. Denney, Jr., '42, Chicago, was lost at sea on Sept. 13, 1944, when the destroyer Warrington aboard which he was communication officer, sank in a hurricane off the Atlantic coast.

A veteran of extensive action in the Pacific, John was one of the survivors on the destroyer Selfridge when 52 aboard it were killed or reported missing and 14 wounded following an engagement with nine Jap warships in the Solomons. The ship's crew sank an enemy cruiser and two destroyers.

John trained at Abbott Hall, Chicago. Surviving him are his mother, a brother (Frank P. Denney, '32, Palo Alto, Calif.) and four sisters.

Lt. William R. Wright, ex. '42, South Bend, previously reported missing in action, is now known to have been killed in southern France on March 11, 1944. Co-pilot of a Liberator bomber, he had served overseas since December, 1943.

Bill studied for two years at Wabash College, Crawfordsville, Ind., and for a year at Notre Dame before he was employed by the Bendix Aviation Corp., South Bend. He enlisted as an aviation cadet on June 1, 1942, and was commissioned at Altus, Okla., in August, 1943.

Surviving Bill are his wife and a daughter and his parents.

Lt. Edward D. McKim, Jr., USMCR, '43, Omaha, Nebr., was killed on Guam on July 26. Directing the stringing of barbed wire to protect his front line position, Ed was wounded by machine gun fire and died in less than a minute.

Ed had participated in the first land-



LT. EDWARD D. MCKIM, JR.

ing on Guam wherein the objective of his platoon was the high ground overlooking the beach. The only way to this height was a narrow path commanded by three caves filled with Japs. Blasting out the enemy, Ed's group took the high ground within a half hour.

Called to Parris Island, S. C., with the platoon leaders' class soon after his graduation from Notre Dame on Dec. 21, 1942, Ed was transferred, after eight weeks, to Quantico, Va., where he was commissioned on April 21, 1943. After ten more weeks at Quantico he was assigned as an instructor to Camp Elliott, Calif., where he remained until he sailed for the South Pacific on Dec. 1, 1943. His father writes that as Ed's battalion marched down to the transport at San Diego, the Marine band played the Notre Dame Victory March.

On July 12, en route to California, Ed was married in Omaha to Miss Frances Helen Radford. She survives, together with Michael Terrence McKim, born May 6, 1944.

1st Lt. Richard J. Cotter, AAF, ex. '43, Staten Island, N. Y., was killed on July 21 in action over Germany. His family had been notified on Aug. 5 that he was missing; they had the final tragic word on Aug. 23.

Dick enlisted in the AAF at Notre Dame in May, 1942, and was called for training in December, 1942. He trained at San Antonio, Corsicana, Greenville and Ellington Field, all in Texas, and was commissioned and received his wings as a pilot at Ellington on Sept. 30, 1943. Going through advanced training at Dyersburg, Tenn., and Langley



1ST LT. RICHARD J. COTTER

Field, Va., he went overseas on March 19, 1944, and saw quick action. He was wounded on May 24 in action over Berlin but recovered in time to take part in the invasion of France on June 6.

Writing to his family on July 15, following his promotion to first lieutenant on July 13, Dick said that he had only nine more missions to make and that he hoped to be home for Labor Day. He had been awarded the Air Medal with several clusters and the Purple Heart.

Ensign John A. Miller, ex. '43, South Bend, was killed in action on July 15 while serving with the Navy Air Corps aboard an aircraft carrier in the Pacific. John was the son of Joseph J. Miller, for many years the head chef in the



ENSEIGN JOHN A. MILLER

Notre Dame Dining Halls, and the brother of Lt. (jg) Joseph J. Miller, Jr., '42, serving on a destroyer in the Pacific.

John's wife, his mother, another brother, Ralph, a private in the Marines, and a sister, Patricia, at home, also survive him.

John enlisted in the Navy in May, 1942, had his pre-flight training at Iowa City, Ia., and later training at Bunker Hill, Ind., and Corpus Christi, Texas, where he was commissioned on July 21, 1943. Pilot of a Gruman Avenger torpedo bomber, he received further operational training at Jacksonville, Fla., before being sent to sea duty in March, 1944.

Ensign John F. Sprague, ex. '43, Sunnyside, Wash., missing in action since August, 1943, is now officially presumed



ENSEIGN JOHN F. SPRAGUE

to have died on Aug. 9, 1943, according to word to his parents from the Navy Department.

Jack, a fighter pilot operating from the famous baby carrier Card in the Atlantic, was lost as he gallantly attacked a submarine while on a patrol flight with a torpedo bomber. After the bomber had been forced by anti-aircraft fire to come down at sea, Jack "fearlessly continued his daring attacks on the German ships in the face of their deadly fire." For his heroism he was awarded the Silver Star medal and later the Purple Heart.

Operating in the group with Jack in the historic anti-submarine warfare in the Atlantic was Lt. (jg) Gerald G. Hogan, '40, of Brooklyn.

Cpl. Ambrose B. Clancy, ex. '46, Ridgewood, Queens, N. Y., was seriously wounded in France on July 15 and died the same day.

Ambrose was called into the Army on June 8, 1943, just after finishing his third term at Notre Dame. He was sent overseas in January, 1944, and presumably, according to his letters to his family, participated in the original invasion of France on June 6.

Writing to Notre Dame on Sept. 13, Ambrose's brother, Brother Bartholomew, O. S. F., St. Leonard's Academy, Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "We appreciate the many fine things you have done for him, and know that Ambrose would want us to tell you of his great love for Notre Dame."

The ALUMNUS has so far received only incomplete information regarding the following Notre Dame men who died in the service of their country: Lt. William M. Fox, ex. '38, South Bend, killed Feb. 6, 1944, in a bombing raid over Italy; Lt. Thomas J. Sengon, ex. '39, "deceased" according to AAF notation on envelope returned to Alumni Office; Lt. James J. Ferry, '41, Brazil, Ind., killed in action on Aug. 22, 1944; James P. Grant, ex. '46, St. Paul, Minn., killed in France.

Missing in Action

Daniel M. O'Connell, ex. '46, Baltimore. Bombardier on a B-24. Missing since May 28, 1944, according to word from his long-time friend, Pfc. Manning Brown, ex. '46, Victoria, Kans.

Lt. Ora J. Spaid, Jr., ex. '46, South Bend, navigator on a bomber, has been missing over Germany since Sept. 12, 1944.

Prisoners of War

Col. Charles D. Jones, '32, Shreveport, La., famous for his accomplishments in Africa and Italy, is now known to be a prisoner in Germany. On April 10, 1944, he had been reported missing.

Another noteworthy Notre Dame airman, previously reported missing in action, is also a prisoner in Germany. He is Lt. Col. Francis S. Gabreski, ex. '42, Oil City, Pa. He was captured when he "took one more crack" at a Nazi airfield near Coblenz. Swooping low to avoid anti-aircraft fire, he struck a clump of trees at the end of a field, damaging his P-47 propeller. Two miles farther on he had to belly-land, according to the later story in England of his flight companion.

The United States' top ace, credited with shooting down 28 planes, Frank was about to return to this country on leave.

2nd Lt. John M. Coppinger, '41, Brooklyn, was shot down over Austria on Feb. 24, 1944, and taken prisoner by the Germans. His address—and he would like to hear from you: Prisoner of War No. 2916, Stalag Luft 111, Stalag Luft 1, Germany, via New York City.

2nd Lt. Robert M. Grant, ex. '43, South Bend. Bob, first reported as missing, was captured when his Fortress was shot down on July 21, 1944, over Germany.

2nd Lt. Robert E. Fitzpatrick, ex. '45, Lawrenceville, Ill., missing in action over Germany on May 27, 1944, is now known to be a prisoner. His address: United States Prisoner of War, Stalag Luft 3, Germany, via New York City.

Deaths Already Reported

(In its August issue the ALUMNUS was able to print only brief notices of the deaths in the armed forces of the following Notre Dame men. More information about these men now being available, we are presenting it here.—Eds.)

Ensign Daniel B. Kelly, '39, was the victim of an accidental plane crash in the Pacific on June 10, 1944. Flying on a daytime patrol, he was piloting the last of four planes to take off from a carrier. At 8,000 feet he was missing after flying through a cloud and, despite a thorough search, he was not found by his comrades. They saw only oil slick



2ND LT. WILLIAM P. O'BRIEN



PILOT OFFICER WILLIAM J. KUNTZ

on the water and life jacket marker stain. The cause of the accident remains unknown to date.

Before his enlistment in Navy V-5 on July 8, 1942, Dan was a highly successful salesman for the Yardley Co. With his brother, Bert, '41, he trained at Chapel Hill, N. C., Glenview, Ill., and Corpus Christi, Texas, and he was commissioned at Corpus Christi. Volunteering for service with a night fighter squadron, he had additional training at Quonset Point, R. I. He left for the Pacific in March, 1944.

Dan was married on December 15, 1943, in Forest Hills, N. Y., to Miss Dolores Lorraine Docco.

2nd Lt. William P. O'Brien, '40, was one of the victims of the historic B-29 raid on Japan on June 15. His plane crashed in China and he was buried there on June 17 with military honors, in a cemetery cared for by the Chinese air force.

Before he entered the AAF in August, 1942, Bill was in the retail coal business in Chicago, with the Druley-O'Brien Coal Co. He trained first at Santa Ana, Calif., was commissioned at Demming, N. Mex., and had later training at San Marcos, Texas; Pyotte, Texas; Dyersburg, Tenn., and Great Bend, Kansas. He left for India and, eventually, China, on March 12, 1944.

Bill is survived by his wife (to whom he was married on March 8, 1943, in Demming, N. Mex.), his parents, four brothers and two sisters (rather than three sisters as reported in the August ALUMNUS). A posthumous award of the Purple Heart has been made to his wife.

Pilot Officer William J. Kuntz, '41, Waterlog, Ontario, Canada, of the Royal Canadian Air Force, was killed in action on June 8, 1944.

Billy enlisted in the RCAF in February, 1942, following a period of employment by the Carlin Breweries. He trained as a pilot in Ontario and Quebec and was commissioned in Brantford, Ontario. After a three-month course in general reconnaissance at Summerside, Prince Edward Island, he arrived in England in November, 1943, and had further training there.

In a letter to the University, Billy's mother quoted the letter of a Notre Dame friend of his. The friend had written: "If I went out with Bill at night I knew I could go to Communion the next morning."

What more can be said?

Donald S. Currie, ex. '45, a paratrooper, was killed, along with all the other members of his outfit, on June 21, in Italy. Inducted at Ft. Dix, N. J., on June 10, 1943, Don subsequently reported to Ft. McClelland, Ala., where he volunteered for the paratroopers. He had his specialized training at Ft. Benning, Ga., completing his qualifying jumps there in December.



DONALD S. CURRIE

Wounded in Italy last May, Don was hospitalized in Naples, recovered and returned to combat. His home was in Stapleton, N. Y.

Lt. Ignatius Benedict Walker, ex. '46, Winchester, Ill., was instantly killed on July 24 in a plane crash at Key Field,

Meridian Miss. He is survived by his parents and a sister. He was buried in St. Vincent, Ky., the home of his grandparents.

Enlisting in the AAF in January, 1943, Ben trained to be a pilot at San Antonio, Texas, Chickasha, Okla., Enid, Okla., and Victoria, Texas, where



LT. BEN WALKER

he was commissioned. He had additional training in P-40 fighters at Dothan, Ala., Dale Mabry, Fla., and Key Field, Miss.

Heroically attempting to save the lives of his crew following a crash at Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., on May 19, Ensign **Norbert J. Ellrott**, ex. '41, was so severely burned that he died on May 21.

Employed by the Albany (N. Y.) Packing Co. and by the New York Central R. R. after he left Notre Dame in June, 1941, Norb began his naval aviation career on January 15, 1943. He had his training at New Paltz, N. Y.; Chapel Hill, N. C.; Peru, Ind.; Pensacola, Fla., and, finally, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

Norb's parents, formerly residents of Albany, N. Y., now reside in Burbank, Calif.

ADDITIONAL SERVICE MEN*

(Including names received and classified up to Sept. 30, 1944)

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former Notre Dame students are, or have lately been, in the armed forces according to Alumni Office records as of Sept. 30, 1944.

Acers, Julian Frazier, ex. '41, Capt., USMC.
Alef, John Harland, ex. '45, Pvt., APO 83, c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.

Allen, John Maxwell, '35, Lt. (jg), c/o FPO, San Francisco.

Armington, Frederick William, ex. '36, Lt. Cmdr., USN. Medical Officer, Indiana State Teachers College, Terre Haute, Ind.

Barnett, John Evans, '44, Ens., USNATB, Solomons Branch, Washington, D. C.

Beaudine, Francis R., '44, Ens., 1811 Hampton Blvd., Norfolk 7, Va.

Belden, William H., '36, C-apt., 261st Base Unit, Army Air Field, Abilene, Tex.

Belladonna, Roland L., '41, Capt., USMC, c/o FPO, San Francisco.

Belmont, Carmi A., '36, Lt. ORTC, 8th Bn., Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Md.

Belmont, Peter M., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, N.Y.C.

Bergman, Alfred H., '42, Lt. (jg) (in European waters).

Bitter, Vincent C., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, N.Y.C.

Blackwell, Thomas J., '33, Lt. (jg), NTS, USNR, Harvard University, McCullough D-43, Cambridge, Mass.

Bogan, William J., '41, Lt., Med. Det., APO 261, Camp Cooke, Calif.

Bowler, Harold H., '40, Ens., c/o FPO, San Francisco.

Boyle, James E., '38, Lt. (jg), c/o FPO, N.Y.C.

Boyle, John E., '44, Ens., B.O.Q., Miramar, R-423, USNTC, Miami, Fla.

Brannon, Robert K., '30, A/S, USNTS, Co. 723, Great Lakes, Ill.

Breen, Raymond K., ex. '29, A/S, USNTS, Co. 698, Great Lakes, Ill.

* A skeletonized overseas address is given only as an indication of the theater of war in which the man is serving; in no case is the address as given here sufficient for the purpose of sending mail. Censorship regulations do not permit complete overseas addresses to be printed.

It should also be noted that addresses within the United States are merely the latest available in the Alumni Office and are printed largely in the hope of bringing friends together. In many cases, such addresses will of course be actually far out of date.

Brehl, Bernard F., '42, Ens., 133 Foulke Hall, Sec. 222, NTS, Princeton, N. J.

Brophy, James F., '39, Cpl., U. S. Army. (ETO).

Brown, Roger W., '42, Ens., c/o FPO, San Francisco.

Burke, Edward J., '44, USNRPMs, Section 705, Asbury Park, N. J.

Burns, Joseph F., '40, RT 3/c, Bldg. 5, USNB, Cape May, N. J.

Burns, Richard F., ex. '46, Pvt., Section O, Flt. 76, Bks. F329, Buckley Field, Colo.

Burns, Robert W., ex. '44, Pvt., U. S. Army, Co. H, Barracks 5, R.C., Fort Devens, Mass.

Byrnes, Robert J., '44, Ens., (awaiting call).

Carnahan, William H., ex. '46, A/S, Co. 1706, USNTS, Great Lakes, Ill.

Casby, John J., '42, Lt. (jg), c/o FPO, San Francisco.

Cattie, Joseph F., '41, Ens., Princeton, N. J.

Christman, Earl D., '42, Pvt., U. S. Army, B-33-8, FARTC, Fort Sill, Okla.

Clancy, Ambrose B., ex. '46, Killed.

Clarke, Stephen R., '41, Capt., APO 512, c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.

Coleman, John F., '44, c/o FPO, N.Y.C.

Colianni, Paul P., '44, USNR, Co. 211-D-6, Sampson, N. Y.

Collins, John F., '44, Midshipman, USNR, U.S.S. Prairie State, N.Y.C.

Collins, John J., '33, Lt. (sg), (overseas).

Collins, Thomas J., ex. '43, Capt., AAC, Tuskegee Army Air Field, Tuskegee, Ala.

Conley, Edward T., '43, c/o FPO, San Francisco.

Connors, James J., ex. '45, 2nd Lt., 2532 AAF Base Unit, Sec. H, Bks. B, Randolph Field, Tex.

Conroy, Edward G., '30, Lt. Cmdr., Bureau of Ordnance, Washington, D. C.



2nd Lt. Joseph A. Matson, '42

(His death was reported in the August "Alumnus")



Sgt. Arthur F. Stancil, ex. '46

(His death was reported in the August "Alumnus")

Constantin, James Michael, '44, Pvt., Co. B, 5th Bn., 1st Ptc., Camp Wheeler, Ga.

Conway, John H., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, N.Y.C.

Cook, James C., ex. '43, APO 635, N.Y.C.

Costello, George F., '31, S2/c, c/o FPO, San Francisco.

Cronin, Walter J., '41, Ens., c/o FPO, San Francisco.

Crowley, Francis P., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, San Francisco.

Crowley, James T., '44, NROTC.

Currie, Donald S., ex. '45, paratrooper. Killed.

Daley, Robert E., ex. '41, Capt., USAAF, 4th Ferrying Group, 2836 Shady Oak, Memphis, Tenn.
Delahanty, James L., '40, Ens., Camp McDonough, Flattsburg, N. Y.

Delaney, Francis J., '43, Ens., c/o FPO, San Francisco.

Delaney, Francis J., '38, Lt. (jg), c/o FPO, San Francisco.

Del Zoppo, Albert J., '41, Lt. (jg), Armed Guard Center, New Orleans, La.

Demer, Louis J., '39, A/S, Co. 306, Unit E-3, USNTS, Sampson, N. Y.

DeMoss, Robert W., '42, Lt. (jg), NAS, Patuxent River, Md., c/o Tactical Test.

Dempsey, Joseph F., '33, Lt., Armed Guard Center, Pacific, Treasure Island, San Francisco.

Dewey, John G., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, San Francisco.

Deerr, Charles J., Jr., '32, Lt. (jg), Armed Guard, c/o FPO, New Orleans.

Dennell, William Kyle, ex. '38, Lt., USMC. (Just retired).

Dowling, John J., ex. '45.

Doyle, Paul J., Jr., '36, Sgt., APO. 350, c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.

Drayer, Adam M., '35, Sgt., Bldg. 38, Sec. A, 3505th AAF Base Unit, Scott Field, Ill.

Duncan, Paul E., '31, Pvt., 410 A.M. Depot Co., Camp Butler, N. C.

Dunn, Francis A., '36, Lt. (jg), c/o FPO, San Francisco.

Dyke, Logan E., ex. '39, AAF Trng. Command School, Yale University, New Haven, Conn.

Earley, Anthony F., Jr., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, N.Y.C.

Eater, Frank C., '30, Cpl., Hq. Co. ASFTC, Box 114, Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

Eck, Franklin E., '44, U.S.S. Prairie State, N.Y.C.

Eckenrode, Edward R., '44, Ens., c/o Commandant, 12th Naval Div., San Francisco.

Eder, Robert W., ex. '41, Ens., (VS), NAAF, Withan Field, Stuart, Fla.

- English, Francis E., '44, Officer Candidate, 4th Co., 3rd STR, Fort Benning, Ga.
- Ertel, Mark A., '40, Ens., Princeton University, Princeton, N. J.
- Fahey, Howard S., Jr., ex. '43, Lt., NAS, Santa Ana, Calif.
- Favret, James E., '30 (overseas).
- Fazzie, George B., '41, Lt. (jg), Harvard U., Communications School.
- Fennell, James J., '43, S 2/c, 897-31-93. L-12. C 110, USNTO, Sampson, N. Y.
- Fennelly, James W., ex. '46, Pvt., USMC, Plt. 336, Marine Bks., Parris Island, S. C.
- Fieweger, Joseph F., '44, Ens., University of Arizona, Tucson, Ariz.
- Fisher, Robert G., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, N.Y.C.
- Flaherty, Maurice G., Rev., ex. '21, Major (Chaplain), APO 520, c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.
- Flannelly, Thomas J., '31, Lt., APO 520, c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.
- Fleming, Walter L., Jr., '40, Ens., Camp McDonough, Plattsburg, N. Y.
- Flock, Thomas G., ex. '47, S 2/c USNAS, Box 18, Platoon 307, Jacksonville, Fla.
- Fogarty, John F., '43, Cpl. (South Pacific).
- Forbes, Kenneth A., '44, A/S, St. Louis University, School of Medicine, St. Louis 4, Mo.
- Forester, Gordon L., '41, Ens., B.O.Q. Room 214, Miramar Hotel, Miami, Fla.
- Frost, Thomas W., '30, NTS, YSNR, McCullough E-11, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.
- Gall, Joseph F., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, N.Y.C.
- Gallagher, Edward R., '44, Pfc., Co. G, OCS, MCS, MB, Quantico, Va.
- Gallagher, James E., '44, Ens., SC, C-13, Mellon Hall, Soldier's Field Station, Boston 63, Mass.
- Gallagher, Richard E., '44, Ens., Miramar, B.O.Q. 203, Miami, Fla.
- Gerwe, Joseph J., Jr., '40, Lt., c/o FPO, N.Y.C.
- Ghigliotti, Edward E., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, N.Y.C.
- Gillon, Angus M., '40, Pfc., APO 655, c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.
- Gomber, William J., '37, 1st Lt., Btry B, 568th AAA, Camp Shelby, Miss.
- Goodman, Francis P., '44, U. S. Army.
- Goretta, Louis Alexander, '44, Ens., NTS (I), Hollywood Beach Hotel, Hollywood, Fla.
- Gorman, Anthony J., '23, T/Sgt. On B-29 in India.
- Gorman, Vincent A., '35, Lt. (jg), MC, USNR, c/o FPO, San Francisco.
- Gower, James M., '44, Pier 88, NTS Salvage, N.Y.C.
- Graham, Charles J., '37, Batt. 2, Co. H, Bks. 12, Camp McDonough, Plattsburg, N. Y.
- Grant, Robert M., ex. '43, 2nd Lt. Captured by Germans.
- Grasso, Anthony P., '33, Capt., Medical Corps, Station Hospital, Fort MacArthur, San Pedro, Calif.
- Griesedieck, Robert A., ex. '47, Honorable discharge due to injury.
- Grube, Harry T., ex. '38, New Guinea.
- Grumbine, Roy J., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, San Francisco.
- Guard, Alan H., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, N.Y.C.
- Hagan, Daniel J., '43, A/S, St. Louis University School of Medicine, Mo.
- Halkein, Robert F., '44, Navy V-12.
- Haniñan, John F., '42, Ens., Pre-Radar, Bowdoin College, Brunswick, Me.
- Hannigan, James J., '41, Ens., c/o FPO, San Francisco.
- Harris, Russell L., '41, Lt. (sg), c/o FPO, N.Y.C.
- Hart, Thomas M., '28, 1st Lt., AAF, ORD, Regional BTC 10, Greensboro, N. C.
- Haverick, Donald R., '35, Ens., B.O.Q., NATTC, Memphis, Tenn.
- Hawk, Frank J., ex. '43, OCS, New Orleans, La.
- Hearden, Thomas F., '27, Lt. (jg), Iowa Pre-Flight, Iowa City, Ia.
- Hecht, Daniel J., '44.
- Heimann, Paul H., '44, Ens. (In South Pacific).
- Herlihy, John E., Jr., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, San Francisco.
- Herbert, Cecil J., '35, Cpl., APO 654, c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.
- Horiak, James P., ex. '35, A/S. C. 539, GLNTS, Great Lakes, Ill.
- Host, Paul Anthony, '33, USNR, NTS, McCullough E-11, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.
- Howe, William J., Jr., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, N.Y.C.
- Hullihan, Edward F., ex. '30, Sgt., Co. B, Hdqs. Bn., Army Service Forces Trng. Center, Camp Lee, Va.
- Hurd, Paul W., '44.
- Hurley, Francis H., '33, Lt., U. S. Army.
- Hynes, John C., '39, Ens., League Island Navy Yard, Philadelphia, Pa.
- Iliff, Robert E., '41, Ens.
- Kain, Harry R., ex. '46, Cadet, 1st New Cadet Co., USMA, West Point, N. Y.
- Kane, John B., '44, USNRMS, Section 36, Notre Dame, Ind.
- Katz, Milton A., '37, Pvt., Section K, Bks. 428, Chanute Field, Ill.
- Kearney, Joseph F., '44, S 1/c, Co. 1574, Recruit Trng. Command, USNTS, Great Lakes, Ill.
- Keenan, Frank J., ex. '45, Ens., c/o FPO, San Francisco.
- Kelleher, Richard S., ex. '44, Pvt.
- Kelley, Thomas J., '37, Capt., APO 324, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco.
- Kelly, George J., '43, Naval Air Cadet, Class 3-D, Flight Brigade P.O., NAS, Pensacola, Fla.
- Kelly, James R., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, N.Y.C.
- Kelly, Omer A., ex. '38, Killed.
- Kelly, Peter M., '41, 2nd class P. O. Swimming pool instructor, Great Lakes, Ill.
- King, Thomas J., '39, Ens.
- Kinnealey, Joseph F., '39, S/Sgt., Co. A, 144th Med. Trg. Bn., ASFTC, Fort Lewis, Wash.
- Kirby, Arthur C., ex. '22, Honorable discharge.
- Kopf, Milo R., ex. '46, Cpl., Hq. and Hq. Co., Camp Wheeler, Ga.
- Kvasnak, Cornelius J., '39, Ens., NTS, Miami, Fla.
- LaBerge, Walter B., '44, c/o FPO, N.Y.C.
- Laskowski, Norbert T., '41, Cpl., Military Intelligence School, Camp Richie, Md.
- Laurie, Donald, ex. '30, Lt. Cmdr., J. S. Navy, Federal Ship-building and Drydock yards, Port of Newark, N. J.
- Laurie, John D., Jr., ex. '33, Sgt., Quartermaster Depot, Jeffersonville, Ind.
- Lawton, G. Albert, ex. '35, Pvt., Personal Affairs Office, Camp Luna, Las Vegas, N. Mex.
- Leahy, Francis W., '31, Lt., USNR.
- Leis, Donald G., '42, Ens., NTS, Batt. 3, Co. M, Bks. 44, Camp McDonough, Plattsburg, N. Y.
- Linck, Leo L., '43, Av/C, AAFTC, Yale University, New Haven, Conn.
- Lenihan, Emmett G., '15, Lt. Col. T.C. (Deputy Base Commandant), Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation, Norfolk Army Base, Norfolk, Va.
- Loftus, John R., ex. '47, S 2/c, c/o FPO, San Francisco.
- Lombardo, Francis R., ex. '45, 45th Air Base & Hq. Sq., Baer Field, Fort Wayne, Ind.
- Lyden, Charles G., '44, Ens., B.O.Q., Venetian Hotel, Miami, Fla.
- Madden, Harold D., Jr., ex. '40, APO 493, c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.
- Madden, James E., ex. '47, USN, 735 Livingston Hall, Columbia University, N.Y.C.
- Madden, William Anthony, '44, Ens., c/o FPO, San Francisco.
- Maddock, John N., '35, Pvt., 241st AAA, S.L. Bn., B Btry., Washington 25, D. C.
- Mahar, Joseph A., Jr., '36, Cpl., Sqdn. A, Morris Field, Charlotte, N. C.
- Mahon, Gerald R., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, San Francisco.
- Mahoney, Robert J., '40, Pvt., Troop G, 1st Trng. Regt., CRTG, Bldg. 20757, Fort Riley, Kans.
- Malik, John J., ex. '41, Capt., Post Investigation Officer, AAF, Central Flying Trng. Command, Foster Field, Texas.
- Maloney, Robert J., ex. '41, Sgt., AAF, 1000th Unit, Atlantic City, N. J.
- Mann, John F., '44, NROTC.
- Mariani, Hector J., '34, 1st Lt., 781 River St., Paterson, N. J.
- McAndrews, John P., '44, Ens.
- McCarthy, Daniel E., '41, Pvt., Co. A, 62nd Med. Trng. Bn., Camp Barkeley, Tex.
- McCarthy, James J., '41, Lt. (jg), 33 N. LaSalle St. Chicago, Ill.
- McCarty, Thomas J., '44, Ens., Venetian Hotel, Room 304, SCTC, Miami, Fla.
- McCae, Vincent J., '30, Sgt., ASFTC, Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.
- McDermott, Patrick L., '44, Ens., Amphibious Training Base, Coronado, San Diego 55, Calif.
- McGoldrick, Owen A., ex. '43, Flight Officer, AAF, Hobbs, N. Mex.
- McGrann, Donald F., ex. '43, Lt., APO 920, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco.
- McKeever, Charles, '31, WO/jg, APO 149, c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.
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- McLaughlin, David T., '44, 5th Co., 3rd STR, Fort Benning, Ga. (O/C).
- McLeod, Kenneth J., '32, Capt., AAF, Provost Marshall, 3509th AAF Base Unit (TS), Willow Run, Ypsilanti, Mich.
- McNally, Walter J., '42, Cpl., c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.
- Merrill, Charles F., Jr., '44, Ens.
- Meuleman, Robert J., '44, USNRMS, U. S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.
- Minogue, Thomas J., '40, A/S, F-7, Co. 414, USNTS, Sampson, N. Y.
- Monaghan, John T., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, N.Y.C.
- Mongoven, Michael B., '39, USNR, Communications School, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.
- Montrie, Charles J., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, San Francisco.
- Moore, Francis E., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, N.Y.C.
- Moran, Edward M., '34, Cpl., Section A, Biggs Field, Tex.
- Moran, Rev. James J., '27, Chaplain, 1st Lt., APO 24, San Francisco.
- Morgan, Edward R., '44, Pvt., Co. A, 155th Med. Tr. Bn., 38th Med. Tr. Regt. ASFTC, Fort Lewis, Wash.
- Moulder, Peter V., '42, A/S, USNR.
- Moynahan, Robert B., '36, Separation Center, Fort McPherson, Atlanta, Ga.
- Mulligan, Patrick J., Jr., '41, Lt. (jg), c/o FPO, San Francisco.
- Mulligan, Thomas F., '41, Lt. (jg), N.T. & D.C., Disbursing Office, Camp Wallace, Tex.
- Mulligan, Thomas P., '38, Lt. (jg), ATB, Camp Bradford, Norfolk, Va.
- Mulrenan, William F., '37, Ens., NTS, Supply School, Morris A-31, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.
- Murphy, James Martin, '38, Ens.
- Murphy, William H., '28, Sgt. AAF, Bradley Field, Conn.
- Murray, John A., '43, APO 403, c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.
- Murray, Thomas J., '33, 2nd Lt., U.S. Army, Office of Chief of Transportation (European Theater).
- Myers, Charles J., ex. '47, AAF.
- Myers, Felix E., ex. '40, AV/C, NATC, Pensacola, Fla.
- Naber, John Diedrick, '44, Ens., c/o FPO, N.Y.C.
- Nelson, George J., ex. '45, APO 140, c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.
- Nichols, Carl B., ex. '41, U. S. Army.
- O'Brien, Louis C., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, N.Y.C.
- O'Connell, John G., Jr., '44, USNR.
- O'Connor, Bernard A., '44, Co. 4483, Bks. 418L, USNTO, Bainbridge, Md.

O'Connor, Edward P., '44, NROTC.
 O'Dea, James L., '44, Pfc., School Bn. Trng. Center, Japanese Language School, Camp Pendleton, Oceanside, Calif.
 O'Gorman, Kevin M., '41, Pvt., Medical Corps Reserve.
 O'Keefe, Joseph D., '44, NTS, Supply School, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.
 O'Neil, Eugene J., '44, Navy V-12.
 O'Neill, William R., ex. '41, Lt., C1 44-4-F, Maxwell Field, Ala.
 O'Reilly, Eugene J., '35, Ens., SC-V (S), Morris E-22, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.
 Padesky, Richard R., '43, Pvt., 3rd Platoon, Co. B, 229th ITB, Camp Blanding, Fla.
 Pandolfi, Paul J., ex. '46, Pvt., A-201-62, Camp Blanding, Fla.
 Pedrotty, John R., '44.
 Pivarnik, John J., '34, O/C, OCS, Class 364, Fort Benning, Ga.
 Pinkley, J. Carroll, '28, 2nd Lt.
 Ponzevic, John J., '36, 2nd Lt., APO 711, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco.
 Powers, John B., '43, Sgt., Transportation Officers' Trng. School, New Orleans, La.
 Prusha, Francis R., '38, Ens., Commissary Dept., USNTC, Great Lakes, Ill.
 Quinlan, Edward J., ex. '42, 1st Lt., AAF, England.
 Radnich, Robert J., ex. '43, Enid Army Air Field, Enid, Okla.
 Raese, William T., '44, NROTC.
 Reeves, James P., '34, Pvt., 546 F. A. Bn., Btry. C, Camp Shelby, Miss.
 Regan, Maurice J., '31, Capt., AAF Regional Station Hospital, Pyote Army Air Field, Pyote, Tex.
 Rensberger, Robert S., '34, Pfc., Japanese Language School, H. & S. Co., School Bn., Camp Pendleton, Oceanside, Calif.
 Reyburn, Thomas T., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, N.Y.C.
 Reynolds, Clark L., '38, Ens., U. S. Naval Magazine, Baltimore, Md.
 Rice, Paul H., '39, Lt. (jg), U. S. Navy, Battery Place, N.Y.C.
 Rickert, John G., '38, APO 788, c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.
 Riley, Charles R., '39, 1st Lt., APO 259, N. Camp Folk, La.
 Rohde, Robert L., '44, Ens., Venetian Hotel, Room 401, USNTR, Miami, Fla.
 Rosellit, Walter P., ex. '40, A/S, U. S. Navy, Co. 718, USNTS, Great Lakes, Ill.
 Ryan, John M., '41, Ens., Sqd. 2-A 108, NAAS, Eilysen Field, Pensacola, Fla.
 Sadowski, Edward M., '39.
 Sandom, Zane J., '43, USNR, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.
 Sansone, Joseph A., '44, NROTC.
 Schafer, Robert Leo, ex. '46, S 1/c - (A.T.), Great Lakes, Ill.
 Scheffer, Robert P., '37, Capt., Hdq. 355th AAF, Base Unit C & G School, Sherman Field, Fort Leavenworth, Kans.
 Schilder, Gerald P., '27, Lt., U. S. Navy Armed Guard, c/o Hydrographic Office, Washington, D. C.
 Schirm, Louis, III, ex. '43, Capt., U. S. Army, ETO.
 Schmitz, John G., '38, Pfc., Hdqs. & Supply Sec., 1530th Service Unit, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indianapolis, Ind.
 Schumaker, Eugene J., '42, Sgt., Co. A, Hq. Bn., ASFTC, Camp Lee, Va.
 Seghers, Charles E., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, San Francisco.
 Seuffert, Joseph A., '42, U. S. Army.
 Sheriff, John Raymond, '25, Capt., Ground School, AAF Central Flying Trng. Command's Advanced Pilot School, Eagle Pass Army Air Field, Texas.
 Sherwood, Emery A., '38, Ens., P.O. 2, Bldg. 2, Navy Yard, Washington 25, D. C.

Shields, Edward M., '37, Lt.
 Silver, James F., '26, 1st Lt., APO 525, c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.
 Simonds, Robert J., '38, Lt. Killed.
 Singelyn, Edward J., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, N.Y.C.
 Slattery, David D., ex. '45, Pvt., Alabama Polytech Inst., 7th Sec., 3rd Co., S.C. 11, 3419 ASTP, Auburn, Ala.
 Smyth, John U., ex. '35, Cpl., Co. M, 255th Inf., APO 410, Camp Van Dorn, Miss.
 Snyder, Raymond P., '31, Cpl., H. & S. Co., 1260 Engr. Combat Bn., Camp Pickett, Va.
 Spencer, James M., ex. '47, A/S, Co. 1627, Great Lakes, Ill.
 Staley, Carroll A., '33, Lt. (jg), Batt. 5, Co. V, Bks. 30-3, Naval Trng. School, Plattsburg, N. Y.
 Steele, Robert P., '42, Sgt., Walterboro Army Air Field, Walterboro, S. C.
 Stello, Albert P., '44, c/o FPO, N.Y.C.
 Sullivan, John G., '34, Capt., APO 33, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco.
 Suty, John A., ex. '47, S 2/C, Co. 6, Sec. G-121, NATTC, Navy Pier, Chicago.
 Teders, Robert A., ex. '34, APO 650, c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.
 Terry, John J., ex. '44, Pfc., APO 94, c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.
 Teske, John A., ex. '46, S 1/C, Co. 1418, USNTS, Great Lakes, Ill.
 Thayer, Edward S., '42, R-11, USMSTS, Hoffman Island, Staten Island, N. Y.
 Theisen, Emmett J., ex. '40, Major, APO 879, c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.
 Tobin, John L., '38, Phm. 3/C.
 Tonsmeire, Julian C., '39, Ens., Naval Aviation Supply Depot, Philadelphia.
 Towne, John L., '35, Med. Det., Sec. 1, Sta. Hospital, Camp Van Dorn, Miss.
 Tracey, Edward J., '40, S 1/C (R.T.) SV V-6, USNR, Co. 1496, Great Lakes, Ill.
 Trueman, Thomas J., '41, Lt., APO 396, c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.
 Van Huffel, Albert F., '41, Ens., Naval Indoctrination, Plattsburg, N. Y.
 Verhoeven, John F., '39, Pvt., Co. D, 52nd Bn., 1st Plat., Camp Wolters, Texas.
 Voitik, Walter J., ex. '46, Plt. 756, RDMCB, San Diego 41, Calif.
 Wall, Thomas P., Jr., '40, Lt. (jg), c/o FPO, San Francisco.
 Walsh, C. Michael, Jr., '27, S/Sgt., USMC, c/o FPO, San Francisco.
 Walsh, G. Bailey, ex. '27, NAMC, Navy Yard, Philadelphia.
 Walsh, Thomas J., '44.
 Watson, Frederick E., '25, T/Sgt., Judge Advocate's General's Dept., OCS, Ann Arbor, Mich.
 Wilcox, Gordon R., '42, S 1/C, Co. 1655, USNTS, Great Lakes, Ill.
 Williamson, Frederick W., '38, Lt., APO 956, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco.
 Willick, Leo M., '37, Ens., NCDU-ATB, Fort Pierce, Fla.
 Wilson, Ellsworth E., ex. '31, A/S, Co. 757, USNTS, Great Lakes, Ill.
 Witucki, Robert M., '44, Ens., 407 Venetian BOQ, Miami, Fla.
 Wolke, William D., '44, Ens., MTBSC, Div. 88, Newport (Melville), R. I.
 Wood, Richard E., ex. '46, Box 18, Plt. 347, USNAS, Jacksonville, Fla.
 Woods, Tighe E., '33, Lt. (jg), Co. 11, Sec. 116, 243 Brown Hall, Princeton, N. J.
 Yaeger, Louis J., Jr., '35, Lt. (jg), War Bond Office, Navy Yard, Navy 128, c/o FPO, San Francisco.
 Zenner, Elmer J., '37, Ens., c/o FPO, N.Y.C.
 Ziegler, Mandell S., '44, Ens., ATB, NOB Camp Bradford, Norfolk, Va.
 Zwiers, Joseph B., '38, Ens., Camp Plattsburg, N. Y.
 Zwicker, John H., '44, Ens., c/o FPO, San Francisco.

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Miss Dorothy G. Fortier and Edward O. Scheer, '39.
Miss Bernice Pettis and Lt. Richard L. Barbier, '40.
Miss Norma Ruth Metzler and Victor R. Grayson, '44.

Marriages

- Miss Priscilla Morris and William E. Bradbury, '16, Robinson, Ill. Sept. 8. The bridegroom's mother, aged 90, was one of the official witnesses.
Miss Evelyn Marie Glaser and William Hughes Mitsch, '33, Bellaire, O., Aug. 23.
Miss Ann McCarthy and John F. Hurley, '3, Elmira, N. Y.
Miss Caroline Morgan and Lt. George D. Kerwin, '38, June 17.
Miss Louise Garavaglia and Walter J. Gerend, '39, Detroit, June 24.
Miss Marie Elizabeth White and Lt. John Vincent Gilmour, Jr., '39, Ridgewood, N. J., July 22.
Miss Marcella Louise DeVold and Cpl. Robert C. Grisanti, '40, Bedford, O., June 24.
Miss Kathleen Anne Kane and Lt. (jg) Louis Joseph Cenni, '40, Worcester, Mass., Aug. 19.
Miss Amelia Irene Dominick and Dr. Robert J. Frost, '40, South Bend, Sept. 2.
Miss Mary Elizabeth McGuire and Ccl. John P. Henebry, '40, Chicago, Aug. 7.
Miss Vera Denton Diehl and Capt. Robert Wilkin Blake, '40, Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 30.
Miss Helen Catherine Homegardner and John Savord, '40, Sandusky, O., Sept. 9.
Miss Edna Mae Lewis and Lt. (jg) Albert J. Del Zoppo, '41, Chicago, July 15.
Miss Barbara Kathleen Waid and Curtis R. Shook, ex. '42, South Bend, Aug. 12.
Miss Alicia V. Przybysz and Thomas W. Perry, '43, Notre Dame, Sept. 16. The bride until early September was the able supervisor of all records and address changes in the Alumni Office and in that capacity cheerfully served thousands of alumni. The bridegroom is employed by Goodyear in Akron and they are residing there.

Capt. and Mrs. Forrest R. West, '31, announce the birth of a son, John Ross, July 23.

Mr. and Mrs. John McNamara, '33, announce the birth of a son, Aug. 30.

Mr. and Mrs. James J. Forrest, '34, announce the birth of a son, May 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kenina, '35, announce the birth of a son, Jerry Robert, Aug. 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Sigmund Slaszka, '35, announce the birth of a daughter, Barbara Louise, Jan. 12.

Mr. and Mrs. George McNeile, '36, announce the birth of a daughter, Aug. 12.

Lt. (jg) and Mrs. James J. Siddall, '36, announce the birth of a daughter, Elizabeth Ann, May 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Paschal Tofuri, '36, announce the birth of a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome M. Davey, '37, announce the birth of a son, Jerome Michael, Jr., Aug. 7.

Dr. and Mrs. Daniel Boyle, '38, announce the birth of a daughter, Kathleen, July 8.

Pfc. and Mrs. John Schmitz, '38, announce the birth of a daughter, Luanne, July 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Garab, '39, announce the birth of a daughter, Ellen Jean, Aug. 14.

Mr. and Mrs. John Luke McGuiness, '39, announce the birth of a son, John Luke, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dray, '40, announce the birth of a son, Aug. 18.

Lt. (jg) and Mrs. Benedict Murdock, '40, announce the birth of a son, Sept. 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nadolski, '40, announce the birth of a son, David Laurence, Aug. 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward O'Donnell, '40, announce the birth of a son, March 18.

Capt. and Mrs. Robert Sullivan, '40, announce the birth of a son, June 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Teah, '40, announce the birth of a son, Aug. 11.

Lt. and Mrs. Howard J. Korth, '41, announce the birth of a son, Timothy Wilson, July 2.

Lt. and Mrs. James F. Spellman, announce the birth of a son, Robert Michael, July 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Swisher, '41, announce the birth of a son, John Fredrick, Aug. 25.

Mr. and Mrs. John Verdonk, '41, announce the birth of a son, John William, July 21.

Lt. and Mrs. Leo M. Humphrey, '42, announce the birth of a son, Dennis Michael, July 15.

Lt. (jg) and Mrs. Arthur W. Pope, '42, announce the birth of a son, Michael Arthur, June 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Wolf, Jr., '42, announce the birth of a daughter, Aug. 17.

Lt. and Mrs. George Murphy, '43, announce the birth of a daughter, July 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Palenchar, '43, an-

nounce the birth of a daughter, Patricia Ann, Aug. 5.

Pharmacist Mate 2/c and Mrs. Jeremiah J. Sweeney, Jr., '43, announce the birth of a daughter, Sharon Anne, June 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Steiner, '43, announce the birth of a son, Edward III, Aug. 7.

Deaths

Charles C. Craig, ex. '86, Galesburg, Ill., former Illinois Supreme Court Justice and Galesburg banker, died on Aug. 25 at the age of 79. Mr. Craig served two terms in the Illinois legislature prior to sitting on the Supreme bench from 1913 to 1918. He was a student at Knox College, Galesburg, as well as at Notre Dame and later finished at the U.S. Naval Academy.

Dr. Francis W. Barton, '96, for many years one of the leading physicians of Danville, Ill., died suddenly on Sept. 14 in Danville. He is survived by his wife and a son, Francis W., Jr., now in the Navy in Bremerton, Wash.

Following his graduation from Notre Dame, Dr. Barton had his medical education at Columbia College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York City, and followed that with a two-year course in Germany. He was the second Danville doctor to be admitted to the American College of Surgeons and he belonged to many other medical societies. A veteran of World War I, wherein he served as a major in the Medical Corps, he was a past commander of a local post of the American Legion, as well as fourth degree Knight of Columbus and a member of the Holy Name Society.

Dr. Barton maintained a generous and lasting interest in Notre Dame, visiting the campus as often as his busy life permitted. He was particularly interested in the Illinois-Notre Dame football games played in nearby Champaign and was the generous and solicitous host to many of the Notre Dame party when the squad stopped overnight in Danville en route to Champaign.

Cletus E. Lynch, '22, Peoria, Ill., one of the most widely known and admired alumni of his era, died suddenly of a heart attack on Aug. 13 in Meriden, Conn., where he had been born and lived for many years.

Clete was a salesman for the Lion Ribbon Company of New York City, covering the western states to the coast. In earlier years he represented the W. E. R. Ribbon Corp., also of New York City.

Surviving Clete are his wife, Mrs. Gertrude Bulger Lynch of Peoria, his mother, two sisters and three brothers. He was buried in Meriden following a solemn Mass.

(Additional information about Clete will be found in the 1922 section of this issue.)

Harry E. Ester, '25, South Gate, Calif., has been dead since Aug. 28, 1943. Brief word about his death has just recently come to the Alumni Office.

Francis M. Drinan, LL.B., '29, Muskegon, Mich., is dead according to a notification from the Muskegon post office.

James M. Daquette, '29, Hartford, Conn., died

Births

- Dean and Mrs. Clarence E. Manion, '22, announce the birth of a daughter, July 31.
Mr. and Mrs. William Holland, '27, announce the birth of a son, May 3.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Byrne, '28, announce the birth of a daughter, Margaret Mary, Aug. 12.

on July 11 after a long illness. Graduated from Notre Dame in electrical engineering. Jim was later graduated from the Hartford College of Law. He was employed as an underwriter by the London & Lancashire Insurance Co.

Surviving Jim are his wife and a son and daughter, his mother and two brothers. He was buried in Hartford.

Francis B. Gartland, '34, Brooklyn, N. Y., died suddenly on July 19 as he was en route by subway to his legal duties on the staff of Davis, Polk, Wardell, Sunderland and Kiendl, 15 Broad St., Manhattan.

A subway guard, noticing the miraculous medal around Frank's neck, summoned a priest for him from a nearby church as he was carried from the train. Death had apparently been almost instantaneous, however, either on the train or on the station platform.

Frank was graduated from St. John's Law School, Brooklyn, in 1937. He practiced law privately until 1940, when he was appointed deputy assistant attorney general of the state of New York. He remained in that position until November, 1942, when he resumed the private practice of law, joining the Davis firm in December, 1943.

Frank is survived by his wife, his parents and two sisters.

Edward F. Palman, Lewiston, Me., B.S. Aero. E., '43, was killed on July 31 when the Pan-American Clipper aboard which he was a civilian engineer crashed in the Pacific. Word of Ed's death was sent to Notre Dame by his roommate of campus days, Cpl. John Fogarty, '43, serving with the Army in the Pacific.

Speaking of Ed, John wrote: "... George Coppin, '43, had been talking to him just an hour before the accident. George went North while Ed was going South. Ed's brother, Stan, who has been in Honolulu for the past two years, had gone home for a reunion with Ed when he received the news of Ed's death. I expect George to write a letter giving more of the details."

Ed was buried somewhere in the Pacific area. His body will be sent home after the war.

The "Alumnus" extends sincere sympathy to: **Daniel H. Young**, '22, on the death of his father; **Rev. Maurice S.**, '27, **J. Patrick**, ex. '27, and **M/Sgt. Robert**, '30, **Rigley**, on the death of their mother; **Gladstone**, ex. '27, **James**, '30, and **Capt. Edward**, '39, **McDermott**, on the death of their mother; **Judge John J. Wallace**, '28, on the death of his wife; **Lt. James W. Cullen**, '28, on the death of his father; **James W. Sullivan**, '30, on the death of his mother; **Sgt. James Newland**, '41, on the death of his brother; **Harold Johnson**, ex. '43, on the death of his father; **James Evert**, ex. '45, on the death of his brother.

Before 1890 **P. E. Burke**, '88, 391 Camp, New Orleans, La.

Patrick E. Burke, en route to New Orleans from Toronto and the Twin Cities, visited in Chicago with Jerome Crowley on Sept. 8-9.

1890-99 **Rev. J. A. MacNamara**, '97, Saint Joseph's Mineral Bath, Mount Clemens, Mich.

Robert C. Giffen, V. Adm., USN, has been awarded a Gold Star in lieu of a second Distinguished Service Medal for his contribution to the capture of Makin and Kwajalein Atolls.

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

Matty Mathews, former Notre Dame end, signed in July a one-year contract to coach Portland in the New American (west coast) Grid league. He was head coach at Portland U.

(C.S.C.) until that school discontinued football for the duration.

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

Bryan Odem, U. S. attorney in Houston, stopped at N.D. in September for a brief visit with his son, Jim, a freshman. Bryan had been in Washington, D. C.

Jerry Miller, Fort Wayne, Ind., has set up his own business in life, health and accident insurance, he reported to **Bernie Voll** in a recent call.

Cameron Dooley, Packanack Lake, N. J., is a buyer with the Wright Aeronautical Corp., Paterson.

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

A report from the Ninth Air Force service command unit, ETO, reveals that **Lt. Col. Bob O'Hara**, Detroit, is a member of the air transport wing which has flown many tons of vital AAF cargo to France and evacuated thousands of wounded American soldiers on return flights to England.

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

Joe Ryan, teaching English at Notre Dame, collaborated with **Creighton Miller**, '44, on a "Our Sunday Visitor" series concerning Miller's experiences as a N. D. football player.

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



The late **Clete Lynch**, '22, and his wife.

From **Kid Ashe**:

Again it becomes our sad duty to record the death of a classmate. God in His wisdom has summoned **Clete Lynch** to his reward. Clete was one of the most enthusiastic and dynamic personalities in the entire class; one whose loyalty to Notre Dame never wavered; an exceedingly generous person who instantly responded to every monetary appeal from the University; one who could take the hard knocks of life in a most graceful and carefree manner; one whose hearty laughter has gladdened the hearts of thousands.

Clete was a traveling representative of the Lion Ribbon Co., of New York City. His work carried him thousands of miles away from home for months at a time. Divine Providence called Clete from this life when he was visiting his old home in Meriden, Conn., on a vacation trip.

Thus far messages of sympathy and sorrow have been received from **Father James Gallagan**, C.S.C., **Father George Fischer**, C.S.C., **Jim Foren**, **John Paul Cullen**, **Dr. Dan Sexton**, **Kenn Nyhan**, **Jehrome Dixon**, **Morgan Sheedy**, **Dan Young**, **Ed Gottry**, and **Vince Pater**.

Our sympathy is extended to **Mrs. Gertrude Lynch** of Peoria, Ill., wife of the deceased, also, to **Clete's aged mother**, and his sister, **Dorothy**, in Meriden.

For those who have been inquiring about the doings of **Morgan Sheedy**, we have some news. **Morgan** entered the army in April 1942. He received basic training at Atlantic City. From there he went to Trux Field, Madison, Wis., to Intelligence School at Salt Lake City, to Pyote, Texas, where he was in charge of the 435th squadron 19th Bomb Group, S-2 office. He was honorably discharged in June, 1943, with the rank of sergeant, having attained a ripe old age. (Don't you believe it). **Morgan** is now affiliated with **Carnegie Illinois Steel Corp.**, General Motors Bldg., Detroit.

Kenn Nyhan is in the real estate business in Toledo. Your secretary has had many meetings with him in Toledo recently.

Old Faithful—**Dan Young** has completed his drydock building projects at the Philadelphia Navy Yard and is now preparing for a business trip to India. Dan's firm, **Foley Brothers, Inc.**, is undertaking to mechanize and operate the coal mines of India. We sincerely hope that Dan has the good fortune to meet **Father Joe Rick**, C.S.C., during his stay in India. Good luck, Dan, on your new undertaking.

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

From **John Harley**:

Ben Kesting broke the ice for the class of '25 and sent me some news of himself as well as of his classmates. I have been at Camp Patrick Henry, Va., since the first of March and the only Notre Dame man I have ran across is **Lt. Louis J. Grosse**, '35, who is with the Morale and Personnel Service office here and is also the Army Emergency Relief officer on the post. **Louie** and I get together quite often on our mutual interest in the welfare of the soldier and his problems, both at home and on the post.

Capt. Joe Heimann, '21, wrote me a nice note from Camp Kilmer; his address is 720 M.H.S.P., Camp Kilmer, N. Y. Joe is in and out of this country on a hospital ship and is oversers at the present time. The Notre Dame prep school members of our class will remember Joe when he ran the newstand at the subway entrance of the Main Building. Joe later went to St. Louis and received his medical degree and had a marvelous practice in Cleveland, but when the war broke out he answered our country's call for doctors. Joe was at Camp Patrick Henry Station Hospital for a while but by the time I learned of this he had been shipped out.

I've been reporting on a man from other classes, but this is war and a Notre Dame man looks good to any of us, no matter what class he was in. Besides, the members of our class haven't been writing. Let's hear from you.

Ben Kesting is still the best county engineer Toledo ever had. He writes as follows: "I saw **Charley Mouch** several weeks ago at Sandusky. He looks the same as ever and has as much a chance of getting repair parts for his automobile business as we do in Toledo.

"I was at Notre Dame about a month ago visiting the next generation. My son, **Joe**, graduated from Central Catholic High on June 9. He enlisted in the Navy V-5's on June 14 (our graduation anniversary) and was ordered to report for duty on July 1 at Notre Dame. He is living in 347 Alumni Hall and is doing very well; in fact he is showing up the old man. I won't admit I'm getting old, but it makes me realize that the years are creeping up.

"While at Notre Dame I visited with **Father Steiner**, **Father Irving**, **George Driscoll**, **George Rahrbach** and **Prof. Heran**. They are all well and contented and it really seemed like old times again.

"I wish you all the luck in the world and hope we wake up one of these mornings and find out

that my Nazi cousins decided they have had enough and quit causing so much trouble."

Ben added a P.S.: "I'm damn glad Pa didn't miss the boat when he left Germany!"

Thanks, Ben, and let's hear from the rest of you "tired old men" of '25.

Lt. Bill Cerney, South Bend, who played four years at Notre Dame and coached here for eight, was on leave recently. For two years, Bill was athletic officer at the Glenview naval air base, near Chicago. His new orders took him to the west coast for transfer to duty with the Pacific fleet.

Dr. Charlie Guth, Elyria, O., has been elected national president of the alumni association of the Ohio College of Chiropractic.

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

In answer to Vic Lemmer's appeal for news in the last issue of the "Alumnus," Sid Bower came through with a fine letter. "I've been on the Detroit 'News' since 1929, on rewrite for about eight years. Married Nadine Fisher (South Bend) in 1930 and, lo and behold, after nearly 13 years, to our pleasant astonishment, a daughter arrived on the first day of spring, 1943. So we're now a family happily engaged in weathering this storm."

Another welcome letter to Art Haley from Sgt. Don Halpin, whose address is APO through San Francisco. Don inquired about the current whereabouts of Tony Roxas. He said, "it might come in handy, — sort of a reunion or something," for two members of the class of '26. Unfortunately, there has been no word of Tony since Manila fell.

John Campbell, vice-president and secretary of the First Trust Company, Albany, N. Y., stopped at the Alumni Office on Sept. 25. He was in South Bend for a week-end with his brother, Dave, professor at N.D., and Dave's family.

This is the latest—and a very exciting bit it is—from Sgt. Chuck Guinon of a Canadian tank outfit:

"Am still among the 'very much alive' category and am disgustingly healthy. Almost caught one for keeps the other night when I played midwife to a civilian. We were having our evening meal (just at dusk) up forward when a civvie came in and told of his wife who was due to have a baby any minute. They were sleeping out in a field and so, big-hearted boob that I am, I grabbed a jeep and took out to find her. I discovered her about 500 yards off the road and carried her to the jeep and then asked where the hospital was. The nearest one still standing was in No Man's Land where jerry patrols were quite active after dark.

"I had bit off a bite more than I could chew so I prayed like hell and started off. I made the hospital under cover of darkness but when I came out, I discovered that jerry had a Spandau on the road where I would have to return. So I went back in, and over a bottle of vino bianco discussed with the Italian doctor the types of prison camps jerry operates.

"About an hour later things seemed to have quieted and I ventured out. The coast was clear and I took out for home right smart. I had nearly cleared the town when they discovered the jeep and let go with an 88 anti-tank gun. The shell luckily exploded on the wall overhead and all the shrapnel went over my head. The concussion sprawled me out into the ditch where I collected a good amount of the usual Italian debris that is dumped in such places. I came out of there like a flash and in two seconds flat had the jeep headed down the road in high. Upshot was three holes in the hood and the windshield completely out, frame and all. I tell you, Bill, I bear a charmed life. (I hope)."



Capt. John Raymond Sheriff, '25, La Porte, Ind., has been appointed director of Ground School at the AAF Central Flying Training Command's advanced pilot school at Eagle Pass Army Air Field, Texas.

An instructor at Loyola University, Chicago, in civilian life, Ray was serving as a ground school instructor to aviation cadets prior to his appointment as director. He had attended Officers Training School at Miami Beach, Fla.

Ray received J.D. degree from Loyola University in 1933 and his M.A. from Northwestern in 1937.

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

Capt. Mike Duffey, civilian personnel officer at Courtland Army Air Field, Ala., was sent to the Termination Officers Training School, at Dayton, Vandalia, O. Mike is now at 111 W. Jackson Blvd., Chicago.

Ray Hunt, South Bend, now Sunday editor of the "Chicago Times," had an article about Will Harridge, head of the American League, in the September issue of "Esquire" and one on Ed McKeever in the October issue.

Frank Ahearn, assistant city editor of the "Hartford Times," wrote to **George Kelley**, Youngstown, O., about the miraculous escape of his two children from the Hartford circus tent fire through the presence of mind of the older child, Jimmy, 12. It was a thrilling, but terrifying, story.

1928 Lou's F. Buckley, 4461 MacArthur Blvd., Washington, D. C.

From Lou Buckley:

I have written **George Scheuer**, **Larry Cullinay**, **Charlie Short**, **John Lavelle** and **Pearl Moore** asking that they send notes directly to you by Sept. 18. I have the following notes to add to those you receive from my correspondents:

Vince Carney wrote from Rochelle, Ill., where he is kept busy operating the Carney & Longenecker store and his wholesale sportswear company. Vince has two daughters. He mentioned that his brother Paul, '31, is in India, a sur-

geon at the 20th General Hospital. Paul has three children awaiting his return to De Kalb. Vince sees **Red Lahey** and **Paul Fry** once in a while in Dixon.

Father Jim McShane, S.J., sent a note from St. Louis, where he is with the Jesuit mission band. He mentioned that **Jack Igoe** stopped him in the Chicago loop recently. Father Jim also said that he had lunch with **Bob Hellrung** and **Bob Graham** in St. Louis. He sent along a letter from **Ray Mock**, chief petty officer, located in Dickinson, Texas. Prior to entering the service Ray was in social work in St. Paul. He was connected with the Navy's athletic program and is now assigned to the receiving unit.

While on a field trip recently in southern Illinois, I had the pleasure of spending a day with **Vince Walsh** and his family in Monticello, Ill. Vince has a boy who is a good prospect for N.D. **Bill Kirwan** and his family, which includes a boy and girl, were there also, so we had a great session. Bill is manager of the Montgomery Ward store in Iowa City, Ia.

I was in South Bend the day the St. Joseph Valley Club was holding its annual golf day. This gave me the opportunity to see a number of '28 men, including **Andy Boyle**, **Ron Rich**, **Bob Grant**, and **Floyd Searer**. Someone mentioned that my old roommate, **Willard Wagner**, is now with the FBI in South Bend. One of my students at Catholic University reported that **Joe Langton** is now located in St. Louis.

Pearl Moore flashed through the following from Box 75, Grampian, Pa.:

"It will be difficult for me to give recent news of the '28 men as I haven't seen or heard from any of them for some time. I did meet **Tom Byrne** and various N. D. men at the Navy game in Cleveland last year. On a visit to Clearfield, Pa., about six months ago, I talked with **John Leitzinger** who is now, to put it mildly, a stout, genial merchant, the father of many future N. D. men. He is probably in the service at this time as he was planning to go then.

"I learned from John that **Phil Lytle** is a captain with the Corps of Engineers and stationed at Fort Belvoir, Va., and that **Quentin Wildeman** has been doing O.K. as an employee of the R and P Coal Company at Indiana, Pa. As for myself, I have been working as a construction engineer for years and have never been able to stay in one place long enough to get settled!

"This is about the limit of my news. I hope it contributes a little to the '28 column which I always enjoy reading. I look forward to a few notes by **John Fagan**, **Ernest Reider**, **Tom** and **Ray Bov**, **Louis Carr**, and others of Prof. Benitz's M. E. class of '28. Hope to see you and many other N. D. men at the Navy game in Baltimore this Nov. 4."

From **George Scheuer**, Chicago, to **Lou Buckley**:

"Asking me for news of '28 men usually puts me on the spot because I hear from so few of them, a total of four in the past year: **Bernie Garber**, **George Kelley**, **Robert Grant** and **Earl Dardas**.

"Saw **Earl** and his wife, **Margaret**, in Titusville, Pa., this summer. He is operating a photo studio and free lance news picture service there and recently managed to wangle enough priority to get some new equipment. They have purchased an old rambling house that once belonged to **Col. Drake** (driller of the first oil well) and **Earl** has been busy converting one room into a studio and another in to a darkroom.

"In a note for 'The Ex News-Times,' **Kelley** told of buying a house at 47 Pinehurst Drive, Youngstown, O. Representative **Grant**, who quali-

fies for the 'Ex News-Times' by having played in 'News-Times' newsboys' band, wrote to renew his subscription.

"Eve and I have been doing some househunting too, without much luck. Our three boys, Nick, Martin and Paul, do not take to apartment life so we are searching the suburbs. They keep us pretty busy. A little CAP flying and publication of 'The Ex N-T' is about all I get done, aside from working in the feature department at the 'Chicago Sun.'

"I'd still like to know what became of Bob Capesius. If anyone knows where he went after 1938, when he was in West Virginia, I'd appreciate a card."

Lt. (sg) Jim Cullen, Sayre, Pa., is stationed at a base on the island of Curacao off South America, where he has been named executive officer of the naval base there. A former attorney, Jim has been in the Navy since October, 1942.

Henry Hasley was elected treasurer of the board of trustees of the Gibault Home for Boys, a state project of the Indiana K. of C. The institution is conducted by the Brothers of Holy Cross from Notre Dame, headed by Brother Rupert, C.S.C.

Very Rev. Msgr. Leon McNeill, diocesan superintendent of schools, has been appointed chancellor of the diocese of Wichita, Kans. Msgr. McNeill attended the Notre Dame summer school of the middle '20s.

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Major Joseph P. McNamara, 1314 N. Court House Rd., Arlington, Va.

Last July, friends credited Prof. Don Phinkett of the University with the heroic rescue of two 10-year-old girls after they had gone down twice at New Buffalo, Mich. Don swam 40 yards in the backwash from Lake Michigan in the Galien river to bring them to safety.

Jim O'Connor, N.Y.C., has been promoted to the rank of major with Ninth Air Force in the European theatre. He's been overseas since November, 1942.

Capt. Joseph Barry, C.S.C., chaplain in the 45th infantry division with the fifth army in Italy, has been awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action. The citation said "his cool efficiency under fire and cheerful acceptance of danger and hardship were an inspiration to all who served with him and aroused the troops to greater efficiency."

Otis Winchester was ordained on Sept. 23 in the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist, Cleveland, and said his first Mass in the Church of St. Ann, Cleveland Heights, on Sept. 24.

Charlie Buschemeyer was promoted to first lieutenant, as per announcement by the Eighth Air Force composite command in England. He is a quartermaster officer.

1930

Harold E. Duke, 4630 N. Broad St., Philadelphia, Pa.

From Harold Duke:

For this issue, our numerous requests scored four replies. However, ye scribe would like to see the postman stop with letters from "thirtys" more often than he stops with the usual bills and ads. How about it?

From Gus Bondi comes the following:

"Received your 'Help Wanted Card' for news about our class in and around Indianapolis. This is a pretty tough assignment, because John Rocap and myself are the only members of that great class that live in Indianapolis.

"John is so busy with his law practice and trying to raise three children that I very seldom see him except at Notre Dame alumni functions. Last week our local club had its annual golf tournament and dinner, so we had an interesting session at the '19th' hole. Jim Armstrong, Art

Haley and Adam Walsh were down from school and showed the film 'Highlights of the 1943 Football Season.'

"Word comes to me that Clarence 'Oenie' Donovan, the former mayor of Bedford, Ind., is a captain in the Air Force somewhere in Italy. Jack Cannon was supposed to have been at Camp Atterbury, which is about 40 miles south of us, but it can hardly be true, for I am sure the citizens of Indianapolis would certainly have heard his booming voice even from that distance.

"Nothing new to report on myself. Still in the life insurance business with the Metropolitan, managing a district office and trying to get my agents to sell more life insurance so my company can buy more government bonds."

Dick Bloom writes from Sherrill, N. Y., where he is located as sales manager of Wm. A. Rogers, Ltd., that he has not run across any of our classmates in his extensive travels but hopes to see some of the boys at the Army game in New York this fall. I likewise, Dick, am going to try and make that game, renew old acquaintances and secure some news for this column.

Our old friend Hadrian Manske writes also. He is assistant advertising manager with Hardware Mutuals at Stevens Point, Wis. He advises:

"Since 1930 I've been continuously in advertising and printing. Am now with Hardware Mutuals, handling publications and sales promotion. Grace, my wife, and I have a little four-year-old blonde named Mary, a little house on a half-acre on the outskirts and a more or less wild garden.

"Haven't heard from Ted Ryan, Bill Clear, Ed Yorke, Bill Sherman and others for too long, but hope to read about them in the 'Alumnus.'"

How about the above named sending me something so Had's wish will be fulfilled?

After writing to Larry Enright at Deerfield, Ill., I was surprised to receive a letter from him recently postmarked Boston. Larry is district manager for Dictaphone at that point. He says:

"Since we moved here, we had two 1930 alumni going through the U. S. Navy Supply School at Babson Park, Mass., which is located only about three miles from where we live and we had the pleasure of having these fellows in at our house a number of times during their stay. The first one to come through was my old roommate, Norm Lillig, and a short time after he finished, came Jim McDonald of Chicago and Glenview, Ill. I believe that Norm is still stationed at Bayonne, N. J. He told me the last time I saw him that he heard from Frank Amate in St. Louis and that Frank was still with Harvester there.

"Lt. Bob Knox is stationed at the U. S. Naval Ammunition Depot at Hingham, Mass., and we have been his guests several times for dinner at the BOQ. He has also been out to our home several times.

"Pat Tofuri, whose home is in Winchester, Mass., is in the field service of the American Red Cross at the Fargo Barracks in South Boston and he drops in quite often. As a matter of fact, he was in the office just yesterday and said that his new daughter, born two months ago, is getting along fine.

"The last time I heard from Gordy Lawler he was going through boot training at Great Lakes and I wrote a long letter to him but have not heard from him since, so I do not know where he is stationed now."

Promoted: Ed Hulihan, Maywood, Ill., to sergeant, at Camp Lee, Va.

Felix Isherwood, San Francisco, left in mid-September for two months in the southwest Pacific for the U. S. Shipping Board, to make a survey and reorganize various shipping centers. Felix and his wife (the former Loretta Sheehan, '32, of St. Mary's) are the parents of a boy and

two girls. For all of which item the class is indebted to Marion McCandless, St. Mary's alumnae secretary, who visited the Isherwoods in September.

From Tim Teesney, Oak Ridge, Tenn.:

"I have run across several Notre Dame boys in Knoxville and vicinity. Bill Coyne, '27, is with the TVA, Francis Crowley, '37, operates a drug store in Knoxville, and Bill Delaney, '42, is here on the project with me, working for Tennessee Eastman Corp. Several weeks ago I had a very pleasant visit with Tom McNicholas at Nashville. He holds a fine position with the 'Nashville Tennessean' and is a proud father of three lovely children.

Cpl. Frank Eaton is (or was) stationed at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

1931

Newly appointed—1st Sgt. Charles McKeever, San Francisco, to warrant officer (ig), Ninth Air Force service command in England.

A welcome visitor in August was Emil Tefel, of Loyola University, New Orleans. Emil is head of the department of journalism at Loyola but had been at Northwestern for graduate work.

Major Clarence "Oenie" Donovan's letter from Italy tells of his meeting the Pope. "When Father Flaherty presented me, he told Pope Pius that I was from Notre Dame. The Holy Father smiled, shook my hand and said, 'Oh yes, the University. I know it well and a splendid institution it is. I was honored with recognition there several years ago.' At that moment I was easily the proudest man in the room. The audience was informal, no pomp or ceremony and the Pope was very friendly, though obviously quite tired. His task has been a difficult one these past several years. He seemed genuinely pleased to meet us Americans and that feeling is mutual because his public audiences are attended daily by thousands of American troops on leave or pass in Rome."

New addresses: Lt. Vincent Federa, Armed Guard Center, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco; Lt. Robert Shean, B.O.Q. Unit No. 51, N.O.B. Norfolk, Va.

Jerry Calligan, Fort Dodge, Ia., has been promoted to captain in the chemical warfare service at Pine Bluff Arsenal, Ark.

From Tom Flannelly, in Italy:

"... Major Maurice Flaherty, wing chaplain, attended N. D. around 1917 or 1918. He is a grand guy and has done a good job under tough conditions. The fellows all look forward to his visits. He spent a few days in Rome and had one of those private audiences with the Pope. Oenie Donovan happened to be in Rome at the same time, so Father Flaherty took him along to the audience with him. . . .

"... 2nd Lt. Bob Burgett, ex '44, a navigator with our group, is on his way home after completing 50 missions here. . . . He has the Air Medal and DFC. . . . Ronald Armour, '31, was wounded in France June 8—he is a paratrooper."

1932

Lt. James K. Collins, 1126 Manchester Ave., Norfolk, Va.

From Jim Collins (who, despite demanding naval duties does a continuously fine job for the class and the "Alumnus"):

Lt. Bob Lee and Lt. Hank Donalty are in Hawaii and write that there is still no place like home. Bob is the safety engineer for the Naval Supply Depot and Hank is officer-in-charge of the BOQ, and on duty with the training station.

Lt. (ig) Paul O'Toole is on duty at the Armed Guard School at Camp Shelton, Va. He has been in the Navy since June and expects to be at Shelton until about Oct. 15, when he will go to

the Armed Guard Center at Brooklyn to be assigned to a ship. His wife and son are living with him at Virginia Beach. Mrs. O'Toole is a sister of Father John "Hack" Wilson, C.S.C. Don O'Toole, '31, is also a lieutenant (jg) and is in training at Camp McDonough, Plattsburg, N. Y. That makes seven O'Tooles who are in uniform now. Lt. (jg) Jack Geddis is also at Camp McDonough; he is Don's brother-in-law.

Paul Host has entered the Navy as a lieutenant (jg), and has been ordered to the communications school at Harvard University.

Tom McKevitt has left the FBI and entered the Navy as a lieutenant (jg). He was at the Naval Training Station, Princeton University, early in September.

Lt. (jg) John Litcher was last heard from in San Francisco where he was waiting for further orders. He was ordered there after completing the communications course at Harvard University. He wrote that he saw John Connolly there.

Tom Duffy is working for the Hyman Michaels Company and is living in San Francisco. Tom has been quite ill but is back to work again. Jack Hogan is also there with the same company, as is Eddie Ryan. '31. Jack Matthews is in the Navy but I do not know just where.

Spike Dillman, after much discussion by the draft medical board, has been drafted. He is a corporal in the infantry.

Lt. Ed Melchione has been attached to the Naval Intelligence section at the Board of Trade Bldg., Chicago, for some time. Lt. (jg) Joe McCabe and Jim Carmody are on duty in Washington.

Lt. Hoby Shean, '31, has returned from 20 months duty at Bermuda and is attached to the Naval Air Supply Depot in Norfolk. Lt. Frank Honnerkamp, '34, who was on duty there has been sent to the Supply Corps school at Harvard.

Lt. (jg) Bill Coleman, '40, has left Norfolk and is stationed in New York. He has been the district salvage officer here and his new duties will be public relations work with the unit which is disposing of naval surpluses and salvage.

Ens. Andy Puplis, '39, and Lt. Heinie Schrenker, '40, are in Norfolk awaiting further orders. Puplis is in the physical education section and Schrenker is waiting for transportation to an aircraft carrier.

Lt. John Kramer is on duty with the Navy in the South Pacific.

Current addresses: Harry Kilburger, SI/C, U. S. Naval Air Station, Peru, Ind.; Frank Denney, 2484 Bryant St., Palo Alto, Calif. (Frank is still in the advertising agency business); Charles Doerr is a jg lieutenant, serving in the Armed Guard.

Father John Burke, USNR, former prefect of discipline, is at the National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Md., as chaplain.

1933 Tighe Woods, 7944 Ellis Ave., Chicago, Ill.

From Lt. (jg) Tighe Woods:

I have not got much news for you except the enclosed letter from C. A. Staley, which is good enough to be passed along just as it is.

I am here at Princeton for indoctrination and hope to stay here for the Allied Military Government school opening Oct. 1.

Tom McKevitt, '32, is here as an instructor, although he expects to be shifted as soon as the present indoctrination class is finished. He had his family here for a while, but moved them back to Washington for better housing facilities.

I took the time to run through the battalion directory of the present class, which is the last,

incidentally, and I find the following Notre Dame men listed:

Ens. Frank Albert, '40, Lt. (jg) Louis L. Corcoran, ex. '33, Ens. Wayne A. Shriwise, '43, Ens. Robert M. Czecek, '38, Ens. Joseph L. McDonald, '39, Ens. James J. Nelson, '40, Ens. Joseph F. Cattie, '41, Ens. John G. Farabaugh, '37, Ens. Wesley G. Grapp, '41, Ens. Gerardo Lombardi, '43, Lt. (jg) Edmund Radzuk, '32, Ens. Raymond A. LaForge, '42.

If I happen to run into any of these fellows, I'll try and get some more news but we are kept so busy that we seldom get to know anyone outside of our own section.

The Staley document follows:

"Better get out your class book of '33 to refresh your memory of the writer. This is my first communication to a class secretary since graduation. But upon seeing my dear twin brother, Lt. (jg) Frederick S. Staley, mentioned in the June 1944 'Alumnus,' I just had to write to let the world know that as twins, we were still carrying on in identical fashion.

"Seton beat me into the Navy by some 7½ months and the last word has him getting his ship commissioned at the Boston Navy yards and weighing anchor for his 'shake down.' He is CO of an LCI.

"Like Seton, I have two children—a boy and a girl. The latter obliged me by being born on June 19 in order to come home from the maternity hospital (to be near her mother) on the 29th. So her dad had all of a day with her ere he shipped off to Plattsburg.

"Been working the last four years in Milwaukee to aid and abet the distribution of Proctor & Gamble's famous Lrands (plug).

"Here in Plattsburg we are inspired to get up a local N.D. club but lack the time to organize it. Like all indoctrination schools, we are kept busy and being so long from the habit of studying, we are somewhat slow at extracting the meat of an assignment. But among the faces to be seen here are: John Stackpole, Joe Zwern, Albert Van Huffel, and John McGuire. Probably must be others as there are many Chicago boys here.

"Must return to my duties as 'student quartermaster' of the day.

"My regards via the 'Alumnus' to Major Ray Naber, '33. Tell him his neighbor Ed Steinbock is in our company."

Mike Koken writes from Normandy where he went in with the second wave on D-day, "When the going gets rough over here, I always recall Rock's words to me before and during a big game: 'Keep cool, calm and collected.'" Mike, who resided in South Bend before going to the Army more than a year ago, goes on to say, "I met Marty Brutz, former N. D. guard, on the boat coming over to England, and he says he's in training to outdo Scrapiron Young when he gets back. Also met Chuck O'Reilly, '38, on the boat, and he told me later he ran into Lt. Fred Carideo, '36, the former N. D. fullback."

Lt. Chuck Hafren, now on duty with the Navy in the Pacific theater, recently dropped in on Lt. Bob Cahill, '34, at Bob's southwest Pacific headquarters. 2nd Lt. Tom Murray is serving in the office of the chief of transportation in the ETO.

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

From Joe Glennon:

While waiting for his embarkation as a replacement officer in the northern France push, Lt. Gerry Farrell paid me a visit. He is in mech-

anized cavalry and at this writing is doing reconnaissance duty with Patton's Third Army.

On a recent trip to the Southwest, I was unsuccessful in an attempt to see Chubby Martin and Charlie Minot. I learned from Charlie's father that he has three children and at present is living in northwest Texas.

Another year has rolled around and another Army-Notre Dame game is upon us. I am looking forward to seeing many of you.

Take a few minutes off and drop a line as to your whereabouts and those of our class whom you have seen recently.

1st Lt. Ed Krause finished his training at Quonset, R. I., and is stationed in the Pacific. Stripped down to a mere 240, Ed, with his wife and son, stopped at N. D. en route to the West Coast. He's in the Marine Air Force combat intelligence service.

Good news! Walt Kennedy, after entering a hospital in Stamford, Conn., to undergo a kidney operation, found that an operation would not be necessary and returned to his duties at the University in early September.

A mighty pleasant letter from Major Ted Gabreski (brother of the famous Frank), in which he said he had traveled all over India and China. And inasmuch as he has been overseas 29 months, he expected to return to the States any day.

Sgt. John Canino is serving at an invasion port in the ETO. S/Sgt. Bob Teder is APO out of N. Y. C.

Lt. Leland Kramer was on day-time liberty in Rome, intending to visit the Holy Father, when his ship was sunk by the enemy. Most of the men were saved but everything aboard was lost.

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

From Hoch:

We missed the mail several times, gang, because we were on the road when deadline came along. But we are back on the beam again and hope to remain there. We appreciate the editors keeping things moving for us, and the dope you send along to us and to them in the meantime.

As we go over our material we are shocked to realize that one of our V-Mail letters will be the last we will hear from the writer. Ray Shea sent us a letter back in April that was delayed in transit. It arrived about the same time the "Alumnus" reported him killed in action. The following is the last report of Ray, one of the '35ers we all liked and respected.

"England—April 2, 1944

"Dear Hoch:

"I see where you are desperately in need of news for the column. Perhaps I can help you out with a line or two. Have been here long enough now to have gotten used to the dampness, if that is at all possible.

"Can't give you much news about our own gang for I haven't seen but one of them since I have been in this man's army. I ran into Bob Carter at Mass in Miami Beach some time ago. He was then and still is athletic officer at OCS. Did meet Harry Gafney on the street in Springfield, Mass., about a year ago. He was trying to get into the service then.

"On the base there are two other N.D. men—Capt. Tom Liston, class of '40, who is in my squadron, and a Lt. Ragolio from the class of '42 with the service group. Now and then I have a chat with Col. Gabreski, ex. '42, who is one of the leading fliers in this theatre.

"I know Lefty Dunn is overseas now but just where I haven't been able to find out as yet. Now and then I hear from Ed O'Hara and Frank Maxwell, both of whom were in civvies but sweating out the draft board the last I knew.

"I tried to get to the Notre Dame reunion in London a couple of months ago, but missed it by hours. Have had the chance to see a few of the historical spots in that city. Quite a thrill actually to stand before some of the places you studied about a few years back.

"My job keeps me right out straight most of the time, and I enjoy it immensely. Hope you can get some copy out of this."

Ray Shea

To Ray's family the Class of '35 extends its deepest sympathy. We too miss a worthy and fine man!

A month earlier, March 22, 1944, Bob Maher sent along a V-Mail letter from the South Pacific. Bob's letter too was delayed along the way. Bob is now a captain in the Medical Corps. Says Bob:

"Just a line to let you, and through your column in the 'Alumnus' my buddies of '35, know that I'm right in the thick of things. Have been in active combat zone with the surgical end of this Field Hospital for three months. Spent a most delightful month visiting several of the large cities in Australia. For a few weeks things were plenty 'hot' in this area, but the action has cooled down to only night air raids by the Nip bombers. Have really had a swell time out of it all. Met an old pre-med buddy, Leo Hofschneider, '36, who is a battalion surgeon in this area—his unit is [censored]."

We certainly appreciated your note, Bob, and hope that the long delay in getting this to press will not dampen your enthusiasm to write us again. Ever run into Vince Gorman out that way? Last we heard he was medical officer of an LST.

Here comes a short word from Pat Quigley, a lieutenant in the USNR. Pat wrote on June 28 as follows:

"Some time ago in the West Indies I received a copy of the 'N. D. Alumnus.' It was a trifle tardy in catching up with me; however, it certainly was a pleasure to read of old friends.

"Best of luck to you on your new assignment in New Orleans—quite a place! Incidentally a 'tall one' at the St. Charles, now, would hit the spot.

"Data on P.Q.—Enlisted in the Sea Bees in 1942—duty in Aleutian Islands. Commissioned in 1943—Armed Guard. This duty is really O.K.—see the world, etc.

"Have met numerous N.D. men but none of the '35 class. The next time in New York will look up Tom Proctor for a hello."

Thanks for the letter, Pat. Hope you can come ashore here in New Orleans soon.

On July 24 Vic Kurzweg found a moment to pen off a few lines. Way out in the New Hebrides, Vic writes:

"I recently received a clipping from the 'Alumnus' in which you mentioned that you tried to contact me in Plaquemine, and am indeed sorry that I wasn't there to greet you.

"Camille [Gravel] was a little off on the info he gave you about me. Instead of being a lieutenant in the army in New York City, I am a lieutenant, USNR, in the South Pacific. At present I am in the New Hebrides Islands, but am boarding a plane in the morning for the north (but still below the equator).

"Unfortunately I haven't run into many of the '35ers since I've been in the Navy. Phil Jacobs, his wife and my wife, and I had a couple of visits together in San Francisco a couple of months before I came out. Phil was back in San Francisco to pick up a new ship, and I was stationed there at the time.

"Here is hoping this is over in time for our ten-year reunion. My regards to your wife."

It was good hearing from you, Vic. Glad that

you have your eye on that ten-year reunion. Now that it has been made a matter of record—how about it, gang? Got any ideas? Less than a year to the date—do we or don't we reunion?

Two more letters came through via the Alumni Office and our gracious editors handled the news for us direct and then sent along the letters to your scribe. They were from Jim Quinn, a lieutenant (jg) USNR, who is a supply and disbursing officer in the Naval Air service way down under; and from Sig Sluska, who continues teaching in a senior high school on Long Island and in his "spare time" builds the personnel that builds the Navy Hellcat fighter planes. Thanks for the letters, fellas, and congratulations on the addition to the family, Sig.

Now then to miscellaneous accounts—

One night several months ago we received a pleasant surprise when Tom Graves called us on the phone. Tom, then stationed at the Mobile Air Service Command as public relations officer, and a first lieutenant, was in over the week-end. He said he had been in Mobile since January, '43. Not having heard further from him, he may now be moved. Tom said he had word that Bob Simmons was a corporal in the army and had recently maneuvered in the south somewhere.

The other day as we were getting off the elevator at the Eighth Naval District we walked smack into John Hoban. John was in to get another ship. In the Navy as an officer, Johnnie said he had seen several years service and was on the stage for the invasion of Europe. He expects now to move out to the Pacific.

About two months ago the "little woman" received a call from Jack Kunz. He was down here to take on ship and crew. An ensign, Jake seemed to be "chief and bottle-washer" on board the LST—in other words he handled personnel and supplies. When your scribe returned to town we had dinner out to the house and an interesting evening together.

Three weeks ago an airmail special delivery letter brought the surprising news that Art Conrad was coming to New Orleans. Art, a lieutenant (jg) in Naval Aviation—administration—is now a member of one of several committees touring the various naval districts striving to standardize naval terminology. Two weeks ago the Polish ambassador of goodwill set foot in the Creole City with colleagues and superior officer. It was good to see Art—he who never changes with the years—and to take away a bit of his spare change in a friendly poker game at the house one evening. The Army, Navy and Coast Guard were included among the players, and the Army won—but definitely.

Art said he tried to see Tom Proctor in New York some time back but found the Frexie out of town every time he called. But then Mrs. P. was a good substitute.

This is it, gang! Keep the dope rolling in and we will send it out over the wires!

Cpl. John Smyth, Chicago, now stationed at Camp Van Dorn, Miss., visited the campus in early August. It's now Capt. Dick Schager, according to an announcement made by headquarters, Fourth Air Force, San Francisco, where Dick is on duty as a radio and radar officer.

From Sig Sluska, Floral Park, N. Y.: "I still teach in a senior high school. And, still work in Grumman Aircraft—'Hellcat' wings production—as personnel man. I've been here for almost three years on the night shift.

"Ed Walsh, '29, was doing inspection on the final assembly of the 'Avenger' wings for quite some time. He joined up. Capt. Jim MacDevitt, '35, is (was) in Rome for some time. He had an audience with Pope Pius XII. A ledger of N. D. men were chronicled in his recent letter whose names and exploits my memory does not recall at

the moment. It's Lt. (sg) Jordan Hargrove, '35. He was stationed as an instructor at Norfolk. A daughter has made her appearance earlier in the year."

Sig also sent in the glad news that a child, Barbara Louise, was born to them in January.

Russ O'Shea, Cairo, Ill., writes that he met Lt. (sg) Phil Darmady, '33, who returned to his home during a 10-day leave of absence from his duties with the USN in Washington, D. C. He goes on to say, "A little more than two months ago it was my pleasure and privilege to have Rev. Raymond Clancy, C.S.C., '29, as my guest here in Cairo, while en route between assignments. It was rather a shock to me to have a letter from Mrs. W. S. Ford of El Paso, Tex., advising me of the death on June 13 of her son, Rev. William Ford, C.S.C., '33. Father Ford as you know, was a very close friend during our days together on the N. D. campus."

Russ also mentions that while handling some business matters, he found himself dealing with Jerry Arnold, '24, cashier of the Lincoln National Life Insurance Co.'s St. Louis office. Russ found out through Jerry, that two old friends and classmates, Roland Dames, '33, and Louis Fellig, '37, were president and secretary, respectively, of the St. Louis N. D. club.

Cpl. Cecil Hobert, Euclid, O., is a member of an anti-aircraft battery defending an Eighth fighter command station in England.

1936 J. Seph F. Mansfield, 34 Fifth St., Peham, N. Y.

From Joe Mansfield:

The mail has been on the light side these past few months with only a few letters from the class. John Moran beat the deadline by inches with a note from "somewhere in Italy." I'll pass it along to you in toto:

Somewhere In Italy
21 August 1944

"I got the June issue of the 'Alumnus' a short time ago and certainly enjoyed reading your column. I also noted that I was due to drop you a line, so here it is coming to you from a little Italian port which the Allies captured recently. This place was the scene of some heavy action and the place was really blasted. It's a depressing sight to walk through the town and see the complete destruction. Many of the natives are still living in the hills where they went when our bombers came over and started plastering the local iron works. Those who have returned are living in bombed out houses with walls blown in, shell holes through the sides, etc. They are poverty stricken beyond the comprehension of the average American who takes luxuries like drinking water, bread, meat and clothes for granted.

"There is much disease ashore so that we must take our own food and water with us when we go travelling. There are no regular means of transportation at all and the roads are not good. We get around easily by hitch-hiking on the thousands of Army trucks, jeeps, etc. It's not difficult to hitch-hike by plane and I rode in from Rome the other day on a C-47.

"I transferred from that tanker I was on to my present ship in June. While in N. Y. waiting orders I called you twice but you were on vacation. Sorry we couldn't have gotten together for a few beers and a steak at your hangout in Radio City. I could sure go for a few cold steins of beer at the moment.

"Here's some news for the 'Alumnus.' While in Liverpool last May I met three N.D. men in the space of an hour: Lt. Joe Petriza, USNR, who used to do such a swell job handling N.D. sports publicity. Lt. (jg) Jim Dutton, USCGR, and Lt. (jg) Vernon Tetraalt, USNR. Joe is an Armed Guard commander like myself and we came back in the same convoy to the States. Dutton and

Tetrault have an office to themselves and are attached to the USN port office in Liverpool. Unfortunately, we didn't have much time to 'shoot the breeze' but it was certainly swell to see them. Met Lt. (jg) Sam Reed in Norfolk last July. Sam is doing engineering work for the Navy.

"I haven't been fortunate enough to bump into any other ND men except Jerry Gillespie, '37, who is a lieutenant (jg) and is also in the Armed Guard. Jerry was married in N. Y. on June 10 to Miss Sheila Gore. I've heard recently from S/Sgt. Bud Goldman whose address is Vaughn General Hospital, Hines, Ill. Bud and Mrs. G. are hoping to get down to N.D. one of these week-ends for a football game. Had a V-Mail last April from Capt. Jim MacDevitt, '35, who was then in Italy. Also a very novel announcement from Jim Kirby (FBI—Detroit) of the birth of Mary Colleen Kirby on March 5. I was promoted to full lieutenant last March 1 but since I was at sea the extra half-stripe didn't get put on till June."

Thanks for the newsy letter, John—and congrats on that new half-stripe.

From Joe MacDonald comes a letter which tells us that he and Mrs. Mac. are rearing quite a family, two boys—Joe, Jr., age four; George William, age two plus; and a charming daughter, Rosemary Elizabeth, age five and a half months. Joe is in my class now with those three youngsters. Joe's current address—77 Grove St., Englewood, N. J.

We had a letter from Andy McMahon a short time back and also one from Lt. John Desmond. Both are in England—at least they were when they wrote to me.

Larry Palkovic, a faithful contributor to the column, is at Camp Thomas, Newport, R. I. I understand Larry is doing a great job down there.

Drop me a card and I'll pass the news along to the class.

Dick Snooks was elected faithful navigator of the St. Joseph, Mo., Assembly No. 571, Fourth Degree, K. of C.

Lt. Frank Gaul is stationed in Wooster, O., as physical education director in the Wooster College naval program.

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

From John Harley, 46 Delancey Dr., Geneva, N. Y.:

"For the past year and a half I have been working for Civil Service at the naval training center here. Though the station is the second largest in the country, I have met few Notre Dame men who have been stationed here.

"The most important news from my viewpoint is my marriage on July 29 to Miss Ann McCarthy of Elmira. One of the ushers at the wedding was Ramon Belmont, '36, of Geneva. We are living in Geneva, and if there are any Notre Dame men stationed at Sampson who would like to try a home cooked meal we would welcome them.

"As you probably know, Lt. Cmdr. Jimmy Crowley is the athletic officer here and at the moment is moulding together a team which will give an account of itself against such opposition as the Green Bay Packers and New York Giants. Only other Notre Dame man I have seen on the station is Jim Fennell, '42, who received his 'boot' training here and is now waiting for an opening in midshipman's school for which he has been accepted.

"I had a recent letter from Al Bride, '37, who is a warrant officer with the 88th Airborne Infantry at Camp Mackall, N. C. Al, who has been shifted from one section of the country to another



Thomas J. Radigan, '38, Gary, Ind., was graduated from recruit training as honor man of his company at the U. S. Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

Tom was elected candidate by his fellow bluejackets and selected honor man by his company commander on the basis of military aptitude and progress.

Prior to joining the Navy he was office manager for Radigan Brothers, Gary. He had been graduated from the University of Indiana with the degree of bachelor of laws. His wife and two sons are in Gary.

for the last three years, is anxious to get into action as the quickest method of getting this war over and going home.

"To contradict an earlier statement, I must mention that Chief Specialist Phil Dahar, '39, was on the station for a long time in the recruit training section.

"In my own family, my brother Jim, '41, is serving with the quartermaster corps in the South Pacific and as I write is stationed on Guadalcanal. Cousins, Hughie Smith, '39, and Gerry Smith, '42, are respectively staff sergeant with the troop carrier command at the Indianapolis Air Base and naval lieutenant (jg) stationed in Hawaii.

"I would like to add just a word in praise of Lt. Frank Huisking, whose death was noted in a recent 'Alumnus.' For most of the time during four years Frank sat next to me in class in the alphabetical 'Huisking, Hurley' line-up. During those four years I never heard Frank say an unkind or uncharitable word. I can remember Frank at morning Mass and evening prayer when some of us might be taking a walk. He was a Christian gentleman, one of Notre Dame's and the class of '37's finer boasts."

Tom Doyle, Chicago, has been promoted to technical sergeant in England as announced from headquarters of his Ninth Air Force service command station. Tom entered the service in January, 1942, and left the States in October. Since

that time, he has visited several foreign countries, including India, Iran, Arabia, Egypt, Libya, Tunisia, Algiers and Sicily.

Capt. Al Snidowski is (was) stationed at Camp Livingston, La. Another captain, Tom Cassidy, wrote from France after D-day, "Our channel crossing was not eventful—no enemy planes, subs or ships. The landing was perfect. I came in on an LST and we beached in good shape. On another LST that was beside us in the harbor I met a classmate of mine from N. D.—Ed Caldwell, '35. Good surprise." 1st Lt. Bill Gomber, who has been in the army since February, 1942, was at Camp Shelby, Miss., in July, according to a fine letter from his father of "The Wall Street Journal." Bill is with the anti-aircraft branch of the automatic weapons division.

Phil Bondi wrote from Rockford: "Elmer Zenger is an ensign and I believe in amphibious forces. Last I heard he was in New York. Jerry Claeys writes he is at Klamath Falls, Ore., at a naval air station, is a lieutenant (jg). He also notes Larry Danbom is teaching at naval pre-flight school in Athens, Ga. Gordon Murphy is a captain and has been in Italy for some time. Joe Quinn has been in Atlantic convoy service for two years."

Capt. Bill Fallon, AAF, visited friends in South Bend in September.

Lt. (jg) Joe Druecker, c/o FPO, New York, is commanding officer of an LCI.

Rev. Frank Sampson is a chaplain of a paratroop group which jumped into Normandy on D-day. A clipping from the "Portland (Ore.) Oregonian" tells vividly of experiences on that day:

"Father Sampson, who attended Franklin high school and Notre Dame University, said all the men attended religious services the night before they were to drop on Europe. A prayer service was held in the huge plane on the way to France.

"When he jumped," the chaplain said, "he came down in the deep part of a swamp and only by shedding his heavy equipment was he able to get to safety.

"Included in the dumped equipment was his mess kit. When he had reached shore he stripped and dived for the all-important kit. After five or six dives he retrieved it.

"During his adventures before returning to England, Father Sampson was in a small French house surrounded by German troops. One of the American wounded died in the chaplain's arms, clutching a crucifix taken from the wall of the home."

1938 Harold A. Williams, 4322 Marlborough Rd., Baltimore, Md.

From Hal Williams:

We have a number of swell letters for this issue, but we'll give the lead to Johnny O'Connor, our senior class president. John, who is now an ensign in the Navy, writes, "Tonight I borrowed the 'Alumnus' from Carl Heiser, '42, and read it from cover to cover. It makes the third 'Alumnus' I've seen since January, '42. . . Since I saw you in November, 1941, in Washington, I have taken the 'long step'—with a red-headed Brownsville, Texas, girl, the daughter of A. A. Browne, a N.D. grad of around 1890. We are expecting a prospective N.D. or St. Mary's 1964 freshman in several months. In Key West last week I ran into Pat Carey and saw Tom Fitzgerald and his wife in Miami. Both boys are in the Navy. Have heard from Jack Anton and Scotty Reardon several times; both are still in Chicago.

"I got a big bang out of reading about Bill Mehring and Pfc. Charlie Callahan. You'll never get me to believe that the Army gets Callahan up at 0600—he has figured out an angle by this time.

... Have heard nothing from Jack O'Leary or Johnny Wilson, although I have written several times. Jack, of course, is busy these nights with his two children. I was at Fort Schuyler in New York with Babe Kelly and Moose Williams last spring. I believe both are now in Norfolk. . . . All of us were sad to hear that Leo Welch has been reported missing in the Pacific in June." John gives two addresses and asks that mail be sent to the latter: 824 Alton Road No. 20, Miami Beach, Fla., and 437 E. 44th St., Indianapolis.

Now a V-mail letter from Lt. John P. Fox, Jr., F.P.O., San Francisco. He writes, "Just recently received the June 'Alumnus,' and it certainly was a lot of pleasure to read about the school and particularly about the old classmates. . . . While I haven't seen any fellows from our class I have run into quite a few N.D. men. Gordon Love, '40, was lost at Saipan. He was the first pilot to land on the captured strip when he had a little difficulty with his plane and couldn't land aboard ship. A couple of days later his number was up. Around the first of the year I saw Dan Gibbs who was flying in the same squadron. Both were flying torpedo planes. . . . I am on my second year in a carrier squadron flying fighters and enjoying every minute. It sure has its advantages over instructing, which I did for 18 months. . . . I'm still single. . . . Give my regards to all the boys. . . ."

And speaking of Gibbs: I was in Chicago recently and my aunt told me that on Aug. 26 she attended the wedding of Lt. (jg) Dan Gibbs and Miss Rita Marie Dunigan in St. Edmund's Church, Oak Park, Ill. (Chicago suburb). Rita's brother, Edward Dunigan, graduated from Notre Dame in '43. And while I was in Oak Park I met the mother of Jack McAuliffe. His mother, who is an old friend of my parents, told me that Jack has signed up with the regular Navy, is a full lieutenant, and is serving in Rhode Island after being stationed in Minnesota. Fred Sisk and Charlie Bennett, both '39ers, were in Chicago attending an army school. Fred is stationed in Detroit, and Charlie, I believe, is stationed in Texas.

Lt. Thomas J. Elder, APO 565, San Francisco, writes, "You know sometimes I have a guilty feeling when I pick up the 'Alumnus' and think that in all the time that we have been out of school I haven't written but two or three letters to any of the classmates. I don't have any hot news now, only I think that this might ease my conscience. . . . I've been in the SWPA now for the past six months and have run into only one fellow from our class—Bill Condon, who is now a captain in the quartermaster corps. . . . I had a letter from Larry Dillon, who has been trying desperately to get in some branch of the service, but is always turned down because of his eyes and feet. He told me that Tim Cruice was a captain and was battling his way up through Italy. Foley and Cavanaugh are still in Detroit. Bob Weaver is now with the Department of Justice, stationed in the Carolinas. Tom Judge, '40, is in the Navy.

"Mother wrote me that Tommy Wukovits was working for Firestone in their Coshocton (Ohio) plant. Saw a fellow from Indianapolis and he told me that he had seen Dave Connor in the Fiji Islands, but thought that he had moved on as that was some time ago. Before leaving the States I was visiting a bar in Frisco and some civilian was bumping my arm. I was just getting ready to tell him off when he turned—it was Frank Bright, who is working for the Government. . . . We are on an island that was Jap territory only a short time ago. . . ."

Writes Swede Bauer: "I'm still, by the grace of God and the local draft board, cost accountant for the La Porte (Ind.) Corporation which makes

parts for bombers. On May 25 Burnett Patrick arrived to keep his sister Betty Ann company. The Patrick is the result of his mother's total Irish ancestry, and N.D.'s influence on his father. . . . The 'Victorian' magazine carried an article of mine in its July issue against compulsory military training for all boys in peacetime. . . . Joe Wehrle, my Badin Hall roommate, is still here managing his father's plant. Joe is married and has a Joe, Jr. Lt. Tom Bohen sent a card that he now has a daughter, Patricia, born at Ft. Benning, Ga., in April. They have a son, Mike, also." And that's from the Good Thunder Sage.

And now a lovely letter—in fact, one of the nicest letters ever received by this secretary: "I see that you like to have news of the boys, so here is an item about Lt. George R. Sullivan, of Monticello, Ind. We always called him Bob at home, but when he entered Notre Dame there were so many Sullivans that he had to drag out the George in his name. He is with the Navy Air Force somewhere in the Pacific, having gone out about May 1. He is a fighter squadron leader on a carrier. On April 10, 1943, he was married to Kathleen Sullivan (yes, her name is Sullivan too), of Merrill, Wis. On July 14, 1944, a son, Michael, was born, and you can bet George is anxious to get this war over to come home to see his wife and son. Also I know he will visit Notre Dame the first opportunity he has and seek our old acquaintances. I remain yours truly, his mother, Mrs. C. A. Sullivan."

And now another fine note: "My son, William V. Clifford, is a captain in a mechanized cavalry reconnaissance squadron and has been in England for the past two years. He was injured in France on July 26 when hit by a shell fragment which fractured his left leg, and caused flesh wounds on his right leg. A recent letter from him states he is getting along fine, and expects to be sent back to a convalescent hospital in the U.S.A. sometime soon. Yours truly, T. H. Clifford, 715 Harrison St., Gary, Ind." Thanks, Mr. Clifford, for your thoughtfulness in writing. And the best of luck to Bill, a mighty swell guy.

And now two letters from our prolific combat correspondent, Major Joe Callahan, APO 758, New York. In August Joe wrote that he had visited Rome. He says, "I thank God that I was able to make it. We managed to go all through St. Peter's, and finished up by having an audience with the Holy Father. It's something that I will never forget. . . . While on board a Navy ship some time back I ran into two ship's officers who were at N.D. with us—Lt. (jg) John Ferneding, '40, and Lt. H. G. McCarty, of our class. They were the first N.D. boys I have seen in a long time and we had some mighty pleasant conversations about the old days."

On Aug. 30 Joe writes from Southern France, "Since our arrival here on Aug. 15 things have been going very well indeed. . . . The initial landings were carried out with very light casualties, and we've worked inland so fast that the Germans have had no time to get set. I think the whole business could rightly be called a 'rapidly deteriorating situation.' At the present writing I'm rounding out two years overseas—still hope to see home by Christmas this time. And tell the boys to have one for me at the Penn Bar the night of the Army game."

And this card from Father Tony Gomes, 344 St. New Bedford, Mass. "I see in the 'Alumnus' that Tom Healy wanted my address. I have just written to him. I intend to go to the Army game this fall. Was talking to Father Dan Gleason, former N.Y. city traffic policeman and now a C.S.C. He was in my Latin class at N.D. Give my regards to all the boys. Tell them I say a Mass once a month for the intentions of all my N.D. classmates who are in the service."

Bad Sherwood, my old roommate, is now an ensign in the navy, and at the present time his address is B.O. 2 Building No. 2, Navy Yard, Washington 25, D. C. He has spent several weekends with us in Baltimore, and last week we had a nice visit with Bud and his parents. Ensign Jack Zerbst, according to his charming wife, is now on the high seas of the Atlantic, and liking the Navy very much. . . . The other day I received this message on a postal card from Bend, Ore.: "Dear Sir, Have instructed my attorneys to institute suit for libel in August issue, 'Alumnus.' You'll hear from them and me, Tom Hutchinson." My father has borrowed my August issue so I don't know what Hutchinson is referring to, and care less.

Three points before I close: First, the letters have been coming in fine; keep them up. How about a note from Larry Dillon?—(He always had plenty to say in the west wing of the Dining Hall during meals.) Second, you fellows who write longhand. How about printing your addresses, and the names of the classmates you meet? Sometimes the addresses and names are impossible to decipher. Third, sincere thanks to the parents of the boys who have written letters in the past, and a request that they, and other parents, write us regarding any news of their sons. That's all.

Promoted: John Tobin to captain in the medical corps, in Italy. The last word received from him was postmarked in India.

Lt. George Kerwin has returned to the states via a naval hospital but is now back on duty in New York. George was married on June 17 to Caroline Morgan of Gretna, La. August Sidler is at the Portsmouth Priory, Portsmouth, R. I., and will be professed in the near future. T/4 Bob O'Brien is with the radio section of an allied force signal regiment in Italy. After training at Plattsburg, N. Y., Ensign Joe Zwiers began new duties with the amphibious forces. Pfc. John Schmitz reported his new address as Terre Haute, Ind. John added that a new daughter was born to them on July 26.

Lt. (jg) Joe Kuharich, South Bend, just in from service in the Atlantic, and Lt. Joe Ruets, South Bend, Marine Corps fighter pilot, ran into each other when they recently came home at the same time. Kuharich's orders took him back to an eastern port for further transfer to new duties while Ruets went to the west coast, heading for the Pacific. Joe was accompanied by his lovely young bride. The two rugged gents put on some football togs and gave the present squad a demonstration of football as it should be played.

A letter from Lt. (jg) Don Hickey, serving aboard an LST in the Normandy invasion, describes the battling in his sector of the French front: "They have their fifth team in there now; we have sent the first four to the showers. The coach has used up all his plays, and his aerial attack has been completely smothered. It doesn't look as though he can punt out either—his kickers are crippled and, besides, his players are pretty badly demoralized. The scoreboard shows a lopsided score and the hand on the time clock is on its last turn." Don's brothers, Lt. (jg) Jerry and Ensign John, are both serving in the Pacific.

From "Editor and Publisher" comes an article about Capt. Bill Tommney and Lt. Gen. John C. H. Lee, AAF, ETO, who were accompanying Queen Elizabeth through an English hospital. When Bill answered the Queen's question as to the origin of the word "Bronx" correctly, he won a \$20 bet from the general.

Ensign John Plouff, FPO out of San Francisco, wrote that he had seen Joe Druecker and Jim Bowdren. Farak Kesicki is an engineer with the Wright Aero Corp., Paterson, N. J. The silver

wings of a pilot belong now to Bill Woerner, Louisville, who was commissioned first lieutenant at Turner Field, Albany, Ga.

Ena. Jim Murphy is stationed at Princeton University. **Lt. John Mahoney** is platoon leader of a port battalion in the ETO. **Sam Borzilleri** has been promoted to captain with the AAF in Italy and **Lt. Vincent Madden**, also in Italy, has been awarded the Air Medal.

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

From Vince De Coursey:

Just in case some of the boys have written in to you during the past few months wondering why their news has not appeared in print, I hereby authorize you to inform them that their class secretary has been very negligent about his duties. But also add that he has now reformed, turned over a new leaf, made a new start, and what have you, and with right hand placed on his 1-A card swears that now and from henceforth, each month shall see his wife slaving away over a hot typewriter getting the news to the "Alumnus."

Reviewing all the unreported correspondence, we find **Larry Sutton** writing from Waycross Army Air Field, Waycross, Ga., from whence he has probably departed by this time. **Chuck Rasor** was sighted in Memphis with the ATC boys; he's a navigator on a B-24 and has been around. **Capt. Martin McGinnis** (with whom we never made contact in his stay at Fort Riley as a cavalry man) was in Arizona taking his advanced training in twin engined planes. **Jim Graham** was teaching AT16's at Miami, Okla. (But more recently he has been flying for Mid-Continent Airlines out of Kansas City).

Nice long letter from **Al Kiefer** out in New Guinea. Just what a graduate in pharmacy is doing way out there he didn't say, but he did wish he wasn't. Wanted to know where **Ed Simonich**, **Bob Ortale**, **Joe McDonald**, and **Art Verhoestra** were (and so would we).

Wedding announcement from prime correspondent **Dino Falsioni**, who is to be married soon to **Victoria Gasior** in Lockport, N. Y. Then a letter from said **Dino**, practicing law in Lockport, and expressing shock at the news in last month's "Alumnus" on our losses in that month.

A note that it is **Lt. Joseph M. Dunn**, Naval Air Base, Shawnee, Okla. And if **Joe** ever gets out of the oil wells, he's welcome in Kansas City.

The other day a nice letter from **Fred Sisk**, whom we last saw in Chicago over a year ago. **Hal Williams**, '38, sec., was in Chicago and about as enthusiastic as ever about things. How he manages to be in the Army and keep up his column is a mystery he ought to teach me. **Charlie Bennett**, the golfer from St. Augustine, was also in Chicago—but stationed out in Texas.

Welcome news from and about **Dick O'Melia** (beg pardon, **Major R. J. O'Melia**, USMCR). **Dick** left the U.S. in February and is squadron commander of a dive bomber outfit somewhere in the South Pacific. Back in the states, **Kevin Michael O'Melia** is waiting to see his daddy for the first time. News of what and who, not very available, especially the what. As for "Who": **General Francis Patrick Mulcahy**, '14, in Honolulu. **Jack Dunlap** is air communication officer of **Dick's** squadron. **Frank Kelly** was an ensign back in Honolulu, a member of a night fighter group with the Navy. **Herm Romberg** was a second lieutenant in the Marine infantry somewhere. **Chub Hall** was going to the sub-chaser school in Miami as a lieutenant (jg). **Carl Fricke** was a corporal in the Army somewhere around Los An-

geles. **Don O'Melia** still carrying on back in Rhinelander as district attorney—and the proud father of three.

Long letter from **Dave Meskell**, and at risk of repeating, here goes. Now **Dave** is a jg going to Marine Transportation school in Boston—or was until just recently. [Dave was at N.D. for a day in September on his way to his new spot in the Los Angeles area. Was looking swell and anticipating a stay in the U.S. His chief mean was that he had to leave Boston just before the Dartmouth game—Eds.] Saw **Joe McDermott** and **Charlie McCarthy**, '40, out in the South Pacific. **Phil Lucier** (of '42) had a rugged time in the Solomons area, but finally got away. (A letter from my brother, **Bill**, who was **Phil's** roommate at N.D., says that **Phil** is a jg, now in Michigan somewhere going to school—**Bill** is with the Air Force in England.) **Pete Sheehan** was around on an LST. Bumped into **Charlie Carroll** and **Charlie Metzger** in Frisco. **John Quinn** is at radar school in MIT and **Joe Rizzi** is doing coast inspection work out of Boston. **Al Schmitz** is now on the Atlantic on a destroyer. **Ed O'Donnell** is in Bridgeport doing Navy inspecting. **Luke McGuinness** is around Waterbury, Conn. And that's that. **Dave** really gets around and really reports on what has happened along N.D. lines.

Tom Reardon and family are now settled in Bremerton, Wash., where **Tom** is an ensign on fire patrol duty—or something such.



Major Thomas P. Liston, '40, Chicago, veteran Ninth Air Force P-47 Thunderbolt squadron leader, had, at the latest report of his PRO to the Alumni Office, 70 combat missions to his credit, had won the Air Medal with 14 Oak Leaf clusters and had been recommended for the Distinguished Flying Cross for "exemplary leadership and bravery in combat." He went overseas in November, 1943.

Tom participated in several raids over Germany and France as fighter escort, as well as in the bombing of Cassino. He was a prominent figure in the invasion of Normandy and in the spectacular aerial assault which set off the sweep through France.

Lt. Charles McNamara has been awarded the Bronze Star for leadership and valor in Italy. He also was one of the first American officers received by his Holiness while on a visit to Rome.

Gene Kochanowski, South Bend, has been promoted to first lieutenant in the Signal Corps.

Lt. Ken Higby, stationed in Burma and serving as an orientation officer, writes that it was just about a year ago that he returned to the states from Amchitka in the Aleutians. "Five months of sweating it out in OCS, then a special service school at Washington and Lee University in Lexington, Va. A few months at the Brooklyn Army Base, where I visited with **George Mulligan**, then a staff sergeant and heading for OCS in New Orleans, and also **Charlie Flanagan** and wife. **Charlie** works at Fort Hamilton and enjoys home life in dear old Brooklyn."

Joe Kinnealey, staff sergeant, is stationed at Fort Lewis, Wash. **Cpl. Jim Brophy** is serving on the administrative staff of an invasion port in the ETO.

1940 Lt. Robert G. Sanford, 3934 N. Maryland Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.

From 2nd Lt. Ed O'Meara:

"After a year in Greenland and several other months in Alabama and Kentucky, I wound up at Miami Beach and the AAF's OCS last February, completed the course and was commissioned in May, and then went to Air Intelligence school at Orlando, Fla. I was then assigned to the Second Air Force, and a couple of weeks ago arrived here at Mountain Home AAB, far out on the mountain-surrounded flatlands of southwestern Idaho, doing intelligence work and training of combat crews.

"I ran into several N.D. men in my recent ramblings. The first, **Leu Bush**, was at Miami Beach when I was there, and disappeared into thin air after graduation. About a '34 man, I think. In my group at Orlando in intelligence school were **Joseph A. Tracy**, '42, who went from there to Drew Field, Tampa, and **Dick Whalen**, '41 or so, whose new address, I believe, is Hq AAF, AC/AS Intelligence, Technical Air Intelligence Division, Washington 25, D. C.—which is about as high a headquarters as you can go and still be in the AAF.

"At Miami or thereabout most of the time I was around was **Lt. (jg) Pete Sandrock**, '39 (he's the fellow who is carrying on and trying to internationalize the "Hi'yah" he learned from **Father Farley** years ago), who was bearing up well under the weight of the entire U. S. Navy last time I saw him. **Pete's** current addresses are 1415 Patton Ave., or N.O.B., Terminal Island, San Pedro, Calif., with the initials H.E.C.D. coming in for something somewhere in the Terminal address.

"I'm engaged to **Miss Frances Mae Sullivan** of Portland, Ore. If you can imagine a much better name for a N.D. man to tangle up with, you've got me beaten.

"Oh, yes—any my old Howard Street roommate, **Ed Sandstrom**, M.A. '39, is still beating new pathways over in the England-France area, but may be in Germany by the time you get this. He was one of the supply bosses for the Ninth Troop Transport command, and at last rumor, he had been promoted to major. About six months after every promotion, **Sandstrom** finally gets around to admitting it."

From **Art Maddalena** came a long overdue letter to **Bob Sanford**:

"Hope this note will make up for three years' negligence. Since leaving N. D. back in January,

1941, life has been full of laughs. Pat O'Neill and I finished up midshipman school at the academy in Annapolis in May, 1941, Pat getting his commission as a 'snipe' and I took the deck. I was very fortunate in being assigned to a new repair ship, the Vulcan, and after shakedown in the West Indies, headed for the north Atlantic. Spent six months there, mostly in Iceland. Saw Ed Bad-dour while there; he was flying one of our PBs.

"Recalled in December, 1941, went to west coast for armed guard and enjoyed a couple of good sunshiny months in California. Then back to the east coast, Russia, South America, Africa and the West Indies. All of this traveling took about a year—sprinkled here and there with subs and jerry bombers. During all this time never ran into any of the old gang, probably because we were moving too fast.

"Then in April, 1943, down to the mecca for all navy officers, Miami's sub-chaser school. Harry Brisvert, the '40, president, was there, just back from a tour of duty in South American waters. Jack Reis' brother, Tom, was sporting one bright gold stripe. Truck Shirk and Teddy Porawski were there. Tried to see Dan Stack and Marge but couldn't get away.

"In Portland, Ore., in September, took over command and commissioned the . . . and have seen most of the west coast and north Pacific since. They say the Donald Duck Navy isn't really navy, but I'll compare our logs and 59 degree rolls with any of the big boys.

"Also heard from Milt Peipul, who is now spending the summer in Willbraham Academy in Massachusetts, returning to Dartmouth this fall. Received the June issue of the 'Alumnus' and read with interest that my old roomie, Smash Maher, now is a proud dad. My congratulations to Bill and the wife, also to big John Plouff."

Jim Delahanty, South Bend, was appointed an ensign in the Navy and had his indoctrination at Camp McDonough, Plattsburg, N. Y. He had been a buyer at U. S. Rubber in Mishawaka.

Lt. Jerry Bordeaux, Muskegon, Mich., after completing 50 missions during 14 months in the southwest Pacific, was processed through the AAF Redistribution Station in Miami Beach. Jerry is the holder of the Air Medal with two oak leaf clusters.

A card from Bob Grisanti revealed that he had been transferred from San Francisco to Camp Livingston, La., where Mike Crowe, '38, Lt. Dick Kelly and Lt. Ed Huff were also stationed. Bob was married on June 24 to Marcella De Vold in Bedford, O.

Headquarters of the 10th AAF in India reports that Capt. Emmet Theisen, Dearborn, Mich., was awarded the third oak leaf cluster to both the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal. Lt. (jg) Ed Maher is (was) in San Juan, Puerto Rico. Capt. Bob Blake, USMC, after heroic service in the Pacific, is stationed in Washington, D. C., in headquarters of the Marine Corps. John Meaney, lieutenant, USNR, just back from the South Pacific, was reassigned to NAS, Floyd Bennett Field, Brooklyn. He had a fine day on the campus on Sept. 22. The promotion of Tom Schmid, Dubuque, Ia., to captain, has been announced at his 8th Air Force bomber station in England.

Lt. (jg) Ben Mardock took part in the invasion of Normandy. In his letter to Bob Sanford (forwarded by Bob's father) was included the information that he expected to become a father in a couple of weeks. [Ed's note: He did.] In this same letter, Ben said that he'd been told that Tom Ford was a communications officer on Guad-

alcanal, after spending some time at the first naval district in Boston.

Later: Ben, who had served aboard ship as communications officer for 17 months, arrived in South Bend in September just in time for the birth of his son, Ben, Jr.

Jim Rogers, New York, wrote that he ran into Don Sackley on the street in San Antonio. Don was stationed at an Army base there. He is married and has a family. "In New York I see quite a bit of Jim McGoldrick, '39, and he is working very hard and studying some on the side. Would like very much to hear of Jim Doyle, Doug Bangert and John Broderick. Have been wondering what became of them. Last I heard from Doug he was a major in the Marines stationed in California. He was decorated in the South Pacific. He is also married to former Dorothy Haus. How about a word from John Martin of Jamaica Estates, L. I.? Last I heard of him he was an ensign in the Navy at sea."

Overseas since October, 1943, 1st Lt. Myles Walsh, N. Y., completed 30 missions on D-day. Myles has received the Air Medal, three oak leaf clusters and the DFC. He is now in the ferrying command in England.

Lt. John Gavan, in charge of a training squadron at Lee Field, Green Cove Springs, Fla., recently returned to the states after participating in much action in the south and central Pacific as well as the Indian Ocean as a fighter pilot on a U. S. carrier.



Lt. Egan

Lt. Roger Egan, Chattanooga, received the Air Medal in May, 1944, while with the 13th Air Force. Roger, who is now flying with the Far East Air Force, has been on overseas duty since October, 1943. He volunteered in December, 1940, then served in the cavalry until February, 1942, when he transferred to the AAF.

Lt. Jim Curran has received a special commendation from the CO of the Ninth Air Force for his exploits in the ETO. 1st Lt. Harold Madden has an APO out of N.Y.C. now. He's a copilot on a B-29 and has been on the raids over the far eastern spots.

A letter from Lt. Bill O'Hara, Camp Lee, Va., reveals that he met Homer Hughes, '40, warrant officer (jg), and Jordan Hamel, '40, who is in the same type of work. Bill finished OCS with Cleve Carey, '32, who is now in Washington.

Lt. (jg) Cec Jordan writes, "At present, I am land based in Australia, having come here from New Guinea. Lt. William Nolan, '38, and Lt. (jg) William Fallon, '42, are also on duty in this area."

1941 Lt. John W. Patterson, Jr., 5530 Dartmouth Rd., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Lt. Lee Kokenge, injured in the Normandy invasion, was at the latest word a patient in the National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Md.

Dick Belden, Canton, O., came through with four addresses: Lt. Paul Belden, Jr., Miami; Capt. Bill Belden, Army Air Field, Abilene, Texas; Lt. Will Morrey, USMCAS, Cherry Point, N. C.; Lt. Louis Mackenzie, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

Cpl. Norb Laskowski, Detroit, was selected to

attend the Military Intelligence School at Camp Ritchie, Md. He was in Panama and had been there since June, 1942.

Commissioned: John Ryan, ensign, at the Naval Air Training Center, Pensacola, Fla. Promoted: Paul Godelle, South Bend, to first lieutenant in New Guinea.

Lt. (jg) Bill Hawes got back from serving as skipper on a LCI in the South Pacific. Lt. (jg) Tom Stevens' address is FPO through New York. Capt. Dave Powers, USMC, after completing two years service in the Pacific, is now stationed at Camp Pendleton, Oceanside, Calif.

Lt. John O'Dea, USNR, wrote (in late July) from the Naval Air Station, Brooklyn, N. Y.: "Erwin Mooney and I continue here with the air ferry squadron but I plan to go to Willow Grove, Pa., next month for temporary duty as an instrument flight instructor. Charles Kirby, '42, visited us recently, a second lieutenant in the MAC, and before he left for flight instructors school at New Orleans, became engaged to Lt. (jg) Miriam Murray, one of our most attractive WAVE officers.

"Lt. Russ Harris was in port with his PC boat for a few hours last week, but we were unable to see him before he went back to sea. Lt. George Miles is with the paratroopers in Normandy, and Ens. Bert Kelly is flying with a heavy bomber squadron in the Pacific. Lt. (jg) Ed Harvey has gone back to sea after a short furlough in Manhattan. . . . Lt. Jack Saunders, '31, and the other N.D. men here are already making Army game plans."

John also included in his letter news of his marriage to Georgia Kelly, Chicago, at which wedding Mooney was to act as best man.

Lt. Bill Mulvey, stationed then at Victoria, Kans., wrote to Mr. Patterson in Pittsburgh. He said: "Capt. Felix Pogliano has trotted overseas for the second time this war. Last week, I dropped into Denver on a fortress and spent a few hours with his mother and wife. Lennie (Lenore Frohmader of South Bend) was expecting a Pogliano heir in about two weeks. Well, as luck would have it, I missed the great event by 24 hours. The little GI arrived the day after I left. John Coppinger was a pilot on a B-17 until the Hun got to him last February. He was shot down over Austria. But the bouncing Irishman turned up in a prison camp in Germany. The wounds are healed, his letters are cheerful, but he is anxious to get out. Who wouldn't be!

"Frank Wemhoff . . . is now . . . in Fort Dix, N. J. The last I heard from Jim Brugger, he was relaxing in England as a master sergeant. John Casby has been scouting around the Aleutians in a PT boat for more months than he likes to remember.

"Yours truly is a bombardier on one of the new superforts." Bill wants to hear from Bert Kelly, Mooney and O'Dea. Mail reaches him through 35 Bay View Ave., Swampscott, Mass.

Mr. Patterson, having chatted with Mr. Pinelli in Pittsburgh, reported that Ray Pinelli is a lieutenant in the medical corps stationed in the Letterman General Hospital, San Francisco. Ray is the proud dad of a one-year-old son. His brother, Dr. Ray Pinelli, '40, was interning at St. Luke's Hospital, San Francisco, and was booked for the Navy in October.

Lt. Bob Sweeney, South Bend, was home on leave after completing 35 missions as a Liberator pilot over occupied Europe. Bob had been awarded the Air Medal with oak leaf clusters. Another South Bend boy, home for a brief spell from his navy duties in the Atlantic, was Lt. Walt Fegan.

Lt. Clarence Ryan was one of the many N.D. men who participated in the invasion. Jerry Hickey, South Bend, has been promoted to lieutenant (jg) in the South Pacific, where he is serving with the seabees.

Elmer Kamm reported that his brothers, **Cpl. Will**, '40, and **Sgt. Gerry**, '43, both have APOs out of New York City. **Lt. Jim Spellman**, writing from the island of Saipan, announced the birth of his son, **Robert Michael**, who arrived in July. **Jackie Hayes** is a PT boat commander, serving somewhere in the Pacific area. Jack, before joining the Navy in March, 1942, was head coach at Rockhurst College, Kansas City. **Warren Deahl**, who is stationed at Camp Blanding, Fla., visited the University recently on his leave.

Jack Patterson, who landed in France on D-Day, wrote a fascinating letter to his folks on July 20. Here's a quote:

"When the 3,000 planes raided the Jerries previous to the present business at hand, I was just a mile away. The ground shook and grumbled until some people got sick in the stomach. How those Germans who survive such a pounding can look forward to the next dose and still go on, I don't know. Some of the prisoners taken just afterwards were like idiots. Their eyes were glassy, they babbled and mumbled; they didn't fight at all.

"When you see the terrible power of the Allies, no question remains as to the futility in the German fight. The French can see the handwriting plainly now. They are amazed at the unending line of vehicles of every imaginable size and type which roll over the roads."

From **Art Humby**, Capt., A.C. to **Lt. John Patterson**: "Guess I owe the class of '41 an apology for I haven't sent in any news since I was a cadet—back in August, 1941. Lots of things have happened since then, including two tours of duty overseas—in Africa, India and China.

"I've been back in 'God's Country' for a few months now but while 'over there' I ran into **Ray Sadler**, '40, a Red Cross worker in India. Saw a lot of **Lt. Tom Trueman** in Africa for we were based at the same field. And also in Africa, **Pat Goggins**, '30, was attached to my squadron as a Boeing representative. Guess he was a jinx because the only time he rode with me we had to come in on three engines. I no sooner hit MacDill Field in Florida than I ran into **Lt. Barney Ferry**, and **Capt. Nick Rinaldi**, both stationed there.

"After a short leave I was sent out here to Kansas and am now first pilot on a B-29. **Lt. Bob Schlager** and **Lt. Bob Stack** are both navigators in the same group with me. Just goes to show you that Notre Dame men are in there pitching all over the world. Sure would like to hear from **Capt. Bill Spalding**, **Bob Iliff**, **Duffy** and **Romeo** and **Wilson Crandell**."

Lt. Matt Byrnes, naval aviator of Hamilton, Ont., received the third air medal for meritorious achievement while participating in an attack on Japanese bases at Truk Atoll, Moen Island, Param Island and Kuop Atoll. At the present time, Matt is a member of a fighting squadron awaiting reassignment to the combat zone.

A Bronze Star Medal was awarded to **Lt. August Dereume**, USNR, for bravery on a destroyer during action against the enemy forces off Bougainville in November, 1943. **Harry McLaughlin**, pilot who had flown 22 combat missions over such targets as Rabaul and Bougainville, was recently promoted to major with the 13th AAF in the Southwest Pacific.

1942 **Cpl. William E. Scanlon**, 101 W. Pleasant St., Portage, Wis.

From **Scoop Scanlon**:

Thanks to the continued cooperation of a lot of fellows, and their relatives back home, the class



1st Lt. John A. Stack, '41, of Mattituck, L.I., co-pilot of an Eighth Air Force B-17 Flying Fortress, is here seen receiving the Distinguished Flying Cross for "extraordinary achievement" while participating in heavy bombing attacks over Europe. The presentation is being made by **Colonel Edgar M. Wittan**, of Portage, Pa., combat wing commander.

of '42 has another opportunity to read about those of our era.

Several newcomers will be noticed this month. But on with the comment:

Jim Rice, aviation cadet at Roswell, N. Mex., got himself engaged on Sept. 3 to **Miss Ruth Marie Jankowski** of La Crosse, Wis. The bride-to-be is a teacher in the school where Jim coached before he donned the khaki. **Miss Jankowski** is a graduate of St. Teresa College, Winona, Minn.

I had a pleasant surprise on Sept. 21 when **Lt. Frank Flynn**, the sociology professor, called from Great Lakes Naval Training Center while there on special duty. He had been stationed in Virginia and reported that his family is living in La Crosse, Wis., for the duration.

Late in August, I attended the coaching school at the University of Wisconsin which had plenty of the Notre Dame atmosphere. **Harry Stuhldreher** was sparkplug of the affair while **Lt. Comdr. Jack Meagher**, coach of Iowa Seahawks, was main speaker. **Comdr. Meagher** joshed as he recalled **Ed McKeever**, current head N.D. mentor. "I talked so much about Notre Dame when I had McKeever at St. Edward's University that he up and left me. Later he came back as a rival at Texas Tech."

Bill Sticklen, former N.D. freshman cage ace, is currently tearing up the gridirons around Camp Ellis, Ill.

Let's look into the mail bag:

Lt. (jg) Bob Burke airmailed on Sept. 5: "Finally bumped into some N.D. boys. . . I have been here and there and had little success in locating any of my old friends but finally at an advance PT base I found **Bernie Crimmins**, **Paul Lillis**, **John Robinson** and **Pat Lambert**. John is with the PBYS, and Pat is on a sea-going tug. We have been together for a week or so.

"**Larry Kelly** was out here, but I missed him as he shoved off for home about two weeks ago. I am a gunnery officer on an underwater defense ship. **Ray Roy**, one of my N.D. roommates, is on a tin-can out here and ready to go home. I got married as soon as I finished midshipman school and my home address is now: 111 Seventh St., Garden City, N. Y."

From aboard ship in the Southwest Pacific, **Lt. Carty** takes over:

"I have had several weeks of ocean-crossing during which I've mused on my two years in the stateside army, and the prominent part N.D. people have played in them, and have decided you might be interested.

"There were several other N.D. men, '42 version, sweating out Army Air Forces OCS at Miami Beach with me this spring, among them: **Donald F. Connors**, **Jim Ferris**, **Bob Courtney**, **Bob Strode**. My old roommate in Dillon and Sorin, **Ted MacDonald**, was at the sub-chaser school in Miami and we had several good reunions. Ted is now a lieutenant (jg) somewhere in the Atlantic.

"I was assigned to Chanute Field, Ill., after graduation and saw a good deal of Chicago. Had a nice visit with **Jim McNulty's** parents one Sunday and learned that Jim is commanding a landing craft down here in the Southwest Pacific.

"Was ordered out to the West Coast in May for overseas processing in the Army Airways communications system, of which I am now a member. The hostess on my United Airliner was a very pretty Irish lass from Chicago, who turned out to be **Mary Duggan**, Chicago Teachers College, '43, who was **Bill Platt's** Senior Ball date.

"**Lt. Jim O'Donohoe** and I had several fine week-ends together in San Francisco. Jim is now the assistant exchange officer at Fort McDowell, on Angel Island, in San Francisco Bay. We met **Lt. (jg) Bill Bergan** and his handsome bride-of-a-month, at Old St. Mary's church one Sunday. I had hoped to see **Lt. (jg) Frank O'Dowd**, but his submarine left shortly before I arrived. I did see his fiancée, **Ensign Peggy Dempsey**, however. She's at Western Frontier Headquarters in San Francisco and looks just as beautiful in Navy blue as she did in an evening gown at the Senior Ball.

"Received a letter from **Chuck Kearney** several weeks ago. He's on a LST in the Mediterranean, is thinking of applying for submarine duty if his wife (the former **Dor Curtis** of Rockford, Ill.) doesn't disapprove too strong. **Chuck** reports that **Bob Hutton** was on landing craft during the Big Show in Normandy. I'm looking forward to meeting more of the boys down here; will watch the 'Alumnus' for addresses.

"Incidentally, **Jack Malone's** . . . doing his bit with Owens-Corning Glass, Toledo. While in San Francisco one week-end I went down to Treasure Island and saw **Ens. Charles Kane**, the Cleveland Heights flash, who had just brought his crash boat from. . . He was tanned and rugged. . . **Ned Weinfurter**, he mentioned, was on small craft, somewhere in the Mediterranean."

From the "Radio Post," weekly of the Truax Field, Madison, Wis., comes the report that **S/Sgt. Bill Regan** was named sergeant major of the physical training department. Regan's new title brings under him the delegated control of most functions of the department.

Another new contributor takes a bow, the "Red Knight," **Sgt. Joe McNeerthney**, writing from Tonopah, Nev.: "I have had my trips around the country on the Army and, believe me, I am so darn tired of traveling I don't ever want to look at a train again until it is Tacoma-bound (one-way). I was in cadet pilot training, but soon took the fall and was eliminated in primary.

"Then after going to Denver for a few months, I hit Laredo, Texas, for gunnery school. When I finished, I was kept as an instructor. While there I met a few N.D. men, including **Maurice Kelly** and **Studs Lonigan**. Also had **Mike Humphreys** of Los Angeles as a student. . .

"I remained instructing at Laredo from November until April. Then I went to Fort Myers, Fla., to Buckingham Field, and attended Central instructors school for aerial gunnery. . . . From there I received a 17-day delay en route, plus seven days travel time. At the time all I knew was my next station was going to be in Tonopah. Now that I am here I can see why they were so generous. This is undoubtedly the world's worst hole in the United States.

"The town is an old mining ghost town. The reason they picked a place like this is so they could practice bombing and shooting without any danger of hurting any civilians. Believe me, they would have a tough time finding any civilians to bomb. The town itself has about 1,500 population. As for housing conditions, there just isn't any. The shacks they have used to be what the old miners would live in. Now they are so bad that only second lieutenants would live in them.

"In case you haven't heard, I married the girl all the K.C.s used to razz me about when I was writing her in the old office at Walsh Hall. We were married on Sept. 21 and I became a proud papa, on Dec. 28, 1943, of a 9-pound boy who now totes the name of Joseph Bernard, which may I impress on your mind is not a junior.

"I was going to have Kay join me when I found a place here but after one look at it I decided that it would be better for both her and the baby to stay in Tacoma. So now I am just praying that the war ends soon so I can get home and watch little Joe grow up.

"Tom Courtney (De Kalb, Ill.) is here on the field, and I understand some others, but so far I haven't met any others. Our chaplain is a secular priest who went to the Novitiate at N.D. He knows quite a few of the Fathers back there, and we have some great chats about the old place.

"The other day I received my application for season tickets in football. Sure wish I could see one, but it doesn't look as if I will be anywhere near there this year. However, if I am still around here in November I am going to see Southern Cal play at Los Angeles. If you hear or know of anybody who is around Los Angeles, Reno or Las Vegas, let me know and we might be able to get together on a three-day pass sometime soon. My address, before it is forgotten: 422 AAFBU, Squadron E, Tonopah, Nev."

Long wait, Joe, but worth it. Fine work.

Here's a change post-carded in by Paul Deery's dad from Indianapolis: "You will be interested in knowing that my son, Paul, is somewhere in France as he entered that country with the invading army from the south about a month ago. He is a first lieutenant now and still adjutant of his battalion."

Another report from France comes air-mailed from Sgt. John C. (Bill) Kirby, dated Aug. 16:

"The last issue of the 'Alumnus' finally caught up with me—via Washington, of course. I haven't a heck of a lot of news but maybe you'll know something about a couple of us. That includes Tom Johnson (who used to travel with Sam Boyle, Eugene O'Brien and company). We're both with the same replacement battalion. Tom's with headquarters, a staff sergeant and acting sergeant major, and I'm with the . . . company.

"Several fellows from school have passed through here at different times. Lt. Leo Shields was the first we bumped into (in England). The next was a Lt. Ferry, '41, cousin of Jim Ferry of our class. This is the first outfit I've been in where all the company officers are Catholic. I guess there are more Catholics in this company than any others around here anyway.

"I wasn't fortunate enough to visit London or see Joe Lane or any of the old gang while in England. Maybe they'll be there on the way back, though. I suppose you know Don O'Brien got married. He's a lieutenant (jg) in the Naval Air Corps and last I heard was still at Kingsville, Tex. And how's Doc Cooney?"

From Cleveland on Sept. 7 came a note from E. M. Weinfurter, Ed's dad:

"I am writing you with regard to my son, Lt. (jg) Edward M. Weinfurter, Jr., class of '42. His August 'Alumnus' has been received and I am forwarding it to him as I have past issues, knowing that he is always glad to receive it. His address has been changed and is now. . . . He participated in the Southern France invasion which began on Aug. 15. This makes the fourth invasion he has participated in since he arrived in the Mediterranean area in May, 1943."



"Somewhere in England," these four Notre Dame men and their guest chaplain got together for a "swell meal," according to a note, and this picture, from Joe Palmer, '42. Left to right are Chaplain George Shea of Ascension parish, Chicago; Bob Kohne, ex. '46, Joe Palmer, Dr. Eugene Smith, '38, the host, and Jim Gallagher, '31.

"Jim's brother, Tom, '35, is in France and couldn't quite make it that night, to our regret," Joe wrote.

Just missing the deadline for the August 'Alumnus' came a report from New Guinea and Lt. Andy Chlebeck of the 5th Marines. He wrote: "While glancing through a recent issue of the 'Alumnus,' I ran across your address—so I'm writing. This is the first issue I have seen since I left the states and it was given to me by Jack Cole, ex. '41. Jack has been assigned to the squadron since January, but this was the first time for me to learn that we had something in common.

"This present location has proved fruitful for me in that I have been able to run into three Notre Dammers. Bernie Crimmins and Larry Kelly are stationed here and we manage to get together as often as our duties allow. I went out with Bernie on a run but unfortunately we spotted nothing and I was disappointed. Kelly is laid up with fungus infection and Paul Lillis is recovering from a wound he sustained as a result of getting too close to a Jap sniper. They are expecting to go home shortly. I won't be eligible until next May."

Then on Sept. 1 Andy, now a first lieutenant, air-mailed more information from the Southwest Pacific:

". . . Yes, Joan Metzger and I finally got mar-

ried on June 20 at the famous Mission of San Juan Capistrano, the place where the swallows come back every year. Joan looked very lovely in her long wedding gown—and to us that was the happiest day of our life.

"We lived in Carlsbad, Calif., about two months before I received my overseas orders. Up until that time, I was the regimental athletic director for the 28th Marines, 5th Marine Division. The trip across was very dull, as I was one of the boys to get seasick. The sight of land was really welcomed by all hands aboard ship. We landed on a very beautiful island, but our camp itself is located on a desert where the wind, dust, rain, blow 24 hours a day—every now and then we get a beautiful day.

"I have been fortunate enough to continue my baseball career—and have been having a very good year—hitting about .400 and lucky enough to be chosen on the all-star service team before being shipped over. We played our first game on this island the other day and won, 14 to 0. It was my wife's birthday, so I had to celebrate by getting five-for-five, including a single, two doubles and two home runs, driving in seven runs and scoring five myself—probably the best day of my career at the plate.

"I ran into Jim Martin the other day. He just returned from (censored) and said things were just a little rough over here, but the Marines did o.k. I have been hearing from Bernie Crimmins. He hopes to be home for Christmas. He saw Bob Hargrave in New Zealand, also Paul Lillis and Kelly. They are all in the same squadron. Saw Angelo Bertelli just before he shipped out. Also Harry Wright and Dick Kiaken."

Another air-mail, from another part of the world, also just missed the August 'Alumnus.' It came from Capt. J. Howie Emick, who is situated with a B-29 outfit in India. He wrote on July 24:

"Just received my June copy of the 'Alumnus' and sure enjoyed reading the whole thing. I would appreciate some news on some of my old friends. I have seen only one Notre Dame man in the last year, that being Les Bemish, '38, who is in my squadron. I'd like to hear about Pete Kelly, Frank Deedy, Bob Osterman, Marty Shea, my Sorin Hall roomie, John Maloney, Phil Sheridan, Jack O'Brien. Can't give you much news on myself. Scoop, but here's a brief running account of my three-year Army career:

"After receiving my pilot wings, I instructed for six months in B-24s at Tucson, Ariz. From there I went into the first B-29 outfit formed and am still with it. I can't tell you much about the B-29, Scoop, as it is kept under wraps. I like it though and enjoy flying it. I also have a good crew and have been doing a little work against our little yellow 'friends.' I guess that's about all the news. Oh, yes, I married my home-town girl of Junior Prom and Senior Ball days—the event took place in February, 1943, in Texas."

A V-mail letter, written Aug. 8, came buzzing in from Italy and Bob Coleman:

"Just a brief note to say I have picked my way through Cassino and Rome with S/Sgt. Jack Cackley, '37, and T/Sgt. Frank Shay, '35, Lt. Joe O'Connell, '41, and Pvt. Johnny Lynch, '44. The latter two claim to have been the first two Notre Dame men in Rome. Shay and I claim to be 'second echelon' or the second batch of N.D. men into Rome. Of course, a good deal of water has flowed under the bridge since that time.

"I certainly would like to hear from Larry Hickey (a lieutenant (jg) in the Navy somewhere. Bob Simon (Marines); Wally McCourt (Navy Air Corps), and Ed Dankev (an aviator operating

off the . . . I believe), and Charlie Kaiser (still fighting the battle of Eau Claire, Wis. I think).

"Leo Turgeon has married a girl in his class at Med school at Creighton; Dick Sullivan can be reached as a corporal in . . . c/o Postmaster, San Francisco. What has become of Charlie (Scrip) Kirby, Wally Heekin, Larry Kelly, Paul Lillis, Tom Walker, Bill Sturbitts, Bill Keyes, Don Hogan, Tom Nash, Dave Devins, Jim McVay, Neil McCarty, Chuck Kearney, et al.? Did you know that Sam Boyle and Ned Weinfurter were in on the Normandy affair?"

Some odds and ends: The press associations have carried a picture of an "Australian football reunion" in which Lt. (jg) Bernie Crimmins was shown visiting his former N.D. teammate, Lt. (jg) Paul Lillis, who was wounded by a Jap sniper during the invasion of the Admiralty Islands. Both are PT boat skippers. Steve Bagarus was a star on the receiving end of forward passes from Sammy Baugh in the Washington Redskins East-West game at San Diego in early August. Lt. Bill Hofer, ex. N.D. quarterback, was one of 11 former football stars with a Marine regiment which smashed at Guam recently, according to the "Marine Corps Chevron" of Aug. 19.

Good news to members of the class of '42 was announced on Aug. 24 when Lt. Col. Francis Gabreski of Oil City, Pa., was reported alive and well in a Nazi prison camp. He was earlier believed missing in action. He has bagged 31 German planes.

From Malden, Mass., comes a report from Charlie Tobin's sister, Virginia. She writes:

"I forward the 'Alumnus' to Charlie each month—just as soon as I finish reading it myself. He tells me how much he looks forward to getting it, and seeing news of his friends and classmates in it, but he never sends any news of himself to you, so I, thinking that they too feel the same way, am taking it on myself to let you know the latest news of him!

"He's now a lieutenant, junior grade, and is skipper of a subchaser in the Caribbean. In nearly every letter we receive, he mentions some one of his Notre Dame friends that he has met in the various officers' clubs in that area. He spoke of meeting Jim Brutz in Miami recently, and said that, since Jim also was a good friend of Matty Byrne and Herk Bereolos, the meeting was 'marked with no particular amount of gayety.' He met Don Connors in New York on his way back to Florida from a recent short-termed leave and Don was on his way to Mississippi.

"Another friend of Charlie's, Tom Nash, is also a lieutenant, (jg), and in on a cruiser."

Now we swing back to an old friend, the chronicler of ye Lawyers, Mrs. Lora Lashbrook, who comes up with another news-ful contribution:

"We've had some welcome visits from some of the lads. Among them were Lt. Charles Hasson, moving from a former assignment at Yale where he has been instructing ground crews in the Air Corps, to a similar job at Lowry Field, Colo. He had some interesting stories to tell, among them the news of his own marriage to Miss Helen Brug of Sheridan, Wyo., which took place last Dec. 23.

"Ens. Joe Farmar sent a postcard from the subchaser base at Miami promising a long letter to follow. While we were waiting for the letter, we learned from other sources that Joe had quite a harrowing experience in the Atlantic not long ago but survived with no permanent injury.

"Another welcome letter came from Capt. Bob Sullivan promising us that he will be back to finish that last year of law study and he hopes his return will not be too long postponed. He is with the Air Corps in the European theater. He reported that he had just served as a member of a

general court martial hearing cases involving larceny, manslaughter and A.W.O.L. charges. We're wondering who is going to teach whom when boys like Bob come back to law school!

"One more 'delinquent' lawyer has been forgiven with a letter this week from Jim Diver, with the artillery in France. He says there are four N.D. men in his division and that Father Murray is the chaplain with them. He asks again for news of Jack Meyer and for his address. We have to tell him that the last news we had of Jack was his wedding announcement!

"Bill Spangler is back in the deep South, after enjoying a brief furlough. His wife is living in Shreveport, La., while Bill is stationed at the base nearby. He told us that he telephoned John Baty's parents while he was passing through Kansas City and was told that John, now an ensign, is living at Room 1112, North Columbus, Miami Beach, Fla. John was up this way awhile back but failed to make the promised visit to Notre Dame. Spangler is doing a bit of legal work too, just to keep a hand well occupied.

"Our Tarawa and Saipan hero, Lt. Joseph Barr, USMC, wrote from Tinian reminding me that some legal reading matter would be most welcome. We assumed that he expected to have a bit of reading time, which he undoubtedly has not had for many months.

"Harry Guthrie's girl friend wrote from Cheyenne, Wyo., complaining that Harry has not been getting any mail from us. By now we hope the mail is getting through and that he has more mail than he can read.

"Confirmation of the report that Tim Maher has been given a medical discharge from the Army has reached us from Tim himself. He was physically retired from the Army in July and is now an attorney for a manufacturing firm in Pittsburgh. Tim was admitted to the Pennsylvania bar before he was inducted so he lost no time in getting established.

"Last week Ens. Jim McVay came in to see us (mid-September). He was en route back to his duty in the Pacific from a brief leave at home in Pennsylvania. Jim has seen quite a bit of active duty, and had a part in the invasion of Guam and the landing of troops and supplies there. He was uninjured but for at least one 24-hour period he was under air attack by the Japs while on a landing barge loaded with ammunition. He is not too optimistic about an early end to the war against Japan.

"Ens. Jerry Feeney wrote recently from the West Coast, shortly after his return from a leave during which he visited here a few minutes. He is still on a destroyer in the Pacific. Lt. (jg) Fred Hoover wrote a week ago and sent us a copy of the Navy magazine which carried the story of the heroic action of Ens. Paul J. Kashner last Feb. 7 in the Anzio landing, during which action Paul was killed. He received the Silver Star posthumously. Later Paul's parents and brother visited us here and showed us the two citations and the award which were sent to them by the Navy Department.

"Lt. (jg) Jerry Killgrew visited here recently and since then wrote from the West Coast to tell us that he ran into Jerry Feeney in San Diego. Feeney had checked in at the hotel and was walking through the lobby when Killgrew spotted him. They exchanged news and arranged a meeting for the week-end, which was cancelled when Killgrew's ship left. Lt. Andy Cherney is still out in the Southwest Pacific with the Air Corps. He wrote quite a long letter recently describing some of the country out that way, but adding that he would trade the whole Pacific area for a visit to Notre Dame.

"Jim Daner sent us an announcement of his marriage on July 14 to Dorothy Rita Maison

from Michigan. The wedding was held in Riverside, Calif., where Jim was then stationed. Ens. Bill Lawless, who has also been out in the Guam area, has recently been home on leave. He is now back on duty and his leave was too short to visit us that time. He spent the time in Buffalo with his bride and his parents.

"Lt. Bill Hosinski wrote a short letter recently chiding me for the report in the last 'Alumnus' describing his bride as a blonde. He calls attention to the fact that she is and has always been, as far as he knows, a red head. It seems useless to argue that Webster's Unabridged Dictionary defines 'blondes' to include persons with red hair. Whatever classification she comes under, she is definitely a very beautiful girl, and almost deserving of a fine fellow like Bill. Bill reports having seen Capt. Pat Bannon at Kelly Field. Bannon is assigned to AAF Headquarters in Washington. Hosinski was especially interested in any news I might have of Bill Hogan, but unfortunately I had none.

"Ens. Jack Lawler wrote this month from the Pacific. He expects a leave this fall and promises to spend a few hours at Notre Dame. Anita Lavery, Joe's wife, wrote from Denver to say that Joe is in France with the invasion forces. Having no news of him since the invasion started other than this, we feel sure that Joe came through so far without injury. She enclosed a photograph of their two-year-old son and she says it will be a shock to the baby to learn that his father is something more than a photograph in a frame.

"Leo Linck is still learning to be a soldier in the Air Corps at San Antonio, Texas. Lt. James D. Lancaster visited us recently too. He is doing personnel work in the Army, adjusting assignments of men who have been placed in jobs for which they are unsuited. His station is Robins Field, Ga.

"Lt. Ray Quinn tells us that he expects to be home soon from the air war in Europe. He warned that when the war ends there will be four of the Quinn boys in school at the same time! Capt. John Verdonk was another N.D. visitor, being home on a 30-day leave and in time to welcome his new son who was born during the leave. John expected several weeks ago to be sent overseas for a confidential mission but at the time of this writing it hadn't materialized yet. Vail Pischke has accepted a position with a law firm in Washington, D. C., and reported for work the first week in August. Vail passed the Indiana Bar examinations in July and was admitted to practice. Pete Nemeth also passed the examinations and was admitted with Vail. Pete is practicing in South Bend.

"Walt Ivancevic, now with the Equity Corporation in New York, passed the New York bar examinations in June and is now expected to join a firm of attorneys on Wall Street.

"Jim McGoldrick, now with the FBI, in New York, has applied to take the New York examination. He wrote in mid-September for the necessary certifications and incidentally gave us the first information about his location that we have had for a long time."

And here comes a newsy report from Brooklyn, of all places, authored by Charlie Conger:

"Just thought I'd drop a line and let you know about some of the N.D. boys I've run across in this section of the country. I'm working for the International Telephone and Telegraph Corp., in New York City, and have been here approximately 16 months. Jim Leising, who is stationed here in the city, is my roommate at the K. of C. in Brooklyn.

"Bob McFarland lives just a few blocks away and is stationed at the Brooklyn Navy Yard. We ran into each other about a month ago. Saw Tom Walker a couple of weeks ago. He's the proud father of a baby girl and tells me that Bill Keyes

has an infant son, born just a day after Tom's. **Walt Ivancevich** is also located here in the city and is working for an investment company. The latter just passed the N. Y. State Bar exams and expects to be admitted very shortly. My old roommate, **Vince Schiely**, writes regularly from Camp Breckenridge, Ky. He's in the QM corps and received his gold bars last November at Camp Lee, Va.

"**Frank Murphy**, '40, finishes his internship at St. Vincent's Hospital and before going on active duty in the Navy plans to get married on Oct. 4. **Fred Paulmann** writes from New Rochelle about an N.D. get-together on Oct. 11. **Ollie Hunter**, **Johnny Lujack** and a couple of other Notre Damers are at Columbia U. now and if all those in the vicinity can make it, we should have quite a gathering.

"**Jim Mahar**, '43, works for Haskin and Sells in the same building with me at 67 Broad St. **John Moline** writes that he is now working in his home town of Toledo and plans to be in New York for the Army game on Nov. 11. **Johnny** was best man for **Bob Breska** in the middle of June."

The Chicago 'Daily News' of Aug. 30 carried a four-column picture of the attractive bride of **Lt. Albert J. Del Zoppo**. A graduate of Rosary College, the bride is **Edna Mae Lewis** of Chicago. Al is operating out of New Orleans.

Another welcome letter came from **Curwensville, Pa.**, and **Miss Mary Elizabeth Mallon**. She gave us this comment on her brother, **Hugh**:

"**Hugh** is now a lieutenant (jg) serving as a communications officer aboard a LST in the European area. He has participated in two invasions—D-Day and the invasion of Southern France. **Hugh** was stationed in England several months prior to the D-Day invasion and mentioned seeing several Notre Dame friends there. He also mentioned seeing some in the Mediterranean area. **Hugh** is quite well, very enthusiastic about his work, and through the mercy of God, yet unharmed.

"I know he enjoys receiving the 'Alumnus' and I send it on to him as soon as possible after its arrival here each time."

That's all for this time, and don't forget:

IF IT'S NEWS, WRITE SCOOP!

Tom Hoyer, South Bend, overseas one year, has been promoted to first lieutenant at an army air base in England. **Sgt. Bob Steele**, Battle Creek, Mich., is stationed at the Walterboro Army Air Field, S. C.

Lt. Tom Powers, then temporarily with the MP at Jackson Barracks, New Orleans, penned a long overdue letter in the beginning of August. "Hear from **Scoop Scanlan** regularly and he keeps me posted on Notre Dame. Haven't heard from **Paul Neville** for some time. Maybe after Paris falls, he'll have time to write. My kid brother, **Johnny**, is presently attending the TC OCS here in New Orleans and has several hard months ahead of him. Met a few Notre Damers in and around New Orleans recently. **Jack Reis**, lieutenant (jg), just back from Italy. **Bob Lemense** was at Camp Livingston in the infantry. **Charles Kirby** is a second lieutenant and flying instructor at the naval air station here. **Fred Hawk**, '32, came back from the Persian Gulf area to attend TC OCS."

Where-are-they-division: **Cpl. Bob Hagan**, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco; **Tom Morrison**, assistant manager, Atlanta branch of Old Dominion Box Co., Atlanta, Ga. Promoted: **Ed Quinlan** to first lieutenant, Ninth Air Force service command unit, England.

Capt. John Cody, who was at Pearl Harbor that eventful Dec. 7, is now stationed at Buckley Field, Colo. **John's** younger brother, **Tom**, '44,

was with the Marines at Saipan. **John Lath-ringer** is attending finance OCS at Fort Benjamin, Ind. **Lt. Al Bergman** has completely recovered from severe burns on the face and hands received when his ship was torpedoed in European waters and he was forced to swim through burning oil. En route to Baltimore, **Steve Bagarus** visited his family in South Bend. **Steve** was on 15-day furlough from his artillery outfit on the west coast, which enabled him to play a few games for the Washington Redskins.

Listed among the names of those wounded in action was **Pvt. Joe Laiber**, South Bend, who has served overseas with the infantry since February. **Marine Lt. Leo Humphrey**, writing from the Pacific area, says he ran into **Lt. Bill Hofer** quite by accident when the two, each in charge of a patrol, had to make contact with each other.



Lt. McNamara

Lt. Dan McNamara, with his wife, the former **Rita Callaghan**, spent a leave of 15 days in Chicago recently. **Dan** was commissioned in December, 1942 and was promoted to lieutenant (jg) on March 1. He has returned to his ship in the Pacific. **Dan** took part in the initial landings in the Aleutian Islands.

2nd **Lt. Jim Ferry**, NAW, ATC, LaGuardia Field, New York, N. Y., sent the following swell letter:

"Hoping that **Scoop Scanlan**, of the class of '42, may get this, I'll also say 'Hi Scoop.'"

"First of all, I have a bit of bad news to give forth. On 22 August 1944, **James J. Ferry**, of the '41 class, was killed in action in France. At the time, he was a lieutenant in the tank corps and let us pray he didn't suffer. . . . **Jimmy** was a popular member of his class and I'm sure many of his former buddies will be sorry to hear of his passing away, but they can rest assured he did a good job.

"Another cousin, **Lt. Barney Ferry**, also of '41, is with Combat Intelligence attached to the Air Forces and is also in France. The third cousin—myself, of '42, is sweating the war out in New York at the present time.

"Recently, I ran into **Bud Schlayer**, of '41, and we had a long talk about N.D. and its trials and tribulations. He had just returned to the States after something like 130 missions and was waiting for reassignment to another theatre of action. He had served in N. Africa, and Italy and also in England."

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

From **Red Lonergan**:

Here's a little news from **Ollie Hunter**: "**Paul Tierney** is now in England awaiting further developments. **Harry McKnight** came out of the invasion with a smile. **Ramon Araujo**, from Colombia, South America, is here in New York on business, and we are seeing the sights together. **Leo Sclafani** reported to Columbia after spending a year in the Pacific where he saw a lot of fireworks."

Vince Commisa is going great guns with the newly formed Boston Yankee professional football team. **Vince** has been alternating first and second team. **Eddie Ryan** is now in the service. He

is stationed at one of the army posts at present. **Dick McHugh** was guest of **Dave Condon** and yours truly last week. We really had quite a confab.

"I'll have a lot of dope as soon as I get back from New York. In the meantime how about some of those first class letters, just like those that follow:

From **Will Rice** in France (on July 15):

"I find myself everyday thinking more and more about the old gang. I like to read about them, and I carried my last copy of the 'Alumnus' with me until I lost all my personal equipment. It was a shipwreck, but the details are a military secret. I never have run across anyone from N.D. on this side of the ocean. Last one I saw was **Jack Duggan** in New York and we celebrated my departure. I hear occasionally from **Duggan** and my ex roomie, **Jim Murray**. He is in Africa I believe (but he can't say) where he ran into **Bill Brady**. I can't find any of the gang in France, although I have watched since the beginning."

From **Sgt. Fred Christman** (on July 15):

"Last November I was transferred here to New York City from Fort Riley, Kans. This is a detachment from the headquarters of the Army Ground Forces in Washington. There are six of us enlisted men and one officer here. Since it is not possible for us fellows to live on a post, we are living at various places. The government provides us an allowance for our rations and quarters. Our office is in Manhattan at 270 Madison Ave., about two blocks off 42nd St.

"Life here is really beyond imagination for the army. We have regular working hours and our evenings are open for about anything we desire to do. New York furnishes many types of entertainment for servicemen. I have seen many of the good theatrical plays on Broadway. This past winter I attended several of the fights at Madison Square Garden. When Notre Dame was here to play New York University I was among the fans rooting for good old N.D. So far this spring and summer, I have been to Jones Beach and also to Yankee Stadium and the Polo Grounds several times.

"In May of this year, I was home on furlough and I stopped over at Notre Dame for a day. I got to see many of the profs. My brother graduated in June. I got to see **Hal Hunter** in the Caf. I learned that he was married and has a child.

"I hear from **Pete Moritz** and **Jim Poinsett** who are both in England. **Jim** is in the field artillery. The last letter I had from **Pete** was before the invasion so I don't know whether any of the fellows had played an active part in the invasion. I saw where all the fellows had been promoted a grade. [**Pete** was injured in the invasion and returned to this country—Eds.]

"A week or so ago as I was coming out of the theater I ran into **Oren Stiens**. He had just returned from the Pacific. He said he had seen several of the fellows at Pearl Harbor on his way back to the states.

"This past week I received an announcement of **Bob Gillette's** marriage. He was married in Portsmouth, Va., on June 17."

From **Lee Raymond** (on July 20):

"**Jim Cahill** and I are still together in the Southwest Pacific. However, we are no longer with a line company. **Jim** is in the file section of the personnel department, while I am in the press relations office of the regiment. I think **Jim's** sister, **Jane**, has told you that.

"I haven't heard from any of the boys on the other side for some time, but from my own experience, I can imagine they have their hands full about now. I haven't seen any news of **Bill Frye's** marriage, so I wonder if you knew about it. He was married in July.

"My parents tell me that Jack Tallett was last heard from when moving out west to meet the crew of his new bomber. I know it will have to be a big plane to hold 'Long John.' Dan Stewart wrote a couple of times, as did Jim McElroy, but both of their addresses are 'missing in action.' I lost them some time ago.

"I hear from Mox Rogers, '44, often. Maybe you know him as the second baseman of the legendary Farbe's A. C.

"Haven't seen or heard from Keating, Burke, Ebner or the Godfrey boys since leaving them in New Caledonia. I'll take that back. I did see Ted Burke.

"Incidentally, if Gail Fitch reads this, I hope he will take a few moments to pen me a short note."

From Walt McNamara (on July 15):

"It was the twelfth of this month that a Notre Dame 'Alumnus' reached me and reading about all the fellows made me a little homesick for the campus life again. All through my late travels, I ran into many of the old bunch—some days it seemed as if our class reunion was a bit early—haven't seen any here on Saipan.

"Last December I saw Bob Walsh in Pearl Harbor. Kevin O'Toole and I have been stationed with the 18th Marines since we've been overseas. During the three weeks I spent at the hospital in Honolulu last May, I was able to drop into town occasionally. In Honolulu, I saw Ens. Charlie Butler, Ens. Tom Connolly, Ens. John Clemens, Marine Lt. 'Rebel' Lanahan, and they are all just as full of life as ever. Met Charlie Kralovec and Red Ryan at Pearl Harbor, both ensigns. It was Notre Dame day for us. . . . This Saipan operation has really been rough."

From Fred S. Naegle (in New Guinea on Aug. 18):

"I was just reading over the Notre Dame 'Alumnus' and thought I'd drop you a line. I was thinking of all the fun we used to have in good old Freshman Hall. Remember Kiesen, Kuipers, Woods, Fenn, Maher, Stewart and the rest of the boys?

"You probably wonder what happened to me after my second year at Notre Dame. Well, I was drafted during the summer of 1941 and have spent three long years in the Army! . . . I hear from Kiesen, and he is in the Marines at San Diego, Calif. There are a few of Chicago's Notre Dame Club boys in the division and I imagine you know a lot of them. Haven't met anyone from Wilmette yet though."

From Al Oliver:

"I've been threatening to get in touch with you for many months, but it took the receipt of the April and June 'Alumnus' from home to get me on the ball. I sure got a bang out of reading about all the boys and what they are doing in the far flung corners of the world. Even though the column indicated quite a few of the class are here in England, I am yet to run into any of them. I had intended to attend that N.D. and Minnesota reunion back in January, but at the last minute was unable to make it.

"Contrary to comments in various letters that have appeared in the 'Alumnus' column, placing me at Jefferson Barracks, Mo., you can see I'm no longer there. Left there last fall and after jockeying around New England for a time, managed to get here, in England in December. Even though I came here unassigned, have run into a darn good set-up. Am one of the AAF's 'Chair Corps' boys in the 9th Air Force service command. Have been able to see quite a bit of the country on business trips, but as great as it is, would give a million to see the Loop and the 'ole N. D. campus."

Sgt. Bob Townner, who was wounded in Normandy after D-day, writes that he has fully recovered and gone back to rejoin his outfit in France. Lt. Dippy Evans reported in August for duties as an instructor at Randolph Field, Texas. Leo Linck entered the AAF training command school at Yale University for aviation cadet training in communications. Lt. Tom Brock took part in the fighting on Saipan.

Harry Wright was presented with a trophy by Bing Crosby when the former's team of Marine Corps boxers copped the title in the west coast boxing tournament at Miramar Aviation Base, San Diego. Harry now is a Marine first lieutenant and chief recreation officer at the base.

A letter (in July) from Ens. Don Heltsel, Southwest Pacific, said that there were no N.D. men in sight, except Joe Dray, '39, whose ship was south of his at the moment.

George Bartuska, South Bend, who advanced from private to major in less than three years and participated in 22 missions over Europe without so much as a serious injury, was on a brief leave from the AAF. George, whose sorties up to now have been made in flying fortresses, is itching to get into one of those new B-29s.

Lt. Jim Parcell, Harrison, N. Y., recently completed an orientation course in an air service command station in England. Lt. (jg) Charles Steltmann's address is FPO through San Francisco.

A letter was received from Cpl. John Fogarty: "At present I am stationed at a central Pacific base, in the meteorological service of the air force. Quite a few of the class are stationed around this area but as yet, I haven't met any of them.

"I have some news that the boys will be sorry to hear. Yesterday, I received a letter from my mother saying that my ex-roommate, Edward Palman, is listed as missing after the plane, in which he was a member of the crew, crashed at an unnamed Pacific base soon after takeoff. Among those killed was Rear Admiral Charles P. Cecil. [Ed's note—In a later letter from John he wrote of Ed's death. See death notices.]

"I've written to George Coppin and Bill Nicholson for more specific details. They are fellow engineering officers of Ed's, with Pan-American Airways. Just before I shipped overseas the four of us met in Frisco and renewed old times. All of them were doing fine at the time.

"Ed was one of the best-known and well-liked fellows of our class. You meet fellows like Ed once in a lifetime. Ed would sure appreciate any prayers the boys would say for him. I know his Notre Dame training stood him in good stead after his graduation.

"Bill McAllister is now in basic training at Fort Sill, Okla. He seems to like the Army pretty well. Jack Russell is now a manager of the Coca-Cola concern in his hometown of Lewiston, Me. Joe Chabot was recently commissioned a lieutenant in the engineering division of the air force, and Norm Chief Tremblay, '41, is an MP stationed in Connecticut.

"After I left Hawaii, I found out the N.D. men have a gathering in St. Augustine's Church in Honolulu, on the second Sunday of each month at 2 p.m. Some of the boys out this way would probably like to know that. Has anyone heard from Renzo Pesavento? I'd like to hear from him sometime."

Capt. Louis Schirm is serving as motor transportation movement officer at an invasion port in the ETO.

T/S Paul R. Toland writes from Anchorage, Alaska, about starting a Notre Dame Club of Alaska, listing the known Notre Dame men stationed there as: "Major Andrew McDermough, Air Corps; Major Joseph Thornton; Capt. Charles

O'Connor, Air Corps finance; Cmdr. Hawks, naval air transport service, makes frequent trips to the base; T/S Tom Higgins; T/S Red Oberbrunner, '40; Sgt. Bill Higgins, '36; medical officer, nephew of Prof. Staunton, probably in the Aleutians; N.D. chaplain, name unknown, is also stationed in the Aleutians."

Paul Malley, corporal, is stationed somewhere in the Pacific. He recently sent in a fine letter, together with his contribution to the Alumni Fund.

The following by S/Sgt. Dick Gordon, a Marine Corps Combat Correspondent, formerly of the "Chicago Daily News," is about a boy who spent a short time on the campus as a student:

Somewhere in the Pacific—(Delayed)—A Marine regiment is standing by at this island base. The men who helped crack the Jap defenses at Eniwetok will meet that enemy again one of these days. And sometime, in the bitter moments which inevitably lie ahead, they'll think back to the quiet, selfless heroism of a young platoon sergeant.

They'll remember Johnny K. Walsh, of Pueblo, Colo., Boys Town, Nebr., and Notre Dame University, and how he took over their leaderless and disorganized platoon on the beach at Engebi and, by his own example, picked them up by the boot straps for a drive that smashed the Japs to defeat.

Some will recall, too, one of the few speeches ever made by the taciturn platoon sergeant. He was talking about different ways of getting men to follow a leader into battle. He said: "If you fellows ever refuse to follow me, I'll make myself such a target to the Japs I know you'll come along to keep me from getting killed." He had that much courage himself and that much confidence in his men.

Platoon Sergeant Walsh never had to make good that threat. His platoon never lagged, but even so, its leader was always out in front where the action was the hottest.

The Engebi island invasion was followed by that of Parry four days later. Enemy snipers and mortar fire was heavy, but Platoon Sergeant Walsh and his men kept going forward. Late one afternoon they were advancing along the beach across the island. They were working their way down toward the final pocket of resistance. Platoon Sergeant Walsh was several yards in the van when he yelled, "Come on, everything's O.K."

Just then a Jap machine gun, concealed on a fringe of sand and underbrush, opened up. Platoon Sergeant Walsh died three hours later in a foxhole.

Fellow officers and men know Platoon Sergeant Walsh as a gentleman and a devout Catholic. The lieutenant in charge of his old platoon defined him as an efficient leader, as fine a man as he ever knew, absolutely clean, morally and physically.

The men who served with him for many months of training in the Pacific think of him as "a darn good guy," whom everyone liked and respected. And that other platoon of which he assumed command when its officer was killed in the landing on Engebi cannot say enough in praise of Platoon Sergeant Walsh.

"We were badly disorganized when he took over," one of them related. "He didn't waste a lot of words. He just said, 'Come on,' told us what to do, and showed us the way." And on Parry it was he who made us get off the beach. If he had not, Jap mortars would have killed us all."

The colonel commanding his battalion thought so highly of Platoon Sergeant Walsh after Engebli that he recommended his field promotion to second lieutenant. The recommendation was awaiting final approval by higher authorities when the officer-to-be was killed on Parry.

Lt. Don McGrann has recently been decorated with the Air Medal in recognition for achievement while participating in aerial flights in the Southwest Pacific area from Nov. 24 to Dec. 31, 1943. Lt. (jg) Charles Kane is also serving in the Southwest Pacific.

1944 and Later

David R. Condon, *The Chicago Tribune*, Chicago, Ill.

From Dave Condon:

Dick McHugh was in Chicago to see a ball game and dropped in for a talk. We discussed the whereabouts of George (Jose) Hall, George (Jose) Schneider, John (Jose) Rigney, and Bud (Jose) Madison, and others. At the same time as McHugh's visit, George (Jose) Rempe was in the village on leave. We missed brother Bill (Jose) Brown, who a few days previous had been transferred from Great Lakes to a point in Virginia.

Lt. Jack Tallett, who promoted many campus affairs and was a hot first baseman for Jake Kline, dropped up to the office the day before the All-Star game. The same day, Jim Hines, who is at the Illinois school of medicine, phoned in. He said that brother Mike, the 1941 tackle and Bengal Bout finalist, had just come back from overseas duty with the Marines. Jim said that Chuck Crown was in school with him at Illinois.

The day before Tallett's visit and Hines' call I was walking through the Dearborn station to meet a friend from New Mexico when Dick Burns hollered at me. He is at Loyola and staying in the city.

Write Your News To Dave

Walking into the Medinah club one day, I met Frank Kent, all business, as he was visiting George St. George, who was in the city. I soon received a letter from George Bariscillo, written while he was home on furlough. He is now stationed at Camp Crowder, Mo. He mentioned that he and Jim Kelley and George St. George had been together at Stanford and said he bumped into Al Soilo at Camp Crowder.

Bariscillo said that in the Pennsy station in N.Y.C. he met Don Seuffert. George wants Johnny Morrison's address—if anyone has it, send it to me and I'll see that George gets it.

Pvt. Charles (Chuck) Pickhardt wrote too late to make the last issue. He was then with the Air Transport Command at Wilmington, Del., and expecting overseas assignment. Said that the last he heard, J. C. R. Clark was to start graduate school at Harvard and that Pvt. G. V. Funk was at Camp Shelby, Miss. He heard that Lt. Tom Duffy was an instructor at Kirtland Field, just outside, Albuquerque, N. M.

Write Your News To Dave

Ronald Carter wrote that New Guinea looks like the N.D. Huddle after a football game. He reported that George Conway was throwing the javelin in Hawaii, and that Mousie Murphey was headed that way. Cpl. Bob Livingstone, Carter said, was also en route. Ray Schuster was in Italy, while Larry Winter was somewhere in Carter's neighborhood on a boat.

Ken Brown was another who wrote too late to make the last issue. He was with the second army in Memphis, Tenn., and said that his former roomie, Wally Barton, is a loogie and piloting a

Liberator. Johnny Baum was in Italy and had encountered Bob Casey. Jim Lundgren was in England, as of June last, and with him were Joe Radd and Bill Kenney.

A letter from Jerry Gaffney was another too late. He wrote from Fort Belvoir, Va., and was contemplating matrimony. He was engaged to a gal from Shamrock, Tex., and the wedding was in the near future. Kevin Bohan was at Camp Croft, S. C., and Gaffney said that in the course of his travels he had encountered Joe Elward, of the class of '31.

Another who is contemplating marriage in the near future is Tommy Atkins, whose engagement to our own Mary Eileen Thompson, of the infirmary, was recently announced.

I supposed that you all know that John Yonakor and Bill Haber, Corrie Clatt and Creighton Miller were on the College All-Star cast. Jim White, Ziggy Czarobski and John Adams were also to have been members of the squad, but naval regulations hampered White and Zig. White wrote from Harriman, N. Y., and said to tell everyone hello. Zig wired that he would be here with "bells on." Adams had to attend classes, so he couldn't make the game.

John McGowan, on tour with the U. S. navy, continues to send picture post cards advising us that we are missing lots and lots of scenery. At this writing I just heard that Bill Dougherty, an ensign with the ROTC, was in Miami awaiting orders.

Write Your News To Dave

I have been writing all the high school stuff in Chicago, and during the course of this have bumped into several Notre Dame men coaching, including Earl Walsh, Max Burnell and Ed Simonich.

A letter headed "somewhere on Guadalcanal" came in from Harry Yeatts: "I had a recent letter from Tom O'Connor and he's in the 88th division somewhere in Italy. He says that John Lynch is in the same outfit and occasionally runs into him for a chat. Also heard that Jim Newman is in Cherbourg doing public relations work and has met Ernie Pyle on several occasions. Cashman and I met a first lieutenant, Pat Fisher, who finished in '37 and we hope to get together with him in the near future. I'm now a corporal but outside of that there has been no drastic changes or news to speak about as far as I know."

Lt. Ray Quinn, on a seven-day "flak leave" in Scotland, penned on Aug. 31 an interesting letter: "A million thanks for the two copies of the 'Alumnus', April and June issues! I was happy to get the picture of Joe Barr. I heard from Tom O'Malley, '40, but haven't been able to get together with him yet, though he is stationed near me in England. Bill Foster, '41, landed here last week to visit his brother. Bill is a navigator on B-17s. Those old familiar names of Tony Beredossa, Joe Rorvick and Mike Stepovich brought back grand memories of Sorin Sub days. But what about Andy DeSimon (last heard from in China), Lee Hastings and Pete Kelly?"

"Things have been pretty uneventful for me since I got my commission. I've been in the ETO since May 20, navigating a fortress out of England. I have nearly finished my missions and hope to be in the States by the end of September. On my way to the jumping-off point . . . prior to our flight across the north Atlantic, I passed 7,000 feet above Notre Dame. So close and yet so far away! If we get that close again, they'll lose a navigator.

"Bill Blam, '42, is operations officer at a B-24 base near me. He just got promoted to major and has all the medals except the Purple Heart.

(Needless to say he's not at all desirous of earning that one.)

"I have hopes of visiting Notre Dame early in October on a honeymoon trip, but have three more missions to sweat out before I can make any definite plans."

Tom Clemens' V-mail, dated mid-July, stated that violin virtuoso, Recco Germane and Jim Favret, were stationed at the same camp. Rocco was with the military intelligence and Jim was a rifleman. Since Tom's letter, word has been received of his being seriously wounded in France on Aug. 19 and being subsequently hospitalized.

From Jim Crowley, New Caledonia: "Since I have been here, I have run into a couple of other Notre Dame fellows and we have had some great bull sessions about the times we had together at school. Jerry Heinlen, '42, and I got together quite a bit. He is now a lieutenant in the infantry and has moved off of the islands. I also ran into Lyle Joyce. He was telling me that Bob Faught had been here but evidently he is now at sea."

John Merryman, M.S. '44, Portland, Ore., was awarded a fellowship to the University of Chicago. John, who was awarded one of the Eli Lilly fellowships for study in the division of the physical sciences, will work towards his doctor of philosophy degree in chemistry.

Promoted: Lyle Joyce, Tucapau, S. C., to technician fifth grade, in New Caledonia.

Latest where-they-are: Ena. Gus Zachlke, c/o FPO, San Francisco (in command of an LCT boat); Ena. William Madden, c/o FPO, San Francisco; Ena. Bill O'Brien, Norfolk, Va.; Jim Gormley, Vimalert Company, Jersey City, N. J.; Ed Kavanaugh, Studebaker Corporation, South Bend; Joe Marnane, Murnane Paper Co., Chicago; John Christman, teaching assistant, Bloomington, Ind.; Ena. Mandell Ziegler, Camp Bradford, Norfolk, Va.; Bernard Chiglieri and George Hegner, Fort Pierce, Fla.

Ena. John Baty was a visitor to the campus on the week-end of June 4. John was stationed at the sub-chaser base in Miami, Fla., and came north to attend the graduation of his sister at St. Mary-of-the-Woods, Terre Haute. Bill Lawless and Jack Lawler, ensigns, are FPO, San Francisco.

Two welcome visitors on the campus not too long ago were Jack Hawes, who was attending Allegheny College, Meadville, Pa., and Sgt. John Denastosa, stationed then at Camp Van Dorn, Miss.

Promoted: Ena. Frank Keenan, now in the Pacific, was commissioned in Plattsburg, N. Y., June 27. Jim Connors, East St. Louis, Ill., was commissioned in the AAF at Lubbock, Texas, on Aug. 4.

In a letter from Pfc. Joe Krayer, South Bend, it was revealed that he was wounded while serving with the Marines in the South Pacific and was in a hospital in the Solomon Islands, where he was awarded the Purple Heart medal.

Sgt. Bob McDonnell, Chicago, was severely wounded fighting with the Army in Italy. A letter from Bob's chaplain says that Bob was ordered to wipe out a machine-gun nest planted on a hillside. Bob did as ordered but upon returning was caught in a surprise machine-gun fire attack.

Joe Munroe was commissioned second lieutenant at Columbus Army air field, Miss.

Carl Lloyd, South Bend, who was called up for active duty in the Navy last February, was home on leave recently.

Ena. Alan Gaard, who has, as his CO, Lt. Cmdr. Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., is in care of FPO, N.Y.C.



Notre Dame Mathematical Publications

(Reports of a Mathematical Colloquium.
Notre Dame Mathematical Lectures.)

MATHEMATICS takes a unique place among the sciences. The mathematician does not need laboratories as the physicist and biologist do, nor observatories as does the astronomer. A pencil and a sheet of paper are his only tools. With these he achieves results of real permanence if he is given time to ponder his problems and opportunity to communicate his results to other mathematicians. Ideas of old Egypt, Greece, and Arabia that have come to us, are still alive in the mathematics of our time.

To allow mathematicians time to concentrate on unsolved problems, to issue periodicals summarizing the results of mathematical research, and to publish lectures in order to make their content available to those who are unable to attend them — these are some of the few and simple ways of promoting mathematics.

Mathematicians at Notre Dame and elsewhere gratefully recognize that the University has generously promoted the science in all these ways.

In 1937 the undersigned was invited to continue at Notre Dame the publication of a periodical "Ergebnisse eines Mathematischen Kolloquiums" which he had published from 1929-1936 while professor at the University of Vienna, Austria. Before the war, four yearly issues of these "Reports of a Mathematical Colloquium" were published. The main contents were the results of two research projects carried on at Notre Dame: Metric Geometry, and a new foundation of Non-Euclidean Geometry. Papers on topological questions and a frequently quoted note on mathematical logic were also included.

The war has affected the Department of Mathematics possibly more than any other department. The number of

students in elementary and intermediate courses has doubled, tripled, quadrupled. In connection with the Navy's large V-12 program at Notre Dame new courses were instituted, new methods of teaching had to be developed. Administrative problems consumed most of the spare time of the mathematicians remaining on the campus while some younger colleagues were called away to do war research or to join the armed forces.

In spite of these difficulties, a board consisting of Rev. Howard Kenna, c.s.c., Dr. A. N. Milgram, Dr. P. M. Pepper, and the undersigned started a second series of publications, the "Notre Dame Mathematical Lectures." The first issue contains lectures of Professor A. Wald (Columbia University) about the fundamental ideas of modern statistics, the second is devoted to lectures of Professor E. Artin (Indiana University) on Galois Theory. Both pamphlets have been very favorably reviewed, and have found a wide distribution. Graduate seminars of large universities have used them as texts.

Issues 3 and 4 of the series will be published during the fall of 1944. Issue 3 will be devoted to lectures on "Algebra of Analysis" by Karl Menger, and issue 4 will be a pamphlet containing three lectures delivered at the occasion of the Notre Dame meeting of the American Mathematical Association at which Professor L. R. Ford (Illinois Institute of Technology) spoke on Nomography, Professor A. H. Copeland (University of Michigan) on Calculus of Probability, and Professor Artin on Complex Functions.

Further pamphlets of the Mathematical Lectures, as well as Issue 5 of the Reports are in preparation.

Karl Menger