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## **The Tradition Lives On!**

The injured Bob Kelly, halfback, limps through the civilian student body in the Union Station, South Bend, as the 1944 team returns from New York and the worst defeat in Notre Dame football history—that drubbing by Army, 59-0. The students had waited for two hours in the station early Monday morning, Nov. 13. Emphatically, this team was still "their team."

*South Bend Tribune Photo by Dale Murph*



# Alumni Religious Bulletin

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

To those friends who have written, I apologize for delayed answers. Since returning to Notre Dame, I have been assigned to travel, promoting vocations, besides giving retreats here and there.



Father Lynch

Sometimes your mail finally arrives with four or five forwarding addresses. It's all a strain on Frank Walker's postal system — and on mine, jumping about, living in a grip — and a car.

## HARVARD CATCHING UP

We "see by the papers" that Harvard Medical College has opened its doors to admit women.

The admission of women to medical schools is not an innovation, despite the belief of this "modern, progressive world."

Anyone familiar with the Catholic Church's historical encouragement and espousal of women, in medicine particularly, gets a laugh out of the recent anniversary celebration of America's first woman doctor graduate, Dr. Blackwell (Hollywood because of the year shelved a picture commemorating the event), less than 75 years ago; the recent agitation for admission of women doctors in the army; and the current mis-named and mis-guided campaign for "emancipation of women."

## "MODERN" WORLD WAY BEHIND

About two years ago Eleanor and various women leaders were agitating for admission of women doctors into the army.

We weren't so interested in getting women doctors into the army as in getting a few historical facts into their heads, showing that the "modern progressive world" was way behind the Catholic Church, centuries behind.

We prepared a short article and an Eastern newspaper columnist ran it verbatim. (It was originally ours so we don't need quotes.)

The suggestion that the Army commission women physicians is not as novel as it seems. Women physicians and nurses accompanied the knights on the

Crusades in the Middle Ages. To distinguish them from combatants (who wore a red cross) the medical corps, including doctors, nurses, nuns and knights, wore a white cross — the forerunner, as it were, of the modern Red Cross Society.

Throughout the Middle Ages, up to the time of the Reformation, the practice of medicine was open to women as well as men. They were admitted to most of the medical universities and were licensed under the same laws as men. Any woman with the required university training or license could become a practitioner.

Some women practitioners and teachers in the Middle Ages surpassed men. Trotula, a woman teacher at the University of Salerno about 1060, wrote a textbook on obstetrics which was the leading text at the time and continued in use for about 600 years.

Of the four outstanding medical authorities in the Twelfth Century, two were women — Hildegard, abbess of a monastery who attained sainthood, and Anna Commena, physician and chief of a large hospital in Constantinople. Historians of medicine group them with Moses Maimonides, a Jew, and Averroes, an Arab, who were famous in the fields of medicine in that century.

At one of the earliest dissections of the human body for medical study, a woman, Alessandria Giliani, assisted Mondino, the physiologist who was a teacher at the University of Bologna. Women continued active in medicine throughout the period of the Renaissance. The gradual withdrawal from the profession began when the universities were closed to women, after the Reformation.

We're not by this article advocating N.D. going co-ed—not at least as long as there are so many good girls colleges in existence.

But the present so-called need for "emancipation of women" just shows how cockeyed this present "modern, progressive world" is and also how it is centuries behind the Catholic Church, or better, behind Christ who not only emancipated woman from the slavery and degradation of Roman paganism but elevated her, raised her, way up on a pedestal by dignifying Mary as the model woman for virgins and mothers at the same time.

Women, misled by this cockeyed world, are stepping out and, mostly,

down, mind you, and are asking for "emancipation and equality" with men. They're stepping down and "demanding" an equal place with men at the bars, even in the gutters.

Let Notre Dame men encourage them to stay where they belong—way up on that pedestal where Mary is on the Dome. There is better vision up there, better air—and better companions.

## MOTHER HEROINES

Such is the title, "modern, progressive" Russia gives now to mothers of large families. (In such cases, we imagine, it's the man, or papa, who pays, and pays, and pays.)

Will our "social planners" who so admire Russia's social system adopt this program favoring large families or will they continue ignorantly, unscientifically and unpatriotically, to discourage large families as the product of "ignorant, unscientific and unpatriotic" parents?

In the October, 1943, Alumni Religious Bulletin we said: "Within our time, conditions will force an about-face and it will become not only moral but patriotic to have large families." Russia has beaten us to it.

We hope Russia isn't advocating large families to produce more "cannon fodder" for a future war (And our boys now fighting should have a voice in the peace arrangements to guarantee that their sons, many or few, won't be cannon fodder a few years from now.)

In any event, Russia is going to have a great potential army in 18-20 years by her emphasis on large families as patriotic.

Our America will be the victim then of unscientific, unpatriotic "Planned Parenthooders"—unless our America wises up and promotes larger families by stressing patriotism and science and also by providing favorable economic conditions and encouragement for larger families.

## LONG-TERM PROGRAM

There's a long-term program for alumni, with the thanks of your country and, above all, of Christ for your reward. Lay people must do it. Priests are not suitable promoters.

We know one mother of 11 children, wife of a Notre Dame man, who gives lectures to college and high school girls in the East on the joys of motherhood and large families. She is the best possible ad for and promoter for large families. One very able Washington, D. C., priest, after hearing her, suitably added: "All I can say is, we priests ought to step out of the pulpit and put Mrs. B. in."

# The Notre Dame Alumnus

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## 62 Veterans Attend N.D. Under G.I. Bill

**New Semester Opens Nov. 5 as Civilian Registration Rises to 936; V-12 Quota is Reduced to 1,107, Including N.R.O.T.C. Group.**

Sixty-two veterans of the present war were enrolled as students under the provisions of the G.I. Bill of Rights as the University began a new term on Nov. 5, continuing the accelerated three-term-per-year program which has prevailed locally since 1942.

Some of the student-veterans were discharged from the armed forces after experiencing actual, and often exciting and terrifying combat. Lt. George Meltzer, '41, (about whom there is late information under the 1941 news in this issue) was one of these. Other student-veterans were discharged after non-combat service. But the entire group make up a new and realistically "different" segment in the current life of Notre Dame.

(It should be stated here, for the immediate information of readers now in the armed forces, that full information

about the G.I. Bill of Rights, as it applies to Notre Dame, can be procured by writing a note to Rev. John J. Lane, C.S.C., director of the Office of Veterans Affairs, which was established on the campus some months ago. In an article in the October ALUMNUS, Father Lane described, in all the detail available, the workings of his new office.)

Civilian registration in the University was up 28 per cent this semester as compared with the semester which began last July: the figures are 936 and 730. Of the 936 which started this term, well over half—519—were freshmen in either their first semester or second semester of residence. There were 185 sophomores, 98 juniors, 100 seniors and law students, 27 graduate students, and seven part-time and special enrollees. As has been the case for several years past, students in considerable numbers

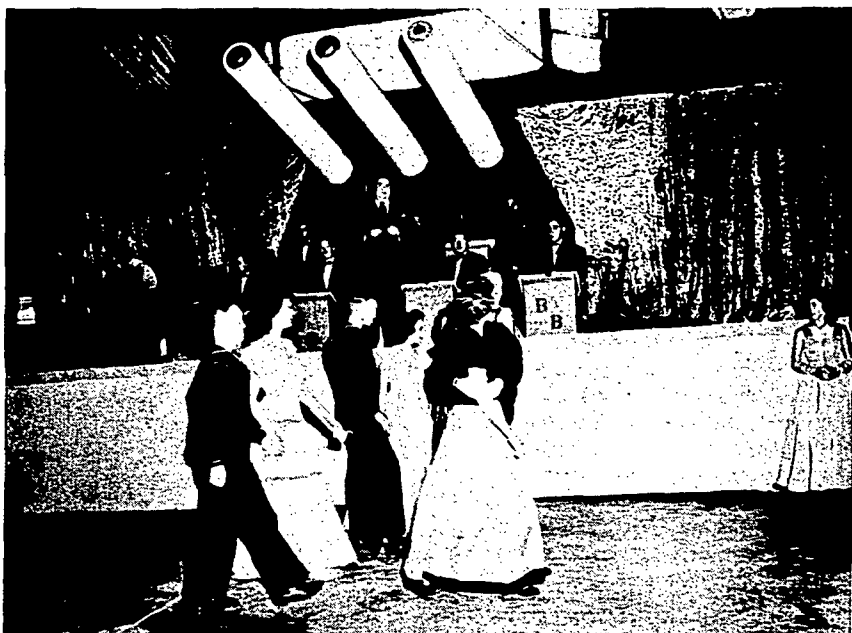
are leaving the campus each week at the call of their draft boards. The figures given, therefore, hold good only for the start of the current term.

Freshmen are this semester occupying Zahm and Cavanaugh halls, vacated by the Navy when its local V-12 program was reduced 40 per cent, effective Nov. 1. Freshmen continue in Breen-Phillips. Other civilian halls are Sorin, St. Edward's, and Carroll. Brownson, as was noted in an earlier ALUMNUS, is now partitioned off into University business offices for the use, to date, of the Office of Veterans Affairs, the Student Accounts' office, Board of Publications, and the General Publicity office. (Sports Publicity continues in the Athletic Offices in Breen-Phillips Hall).

The naval quota in the student body (including the NROTC contingent) is now 1,107. As you've read, the Marine detachment disappeared amid the 40 per cent V-12 cut. V-12 students are now housed in Alumni and Dillon halls only and the "R.O.'s" (considerably enlarged this term) continue in Walsh. The midshipmen continue to occupy Badin, Howard, Morrissey and Lyons.

A new V-12 executive officer "came aboard" early in this semester to succeed Capt. Walter S. Gabel, USNR, recently promoted and assigned to transport duty on the West Coast. The new "exec" is Lt. Cmdr. Clarke Olney, USNR, lately in charge of the V-12 unit at Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster, Pa.

Twenty-six seniors and 21 graduate students received their degrees at the convocation ceremonies in Washington Hall on Oct. 27, closing the July-October, 1944, semester. The convocation ended a day which had officially begun when the seniors assisted at a Mass in Sacred Heart Church, celebrated by Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., president. The tradi-



V-12 students dance in an appropriate setting in the Navy Drill Hall

tional seniors' last visit, conducted by Rev. Thomas Irving, C.S.C., followed, and then a Communion-breakfast in the Dining Hall, at which the seniors were the guests of the University. A reception for the graduates and their families was held in the Rockne Memorial at 4 p.m.

The feature of the convocation in the evening was the address of Clarence E. "Pat" Manion, dean of the College of Law.

Dean Manion, speaking on general, present-day educational systems, assailed the teaching philosophy that points out the "how" of things but not the morally important "why." He pointed out that the Notre Dame student goes out into the world not only with the "know how" but also the "know why."

"This is a time that runs strongly to action rather than words," Dean Manion said. "At such a time there is an ever-present danger that principles will be swallowed up by expediency. Like all other institutions, higher education runs that great risk today.

"There is no more destructive agency in all creation than a thoroughly demoralized and a thoroughly isolated 'know-how' on the loose and disconnected from its stabilizing and moralizing 'know-why'."

Dean Manion said: "In or out of uniform the Notre Dame man must do his learning always in his true perspective. The flat surface of chemical formulas, legal conclusions and historical facts are not enough for him. Whether the study is of law or literature, or economics or engineering, of politics or polemics, it is not enough that the student examine the flat surface of the subject. He must see it in relief. From this sort of education the Notre Dame man emerges not merely with the 'know-how' but also with the 'know-why.'"

"It was precisely the 'know-how' when isolated from the 'know-why' that started the materialistic stampede into World War II. The 'know-how' isolated from the 'know-why' reaches its climax in the robot bomb, the mass murder chamber and the death ray," he said.

Newest instructor in the Department of Aeronautical Engineering at the University is An-huh Shieh, of Kiangsu Province, China.

Mr. Shieh, who is now teaching Engine Vibrations and Aerodynamics at Notre Dame, came to the University from the Chinese Air Force, U.S.A. Office in Washington, D. C.

Graduate of Chaio Tung University, Shanghai, he entered the Chinese Air Force Technical school at the outbreak

# Lloyd Resigns; Three Promoted

Jones Named Business  
Manager of University

Francis W. Lloyd, comptroller of the University since September, 1932, has resigned his position at the University because of ill health, it was announced on November 29, by the Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., president, Mr. Lloyd's resignation takes effect December 15.

"Out of consideration for Frank Lloyd's health," said Father O'Donnell, "I am accepting his resignation. Naturally he will be missed here at the University where for twelve years in a most responsible capacity he has loyally placed his talents and valuable business experience at the disposal of Notre Dame. Altogether grateful for his past service, I wish him a renewal of health in the field of endeavor that he plans to enter."

Mr. Lloyd, who was born and educated in England, came to the United States from Liverpool when he was 23 years of age. He settled in New York and eventually became vice-president of the Commercial Investment Trust Co. there, before coming to Notre Dame.

It was also announced by Father O'Donnell that Herbert E. Jones, '27, business manager of athletics, has been promoted to the newly created position of business manager of the University, and that William J. Broderick, ex. '27, chief accountant, will become University comptroller. John P. Donnelly, '39, director of students' accounts, succeeds Mr. Jones as business manager of athletics, and Miss Anne Stroyna will become acting director of students' accounts. All appointments are effective on Dec. 15.

Mr. Jones, a native of Dixon, Ill., has been associated with Notre Dame for the past 23 years. Prior to his enrollment as a student, in 1923, he served in 1921-23 as secretary to Rev. James A. Burns, C. S. C., and to the Rev. Matthew Walsh, C.S.C., when each was presi-

dent of the University. During his four years as student, Mr. Jones worked part time in the athletic office and following his graduation in 1927, he became assistant business manager of athletics. During these years he was closely associated with Knute Rockne in the latter's varied activities. In 1940 Mr. Jones succeeded J. Arthur Haley, '26, as business manager of athletics, and he has become nationally known for his efficient work in connection with the success of the Notre Dame athletic association. Mr. Haley is director of public relations for the University.

Mr. Broderick, newly appointed comptroller, is a former resident of Indianapolis. He attended Notre Dame, but left in 1925 to assume a position with the Chapman-Price Steel Co., Indianapolis. In 1929 he transferred to the Continental Steel Co., of Kokomo, Ind., and left there in 1932 to take over new duties in the accounting office at Notre Dame. In 1940 he was made chief accountant of the University.

Mr. Donnelly, a native of Michigan City, Ind., has been identified with Notre Dame athletics since his student days. He was manager of the football team in 1937, his senior year at the University. Taking the combination six-year A. B.—law course, he received his LL.B. in 1940. Since that time he has held positions in the Department of Public Relations and as secretary to Frank Leahy, director of athletics. In July, 1943, he was appointed director of students' accounts at Notre Dame.

Replacing Mr. Donnelly as acting head of the student accounts' department is Miss Anne Stroyna of South Bend, who has been with the department for the past nine years. She has been assistant to Mr. Donnelly for the past year and a half.

Technology. Previous to joining the Chinese Air Force Office, he was employed by Lockheed Aircraft Corporation as an aerodynamicist.

Prof. Carl C. Wilcox, head of the Department of Mechanical Engineering, is back at his post following a leave of absence for special and highly significant work, in the interests of the national defense in the Yukon. A special story on Professor Wilcox appears elsewhere in this issue.

of the war against Japan, and there obtained an aeronautical background. Selected by the Sino-British Indemnity Funds Board in 1939 for advance work, he was assigned to England for further study. However, because of the European war, this was changed to Canada, and he entered the University of Toronto, in 1940. Here he received his M.S.

In the United States he has studied at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and the California Institute of

# Father Carrico Dies on November 21

Had Spent Nearly All His Priestly Life on Notre Dame Campus as Teacher and Administrator; Father Eugene Burke Delivers Funeral Eulogy.

Rev. J. Leonard Carrico, C.S.C., Litt. B. '03, Ph.D., director of studies at Notre Dame since 1930, died Tuesday evening, Nov. 21. He was buried from Sacred Heart church on Friday, Nov. 24. Father Carrico, who was 62, died in the students' infirmary after an illness of several months. He was born in Raywick, Ky., and educated in St. Mary's College in that state before entering Notre Dame.

Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., president of Notre Dame, celebrated the Solemn Requiem Mass, and was assisted by Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., vice-president, as deacon. Rev. J. Howard Kenna, C.S.C., was sub-deacon, and Rev. Leo R. Gorman, C.S.C., was master of ceremonies.

One of the key figures in the University administration over a period of years, Father Carrico spent his entire teaching career on the Notre Dame campus, except for a brief period in the early twenties when he was assigned to administrative work at St. Edward's University in Texas.

Following his ordination in Washington in 1908, Father Carrico returned to Notre Dame to become a teaching member of the Department of English. In 1913 he became dean of the College of Arts and Letters, a position he held until 1923, when he was named head of the English Department. In 1930 Father Carrico became director of studies at the University and served in that capacity until his death. For many years he was also chairman of the committee on graduate studies.

Father Carrico is survived by three brothers: James of Lakeville, Ind.; Alwin, Louisville; and Elbert, Kalamazoo, Mich.

The Alumni Association can think of no more fitting manner of expressing its great sense of loss than reprinting this brief but appropriate eulogy, "A Good and Faithful Servant," delivered by Rev. Eugene P. Burke, C.S.C.:

*Trade till I come.* Luke XIX, 13.

"During these days of war, death has become a more than usually familiar fact. Its shadow has spread across the country from one ocean to the other. There is no smallest hamlet that has not

felt its chill; that has not sat like Rachel 'weeping for her children and would not be comforted, because they are no more.' And the tears have been bitter because they were for the young; for men of promise and hope, cut down before they could gather the first sheaf of a full harvest. Yet the weeping of a Christian people is never as of one who has no hope. For with God 'a thousand years are as a day, and a day as a thousand years.' And through the merits of



REV. J. LEONARD CARRICO, C.S.C.

the death of His Son, He has given to man that divine alchemy of grace which can transform the commonest actions of his day into a treasure which neither moth nor rust can consume or thieves break through and steal.

"But man must be a 'doer of the word and not a hearer only,' if his years, few or many, are to be profitable for heaven. There is no place in God's plan of salvation for the spiritual idler; for the drifter. 'Why stand you here all the day idle' was a reproach to men. 'Go ye into my vineyard, and I will give you what is just.' But for 'every idle word that man shall speak he shall render an account.' For the kingdom of heaven is like to a nobleman who went into a far country to obtain for himself a kingdom and then return. And having summoned ten of his servants, he gave them ten gold pieces and said to them, 'Trade till I come.' Now, my dear friends, those young men, many of whom we are proud to call 'our boys,' who after so short a life, 'died in action,' but whose action was done with the grace and love of God

in their hearts, were not found empty handed; for God has made them usurers with His grace, and the tramp of their marching feet, every deed on sea or in the air, has paid eternal dividends when their books were reckoned up.

"Father Leonard Carrico 'died in action.' For nearly forty years he has been about His Father's business, trading until the Master should return and ask an accounting. You might write his epitaph in the phrase—'Good and faithful servant.' He was ever that. His life as a priest has been spent in the service of others. As a teacher, as rector of 'Old College' where he was affectionately dubbed 'Daddy' Carrico, and as director of studies, he gave all his best for others. He mingled less with the world than almost anyone on the campus. I doubt if he had ever preached a sermon in South Bend, or gave a commencement address, or attended a convention, though he always spoke with distinction; and while thousands of alumni who came under his influence at the University will regret his going, his name is hardly known outside these academic circles.

"I believe there was more written about him in Wednesday evening's paper than appeared about him all the time of his academic life. This is as he wanted it. For him his job—whatever it was—assumed the importance of a grave religious duty, and whatever sacrifices were necessary to fulfill it as perfectly as he could, he made them gladly. He lived in the shadow, but he shed light about him. And for this God blessed him by sparing him from the honor of religious superior that he might never lose the glory and the joy of the man in the ranks, the servant rather than the master; the subject who obeyed rather than the superior who ruled. In his honest wisdom, I know he appreciated what a blessing that was, and was happy for it.

"Father Carrico was a man of high intellectual ideals. For a quarter of a century he was a kind of watchdog of our academic standards. I can remember him long before he became director of studies, as a young professor arguing vehemently in faculty meetings against any proposal that seemed to be a letting down, even in a little way, our academic

standards. And to the very end, he guarded them jealously.

"If I might pick out one virtue that shone in him more brightly than others I should say it was his passionate love for honesty and fairness. Perhaps it was that natural respect of the Southerner for a man's honor, which he had supernaturalized. But it shone in all he did and said. He could forgive the weaknesses of men, because they were weaknesses; but he was intolerant to dishonesty and unfairness, because he saw in them, perhaps, not a weakness, but an intellectual power deliberately misused. He had a hearty contempt for every form of sham and insincerity.

"There was something Lincolnian, too, in his love for the common man—the laborer and the farmer and the fisherman. Maybe it was an elemental honesty he saw in them. I believe, at least in his earlier days, he knew more workmen on the campus—carpenters, painters, and electricians—than anyone else did and enjoyed their company and their talk. He could sit in at an academic meeting and lend light and wisdom to the discussion; but he could sit on a rail fence, too, and talk crops with a farmer, and like it—and the farmer liked it too, for the common bond of interest and sympathy it discovered. He was tender in his affection for his family, and kindly and sympathetic with all who worked with him. They will miss his kind and cheering word, when the monotony of their office work becomes more than usually trying. Commencement at Notre Dame without Father Carrico will be strange indeed.

"But this is his last commencement. And unusual it is that he should bring up the rear of the procession, the place of honor. He finished his course *maxima cum laude*; and the citation of his honors briefer and more inclusive, perhaps, than any he had written. 'Well done, good and faithful servant.' Let us, my friends, follow him with the applause of our prayers to the gates of heaven, that he may speedily enter into the joy of His Lord, where there is laid up for him a crown of glory which the Lord, the just Judge, will render to him in that day. May his soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen."

### BDOther JUST DIES

Brother Just, C.S.C., 51, a worker on the University's St. Joseph Farm, died on Nov. 20 after a four-week illness. Brother was born as Robert Limbert. He took the habit on Feb. 2, 1924, and was professed Feb. 3, 1928.

## Notre Dame Books

Included in the recently published *Five Young American Poets, 1944*, is the work of John Frederick Nims, '37, assistant professor of English at Notre Dame.

Mr. Nims was co-winner of the Fiske Prize for Poetry at the University of Chicago in 1940. In 1942 he won *Poetry Magazine's* Harriet Monroe Memorial Award, and in 1943 the Guarantor's Prize.

In his theory of poetry preceding his selections, Mr. Nims says:

"The limits of poetry, for me, are not determined by faddist dogma nor critical smalltalk nor the smooth opinion of professors. The limits of poetry are the limits of life itself. . . Any aspect of reality, however common—plane-crash or poolroom or the fall of a wave—can be God's word for terror or loneliness or exaltation. . . .

"My preoccupation is not with the surface shimmer of the world, but with the deeper penetration, the *meno altrove*. Such an interest is likely to result in poetry at times rough and angry, a poetry that will not sound well in college parlor nor on the tongues of school-marms. I don't care. Honesty is the poet's only virtue; he cannot serve God and the mammon-public with its white and sissie ears."

Mr. Nims, native of Muskegon, Mich., is now completing a Ph.D. in Comparative Literature at the University of Chicago.

*Five Young American Poets, 1944*, is the third book of the series, and is published by New Directions, Norfolk, Conn. Other poets whose work appears in the volume are Eve Merriam, Jean Garrigue, Tennessee Williams and Alejandro Carrion.

*King of the Pygmies*, by Rev. Thomas A. Lahey, C.S.C., '06, Saint Anthony Guild Press, Paterson, N. J. \$2.

Here is another of Father Tom Lahey's beautifully written stories for boys (and I suppose the modern young girl is not above a vicarious thrill through the same channel). It has Father Lahey's rare gift of presenting an active, engrossing story for teenagers which embodies a strong Catholicity and a rich pattern of education without hampering the entertainment.

The story revolves around the adventures of a Brooklyn lad who goes to Africa to join his father, who hunts animals for zoos. Shipwreck, natives, pygmies, cannibals, combine in rapid suc-

cession to provide a book without a dull chapter.

Father Lahey, associate editor of *The Ave Maria*, is no novice in this field. "Classic Children's Story Sermons," "God's Heroes," "God's Workers," and "God's Wonder-World," have brought his same deft touch to popularize subjects once buried under the dust of dogmatic teaching. Father Lahey's "Morals of Newspaper Making" impressed a much more adult and skeptical public.

Late in October a very readable as well as scholarly book, *The History of the New Deal*, by Basil Rauch, '29, was published. (Creative Age Press, New York, \$2.50.)

First of a two volume set, it covers the Franklin Roosevelt administration from 1933 to 1938, which period the author divides into the "First New Deal, 1933-1935," and the "Second New Deal, 1935-1938." The first he sees as a recovery-policy era of economic nationalism and scarcity economics, with aid for big business and the farmer. The second is a "reform" era of social legislation, support of labor and growing internationalism.

Vividly yet with careful documentation Rauch re-paints the picture of the economic despair and chaos of late 1932 and early 1933 and the efforts of Congress and the President to bring about better days through experimentation and attempted reform. By rather scrupulously avoiding partisanship, the author succeeds in giving us a lively analysis of one of the most critical periods since the Civil War, and makes the reader look forward to the forthcoming second volume which will treat of 1938 and after.

Rauch, brother of Professor Rufus Rauch of our Department of English, taught history at Barnard College following graduate studies at Yale and Columbia. On leave for the duration, he is now Lt. Basil Rauch, USNR, on the faculty of the Naval Academy, Annapolis. His 368-page book will be an addition to the library of any alumnus. (Publisher's address, 11 East 44th St., New York 17, N. Y.)—J. H. Sheehan

*Frank Leahy and the Fighting Irish*, by Arch Ward.

The ALUMNUS has not yet received a copy of this book, but its title and author make it an alumni natural. (G. P. Putnam's Sons, 2 W. 45th St. N. Y. 19, N. Y. \$2.75.)

# Prof. C. C. Wilcox Directs Pipeline Project

Head of Mechanical Engineering Department Returns to Notre Dame After Supervising 1,400-Mile Construction.

Returning to Notre Dame in November from Canada's Yukon territory, was Carl C. Wilcox, head of the University's Department of Mechanical Engineering. For the past two years Mr. Wilcox had been on leave of absence engaged in directing the Canol project—laying more than 1,400 miles of pipeline in conjunction with the Alaskan highway project.

Mr. Wilcox has been active in the American Society of Mechanical Engineers for many years, and has been prominently identified with many of the world's largest engineering projects during the past 25 years. As chief engineer for J. Gordon Turnbull & Parcel and Sverdrup, engineers for the Canol project, he constructed a pipeline which stands equal in engineering importance with the Alaska highway. Both have been considered as contributing tremendously to development of the last frontier, the Yukon territory.

A portion of Mr. Wilcox's problem was that of laying a pipeline and building a road through 600 miles of sub-arctic wilderness from Norman Wells to Whitehorse and at the same time keeping 3,000 barrels of crude oil flowing smoothly through the vast stretch of pipe under wide variations of temperature and terrain. Work was begun in 1942 when the 35th Engineering Regiment started construction of the Canol road during one of the coldest winters on record in the northwest. Laying of the pipe was begun almost simultaneously at the north end of the road at Norman Wells, only 60 miles from the Arctic circle.

In a recent statement to the press Mr. Wilcox explained the difficulties encountered in the project, and the means used to overcome them: "Many troublesome problems demanding individual treatment were confronted in carrying the pipeline across the many rivers between the oil wells at Norman and the refinery at Whitehorse. The first of these, and one which is worthy of a story on its own account, was the laying of several miles of pipeline under the Mackenzie river to conduct oil from the north bank to the beginning of the pipeline proper on the south bank. In addition to this crossing, which was a major undertaking, there were, in the 600 miles between the Mackenzie river and White-

horse approximately 100 other streams, large and small, which had to be crossed by the pipeline.

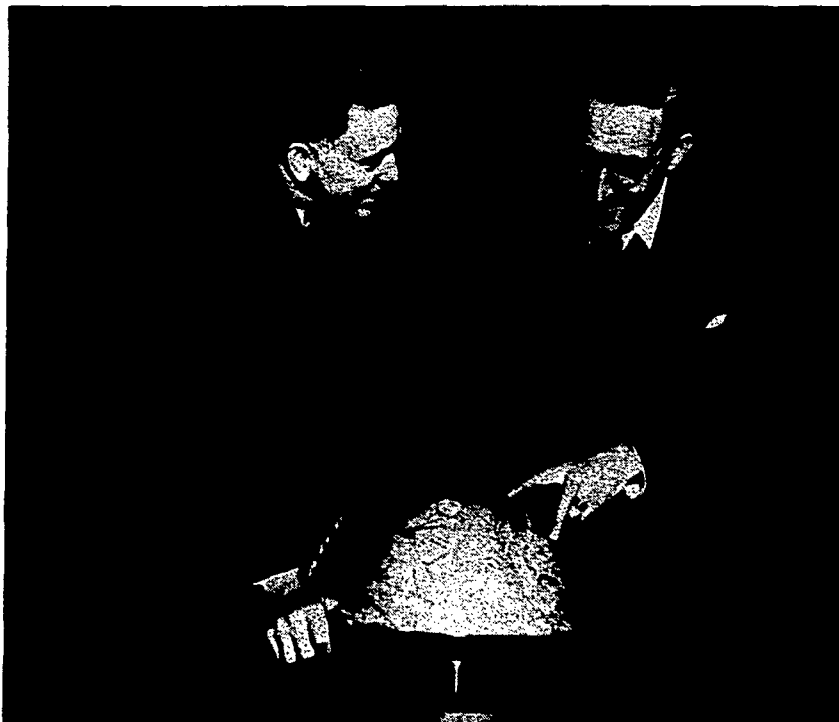
"Some of these were crossed by trenching the pipeline in the bed of the river. Others were crossed by laying the pipe on the bridge at the road crossing, while the one at the Pely river called for the construction of a suspension bridge having 90 foot steel towers, and a 700 foot span."

Dedication of the refining of petroleum products, celebrated April 30 at the Whitehorse refinery, marked completion of 22 months of effort by architect engineers, contractors, division and district personnel. On a spot where two years ago there was nothing but snow and ice, there is now one of the most important junctions of the northwest, where the Canol road meets the 1,523 miles of Alaska highway. A taking off place for the road to Tokyo, this Yukon junction has been called a strategic link in the allied drive to victory.

In addition to the 600 mile pipeline

extending from Norman Wells to Whitehorse, through which crude oil is pumped, oil, refined at Carcross, is sent for miles on different routes—also built under direction of Mr. Wilcox. From Whitehorse to Fairbanks, Alaska; from Carcross to Skagway; and from Carcross to Watson Lake stretch pipelines through which life blood of our northern defenses is pumped.

Another name synonymous with great engineering feats of the northwest is that of Big. Gen. J. A. O'Connor, a former Notre Dame student, who supervised construction of the southern sector of the Alaska highway. Whitehorse, northernmost service command established by the United States Army, was his headquarters for the job. A Notre Dame student in 1902-03, he was later graduated from West Point. Overseas with the 39th and 78th divisions in World War I, General O'Connor was in charge of tunneling Corregidor when that fortress was built in the Philippines, and has headed many Army engineering projects in the United States.



Carl C. Wilcox (right), head of the Department of Mechanical Engineering, tells Raymond J. Schubmehl, acting dean of the College of Engineering, about those all-important pipelines in the Yukon for the construction of which Professor Wilcox was recently the chief engineer.



# T. A. Beacom '20, New Trustee

Trustee Officers Re-elected;  
Finance Committee Named.



THOMAS A. BEACOM, JR., '20

The autumn meeting of the Associate Board of Lay Trustees of the University was held on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 17 and 18, on the campus. Sixteen men met with the president, Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., to consider investments of University funds, and to discuss measures for increasing endowment, and post-war problems of the University.

The sessions began on Friday afternoon at 2:30 in the Rockne Memorial Lounge, at which time Father O'Donnell spoke to the board, outlining certain post-war plans, as recommended by Notre Dame's Committee on Post-War Problems. Resolutions pertaining to investments and the increase in endowments were drawn up, and presented to J. Arthur Haley, director of public relations at the University. The meeting was marked by a sympathetic understanding of, and consideration for, the particular problems facing the University at the present time.

After the discussions, the board elected a new member to replace the late George O'Brien, choosing Thomas A. Beacom, Jr., vice-president of the First National Bank of Chicago. Mr. Beacom was graduated from Notre Dame in 1920, and from the Harvard School of Law in 1923. He has been active in the Chicago Community Fund for many years, and is a former president of the Economic Club of Chicago. He and his wife,

and two children, live in Winnetka, Chicago suburb.

The board re-elected Byron V. Kanaley, of Chicago, as its president; Peter C. Reilly, of Indianapolis, vice-president; and C. Roy McCanna, Burlington, Wis., treasurer. Mr. Kanaley appointed E. M. Morris, of South Bend, as chairman of the finance committee. Mr. McCanna is a member of the committee by virtue of his office as board treasurer. Other members appointed were John C. Tully, LaGrange, Ill., William J. Corbett, Chicago, and Bernard J. Voll, of South Bend.

A luncheon in the trustees' dining hall preceded the meeting. In the evening, a dinner was served. On Saturday afternoon, board members and their wives were the guests of Father O'Donnell at the Northwestern-Notre Dame game on the campus.

George W. Strake, Houston, and I. A. O'Shaughnessy, St. Paul, attended their first board meeting. Other members who were present included: Edward J. Doyle, Chicago; John J. O'Brien, South Bend; Mr. Reilly; Mr. Voll; Joseph A. LaFortune, Tulsa; Mr. Corbett; Walter Ducan, LaSalle, Ill.; Mr. McCanna; Mr. Kanaley; Terence Cosgrove, Los Angeles; Mr. Tully; Charles T. Fisher, Detroit; John H. Neeson, Philadelphia, and Mr. Morris.

## SECOND FUND CLOSING

On Dec. 31 the Second Annual Alumni Fund will close. There has been, as frequently reported in the ALUMNUS, encouraging response, but nothing about which we can be too proud. In proportion to the benefits which Notre Dame can derive from this alumni support, we should be somewhat chagrined at the lack of participation by alumni, even more than by the nominal amount contributed (with the exception of several generous gifts which brought both total and average up).

If you haven't sent in a contribution, send it quickly before the 473 competing appeals, of which we are very conscious, wipe out that budget.



## Christmas Greetings

For thousands of alumni, and alumni families, there are, this Christmas, the material obstacles of war and suffering, of hard work which permits no holiday, of absence that is mutually sorrowing.

But for those same men and those same families of theirs, Christmas is still the day on which the Prince of Peace was born to the Queen of Peace.

It is in the spirit of that Christmas that we wish you its blessings, with the added hope that the New Year will bring with it restoration and increase of happiness by the will of God.

The Alumni Office



Two of the newer lay trustees, I. A. O'Shaughnessy (left), St. Paul, and George W. Strake, Houston, confer with Father Hugh O'Donnell, president, at the annual fall meeting of the trustees on Nov. 24. This was the first trustees' meeting for both Mr. O'Shaughnessy and Mr. Strake.

# Notre Dame Men Are Leaders in NCCS

**36 Former Students Have Key Positions in Providing Service Each Month for Six Million Members of the Armed Forces.**

BY DANIEL CULHANE, '23\*

From the Aleutians to the malarial jungles of India, Notre Dame men are performing valorous deeds on the fields of battle. Behind reports of their "conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity at the risk of their lives above and beyond the call of duty," lie untold sacrifices that our



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boys have made in answering the call of their country. Notre Dame is proud of its sons, who, by their courage, have reflected glory upon their Alma Mater.

Not only on the field of battle, but also on the home front, Notre Dame men are directing their efforts toward speeding

\* Daniel Culhane, program director of the National Catholic Community Service, was graduated from Notre Dame in 1923 with a bachelor of philosophy degree, and in 1926 received his master's degree in education and boy guidance from the Graduate School. A zealous worker in behalf of supervised youth programs, Mr. Culhane has been a leader in this field for almost 20 years. He served as director of boys' activities for the Union League Foundation for Boys' Clubs in Chicago for many years and was also director of the Chicago Boys' Clubs, supervising and promoting educational and recreational programs for thousands of Chicago's young men. As program director of NCCS since 1941, Mr. Culhane is in charge of promoting varied club activities for more than 6,000,000 servicemen, servicewomen and war production workers who visit NCCS clubs monthly. Active in many social welfare organizations, he is a member of the Board of Trustees of the National Catholic School of Social Service in Washington, D. C.

the day of victory. One of the many patriotic home front organizations in which they are serving is the National Catholic Community Service, a USO member agency, which has called upon 36 Notre Dame men to assume key positions.

NCCS, as the organization is familiarly known, operates more than 500 USO clubs throughout the country for servicemen, servicewomen and war production workers, regardless of race or creed. In addition to the clubs in this country, clubs for servicemen and servicewomen are operated by NCCS affiliates in Rome, Florence, Naples, Cairo and Suva, Fiji Islands. Designated in 1940 as the official agency of the Catholic Church to meet the spiritual, social, recreational and educational needs growing out of World War II, NCCS provides unstinted service to approximately 6,000,000 guests who visit its clubs monthly.

Fully cognizant of the fact that spiritual help to the fighting forces is as important to their salvation as material weapons, NCCS aids in the work of Army and Navy chaplains by arranging field Masses and Communion breakfasts, and by providing a wide assortment of religious articles for distribution to members of the armed forces. In this capacity, NCCS, through its Program



DANIEL CULHANE

Department and Religious Consultant, works in close cooperation with Notre Dame's former president, His Excellency John F. O'Hara, C.S.C., of the Military Ordinariate. To date, approximately 26 million religious articles have been distributed to those in the armed forces, both



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here and abroad. The total includes over two and a half million rosaries, over seven hundred thousand scapular medals, three million missals, and thousands of assorted pamphlets, medals and prayer books.

Because of their extensive experience in the field of planned recreation and social welfare work, former Notre Dame men now serving with the organization have been able to contribute much toward making the war service record of NCCS an outstanding one that will long be remembered after our victory is won.

Prominent among the Notre Dame alumni who have been affiliated with NCCS is Frank E. Cane, a member of the graduate class of '33, who served as acting director until last month. Mr. Cane formerly served as field secretary and later assistant executive director of the Knights of Columbus Life Bureau, and as an instructor of the Knights of Columbus Group Leadership Schools, conducted courses at leading Catholic

universities throughout the country. As acting director of NCCS, Mr. Cane brought to his work wide experience in the organization's and USO activities, from many successful months spent as regional supervisor for the states of California, Washington, Oregon, Arizona and Nevada.

His duties as head of the organization have been assumed by another former Notre Dame man, James S. Mitchell, director of field operations. Mr. Mitchell, who did post-graduate work in Boy Guidance in the Graduate School in 1926, joined the staff of NCCS in 1942 as a club director in San Diego, Calif. An alumnus of St. Thomas College in Scranton, Pa. (now the University of Scranton) Mr. Mitchell has had almost 20 years experience in the field of social work.

One of Notre Dame's greatest football stars, Forrest G. Cotton, class of '23, is serving as regional supervisor of NCCS clubs located in four eastern states and in the nation's capital. Mr. Cotton, who has the distinction of being the first club director employed by NCCS, has been with the organization since 1941. Before joining the staff, he served successively as athletic coach at St. Ambrose in Davenport, Ia., and as assistant football coach at Catholic University in Washington, D. C.

Another Notre Dame alumnus, affiliated with NCCS, is Francis J. McGahren, class of '34, who is assistant to the director of field operations at headquarters in Washington, D. C. He has been affiliated with NCCS since 1941, when he joined the organization as a club director in Petersburg, Va. Mr. McGahren, who received a Ph.D. degree from Columbia University, where he specialized in group work, formerly served as supervisor of the Catholic Youth Organization for the Catholic Charities in the diocese of Brooklyn, N. Y. While director of the USO club in Petersburg he organized a "Notre Dame Club" for more than 50 Notre Dame alumni, who were stationed at nearby army posts and naval bases. Many similar alumni groups have been organized in other USO-NCCS clubs near large military installations.

Philip J. Carey, who attended Notre Dame in 1937, is regional supervisor attached to the Chicago NCCS regional office. Joining the organization in 1941 as a club director, he now supervises USO clubs in the middle west. Another former Notre Dame man, Terrence Halloran, familiar to the campus from 1927 to 1929, is regional supervisor for the West Coast, with offices in San Francis-

co. Mr. Halloran, like Mr. Carey, joined the staff of NCCS in 1941.

Serving in supervisory capacities also, have been Joseph P. Hill, '29, Edmund Radzuk, '31, C. Glynn Fraser, '34, and Vincent J. Little, '36.

A large number of Notre Dame alumni are serving as USO-NCCS club directors in various sections throughout the country. Theirs is the job of providing "A Home Away From Home" to the thousands of uniformed guests who avail themselves of the clubs' services weekly. From arranging a sightseeing



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tour for a group of servicemen to finding living quarters for a GI's newly-arrived wife, USO-NCCS directors stand ready to serve. Under their supervision varied club programs, from religious exercises to wild-west rodeos—from wiener roasts to classes in law and calculus, are offered to all those whom NCCS is privileged to welcome into its clubs.

Notre Dame graduates serving as NCCS directors, and the cities in which they are located, are Rodney Shaughnessy, '24, Champaign, Ill.; Charles W. Martin, '27, Lebanon, Pa.; Austin J. Holland, '28, Falmouth, Mass.; William A. Butler, '29, Laurel, Miss.; Robert A. Golden, '32, Patchogue, N. Y.; John H. Clark, '34, Sharon, Pa.; and George L. Haithcock, '39, Tullahoma, Tenn. Other graduates who have been affiliated with NCCS as directors include William F. Greavy, '24, Philip J. Coyle, '29, John E. Ryan, '32, William A. Brooks, '34, Albert G. Phaneuf, '34, and Louis J. Reilly, '40.

Former students now serving as NCCS club directors, are Thomas E. Hopkins who attended Notre Dame from '26 to '28, who is in charge of the club in Mont-

gomery, Ala.; William J. Knowles, '27, Kansas City, Mo.; Charles J. Vaughan, '29, to '32, Rockford, Ill.; George A. Barber, '38, Morganfield, Ky.; James M. Maloney, '39, Ypsilanti, Mich.; and Robert A. Van Kirk, '39, Battle Creek, Mich.

Those who have served in the past with NCCS as club directors include Maurice T. Andrews, '15, Thomas A. Riley, '22 to '23, Cleve W. Carey, '33, Joseph G. Graham and Gerard A. Purcell, both of whom attended Notre Dame in 1935, and Lacy P. Zenner, '39 to '42.

With increasing numbers of wounded servicemen and discharged veterans coming home, there is a real opportunity for Notre Dame men to render a worthwhile service to these returning heroes by helping them to make a normal adjustment to civilian life. Along with the most scientific medical care being administered to our boys, trained hospital workers are doing exceptional work in developing their spirit. It is up to us, who will meet more and more of these discharged veterans in our every-day contacts, to help them maintain their high morale and self-confidence.

We must remember that the returning serviceman does not want sympathy and we must guard against misdirected kindness, which, so often, can undo in a very few minutes all the good done for these men in government hospitals. The returning hero does want an opportunity to become a self-supporting, self-reliant citizen, and it is our job to make sure that he gets it. In helping him to resume his normal place in the community, we should encourage his association with civilian friends and participation in civilian groups known to him before he entered the service. We must work with him to see that opportunity for employment is his—and this indicates our readiness and ability to refer him to the proper agencies and organizations now being established to care for his particular needs.

### MIDSHIPMEN CLASS FINISHES

Graduation and commissioning ceremonies for the sixth class of midshipmen to finish at the Notre Dame Naval Reserve Midshipmen School were conducted in the Navy Drill Hall on Oct. 26. Vice Admiral Randall Jacobs, chief of the Bureau of Naval Personnel, Washington, D. C., was the chief speaker for the occasion.

The seventh class of midshipmen began their four-month training period in early November. Most of the newcomers came from V-12 training programs at various schools throughout the country.

## ADDITIONAL SERVICE MEN \*

SPECIAL NOTE: Space restrictions make it necessary to print in this issue only a portion of the names of "additional service men" on file in the Alumni Office.

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former Notre Dame students are, or have lately been, in the armed forces in World War II according to Alumni Office records as of Nov. 15, 1944.

Abell, Welton R., ex. '47, Pfc., USMC, Co. B. Plt. 1, O. C. Bn. Schools Regt., T.C., F.M.F., Camp LeJeune, N. C.

Adams, Richard W., ex. '48, S 2/c, Box 7, U. S. Sub Base, New London, Conn.

Anderson, Leroy W., ex. '48, S 2/c, Bks. G-7, Co. D-1, Crew No. 2641, Sec. 2, N.T.C., Gulfport, Miss.

Andrews, Wallace J., ex. '47, Midshipmen School, 820 Tower Court, Room 803, Chicago, Ill.

Bach, Robert H., ex. '46, Midshipmen, 621-A, Johnson Hall, Columbia University Midshipmen School, N. Y. C.



Ens. Norbert J. Ellrott, ex. '41  
(His death was reported in the October "Alumnus")

Bellinger, James E., Jr., '42, Pvt. 2nd A. Ord., Inspection Team "C", Camp Campbell, Ky.

Bennett, Vernon B., ex. '46, Midshipmen School, Tower Hall, Chicago, Ill.

Benning, Richard F., '44, Ens., N.T.S. (1), Hollywood Beach Hotel, Hollywood, Fla.

Berns, Raymond J., ex. '47, Midshipmen School, Johnson Hall, New York 27.

\* 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 overseas 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 service 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.

Besenfelder, James J., ex. '46, Midshipmen School, Johnson Hall, New York 27.

Bienkowski, Stanley J., ex. '47, Midshipmen School, John Jay Hall, New York 27.

Birkholz, Rudolph E., ex. '48, Pvt., USMC, Co. A, 5th Trng. Bn., Camp LeJeune, N. C.

Black, Darrell L., ex. '47, Pfc., USMC, Co. E, 1st Plt., O. C. Bn. School Regt., T.C., F.M.F., Camp LeJeune, N. C.

Blackmun, William H., ex. '47, Bldg. 2554, C.R.T.C., Troop B, 2nd Regt., Fort Riley, Kan.

Blasio, Dominic, ex. '48, S 2/c, U. S. Navy Gun Capt., Co. A-1-Bks. G-4, USNTC, A.G.S., Gulfport, Miss.



Lt. John P. Denney, Jr., '42  
(His death was reported in the October "Alumnus")

Cahill, John D., ex. '46, Midshipman, Sec. 6, Notre Dame, Ind.

Cain, Max G., ex. '48, S 2/c, c/o FPO, San Francisco, Calif.

Callahan, Clinton, C., Jr., ex. '47, A/S, Co. C, Plt. 1, Univ. of Rochester, Rochester, N. Y.

Callahan, Thomas H., '38, Lt. (jg), c/o FPO, San Francisco, Calif.

Calovich, Francis J., Jr., ex. '48, S 1/c, c/o FPO, N. Y. C.

Danehy, Paul E., ex. '48, S 2/c, c/o FPO, San Francisco.

Daner, James C., '40.

Daniels, George W., ex. '48, S 2/c, A.M.M., 14-A-Bks. 42, N.A.T.T.C., Norman, Okla.

Dauphine, Neil M., ex. '48, S 1/c, Bks. 29-c, USNAS, Peru, Ind.

Debitetto, Francis J., ex. '46, Midshipmen School, 820 Tower Court, Chicago.

DeGabriele, Vernon F., ex. '47, A/S, Co. C, V-12 Unit, University of Rochester, Rochester 3, N. Y.

Del Camp, Michael S., ex. '47, USNROTC, Bks. 19, Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill.

Detweiler, Paul B., ex. '47, S 2/c, Co. 1512, O.G.U., USNTS, Great Lakes, Ill.

Esser, Carl F., '35, Ens., c/o FPO, N. Y. C.

Evans, John E., ex. '47, S 2/c, Bks. 503, LS-S-8-1, Eervice Schools Com., USNTC, Great Lakes, Ill.

Evans, John M., ex. '47, S 2/c, A.O.M. School, Bks. 23, G 17 DD, Naval Air Technical Training Center, Memphis 15, Tenn.

Elison, Allen G., ex. '47, S 2/c, Hampden-Sydney College, Hampden-Sydney, Va.

Ellerbe, James E., ex. '48, Bks. 48, R9G, N.A.-T.C., Memphis, Tenn.

Engelhorn, Ray D., ex. '47, Pfc., USMC, Co. C, 6th Plt., O. C. Bn., Schools Regt., T.C., F.M.F., Camp LeJeune, N. C.

Friese, Richard R., ex. '48, S 2/c, 765-39-92, A.T.B., Wel. Rec. Hall, Little Creek, Va.

Fritz, Edward G., ex. '47, S 1/c, Co. 4L-45, USNTS, Wright Junior College, Chicago.

Furman, John R., ex. '47, USMC.

Friedman, Paul H., ex. '47, S 2/c, Camp Bradford, Norfolk 11, Va.

Foley, James J., '41, 1st Lt., Medical Corps, U.S. Army.

Foley, Thomas A., ex. '45, S 1/c, P. O. Box 7, Submarine Base, New London, Conn.

Gabarda, Lawrence R., ex. '47, A/S, Co. E, Crosby Hall, Navy V-12 Unit, University of Rochester, Rochester 3, N. Y.

Gallagher, James B., '31, c/o FPO, N.Y.C.

Gallagher, Thomas J., Jr., ex. '47, A/S, Co. 1792, 29 Regt., 52nd Bat., Great Lakes, Ill.

Gauselin, Edwin A., '33, Lt. (jg) c/o FPO, San Francisco.

Geddes, John J., '32, Lt. (jg).

Gero, John B., '41, Ens., c/o FPO, San Francisco.

Guinan, Mark C., ex. '47, A/S, Medical Student, 706 S. Wolcott, Chicago.



Lt. William R. Wright, ex. '42  
(His death was reported in the October "Alumnus")

Guion, Joseph E., ex. '47, S 2/c, Sec. S10-1, Bks. 503 L.P., Ser. Sch. Command, USNTC, Great Lakes, Ill.

Gunnion, Ralph A., ex. '47, F 1/c, c/o FPO, N. Y. C.

Hackman, Richard Joseph, ex. '44, Sgt., c/o Postmaster, N. Y. C.

Huston, Meredith E., ex. '48, S 2/c, Sec. 610-5, 405 LP, Service Schools Command, USNTC, Great Lakes, Ill.

Hutchison, Jerome O., ex. '48, S 2/c, Sec. 1-10-1, Bks. 506, L.P., Service School Command, USNTC, Great Lakes, Ill.

Hald, Gunnar Carl, ex. '47, Pfc., USMC, Co. B, Plt. 3, School Bn., T.C., F.M.F., O.C.Bat., Camp LeJeune, N. C.

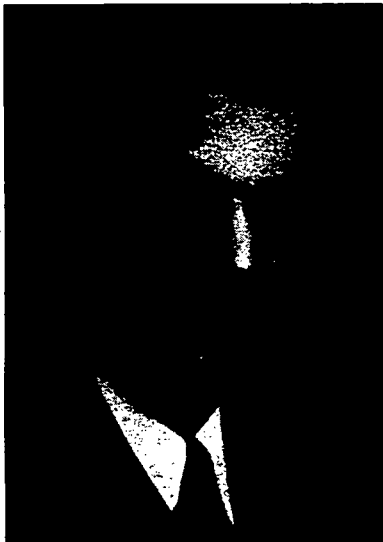
Hanlon, Thomas F., ex. '47, S 2/c, c/o FPO, N. Y. C.

Hannah, George S., ex. '47, Medical Student, V-12, University of California, 2519 Ridge Road (B), Berkeley, Calif.

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## Spotlight Alumni

**HENRY F. BARNHART, '23**, is the new vice-president in charge of the Shovel and Crane Division of the Lima Locomotive Works, Lima, Ohio, having been promoted from a position as manager of the Shovel and Crane Division.



HENRY F. BARNHART, '23

Following a campus career of unusual accomplishment—the grand knighthip of Notre Dame Council, Knights of Columbus, was just one of his many activities—Henry remained at Notre Dame for a year to teach English and receive his M.A.

He joined the Lima organization in 1928 as assistant sales manager. In 1936 he was made general sales manager of the Shovel and Crane Division and in 1943 manager of the division.

**JOHN W. SCALLAN, '25**, editor-in-chief of the *Dome* in 1923-24 and of the *Scholastic* in 1924-25, was recently elected a vice-president of the Pullman-Standard Car Manufacturing Co., Chicago. He is in charge of sales of transportation equipment and war materiel in Chicago and the Middle West.

Jack has been with Pullman-Standard for 18 years, having joined the company in 1926 as a sales agent. Six years later he was made sales manager of the western district, and in 1942 he became assistant vice-president.

Born in Cincinnati, Jack came to Notre Dame in his earlier years, became a "lifer" and in his college days was one of the select few to reside in Washington Hall. He has many a Notre Dame



JOHN W. SCALLAN, '25

tale to tell his two sons, James, 6, and John, 2, in Evanston, Ill., suburb of Chicago, where the Scallans reside.



PATRICK S. MCDUGALL, '29

**PATRICK S. MCDUGALL, '29**, reporter on the *Detroit Free Press* was the co-author of an article in the Aug. 26 *Saturday Evening Post* on Christopher E. Stein, noted Detroit judge. Associated with Pat in doing the article was Warren Olivier, associate editor of the *Post*.

Pat has been on the *Free Press* ever since he came to Detroit from Alpena, Mich. Of late, he's been assigned to Recorder's Court and to Police. Active in the Newspaper Guild, he's also a member of the Association of Catholic Trade Unionists.

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- Hanner, Carter B.**, ex. '48, M.M. 3/c. c/o FPO. N. Y. C.
- Horner, Frederick A.**, ex. '47, Pfc., USMC. O.C.S. Quantico, Va.
- Horrigan, John H.**, ex. '46, Room 625, Abbott Hall, Chicago 11.
- Hoyt, Robert D.**, ex. '47, S 2/c. A.O.M. 14A45. NATTC, Bks. 572, Norman, Okla.
- Huber, John P., Jr.**, ex. '48, c/o FPO, San Francisco.
- Humfe, Francis J.**, ex. '46, V-12, 270 Shore Road Drive, Chicago.
- Hearn, William G.**, '27, Cpl., 1010th AAFBU (B), Atlantic City, N. J.
- Imboden, John B.**, ex. '46, Med. Student, John Hopkins University, 1005 North Broadway, Baltimore, Md.
- Jackson, John L.**, ex. '47, Pfc., USMC, c/o FPO. San Francisco.
- Jackson, Paul D.**, ex. '46, Midshipman, Tower Hall, Chicago 11.
- John J. Jacobs**, ex. '47, S 2/c, Sec. T 10-3. Bks. 606 LS., Service School Command, USNTC, Great Lakes, Ill.
- Johnston, Thomas L.**, ex. '47, S 2/c, Co. B, Crew 2703, Bldg. 5G. USNTC, Gulfport, Miss.
- Jones, Robert S.**, ex. '46, Midshipman, Room 1020, Tower Hall, 820 Tower Court, Chicago.
- Jones, Thomas D.**, ex. '48, USMC, Sea School 2, San Diego 41, Calif.

- Klees, John A.**, '42, Navy Arlington Annex.
- Klinger, John E., Jr.**, ex. '47, Midshipman, Cornell Midshipmen School, Ithaca, New York.
- Kain, Harry R.**, ex. '46, Cadet, Co. A-1, USMA, West Point, N. Y.
- Kane, Paul W.**, ex. '46, Pfc., USMC, Co. D, No. 3, O. C. Bn., Schools Regt., T.C., F.M.F., Camp LeJeune, N. C.
- Kasberg, Richard J.**, ex. '46, Ens., Fort Pierce, Fla.
- Kathman, John H., Jr.**, ex. '47, Co. E, Room 220, Crosby Hall, University of Rochester, Rochester 3, N. Y.
- Kelly, Edgar E.**, ex. '47, Pfc. USMC, Co. D, 3rd Plt., O.C.S. Bn., Schools Regt., T.C., F.M.F., Camp LeJeune, N. C.
- Kelly, Laurence F.**, ex. '46, S 2/c, O.G.U., Great Lakes, Ill.

- LaDolce, Anthony**, ex. '36, Sgt., Transportation Corps O.C.S., New Orleans.
- LaForge, Raymond A.**, '43, Ens., Naval Training Station, Newport, R. I.
- Langdon, Robert M.**, ex. '47, S 2/c, Class 17-45, Hospital Corps School, Farragut, Idaho.
- Lawler, Thomas G.**, '30, F 1/c, c/o FPO, San Francisco, Calif.

- Macdonell, Robert A.**, ex. '44, Lt., LAAF, Laredo, Tex.
- Madden, Jerome E.**, '31, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco.
- Martin, Francis P.**, ex. '46, A/S, V-12 (medical student), Bellevue Medical School, 477 28th St., N. Y. C.
- Martin, William L.**, ex. '46, State University of Iowa, V-12 Unit, Iowa City, Iowa.

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And now Pat's been named to the faculty of Mercy College, Detroit, to teach journalism. Among his innovations there is the installation of phones so that his students can take stories from members of the working press and rewrite them.

# Irish Complete Successful Season

Young Inexperienced Players  
Beat Seven College Teams

By J. Walter Kennedy, '34

## BULLETIN

For the record: With the 28-7 defeat of Great Lakes on Dec. 2, Notre Dame achieved a season's record of eight won, two lost. Altogether outplayed in the first 20 minutes of the finale, the Irish exploded to score their four touchdowns against Jim Mello & Co. It was the first N. D. victory in four Great Lakes games.

This is being written on the eve of the Great Lakes game, because Bill Dooley's deadline prohibits waiting over for the result of the game on the morrow.

However, win or lose tomorrow, the Notre Dame team of 1944 has had a highly successful season. Undefeated in intercollegiate competition, the Irish have lost only to Army and Navy to date. Seven college teams have lost to coach Ed McKeever's "bobby socks brigade."

Notre Dame's success on the gridiron this fall can be attributed to a magnificent coaching staff. Ed McKeever, Hugh Devore, Adam Walsh, Clem Crowe, Wally Ziemba, Jake Kline, Creighton Miller and volunteer coach Lt. (jg) Carey Brewbaker, USNR, at Notre Dame with the V-12 unit, have done a remarkable job with the material at hand.

Starting the season with but five lettermen, Captain Pat Filley, Bob Kelly, John Adams, George Sullivan and Frank Dancewicz (Frank Szymanski, another monogram man, joined the squad after the sixth game) the outlook was anything but bright. But the collection of 16, 17 and 18-year-olds responded well to the teaching of the Irish coaches, and with a few games tucked away, they began to perform with unlooked-for ability.

Constant lineup changes marked the entire season, with McKeever and his assistants striving always to field the 11 best men, regardless of past reputations and performances. As a result more players will receive monograms this year than any team in recent history.

The Irish started off well, romping over Pittsburgh in the opener by a 58-0 score. Bob Kelly, scoring four touchdowns, sparked the Irish in the win, and experts began calling the Irish "the greatest in history." But the coaching

staff knew that they were far from a great team, and before the next game against Tulane, there were lineup switches.

Tulane was turned back by a 26-0 score at Notre Dame, Kelly and Chick Maggioli spoiling the debut of the southerners in the midwest. The next week the Irish made their first visit to Boston, and ran wild against Dartmouth in the first game between the two schools. When Notre Dame finished on top by a 64-0 score, word was passed around that the Irish "really had it."

Once again there were lineup changes, the coaches finding faults that escaped the newspapermen and spectators. The following week against Wisconsin, the Irish were scored upon for the first time, but they had scored early, and won handily by a 28-13 score.

Illinois fell next before the Irish, but not before a scare was thrown into the South Benders. Notre Dame needed all of the Irish luck they could get to win over a fighting, "hot" Illinois team. Behind in the last quarter, the winning marker came when Frank Dancewicz tossed a pass to Bob Kelly, who lateralled to Chick Maggioli, and the latter dashed 50 yards to give Notre Dame a 13-7 victory.

Undefeated, the Irish next met Navy, potentially the best team in the land. Although Notre Dame played its best ball to date, the star-studded Middies won handily, inflicting a 32-13 defeat on the South Benders. The bubble of supposed Irish greatness was burst, and, in the calm after the defeat, it was apparent that Notre Dame of 1944 was a good college team, but not in the same class as the service elevens.

This fact was definitely brought out the following week in New York, when a great Army team handed Notre Dame its worst defeat in history, winning by a 59-0 score. Much has been said and written about that game. Coach McKeever best summed up the true story, when he said two weeks later: "The primary object in a football game is to score. That is what we tried to do. We could have kept the score down by playing defensive ball after Army assumed a lead, but that is not the way Notre Dame teams play. We tried to score, and, in doing so, we aided Army in running up a tremendous total of points."

This was the first time in history that Navy and Army both defeated Notre Dame in the same year.

The following week the Irish bounced back against Northwestern in the annual classic, winning by a 21-0 score. Five of the Notre Dame regulars were on the injury list, but the Irish found a new star in 155-pound Jim Brennan, Milwaukee V-12 trainee, who scored two touchdowns in the win.

Entering the Georgia Tech game, played in Atlanta, as an 8-5 underdog, Notre Dame came through with an upset win over the favored southerners. Playing their best game of the year, the Irish scored early, kept Tech in check throughout and added two second half touchdowns to win by a 21-0 score. Little Jim Brennan again sparked the attack with another two touchdown soiree, and Bob Kelly, recovered from a leg injury which hampered him during the previous three games, ran with his early season speed and agility.

## SECOND IN NCAA

By Jack McGrane

Facing the stiffest collegiate competition in the Midwest, Notre Dame's cross-country squad proved their superior quality as Bill Tully led them to second place in the NCAA championships at East Lansing, Mich., on Nov. 25. Drake University scored 38 points to the Blue and Gold's 64 to win the team title, while Ohio State's harriers finished third with 76.

Tully romped home in fifth place followed by teammates Ken Muening, Bob Prosche, Tom McGuire, and Steve Provost. Prosche negotiated the rugged four-mile course in fine style, showing continued improvement and Gene Slatery likewise ran a strong race.

The NCAA meet closed the season for the hill-and-dalers, who are now enjoying a break before donning the spiked shoes again for the indoor schedule.

Track coach Elvin R. "Doc" Handy was confronted in September with his usual tough opponents without the services of a single man with previous collegiate experience. Inaugurating the "200-mile club" to condition his squad, Handy worked patiently, developing and instructing his charges. The boys improved weekly, the result of daily application, and came home last week beaming with their success in the Nationals. They had come a long way from the meager beginnings two months before and their excellent showing is a tribute to their spirit and to plain hard work on the part of both the runners themselves and their popular coach.

**BASKETBALL, 1944-45**

Release of the 1944-45 Notre Dame basketball schedule, an ambitious card of 20 engagements, highlights cage news of the recent past. The docket, which includes three dates in the Chicago Stadium and a jaunt to Madison Square Garden in New York City for the perennial tilt with New York University, opens in the Notre Dame fieldhouse, Dec. 6, against Kellogg Field of Battle Creek, Mich. The schedule follows:

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Dec. 6—Kellogg Field (here)  
 Dec. 9—Miami U. (here)  
 Dec. 12—Alma College (here)  
 Dec. 16—Wisconsin (there)  
 Dec. 19—Loras College (here)  
 Dec. 23—Iowa (there)  
 Dec. 27—Purdue (here)  
 Jan. 2—Purdue (there)  
 Jan. 6—Great Lakes (there)  
 Jan. 10—Iowa Pre-Flight (there)  
 Jan. 16—Marquette (here)  
 Jan. 20—Great Lakes (Chicago Stadium)  
 Jan. 27—Kentucky (Louisville)  
 Feb. 2—De Paul (Chicago Stadium)  
 Feb. 3—Northwestern (Chicago Stadium)  
 Feb. 10—N.Y.U. (Madison Sq. Garden)  
 Feb. 14—Iowa Pre-Flight (here)  
 Feb. 17—Marquette (there)  
 Feb. 27—Northwestern (there)  
 Mar. 6—Detroit (here)

Clem Crowe, '26, on leave of absence from Xavier University in Cincinnati, took over the direction of the 1944-45 team, replacing Ed "Moose" Krause, '34, on leave of absence from the University as a lieutenant in the Marine Corps.

Not a single monogram winner of the 1943-44 season remains and only two men, Tom Kennedy and Frank Gilhooley, who were on the squad last year. Two likely prospects are Bill Hassett (brother of Buddy, former major league first sacker), who performed at Georgetown for one year, and Floyd Magnusson, who played at Iowa.

The present squad will be augmented by a number of additional men with the end of the football season. Chief among these are Bill O'Connor, Joe Gasparella, Tom Guthrie, John Dee and George Benigni.

**CAP EDWARDS DIES**

W. Howard "Cap" Edwards, '10, South Bend, one of the best known of all Notre Dame football figures, died on Nov. 23 in South Bend. He had been in ill health since 1935, when he suffered severe injuries in an automobile accident in the East.

Playing on the football teams of 1908 and 1909, Cap captained the latter, acquiring a nickname which identified him during all the remainder of his life. The 1909 team was unbeaten, numbering among its victims Michigan, in the last

game played between Michigan and Notre Dame until 1942.

After his graduation in 1910, Cap played, along with the famous Jim Thorpe, on the Canton, O., Bulldogs, pro team, and later, as player-coach with the Cleveland Indians, another professional group. He remained active with the latter team until after 1926. Both in college and in the professional field, Cap played chiefly as a tackle. And, at Notre Dame and elsewhere, he was recognized as one of the best.

Cap assisted a long line of Notre Dame headfootball coaches. He helped Jesse Harper devise the Dorais-to-Rockne forward pass which beat the Army in 1913. And he was one of the late Knute Rockne's closest friends, aiding Rock immeasurably through many years of spectacular victories. He was also a valuable aid to Hunk Anderson and Elmer Layden, until his injuries forced his retirement from football in 1935.

From 1912 to 1917, Cap operated a machine shop in South Bend, and during World War I he was employed by the Studebaker Corporation, South Bend, as executive for ordnance materials. He was later appointed to the claims board of the Chicago district of the United States ordnance department.

In 1920 Cap organized the Edwards Iron Works, Inc., in South Bend, continuing as its president until his death. The firm expanded in 1930 into the manufacture of truck bodies, cabs and semi-trailers. Out of this development he became, in 1933, general manager of the truck department of the Studebaker Corporation.

Cap is survived by his wife and two sons and two daughters. Both sons are in the armed forces. Seaman 2/c William Howard, Jr., ex. '37, is in Norman, Okla., and Robert is an AAF student pilot at Coehran Field, Ga.

**KOBAK MUTUAL PRESIDENT**

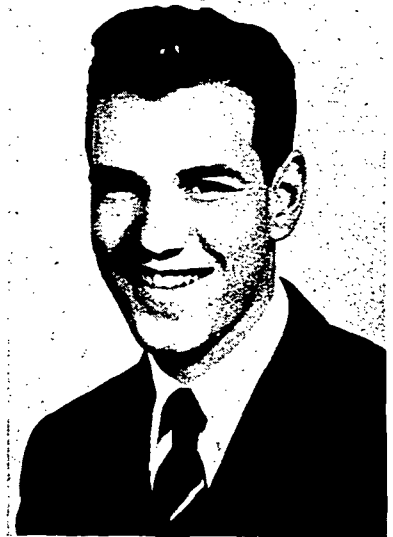
Edgar Kobak, a Notre Dame student in 1904-06, is the new president of the Mutual Broadcasting System, according to an announcement of Oct. 30, effective Nov. 20. Mr. Kobak recently resigned as executive vice-president of the Blue Network.

Starting his business career with the Georgia Railway and Power Co., Atlanta, Mr. Kobak was later with the McGraw-Hill Publishing Co. for 18 years. He joined the National Broadcasting Co. as vice-president in charge of sales in 1934 and was later with the Lord & Thomas advertising agency. Returning to NBC, he remained with the Blue when it was sold as a separate system.

**ADDITIONAL SERVICE MEN**

(Continued from Page 12)

Madden, Vincent L., ex. '38, 1st Lt., c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.  
 Maher, Thomas A., '39, Ens., Harvard University, Soldier's Field, Boston 63, Mass.  
 Nelson, James J., '40, Ens., Naval Training School, Princeton, N. J.  
 O'Connor, Phillip A., '28, c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.  
 O'Donnell, Liguori A., ex. '47, A/S, Co. 1545, Great Lakes, Ill.  
 O'Toole, Donald E., '31, Lt. (jg), Camp McDonough, Plattsburg, N. Y.  
 O'Toole, Eugene J., ex. '45, Pvt., c/o Postmaster, N. Y. C.  
 Perko, John F., Jr., ex. '47, USMC, Co. B, Plt. 5, Schools Regt., T.C., F.M.F., O.C. Bn., Camp LeJeune, N. C.



Cpl. Ambrose B. Ciancy, ex. '46  
 (His death was reported in the October "Alumnus")

Petty, John F., ex. '43, Lt., P. O. Box 2619, Los Angeles 54.  
 Reardon, Thomas M., ex. '36, Ens., c/o FPO, San Francisco.  
 Reardon, Thomas McGee, '39, P.S.N.Y., Planning Division, Bremerton, Wash.  
 Reiser, Louis A., '41, c/o Postmaster, N. Y. C.  
 Sankey, John F., ex. '48, Pvt., Co. D, 8th Bn., 2nd Regt., Fort McClellan, Ala.  
 Scarpelli, Leonardo E., ex. '47, Pfc., USMC, Co. D, 5th Plt., O. C. Bn., Schools Regt., T.C., F.M.F., Camp LeJeune, N. C.  
 Schneider, Richard G., '32, Lt. (jg), Camp Bradford, Norfolk, Va.  
 Thomas, Alan R., ex. '48, Pvt., Co. D, 33rd I.T.B., 4th Plt., Camp Croft, S. C.  
 Tighe, Edward T., '24, c/o Postmaster, N.Y.C.  
 Umbaugh, Kenneth Gene, ex. '48, A/S, Co. 1868, USNTC, Great Lakes, Ill.  
 Woods, Lawrence E., ex. '46, S 2/c, Q10-4, Bks. 508L3, Service School Command, Great Lakes, Ill.  
 Yonaker, John J., ex. '45, Pfc., USMC, H.&S. Co., Hq. Bn., T.C., F.M.F., Camp LeJeune, N. C.

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## 1887 to 1934

Rothert, Hugo C., '87.....\$	15.00		
Sheils, Joseph P., '00.....	25.00		
Kanaley, Byron			
V., '04 (On pledge) .....	100.00		
Record, James, R., '04.....	10.00		
Winter, Charles A. '04.....	5.00		
	\$ 155.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$4,855.50	77		
<b>No. in Classes</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
263	.292		

## 1905 to 1909

Fahy, Bernard S., '05.....\$	5.00		
Morris, Ernest M., '06.....	13,500.00		
Shaughnessy, Frank J. '06....	10.00		
Shea, John F., '06.....	25.00		
Rath, Rev. J. Augustus, '08..	5.00		
St. Geo., Maximilian J., '08	100.00		
Kanaley, John B., '09.....	25.00		
	\$13,670.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$26,142.50	42		
<b>No. in Classes</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
140	.30		

## 1910

Moriarty, Rev. Michael L...\$	50.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$1,575.00	14		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
27	.52		

## 1911

Tully, John O. .........\$	200.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$895.00	19		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
67	.283		

## 1913

Byrne, Paul R. .........\$	10.00		
Herr, Jesse J. .........	15.00		
Ryan, Vincent D. .........	5.00		
	\$ 30.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$450.00	21		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
62	.339		

## 1914

Frawley, Henry J. .........\$	25.00		
Walter, M. E. .........	10.00		
	\$ 35.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$910.00	19		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
67	.283		

## 1915

Finnegan, Dr. Frank R. ....\$	5.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$330.00	17		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
67	.254		

## 1917

Corcoran, Charles G. ....\$	10.00		
McMahon, James T. ....	50.00		
Rudolph, Simon R. ....	50.00		
Welch, Lawrence J. ....	5.00		
	\$ 115.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$1,620.00	43		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
108	.40		

<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$1,620.00	43		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
108	.40		

## 1918

Hurley, Francis J. .........\$	5.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$1,430.00	24		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
61	.40		

## 1919

Carroll, Maurice J. .........\$	15.00		
Costello, James E. ....	25.00		
Roberts, Daniel C. ....	10.00		
	\$ 50.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$2,210.00	14		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
48	.29		

## 1920

Moore, Elwyn M. .........\$	100.00		
Musmaker, Capt. John L. ....	10.00		
Sullivan, George L. ....	10.00		
	\$ 120.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$502.00	23		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
83	.277		

## 1921

Brandy, Joseph R. .........\$	25.00		
Starrett, Morris .....	5.00		
	\$ 30.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$879.60	31		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
94	.33		

## 1922

Bloemer, Frank B. Jr. ....\$	25.00		
Carroll, Albert .....	25.00		
Castellini, Wm. A. A. ....	5.00		
McCabe, Thomas S. ....	10.00		
Rice, John M. ....	5.00		
	\$ 70.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$1,342.50	44		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
150	.293		

## 1923

Bruggner, Louis V. .........\$	25.00		
Chapla, John P. ....	25.00		
Gretchen, Edward J. ....	10.00		
Powers, Lt. Jeffery V. ....	10.00		
Rolwing, S. Merlin .....	15.00		
	\$ 85.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$606.00	38		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
182	.209		

## 1924

DeGurse, E. Newell .....	5.00		
Kennedy, Paul J. ....	10.00		
	\$ 15.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$1,875.00	57		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
208	.274		

## 1925

Burke, Fabian J. .........\$	5.00		
Holland, Gerald J. ....	10.00		
Momsen, Reuben F. ....	10.00		
Traynor, John P. ....	50.00		
	\$ 75.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$2,067.50	86		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
289	.297		

## 1926

Barr, William R. .........\$	10.00		
Cahill, Lt. Robert L. ....	100.00		
Collins, Richard J., Jr. ....	10.00		
Feldpausch, Roman C. ....	25.00		
Gelson, J. Norbert .....	10.00		
Goulet, Vincent L. ....	10.00		
O'Neill, Daniel J. ....	25.00		
Roche, Rev. Keithen L. ....	75.00		
Shanley, Joseph B. ....	5.00		
Slater, Frank X. ....	10.00		
	\$ 280.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$2,106.40	87		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
326	.267		

## 1927

Favero, Bartholomew C. ....\$	30.00		
McLaughlin, Edward J. ....	25.00		
O'Connor, Thomas S. ....	20.00		
Ruddy, Clarence J. ....	5.00		
	\$ 80.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$960.50	81		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
318	.255		

## 1928

Brennan, Edwin F. .........\$	5.00		
Ducey, Lt. Vincent P. ....	5.00		
Hickey, David F. ....	5.00		

Kelly, William W. ....	10.00		
McIntyre, Leo R. ....	25.00		
Morrissey, Joseph S. ....	25.00		
	\$ 75.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$912.00	84		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
414	.203		

## 1929

Burns, Henry L. .........\$	5.00		
Kraker, Joseph H. ....	10.00		
Millif, Eugene A. ....	5.00		
Molloy, John G. ....	5.00		
Saxon, David W. ....	15.00		
Winchester, Rev. Otis S. ....	10.00		
	\$ 50.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$1,487.50	75		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
318	.236		

## 1930

Cronin, T. Lawrence, Jr. ....\$	5.00		
Enright, Laurence F. ....	10.00		
Frey, Henry R. ....	5.00		
Lantry, Thomas F. ....	10.00		
Neeson, Richard T. ....	10.00		
Nelson, John E. ....	5.00		
Raymond, Dr. Eugene E. ....	5.00		
Sloan, Robert B. ....	25.00		
Stettler, Harry L., Jr. ....	25.00		
Walker, Lt. Francis X. ....	10.00		
	\$ 110.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$1,362.50	103		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
444	.232		

## 1931

Allard, Romeo P. .........\$	25.00		
Beaupre, Russell J. ....	10.00		
Baldinger, Lawrence H. ....	25.00		
Bergen, Arthur C. ....	5.00		
D'Muhala, Francis J. ....	10.00		
Halpin, Daniel D. ....	125.00		
Kelly, Joseph P. ....	5.00		
Kletzy, Leo J. ....	5.00		
Schreiner, Anthony R. ....	5.00		
Tuohy, Albert J. ....	10.00		

	\$ 225.00		
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>		
\$1,445.90	103		
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>		
427	.24		

## 1932

Clark, Paul D. .........\$	5.00		
Anonymous .....	25.00		
Conway, John E. ....	10.00		
Finnegan, Thomas J., Jr. ....	10.00		
Hugger, Lt. Jerome H. ....	5.00		
Keaney, Major John M., Jr. ....	10.00		
Rohlf, Louis R. ....	10.00		
Ruffing, Cornelius J. ....	25.00		
Russo, Dr. Albert J., Jr. ....	10.00		



Trotter, James M. ....	15.00
	\$ 125.00
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>
\$1,551.00	105
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>
532	.197

**1933**

Bittorf, Joseph H. ....	\$ 25.00
Blake, Capt. Marion J. ....	5.00
Burick, Lt. Michael P. ....	5.00
Byrne, Robert J. ....	5.00
Cavansugh, Eugene L. ....	5.00
Dillman, Cpl. Francis A. ....	10.00
Gausselin, Lt. Edwin A. ....	5.00
Levstik, John A. ....	5.00
Lisiakowski, Edwin G. ....	10.00
Lusardi, Donald L. ....	5.00
Muellner, Pvt. Joseph F. ....	1.00
Murray, Lt. John T., Jr. ....	10.00
Myers, Herbert G. ....	10.00
Ryan, John J. ....	5.00
Shinners, Dr. Burton M. ....	5.00
	\$ 110.00
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>
\$1,068.50	96
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>
422	.227

**1934**

Cahill, Lt. Robert R. ....	\$ 25.00
Donnelly, John F. ....	5.00
Hamilton, Robert L. ....	833.33
Kiraly, Julius J. ....	10.00
McGahren, Francis J. ....	25.00
Saleh, Albert E. ....	5.00
Young, Pvt. Daniel A., Jr. ....	19.00
	\$ 913.33
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>
\$4,016.69	103
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>
426	.242

**1935**

Catalane, Bartholomew W. ....	\$ 28.80
Crowley, Anthony W. ....	20.00
Hamilton, James M. ....	833.33
John, Joseph A. ....	2.00
Kuharich, Sgt. Anthony S. ....	2.00
Ravarino, Albert J. ....	50.00
Slattery, John A. ....	10.00
	\$ 947.13
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>
\$3,554.59	97
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>
452	.215

**1936**

Baur, Adelbert C., Jr. ....	\$ 25.00
Belmont, Lt. Carmi A. ....	5.00
Bott, Thomas A. ....	5.00
Byrne, Conal J. ....	2.00
Carey, Albert D. ....	7.00
Cummings, Sgt. Paul W. ....	3.20
DeGarmo, Sgt. John J. ....	5.00
Ervin, Robert F. ....	2.00
Fay, Lt. William M. ....	10.00
Fitzgerald, James H. ....	2.00
Hmureik, Joseph P. ....	6.00
Hufnagel, Sgt. Andrew D. ....	5.00
Kirby, James H. ....	10.00
Pagliasotti, Emery J. ....	25.00
Reardon, Ens. Thomas M. ....	5.00
Rocca, Julius P. ....	2.00
Voorde, Edward F. ....	5.00
	\$ 124.20
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>
\$1,144.00	96
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>
443	.217

**1937**

Dorgan, Lt. Joseph T. ....	\$ 10.00
Hartnett, Lt. Vincent W. ....	25.00
Ling, Eugene F. ....	25.00
O'Boyle, Sgt. Anthony F. ....	2.50
Reilly, Bernard F. ....	3.00
Schwartz, Pfc. Albert J. ....	5.00
Traynor, Dr. Francis W. ....	5.00
Valvo, Dr. Anthony S. ....	25.00
	\$ 100.50
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>
\$1,100.50	98
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>
472	.208

**1938**

Berteling, Major John B. ....	\$ 5.00
Callahan, Lt. Thomas H. ....	5.00
Di Brienza, Lt. Amerigo W. ....	5.00
Dreiling, J. Alvin ....	5.00
Flanagan, John E. ....	5.00
Hess, Lawrence G. ....	5.00
Masterson, Lt. Christopher R. ....	25.00
Monacelli, Walter J. ....	25.00
Prusha, Ens. Francis R. ....	10.00
Russell, Francis S. ....	10.00
Scherer, Otto E. ....	10.00
Stewart, Lawrence C. ....	25.00
Sulewski, Anthony C. ....	10.00
Tallman, Clifford P. ....	5.00
Trefzer, Theodore W. ....	15.00
Ward, Lt. John S. ....	5.00
Weigand, Sgt. Thomas H. ....	25.00
Wrape, Lt. Henry E. ....	7.18
	\$ 202.18
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>
\$1,569.38	152
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>
565	.205

**1939**

Baites, Ens. John W. ....	\$ 25.00
Bastain, George L. ....	50.00
Bossu, Capt. August F. ....	15.00
Bradley, Major Francis X. ....	25.00
Broscoe, Lt. Edward M. ....	5.00
Dreiling, Cpl. Virgil T. ....	5.00
Maher, Ens. Thomas A. ....	2.00
McKay, Dr. Richard V., Jr. ....	5.00
O'Connor, Ens. John C. ....	10.00
Pick, Robert B. ....	10.00
Ricke, William H. ....	5.00
Trousdale, Lt. Roderick L. ....	10.00
Zuendel, Joseph C. ....	5.00
	\$ 172.00
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>
\$1,633.94	152
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>
606	.251

**1940**

Brennan, Thomas V. J. ....	\$ 10.00
Burns, James F. ....	5.00
Crane, Lt. Hubert T. ....	10.00
Donohue, John H., Jr. ....	10.00
Dougherty, Lt. William E., Jr. ....	20.00
Driscoll, Francis S. ....	25.00
Eilers, Lt. Bernard J. ....	25.00
Flynn, Ens. Gerald J. ....	50.00
Hepnessy, Joseph F. ....	10.00
Jordan, Lt. Cecil E. ....	10.00
Kelly, Lt. James P. ....	5.00
Marker, Ens. Thomas P. ....	2.00
Meaney, Lt. John W. ....	10.00
O'Hare, Lt. William G., Jr. ....	5.00
O'Meara, A/S Alfred M., Jr. ....	50.00
Savord, John E. ....	5.00

Sheehan, Sgt. Clarence T. ....	2.00
Sullivan, Capt. Robert E. ....	5.00
Thomas, Lt. H. Charles ....	10.00
	\$ 269.00
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>
\$2,987.60	220
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>
695	.316

**1941**

Altman, Lt. Arnold D. ....	\$ 5.00
Altman, Lt. Herman S. ....	5.00
Aylward, Capt. James P. ....	10.00
Ball, Lt. Richard E. ....	5.00
Burns, Lt. Lawrence A. ....	10.00
Dwyer, Lt. George P. ....	300.00
Fassi, Lt. George B. ....	10.00
Gero, Ens. John B. ....	9.00
Glenn, William M. ....	5.00
Longo, Bernard F. ....	20.00
MacKenzie, Lt. Louis A. ....	10.00
Marietta, Donald J. ....	5.00
McGrath, James H. ....	50.00
McHugh, Lt. Edward C. ....	10.00
Millenbach, Matthew K. ....	10.00
Moulder, Lt. William A. ....	2.00
Mullin, Lt. Richard P. ....	25.00
Richardson, Robert E. ....	10.00
Schaller, Ens. William J. ....	50.00
Schmidt, Cpl. Lawrence A. ....	5.00
Scully, Lt. J. Paul, Jr. ....	10.00
Stine, Charles E. ....	10.00
Syring, William J. ....	10.00
Trueman, Lt. Thomas J. ....	50.00
Walter, Richard L. ....	2.00
	\$ 638.00
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>
\$8,018.00	223
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>
688	.324

**1942**

Bellinger, James E., Jr. ....	\$ 25.00
Clapham, Charles F. ....	2.00
Donadio, Cpl. Anthony P. Jr. ....	5.00
Fitzpatrick, Pfc. Martin J. ....	5.00
Gavin, Lt. John J. ....	10.00
Glaser, Edward J. ....	2.00
Gulyassy, Pfc. Victor J. ....	1.00
Mangelsdorf, Lt. Richard F. ....	25.00
McFadden, James J. ....	5.00
Moulder, Peter V. ....	2.00
Murphy, Cpl. Richard C. ....	10.00
Rourke, Pvt. Thomas R. ....	5.00
Sullivan, Miss Nora R. ....	2.00
Thomas, Albert I. ....	5.00
Tobin, Lt. Charles A. ....	10.00
	\$ 114.00
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>
\$1,911.70	213
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>
512	.415

**1943**

Atwater, Lt. Julian G. ....	\$ 5.00
Butler, Ens. Charles J. ....	10.00
Diltz, Sgt. Richard C. ....	2.00
Donovan, Lt. John P. ....	15.40
Haniger, George A. ....	10.00
Hedges, John M. ....	10.00
Holwell, Lt. Daniel E. ....	5.00
Hoth, Pvt. Frederic D. ....	3.00
Lehman, Robert L. ....	10.00
Lies, Lt. Mark J. ....	10.00
Maher, James J. ....	5.00
Malloy, Cpl. Paul M. ....	10.00
McCafferty, Lt. James R. ....	25.00
Millett, Ens. Robert M. ....	25.00
Murray, Cpl. John A. ....	5.00

Murray, Sgt. Stanford E. ....	10.00
Murrin, Pvt. William Z. ....	5.00
O'Brien, Pfc. William K. ....	5.00
Raymond, Leo F., Jr. ....	10.00
Shortsleeve, Francis J. ....	10.00

	\$ 190.40
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>
\$1,958.85	195
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>
323	.604

**1944**

Borgess, Richard R. ....	\$ 5.00
Bright, Sgt. John H. ....	25.00
Conway, Ens. John H. ....	15.00
Dempsey, Raymond J. ....	3.00
Earley, Ens. Anthony F., Jr. ....	10.00
Graham, William L. ....	10.00
Halligan, Thomas F. ....	5.00
Hickey, Ens. John P. ....	5.00
Kelleher, Pvt. Richard S. ....	10.00
Lyman, Wilkes S. ....	1.00
Maccani, William L., Jr. ....	5.00
Macdonnell, Lt. Robert A. ....	5.00
McKenna, Ens. John W. ....	10.00
McManus, Ens. Joseph C. ....	25.00
Myers, Philip F. ....	10.00
Patterson, Ens. Charles J. ....	5.00
Reyburn, Ens. Thomas T. ....	5.00
Schramm, Robert W. ....	5.00
Sullivan, Pvt. James G. ....	50.00
Sullivan, John F. ....	10.00
Villarosa, Pvt. Nicholas J. ....	10.00
Welsh, Capt. William J. ....	10.00
	\$ 239.00
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>
\$913.55	124
<b>No. in Class</b>	<b>% Contrib. to date</b>
253	.49

**1945**

Connerty, Ens. Joseph A. ....	\$ 10.00
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>
\$61.50	4

**1946**

Coakley, William D. ....	\$ 10.00
Kochman, Pvt. Henry L. ....	2.00
	\$ 12.00
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>
\$12.00	2

**Subscribers**

Berra, Joseph ....	\$ 2.00
Buckley, T. F. ....	2.00
Hamilton, L. H. ....	833.34
Lloyd, Francis W. ....	25.00
Notre Dame Club of Kentucky ....	100.00
Rapp, William A. ....	2.00
	\$ 964.34
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>No. Contrib. to date</b>
\$7,374.51	42

**RE-CAPITULATION**

Last previous Total	\$71,656.13
Total this period	20,662.08
<b>Grand Total to date</b>	<b>\$92,318.21</b>
Total in Classes	10,667
Total No. of Contributors	3,000
Per Cent of Contributors	28.12
Average contribution	\$ 30.76

# ALUMNI CLUBS

## CHICAGO

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

As announced in last issue, the club's local meetings have been inaugurated and several successful parties have been held. The North Side gathered in Rogers Park on Sept. 28, there was another for the North Shore towns in Wilmette on Oct. 13, and one on the West Side at the Stayms Club in Oak Park on Oct. 31. The South Side organization will be heard from soon. All reports indicate the idea has met with popular approval and further meetings are being planned.

Post war plans for the clubs participation in vocational and placement assistance to Notre Dame's returning service men are moving along well under Ed O'Toole's able direction, with the support and co-operation of the Board of Governors and other interested alumni. Further developments will be publicized soon.

Arrangements have now been completed for the annual Notre Dame Communion Mass and Breakfast on Dec. 10. The Mass will be at 9 o'clock in old St. Mary's and is to be offered for all alumni in the armed forces, both living and dead. The breakfast will follow immediately at the Blackstone Hotel. The fathers of all Notre Dame men in the service are invited to attend.

Among those "transacting business" in New York on Nov. 11, were Jim Brennan, Tom Donovan, Tom Nash, Dan Lamont, John Dorgan, Joe Rigalk, Fran Oelerich, Dick Oelerich and Terrence Dillon.

Recently reported seen in Chicago were Gerald "Kid" Ashe, Daniel J. "USO" Culhane and Ed Gottry.

Recent newspaper accounts tell that Lt. Frank McAdams, USNR, was wounded in the Philippines invasion. Spike is a veteran of both Atlantic and Pacific invasions and we sincerely hope that his injuries aren't serious.

Tom McCabe

## CLEVELAND

Pierce J. O'Connor, '23, 2129 Lambert Rd., Pres.; James R. Begley, 2425 Overlook Rd., Sec.

October 12, 1944

Stanley J. Lechowick, working in labor relations at Fisher Aircraft. Lt. (j. g.) E. M. Weinfurter, Jr., has taken part in four invasions: Southern France, Sicily, Salerno, and Anzio. Marine Lt. Dick Kelly is in a rest camp somewhere in the South Pacific. Gaylord Haas, and Lts. Cy Caldwell and Bill Bambrick of the Navy have organized the Central Pacific Notre Dame Club and meetings are held in Honolulu. Ens. Pete Sheehan and Joe Crowley have contacted Cy. Ens. Gerald C. Clyn, is assistant navigator on an L.S.T. Norman A. Bringman, has been wounded twice and, on his last visit to the hospital, met Father Joe Barry, C. S. C., infantry chaplain.

Saw John P. Murphy, Tom Conley, Clem Devine, and Capt. Maurice Powers C.S.C., '33, a chaplain in the Army, at the Notre Dame-Pitt. game. Father Powers hears regularly from Joe DeFranco, F.B.I. man, and is with Major Ben Sheridan.

Otis S. Winchester was ordained to the priesthood Sept. 23 at St. John's Cathedral. Lt. Robt. N. Stack, Salina, Kans., saw Prof. Tom Madden and Bill Dooley on a recent visit to the campus. Capt. Ed. G. Caldwell, has a new son, Jeffery James. Fred Carideo, skipper of an L.C.I., came aboard Ed's ship in Bizerte. Cpl. Bob Grisanti, Camp Livingston, saw Lts. Mike Crowe, and Ed Huff of Adjutant General's Office.

Received a letter from Lt. (j.g.) William J. Darcy. Bill is an Armed Guard officer aboard a merchant vessel, and is married (to Pat McCabe of Chicago) and has a little girl, Kathleen.

J. R. Begley

## DELAWARE

William D. Bailey, '24, 801 River Rd., Riverside Gardens, Wilmington, Del., Pres.; Walter J. Cordes, '42, 407 W. 26th St., Wilmington 258, Del., Sec.

Officers of the Delaware Club elected to serve for the year 1944-45 are as follows: president, William D. Bailey, '24; vice-president, George F. Schlaudecker, '38; secretary-treasurer, Walter J. Cordes, '42; Board of Governors, J. Fendall Froning, '40.

The annual picnic of the Delaware Club was held this year on Sept. 10, at Rockford Park on the outskirts of Wilmington. About 20 alumni with their families and friends enjoyed the outing. George Schlaudecker of Deerhurst handled the arrangements.

Meetings of the club are now held in the recreation room of St. Elizabeth's Parish Rectory in Wilmington, through the kindness of Rev. J. M. Grant, pastor.

The movie, "Football Highlights of 1943," forwarded to us by the Alumni Association, was exhibited in Wilmington on October 23 to alumni members and their guests. This review of last year's football season was received with great enthusiasm and appreciation. The film was then forwarded to Seaford, Delaware where, Richard Leonard, '38, reports it was also thoroughly enjoyed by alumni and friends. Our thanks are extended to the officers of the Alumni Association for the preparation and loan of this movie with the hope that other films from the University will be available in the future.

Plans are being prepared to observe Annual Universal Communion Sunday on Dec. 10. A committee composed of Robert J. Thomas, '39, Thomas F. Degan, '42, and William S. Murray, '42, is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin J. Schaffner, '44, joined the Wilmington group of Notre Dame families for a few months in late spring and early summer. Irwin received his degree of Ph.D. in Chemistry in June and was employed at the Jackson Laboratory of duPont. Friends in Wilmington will welcome the return of Irwin

and Judy when Irwin's work in Chicago is completed.

Joseph K. McIntosh, '37, has been promoted to the position of building supervisor of the "Gardino" Building of the "Ponsol" Colors Area at the duPont Chambers Works, Deepwater, N. J.

William D. Bailey, '24, has been made director of consultants of the industrial engineering division of the duPont Engineering Department.

The club held a dinner on June 28 to celebrate the engagement of Dr. E. A. Kurtz to Miss Isabelle Crowley. After a very enjoyable steak dinner, Russ was lectured by several of his friends and co-workers on how to maintain order and peace in his future home. The advice must have been taken to heart since Russ and his bride have established good house-keeping at 28 Oakwood Ave., Penns Grove, N. J.

John E. Reith, Ph.D., '44, is now employed as a research chemist in the Rayon Department, nylon division, of the duPont Company.

John German, '36, Joseph T. Fay, '30, Major Matthew H. Merkle, '39, and John D. Broderick, '37, have recently been transferred to the Wilmington area and have become active members of the club.

Recent visits of Notre Dame alumni with Wilmington friends have been paid by Dr. Richard O. Norris, Dr. Marcellus Goertz, Dr. Charles O'Boyle, Lt. (jg) Thomas (invasion) Gillespie, and Thomas Banningan.

Donald K. Duffy, '39, has been transferred to Chicago by the Rayon Department of the duPont Co.

We understand that Capt. Edward J. Butler, '34, first president of the club was in the invasion of South France. Isabella is maintaining contact from Philadelphia with the Butlers' many friends in Wilmington during Ed's absence. She was a welcome guest at the annual club picnic on Sept. 10. Walt Cordes

## DETROIT

Henry J. Clark, '36, 220 East Merrill St., Birmingham, Mich., Pres.; George B. Morris, '39, 610 Blaine Ave., Detroit, Sec.

On Nov. 5, the club sponsored a Feather Party in the Hotel Book-Cadillac. The party was attended by approximately 1,500 people and was the most successful event ever sponsored by the Detroit club. Aside from the ticket selling, which was done by the members under the direction of the officers and trustees and the general chairmanship of Art Cronis and John Anzas all the other arrangements, including excellent baskets of food and poultry, were made by Leo McInerney.

The Feather Party was so successful, and there has been such a demand for a repetition of the party, that we feel reasonably sure that such an event will be an annual club function.

Universal Notre Dame Communion Sunday will be observed by the Detroit Club by attending High Mass at the Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament and breakfast at Catholic Central High School.

George B. Morris, Jr.

## ITALY

The Notre Dame Club of Italy continues to prosper despite the fact its members are chasing all over Italy. . . . I don't think there is a more loyal or enthusiastic group of Notre Dame men anywhere in the world, and we're damned proud of our club.

Whenever we can we have informal get-togethers. We also meet regularly with various chapters of the Allied Forces Holy Name Society in Italy—at meetings, Communion Breakfasts, etc. Notre Dame men, incidentally, had a leading part in the formation of the Allied Forces Holy Name Society in Italy. I haven't attended a Holy Name meeting over here yet without meeting at least two or three Notre Dame men. In fact, at one such meeting I met ten!

One of our club's greatest activities is in the field of charity. Like all U. S. troops serving in Italy we can't stand idly by and watch the Italian people undergo all sorts of privations without attempting to do something to help them. We have made our limited means go as far as possible. We save our cigarette and candy rations, and persuade other officers and men to give us some of theirs. Most of the candy goes to kids in orphanages and hospitals and poor sections. It would wring your heart, just like it has ours, to see how pathetically grateful these kids are for two or three small pieces of candy. Some of these kids have never tasted candy, as incredulous as this may seem to Americans. Most of the others have not had candy since the war started.

The rest of the candy goes to women in the charity wards of different hospitals. They, too, are exceedingly grateful for such small favors.

The cigarettes are distributed to men patients in the charity wards of the same hospitals. Our supplies naturally are very limited so we can distribute only two or three cigarettes to each man. Nevertheless, they eagerly anticipate our weekly or bi-weekly visits, depending on how many cigarettes we can scrape up.

It might be of interest to Notre Dame, too, to know that members of the club have been very active in helping a school conducted by American, British and Italian nuns in a poor section of one of Italy's largest cities. An American bomb unfortunately shattered one wing of this school and blew out all of the windows. As it gets pretty cold for five or six months of the year in the section of the country where the school is located, it was imperative that glass be put in in all of the windows. Thanks to the Notre Dame Club of Italy, the Allied Forces Holy Name Society in Italy and other interested American soldiers, the glass has been found and is in process of being put in. Several parties also have been held by our soldiers for the kids attending this school. The greatest thrill we've had in Italy was to hear these kids sing the "Star Spangled Banner" in readily-understandable English. That, and their prayers, was about the only way the nuns and children of this school could show their appreciation. Could we ask for more?

The name of the school, incidentally, is Notre Dame. It is conducted by the Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur and they are doing a magnificent job despite terrific obstacles. Do you understand now why we are so anxious to help them?

John V. Hinkel, '29.  
Major, M. I.

## AT MONTE CASSINO



A delegation from the Notre Dame Club of Italy visits what is left of the war-torn Abbey of Monte Cassino. Pictured, left to right are S/Sgt. John N. Cakely, '37, T/Sgt. Frank Shay, '35, Sgt. Robert F. Coleman, '42, and Major John V. Hinkel, '29.

## MILWAUKEE

Charles O'Neill, '27, 2479 N. 95 St., Pres.;  
John Clauder, '34, 4809 N. Woodburn St.,  
Sec.

John Clauder, secretary, sends word of the reorganization of the club. Two meetings have lately been held, with the following "old guard" present: President Charlie O'Neill, Jim Wheeler, Frank Holdampf, Doc Dundon, Gene Galdabini, Angelo Galdabini, Dud Pearson, John Greiser, John Madden, Eddie Rogers, Paul Brust and John Brust. More news as plans develop.

## ST. JOSEPH VALLEY

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

On Oct. 20, the eve of the Wisconsin game, the first of three pre-game smokers was attended by 150 club members and guests at the La Salle Hotel, South Bend. The club president, Joe Boland, acted as toastmaster and presented Coach Ed McKeever and Capt. J. Richard Barry, who commands all naval units at the University. Movies, including those of Dartmouth game, were shown, with comments by Joe Boland.

A radio broadcast in tribute to Mario Tonelli, '39, Notre Dame fullback in '37, and '38, who was captured at Corregidor, was the highlight of the club smoker in the Oliver hotel on the eve of the Northwestern game. The 15-minute dramatic piece, staged by WSBT of South Bend, was one of a series sponsored by the Gilbert men's store in South Bend to recognize war heroes of the area.

Speakers at the smoker were: Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., vice-president of the University, Coach Ed McKeever, Assistant Coach Adam Walsh and Ted Husing and Jimmy Dolan, both of CBS. Movies of the Navy and the Illinois games were shown. Harlan Hogen of WSBT and the Barbadiers' Quartet (of whom Gene O'Brien, '35, is one) provided the music. Joe Boland, club president, presided.

Richard C. Kaczmarek

## TWIN CITIES

Clarence G. Liemandt, ex. '32, 831 North Western Bank Bldg., Minneapolis, Pres.;  
Ed Krick, Sec.

Clarence G. "Bud" Liemandt, Minneapolis is the new president of the club, Bob Madden, Minneapolis, is vice-president and Ed Krick, St. Paul, is secretary.

An active nucleus of members has held the club together since the start of the war, presenting three or four activities a year, usually a fall smoker, a Communion-breakfast, a Christmas party and a get-together for Universal N. D. Night. Expansion of activities will come with the end of the war, it is planned.

## YOUNGSTOWN

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

Local alumni lost a loyal friend and ardent supporter with the passing of James P. Collieran, business and civic leader here for more than a half-century. We extend our most sincere sympathy to his sons, Jim and Lou, and his sons-in-law, Jack Hagan and Chet Rice. Lou, who is stationed at a California air base, was home when his father died.

We rejoice with Marty Shea on hearing that his brother, Joe, is alive in a Marine hospital in California. Joe, who left Notre Dame to join the service in 1943, had previously been reported "dead from wounds in the South Pacific."

During a recent furlough I was lucky to meet several of the gang who were also enjoying leaves. Spike Siegel of Meadville was over with his wife whom he married in Newport, R. I., a few months ago. A first sergeant, Spike, has been transferred to the infantry at Camp Butner, N. C. Bill Eaton, a veteran of two years in the Canal Zone, was married at the Log Chapel, Oct. 10. It was his first trip home since his induction which preceded his graduation by a few days. . . . Just missed 1st Lt. Chuck McCabe, the Flying Fortress combat veteran, who was home after 30 missions over Nazi territory.

Bud Bernard and Jake Jartheimer, bridge partners in Dillon Hall, met in the New Hebrides recently. . . . Bill Dunlevy is still in New Guinea and Gabe Moran is taking care of things for the Navy at Newfoundland. . . . Roy Cestary, an infantryman, has been decorated in France. . . .

On the home front . . . John Buckley was up for re-election as state representative. . . . Jack Kane was moving to Cleveland. . . . Charlie Cuswa, John Moran, Eli Leonelli, Gerry Wolf, Dick Riley, Joe Wallace and Steve Repaskey are doing the bowling in the local leagues. . . . Cuswa, who doubles as president of the Chesterton Club, is working on the Chesterton football stag planned for December with Ed McKeever as principal speaker.

Sgt. Pete Sheehan  
(Sebring, Fla.)

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## PREVIOUSLY REPORTED

The deaths of 139 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).

S/Sgt. James P. Mahoney, '27, Rawlins, Wyo., brother of Frank, '17, and Phil, '25, was killed in action in France on Sept. 15. He had been overseas since March, 1944, participating in the Normandy invasion on D-Day, after joining the Army in April, 1942.

After his graduation from Notre Dame, Jim received his law degree at Harvard and was admitted to the Wyoming bar. He did not, however, practice law, preferring to engage, with his brothers, in the sheep-raising business.

Surviving Jim, besides his two brothers, are three sisters: Sister M. Agnes, C.S.C., Salt Lake City, Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson, of Rawlins, and Mrs. Mary Curry, Hartford, Conn., wife of Jim Curry, '14.

Lt. A. Gerard Farrell, '34, Rochester, N. Y., was killed in action in France on Sept. 24. He is survived by his wife, Lucille Odenbach Farrell, and by his parents, and a brother, Thomas G. Farrell.

Gerry volunteered for service in June, 1942, and was commissioned at Ft. Riley, Kans., in January, 1943. He had been overseas with a reconnaissance squadron since last July. When he entered the armed forces Gerry was associated with the Aetna Insurance Co.

1st Lt. James L. Mulcahy, '38, Taunton, Mass., was killed in action in Italy on Oct. 2 while leading a company of infantry in the 85th Division operating with the 5th Army along the Gothic Line.

Jimmy, in Italy since early spring of 1944, was the veteran of four major battles and had been awarded the Purple Heart for wounds received in action along the Gustaf Line before Rome. He had also received the Combat Infantry badge "for exemplary conduct in action against the enemy."

Jim taught history and was assistant football coach at Monsignor Coyle High School in Taunton (operated by the C.S.C. Brothers) following his gradua-

tion from Notre Dame. In 1941 he transferred as a teacher to Taunton High School. Inducted into the Army on Aug. 13, 1942, he was commissioned in OCS at Ft. Benning, Ga., on March 10, 1943, and on March 13, 1943, was married to Miss Florence Quigley of Taunton, who with his mother, survives him.

T/Sgt. Harold Roger Sweeney, US-MCR, ex. '39, Pelham Manor, N. Y., was killed on Oct. 4 in the crash of a Navy plane near Plymouth, N. C.



T/Sgt. H. R. Sweeney

A veteran of 19 months and two major campaigns in the Pacific as a member of the Marine Air Force, Roger returned to the United States in May, 1944, and was stationed at Edenton, N. C., at the time of his death. He had enlisted in the Marines on Feb. 28, 1942, after being associated with the O'Neil Distributing Co., New Rochelle, N. Y.

Roger's parents and a brother, in the Army, survive him.

1st Lt. Robert S. Schorsch, A.B. '39, M.A. '40, Ph.D. '42, Chicago, of the air borne command, was killed in action in Holland on Sept. 24. Commissioned in July, 1942, he had participated in numerous paratroop attacks.



1ST LT. ROBERT S. SCHORSCH

Bob is survived by his wife, an ensign in the WAVES at Glenview Naval Air Base near Chicago, and by his parents and two brothers and five sisters. He completed his graduate work in philosophy just before he entered the armed services. In his undergraduate days he had participated in campus athletics and was particularly known as a leading contender in the Bengal Bouts.

Lt. Philip Eugene Golden, USNR, '40, Richmond, Va., was killed in action in the South Pacific on Sept. 13. He was a dive bomber, serving aboard an aircraft carrier.



LT. PHILIP EUGENE GOLDEN, USNR

Gene entered the service in August, 1941, following a period of employment by the Graybar Electric Co. Trained at Anacostia, D. C., and Pensacola, Fla., he received his wings at Miami on May 22, 1942.

Leaving the States for the first time on Oct. 21, 1942, to serve for 10 months in Hawaii and New Caledonia and aboard three different carriers, he returned in August, 1943, to become an instructor at Norfolk, Va. In February, 1944, he was sent back to the Pacific and remained there until his death. In June he was awarded the Air Medal for outstanding achievement.

Gene is survived by his parents, a sister, and a brother, who is a lieutenant in the Marines.

Sgt. William F. Dold, ex. '45, Glen Ridge, N. J., a photographer and gunner in a Flying Fortress, was killed on Aug. 4 in a raid over Germany, just one year after he started his AAF training. His

plane, disabled by flak, collided with another plane in the unit.

Bill, having enlisted when he was a student at Notre Dame, went overseas last June. He is survived by his parents and a brother.

**A/S Thomas J. Draper**, USNR, ex. '48, Los Angeles, a V-12 student at Notre Dame was drowned on Oct. 30 in the Ohio River near Cincinnati. Spending the short vacation between terms with A/S Bill Brockoff at Bill's home in Cincinnati, he, with Bill, had gone on a canoe trip on the Ohio River. When their canoe capsized they attempted to swim to safety. Tom didn't quite make it.

A veteran of 17 months' service in the Navy before he came to Notre Dame, Tom was known on the campus as an exemplary student. Assisting at Mass and receiving Communion daily, despite a tight Navy schedule, he had continued this practice, begun in his high school days, even during his vacation in Cincinnati. In addition, he had assisted at the altar during a Forty Hours devotion being held in Cincinnati.

The ALUMNUS has so far received only incomplete information regarding the following Notre Dame men who died in the service of their country: **Pfc. Edward F. Casey**, ex. '45, Philadelphia, wounded in France, Sept. 10, 1944, died Sept. 14; **Alexander J. Milone**, ex. '45, Brooklyn, N. Y., killed in France, Sept. 19, 1944.

### Missing in Action

**1st Lt. Philip M. Wade**, '40, Elizabeth, N. J. The notation "missing" was on an envelope addressed to Phil and returned to the University by the Army.

**Lt. Thomas G. Horgan**, '41, Reno, Nev. The president of the University was notified that Tom is missing.

**Ens. Roy J. Grumbine**, '44, Cincinnati. Father William T. Craddick, prefect of religion, received word on Nov. 18 that Roy was missing.

### Prisoners of War

**Lt. Charles M. Bransfield**, ex. '41, Chicago. Reported missing Sept. 18, 1943, in action over the Gilbert Islands, Charlie, it now seems fairly certain, is a prisoner of the Japanese. A message from him to his parents was heard on a Jap broadcast.

**Major William G. Blum**, ex. '42, Dansville, N. Y. Previously reported to be missing. Now known to be a prisoner in Germany.



LT. JAMES J. FERRY

**Ens. John D. O'Malley**, '43, Terre Haute, Ind. Previously reported to be missing. Now known to be a German prisoner.

**2nd Lt. John B. Hynes**, ex. '43, West Roxbury, Mass. Previously reported to be missing. Now known to be a German prisoner.

### Deaths Already Reported

*(In its October 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.)*

**1st Lt. Thomas J. Sengon**, ex. '39, Easton, Pa., lost his life on July 1 in the crash of a B-24 bomber on a routine flight from the Muroc Army Air Field in California. Three civilian technicians in the plane were also killed.

Tom was a veteran of numerous missions and of combat with the enemy in the Aleutian area. Inducted into the Army with his brother, Pfc. Francis W. Sengon, now in India, on June 29, 1941, he was awarded his wings at Brooks Field, Texas, on July 3, 1942. On Nov. 7, 1942, he was married to Miss Rita Hanratty of Yakima, Wash.

Tom had been employed as an underwriter by the Firemen's Insurance Co., Newark, N. J., following his years at Notre Dame. Surviving him are his wife, father, brother and seven sisters.

General H. H. Arnold, commanding the AAF, in writing to Tom's wife said

in part: "My attention has been called to Lieutenant Sengon's outstanding academic record at Brooks Field and to his excellent reputation as an airman. The fine manner in which he performed all his duties, particularly those assignments as a flying instructor, made his work of great value to his organization. He was an officer of strong character and stamina, a favorite with all who knew him well."

**Lt. James J. Ferry**, '41, Brazil, Ind., was killed in action in France on Aug. 22 as he was leading a tank platoon. Surviving him are his parents, five brothers and three sisters. Jim had been graduated from the Ft. Knox, Ky., armored school.

**1st Lt. James P. Grant**, ex. '46, St. Paul, Minn., died on Aug. 28 in France from wounds received in battle. Joining the invasion forces on June 10, he had fought through much of France and had received the Purple Heart.



**1ST LT. J. P. GRANT** of infantry, having been graduated, as second ranking cadet from St. Thomas Military Academy, St. Paul, in June, 1942. He went overseas in April, 1944.

Surviving Jim are his parents, three brothers (one of whom is in the Navy in the Pacific) and a sister.



1ST LT. THOMAS J. SENNON.

# THE ALUMNI

## Engagements

Miss Mary Frances O'Keefe and Arthur J. Mulholland, Jr., '36.

Mrs. Adela Hansen Zupan and Alexis Coquillard, Jr., '40.

Miss Evelyn Marie Clift and Frank J. Murphy, Jr., '40.

Miss Gwendolyn G. Kehl and Lt. Joseph E. Gore, Jr., '40.

Miss Cecilia Katherine Donohue and Frederick H. Paulmann, Jr., '42.

Miss Marie Donnelly and Vincent J. Cushing, ex. '45.

## Marriages

Miss Janet Elizabeth Prendergast and Raymond J. Keiser, '26, Phoenix, Ariz., Nov. 18.

Miss Barbara Conover and Clarence Beaulaurier, ex. '33, Great Falls, Mont., Aug. 13.

Miss Betty Jane Lahrman and Dr. Kenneth Laws, '36, Notre Dame, Nov. 9.

Miss Ruth F. Bachrach and Maurice M. Tulchinsky, '36, South Bend, Oct. 22.

Miss Beverly Marie Howe and Maj. Robert F. Schirf, '39, Beloit, Wis., Aug. 21.

Miss Mary Murphy and Sgt. John A. Siegel, '39, Newport, R. I., July 31.

Miss Mildred Warner and Sgt. Abe Zoss, '39, South Bend, Sept. 25.

Miss Ann Sweeney and Lt. (jg) Henry Johantgen, '39, Rochester, N. Y., Sept. 30.

Miss Iris Lucille Nybo and Lt. Edward D. Doyle, '40, San Diego, Calif., Sept. 1.

Miss Isabelle Crowley and Russell A. Kurtz, '40, Penns Grove, N. J., July 14.

Miss Ellen Murray and Lt. Charles B. McCanna, '40, Wauwatosa, Wis., Sept. 23.

Miss Marjorie L. Wilson and William M. Glenn, '41, Wilmington, Del., Feb. 5.

Miss Lois De Leers and Dr. Philip R. McCanna, '41, Marinette, Wis., Sept. 30.

Miss Geraldine M. Lowth and Dr. Eugene J. Ryan, '41, Philadelphia, Sept. 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Ching-Cheng Yang announce the marriage of their daughter, Su-Min, to Jackson Chia-Shan Chung, '42, Detroit, Oct. 28.

Miss Elizabeth Helen Pete and Cpl. William Eaton, '42, Notre Dame, Oct. 17.

Miss Ruth Marie Jankowski and Flight Officer James J. Rice, '42, LaCrosse, Wis., Nov. 18, 1944.

Miss Betty McInerney and Lt. (jg) William F. McGrath, '42.

Miss Mary Geraldine Roche and Sgt. Lester D. Fahey, '42, Reno, Nev., Oct. 14.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Noreen and Sub-Lt. Frederick E. Flynn, '42, Toronto, Can.

Miss Dorothy Marie Abel and Lt. (jg) James P. Parcell, '42, Notre Dame, Oct. 28.

Cpl. Patricia L. McDale, M.C.W.R., and Cpl. Joseph N. Marcin, '43, Edenton, N. C., Nov. 10.

Miss Mary A. Van Epps and John W. McDowell, '43, Chicago, Nov. 18.

Miss Janet P. Westburg and Lt. John F. Petty, ex. '43, Los Angeles, Oct. 21.

Miss Dorothy Ann O'Neill and William H. Bodden, '44, Notre Dame, Oct. 28.

Miss Virginia Hobbs and Ens. Edwin F. Belf, Jr., ex. '44, Pensacola, Fla., Sept. 20.

Miss Florence G. Kristowski and Vail W. Pischke, '44, South Bend, Nov. 5.

## Births

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Halpin, '27, announce the birth of a daughter, Margaret Mary, Oct. 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Frey, '30, announce the birth of a son, Robert Henry, Oct. 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Dericks, '31, announce the birth of a son, Peter Edward, July 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald F. Macdonald, '31, announce the birth of a son, Oct. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Tuohy, '31, announce the birth of a son, David Jerome, Jan 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard T. Roney, '32, announce the birth of a son, Richard T. Jr., Oct. 21.

Ens. and Mrs. James C. Curran, '34, announce the birth of a son, John James, Sept. 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond W. Oakes, '35, announce the birth of a daughter, Suzanne, Oct. 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene O'Brien, '35, announce the birth of a son, Frederick Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Verbanc, '35, announce the birth of a daughter, Margaret Kathryn, March 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Pieroni, '36, announce the birth of a daughter, Marina Antoinette, April 22.

Ens. and Mrs. James Bacon, ex. '37, announce the birth of a daughter, Kathleen Sue, Aug. 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gorman, '38, announce the birth of a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis S. Russell, '38, announce the birth of a son, Robert Patrick, Sept. 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas N. Armel, '39, announce the birth of a daughter, Kathleen Marcia, Sept. 25.

Ens. and Mrs. Theodore P. Frericks, '39, announce the birth of a son, Theodore Paul, Sept. 29.

Ens. and Mrs. John O'Connor, announce the birth of a daughter, Sept. 18.

Lt. (jg) and Mrs. Charles Reddy, '39, announce the birth of a daughter, Oct. 6.

Lt. and Mrs. Chester P. Sadowski, '39, announce the birth of a daughter, Mary Dorothy, Nov. 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Kelley, '40, announce the birth of a daughter, Judith Anne, April 16.

Capt. and Mrs. C. G. Oliveros, '41, announce the birth of a son, Oct. 1.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Joseph L. Buckler, '41, announce the birth of a son, Michael Joseph, Oct. 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo J. Robidoux, '41, announce the birth of a son, Donald Joseph, July 26.

Petty Officer 3/c and Mrs. John W. Cissne, '41, announce the birth of a daughter, Sept. 28.

Lt. and Mrs. William E. Cotter, Jr., '41, announce the birth of a daughter, Mary Denita.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Irwin, '41, announce the birth of a son, Leo James, Oct. 20.

Ens. and Mrs. Eugene Feklig, '43, announce the birth of a daughter, Kathryn Marie, June 30.

Cpl. and Mrs. Richard W. Kelly, '43, announce the birth of a son, Michael Joseph, Oct. 16.

Ens. and Mrs. John F. Treacy, '44, announce the birth of a son, John Francis II, Nov. 9.

## Deaths

George R. Cartier, Tacoma, Wash., who helped to organize and was quarterback of the first football team at Notre Dame in 1887, died in Tacoma on Oct. 21 at the age of 75 as the result of a heart attack.

Member of the family long noted in Notre Dame history, Mr. Cartier was one of four brothers who attended the University in the 1880's and 1890's. The other three were the late Warren A. Cartier, who gave to the University the ground for the present Cartier Field, the late William E. Cartier and Dezera E. Cartier, who resides in Ludington, Mich.

Surviving George R. Cartier are his wife and a daughter, Natalie; his brothers, D. E. of Ludington and Charles E. of South Bend, now on the business staff of the University, and a sister, Mrs. W. S. Taylor, Seattle, Wash.

At Notre Dame, Mr. Cartier was a catcher on the baseball team, in addition to his pioneering football activities. In Tacoma, he was prominent for many years in the lumber industry but was retired at the time of his death.

Ralph L. Glynn, ex. '02, St. Paul, Minn., died on April 3, 1944, after a short illness. Word of his death only recently reached the Alumni Office.

Mr. Glynn at the turn of the century was one of Notre Dame's best known athletes, excelling in football and track. Born in Saginaw, Mich., he spent his boyhood in Green Bay, Wis., and came from there to Notre Dame. In his later years he was known as one of the Twin Cities most ardent sportsmen, with a special skill in golf.

Always vitally interested in Notre Dame athletics, Mr. Glynn had a particular interest in the series of football games involving the universities of Minnesota and Notre Dame. He is survived by his wife, two daughters and two sisters.

Joseph J. Kovacs, '16, South Bend, was one of two members of his class who died in recent weeks.

Joe, attorney and manager of the South Bend branch of the Becker Roofing Co., died in his

residence after a six-week illness. Born in Throop, Pa., he moved to South Bend in 1912 and had lived there continuously since. One of his distinctions was that he had seen every Notre Dame home football game since 1912. He was an ardent golfer and bowler.

Surviving Joe are his wife, a son, who is an air cadet in the AAF, San Antonio, Texas, a daughter, two sisters and a brother.

**Joseph O'Sullivan**, '16, Mound City, Ill., attorney, was the second member of the '16 class to meet death lately. In St. Louis with his wife, he was stricken suddenly in a local hotel and removed to a hospital, where he died.

Joe had served as state's attorney of Pulaski County, Ill., for 12 years and at the time of his death was city attorney for Mound City. A veteran of World War I, he was a member of the American Legion, as well as chairman of the Pulaski County Chapter of the American Red Cross. He was appeals officer of the Pulaski County draft board and a fourth degree Knight of Columbus.

Surviving Joe, besides his wife, are his mother and three brothers, Albert, '18, Belvidere, Ill., and Dan, '23, Mound City, and Dr. George, ex. '25, St. Louis.

**William A. Benoiel**, ex. '12, Chicago, died in September, 1944, according to word from Fred Steers, '11, also of Chicago. Mr. Benoiel came to the University from Ann Arbor, Mich., for the year 1908-09 and won a monogram in track.

**Philip S. Dant**, '22, Louisville, died suddenly on Nov. 16 at El Paso, Texas, while he was en route to a sanatorium in Arizona. In ill health for 19 months, Phil had been a patient in a Lexington, Ky., sanatorium for the past year.

In the insurance business in Louisville for a time, Phil was later associated with the Kentucky River Distillery Co. He was a member of a family prominent for many years in the Kentucky distillery business. His father was Samuel J. Dant, former vice-president of the Taylor and Williams Distilleries.

Phil is survived by his wife, his daughter, his mother and two brothers. The brothers are J. William, ex. '19, and Maurice, N., ex. '25.

**William C. Gilchrist**, ex. '24, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, died on Sept. 8 in his home.

One of the best known advertising men in Canada, Bill was an original member of the advertising firm of Cockfield, Brown and Co., Ltd., in Toronto, and had been a director of the firm for the past 11 years.

Bill was born in Buffalo, N. Y., but moved to Canada early in his life. He attended St. Michael's College, Toronto, before he enrolled at Notre Dame. He had spent three years in France with the 63rd Battery, C.F.A., of London, Ontario, in World War I.

Surviving Bill are his wife, two daughters and a sister. He was buried after solemn requiem Mass in the Church of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Toronto.

The "Alumnus" extends sincere sympathy to: **John P. Cullen**, '22, on the death of his father; **Lt. Cmdr. Barry Holton**, '22, on the death of his father; **Lt. Edward J. Murray**, '31, on the death of his mother; **Sgt. Evron Reinbolt**, '32, on the death of his father; **Louis Rohlf**, '32, on the death of his mother; **Arthur**, '37, **Richard**, ex. '39, and **Walter**, '41, Cronin on the death of their brother.

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

"Red" Salmon, is chief engineer for the Stevens Hotel, Chicago, according to reports reaching the campus.

For the first time since 1912, **Casper Althen**, Chicago, visited the campus for the Northwestern game. He was accompanied by **John McNellis**, '27, also of Chicago.

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

**Forrest Fletcher**, Lexington, Va., is recuperating from a serious illness. His close friend, **Freddie Steers**, brought this word to the campus on the day of the Northwestern game. Mr. Fletcher, long widely known in college circles in the South, is a professor emeritus in Washington and Lee University.

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

After much cross-country trekking, **George Regan**, Chicago, in his professional engineering work is now with the Elwood Ordnance Plant, near Joliet, Ill., as engineer.

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

**Harry F. Kelly**, '17, governor of Michigan, was re-elected on Nov. 7 by a substantial majority and will hold office for another two-year term. Governor Kelly preceded **Thomas F. Byrne**, '28, now serving, as president of the Alumni Association.

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

**George Haller**, has returned to Ann Arbor, Mich., after serving as a captain in the Marine Corps.

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

**Slip Madigan**, coach at the University of Iowa, was again on the speaker's rostrum at the Chicago "Herald-American" Monday Quarterback Club in mid-October.

From Lt. Col. **Sherwood Dixon**, Washington, D. C., to **Leo Ward**:

"One day last spring, word reached me that I had been observed passing through California on my way to the S.W.P. The following day a friend wrote my wife that he had just seen me entering a transport at the New York P. of E. Neither report was quite correct. I was knee-deep in the swamp water of a southern maneuver area. Recently I noted an item in an 'Alumnus' which overtook me (I change address nearly every rent day) requesting verification of the report that I was on General Marshall's staff. This latter statement is substantially correct. I am in the office of the Chief of Staff—but the outside office, and several doors down the hall.

"Several months ago the Army mistook my prematurely gray hair for a sign of advanced age, transferred me to the War Department General Staff and assigned me to the Special Planning Division. After three and a half years

of strenuous infantry duty, the comfortable berth here was a great relief to bones gnawed by the chiggers of every state that succeeded in 1861. Nevertheless, it did not fortify my pride to be classed as overage for troop duty—not while I think I can still keep up with the youngsters. But of course that's just one man's opinion.

"Among other elder statesmen who I have encountered here on the third floor of the Pentagon are two old friends from the Notre Dame of the pre-World War 1 era—**Joe Gargan**, '17, a top flight executive in the office of the Undersecretary of War, and **Lt. Col. Ray Kelly**, '15, who works under General Somervell.

"We foregather occasionally, muttering into our beards uncomplimentary remarks about the Army going to the dogs now, with a lot of young squirts in command of regiments. However, I remember one hot day in 1919 or 1920, and **Joe Pliska**, '15, feebly trying to pull off a pair of shoulder pads and gasping, 'It's a young man's game.' Maybe there is something in it.

"Remember me kindly to the senile survivors of the Class of 1920."

**Jim Wheeler**, Milwaukee, for many years in charge of the industrial chemical division of the Hercules Powder Co., has with **Ed Redmond**, '30, purchased the soap and soap powder division from Hercules. They are operating it as the Essentials Chemicals Co. in Milwaukee. Jim is the president and Ed is the secretary and treasurer. The former will direct distribution and the latter research and manufacturing.

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

Football prospects at the Cherry Point base took an upward turn when it was learned that **Capt. Clipper Smith**, one of the nations leading coaches before the war, had been ordered to report there for duty as recreation and athletic director.

**Lt. Callix Miller**, South Bend, after 19 months with the Seabees in the Pacific theater of war, returned to the states and is now stationed at Princeton University in the School of Military Government. Callix has a couple of sons in the Navy too.

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

From **Kid Ashe**:

**Jim Foren**, a civilian attached to the Army Air Corps concerned with production problems, is now stationed in Cleveland. Jim resides at 14150 Superior Road, Cleveland. He formerly lived in Detroit.

**John Paul Cullen**, adjudicator of claims for the Veterans Bureau, now has offices in the Customs' Bldg., Chicago. He had been located at the Edward Hines Jr. Hospital, Hines, Ill., near Chicago.

Last summer one of the Cleveland papers presented a feature write-up of **Pete Champion**, president of the Champion Rivet Co. The article described Pete's career in schooling and in business.

**Bill Castellini** is giving a course in public relations at Xavier Labor School, the first of several schools dealing with the pressing social problems of the day, established by the Xavier University, Cincinnati. Bill also teaches applied psychology in the evening division of Xavier. He is manager of the civic department of the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce and executive secretary of the Greater Cincinnati Savings and Loan Exchange. More recently he was appointed

chairman of the Camp and Hospital Committee of the Cincinnati and Hamilton County Chapter of the American Red Cross, of which he is a director.

**1923** Paul H. Castner, 26 Hoyt Ave., New Canaan, Conn.

Mike Seyfrit, Carlinville, Ill., has joined the American Red Cross and volunteered for overseas duty.

### FT. BENNING MISSION

Eight C.S.C. priests aided in conducting a mission at one of the largest Army posts in the country, Fort Benning, Ga., in November. Services were in 16 Chapels scattered over the 310 square miles of the Fort. The priests were Fathers Joseph E. Hart, Harold W. Riley, John J. Foley, James V. Lowery, Daniel M. Gleason, Philip C. Kelly, Walter K. Conway and Charles R. Callahan.

Glenn Hatch, '28, reports that Ed Baker and he live in the same town, Needham, Mass.

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

'Brother Ernest, C.S.C., is founder and editor of "Junior Books," a bi-monthly published at Notre Dame, devoted to reviews of books for Catholic youth, for parents, teachers and librarians.

John Kilkenny has completed a term as president of the Oregon State Bar.

Tribute to the service of President Kilkenny was paid by the members of the bar following the completion of his term of office. On behalf of the board and other members of the bar, the new president of the bar presented a beautiful pocket watch to John as an expression of the appreciation for his service.

Willfred Walz is the new prosecuting attorney in St. Joe County, Ind. (South Bend), having been elected on Nov. 7 in the Democratic sweep in the county. Dr. Thaddeus Goraczewski, '31, was re-elected county coroner at the same time. In the congressional district, Bob Grant, '28, LL.B., '30, South Bend, a Republican, won over Marshall Kizer, '30, of Plymouth, with whom he had finished in law at Notre Dame. Bob lost St. Joe County but picked up the winning votes in the other three counties of the district.

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

Joe Shea, who as promotion manager returned to the Statler Hotel in Detroit from his army service, is now with the Statler in Washington, D. C., in a similar position according to the sturdy citizens who venture into the national capital.

Major John W. Kane, Binghamton, N. Y., attended Lt. George Meltzer, '41, when George was confined to a hospital in England as the result of critical head injuries which he suffered at the completion of an air mission over the Continent. Because of the injuries George was later hospitalized in this country for five months and subsequently given a medical discharge. He

is now back at Notre Dame as a graduate student in philosophy.

Ray Keiser, formerly of the New York AP general desk, is now chief of the Phoenix, Ariz., bureau of the Associated Press.

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

Joe Greeley, M.A., '27, club director of the American Red Cross, after successfully establishing Red Cross clubs and canteens in the Solomons and New Guinea, is now working in Burma. A native of Maine, he, at the age of 41, enlisted in the Army Air Corps after Pearl Harbor, refusing commissions from both the Army and Navy. After an accident at the conclusion of a year's service, Joe was given a medical discharge from the Air Corps. But the G.I. bug had bitten him and the infection spread rapidly, so Joe did the next possible thing, and found an outlet for his G.I. fervor and patriotism in the ARC as a club director.

Malcolm Hatfield, St. Joseph, Mich., was, for the fourth four-year term, elected probate judge of Berrien County at the Nov. 7 election. Malcolm has held the office since 1932 and has become nationally known for work and speaking and writing in his field.

**1928** Lou's F. Buckley, 4481 MacArthur Blvd., Washington, D. C.

From Buck:

John McMahon sent a note from the Industrial Hygiene Foundation, 4400 Fifth Ave., Pittsburgh, transmitting a copy of "Public Safety" for September, published by the National Safety Council carrying a picture of Art Stenius as one of Detroit's safety program planners. It was the first time John had "seen" Art since the campus years.

Herbert P. McCabe responded to my request for a letter with a fine letter from New York. He sees Louie Carr and Tom Purcell regularly. Louie is living in Spring Lake, has a family of four children and is manager of the local bus company operating in Asbury Park and vicinity. Tom is practicing law in New York City and is married and has two children. He lives in East Orange. Herb mentioned that John Colrick is assistant manager of the Hotel Alamac in New York. He met Turk Kelly strolling along Broadway one evening and sees Jack Lavalle occasionally.

Bud Callagy is assistant corporation counsel of New York City and boasts of three "young uns" thus far. Russ Riley is in the Army and Wee Brown is superintendent of schools in East Orange. Herb was with Jim Curry in Boston for the Dartmouth game and in Baltimore for the Navy game.

Thanks for the news, Herb. Sorry you didn't tell us something about yourself.

John Wingerter called me the other day when he was in Washington on business. Jack had recently returned from an overseas assignment for "Time," Incorporated. He is doing experimental work now for "Time" in this country, involving post-war plans. He is married and lives in New York City.

Congratulations to Bob Grant of South Bend on his re-election to Congress for a fourth term.

Although Glenn Hatch had not seen any '28 men, I appreciated his cooperation in responding to my appeal for news. Glenn lives in Needham, Mass., and is with the Lehigh Portland Cement Company, 250 Stuart St., Boston.

Dick Weppner has left the War Production Board to accept a position with Bowman Gum, Incorporated, 4865 Stenton Ave., Philadelphia.

Since this is being written during the month of November, I would like to suggest that we remember the following classmates who died since we left the campus: Matthew J. Carney, LL.D., '28; Sidney Elder, A.B., '26, LL.B., '28; George Fick, Jim Gray, Harold Halpin, Joe Hebert., George Kiener, Roswell Leahy, Dr. Bill O'Brien, Frank O'Toole, Joe Prelli, Leo Schneider, Al Thomas and Ed Walsh. I am asking our close friend, Father Gallagan, to remember them in his Mass.

I would also like to mention some of the deceased faculty members who were good friends of our class including Fathers Albertson, Nieuwland, Stack, O'Malley, Farley, Brother Cyprian, Judge Wooten, Mr. Hines, Knute Rockne, Tom Mills, Charles Phillips, John Nicholson and George Keogan.

Ed Carringer wrote from 2800 W. Grand Blvd., Detroit:

"I regret that I am unable to contribute something worthwhile, but unfortunately I have had no contact with '28 men since long ago. In fact when I received the note from Louie, I was making plans to attend a Notre Dame feather party at the Book-Cadillac hotel in the hopes of seeing some '28 faces in the gathering.

"I am making some attempt to support Buck's position in Washington; I am a field representative for Detroit regional WPB."

Joe Geraghty's letter from 77 Nottingham Ed., Rochester, N. Y., was as welcome as New York up-state returns were to Bill Jones and me on election night. Joe writes as follows:

"Joe Debott is still in Geneva, managing the leading haberdashery shop. Still a bachelor, but an ardent N-D fan each and every Saturday afternoon, even after the Navy, Army games. John Larsen is city health officer in Geneva and doing a fine job. He is married and, I believe, has two or three children. Jimmy Berrie, is running a farm between Geneva, N. Y. and Canandaigua, New York and, on Saturday nights, he plays the fiddle in an orchestra in order that all his friends from the various committees may have a little relaxation.

"Joe Spillane is in the Merchant Marine in the west some place. Up until his entrance in the Armed Forces, Joe had a thriving law business in Geneva. Don Corbett is practicing law in Rochester, is married and is well on his way to having a N.D. football team. He has the four backfield men now and no doubt will soon have the line. John Stewart is living in Virginia, just outside of Washington, and is working for one of the leading papers in Washington, D. C. Charlie Sheiasky is still living in Long Island outside of New York City.

"Well, Louie, as for your reporter, I am still connected with the leading brokerage house of Rochester, N. Y., George D. B. Bonbright & Co., 100 Powers Bldg. Have been with the same firm since August 29, 1929. I see Larry Callahan of Vermont fame, every so often when he is sent to Rochester to examine the banks. Larry is married and has one child. His permanent address is New York City.

"Would like to hear some news about Barry Mahoney from Wyoming and Tom McMahon from Minnesota who used to room in good old Corby."

Thanks to Frank Galarzy, it is possible to include here some news from New York City. Frank writes from 1306 Troy Ave., Brooklyn, as follows:



"Lt. Col. Tom Noon is now at the Marine Air Corps Base, Cherry Point, N. C., after spending 18 months in the South Pacific. His family, wife and three boys, are with him. Capt. George Connor is in the Signal Corps in Washington, D. C.

"Ralph Garza has been a New York resident for about two years, representing the Benco Nacional de Conuricio Exteor, S. A.

"I spent a very enjoyable evening at the Army game rally with John and Mrs. Antus and Bud and Mrs. Topping. John continues quite the legal man in New York where he is now living. Bud is a Port Washingtonian during the spare hours from Johns Manville."

Also rallying at the Army game reunion, according to Frank, were Bill Cronin, the Bob Hamiltons, Pinky Martin, '27, now of Lebanon, Pa., the Cortlands, Justin Corcran, '27, Jack Lavelle and Kansas City-resident Bill Pluechel, '27, air express manager of TWA.

From Capt. Dan Bradley: somewhere in New Guinea:

"I'm a bit of a veteran now with two campaigns and one actual skirmish under my belt, the last being at our last landing when my detachment was ambushed by a Jap patrol and Bradley sweated it out in a ditch for what seemed like an eternity with grenades and rifle bullets whistling in the dark.

"I've met few N. D. men since joining up over two years ago. Steve Richtarsic, ex. '29, (now a major, M.C., in England) was with me for a good while at Drew Field in Florida and we had fun, both our wives being with us. Edith, his wife, had their second youngster around the first of the year.

"At Greenville, S. C., Jim Biggins, '31, was with me and his wife made my life pleasant with her good cooking and hospitality. Jim is overseas as flight surgeon with a fighter group. He's a captain. Incidentally, I've Jim's and Steve's AFO but some of the boys will have to write to get them. That's one way of getting mail. Jim, by the way, has a swell boy.

"Then I had a big surprise at this base. I went down to a field hospital to see what these bloody hospital jokers were doing to screw up a poor surgeon with a line outfit when who do I bump into but Capt. Guy Loranger, '28, whom I hadn't set eyes on since June 3, 1928. There he was, looking as if he could go a fast three rounds. We recognized one another instantly. Guy has four children, one N. D., three St. Mary's.

"Lately I've been hearing from some of the boys and Louis Buckley might like the dope. Ed (B'klyn) Brennan, '28, the demon Dodger fan, is a resident of Waltham, Mass., but still a Flatbush rooter at heart. He and his lovely wife, Kay, have four little girls.

"William (Cross-country Bill) Brown, '29, late of Racine, now Wauwatosa, Wis., and Allis Chalmers big shot, has four daughters and twin sons on the way, although how he knows is beyond me. But my erstwhile roommate was always a sharp, so could be.

"Vic Fisher, '28, after North Africa, Sicily, Salerno, for two years, did a tour in the hospital and now has been pulled back to the States (he must live right) as instructor at the engineer school at Ft. Belvoir, Va. All of which didn't make his pretty wife, Frances, mad. John Seiter is still in Lexington, Mo., still a bachelor but still a civilian. Father Harry Ryan, '27, is in Iowa, where he's switched from pigs and

chickens to breeding saddle horses. He tells me one won a prize recently. He's one of my most faithful spies.

"Al Taylor, '28, Father O'Hara's server at 5:30 Mass, (how did he ever get up?), finally came out of hiding, no doubt inspired by the example of French patriots, and wrote me a letter. He's married and has a daughter. Al's with the Federal Department of Justice.

"Ed Brennan tells me another of the Brooklyn gang, George Byrne, '28, has married a very Powers' type of gal and was ready to hand out cigars any time, but no word of the result. Ed also says Joe Lenihan, '29, is in the Navy and seeing active service; Al Duffy, '29, is still a hustling barrister in New York. Harry Ryan says Jim Quinn, '27, is also a naval lieutenant.

"That's about all except I don't remember if I told you the Bradley's have Ann Marie, born June 18, 1942. About that time I was beating the drum preparing for martial efforts and probably didn't write."

A V-mail from Phil O'Connor, Iceland:

"Eddie Rafter, '28, and I used to hold club meetings after Sunday Mass last spring, but he packed his barracks bag some time ago and moved to warmer climes. Father Fitzgerald, C.S.C., was up here on the 'Rock' for a time also, but I never got to meet him.

"Tom Noon, '28, was a lieutenant colonel down in the South Pacific the last time I heard from his wife—he's probably a full colonel somewhere else by now."

Wayne H. Ewing, RT 2 c, is overseas out of the Fleet P. O., San Francisco, according to a very thoughtful note from his father.

A good-sized chunk of the remarkable showing this season of the Cleveland Rams in the football pro league should be handed to Joe Benda, the team's assistant coach, who was on leave from St. John's College in Minnesota. When the Green Bay Packers beat the Rams in an exciting tussle, Curly Lambeau, Packer coach, said the Rams were the most spirited team in the league.

**1929** Major Joseph P. McNamara, 1314 N. Court House Rd., Arlington, Va.

Rev. Joseph Voorde, C.S.C., spent a 30-day vacation with his parents in South Bend, before reporting at the foreign missionary seminary in Washington for reassignment to missionary work in India. He returned from India in 1941 and has been in the U. S. since.

The "Indiana Pharmacist" reports as follows:

"Wilfrid J. Ullrich, first vice-president of the Indiana Pharmaceutical Association, represents the third generation of his family to operate the Ullrich Drug Store of Aurora. Born in Aurora 36 years ago, Wilfrid attended St. Joseph College, later receiving his Ph.D., from Notre Dame in 1929. The same year he married Eleanor Klimek of South Bend and the Ullrich family is now one of the largest pharmacist families in the state—six children, four boys and two girls.

"Wilfrid has held the offices of third and second vice-president in the state association and is also secretary of the Southeastern Indiana Drug Club. Active in local civic affairs, he is past president and director of the Aurora Commercial Club; secretary of the Aurora Rotary Club; secretary of the Aurora Council, Knights of Columbus; troop committeeman and former scoutmaster, Boy Scouts; treasurer of the Dear-

born County Tuberculosis Association; vice-president of the Dearborn County Infantile Paralysis Association, and director of the Aurora Farmers Fair Association.

"Since the above offices, together with the operation of his pharmacy, leave him with extra time on his hands, he also has a sideline which he considers his hobby! News reporting! He does admit, however, that he has had a little difficulty lately acting as local correspondent for the 'Cincinnati Enquirer,' 'Cincinnati Post' and the United Press. Like a good Hoosier, though, he covers and reports all the local basketball games. Whew!"

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

From Harold Duke:

Paul Heidkamp is our first source of news. His interesting report follows:

"Art Peterson is a very busy furniture exec. Also has four children, and lives in Evanston, Ill. Charlie Smallwood is with the Carroll Construction Co., and the last I knew was kept very busy. He lives in River Forest, Ill., and has four children. Jerry Holland is still with F.H.A. and claims that Pat and Mike will be prospects for the football team about 1960. Bob Bey, last I knew was with Grey, Hunter, Stenn, C.P.A.'s in the Pure Oil Bldg. I see Benny Benedetto at lunch occasionally. Royal Higgins is in business for himself—consultant radio engineer. He's the same old Roy—bubbling over with friendship and enthusiasm. As for myself, I'm with Tyhman, Pond & Co. Been there ever since 1930. Cele and I are the proud parents of five, three boys and two girls." (Thanks, Paul)

Next, we are indebted to Bill Bromann for additional sidelights on fellows in and around Chicago. Bill says:

"I am still living in Oak Park, have a nice home and a family of three children; two girls and one boy. I am in the butcher supply business in Chicago and also manufacture refrigerators, but during the war we are kept busy supplying the armed forces with other necessary items. Tom Foran was in Chicago about a month ago. He is working for a big contractor in California and likes it very much. Joe Haberkorn and his family are now living in Florida. Joe has a nice job in Miami, but he comes back to Chicago every once in a while to see his many friends. Milton Fox is a big beer baron. He is running the Peter Fox Brewing Co. in Chicago, Grand Rapids and Marion, Ind. I see Jhannie Moran quite often. He is living here in Oak Park. Bill Miller, a j.g. in the Navy, paid me a visit when he passed through on his way to Princeton. I would like to hear from some of the old gang, such as Walt Scholand, George Winkler and John Bitter."

To make things more interesting, we have a note from Tom Murphy, which reads as follows:

"Before leaving Franklin, Pa., I occasionally saw Gene Fleckenstein who is now manager of the Keystone Electric Co. Gene is married and has two daughters. He hasn't put on much weight and looks the same as he did at school. My old friend, Bob Weschler, is in the shoe business with his father in Erie. Bob is married and has a daughter. After 14 years with L. Sonneborn Sons, I resigned my position as assistant technical director and accepted the position of assistant general manager of manufacture of the Barber Asphalt Corp. My main office is at 30 Rockefeller Plaza, although a great deal of my time will be spent at our refinery and lab in Barber, N. J. I am moving my wife, daughter and son to 705 Pierpont St., Rahway.

N. J." (Thanks, Tom, and good luck in your new job)

While in Baltimore for the Navy game, I ran into C. J. Sullivan, who is with Petroleum Heat and Power, and Sully was quite anxious to have me extend an invitation through this column for all Thirties to be sure and look him up if they have occasion to get to Baltimore. I also had the good fortune to meet up with Bernie Conroy and his charming wife down from Pittsburgh to see us take a licking from Navy and also had a quick handshake and word with Clarence Kozak who is in government work. Much the same can be said for both "Kozie" and Bernie in that they haven't changed much.

I went to New York last week to attend the Army rout and at the rally on Friday night shared a table with Dick Bloom and his party. Dick and I did some scouting around to find Thirties and really did all right. The first one we met was Earl Barry and his perennial pipe. Then along came Ed Arthur, looking as youthful as the day he left school. Harry Draves nearly slipped away because we didn't recognize him at first in his Army uniform and "loogie" bars. Warren Fogel had a table right up in the front row, so it was easy to pick him out and get over to exchange greetings and meet his lovely wife. Warren helped us locate Tim Toomey, gracious and friendly as ever.

Just as festivities were about to start got a fleeting glance of Larry Cronin but before I could get to him he disappeared, but who should be on the spot but Chuck Rohr, so had a minute with him. Later a distinguished looking gent was hurrying past our table and we thought he looked familiar—it was none other than Lou Stettler. Lou was in a hurry, so we let him off with a promise to look us up or write soon.

Next to pop up with a big friendly smile and handshake was Tom Lantry. There were probably some others we missed, but when we called it a night we felt pretty happy that we had the good fortune to run into so many of the old classmates. We're stopping at that because the next day did not turn out so pleasantly in Yankee Stadium.

#### ESCAPES FROM JAP CAMP

Lt. Col. John H. McGee, ex. '30, Minot, N. D., is believed to be a patient in a New Guinea hospital after spending more than two years as a Japanese prisoner on Mindanao Island and after service with guerrillas in the Philippines following his escape from a Jap prison camp.

John was evacuated from Mindanao, it is believed, after he and his band of guerrillas assisted in the rescue of 83 United States officers and enlisted men who had escaped from a Japanese prison ship after the vessel was torpedoed by an American submarine. The 83 had been Jap prisoners for two and one half years.

John was at Notre Dame in 1926-27 and then entered West Point, where he was commissioned in 1931. His wife and young daughter live in Plymouth, Wis.

Wendell Lensing, Evansville, Ind., was elected county probate judge in the Nov. 7 election. Wendell was appointed to the bench early in 1943 by Governor Schricker to fill an unexpired term, so this was his first campaign for the post. He won by 4,900 votes, standing highest as to majority among the county Democratic candi-

dates. A substantial decline in juvenile delinquency in the county was attributed in large measure to his handling of juvenile matters and especially his enforcement of the curfew law.

From a U.S. troop carrier base in the European Theater of Operations comes word of the excellent services of Father Ed Fitzgerald, C.S.C., chaplain of a wing within the unit. Father Fitz served as "padre" for the wing on two invasions: southern France and Normandy.

## 1931

Former chief deputy county treasurer of Clarfield County, Pa., Cpl. Tom Price, DuBois, Pa., is serving "down under" with a veteran infantry division somewhere in New Guinea.

From Tom Monahan, Arcola, Illinois:

"I saw the coffee magnate of south Texas, Bill Berning, this summer. He is still his same old self, and the true southern host. Might suggest anyone visiting south Texas to visit Bill at Beeville, Texas. Ran into Lt. (jg) Mike Kenny in the Roosevelt Hotel in New Orleans this summer. He was then stationed at Gulfport, Miss. Called on Jim Barr, ex. '31, at Elsa, Texas, but he was on his vacation. Gordon (Tom) Lawler, '30, is seeing Hawaii now in a Navy uniform."

Bud Tuohy is now with the FBI in N. Y. C. Lt. Cmdr. Larry (Moon) Mullins was in October named athletic director of the Iowa Pre-Flight school. Frank Kersjes is sales manager of the Lacey Webber company, Kalamazoo, Mich.

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

From Jim Collins:

Lieutenant Bill McCormick who has been engineering officer at the Amphibious Training Base at Little Creek, Va., for the past year has been detached, and is assigned to a landing craft repair ship. He expects to be in Jacksonville for about two months while putting the ship in commission.

Lt. (jg) Paul O'Toole has left this area and reported to the Armed Guard Center at Brooklyn Navy Yard for duty on a merchant troop transport.

Lt. Ed Melchione is intelligence officer with a motor torpedo boat squadron which was formed on the east coast. He held a similar position in Chicago for some time and then was sent to the Advanced Intelligence School. He says they had a rough time riding the PT boats this fall, but he is extremely pleased with his present assignment.

Gabe Moran, SK 3 c, writes from Newfoundland that the duty is very satisfactory up there, and that the weather is no worse than Indiana's. He is still looking for the first other ND man in that area, however.

Charley Hitzelberger is with a Red Cross unit and is in the South Pacific war zone with a Marine regiment. He was in Hawaii long enough to attend a Notre Dame Club meeting there with Bob Lee, John Litcher and Hank Denalty, the latter three all lieutenants (jg)s. Hitzie has moved on from there, and Litch has moved on to what the Navy innocently calls "the forward area." Bob has been attending the University of Hawaii for special courses in safety engineering which he can probably use very well since he is supervising the loading and unloading of ammunition ships.

Paul Daly is a captain in the Army Medical Corps and is stationed in the Hawaiian Island

area. He is one of the regular attendants of the ND club's meetings there. Incidentally, Lt. Frank Lesky was the club's speaker recently. He is attached to the Submarine Command and is setting up recreational programs in the forward areas.

Ray Pfeiffer has been appointed advertising manager and sales manager of the Cummins Distillery Corp., in Louisville. Ted Halpin writes that he sees very few of the ND men around Indianapolis as most of them are in the service or just too busy on their home front jobs for much social activity.

Shep Chevallier is running his sheep ranch near Helena, Mont. He is married and has four children. Lt. Dan Hanley is on duty with the Naval Training Station at Treasure Island, Calif. Lt. Frank Gaal has been ordered to the Naval Air Station, Alameda, Calif. Nardy Hoffman is a lieutenant (jg) in the Navy, and is stationed in England.

Lt. Charlie Fiss has been detached from Camp Bradford and ordered to the Pacific as an aide to Admiral Conolly.

Father H. A. Heintskill, C.S.C., who is a lieutenant in the Navy Chaplain Corps, returned recently from the invasion of southern France aboard the Tulagi. His ship, a small carrier, was mentioned in press releases for being in the thick of the entire battle. After they completed the invasion they went to Malta where he visited several ancient monasteries and convents. They put in at Alexandria and were the first American warship in that harbor in over four years. He mentioned that Lt. Marty Barnes, '36, was the communications officer on the ship.

Bob Whitecotton, ex. '36, is on duty at the Naval Supply Depot here as a storekeeper. He is from Greencastle, Ind.

Lt. (jg) Don O'Toole has been sent to the Allied Military Government school at Princeton, and at the completion of the four month course expects immediate overseas duty.

Barry O'Keefe is a lieutenant commander having been promoted to that rank recently. He is one of the first members of the class to be commissioned in the Navy, and has had considerable sea duty both in the Atlantic and the Pacific. He is now stationed in Washington. Congratulations, Barry, and I believe that ranks you as the top naval man in our class.

Lt. (jg) Jim Wardell is stationed in Pittsburgh but is doing considerable travelling around the country for the Navy.

Dick Roney is living in Philadelphia, and is passing out cigars as he and his wife have a new son born Oct. 21. Dick is with Conover-Nast publications.

Stan Cspalki made his annual trip to the Army game and reports that among the many he saw there were Gene Connelly, Fran Oelrich, Neil Hurley and Art McManmon. Stan writes that John Healey, '31, is still in Dixon and has temporarily left the drug business to work in a defense plant, and that Doc Carney, '31, is a captain in the Army Medical Corps and is stationed in Burma. Bea Salvaty is a naturalization examiner in Chicago.

Lt. Don Ryan is still in charge of war production problems at the Norfolk Navy Yard and expects to be in Chicago early in December for a national meeting of war production supervisors.

A letter from Jim Trotter revealed that his brother, Bob, '29, was a captain in the corps of engineers, U. S. Army, and, from the latest information, was somewhere in France. Jim is

now in Chicago as vice president and chief engineer of the Royal Electric Manufacturing Co. **Jim O'Shaughnessy**, assistant general attorney for the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad in Chicago and one of the city's leaders in the Catholic Action movement, addressed the South Bend Catholic Forum on Oct. 16, on his C. A. activities. His one-time N. D. roommate, **Rev. John H. Wilson, C.S.C.**, vocational director of Holy Cross Seminary on the campus, was the chairman of the meeting. Jim lives in Hubbard Woods, Chicago suburb, and has two children.

**Bill Berning** wrote that Lt. Jim McNerny, ex. '41, flying Marine, was stationed in Beeville, Texas, at the Naval Air Training Station as instructor. Lt. J. E. Krall, '29, was also at the same station.

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

**Jim Kenny**, Niles, Mich., is a U.S.N.R. lieutenant, junior grade. Through FPO, San Francisco, comes word that Lt. (jg) Ed Gausselein has run across **Jack O'Shaughnessy**, Jules de la Vergne, Seton Staley and Charles Medland in his travels.

Pvt. **Mike Koken**, South Bend, was wounded while serving with the field artillery in France on Aug. 7. Mike entered the Army in Sept., 1943, and trained at Fort Bragg, N. C. He was sent to England in March, 1944, and landed in France two days after the invasion. In South Bend before his induction Mike was supervisor of the Tucker Trucking Lines.

Lt. Cmdr. **Lucien Kempf**, Staten Island, N. Y., returned lately from the South Pacific on a 30-day rest leave, having been in the PTO for two years. Lucien had completed his second tour of duty in the Pacific as an officer of a patrol-squadron of Navy flying boats, a post in which he participated in many thrilling rescues at sea of Army and Navy pilots shot down in combat.

A delightful letter from **Spike Dillman's** wife reveals that his address is APO, San Francisco, and that wherever Spike goes he meets "someone who knew someone" at Notre Dame. At OCS, Fort Belvoir, Va., last summer he ran into **Raymond Kane**, '38.

### 1934 Joseph E. Glennon, Jr., Brook Manor, Pleasantville, N. Y.

From Joe Glennon:

In October's issue, I mentioned that Lt. **Gerry Farrell** was up in the front with Patton's 3rd Army. About the time we were reading that item, Gerry had sacrificed his life for God, Country and Notre Dame. We shall always remember his manner and rugged individualism, which won him a host of friends. Our sincerest sympathy to his wife, the former **Lucille Odenbach**, sister of **John** and **Bob Odenbach**, and his parents.

Received a card from **Capt. Fagan's** wife, Gen. She was visiting with Jim in Chicago, where he is stationed (address—Illinois Athletic Club). While there they celebrated **Jim Jr.'s** first birthday.

Recently I came across the following news item. "How would you like to receive four of the Sacraments in Peter's Basilica in Rome? . . . That recently happened to Pfc. A. C. Trost of New York and Pvt. David Dean of Brooklyn, who received the sacraments of Baptism, Penance and Confirmation one day, and the Holy Eucharist the next . . . They were instructed in the faith by Pfc. **Vincent McAloon**, a graduate of Notre Dame, and an ardent Catholic Actionist." Nice going, Vince!!



**Albert C. Hitzelberger, '32, Utica, N. Y.**, has arrived in Hawaii to serve the armed forces as an American Red Cross assistant field director. Until his Red Cross appointment, Al was employed by the Savage Arms Corporation, and previously was assistant resident manager of Whiteley and Buckalew, Utica.

Down in New Orleans recently I was pleased to find **Ed Spurl** keeping things under control at United Fruit. **Harry Spurl** is in the insurance business and was in Boston witnessing the Notre Dame-Dartmouth game.

**John Roche**, who is living on Staten Island and has two youngsters who keep him tied down, sends the following news item:

"Last month, I saw **Joseph I. Hayes** when he lost his father. Joe lives at 502 Summer Ave., Newark, N. J.; he is working for the Navy Department in that city. Joe is married and has a young daughter. **Frank J. Brady** married a charming girl from Chicago, his home town, last April. They are now living at 3563 83 St. Jackson Heights, L. I., N. Y. **Frank** came to N. Y. with a Detroit engineering firm to work on a Navy job for a year. **Frank** tells me his brother-in-law, **Dick Cahill** from Chicago, now lives in St. Paul, Minn.

"**Tom Harrington** is now a Navy lieutenant out in the Pacific, after a short tour of duty in the Atlantic. Tom and his wife have a son, just one year old. In a letter received last week, he told of twisting his knee while playing ball with some of the crew.

"Like myself, **Wells Robison** is working for the Army Engineers. He is in the Great Lakes Survey district and I am in the New York district. He has a son and daughter the same age as my two children, and is living in Detroit (889 Philip Ave). **Norb Schenkel** is still in the contracting business in Fort Wayne, Ind. **Brady** tells me **Norb** and his wife expect to visit New York about Oct. 12th.

"**Ed Fitzmaurice** of Indiana is in the Navy; the last I heard of him he was in Brazil. (**Red**) **Mike Fox** of Indianapolis is in the Navy; he gets around quite a bit.—New York, Washington and London. **Tom Dalton** and **Walt Dupray** are in

the Navy. **Ed Philbin** is in the Army and has been with the Signal Corps in the South Pacific for a long time.

"I met **Charley Huisiking** at the New York Club meeting; it was the first time I had seen him in years. His brother **Frank** was killed when his bomber was brought down in France. **Bill** has just been commissioned in the Army. **Jack Mullen**, who is in the Navy, married a South Bend girl recently. I was sorry to read in the "Alumnus" that **Willie Green's** brother, **Tom, '33**, had died recently.

"**Jim Forrest** reports that he met **Jim O'Brien**, who conducts a plumbing and mill supply business in Pittsfield, Mass. He also reports that he has recently seen **Lt. George Shields**, **Charles Huisiking**, **Bob Hamilton**, **Bill Fromm**, and **Chick Mara**, all of whom are well and giving their utmost towards the war effort. **Jim**, who is married and has a son, commutes from Bridgeport to New York."

Lt. **Bob Halperin**, who may have been the first American ashore on the beaches of Normandy on D-Day, enjoyed a hard-won leave at his home in Chicago. **Bill Haggerty** has been appointed superintendent of schools at Rheingold, Tex.

A B-17 pilot and operation officer, 1st Lt. **Bob Halpin**, New Haven, Conn., entered the AAF Redistribution Station in Miami Beach in late September. **Bob** flew 33 missions during 23 months in the European theater, winning the DFC and the Air Medal with three clusters.

**Maurice Rigante**, in combat with the 14th Army Corps service command, Southwest Pacific, has been promoted to first lieutenant in the Quartermaster Corps. For his outstanding part in the Bougainville campaign, **Maurice** was awarded a combat star.

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

**Oliver Chayie's** permanent address now is 3833 N. Morris Blvd., Milwaukee. **Oliver** is with the Cleaver-Brooks Company, same city. **Tom Conley**, vice president of the U. S. Truck Lines, Cleveland, has moved to Chicago.

When the Rangers stormed ashore on the islands off Leyte in early November, 1st Lt. **Johnny Murphy** was in the thick of the operation. **Sgt. Bud Bonar**, Camp Wolters, Texas, entered OCS at Fort Benning, Ga., in August.

**Joseph A. John** has just been made department supervisor in the insecticide plant of E. I. duPont de Nemours & Company at Tacoma, Wash. This plant was just recently acquired by duPont and **Joe** will be one of the key men for duPont in its operation. He has been with duPont at the Grasselli Chemical plant in East Chicago, Ind., since his graduation, and in recent years has had a broad experience in the Insecticide Department there.

Just prior to **Joe's** departure from East Chicago on Nov. 18, he was honored at a party given by his duPont associates and was presented with luggage, brief cases and a wrist watch. **Joe** is married and is the father of two children, **Joseph, Jr.** age 5, and **Andrea Irene**, age 2. **Joe's** family will follow him to Tacoma as soon as he is able to solve the difficult problem of living quarters.

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

From Joe Mansfield:

As is usually the case, the number of letters coming this way have been on the slim side.

But, with the pressure of moving to a new domicile, we are forced to confess that even these few letters are packed inside a yet-to-be-found crate, drawer or what have you. We'll pass them along to you in the next issue.

Among the letters was one from **Andy Helmut**—a very welcome one. It was good to hear from you, Andy, and now that you have broken the ice, please drop me a note whenever you find time.

**Lt. John Moran** sent us a flock of post cards from such interesting places as Italy, France, and England—all of which arrived in the same mail. John is just as faithful a contributor as he was a filler of this space.

**Max Marek** dropped us a note from Treasure Island where he's now stationed. He is doing physical education work and, from reports we have received, a bang-up job of it.

We've been spending some time in Washington recently, doing work for Uncle Sam's Treasury Department. On one of our visits we chatted for a few minutes with **Mrs. Jack Murphy**. The charming **Mrs. Jack**, an M. D. in her own right, reports that **Jack** is now a lieutenant in the Navy Medical Corps, serving at sea.

We saw a few of the boys, class of '36, the night of the Army game—a sad memory. Needless to say there was none too much jollity around and about New York that night. At the Penn Bar, **Capt. Luke Tiernan** of the Marines told us that he was stationed in Washington.

**Tom Sheils** was also there. Tom is doing a great job handling the affairs of **Capt. Glen Miller**. With **Tom Fennelly** was his lovely wife, **Mary Virginia**. They have two children and are living in Orange, N. J. Tom is employed in the aircraft industry. Tom reported that **Tom Keenan** is in the Navy and is stationed overseas.

Two or three weeks ago, **Mrs. Mansfield** and I ran into **Earl Brown** and **Milt Peipal** at Toots Shores here in New York. They were in town for the Sports Writers' luncheon on the Monday following their game with Yale. The boys have had rather tough sledding at Dartmouth this year, due entirely to the lack of material. But they're still optimistic.

**Tom Proctor** called me the other day and we've made a date for luncheon one day soon. Tom reports that his duties keep him pretty much on the go, traveling around the country.

**Ed Crotty**, '37, has been doing a great job as end coach at Brown University. We're looking forward to seeing Ed when Brown plays Columbia here in New York.

Our cousin, **Ed Mansfield**, '34, of Leaksville, N. C., and Denver, popped into town some time back. As we write this, Ed is probably on one of the fighting fronts with his company of engineers. He told us stories of the grand times he had with **Gene Blish** and **Jack Sheehan** and the Denver boys.

**Dr. Ken Laws** is in town at the moment. We're hoping to get in touch with him within a day or two to welcome him and his charming bride, the former **Betty Jane Lahrman**. They were married in the Log Chapel, Nov. 9. We extend our best.

"As I stepped off the gangplank after our ship had docked at Bizerte, North Africa, the first person I saw was **Eddie Caldwell**, now a Navy lieutenant," said **Lt. Fred Carideo** who was home in South Bend on 30-day leave in October. Fred was in command of an LCI in the invasions of both Normandy and southern France. He also

ran into another former N. D. quarterback, this time in England. He met **Sgt. Chuck O'Reilly**, '38, in church on a Sunday morning in a small English town.

**Brother Christian, C.S.C.**, was appointed principal of the new Catholic Central High School, Monroe, Mich., in July. Serving in New Guinea, **Major George Murphy** is a flight surgeon with a troop carrier unit of the Fifth Air Force in the Pacific. **Sgt. Tony LaDolce** started transportation corps OCS, New Orleans, in August.

**Lt. Cmdr. John Hoban**, c/o FPO, San Francisco, who practised law with **Joe McGlynn**, '12, East St. Louis, Ill., has written: "the only person that I have met that I know is **Joe Zwern**, '38. I immediately put him in my stollia. At the present time he is attached to my staff and a fine lad he is." The first service Jack saw was at Attu.

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

From Paul Foley:

I am just fresh from a plenary session of the Bosphorous Vodka and Straight Poker Society—which, since about half of its members are Americans, is as close as I've found in Turkey to a Notre Dame club.

I left New York on Sept. 12 by Clipper. You've probably already seen the routes of Army Transport Command as published in "Life," so I can tell you we flew the North Atlantic via Newfoundland and sat down the following morning through a woolly sort of fog onto the River Shannon at Foynes, Ireland. Irish rain—which I swear one cannot actually see but is nevertheless drenching and marrow chilling—held us for two days which we spent in Adare, County Limerick. Ireland is green—I'm sorry I can't say much else for that portion I saw. Its chief advantage was Guinness' stout on draft at a shilling a pint and John Jameson's 12 year old Irish whiskey at a shilling a pop—the latter is Ireland's substitute for central heating systems.

We flew by day along Europe's western edge, sighting only Portugal, to Casablanca where we

saw the last of the Clipper. After a day or two in that part of the world we shoved off—always by air—to Oran, Algiers and eventually Cairo where I spent a week prowling the bazaars, sitting under a hot pyramid and singing raucous songs with an American newspaperman on the terrace of Shepherd's Hotel.

Eventually my transfer was punched and I left for Istanbul via Jerusalem—where we sat down very briefly at drab and sun drenched Lida airport, from which spot Jerusalem is visible in the hills. That's as close as I got to a pilgrimage. Was sitting in a steaming tent for ten minutes drinking the local variety of soda pop—a syrupy concoction of oranges and old corset stays.

I spent one day in the Turkish coastal town of Adana, thence a few hours in Ankara, the capital, and finally in a crowded Junkers transport to Istanbul—Bedlam on the Bosphorous.

This is a wonderful city. It is unbelievably ancient yet has a pulse beat of roughly eight to the bar. It has been, and still is, the scene of more international shenanigans than any spot in the world. Its population is beautifully polyglot, largely westernized as to externals and generally most intriguing.

I have been living with our other news man here in a house of rather dubious modern architecture on a bluff overlooking the Golden Horn, and the Bosphorous at a point where the latter flows into the sea of Marmora. From our second floor balcony we get a view that would rate two pages in any Cook's catalog. The weather is superb, the air is clear, sharp as crystal and moderately warm.

While I have been here only about three weeks I like it very much and we are doing an important and good job.

I have heard by transoceanic grapevine that **Bill McNally** is an intelligence officer with the Ninth U. S. Navy at Miami. . . just by way of showing that I'm still in harness like an Anatolian pony.

Time now for a brief shot of Turkish coffee—which I heartily endorse, along with Turkish

### PRENDERGAST RIDGE NAMED FOR JOE, '36

Prendergast Ridge, a dominating landmark on the United States' powerful base of Attu, was officially named for **Lt. Joseph Prendergast**, '36.

**Joe**, killed on May 29, 1943, gave his life leading an advance patrol over the ridge to determine the force of the enemy. Greatly outnumbered, he ordered his patrol to withdraw, and while maintaining fire to cover the disengagement, he and several of his men were killed.

While at Notre Dame, **Joe** was a member of the tennis team for three years and was managing editor of "The Scholastic," in his senior year. He was also author of "Splinters from the Press Box," a "Scholastic" sports column.

**Thomas P. Prendergast** of Ware, Massachusetts, father of **Joe**, learned of the heroism of his son when he noted the story of "Prendergast Ridge" in a recent issue of "The Infantry Journal." Recognizing the company and division of his son, he wrote to Washington and received confirmation of his surmise from **Capt. Nelson L. Drummond**, who had just finished writing the historical monograph of Attu.

In his letter to **Mr. Prendergast**, **Capt. Drummond** told of the engagement: "In order

to protect the flank against possible Japanese positions along the high ridge line, a patrol under the command of **Lt. Joseph Prendergast** moved up thru the saddle of the pass leading across to Holtz Bay. Their mission was to learn that Japanese forces held the other side of the pass and then to attempt working along the north side of the main ridge line. **Lt. Prendergast** led his patrol thru the fog-blurred pass and a short way along the exposed snow slides which dropped almost vertically towards Holtz Bay. Since he was greatly outnumbered, suffering casualties and unable to find cover along the steep snow field, **Lt. Prendergast** ordered his patrol to withdraw back to the Sarana side. While maintaining fire to cover the disengagement he and several of his men were killed."

Information procured by the patrol enabled the Americans to proceed, and take the ridge.

"I am sorry that words can do so little to help the sad shock that your son's death must have been," wrote **Capt. Drummond**. He concluded, "May I offer this thought—although he had so few years, in the mirds of the infantrymen who followed his leadership along the deadly, jagged mountain ridges of Attu, he accomplished more than most men during their full spans."

cigarettes. My address: U. S. Office of War Information, 134-136 Istiklal Caddesi; Istanbul, Turkey.

From Harry Pierce:

"This afternoon I've been sitting here at this headquarters having a session with Jim MacDevitt. I see him almost every day as at present I'm a liaison officer to Jim's division. As always, Jim seems to find Notre Dame men, so between the two of us we've sent quite a few names down to John Hinkel who has started the Notre Dame Club of Italy. MacDevitt and Hinkel have had two private audiences with the Pope. On his last visit, Jim and Connor Cronin spent a few days at the home of the Irish minister to the Vatican.

"I came over here last April (I'm practically a rookie). The first week over, I met Lt. Dan Finn, '37, whom I knew at N.D., and also Lt. Cy Connor whose ship happened to be in Naples at the time. Dan Finn was responsible for my getting the assignment I have now for which I owe him a world of thanks. Dan is in France now. The same week in April I visited my brother at Cassino whom I hadn't seen for nearly four years, so I had a happy time.

"We were sorry to hear that Frank Huisling had been killed over here. My brother John was killed shortly after Frank, in a flight over Austria—he too was stationed here in Italy. He was killed on June 26.

"Jim MacDevitt gave me a newspaper clipping which he had received from home, telling about Father O'Donnell's sister greeting the allied troops when Siena was taken. We both wanted to visit her but could never arrange for the time. Finally I got down to Siena in early September. Mrs. Graziani wasn't at home, unfortunately, and I wasn't able to wait for her return. I received a very nice letter from her soon after, so Jim and I are hoping to get down there.

"My wife (and Harrison III) are living in New Rochelle with her sister Allys Vergara. George Vergara is a lieutenant in the Navy and at last report was stationed in California. Jim MacDevitt has two little boys, so you can see the war isn't stopping the future Notre Dames.

"Other Notre Dame boys I've met are Jerry Quinn and Ray Goodmans and Ed Montague, '34, Jerry is in my division, so we see each other regularly.

"The Army game should be terrific—please run up a high score on them. [Ed's note: Sic!]

"Boots McCarthy and Jim Nolan are both ensigns. Boots was headed for China the last I heard from him. Jack Walsh, '38, is a lieutenant on an LST over here in the Mediterranean theater. MacDevitt hears from John Moran and Cy Stroker who are both in the Navy—as is my old 'Scholastic' delivery boy friend, Bill Moss."

From Vince Murphy, Evanston, Ill.:

"Jack Mack, '41, is now a lieutenant (jg) in the Coast Guard and is stationed at Miami in the coast guard district office in the duPont Building. He has been in for two years and has spent most of them in the Caribbean, around Trinidad and San Juan.

"William J. Shea, ex '43, who left school after his sophomore year to go in the Army, was with Patton's third army and was wounded in action during the speedy drive across France. News about him is scarce but his mother reports that his leg was broken and he is now convalescing in London.

"William J. Shea, '15, father of the above

and a vet of the last war, is in harness again: this time as a captain in the troop escort command now stationed at Camp Reynolds, Pa. He sees to it that enough of our boys get to the right place and at the right time and he has personally escorted quite a number of them right to the scene of action.

"Paul Dougher, '35, is with the American Steel Foundries and is living in Highland, Ind. He has three boys, Paul, Jr., 5½, Michael, 4, and Francis, 1.

"Al Smith, '37, travels throughout the Middle West installing wage incentive systems, etc. He is married and lives in Evanston, Ill.

"Joe Zuercher, '39, has arrived on American soil after 18 months in the southwest Pacific serving with distinction as a first lieutenant in the Marine Corps. Joe's family moved to Evanston fairly recently and, while I haven't met Joe, I am on good terms with his dad and feel like I know the boy.

"Gene Duggan, '38, is employed in Chicago at the present time and although he couldn't get to the first meeting of the North Shore group of the Chicago Club he is very interested and promises not to miss future meetings.

"George Demetrio, '36, a Naval lieutenant for more than a year, was stationed at Glenview when I last heard. At our WMC office in Chicago I think of George ruefully when his successor at the Palmer House sends over elevator operators and bellboys to get referral cards and thinks he'll get them back.

"Joe Oelerich, '11, the tomato juice man, lives up the street from me and can often be seen keeping his trim figure by working in his yard—and it looks good, too.

"Redman Duggan, '38, a native of Colorado but an Evanstonian by adoption, came into Chicago last week (Oct. 5) and got fitted for glasses. He didn't get a chance to come out to the house but did call and reported everything fine including his son, David William.

[Ed's Note: Redman, with his wife and son, was visiting with his wife's family in South Bend, saw his first N. D. football game in several years and spent much time on the campus. He heads the Social Security office in Ogden, Utah.]

"As for myself, I am still at the United States Employment Service office in Chicago and still living in Evanston. During the latter half of '43, I was loaned (interest free) to the War Food Administration for their Farm Labor recruitment activity, but at the present time my services are exclusively at the disposal of U.S.-E.S. Incidentally, John Dorgan and Ed O'Toole, two key figures in the Chicago Club, consulted with us recently on the alumni job placement activity, and the groundwork was laid for healthy cooperation between us in the all-important matter of vet-re-employment and student placement."

From Pie Traynor, Baltimore, Md.:

"Since leaving N. D. in '37, much has transpired—I got my M.D. from the University of Maryland Medical School and since that time have been here at Maryland General. After having completed my surgical residency, I am now 'chief resident'.

"Last February I got myself married to a gal from the deep south—Miss May Agnes Skinner of Charleston, S. C.

"Paul Doran, '37, walked into the hospital the

other night. It seems that he and several other fellows have taken over as 'volunteer orderlies'—quite a thankless and dirty job, too. Paul is with Butler Brothers here in Baltimore after having been transferred from N. Y. C. He has a charming wife and two babies, a boy and a girl. Also bumped into Joe McNally, '37, last winter in the Pennsylvania Station. At that time he was wearing an ensign's stripe.

"So far, I've been deferred from the Army because of the hospital. However, in about nine months, the medical corps will probably be tapping me on the shoulder."

Al Schwartz, U. S. Army Air Corps:

"Shortly after the 'Alumnus' reached the fellows, I had a call from Jim Burke, '36. Jim lives in Hanford, Calif., a small town not far from Tulane—my home for the present. Jim is working at the Lemoore Army Air Base as the civilian head of Army supply. He has a very charming wife, the former Roberta Tuthill of St. Mary's lineage. Two fine children, Mary and Robert, keep Jim busy.

"While visiting Jim one evening, we got on the phone and called Bob 'Spots' Manning, also class of '36. Bob is in the Navy, stationed at San Francisco. His wife is with him. Bob told me that his brother, John, who had been on a fellowship at Mayo's, was going into the Army that week, mid-September.

"About three weeks ago, Andy Hellmuth, '36, showed up as a lieutenant at Camp Pinedale, Fresno, Calif. Through Jim, I also learned that Bob Waldeck is in Los Angeles. He's married and has a child or two, I believe. He's with one of the aircraft factories there.

"Jim and I also talked to Lloyd Stolich in Salinas, Calif. Lloyd is another '37 boy who is doing well. He's deputy grand knight, father of one, Salinas' leading young businessman. Yep, he's doing all right.

"A letter from Lafayette, Ind., brought word that the confirmed old bachelor of the Bluegrass, Parker 'Pappy' Sullivan, succumbed to the charms of a Hoosier girl. Parker was married on Sept. 21. Paul Sheedy is now in Milwaukee with the FBI. From Italy, through a mutual friend, came word of a meeting with Lt. Ed Keardon of Kansas City. All will be glad to hear that the old vendor of wit and humor, Vince Probst, checked in with a card. Vince is an ensign in training at Plattsburg, N. Y.

"Burke said he ran into Chris Matthews, '36, in Sacramento. Chris is a captain stationed at one of the fields around that city. Probst reported that Ken Moriarity, ex. '37, was the only N. D. boy he could still locate in N. Y."

From Ens. Jim Bacon:

"I graduated from Harvard communications school and am now here in New York awaiting my permanent orders. I ran into Bill Mulrenan, Bob Malarney, '36, Justin McCann, Jack Meister, Verner Mooney, Tom Boylan and Ed Bodo up there. All but Mulrenan were in communications; he was in supply school."

A V-mail from Sgt. Ben Scherer, dated Oct. 27, somewhere in France:

"In the past seven months I have been in Africa, Italy and France. While I was in Italy I visited the Vatican which is even more beautiful than I had dreamed. In Africa I met John Cavanaugh and in Naples, I bumped into Joe Shilling. John is in the transportation unit of the Army and Joe is a naval officer of some kind. Outside of these two from my class I have met no other Notre Dame men."

**1938** Harold A. Williams, 4323 Marblehall Rd., Baltimore, Md.

From Hal Williams:

The lead this issue goes to Lt. Robert Holtz, of the Quartermaster Depot, Jeffersonville, Ind. He writes, "I arrived here two weeks ago and was given the job of setting up a training program in contract terminations for the military as well as the civilian personnel of the depot. Prior to coming here, I was instructor in the Quartermaster School at Camp Lee, where I taught army supply procedures to embryonic second lieutenants. . . There are three N.D. men here: Capt. Carton, '29, who is head of the negotiation section of the contract termination branch; Lt. Joe Cunniff, '37, who is in charge of the vendors' shipping document section and Pvt. Washko, '35, who is one of my students. Capt. Fred Theis, '36, was here, but is now in England or France.

"On August 20, 1944, our first child—Mary Alice Holtz—was born in Mishawaka, and that's about all the news. . . By the way, who has ever heard from Jimmy Murphy, the Tuscon kid?"

Thanks, Bob, for the swell letter. Let's hear from you again.

Now a V-mail letter from Sgt. Chuck O'Reilly writing Sept. 1, he says, "Only today I received the June issue of the 'Alumnus.' I noted that the boys of '38 have slipped and so at your request I'll take up a position on your honor roll.

"I can't say much about N.D. men because, unfortunately, I've run into only a few. Just prior to the invasion, I met Lt. (jg) Fred Carideo at church one Sunday in a little coastal town of England. At that time we were both standing by for orders. My unit was one of the first to land in France, and things were pretty hot for a time; now the countryside is peaceful. While working a ship one day I met Lt. (jg) Robert Hutton, ex. '43. He was reading the 'Alumnus,' and that prompted my accosting him.

"Coming over from the U. S. I met Mike Koken and Marty Brutz, ex. '44. Both are here in France somewhere. My wife, Jayne, is with my dad in St. Mary's, O. We hope to go back to Chicago after the war. I was interested in Father Tom Brennan's convocation address to the June graduating class. Five years ago Sept. 30, Father Tom married us in the Log Chapel."

That was a swell letter, Chuck. Write again, and the very best of luck.

Lt. Eddie Mattingly, who is an army transport officer in the Pacific, writes that he is commissary officer and that he has been on the ship since January. He sends regards to all, particularly the old engineers.

Capt. Jack Cleary, writes from France: "My duty has been deeply impressed on me by the recent arrival of the August issue of the 'Alumnus.' I noticed that my darling wife has had to do the honors of letting my old classmates know that I'm still about. I didn't arrive in this country for the opening curtain, but I got here for the first scene of the first act.

"Notre Dame can chalk up another victory that was not on the schedule and thereby hangs a tale. Early in the campaign our battalion was having difficulty capturing an enemy strong point. By means of a sound truck the battalion commander was attempting to talk the Germans into surrendering, but they refused. Orders were finally given to attack and off we pushed against pill boxes, road blocks, etc. It was tough going, but not for long. The sound truck gave forth with the N.D. 'Victory March' and that was the

end of the Jerries as the boys just rolled right over them. It was spirit, Notre Dame spirit, that won that victory."

And a few days after Jack's letter arrived there came a note from his lovely wife Mary, giving us his address. Thanks to both of you, and we missed you at the usual stand after the Army-N.D. game.

There were two things that spoiled the traditional informal reunion after the Army game: the score and the fact that the Penn Bar is closed for alterations. Be that as it may, the grey-haired men of '38, and their lovely wives assembled in the temporary bar in the Penn basement to talk over the good old days.

I saw the following fellows: Harry Norris and Carleton MacDougald, Lt. (jg) George Kirwin and wife, Bill Costello and wife, Paul Nowak, an officer in the Navy who is playing professional basketball this season for Wilmington, Vic Mercado, Cas Vance (Ivan Ivancevic) and wife, (incidentally, Ivan's address now is 42-76th street, Brooklyn; they now have two children), Marine flyer Dan Gibbs and wife, Bunny McCormick who is a lieutenant in the Navy, Bill Gallin and wife, Frank Prusha, who is an ensign in the Navy now taking a course at Harvard with my old roommate Bud Sherwood, and Mr. and Mrs. Russ Hunt, from Woonsocket, R. I.

Russ, who is connected with the Chamber of Commerce of Woonsocket, told me that he is a very proud father of a son, Rickey. Russ also passed the word along that Dan Keefe is now in Africa. One of the pleasant surprises of the evening was seeing Marion Vaslett, Gene's wife, and Roz Kelley, wife of John; both husbands are in France and the girls came down to say hello to the boys. And the fellows were delighted to see them. Others seen at the reunion were Bill Faymonville, Greg Rice, and Joe Geyer. I probably missed a number of the boys, but I had to leave early and in a hurry to catch a ten o'clock train that evening back to Baltimore.

That's about all the news except two items: John Conley, '34, who formerly was financial editor of the "Baltimore Evening Sun," is now Navy press officer in the Navy Department's Bureau of Public Relations with the rank of lieutenant commander; second, a picture of Jack Zerbst which was entered in the Frederick County Fair without the knowledge of Jack or his wife won the blue ribbon in the annual picture contest.

More next issue if you fellows keep coming through with the letters.

Ray Meyer, DePaul University coach, who has devoted over half of his 30 years to basketball, is The Chicago "Herald-American's" "coach of the year," and assisted in coaching the College All-Stars in their game against the Ft. Wayne Zollners, pro champs, in Chicago on Dec. 1. Bob Shea, Chicago, is a sergeant at Camp Wellers, Tex. A change of address has come through for WO Joe Henebry, APO through San Francisco. Joe is a brother of the famous Col. Jack Henebry, '40.

Jerry Kane, Los Angeles, was in for the Northwestern game with Swede Bauer. Jerry is with Douglas in export sales and was attending the international air conference in Chicago. Sgt. Charles Love, Indianapolis, is one of the brothers of Lt. (jg) Gordon Love, ex. '41, whose death was reported in the October issue of the 'Alumnus.' Charlie was here for the Northwestern game.

From New Guinea, a long overdue letter from Lt. (jg) Riggie DiBrienza. "My recent travels have brought me to New Guinea—and

thus far I've come across Vincent Gorman, '35, also a medical officer, with duty aboard an LST. Sometime ago, I also met Jim O'Donnell, who is doing a swell job with an Army outfit. I have met many fine chaplains, all friends of Notre Dame, and our frequent get-togethers have been most pleasant.

"Believe me sincerely, it is so comforting to know of the many prayers offered daily on the campus for us boys out here."

Marine Major John Scott, South Bend, overseas since August, 1942, was wounded on Guam in August, 1944. John received a citation from Admiral Halsey during the battle of Bougainville. A dispatch from Guam said of him:

"Within three days the redheaded officer, head of an infantry regiment's planning section, joined in sea and air attacks on the Japs. Both ended in near-disaster.

"On Aug. 31, the major. . . acted as observer on a gunboat which shelled Jap positions in caves between Fadian and Lates Points. On the way in, the boat was damaged a mile from shore, and Major Scott spent a half hour in the water with other survivors. He was rescued by a minesweeper's whale boat.

"On Sept 2 the major flew over the same area in a scout plane, observing effects of the gunboat's fire. His pilot flew so low the major was able to drop hand grenades on a pair of Japs along the beach. As the plane pulled away something went wrong with a wing, and within a few minutes Major Scott again was swimming in the Pacific, 50 yards off shore.

"For 45 minutes Major Scott and his pilot clung to an outcropping of coral as the surf beat at them. They were rescued by a gunboat's small craft. Once during their time in the water they heard rifle fire ashore and thought Japs might be firing at them.

"I should stick to foot soldiering," said the major."

BUN Clifford, Gary, Ind., a captain in the Army, was reported in Billings Hospital, Indianapolis, on Sept. 21, as a result of injuries sustained in France. Both his legs were broken.

Paul Leahy, Tiffin, O., and his wife were in for the Northwestern week-end, along with Chuck Terry and his wife and two oldest sons from nearby Findlay, O. Paul travels over a considerable portion of the Middle West for the National Drug Co., Philadelphia, while Chuck continues as assistant manager of the Boss Mfg. Co. plant in Findlay. And he it said here that the Leahy man is the father of four, in which regard he and Chuck Sweeney of South Bend, seem to be tied for the leadership of the class of '38. Chuck Terry, the father of three boys, is right up there in the running.

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

From Vince De Coursey:

Another month or so gone and the old familiar card forces the wife to go through the files seeking news for the "Alumnus." This time the cupboard, although not quite bare, is still nothing for the Surplus Property Administrator to worry over. As a matter of fact, about half the information was obtained through visitors and visits.

First, a little correction notice from Phil Lucier, '40, who was my brother Bill's roommate in the good old days. It's Lt. Phil Lucier without the parenthetical demotion and he's at the USN Training School, Dearborn, Mich.

Announcements: marriage. Walt Cotton way back in Alamogordo, N. Mex., early in the year. Mention of Alamogordo brings up a very pleasant visit with Bob Schroeder who flew in from that place early in November, seeking relief from hot tamales and the native chili. Bob has been back in the States for a few months, after completing his missions over Europe. Said that there must have been a bunch of Notre Dame boys over there, but they kept hidden.

Don't know if we've mentioned Joe McDermott's marriage in July or not. Anyway now we have.

Letter from Jean Wilson about Capt. Andy Wilson, intelligence officer with the Air Force in France. Another note from Mrs. Joe Hiegel, announcing a boy to keep his sister company. Joe is at pre-radar school at Princeton.

Letter from Mr. L. L. Blessing of Curtis, Nebr., father of Mike. Says Mike is in the Medical Administration Corps, probably in Germany at the time of writing. Mike, according to his father says that Bob Ortale, Voberling, Gene White, Harry Detzer and Bob Breen should write, and adds this: "Tell Sterling Mortimer to look him up when he gets to France as he has a nice dry German bomb shelter where they can celebrate."

Nice letter from 1st Lt. George Bastian's mother. It's now Dr. Bastian, at present in England. George finished at Georgetown Med. in 1943. Rereading a letter from Pete Sandrock from out at San Pedro, Calif., I got a very timely suggestion. Quote We should get the fellows to do all they can now, [referring to the Alumni Fund]; after the war most of us will be married and CAN'T afford to do anything unquote.

And that's about all the information coming in via Mr. Walker's Post Office Department.

We were fortunate enough to be in Chicago at the time of the Tulane game at South Bend and so made the trip down to see what the old place looked like—and can truthfully report that it ain't like it used to be. Saturday a.m., a leather lunged CPO was bawling out instructions on how to lock the rooms, etc., to a line of NROTC's in front of their Walsh Hall barracks. Almost got caught in the flight of the V-12's out of the Dining Hall.

Saw some civilian students over in the old freshman group. After Friday's pep meeting, saw Father John Cavanaugh, Father Brennan, and Father Forrestal—and all of them wanting the good old days back, but not too enthusiastic about the immediate future. Then getting on the bus (no more street cars in South Bend) bumped, literally, into Marty McGinnis, now Captain McGinnis, and pilot of a B-17. Marty had been in the cavalry at Fort Riley for some time before transferring over to the air force. We didn't see him all the time he was in Kansas, and had to come all that way, and he had to come up from Florida, before we met.

Dick Anton was still in South Bend, slaving away to get workers for Oliver. Saw his little boy for the first time. All doing well, but not too enthusiastic about South Bend, which is a booming metropolis compared to 1939. At church Sunday ran into Jim Dann, still at Rockford. And that was about all the week-end.

Hope next month more information. Some of the boys in New York ought to have recovered from the Army game enough to describe what went on—especially Saturday night. The sooner the afternoon is forgotten the better.

Major Joe Thornton, St. Paul, was decorated for distinguished service. Joe, who is stationed in Alaska, is the proud father of a three-year

old son. Stationed at Patterson Field, Fairfield, O., Bob Pierreechi has been promoted to first lieutenant. Bob has been in the Army since March, 1941.

**Baby James McMahon pins wings on his father 2nd Lt. John E. McMahon, '39, Indianapolis, while mother looks on.**



**John won his wings and bars by completing the AAF Training Command's bombardier training course at Carlsbad, N. M., Army Air Field. His wife is the former Rose Catherine Boland, Indianapolis.**

**1st Lt. Harold A. Gottsacker, '39, Sheboygan, Wis., was wounded in the battle around Metz and was awarded the Purple Heart, according to information from his brother, Richard J. Gottsacker, a student in the University. Hal was commissioned at Ft. Benning, Ga., in June, 1943, and went overseas last August. With his brother, Bill, '36, he is the owner of an insurance agency in Sheboygan.**



1ST LT. HAROLD A. GOTTSACKER, '39

An interesting letter from Capt. Lyle Russell, Italy:

"Today being Sunday, I had the morning off and took a little trip with a Capt. Jim Levi, '37. Well, we started out early this morning in a jeep for a little mountain village that I had heard a lot about. It's nothing but a quiet little ancient village built on the side of a mountain, but has become a big attraction because of Padre Pio, a priest who has a stigma of both hands. We got there in time for Mass and were allowed to sit right up beside the altar. Padre Pio said Mass, a low one without any sermon, and it took him two hours to finish. It was very impressive, because of his facial expressions, he seemed to live through the Sacrifice of Calvary and to go through all the agony. After the Mass, the crowd all came to the Sacristy to kiss his hands. I went along, not only to kiss the hands, but also, with my medical curiosity, to have a chance to examine them. There was a big open sore on the palm and top of each hand. The sores first appeared 25 years ago, they have never healed and bleed every Friday."

S/Sgt. Bernie Feeny, Washington, D. C., who was here the week-end of the Wisconsin game, being confidential messenger in the Combined Chiefs of Staff office, has one of the Army's best jobs. The planning of world-shaking events and advance news from the war fronts all pass through his hands. His selection for the job is a tribute to Bernie and to Notre Dame. Not the least of his assets is a car, with chauffeur, at his disposal.

A card from Ens. Tom Powers, c/o FPO, San Francisco reads: "Went through Fort Schuyler, N. Y., training school last summer with Paul Donovan. A line from any of the '39 gang would be appreciated."

A dispatch from Guam states that Marine 2nd Lt. Bill Hofer, former assistant football coach at the University of Iowa, has been commended for outstanding performance of duty. In the Guam landing, Bill's men were met by strong opposition, but he assisted his wounded to cover and then moved his platoon forward to wipe out enemy resistance and reach his objective.

Lt. Walt Johnson, USMC, is stationed at Quantico, Va. Ed Simonich played with the Chicago Bears the early part of the season but had to discontinue due to a leg injury. He has now taken a job as coach at Catholic Central High School, Butte, Mont.

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

Tom Brennan is a private stationed at Scott Field, Ill. A release from the 15th AAF in Italy reveals that 2nd Lt. Bernie Eilers, Rochester, N. Y., has been awarded the Air Medal for meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight against the enemy. "Don't let anyone kid you," Bernie, the first pilot on a B-24 Liberator, said, "they talk about milkruns all the time. The flak is still plenty tough, and every man in the formation has to sweat it out over the target."

Maj. Emmet Theisen, Detroit, piloted one of the best-known planes in the CBI theater when he flew Gen. Joseph Stillwell on his many missions in that area. John Gavan was awarded the DFC the day before he was promoted to lieutenant, senior grade, at Green Cove Springs, Fla. The citation that accompanied the award read, "For heroism and extraordinary achievement during joint operations of United States and British Naval Forces against enemy Japanese bases in the Netherlands East Indies." Accounts



of John's accomplishments have appeared in earlier issues of the 'Alumnus.'

From Lt. (jg) Bob Sweeney, FPO, San Francisco, to Bob Sanford:

"I have been sailing around out here in the Pacific for two years now, and during that time have run into quite a few of the old gang from our class at N. D.

"I used to see Al Borgman quite frequently—he was chief engineer on a 'can' when last seen. Had Lt. Bob McLaughlin, '41, over for chow one night. He was doing carrier duty at the time. I hear frequently from Maj. Harry Phillips. We always seem to be in the same district, but have yet to see him around these parts. Have seen Lt. (jg) Bob Mowland, two or three times at different places out here.

"I ran into Ens. Joe Miller at a club out here not long ago. Lt. (jg) Jack Willmann had me over one evening for dinner aboard 'his' transport. Spent a good afternoon with Lt. (jg) Jerry O'Dowd, '41, at an officers' club near here."

Lt. John Kelleher, army medical corps, visited N. D., his first visit since he was graduated, when he stopped to see his brother, Bob, before reporting to a southern camp for his new duties.

A thoughtful letter from Bernie Eilers' mother supplied us with the following information about Rochester, N. Y., N. D. boys in service: Lt. Tony DeSimon, '41, in China; Lt. Louis Bemish, '39, in India; Pfc. Jim Tormey, '39, in India; Lt. (jg) Vince Dollard, '39, Holy Cross College, Worcester, Mass.; Lt. (jg) Henry Johantgen, Sampson, N. Y.

1st Lt. Myles Walsh, visiting recently his wife's family in South Bend, had many interesting stories to relate of missions over Europe as bombardier and navigator. He flew six times over Berlin, returning once with 96 flak holes, one in his parachute. Myles also had done ferrying work.

**1941** Lt. John W. Patterson, Jr., 5530 Darlington Rd., Pittsburgh, Pa.

1st Lt. Luther Baber received his M.D. from Tufts College at a degree convocation of the Tufts Medical and Dental Schools on Sept. 24. George Meltzer, formerly a lieutenant in the Air Corps and the recipient of the Air Medal with three clusters, the DFC and the Purple Heart, has returned to N. D. as a philosophy graduate student.

"It was all prayer and practically no wing", said George when he gave an account of some of his experiences in bombings over Germany.

"Our most harrowing experience," he explained, "was ironically enough on our thirteenth mission."

On this occasion the two right wing motors quit en route to Germany from England. All ammunition and equipment except an emergency supply was dumped and the pilot turned back to the home field flying low, about 50 feet above the North Sea.

"The fortress was caught between crossfire from two islands and an enemy ship. By zig-zagging through the ack-ack, we finally made it back to the field with two dead motors, and a third which had been failing all the way."

He added, "That time I said two rosaries instead of my usual one after completing a mission. I was never so glad to feel the ground beneath my feet!"

On completion of his 23rd mission, George jumped from the plane to extinguish a fire in one of the motors. While doing this he stepped too close to one of the propellers and suffered such severe head injuries that he was not expected to recover.

Reported over a year ago as missing in action, Lt. (jg) Charles Bransfield, may now be a Japanese prisoner of war, according to word received by his parents. According to the provost marshal general's office, a message from Charlie was heard on a Japanese broadcast in which he assured those at home that he was in good health and safe. A fighter pilot operating from a carrier, he was reported missing Sept. 18, 1943, in action over the Gilbert Islands.

Promoted: Joe Somers to major in Luxembourg; Pat Putnam to captain at Selman Field, La.; Tom Reilly (recently back in the U. S. A.) to lieutenant.

It's Lt. Bill Garvey at Base Headquarters, c/o Postmaster, Miami, and Lt. Joe Guiltinan at Camp Rucker, Ala.

Bill Clark, Tuckahoe, N. Y., was graduated from the College of Medicine, New York University on Sept. 28. At the commencement exercises, Bill was awarded the Herman Wortis memorial prize for the best work in the departments of neurology, psychiatry and medicine. He has been commissioned first lieutenant in the medical corps but will be on inactive duty for the next nine months during which time he will interne at Grasslands Hospital, Valhalla, N. Y.

Lt. (jg) Bob Osterman has returned to this country after seeing a lot of excitement in PT boats in the Pacific.

With the 15th air force in Italy, 2nd Lt. John Campbell, Humboldt, Ia., has been awarded the Air Medal. He is bombardier of a B-24 Liberator bomber and has flown against industrial and communications targets in the Balkans, northern Italy and southern Germany.

Phil McCanna, serving his internship at St. Mary's Hospital in Milwaukee, is a lieutenant in the Army Reserve.

A letter from Mr. Patterson says that he met Lt. (jg) Bill Hawes at the N. D. smoker in Pittsburgh the night before the game with Pitt. Bill is based at Little Creek, Va. Bill in turn reported that he had met Ens. Jim Hannigan and Lt. John O'Brien, both now in the Pacific. 1st Lt. Ed McHugh is overseas with Gen. Patton's Army. Mr. Patterson said.

From Leo Robidoux, Los Angeles:

"Have recently heard from Ens. T. Cassidy studying at St. Simons Island, Ga. He reports that conditions there are not too favorable. Walt Desel, first lieutenant in the Marine Corps, class of '42, writes from some beautiful island in the south Pacific, that he is spending much of the time thinking of how nice it would be to get back to good old New York, and without palm trees.

"I am still holding down the job of inside engineer at the local Cutler Hammer office and waxing in the very unusual California weather. Must admit, however, that at the present time my main interest centers around our little youngster."

After serving 15 months on a destroyer in the Pacific, Lt. (jg) Bill Cotter, Jr., has been stationed at a shipyard near Boston as outfitting supply officer for the past year. As you'll notice elsewhere in this issue, Bill is a new father. He was much broken up over the deaths of his close friend John Hennessy and his cousin Dan Kelly, '39.

George Melzer reports that: Sgt. Neel MacCarry, at N. D. Nov. 4 and 5, is at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.; Lt. George Miles, paratrooper, wounded on D-Day, has recovered; Capt. Roger Foley, is (was) on Guam; Jack White is doing some acting 'round about N.Y.C.

**1942** Cpl. William E. Scanlon, 101 W. Pleasant St., Portage, Wis.

From Scoop Scanlan:

Dashing in just too late for the October 'Alumnus' was this newsy communique from Brooklyn, and Charlie Conger:

"I'm working for the International Telephone and Telegraph Corp., in New York City, and have been here approximately 16 months now. Jim Leising, is stationed at the Knights of Columbus 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 Ivancevic 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 may have been admitted by now. My old roommate, Vince Shively, writes regularly from Camp Breckenridge, Ky. He's in the Quartermaster Corps and received his gold bars of second lieutenant last November at Camp Lee, Va.

"Frank Murphy, class of '40, finishes his internship at St. Vincent's Hospital and before going on active duty in the Navy planned to get married on Oct. 4. Fred Paulmann writes from New Rochelle, N. Y., about a N. D. get-together on October 14. Ollie Hunter, Johnny Lujack, and a couple of other Notre Dammers are at Columbia University now and if all those in the vicinity can make it, we should have quite a gathering.

"Jim Maher works for Haskin and Sells in the same building with me at 67 Broad Street. John Malone writes that he is now working in his home town, Toledo, and planned to be in New York for the Army game. Johnny was best man from Bob Breska in the middle of June."

Now let's skip over to Lt. Jim Brutz, who makes his debut in writing for the class commentary:

"It seems like only yesterday I sat in the Field House bleachers witnessing Scoop Scanlan in his boxing debut, trying to revolutionize the sport of boxing with his hobbing and weaving tactics. I received the October 'Alumnus' last week [his letter from the Pacific was dated Nov. 12], and it's a morale booster. Yes, a morale booster when you first glance at the large envelope, only to lose this effect when you continue on to read the names of those Notre Dame Men killed in action.

"I was located in the Charleston Shipyard making preparations for our ship's commissioning when informed of Herky Bereles' death. We can only remember our buddies in prayer and memory but, boy, you sure feel it. I'm executive officer aboard an L.S.M. with a crew of 70 men, including six officers. The men are young and really the morale is high.

"Yes, at times I get the men in a huddle for a pep talk and all we stress is caution and coolness when the pressure is on. I run the ship like a football team and am getting results with one exception. Someone stole my shoes, and that is working against my principle. I would never think of stealing Leahy's shoes.



"As for exercise, I get little—I found a piece of white chalk a few days back and now I play 'hop-sotch' on the ship's superstructure deck. If you locate a little ball with some jacks, please forward them to me. I need exercise. I never did get by my big 'tootsies.'

"We have been in the Pacific since September and have been in there throwing a few blocks, with all hands still in fine shape. Hope to run into Crimmins, Lillis, Chleback, Cherney and the boys out here. Well, Scoop, in a few minutes I'll go to the ship's bridge to stand a four-hour watch while we pitch and roll through the Pacific's waters. Luck to you, Scoop, and God bless all the fellows."

Jim would like to communicate with any of the fellows. His address can't be printed, along with others serving overseas, because of censorship regulations, but it can be obtained by writing the Alumni Office, Notre Dame, Ind., or by writing me directly at my home address, Portage, Wis.

Here comes a report from Chicago and Bill Hickey:

"I have been in the Coast Guard hospital in Chicago for a month now,—nothing at all serious,—but the Coast Guard finally found out just how bad my eyes are and they have me here all wrapped up in red-tape. Hope to get out of here this week though.

"Took a week-end from the hospital (really tough duty) and went to the Notre Dame-Wisconsin game. Went down with Bill Sturbitts. Not much news from our class. Bill Morrow was at the game, but did not engage in any post-game activities at Ye Olde Town culb with us, as did John Malone of the glass-blowing Malones. He now works for Libby-Owens-Ford in Toledo. Morrow was at the game with Orrie Quinn of St. Mary's and she took him right back to Chicago.

"Sturbitts was transferred from Madison to a P.O.E. as of yesterday, so the boys overseas can be on the lookout. Don Hogan is now with his hospital ship, carrying casualties off Leyte. Bunk Regan is still at Madison, Wis., recovering from an emergency operation for a burst appendix."

Just too late for the October 'Alumnus' came

a swell letter and picture from Pensacola, Fla., and Lt. (jg) Steve Gralikier who said:

". . . 'At a gathering of several of the Flying Irish it was decided to rendezvous at one of the out-lying fields for a picture. Three meetings were necessary before a majority could be included.

"I am enclosing the picture. Absent are Lt. (jg) Ed Hackett, who made the first meeting but has since departed from the Naval Air Technical Training Command, Photographic Squadron, Pensacola, for night fighters (all prayers will be appreciated), Ens. Jack Ryan, '41, of Ellyson Field, Lt. T. P. Carroll of Barin Field and Lt. (jg) Quentin Marshall, who reported aboard several days after the picture was taken.

"Bill Grady and Ed Mangelsdorf have been detached for operational training at Jacksonville, Lt. (jg) Walt Kelly and Lt. (jg) Bill McGrath are stationed at Barin Field and are respectively approaching parenthood and matrimony within a month. T.P. and Trudy have a new daughter, Godfathered by 'Mongoose' McGrath.

"Visited 1st Lt. Harry (Bub) Beal, USMCR, and his family early in June. Next day he received his wings and proceeded to Cherry Point to join a B-25 squadron."

Joe Ragolia's sister, Josephine, of Trenton, N. J., sent his note on October 13:

"I just want to report for the 'Alumnus' that Joe Ragolia has been promoted to captain. He is now somewhere in France. Recently he wrote that he visited Mont St. Michele and also the Rheims Cathedral—so judge for yourself where he is."

Jim Brutz has already mentioned Herky Bereolos, but here's a tribute to him which appeared in the "Trenton, Times-Advertiser" of October 22, penned by one Thomas F. McCann, who happens to be a buddy of Joe Ragolia:

"It is October again, Scouts and scouters, October with zest in the air while the eye looks upon an outdoor fairyland as Mother Nature gives forth her annual symphony of colors. October is also the month which, quite appro-

priately, the Church dedicates to the rosary of Mary, and so throughout our land and world groups will be found in church or at home, together reciting—in war time as in peace—the powerful prayer of the rosary.

"Today I am thinking of just two of these groups. First, the students at St. Joseph's College, Princeton, who daily after their noon meal march in procession to their little grotto of our Lady of Lourdes overlooking Carnegie Lake, and here recite the rosary.

"The second group is the student body of Notre Dame, who each evening assemble at the grotto for devotions. And I am thinking of one of her sons—a member of her football squad. His name is Hercules Bereolos—Herky for short, a Greek lad with the perfect physique of his early countrymen. As soon as graduation day had passed, Herky like so many of his classmates, laid aside cap and gown and donned the uniform of a naval flying cadet. Later, while flying on a combat mission, his plane crashed into the ocean and all were reported drowned. So Herk won't return again for rosary time. Some day the armed forces will return victorious from the wars but Herk and all those other lads of his college, of all other colleges and of no college at all, his religion and all religions, will remain over there.

"He and all those other lads who have given their lives to make this a better world for us all; one in which all men will be free, free to worship God as they see fit; free to assemble; and free to speak and write as their convictions lead them—without fear of concentration camp or firing squad."

Some weeks ago, Jim Kearns, '34, sports columnist for the Chicago "Sun," carried a note that a couple of former Chicago Cardinal footballers have shown up in action in the South Pacific. One was Bob Maddock, naval officer of our class, the other was Avery Monfort, a Marine captain from New Mexico.

Recently returned from combat police duty in Italy was T/5 Dave Hyde. He was one of the American combat police in charge of all law enforcement in Naples after the Italian city's capture by the Allies last spring. His particular job was with the criminal investigation department from February to May, of this year, checking into the black market activities that ran rampant in Naples. He came back to the U. S. on an assignment to deliver Nazi prisoners of war, and around Oct. 1 had to report to Fort Custer, Mich., for further assignment.

Here's the latest report on Lt. Paul Deery, as forwarded us by his dad, John A., of Indianapolis:

"The last letter we received from Paul he was at or near the small town of Domremy (birthplace and childhood home of Joan of Arc). We think it is a coincidence after traveling across North Africa, almost the length of Italy and in France from the extreme southern border to the German frontier he is permitted to pause at the place where the patron Saint of his home parish in Indianapolis was born."

From Cpl. Dick Murphy, Camp Ritchie, Md.: "My luck has been fairly good in running across men in my trips around the country. Only last week-end, I ran across Cliff Brosey. Also met one of my Alumni Hall roommates, Bob Donahoe, of Sioux Falls, only a few hours after I met Cliff—both in Washington. Bob is in his last year as a Navy med student at Georgetown and Cliff is at Aberdeen with the air forces. Met John Kovatch, while at Parris Island, and Don Hogan in Miami Beach last summer—a Navy ensign at the time. I met Don and Willie Platt



Here is a group of Notre Dame men, class of '42, gathered at Pensacola, Fla. Left to right — Steve Gralikier, Ed Mangelsdorf, Walt Kelly, Bill Grady, T. Hanley, and Bill McGrath. (See story in '42 news)

one Sunday after Mass, certainly a fine place to meet any N. D. men.

"Jim McCabe, '40, was my constant pal during our trips with the air cadets through Miami Beach, Mobile and San Antonio. Another break was meeting two other room-mates, Pete Moulder and Jim Leahy, while in Chicago last spring. Just remembered that last year, while on furlough, my hometown friend, Tony Early, last year's spotter for Bill Stern, had Lujack, Kelley, Filley, Limont and Coleman at our table in the Penn. They were a wonderful group of fellows. That night I met Bud Concannon and Bill Scanlon as well as Harry Wright. Bud was a lieutenant in the infantry and Harry the same in the Marines."

Lt. (jg) John Gilbert, who was in north Africa for one year with the Amphibious Forces at which time he participated in the invasions of Sicily and Salerno, returned to America last March and volunteered for submarine service and entered the submarine school at New London, Conn. John and his wife lived in Connecticut all spring and summer before moving to Upper Darby, where he waited for the completion of his sub, on which he is assistant engineer.

Promoted: Charles Hasson to first lieutenant at Buckley Field, Colo. Capt. Jim Ford, a squadron bombardier in the Caribbean and Mediterranean areas, arrived at the AAF Redistribution Station in Miami Beach. A navigator on an eighth air force B-17 Flying Fortress, 1st Lt. Bill Foster, Auburn, N. Y., has been officially credited with the destruction of a German Messerschmitt 109 during a fierce air battle near Magdeburg in Germany.

"We were on the return route from Magdeburg after bombing the oil refinery there," said Bill. "About 50 German fighters attacked our formations and some of them came in on our group. I was manning a flexible gun in the nose. I picked up this one and started firing on him and at about 100 yards out he caught on fire and then he peeled off and went down in flames."

Sgt. Paul Neville arrived in Paris with the first American troops as the city was liberated. 2nd Lt. Bob Courtney, Indianapolis, is with the Oklahoma City air service command, Tinker Field, Okla.

Seen in New York the Army-Notre Dame game week-end: Lt. (jg) Paul Lillis, wounded while commanding a PT boat against the Japs; Lt. Benny McCormick, '38, now stationed at a naval base in the east; Jim McGoldrick, '39, with the F.B.I.; Lt. (jg) Greg Rice, '39; Lt. Bill Faymonville, '40; Lt. Bernie Witucki, ex. '34; Seaman Tom Foley, ex. '45, training for submarine duty; George Ransas, '41, father of two sons, who, he says, have already been enrolled at N. D.; Capt. Luke Tiernan, '37, of the Marines; Lt. (jg) Bernie Crammins. Bernie was at N. D. for the Northwestern game and spoke at the Friday night pep meeting.

T/5 Tom Keegan is APO, out of N. Y. C. He is stationed near Bath in England.

Ens. George Uhl reported in from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Mass., on Nov. 18 with this communique:

"John Hanifan, '42, the electrical engineer from Binghamton, N. Y., came to Bowdoin college about a month before I left. So he's now there in pre-radar. Charlie Lattimer, '41, a chemical engineer, had been here at MIT in radar, and finished just as I came, but I did see him at the Dartmouth game and the next day. However, I didn't see any other boys that week-end.

"After I left Bowdoin, I had about three days off, so I went to New York. . . . saw Jack

White, '41. He is now out of the army and is in radio at the RCA building. He's also married.

I called Fred Paulmann, but wasn't able to see him. He became engaged that same week-end. I'm working in radar now and I live on the MIT campus, going to classes in Boston. I'm in the Glee Club at MIT, so I get a chance to sing more songs once again. Shades of N. D."

Reporting in this time by way of Washington where she was visiting, Mrs. Lora Lashbrook, the Law School's faithful chronicler, has this to say:

"Lt. Joe Barr, USMC, wrote from somewhere on or near Tinian or Guam on Oct. 28, to tell us he was still looking for Japs and between times was doing a little legal reading. He thought he might get home before too long.

"A welcome letter came from Lt. (jg) J. M. Lane. The pre-fix indicates a promotion since our last letter. He described a Mass at Notre Dame in Paris, but prefers Notre Dame du Lac, he says. Lt. Alex Cholis attended Mass there recently too. S/Sgt. Jim Daner is flying missions against the Japs, and doing a fine job. He was especially glad to know the lawyers at Notre Dame were carrying on, and sent his congratulations that their dance has been such a success. Jim says he had a letter in August from Bill Hogan, who is located at the Presidio of Monterey, Calif. Bill was then a Pfc.

"Lt. Andy Cherney is busy too in the Jap fight. He runs into more N. D. men in his sector than any of the boys who write. Sgt. Gerald Kamm wrote such an interesting letter from England, where he is assigned to the Allied Supreme Command. He is still hoping to see some of the many N. D. boys who pass through his area. One of our finest, Cpl. Don Patrick, has arrived in France with his tank destroyer outfit. He reports a loss of weight, the acquisition of a mustache, and a taste of French wine. He wants to hear from Ens. Bill Pelling.

"One of the finest bits of news was a letter from Ens. Ted Frericks, reporting the birth of a son in Marion, O., and his own transfer to a shore station in New York. Lt. and Mrs. Bob Simon have a very new daughter. Bob is with his Marine outfit out in the Pacific and, when his wife wrote, he did not yet know about the baby.

"Hal Hunter wrote that he has been admitted to the Missouri Bar and will practice at New Madrid. Lt. Ray Quinn expected to be home by now. He completed his required number of flying missions over Germany some weeks ago. Ray promises a visit to Notre Dame. Nick Villarosa spent several days in South Bend in October. He is stationed at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. Tom Halligan was down from Flint, Mich., to see the Wisconsin game. He will practice in Michigan.

"Pete Nemeth has a new baby daughter, making two children in the family. Pete is doing a nice business in South Bend. Bill Spangler sent a note to say he was leaving camp for the combat zone. We have no address as yet.

"Harry Murray spent a few hours with us recently. He is practicing in Chicago as attorney for the city schools. Joe Barr again pleads for some news of his 'law partner', Pete Alonzi. He threatens a 'subpoena duces tecum' and he says if Pete saw the place, he would get a letter out in a hurry.

"Dean Emeritus Konop told us about Tom Cain's wedding. Congratulations.

"Louie Anderson called to tell us that his brother Henry is now in the Army. Jim McGold-

rick wrote from New York where he is now with the FBI. Ens. Tom Hoban was in recently to see Dean Manion. He told us about the action in which Paul Kashner lost his life. Paul got the Silver Star posthumously for his performance in the Italian invasion, during which he was killed on Feb. 15. Paul is the only lawyer of this group to have given his life so far in World War II."

On Nov. 18, Flight Officer James J. (Red) Rice, the phy-ed from Reedsburg, Wis., was married in a colorful ceremony at St. Joseph's Cathedral in LaCrosse, Wis., to Miss Ruth Marie Jankowski. The latter is a graduate of St. Teresa College in Winona, Minn. After honeymooning in northern Wisconsin, the newlyweds were to make their home in California near an Army base Rice expected to be sent to. Red recently was graduated from the Army Air Base at Roswell, N. M. Best man for the affair was yours truly, the Scooper, and one of the ushers for the event was Lt. Fred Funk, who is flying B-24s in the Topeka, Kan. area. His brother T/Sgt. Albert, debater de luxe of our era, is now in England with an armored outfit.

Thanksgiving Day, 1944, became an occasion of special significance for another '42er. Knute K. Beckme, Jr., son of the greatest football coach of all time, received a discharge from the Army on that day at the Fort Sheridan Separation Center. Rock's army career had spread over two years and he said he met Capt. Benny Sheridan at Fort Riley, Kan., and encountered Larry Bracken, a fellow named Dempsey who left Notre Dame after completing his freshman year, and ran into Bob Saggau's brother while stationed in Alaska a few months ago. . . . He was looking forward to a "vacation" of a couple of weeks before becoming a job aspirant.

During October and part of November, I was attending the Education and Information school at Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Va., but my present assignment finds me at the Orientation Center in Fort Sheridan, Ill. Back from Camp Ellis is Cpl. Bill Sticklen, ex-Notre Dame frsh basketball ace, who is attending the Bakers and Cooks school here.

That's all for now, but don't forget!:

IF IT'S NEWS, WRITE SCOOP!

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

From Red Lonergan:

The mail coming from overseas is slow; we have little news to report.

Bill Herzog writes from the Naval Aviation Station at Norman, Okla.

Bill says: Joe Shields, First Lieutenant in the Marines and Lt. (jg) John Gavin, U.S.N.R., were both instructors here awhile back; Paul Patton finished his primary flight training here not so long ago; John Frampton, class of '45, was also here for his training. When I was down in Galveston, Texas, on a cross country flight, I bumped into Bart Ransauer, '45, who was engineering officer on . . . a destroyer in the South Pacific. I have been working here at assembly and repair; I am with the ground crew."

Vince Commisa wrote another one of those masterful letters telling us of his ill luck. Vince had almost completed his training in Japanese at Yale when he became ill. Continued illness finally resulted in a discharge. Then Vince got back home on mama's cooking and it wasn't long before he was back on his feet. A few weeks later he signed a contract to play pro-

fessional football with the Boston Yankees in the National Pro league. Here he was doing fine, alternating with Augie Lio, former All-American from Georgetown, but about a third of the way through the season he had to give this up. He is now back in Newark where he is in the market for a position. Vince gives his best to all and says how about a few letters.

**Ollie Hunter** was transferred from Columbia's Midshipman school, where he was athletic officer, to another midshipman's school near New Orleans.

**Ed Doyle** writes:

"Over here they are a little rugged, but not too tough for an N.D. man. None of the old gang here, however, I did run into my brother **Larry**, '39, and **Jack Wozlfe**, who wrote 'The Weak'. He is in the same outfit I am, so we get together quite often. **Bill Costello** and **Bob Walsh** are somewhere in the South Pacific, but I don't know where. **Ed Neagle** is on his way over here, so I may see him soon. Missed seeing **Ed Holland** by one day. Saw the Pope while in Italy, but didn't talk to him. France is much nicer than Italy although it has meant more work for me. Infantry is no fun, 'Red,' believe you me, but from the looks of things we are doing a job to end this war in a hurry."

**Paul Fisher** has this to say:

"Last night I was lying in my bunk over here in Southern Italy, and, finding it hard to sleep, my thoughts passed idly from one thing to another, and then dwelled on the date—September, 18, 1944. . . .

"Coming down Notre Dame Avenue the Dome stood out majestically at the end of the aisle of trees. I got out of the cab (paid the driver) and began a brisk walk toward Sorin, interrupted occasionally to greet some of the old gang. After getting settled in Sorin, I proceeded to the Commerce building to get those famous cards of admission to class. Ah! There was the place! Everyone asking, who d'ya have in such and such a class? And then stating, Oh, He's a —. You better go over and see the Dean and get that changed. See ya at the Caf. . . .

"And soon it was football season and you just lived from one week-end to the other seeing who would win the most 'Phillip Morris Cigarettes'. . . Saturday afternoon, crisp and fragrant. The people filing into the stadium. . . The whistle for the kickoff. . . The roar of the spectrum-colored crowd. . . Long passes; high spiraling-punts; long, thrilling runs; sharp, viscous tackles; clean, hard blocks. . . The winning score. . . and then a trip downtown (after the steak supper in the Dining Hall) to the CoFax, or Andy Kekko's, or the Bowling Alley. . . The Sunday morning crowd in the Caf. . . An afternoon in Mayor Pavey's town. . . and then back to Sorin where you decide that you better study for Monday's classes. . . .

"But that all happened in September of other years—this is September, 1944, and I'm in Italy wearing a khaki uniform. Then I remembered that **Red Lonergan** was the man in charge of the class of '43, news. Oh, I don't have much news, but I would like to be the recipient of some.

"I was stationed in Washington, D. C. for nine months, and, offhand, I can only think of two of the boys that I saw: one was the Great Cal of Sorin, who was on his way for some further training in the Navy; and the other was **Joe Becker**, who was on his way down south to pick up a ship. But those incidents happened six months ago. My brother, **Pat**, '35, wrote recently that he saw **Dud Smith**, somewhere in the South Pacific.

"Since my Washington hitch, I have flown over to Europe. First to North Africa, where I stayed in Algiers for awhile, and then up to Southern Italy.

Here's a newsy letter from **George Biittner** with the A.A.F. in San Antonio, Texas:

"It is a very rare thing when you run into a Notre Dame man down in these parts. I haven't seen a familiar face from school since **Dippy Evans**, **Mickey Frawley** and **Ray Kuka** went through the pre-flight school here almost a year ago. Haven't heard anything of the latter two, but **Dip** is now stationed at Randolph Field and is playing first string right half on their powerhouse football team. Expect to see him in another week when they play their first home game against S.M.U.

"**Bill Stewart** is ranking up his first year as a staff sergeant at Camp Springs AAF, outside of Washington, D. C. He is doing physical training work and making his usual fine job of it. I thought I was going to have a little reunion with him in New York when I went home on furlough a few weeks back, but his pass didn't go through. He was married to **Helen McNamara** in Boston, last Easter, and they seem to have a good start toward living happily ever after. We have both more or less lost track of **George Murphy**. Guess he has lost the writing touch, but I do know that he and the Mrs. became the parents of a girl a few months ago.

"**Jim Gallagher** is now in England. He received his lieutenant (jg) in May. The invasion of southern France is the first beachhead that he has missed since the boys pulled out of Africa. Says he has seen plenty and is ready to head for the States anytime. He is engineering officer on an LST.

"**Hurdler Bill Dillon** is now seeing foreign service somewhere in the Pacific theater with an Air Force group. He shipped out a couple of months ago. Says he likes it and doesn't expect to be back until the whole business is finished.

"I think it might be well to extend the sympathies of the class through your column in the next issue to **Bob McPadden**, who was called home from California last week, where he is stationed in the Navy, because of the death of his mother. **Tom O'Malley** is holding down a job in his own line in the General Electric Co. in Schenectady, N. Y.

"I've been giving physical training to pre-flight cadets down here for a year now and was down in Florida before that. I like Texas just about as much as all the other Yankees down here. Have played tennis four times in two years.

"**John Kelly**, who was with us for a couple of years, has been sent back to Chicago by the Army to get his medical degree at Loyola. Practically everyone in his family is now in one branch of the service or another. **Bob Sweeney** shipped out again about a month ago, after seeing plenty of naval duty in the Pacific. **Lee Raymond** is still down in that territory according to my latest info. **Ed Hoch** is at the Marine quartermasters' depot in San Francisco."

I am writing this from the new board of publications office down at school. They have made executive offices out of old Brownson hall, so when we come through town we can no longer stay out in Brownson for the night. **Pat Filley** is hobbling around the campus with his two bad knees. He will graduate in February and will probably go into coaching, where he has several juicy offers. **Wally Ziemba** is coaching the line and **Creighton Miller** is coaching backs this year. Both are living in Sorin.

Around here I have been told that **Kevin O'Toole**

and **Wally McNamara** are both over in Saipan. They claim that G.I. morale has gone up 50% since they landed. Those who knew them realize this is not an exaggeration. **Eddy Ryan** has left Loyola med school to get a little active duty under his belt. He is now in boot camp down in Texas. We have been told that **Jack Fearon** has been reported missing over in France. **Gene Fehlig** is in a service hospital in Idaho now, recovering from wounds he received over in France.

"Hot Man" **Tracey** is night clerk in one of New York's hotels. **Ed Callaghan** is an officer in the Navy and is on active duty in the Atlantic. Just stopped to go over to the Huddle to have a sandwich and a coke and ran into **Father Brennan**. He gets younger every year. **Jim** and **Bill Ford** are coming to the end of their med training at Northwestern; **Jim** will soon be starting his own practice.

**Bob Kuipers** has been given another promotion with Braniff Airlines. He has been reservations manager for over a year and now will divide his time between managing the office and being one of Braniff's three sales representatives here in Chicago.

Current whereabouts: **Ens. Bob Burke**, Lt. (jg) **Charles Steltmann**, Lt. **Ed Hoch**, USMC and Lt. **Bob Simon**, USMC, all FPO's through San Francisco.

Lt. (jg) **Bob McCafferty** spent a well-earned rest at his home in Cincinnati after completing 13 months in the southwest Pacific area as commanding officer of a torpedo boat. Everyone's mighty proud of **Bob** as he had been awarded the Presidential citation and the Silver Star for gallantry in action. **Jim Fennell**, Saratoga Springs, N. Y., has been assigned to Colgate University's V-7 School and is waiting orders to midshipman school.

A navigator on a flying fortress in the Mediterranean theater, Lt. **Carl Coco**, Lake Charles, La., successfully flew his fiftieth combat mission. He flew this golden mission in early September when the group bombed a highway bridge at Belgrade, Yugoslavia.

Upon leaving the United States for flying duty overseas, **Carl** was assigned to the oldest heavy bombardment group in the theater. This group has flown over 350 missions, bombing enemy installations in almost every Axis-dominated country in Europe from bases in England, North Africa, Russia and Italy. **Carl** has been awarded the Air Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters and the European-African-Middle East theater ribbon with two battle participation stars.

Newly commissioned: **Ens. George Kelly**, Richmond, Va., Naval Air Training Bases, Pensacola, Fla.; **Ens. Bill Hearn**, Los Angeles, Naval Air Training Bases, Corpus Christi, Texas; **Ens. Ed Dore**, Dearborn, Mich., Naval Air Training Bases, Pensacola, Fla.

For "courage, coolness and skill" read the citation which accompanied Lt. **Mike Fisch's** award of the second Oak Leaf Cluster to the Air Medal. **Mike**, from Fairmount, Minn., is a co-pilot in a Eighth Air Force B-17 flying fortress group.

From **Louis Kurtz**, FPO, N.Y.C.:

"I don't know if you have heard about **Pete Moritz** or not. But he was seriously injured at Normandy and has been sent to Portsmouth Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, Va. Some of his shipmates that I have talked to say that it was due to the grace of God and four hours hard work by an Army surgeon that he is alive today. Knowing **Pete** the way I did, it is no wonder that the grace of God helped him for

he was a true Notre Dame man in his faith in God and the Blessed Mother.

[Pete is now at home in Mansfield, O. He expects to return to duty after Jan. 1.—Eds.]

"I also heard that Gene Fehlig was injured but I have not seen him, therefore, I only have hearsay to go by. In the past few months I have seen a number of N. D. men: Gail Fitch, Tom Cooney, Fred Gore, Frank Commins, Jim McElroy and Sam Molter to mention a few. They all seem to be fine but, of course, anxious to get home.

"My wife has been very faithful about sending me the 'Alumnus' and I have really enjoyed it. Every time a bunch of us get together we exchange what issues we have, so that I think all of us have seen all the copies."

Lt. John Lanahan wrote to Scrap Young that he went through the torrid landings with the second Marines in the latter's recent battling in the Marianas, and that it was very rugged going from the start. His executive officer out there is Capt. Paul Morrison, '39.

From Ens. Gene Fehlig, U. S. Naval Hospital, Farragut, Idaho:

"Ens. John O'Malley, Terra Haute, Ind., who landed on the very same sector of Normandy, D-Day, as I, and who was engaged in the same work, was taken prisoner by the Germans. For long we thought him gone; but news comes now, sent by Jack via a repatriated British Naval officer, that he is safe and well in a prison camp. Indeed, good news for all of us, for we of his outfit regard him as being in that choice class of men who come no cleaner-cut. They don't come any better than Jack.

"My partner in D-Day work was Capt. Bob McDonough, '34, West Orange, N. J. He had graduated with my brother, Vince; it was a pleasure to work with him.

"I'm still a patient at the Farragut Naval Hospital,—five months now. However, I have my wife and daughter with me. Ran into several N. D. men out here at Farragut. One of them was PhM 3/c Clay Duerr, '32, Benton Harbor, Mich."

## 1944

Excerpt from Ens. Bob Faught's letter, dated Sept. 15.

"I was in Hawaii not long ago (for the second time) and missed Bonnie Bonicelli by two days. Disappointed, but I'll probably run into him somewhere. I've seen lots of N. D. men—Jim McVay, Jack Tobin, Jim Fayette, Bill Boss, etc. I went to the N. D. alumni meeting in Hawaii a week ago Sunday and saw Lt. Frank Leahy, Father Corcoran, '30, (army chaplain), Ralph Vincigurra, John Hickey, and several others.

"Our island here is very small with some shattered palm trees, a few jeeps, a beautiful air strip, lots of sand, and no women. I live in a Quonset hut called the 'Palmer House.' Some day I'll drop you a note from the coast of China!"

Pfc. Dick Kelly, Terra Haute, completed an exacting course in a chemical warfare school at Edgewood Arsenal, Md. Vail Pischke, South Bend, has received the 1944 copyright law award of \$100 and a scroll from the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers for his paper on "Plural Liability of Musical Copyrighted Compositions." Before reporting for active duty, Ens. Jim Cunningham, Chicago, visited the campus. After attending the midshipmen's school at the N. D. naval training station, Jim received additional training as a supply officer at Harvard University.

Chuck Patterson, c/o FPO, San Francisco, checked in with an interesting letter in early September, in which he mentioned meeting Ens. Jim Cunningham in Chicago before Jim dashed off to Harvard. Chuck had seen Bob Sargan and had heard of John Henchy (with the Signal Corps in CIB theater) and Bill Binet (with the amphibious forces). He added that Flight Officer Kelly Cook, AAF, Lincoln, had stopped in to see Chuck's family in Gretna, Nebr.

From "somewhere in Germany" John Beyerle wrote the following letter to Dave Conden:

"I am continually on the outlook for fellows from school, but I haven't met with too much success. Before I left the states, I ran into Tom Clemens, my old roommate from Alumni Hall. We met near 42nd and Broadway and had a short chat. Once, in England, I ran into Clem Constantine (he is the Constantine from Massachusetts). We were in the same camp and I met him after Mass one Sunday in July. Clem had been more fortunate than I had in finding fellows from school.

"I spent three glorious days and nights in Paris. Its the most beautiful city I have seen over here. Its filled with side-walk cafes, beaucoup of beautiful women, bicycles by the thousands, excellent red and white wine, cognac and practically everything else your heart wants, with exception of a good meal and tobacco. I attended Mass at Notre Dame Cathedral early in September on a lovely Sunday morning. I hear regularly from Bob Martina, via post. The alumni magazine is a Godsend. I read it from cover to cover and anxiously await each issue. Wish it came oftener."

From John Lynch, somewhere in Italy:

"Having myself been invalidated back from the front, sustaining an old injury, not wounded. I have come in contact with the N. D. Club of Italy, rallying point of which is in the office of Major John Hinkel, '29, at the Allied Control Commission.

"Today I heard from Jack Woelfle, who has been in the fight from Anzio to France. Another change: Pfc. Gerald Shofronch, now in Washington, D. C. I am trying to track down a Wiley and a McDonald, both of N. D., who are reported as being in these parts."

Lt. Bob Burgett, Fultonham, N. Y., has returned to the states and the AAF Redistribution Station in Miami Beach. Bob is the winner of the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal with two oak leaf clusters. During seven months in Italy he flew 50 missions as a B-24 navigator. Sgt. Bill Kelly, Andover, Mass., also on a B-24, is a gunner with the 15th AAF in Italy. After having recovered from injuries, for which he received the Purple Heart, Tom Clemens is in France. His brother, John, ex. '46, has graduated from Penn State University in A.S.T.P. radio engineering.

Ens. Joe Gall, c/o FPO, San Francisco, writes that his skipper is a N. D. grad, class of '33, but doesn't mention his name. Lt. Sid Simpson was wounded Sept. 16 in Germany and is recovering in a hospital in England. An infantryman. Sid participated in the D-Day fighting. He has been awarded the Purple Heart medal. Lt. Bob MacDonell is with the L.A.A.F. in Laredo, Tex.

Happy news for the parents of PhM Joe Shea, Cleveland, when they had word from Vice Admiral Randall Jacobs who said that a previous message, reporting Joe's death from wounds in the South Pacific last July 21, had been erroneous and that he was still living.

## 1945 and Later

David R. Conden, The Chicago Tribune, Chicago, Ill.

Ted Weber, home from the Southwest Pacific, visited N. D. at the time of the Wisconsin game. His next assignment was transportation corps OCS at New Orleans. Pfc. Bob O'Callaghan, Ironwood, Mich., was seriously wounded in Germany Sept. 22 but is convalescing in a hospital in Belgium. Bob has been in service for 17 months, in the infantry.

Bill Dinsen is studying in the Navy medical corps at Michigan U. A graduate of the New Orleans transportation corps OCS, Lt. John Neenan, Boston, has been assigned to active duty with the TC. S/Sgt. Joseph Sobek, Hammond, Ind., winner of the Air Medal with four oak leaf clusters and a Presidential Unit Citation, was assigned to the AAF Redistribution Station, Miami, the early part of October. Joe, a B-17 gunner, flew 50 missions during six months in the European theater.

Lake Higgins was seriously wounded in the fighting in Italy. Herb Coleman is now in the midshipmen's school at Notre Dame. Bill Haber is playing football again, this time for the Second Air Force Superbombers at Colorado Springs, Colo. Newly commissioned an ensign, John Grentzer was graduated from the Naval Air Training Bases, Corpus Christi, Tex.

Dick Terry, Kewanee, Ill., after much moving about the country, is now stationed at Chanute Field, Rantoul, Ill. His brother, Bob, is at St. Louis University in the med school. Catcher in the N. D. baseball team for the last three years, Tommy Sheehan entered boot training at Great Lakes in October. The Fifth Air Force in the southwest Pacific says that 2nd Lt. Bob Kneeland, Postville, Iowa, has been assigned as bombardier-navigator with the "Air Apaches", a crack Mitchell bomber-strafer outfit. Bob received his wings and commission in November, 1943. F 1/c Brad Ross was at the sub base in New London, Conn., in mid-October.

Sgt. Jim Johnson, North Easton, Mass., is in France according to word received from his father. Jim visited Paris and the Cathedral of Notre Dame. He has been in the Army since June, 1943, and overseas since July, 1944.

S 2/c Billy Coakley, Cleveland, checked in with a letter which admits that he's in for winter residence at Great Lakes, Ill. Bill sent a contribution to the Alumni Fund.

## PRAY FOR N.D. DEAD

Through the active apostolate of Rev. Frank Gartland, C.S.C., every Notre Dame man killed or captured or missing in World War II is being prayed for in at least one Mass each week by a "Student Samaritan." This movement, sponsored by *Our Sunday Visitor* and directed by Father Gartland is enlisting the prayers and Masses of thousands of parochial and Catholic high school boys and girls, each of whom adopts a specific soldier from various casualty lists of our parishes, colleges and high schools.

Father Gartland is also active in the Youth Section of O.S.V., and has issued a number of pamphlets for men in service, the latest being a strong case for purity in "Play Square."

# The Low Cost of Giving

In the interest of accelerating the University's ability to meet the challenges of the day and its opportunities, J. Arthur Haley, '26, director of public relations, has issued a booklet entitled "Foundations."

While the book is designed to suggest substantial gifts permitting some permanence of purpose, it contains a chart and some specific suggestions for immediate giving by individuals and corporations which will, through tax savings, allow the benefactor varying appreciable discounts.

In the thought that some alumni are either individually or corporately in a position to utilize these suggestions for the benefit of Notre Dame, the ALUMNUS reprints the chart for individual gifts, and a few notes from the suggestions for corporation donors.

Net Income before Deduction of Gifts	Saving in Federal Income Tax on First \$100 of Gift	Cost of First \$100 of Gift to Donor, after Deduction of Income-Tax Savings	Assumed Net Estate before Exemptions	Saving in Estate Tax for First \$100 of Gift	Net Cost of First \$100 of Gift to Donor's Estate (including Savings on 1944 Income Tax)
\$ 5,000	\$22	<b>\$78</b>	\$ 20,000	No estate tax	<b>\$78</b>
10,000	30	<b>70</b>	50,000	No estate tax	<b>70</b>
15,000	43	<b>57</b>	75,000	\$6	<b>51</b>
20,000	50	<b>50</b>	100,000	9	<b>41</b>
30,000	62	<b>38</b>	100,000	7	<b>31</b>
40,000	65	<b>35</b>	250,000	11	<b>24</b>
50,000	72	<b>28</b>	250,000	8	<b>20</b>
60,000	75	<b>25</b>	500,000	8	<b>17</b>
70,000	78	<b>22</b>	500,000	7	<b>15</b>
80,000	81	<b>19</b>	500,000	6	<b>13</b>
90,000	84	<b>16</b>	750,000	6	<b>10</b>
100,000	87	<b>13</b>	1,000,000	5	<b>8</b>
150,000	89	<b>11</b>	1,500,000	5	<b>6</b>
200,000	90	<b>10</b>	2,000,000	5	<b>5</b>

\*Computations, which are approximate, are based on Tax Rates effective November 15, 1944, and on the assumption that the taxpayer is married with two dependents.

## Corporation Gifts

"In the determination of taxable income, contributions made by corporations to religious or educational institutions are deductible to the extent of 5 per cent of the taxable net income before deduction of such contributions. Payment of contribution, however, must actually be made during the taxable year.

"Corporation tax rates vary from a minimum of 25 per cent to an approximate maximum of 90 per cent, depending upon the amount of income and the liability for excess profits taxes.

"The amount of savings in taxes resulting from a gift depends upon the maximum rate of tax to which the particular corporation is subject . . ."

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