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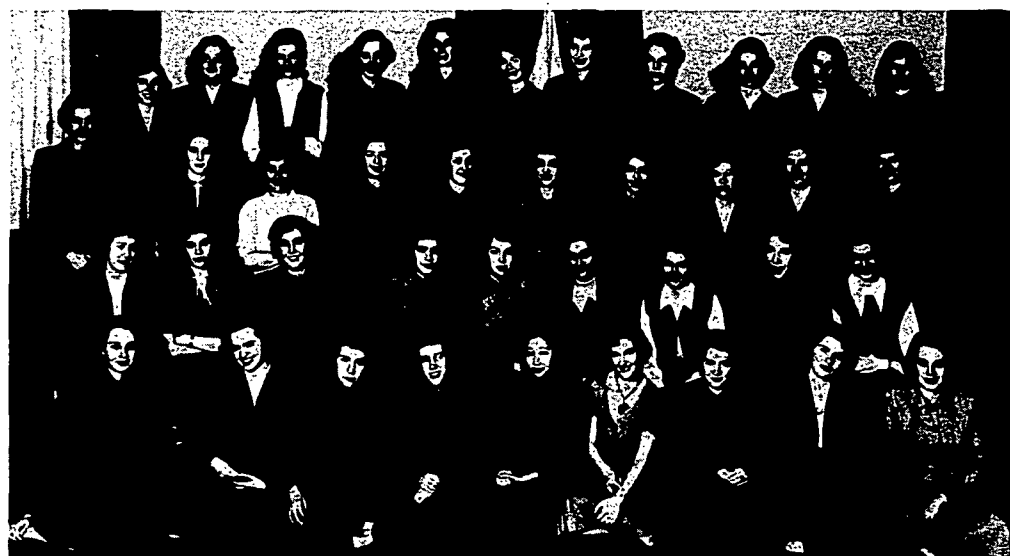
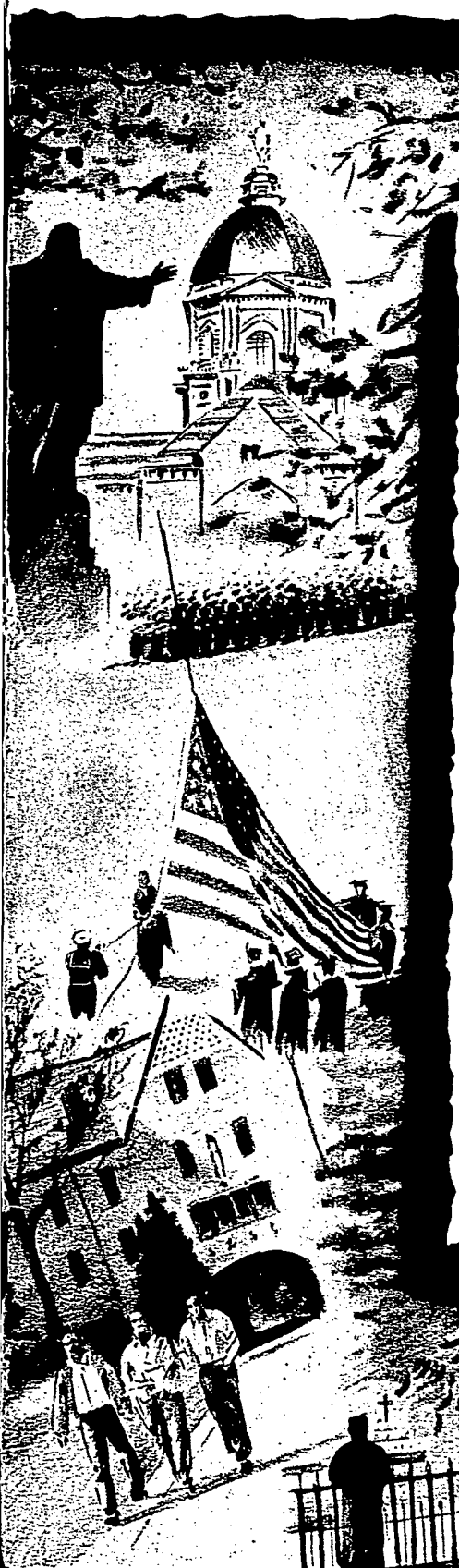
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1952 Class Reunions

June 6, 7, 8

Classes Returning and Halls

1902, '07, '12, '17—Howard

'22—Morrissey

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'32—Morrissey

'37—Dillon

'42—Dillon

'47—Dillon

Friday, June 6

(all times Central Daylight Saving)

General Registration.....Law Building

Class Registration.....in Class Halls

Golf Tournament, Class Reunion Dinners, Smokers

Saturday, June 7

Class Masses, Pictures, Elections

More Golf

President's noon luncheon for 25-year class

Campus and football movies in Washington Hall,
2-3.30 p. m.

Moot Court Finals, 2:30 p. m., and Law Cocktail
Party, Law Building, 4-6 p. m.

Annual Alumni Banquet, 6 p. m., dining hall—
The Alumni Secretary, toastmaster

Principal address, by Father John Cavanaugh

Awarding of Golf Prizes—Trainer Hugh Burns

Presentation of awards to members of 50-yr. Club

Reports of Alumni Board Officers

Sunday, June 8

10:00 a. m., Low Mass, Sacred Heart Church



The Notre Dame Alumnus

TWENTY-NINTH U.N.D. NIGHT IS ON APRIL 21

Radio Program Scheduled April 29; Glee Club on Dumont TV April 24; Father Cavanaugh's Los Angeles Appearance Tops List

Notre Dame Clubs throughout the world, including some 10 new Clubs, will meet on Monday, April 21 (or within the octave of that traditional date), to observe the 29th Annual Universal Notre Dame Night.

Campus speakers, distinguished speakers from the Club's own area, and campus films, will mark the Club's local programs, dedicated this year as a special tribute to the progress of Notre Dame under the administration of its retiring President, Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., whose term ends in July. Father Cavanaugh is recognizing Pacific alumni loyalty by a personal appearance in Los Angeles April 21.

The academic, the cultural, the athletic, the scientific, the fine arts, the alumni and Foundation phases of the University—all of which have flourished under his patronage, will find reflection in a wide variety of programs headed by such familiar headliners as Deans Manion and McCarthy, the Vice-Presidents of the University, members of the coaching and teaching staffs.

Through the efforts of Rev. John H. Murphy, C.S.C., Vice-President of

The May-June issue of the ALUMNUS would like to have reports and pix of the Club observances no later than May 1 for proper editing. Have your secretary send them promptly to James E. Armstrong, editor.

HARVEY FOSTER, '39, NEW ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT

January Board Meeting Features Dinner for Father Cavanaugh and Appointment of New Committees; Increasing Board Work Reflected in Activity of Directors All Year Around

Public Relations, WGN-Mutual will originate a Notre Dame radio program on Tuesday, April 29th, and Dumont's network program, "This Is Music" is scheduled to feature the Notre Dame Glee Club on Thursday, April 24th, from WGN-TV. John

Harvey Foster, '39, now FBI agent in El Paso, Texas, office, was elected President of the Notre Dame Alumni Association at the January meeting of the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association, R. Conroy Scoggins, '24, was named Honorary President. Vice-Presidents are Richard J. Nash, '23, Chicago; Dr. Matthew Weis, '22, St. Louis; and William C. Schmitt, '10, Portland, Ore. James E. Armstrong, '25, was re-elected Executive Secretary.

Primary concern of the Board was the 1952 basic program, with three major objectives: 100% alumni participation in the Tenth Annual Fund, especially related to the Father Cavanaugh Testimonial Fund; a record-breaking Universal Notre Dame Night on April 21; and a record-breaking Universal Communion Sunday on December 7.

Other important objectives considered were the Club Presidents' Council in June; the Class Reunions and Class organization; a Notre Dame Family Communion Sunday on Laetare Sunday; the introduction of the Job Counseling Clinic idea as the New York Club has inaugurated it as a program in other Clubs; the relation of alumni to the sustaining of University enrollment through the Director of Admissions office; the continuing of prestige and public relations, and religion and citizenship, through Club publicity and programs particularly; a manual for Class Secretaries; and the improvement of the Notre ALUMNUS; the increase of activity by friends of the University through alumni interest and invitation.

The next meeting of the Board will be held in conjunction with the Club Presidents' Council and the Class Reunions on June 5, 6, 7 and 8.

LATE BULLETIN

Thomas E. Murray, Atomic Energy Commissioner, was named the 70th recipient of the Laetare Medal March 23.

The announcement was made by Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., President of the University, on Laetare Sunday. Mr. Murray, the father of eleven children (two of whom are priests), has been three times knighted by the Vatican. He is a Knight of Malta, St. Gregory and of the Holy Sepulchre.

Mr. Murray was appointed to the Atomic Energy Commission in 1950 to succeed David Lilienthal. He was born in Albany, N. Y., on June 20, 1891.

Full details of the award will be published in the May-June issue of the ALUMNUS.

Noland, Glee Club soloist, will be a guest star on the Fred Waring show, Sunday, April 20th, according to press plans.

The Mutual-WGN radio show on April 29 will be on WGN at 9:30 p. m. CENTRAL DAYLIGHT time, and on the Mutual network at 10:30. "This Is Music" will be broadcast at 7 p. m. CENTRAL STANDARD time April 24.

A Testimonial from the Alumni

Address of R. Conroy Scoggins given Jan. 25, 1952 at Testimonial Dinner for Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., President of the University of Notre Dame.

It is with mixed sentiments of deep spiritual gratitude and equally deep human regret that I as the retiring President of the 21,000 active members of the Notre Dame Alumni Association address you this evening at this testimonial dinner given by the Alumni Board for Notre Dame's great President, Father John Cavanaugh.

During recent years our Association has grown at the rate of 1,000 or more alumni annually. We have 52 class secretaries, 117 local alumni clubs, and 237 City Chairmen of the Notre Dame Foundation. We have been able to show this great progress because we have had the unselfish support and guidance of Father Cavanaugh.

What do we think of Father Cavanaugh? Our spiritual bouquet on Universal Notre Dame Sunday of 7,595 Masses, 7,490 Communions, and 10,489 Rosaries gives eloquent testimony of our love and devotion for one whose genuine priestly affection, gentleness, and proven ability we know so well.

The Notre Dame ALUMNUS published six times yearly reflected the news of members of the faculty, alumni, and undergraduates and I am quite sure that you have noted from time to time articles of great deeds done by our honoree whose influence over the lives of those that seek the truth has not been confined to the campus at Notre Dame. Everywhere—North, South, East and West—his voice has been heard and his pleadings harkened by those whose care is the mental and moral training of the youth of the world.

With the help of this truly great priest, the Alumni Board of this great institution of learning through our committees has been able to be of assistance to the welfare of Notre Dame. Alumni financial support has become a major contribution. In 1947, with Father Cavanaugh's co-operation, the Association persuaded the University to form the Notre Dame Foundation. In 1951, the pre-



R. Conroy Scoggins, now the Honorary President, congratulates the new Alumni President, Harvey Foster, following his election on January 25. Rev. John Cavanaugh, University President, congratulates them both.

liminary Foundation Reports show 8,590 alumni gifts totalling \$329,379.69. This is an all-time high in the number of alumni gifts.

We are constantly seeking the full support of faculty and alumni. We continually keep before alumni and friends the need for both numbers of donors and amounts of contribution to meet the University needs. Our alumni association purchases a minimum of \$300,000.00 of football tickets annually. We have 300 sons of alumni registered in school. We are contributing approximately \$400,000.00 in tuition and fees each year.

Why am I making reference to these various statistics? Because I think everyone here should know that we are convinced that God has been good to Notre Dame in that we have been blessed with outstanding administrators who have helped us help ourselves.

Father Cavanaugh is recognized as an educator, respected for his principles, emulated for his arresting zeal and enthusiasm, accepted and admired in every gathering and in every field of educational policy.

Because of this kind of leadership, our Alumni Association and all our local alumni clubs are showing a new

zeal and a new maturity of accomplishment in their programs. In all the major objectives of the philosophy of our organization—in enrollment, working with Notre Dame, in prestige and endowment, seeking out Foundation prospects, moving into civic activities and alumni programs, the Alumni Association and the clubs were strong as never before.

The Law Alumni Association and the Monogram Alumni Association are two strong supplementary alumni groups.

Our association is working with the Director of Admissions. We are constantly contacting prospective students. We have helped with a brochure for prospective students to be accompanied shortly by a manual for alumni for preparatory school and personal interview use.

Sixteen Notre Dame clubs have active or cumulative scholarship funds in operation.

We are proud to call these accomplished facts to your attention so that you may readily realize that Father Cavanaugh's dynamic leadership has given all of us a desire to go forward. We also take great pride in our alumni members who are members of the Associate Board of Lay Trustees, the Advisory Council on Science and Engineering, and the Advisory Council of the College of Commerce. The National Chairman of the Foundation and new President of the Board of Lay Trustees is our familiar outstanding alumnus Frank C. Walker of New York.

Everyone realizes that when Father Cavanaugh became President of Notre Dame in 1946 he was confronted with many momentous problems but, being a man of faith and with true humility patterned after our Lady, he started the tremendous postwar expansion of Notre Dame.

With courage sublime and faith unflinching, with the full realization that this Country needed free independent institutions of higher education, he chartered the course that is

being followed at this time at Notre Dame. He knew that many institutions were not educating the whole man, and he feared that such an educational system would disregard the spiritual side of man and be a dangerous educational system that would educate Christians and graduate them from God. He therefore plunged the weight of his God-given gifts and talents into the tremendous effort of making Notre Dame the outstanding University in the world.

He and his administration made a decision to utilize Notre Dame's facilities to the utmost in order to educate as many young men as would be humanly possible. Due to this decision, the enrollment at Notre Dame has increased 62 percent during his term of office.

It was evident to Father Cavanaugh at the very outset of his administration that if the Notre Dame student body was to be increased, means must be found through an expansion and development program for the physical expansion of the University and for increasing the meager \$3,000,000 endowment of this privately-endowed University.

With this in mind, in the second year of Father Cavanaugh's administration, the University of Notre Dame Foundation was organized in 1947 to coordinate gifts to the University. Under Father Cavanaugh's leadership, the Notre Dame Foundation launched a ten-year \$25,000,000 program.

During the past few years alumni and non-alumni friends of Notre Dame have given \$7,000,000 to the University. These gifts include the Science Building, the E. M. Morris Inn, the I. A. O'Shaughnessy Liberal and Fine Arts Building, and the Fred J. and Sally Fisher Memorial Residence Hall.

Father Cavanaugh and his administration realized, as a result of Notre Dame's vastly-increased scientific research both during and following World War II, that the University's laboratory and classroom facilities were totally inadequate to house the enlarged Departments of Chemistry, Physics, and Mathematics. Notre Dame was receiving an ever-increasing number of research contracts from both government and private industry, and more adequate facilities were badly needed.

One of the first projects of the University of Notre Dame Foundation was a nation-wide campaign among Notre Dame alumni and non-alumni friends to raise \$1,750,000 for a new and modern Science Building. The campaign reached a successful conclusion in 1950, but since that time increased costs have forced Notre Dame to seek an additional \$800,000 to complete and equip the building, which is scheduled for completion in 1952.

As a result of the rapid physical expansion of the University under Father Cavanaugh, the University of Notre Dame Foundation has launched a "Father Cavanaugh Testimonial Fund," with a goal of \$3,000,000 by July of 1952. The fund, designed as a tribute to Father Cavanaugh, will be used, through the improvement and expansion of campus utilities systems, to carry forward and complete the building projects inaugurated during Father Cavanaugh's administration.

When Father Cavanaugh assumed the presidency of Notre Dame, only a few more than 100 students were enrolled in the University Graduate School. Very little financial assistance to such students, in the form of fellowships, research, or teaching assistantships, was available.

By way of contrast and progress during Father Cavanaugh's administration, the University's graduate student enrollment quadrupled during Father Cavanaugh's tenure of office, reaching an all-time high of 450 graduate students during the 1950-51 schoolyear. During the current school-year, more than half of the graduate students hold graduate appointments of one kind or another, totalling nearly \$300,000 per schoolyear.

Today's figures reveal that during the past schoolyear the University brought in better than three-quarters of a million dollars under contracts, grants and fellowships, from governmental agencies, Foundations and industry.

Today, due in large measure to development during Father Cavanaugh's administration, the Notre Dame Graduate School comprises four Divisions—Arts and Letters, Science, Social Science and Engineering. These four divisions include twenty-two departments, of which twelve offer the doctorate degree.

Finally, two internationally-known Institutes have been cultivated and developed during the past six years. The Mediaeval Institute was established in 1946 as a center for research in the life and culture of the Middle Ages, and in 1950 institute status was given LOBUND (Laboratories of Bacteriology, University of Notre Dame), an institute for research in the life sciences, in which germ-free animals are reared and used in seeking the solution of biological and medical problems.

All of you realize that time does not permit me to narrate all of Father Cavanaugh's great works. I was a student with Father John and I call him Father John—not with disrespect but with genuine affection. I have worked very closely with him for the past three years and I ask you to behold a great priest who has pleased God. I will miss my close association with him. In his mind I have recognized the elements of genius; in his character the marks of nobility; and in his heart the strong passion of love which impels him to expend himself in discharging the duties and responsibilities of his office.

Father John, men and women all over the world have entrusted to you and the faculty of Notre Dame their lifetime investments—not in money but in their sons who are their future, Notre Dame's future, and the future of the world. Give them the best that is in you and you will receive dividends beyond measure. You Father Cavanaugh are the shepherd of this flock and it is our fervent prayer that God may in his goodness bless abundantly both the shepherd and the sheep of Notre Dame.

Snite Donates Books

Two sets of the Works of William Shakespeare in extra illustrated editions have been given to the University of Notre Dame by Mr. Fred Snite, Sr., of Chicago, Illinois. The printer of both sets was the famous Scottish firm of T. & A. Constable of Edinburgh and the Works have been appraised at \$14,000.

The sets contain hundreds of water colors as well as 1800 etchings, mezzotints, steel, copper and wood engravings. Many of the plates used to illustrate these volumes date back to the early part of the 18th century.

1952 Football Ticket Plans

By JAMES E. ARMSTRONG

Advance Sale Opens June 20, Closes July 14; Contributors to the Alumni Fund in 1951 Receive Preference; Two-Ticket Limit; Blanks Mailed Prior to June 20; New Limitations

This is Spring. But remember those dates. Sale opens June 20th, closes July 14.

If you contributed to the 1951 Fund, or are a Religious, and have not received your Alumni Preference application forms by June 20, let us know. In the past, many alumni who, by moving or mailing address changes, did not receive their blanks, have waited until the advance sale was closed and adjustment was almost impossible, in spite of their valid claim.

Serious Business

We do not take this ticket business lightly.

In the first place, the interest in Notre Dame football is one of the

versity, the Athletic Department, and the Alumni Association through its Board of Directors, does not approach the subject lightly or without full consideration of all angles. That perfect satisfaction does not result is simply an evidence of the growing pressures of the several segments of interest.

Home Game Distribution

The Alumni Section, plus a block of tickets allotted to the Monogram alumni, and several hundred season tickets assigned prior to 1942, occupy the 14,000 seats in Sections 1 to 9 of Notre Dame Stadium, inclusive. However, only 4,000 of these available to alumni lie between the goal and the 50-yard line; and of these 4,000, only about 1600 fall in the 35-50 yard-line area.

The visiting team occupies an agreed upon block beginning in Section 10 in Notre Dame Stadium and usually numbering from a few thousand up to the maximum—but without exception utilizing all the seats between the 50-yard and goal lines. In recent years, a block of seats for University administration has been carved from the upper rows of the Visiting Team Sections to relieve the pressure on alumni seats.

On the West side of the Stadium, 5,000 students occupy all the seats between the 50-yard and goal lines

in one direction, plus St. Mary's students and the wives of married students, and parents of students—certainly not a "general public" classification, and vital to the continuing lifestream of Notre Dame.

Season Tickets

The season ticket sections, from the 50-yard line well into the end of the Stadium on the West side with about 1,000 on the East side, is a source of some argument, since it is open to the public, though no new season ticket sales have been conducted in recent years, and none at all assigned on the East side since 1941, when alumni participation began to increase noticeably.

The important points to remember about the season ticket section are:

1. It is the only channel to reasonable seats open to friends of long standing.

2. It has existed since the Stadium was opened in 1930, and most of the seats have been held continuously by families or businesses in the St. Joseph Valley.

3. Many alumni occupy these seats.

4. The season ticket section was a well-filled financial pillar of Notre Dame revenue in years when all other sections were often empty, even on part of the sidelines. Notre Dame obviously cannot evict old friends simply to make new.

Geographical Limitations

Since most away-from-home games find us with fewer tickets to apply to the alumni preference allocation,

1952 SCHEDULE

(and ticket prices, including tax)

Sept. 27—Pennsylvania, there	\$5.20*
Oct. 4—Texas, there	4.00
Oct. 11—Pittsburgh, here	4.80
Oct. 18—Purdue, there	3.60
Oct. 25—N. Carolina, here	4.80
Nov. 1—Navy, Cleveland	4.75, 6.00
Nov. 8—Oklahoma, here	4.80
Nov. 15—Mich. State, there	3.60
Nov. 22—Iowa, there	3.50
Nov. 29—So. California, here	4.80

*Federal and city taxes included

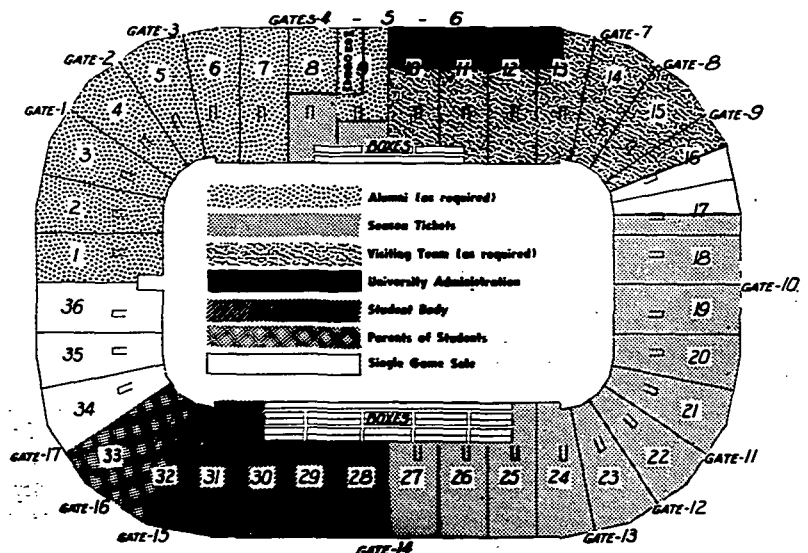
great common denominators of our alumni association.

Secondly, it is one of the great magnets for the interest of friends.

Thirdly, its financial aspects have been a vital factor in University development.

Fourthly, we realize that many alumni find in football games a very valuable business asset or social asset for themselves, which is perfectly logical and almost inevitable.

So, in the consideration of the distribution of football tickets, your Uni-



we feel that once more some geographical limitations should be adopted.

At this time, Michigan State, Pennsylvania and Texas indicate this step.

The limitation simply means that only alumni in an area surrounding the game, and selected by alumni population, will receive the application blanks for these games. The areas indicated are wide, relatively — 18 States for the Penn game and 16 for the Texas game. Michigan State will be limited as it was last year, to the State of Michigan and only an immediate fringe outside, because the original ticket allotment is very small, and will become critical if the student trip is included.

It is experience that most alumni far removed from a game do not plan to attend such games. Most of the ticket demand is for non-alumni friends or business acquaintances or for "trading" to increase nearby game ticket supply. While this is not condemned as either sin or crime, it obviously works an injustice against the actual neighboring alumni in a game area. Individual instances in which distant alumni will attend a game personally can be adjusted, as they always have been on advance explanation.

General Use Blanks

Applications for all games involving public sale will be sent to *ALL* alumni, about July 15th. These forms may be used for ordering tickets or, in the case of alumni contributors, *additional* tickets. They are filled after the alumni advance sale closes July 14, if tickets remain.

Preference to Contributors

May we repeat, ticket preference does not exist to *secure* contributions. Some yardstick is necessary in allocating a limited number of tickets. Contributions are the *only* yardstick the campus has. A contribution in *any amount* is all that is needed to qualify. All of us—Alumni and Athletic and University staffs—will welcome suggestions, and several are up for consideration this year. But in a long experience, the present system has produced, so far, fewer complaints and inequities than any previous system, and under probably greater pressures of demand.

SPOTLIGHT ALUMNUS



REV. MAURICE E. POWERS, C.S.C. '33

Rev. Maurice E. Powers, C.S.C., '33, has left Japan to become assistant commandant at the Army Chaplain's School, Fort Slocum, N. Y.

Father Morry, known to his troops as "The Fightin' Padre," holds the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel and served in World War II with the 12th Armored and 36th Infantry Divisions in Europe. In the Korean conflict he served as Division Chaplain with the 7th Infantry and with the 24th.

Prior to his Korean service he spent two years in Berlin with U. S. occupation forces.

His decorations include four for valor—the Silver Star, the Bronze Star with three clusters. Fr. Morry also wears five battle stars and a unit citation.

"Red" Smith Honored

Philadelphia's LaSalle College announced on Feb. 7 that its annual "Collegian" Award is going to W. W. "Red" Smith, '27, whose syndicated sports column emanates from the New York Herald-Tribune.

Smith accepted the honor at a testimonial dinner in the Pen and Pencil Club. "Red" is a native of Green Bay, Wis., and has worked on the Milwaukee Sentinel, the Philadelphia Record, St. Louis Star before joining the Herald-Tribune in 1945.

The Rosary in Cleveland

Ray T. Miller, '14, is the originator of a 15-minute radio program in Cleveland that won "Favorite Program" and "Favorite Cleveland Program" awards in an annual popularity contest run by a Cleveland paper.

The program, originated by Ray and his wife, Ruth, in October, 1950, consists of the simple recitation of the Rosary, for world peace. It is broadcast from the chapel of St. John's Cathedral, seven nights a week.

It placed ahead of all comedy, variety, mystery and news programs in the heaviest balloting in the 22 years of the newspaper poll.

Dennis J. O'Neill, '25, Cleveland advertising executive sent a first-hand report, which in itself is a citation for the "Rosary Hour":

"The program was started a year ago last October, as a special feature for that month of the Rosary. At the end of the month it was to be dropped—in fact, was dropped for a couple of evenings, but demand for it prompted rescheduling. It has been a sustaining feature every evening since, including Saturday and Sunday.

"Ruth and Ray Miller (probably not in the order named) conceived the idea and have consistently refused to commercialize it by admitting a sponsor. The mail count is high. Many of the letters tell of fallen-away Catholics going back to the Church, better family relations in mixed marriages, increased interest in the Church on the part of non-Catholics.

"From the standpoint of the Miller's Catholic Action, the significant fact is not that the program, surprisingly, won the two top prizes, but that it would still be going, just the same, had it won none. But it must be gratifying to Ruth and Ray to have their tribute to Our Lady so well applauded."

Ronan Addresses Group

Jim Ronan, '26, president of the Ronan Packing Co., Chicago, recently addressed the Industrial Relations classes in the Department of Economics at the University.

His talk, on the "Responsibilities of Management in Industrial Relations," stressed the need for applying the teaching of the Social Encyclicals.

Father Cavanaugh Testimonial Fund Needs YOU

Principal Contribution of Notre Dame Alumni Is Participation; Fund Closes in July;
Five-Year Record Indicates Generosity in Amount, But our Job is The Participation Story

What Notre Dame gets in any given year is very important, especially in this critical era of still rising costs and still limited resources.

And, a corollary, what the Notre Dame alumni give every year is important.

Their interest in sustaining a full and representative enrollment is important.

Their faithful discharge of their identities as Notre Dame men, applying their training for moral and responsible leadership to their business, social, family, cultural and spiritual lives is most significant.

But there is one program that will result in enrollment, prestige and endowment, all at once.

This is the participation by Notre Dame men in the Annual Alumni Fund in such large numbers that they represent an irrefutable endorsement of all that the University was, is, and plans to be!

This participation, in the early years of the Alumni Fund and the Foundation programs, has been encouraging. At the very outset it proved that the spirit of Notre Dame was strong enough to bring us comparative high ranking among the top 10 colleges and universities.

But we are far from the figure of the top school. Dartmouth, in 1951, presented the astonishing example of 92 percent alumni participation in its annual fund. It is true that they started much earlier than Notre Dame—in 1913. And their organization is a veteran one, their methods traditional now in Dartmouth life.

But what any other college or university can do in manifestation of interest and loyalty, Notre Dame can do.

Participation by alumni in the Annual Alumni Fund is the best sales point the University has in extending its request for aid to others outside the alumni.

Much of the generous record of the Father Cavanaugh administration came because Father Cavanaugh could point to the excellent and tangible record of help which Notre

Dame was receiving from her alumni.

We are now in the 10th Annual Alumni Fund period, the calendar year of 1952.

We are also in the second half of the fiscal year, 1951-52, which has been dedicated to the Father Cavanaugh Testimonial Fund, and for which gifts during this fiscal year will be allocated to the physical projects essential to the rounding out of this great building program.

What you give to this Testimonial, in amount, will be important and appreciated.

But if we could set an all-time high in alumni participation in this 10th Annual Alumni Fund by July (even though it will extend till December actually) we could make a gift to Father Cavanaugh that would exceed and be more lasting in its important example than any amount.

And participation does not depend on amount.

We have suggested repeat gifts during the year, since even the small gift adds up quickly when repeated frequently.

But if you are pressed in any given period, just one dollar (\$1) will serve to bring to us and to you the tremendous significance of endorsement, the rich value of participation.

This is what we ask, then,—100 percent participation. In amount, as generous as circumstances permit, because the requirements are great, and because we want the Testimonial to

reflect in amount, too, the extent of our gratitude to another President of Notre Dame who has served unselfishly for six epochal and demanding years. But remember: Any amount, since it represents you, is in itself a very vital gift.

Here are figures compiled by the University Accounting Office and submitted by Rev. Edmund Joyce, C.S.C., Vice-President in Charge of Business Affairs. They indicate the generous support that has been given to Father Cavanaugh during his administration, and explain how the great progress in plant and in educational values has been made possible without undue burden on student costs. They are a tribute to the generosity of alumni; to the generosity of friends who have joined alumni in advancing the University's program; and to business and industry and government for their recognition of the high values of University research.

This is a great record of aid, in relation to the history of the University. But in relation to the opportunities of Notre Dame, it has only begun to meet them.

So act for yourself immediately, in insuring your participation in both the 10th Annual Alumni Fund and the Father Cavanaugh Testimonial. Then make sure your alumnus neighbor, fellow-Club member, Classmates, all are in. Then we can ask more non-alumni help.

FOR THE FIVE YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 1951

Sponsored Research	Year Ending June 30					Total
	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	Five Years
Government	\$165,594	\$264,959	\$265,490	\$ 405,200	\$ 465,430	\$1,566,673
Industry and others..	80,965	94,240	86,296	123,168	113,315	497,984
	\$246,559	\$359,199	\$351,786	\$ 528,368	\$ 578,745	\$2,064,657
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Gifts:	Year Ending June 30					Total
	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	Five Years
Restricted	\$367,179	\$271,188	\$439,543	\$1,857,512	\$1,729,136	\$4,664,558
Unrestricted	193,271	275,816	257,897	269,197	275,025	1,271,206
	\$560,450	\$547,004	\$697,440	\$2,126,709	\$2,004,161	\$5,935,764
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Grand Total, for the Five Fiscal Years, of Research Grants, and Gifts.....						\$8,000,421

Bernard Duffy Succeeds Walker in New York

Appointment of Bernard C. Duffy, of New York City, President of Batten, Barton, Durstine and Osborn, Inc., as Chairman of the Greater New York Chapter of the President's Committee of the University of Notre Dame, is announced by Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., President of the University.

Mr. Duffy succeeds Frank C. Walker, '09, former Postmaster General of the United States, as Chairman of the Committee. Mr. Walker will continue as National Chairman of the Notre Dame Foundation and as President of the Associate Board of Lay Trustees at Notre Dame.

Purpose of the President's Committee is to act as counsel and advisor to the President of Notre Dame. Most members of the Committee, like Mr. Duffy, did not attend Notre Dame. Mr. Duffy also is a member of the Advisory Council for the College of Commerce at Notre Dame.

As President of Batten, Barton, Durstine and Osborn, Inc., Mr. Duffy is one of the advertising leaders of the nation. He is a member of the Board of Directors of the Audit Bureau of Circulations, Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Advertising of the Proprietary Association of America, Director-at-large of the American Association of Advertising Agencies, and Vice-Chairman of the

Advertising Committee of the Cardinal's Committee of the Laity (Catholic Charities).

Dr. Edward Mahin Dies

Dr. Edward Garfield Mahin, 76, for 25 years a member of the metallurgical staff at the University, died Feb. 5 in South Bend.

Dr. Mahin served in the metallurgy department from 1925 to 1949 and received an honorary Doctor of Science degree from Purdue University in 1950. He was the author of four texts on chemistry and metallurgy and served as a metals expert in 1917 and 1918 for the U. S. Navy.

Father Lauck Honored

Rev. Anthony Lauck, C.S.C., has become the first priest elected to membership in the Audubon Artists, an honorary national art society.

Father Lauck, professor of sculpture at the University, was elected in recognition of outstanding artistic achievement.

James L. McGovern Dies

One of the University's oldest non-alumni friends, James L. McGovern died Feb. 3 in Bridgeport, Conn., at the age of 82.

He was associate editor of the Bridgeport Post-Telegram and had been president of the Connecticut circuit of Associated Press since 1933.

Resigns U. S. Post



DON MILLER, '25

Don Miller, '25, resigned in January as U. S. District Attorney in Cleveland, after ten years in office.

He stepped out to form a law partnership with John J. Kennedy of Cleveland.

From President Truman, Miller received the presidential regrets at his leaving office, and the commendation:

"You are to be commended upon the excellent service you have rendered as United States Attorney, and the Government has been fortunate in having had the services of one whose devotion to duty has been so outstanding."

Increased Enrollment For Spring Semester

A total of 4,949 undergraduate and graduate students have enrolled for the Spring semester at the University.

The Notre Dame enrollment for the current Spring semester is an increase of 127 students over the Spring semester of 1951, when 4,822 students were enrolled. Although enrollment in the Fall semester just concluded was a record 5,154 students, Father James E. Norton, C.S.C., Vice-President in Charge of Academic Affairs, pointed out that there annually is a normal decrease in enrollment between the Fall and Spring semesters.

The Spring semester at Notre Dame will continue until June 1st, when Commencement Exercises will be held for the conferring of degrees.

FBI Is Accepting Applications

The Federal Bureau of Investigation is now accepting applications for positions of Special Agent and Special Agent (Accountant) from qualified candidates who possess an LL.B. degree or accounting degree from resident schools. For a temporary indefinite period applications are also being accepted for the position of Special Agent Employee from men who possess a four-year degree (such as AB, BS or other) from accredited resident colleges.

Applicant must be:

5'7" in barefoot height,

Over 25 and under 41,

Of 20/40 and 20/50 (Snellen) vision corrected to 20/20,

Willing to serve anywhere in the U. S. or territorial possessions.

Application forms and further information may be secured from the nearest field office of the FBI, whose address may be obtained in any postoffice. Entrance salary is \$5,500 yearly, with retirement after 20 years' service, at minimum age of 50.

Geo. Shuster Departs

Washington Sent the 'Right Man at the Right Time'

(Translated by Rev. Bernard J. Ill, C.S.C., from a German Newspaper.)

On the 19th of April, 1950, the government agencies announced that, at the request of High Commissioner John McCloy, the president of Hunter College, a well-known school for girls in New York, had been appointed Land Commissioner of Bavaria. At the time we published an article entitled "Better Late Than Never." When Professor Shuster arrived in Munich three months later the Land Commission was put under civil control and withdrawn from the military administration imposed eighteen years ago by the northern German states upon the southern, an arrangement not anticipated by international law. In view of the substitution of civil for military control, it is easy to understand that the caption, "Better Late Than Never," aroused considerable criticism in the Tegernsee quarter of the metropolis. And yet, everyone familiar with the history of the military occupation will endorse the words of Prime Minister Dr. Ehard uttered Wednesday evening in the Schackgalerie before a gathering of the political and the cultural personnel of the capital city: "Washington sent the right man at the right time.

For, Land Commissioner Professor Shuster, on account of his historical, linguistic, and humanistic background, has a friendly and intelligent appreciation of poetical, musical, and spiritual Germany."

Whoever in our country came into contact, either officially or socially, with Professor Shuster will echo the words of Doctor Ehard and will also feel that the farewell words of the Land Commissioner were not merely polite phrases but based on conviction: "You have a beautiful country, an ancient history, a healthy, blunt people; and you are striving for an independence that will guard your solidarity and your old customs and manners. May you preserve all these!"

In a farewell chat with a friend in our editorial set-up Professor Shuster spoke of the things he enjoyed and loved here and would often miss in New York: the opera with the stage settings of Helmut Jürgen; the theater, especially the plays produced in the Court Theater (he politely ignored the other theaters); the chamber music in private houses which originated in Germany but later also found a home in America; his strolls

along the Isar in Grünwald where he lived; his rambles through Munich where he scarcely could tear himself away from the bookstalls; the beer and the unforgettable restaurants of the larger and smaller breweries leading up to the culinary climax of a Walterspiel.

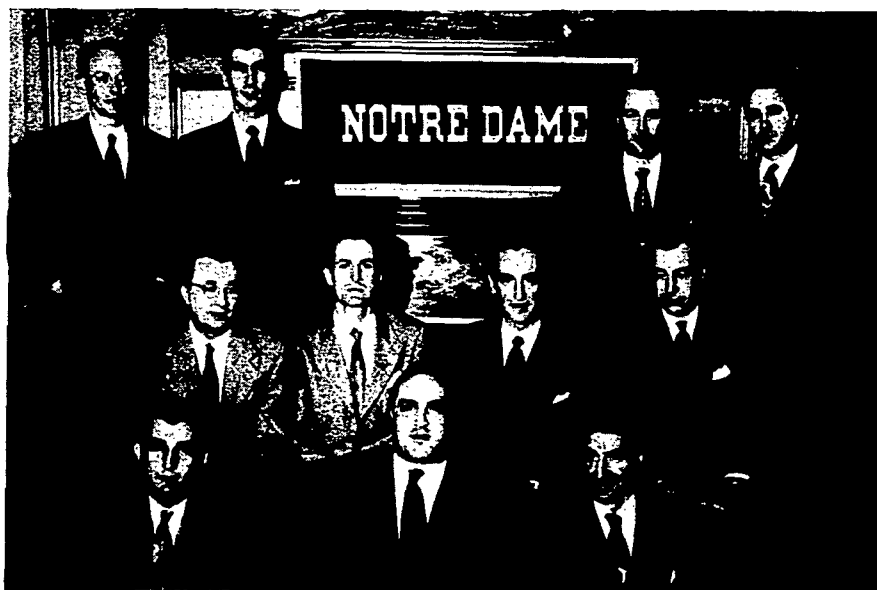
As a final incident in the catalogue of reminiscences the Professor's friend recounted that he himself had brought back from his frequent trips through the country many rare, much sought-after, and coveted beer-glass mats from Bavarian breweries for Mrs. Shuster's Collection after he had detected the Professor covertly slipping one such into his pocket after a dinner in a brewery restaurant. In other respects, the raconteur admitted the Professor is painfully honest. In fact, he had seen him press upon the editor in chief, Dr. Buttersack, chairman of the Old-Peter-Committee fifteen marks which he had forgotten to remit for admission to the Old-Peter-Festivities in the Prince-Regent theatre.

In his adieu to his friends in our editorial circle his comments were addressed rather to his countrymen than to us. He hoped that the Americans living among us, in this country old in culture and story, would return home, as he is, with an admiration renewed and filled with artistic impressions and memories. This was deeply appreciated by us coming, as it did, from a man to whom scarcely one of our ancient monasteries with their chapels, scarcely one of our cathedrals and parish churches is unfamiliar—all monuments of that oldest western culture of which he who drives like mad over the auto roads has not the least suspicion and never gets to see.

Prof. Bott in 26th Year

J. Herbert Bott, professor of marketing in the University College of Commerce was honored recently at a dinner for his 25 years' service. The dinner was held in South Bend, at the Hotel Hoffmann.

Bott was presented with a gold watch, engraved for the occasion. Speakers included Rev. James E. Norton, C.S.C., Vice-President in Charge of Academic Affairs and Rev. John H. Murphy, C.S.C., Vice-President in Charge of Public Relations, and Edmund A. Smith, assistant dean of the Commerce College.



Alumni in Virginia organize the Notre Dame Foundation on a state-wide basis. From left to right: (front row) Frank Stumpf, Frank Albert, Thomas Hills, (second row) John Cackley, Paul Morrison, Anselm Miller, Charles Morrison, (back row) William O'Sullivan, Thomas Morrison, Charles Hutchins, Jr., and Edward Boyle.

ATHLETICS

Ray Espenan Playground

The Ray Espenan Memorial Playground was dedicated Jan. 21 in New Orleans, as a monument to the Notre Dame student and athlete who died in 1950.

Ray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Espenan, attended the ceremonies as Mike Smith, representing the New Orleans Alumni Club read telegrams from Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., executive vice-president, Head Coach Frank Leahy and Athletic Director Edward Krause.

The dedication was made by New Orleans Mayor deLesseps S. Morrison.

Frank Thomas Resigns

Frank Thomas, '23, resigned on Feb. 1 as athletic director at University of Alabama after 21 years there.

He gave up active coaching five years ago after several periods of illness. Since 1931 he had taken Alabama teams to the Rose Bowl three times and once each to the Sugar, Cotton and Orange Bowls.

Thomas had a record of 115 wins,

24 losses and seven ties in his coaching tenure at the southern school.

Another For Leahy

Their eighth child was born to Floss and Frank Leahy on February 24. Christopher Leahy weighed only four pounds, one ounce at birth and will be kept in an incubator until he attains a weight of five pounds. Chris was born six weeks prematurely. Congratulations to Coach and Mrs. Leahy.



Bernie Crinumins receives a departing gift from Frank Leahy before assuming job as head coach at Indiana.



Hugh Burns, Notre Dame trainer, was honored in March with the award as Trainer-of-the-Year. Pictured above receiving the award at the annual Knute Rockne Memorial Banquet are: Burns; Eddie Hickey, the Basketball Coach-of-the-Year from St. Louis University; and Ed Kluska, Xavier football coach, who received an award as Little All-American football coach of the year.

Bengal Bouts

In Spring a young man's fancy turns to the lazier pastimes, but there is a group of students on the campus now who will refute this in no uncertain terms. Almost one hundred eager aspirants to the boxing titles of the Bengal Bouts have been sweating through an intensive training program since the first of February. All are pointing towards March 11, 12, 13, 15, and 17, the dates of the 21st Annual Bengal Bouts.

The Bengal Bouts are the intramural boxing championships presented yearly by the Notre Dame Council Knights of Columbus. The proceeds from the tournament are turned over to the Holy Cross Bengal Missions.

Under the watchful eye of boxing instructor Dominic Napolitano, these student gladiators spend several hours of each day training for the big nights. This training recently featured a boxing exhibition between Purdue University and the Bengal Bouters. Showing the excellent results of their practice, instruction and conditioning, the representatives of Notre Dame won all eight of the bouts, three by knockouts.

All training, as well as the Bouts themselves, is in accord with NCAA intercollegiate regulations. Headgears are worn during all bodily contact, with 16-ounce gloves the order for all training periods. Before a boy is permitted to enter the ring he spends at least six weeks in conditioning and training in the fundamentals of the sport. Such careful supervision is responsible not only for the fact that there has never been a serious injury in the long history of the bouts, but also assures top flight boxing skill.

Most interesting of this year's innovations in the Bengal Bout program is the televising of the finals on March 17 over station WGN-TV.

For the two score years of competition, the Bengal Bouts have offered thrills unlimited. This year will be no exception as there will be five returning champions in the various weight groups. With these and the many who are eager see that they are champions no longer, the Bengal Bouts promise another fine program of boxing skill and excitement.

THE UNIVERSITY TODAY

The Fluent Irish

By PROF. LEONARD F. SOMMER
Debate Coach

The tongue and the vocal cords have always played an important role in the legend of Notre Dame. The Irish athletic teams have been cheered in arenas and stadia throughout the land, and the "Victory March" has been rendered in almost all sections of the globe. But now this medium of expression—the voice—is playing another role in bringing the name of the University to many hundreds and thousands more. And this work is being carried out by that group which aptly bears the sobriquet "The Fluent Irish"—the Debate Team.

This team consists of some fifty undergraduates who have donated many hours of work and research to this year's national debate topic: "Resolved: that the Federal Government should adopt a permanent policy of wage and price controls." Like the athletes these men must be in constant condition—only their workouts are carried on in the University Library rather than in the Memorial or

on Cartier Field. These men must be familiar with all phases of their topic and must constantly be aware of all legislation and rulings in the field of wage and price control. After the men have had an opportunity to assimilate this knowledge, cases are worked out and two-man teams are formed and a series of intra-squad debates is held. The showings in these events enable the coach to pick the top men who will be designated to represent Notre Dame in some of the toughest and most loquacious competition held throughout the country.

But the Debate Team does more than merely compete in national contests. As the arrival of the University athletic teams has long been a signal for the alumni to assemble during the past years, so now the "old grads" are gathering around the championship debate squad. And it is the wish of the Debate Team that they might serve as a contact for the alumni with the University. It has been happening, and even more can be done.

This year's traveling squad consists of a nucleus of four men. Al DeCrane, a junior from Cleveland

Heights, Ohio, and the President of the Debate Team is the number one man on the affirmative combination, and he is paired with Chuck Doherty, a freshman from the North side of Pittsburgh. The first negative team consists of Don Dowden, a sophomore from Louisville, Kentucky, and Bill Hank, who is also a second year man and who hails from Chicago. It is these men who have been capturing the trophies—six already this year—and the following of the alumni.

In Baltimore for the Johns Hopkins Tournament the team was welcomed by another champion, Bob Williams, and honorary alumnus Mr. Lucian Gaudreau. At the Boston University meet held only a few weeks ago the team celebrated with many of the Notre Dame men of past years—especially remembered are Bill Carey, one-time President of the Debate Team and now an ensign in the Navy, and Mr. Jack Duffy, past President of the ND Club of Boston. The boys on the squad enjoy the opportunities offered them in the way of speaking before the alumni groups and in meeting these men, and it is hoped that more familiar faces from past years will be found waiting when the team travels to Brooklyn March 7 and 8 and to Columbus and Cleveland, Ohio on March 28 and 29 and April 3, 4 and 5 respectively.

The University is proud of the gentlemanly and winning ways of the varsity Debate Team, and it seems as though that feeling of pride is permeating the alumni.

Riflemen Win Again

Two Notre Dame riflemen have won national titles in competition with R.O.T.C. units representing colleges and universities throughout the United States. They are William K. Hayden, of Highland Park, Mich., and Donald C. Riley, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Hayden's title marks the fourth consecutive year that a member of the Naval R.O.T.C. unit at Notre Dame has won the individual national championship in the Hearst competition.



Ensign Bill Carey, '51, greeted the Debate Team in Boston prior to a recent tournament. Left to right in the photo are Chuck Doherty, Carey, Al DeCrane, and Len Sommer. Bill, the national champ in '50 and '51, is stationed aboard the USS Columbus now in the Boston Naval Yard.

Glee Club Returns From West Coast Tour

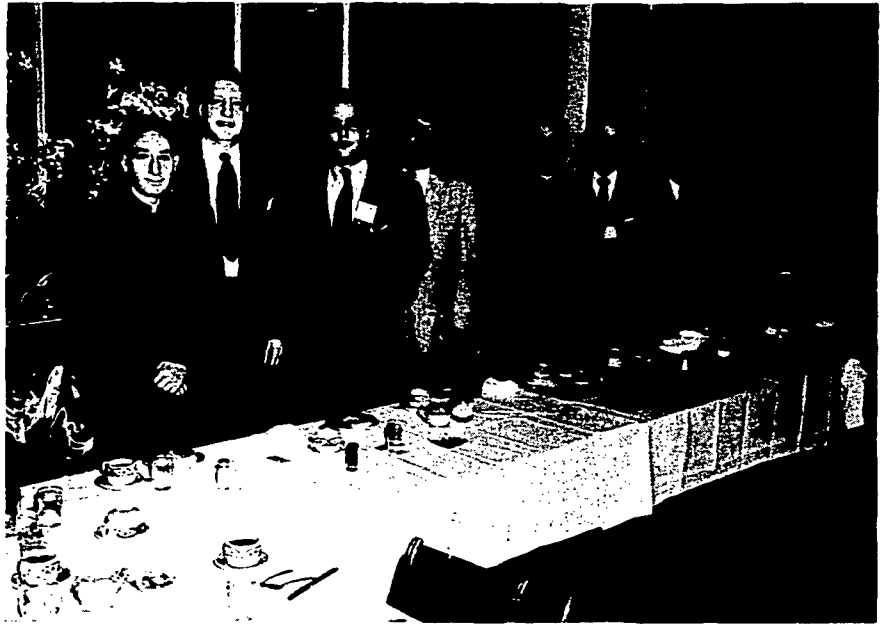
Returning from their longest tour in history, the Glee Club has just completed a 6100-mile trek to the western and southwestern areas of the country. Starting at their semester vacation, thirty-six songsters and their director, Mr. Daniel H. Pedtke, completed the journey in ten days. Also accompanying the group was their chaplain, Rev. Charles Carey, C.S.C., Vice-President in Charge of Student Welfare.

Concerts were given in St. Louis, Missouri; San Francisco and Stockton, California; Phoenix, Arizona; and El Paso, Texas. The arrangements for the concert in Stockton were master-minded by Jim Jones, '33. The activities in St. Louis and Phoenix were handled by the Alumni Clubs in those areas. There's more news on these last two in the "Alumni Club" section.

The newspaper reports and the personal comments acclaiming the fine showing of the Glee Club on this tour proves the fact that their efforts were a great success. It also promises an East Coast audience another excellent opportunity to enjoy this traditionally fine choral group during their Spring tour. For the Easter holidays the Glee Club will travel to New York, April 10-13; Philadelphia, April 14; Summit, New Jersey, April 15; Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, April 16; Greenburg, Pennsylvania, April 17; Buffalo, New York, April 18; Erie, Pennsylvania, April 19; and Tiffin, Ohio, April 20.



To welcome the Glee Club to Phoenix are Glenn McDonough and Al Ficks, Phoenix Club President. Rev. Charles Carey acted as chaplain for the group.



Honoring the Glee Club in Stockton, Calif., are Rev. O. Moriarty; Jim Jones, '33, Gen'l Chairman; Bill Toomey, Glee Club Pres.; Bob Mosher, '35; Rev. Charles Carey, C.S.C.; Frank Myers, Business Manager; Daniel Pedtke, Director; and Rev. Lester Ehrman.

Review of Politics Commands Attention

Alumni who are interested in serious treatment of international affairs, will find the "Review of Politics" (\$4 a year), published at Notre Dame, an outstanding source of scholarly material. Several excerpts from the current issue are indicative.

From an article on "Totalitarian Religions" by the Editor, Dr. Waldemar Gurian

"... Secularism in its totalitarian form becomes a secular religion, putting a human doctrine in the place of Revelation, a visible worldly society in the place of union with God as the aim of life. Not utilitarian calculation but demonstrations of faith in the unlimited power of the doctrine and its representatives really matter. Utilitarian calculations would limit the policies of expansion and the urge to absolute domination. The totalitarian, immanentist faith cannot be met by an optimistic secularism which is not aware of the fundamental crisis of our time or by an apparently religious attitude for which religion is, despite theoretical denials, indissolubly bound to a particular social order. The pseudo-certainty of totalitarianism which establishes by terror and a refined system of pressure a closed pseudo-real world can be opposed only by the true certainty based upon belief in true revelation and by the realization that man is infinitely more than an instrument for life and society in this world, that there are

rights and duties of the human person which cannot be sacrificed to a doctrine about political and social development. The conflict between the Church and totalitarianism is, therefore, much more than a conflict between Church and state, for totalitarianism tries to establish a reality in which all human forces and beliefs serve only this world, an earthly society, which is self-sufficient and has no other end than itself. The world leading to God, totalitarianism replaces by a self-sufficient world which, through the effort and struggles of men, makes God appear merely as a superstitious creation of men before they were able to master their life and society or simply as a mythical symbol of the power exercised by their social or racial elites."

And from "Political Power in the Soviet Union," by N. S. Timasheff, Fordham professor:

"... Since the end of the last war, the men in the Kremlin have started building an empire which, by the very nature of their doctrine, must become universal. In the beginning, they were rather cautious. But the

Korean adventure has demonstrated that the dynamism has grown too strong to guarantee the prevalence of caution. The Kremlin is well aware of the danger involved in a third world war and does not want it, at least right away; but it might provoke it by another stroke of the Korean type. Then survival would depend on the relative strength of the powers opposed to one another. The strength of a political power structure is, however, nothing other than the composition of the forces of the individuals under its orders and of their command of nature. But the Soviet man's command of nature is about one-quarter or one-fifth of the American man—this ratio is well established by painstaking comparisons of the efficacy of labor in the two nations and of the relative number of persons with higher education.¹⁵ For the Kremlin, military defeat would be the signal of the end—over-dynamic power centers do not survive the demonstration of their weakness, provided that the enemy does not commit errors of the magnitude of Hitler's blunders.

"Fission within or a knock-out blow from the outside provoked by unreasonable over-tension of relations with the outward world—these are the most probable modes of the passing away of the notorious power machine acting from the Kremlin. This, however, is not a prediction—the men in the Kremlin might overcome the difficulties of succession and might refrain from actions provoking a global war. If so, the present day tension will persist, and the American plan of a free and peaceful world will remain obstructed by the presence, in another part of the globe, of a political power machine aiming at a peculiar One World—obedient not only in deed, but even in word and thought to the Great Master of the Kremlin."

And from "Soviet and Western Politics in Hungary 1944-1947," by S. Kertesz, now a member of the Notre Dame faculty:

"... The Western psychological approach towards Russia and her Communist leaders was probably even more mistaken than the planning or the alleged lack of planning. If the

wartime Western policy toward Soviet Russia had been more realistic, Lend-Lease would not have multiplied the mobility of the Red Army after Stalingrad and the Russians might have finished the hostilities by fighting on their own soil, while Central Eastern Europe could have been liberated by an Anglo-American army. This would have facilitated a reasonable European settlement much more than any previous declarations of principle, agreements or commitments accepted by the Soviet Leaders.

"The reasons for the Central and Eastern European policy of the Western powers are today well known, having been set forth in many memoirs and statements. The fact nonetheless remains that the outcome of this policy has been a far cry from those wartime pledges which promised to the liberated countries free elections, representative governments, and democratic institutions. It has thus come about that an important area has been lost to the free world."

Moot Court

One of the youngest organizations on the campus, The Moot Court Association, of the Law School again carried the Notre Dame tradition of winning, when its representatives, E. Milton Farley III of Richmond, Va., and Joseph C. Spaulding of Manganfield, Ky., won the championship of the Seventh Judicial Circuit, in Chicago on Dec. 1. The final arguments were held in the Circuit Court of Appeals chambers while the preliminary arguments were held in the Cook County Court House.

Primarily, the Moot Court organization is a voluntary student organization of the law school presided over by an Executive Board and aided by the two faculty moderators, Prof. Edward F. Barrett and Robert E. Sullivan.

Moot Court men argue hypothetical cases on an appellate level in the mythical Supreme Court of Hoynes.

Each year arguments are conducted among the Junior students in the Law School. The two best men in the division are determined at the final arguments held in June. These two men are the representatives of the Law School in National Competition.

Washington Day Exercises

Presentation of a new American flag by members of the senior class to the University highlighted traditional Washington's Birthday exercises in Washington Hall.

Members of the senior class annually present the University with a new flag, blessed after the Baccalaureate Mass on Commencement Day, June 1, which will replace last year's flag during the Commencement Exercises.

Leonard F. Kilian, of Auburn, N. Y., a student in the College of Science, presided as chairman of the ceremonies. Kilian holds the highest scholastic average in the graduating class.

Edward A. Goerner, senior in the College of Arts and Letters, gave the principal address at the exercises, while George R. Sweet, of South Bend, Ind., delivered the address of presentation of the flag to the University. The Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., Executive Vice-President, accepted the flag on behalf of the University.

Writers' Conference

Miss Betty Finnin, of New York City, Fiction Editor of *Woman's Day* magazine, will be one of the principal members of the staff of the fourth annual Writers' Conference to be held June 23 to June 28 at the University.

Miss Finnin, who has had wide experience with writers' conference work, has been Fiction Editor of *Woman's Day* for the past twelve years. She has served on writers' conference staffs at Bread Loaf, Vermont, the University of California and the University of New Hampshire. Miss Finnin served last year on the staff of the summer course in publishing procedure at Radcliffe College. She contributed a chapter to the book, *Writers on Writing*, published in 1949.

The Notre Dame Writers' Conference will be divided into three workshops—Fiction, Poetry and the Teaching of Creative Writing. General purpose of the Conference is to provide criticism and direction for younger writers or teachers of creative writing by experienced staff members. Professor Louis Hasley is the Conference director.

¹⁵ Cf. N. S. Timasheff, "War or Peace," *THOUGHT*, September, 1950.

PROF. SHEEHAN ADDRESSES JANUARY GRADS

(The Address of John H. Sheehan, Head of the Economics Department, Given at the January Commencement, 1952.)

As a faculty member who has been privileged to work with many of you, I would like to add my congratulations to you, the first class of 1952. All of us proudly salute you.

You know that being a Notre Dame alumnus carries with it many privileges. You know also that these privileges are accompanied by correlative duties and responsibilities.

Like many Notre Dame classes ahead of you, you begin new careers—military or civilian—in a greatly disturbed world. But like your predecessors in these and other times of stress, you are adequately equipped and armed to enable you to live in the world as it is, and to work with others towards its improvement.

As graduates of a Catholic college, you accept your privilege and responsibility. You will be able to accomplish much because you know and have faith in your ultimate goal, and have knowledge of proper means for working towards intermediate and ultimate goals.

One means that all of us must use throughout our lives is providing ourselves and others with a workable system for obtaining our daily bread—the providing of a proper economic order. It is regarding the relationship between the Catholic College graduate and the Economic Order that I wish to speak with you briefly.

To begin with, every Christian, precisely because he is a Christian, should be a builder; everlastingly building and reconstructing on his way towards Eternity with God.

Normally, while on earth, every man is a member of a household—his family household. And because man is a social being, he and his household normally live among and cooperate with other households.

Since a community or a nation is fundamentally a group of households, one may refer to the United States as a household or as "The House of America."

In this sense, I should like to make one point in considering our Economic Order. It is this: *Economically, there is nothing so perfect in the House of America that it cannot*

be improved, and nothing so wrong that it cannot be repaired.

This statement implies that: (1) there are some things wrong; (2) that some repairing or reconstructing is needed; and (3) that there do exist some reasonable guides and means for reconstruction to make our "house" more orderly, livable and enduring.

Three groups living in the House of America fail to think straight about this matter. There are those who are confused by the complexities of modern life so that they do not know whether our economic house is in good order or in bad order. Then there is the selfishly complacent group which, living in a comfortable wing of the house, fails to see the crumbling foundation and sagging roof in other parts. Finally, there are those who see only defects and decay, and consequently think the house should be entirely torn down.

The confused are, of course, confounded by the false testimony of the complacent, as well as by the cynical sneering of those who see only the bad.

The straight-thinking occupants are not victims of confusion. They see America's Economic House as it is. They are the Christian builders and reconstructors. They know that no matter how complex and seemingly impersonal modern relationships have become, Christian cooperation can give us an orderly and sound economic structure. They know that fundamentally to live, all men must make use of goods called the "fruits of the earth."

To have access to the fruits of the earth—that is, to goods and services—is a right every man has, just because he is a man. This is the basic right of private property—the right to ownership and control of sufficient goods and services to enable man to live as man should live.

That there are numberless economic occupations merely confirms the fundamental necessity for human cooperation. It is not bad but good that there are miners and farmers; lawyers and chemists; professors and pullman porters. It is not multi-

plicity of occupations that is the cause of disorder in our house. It is because some have forgotten that man is always a social, dependent being as well as an individual, independent being; that *all* necessary goods and services are for *all* men.

He fools himself who thinks he can live in a sound and orderly house any way except *cooperatively*. By cooperatively, we simply mean fulfilling one's obligations to himself and to other members of the community, according to his God-given abilities. In doing so, one must both recognize the economic facts and also follow the principles of economic justice.

Although some try to hide or distort them, the economic facts are available to those willing to dig for them. Generally, the facts are: some badly distributed income, some unhealthful concentration and control of wealth, some *unbalanced* wages, prices, and profits, all causing serious economic injustices and strife. Specifically, many facts bear upon the general problems. Your college training has given you the research ability to dig for these facts, as they change from time to time. You need not follow blindly the news commentators, competent and otherwise, or the many biased propagandists.

One specific set of facts that we should be aware of—and of their consequences—are the facts regarding our present defense economy. No ordinary situation exists. It is no time for allowing individuals or pressure groups to feather their nests at the expense of the common good. Rather it is a time for general self-sacrifice and cooperative *moral* restraint, with impartial *legal* restraints for those who refuse to live up to our common responsibilities.

For more than sixty years, the Popes in their Social Encyclicals have urgently warned us of the *general* facts regarding the unsound aspects of our Economic Houses. They have also given us *general principles* for Reconstruction. These Papal economic teachings have repeatedly been called to the attention of American Catholics by the archbishops and bishops of the Administrative Board of the National

Catholic Welfare Conference. In 1919, in the "Bishops' Program of Social Reconstruction," a dozen reforms were officially recommended. While the voice of these bishops went unheard during the 1920's, several measures finally were adopted in the 1930's, including wages and hours laws, social insurance laws, and legal recognition of collective bargaining.

Again, in 1940, in their official pronouncement entitled "The Church and the Social Order" these bishops urged acceptance and application of the Papal economic teachings. Largely drowned-out by World War II, they warned that:

"Our present economic order rests upon the sanctity of private property . . . (which) is not well distributed at present. . . . (This) situation constitutes a grave social evil. . . . Social stability rests upon this basis of individual ownership of property. There should be more of it, and not less of it, if our existing economic system is to remain secure." . . . (par. 31)

Private property, of course, can be acquired by most people only from their wages and salaries.

The bishops also reminded us that our disorder and conflict stem from the 150-year-old false philosophy of "the extreme individualists of the so-called school of economic liberalism . . . (those who) are liberal only to the extent that they wish to be liberated from all social responsibility." . . . (par. 50)

In their latest statement, of November 1951, our American Catholic Bishops bring this matter of social responsibility up to date, with emphasis on Moral Standards and Public Morality. Other serious-minded leaders, including Senators Fulbright, Tobey and O'Mahoney, also have warned us of the dangers of complacency towards public economic immorality — political and business graft, wage and price chiseling—during the present defense boom.

Our most pressing social responsibility is concerned with the specific facts of defense inflation, with its narcotic illusions of more and more dollars. However, in the ever changing panorama of specific circumstances, a dangerous deflationary situation can very well face us—in two

to five years—barring outbreak of World War III. From such strains can come disaster. It can happen by merely letting things drift. But disaster is not inevitable.

As students of the question, we recognize that present disorder stems both from the older selfish individualism and from the newer dangerous, collectivism — collectivism, the monstrous offspring of *illegitimate* individualism. From these two materialistic sources have come the danger and damage to the Economic House of America. But we know it is still essentially a good house—not a house to be demolished as the collectivists would like; nor left to fall apart under unrestricted occupancy by extreme individualists.

We know the house is worthy of repair. Economically, we have ample resources for sound reconstruction. Detailed *principles of reconstruction* are available to us.

The annual statement of the Bishops of the United States for 1948 entitled "The Christian in Action" has this to say:

"Catholic social philosophy has a constructive program for this organic development of economic life. Pope Pius XI, rounding out the social principles formulated by Leo XIII, laid down the broad outlines of this program seventeen years ago. In line with that constructive program we advocate freely organized cooperation between the accredited representatives of capital and labor in each industry and in the economy as a whole, under the supervision but not the control of government. . . . American Catholic students of the Social Encyclicals have expressed their preference for the name 'Industry Councils' to designate the basic organs of a Christian and American type of economic democracy into which they would like to see our economic system progressively evolve.

Our Bishops urge all men of "faith and principle" to take the lead in working toward this necessary "evolution." They realize, as you and I do, that this is a long-range program, to be achieved only by "painstaking study and effort." Study and effort have already gained some small headway.

And we are not without experience to guide us. We have had some

common interest group action—for example, under the NIRA codes. We have had joint-action committees under the Fair Labor Standards Act, and under the National War Labor Board and the Defense Production Boards. We have had, also, the successful example of the Committee for Economic Development with its many common interest projects.

Some program of responsible activity, carried out by common interest associations seems to be a possible middle road between giant *private* economic dictatorship and giant *governmental* dictatorship. As Catholic college graduates, this is one of the concrete tasks awaiting *your* continued study and effort, no matter what your future occupation may be: whether engineer or accountant, doctor or salesman. The light-weights, the timid, the escapists won't aid in this task. It is a job for intelligent, courageous and faithful men.

In the words of Pius XII:

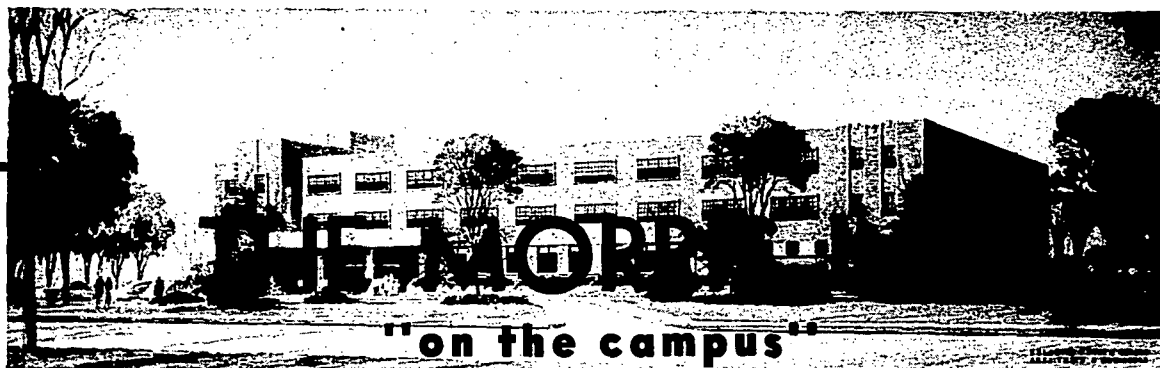
"What is . . . important is that the . . . faithful in its variety of work, would not hesitate to put . . . courageously into *practice* the principle of social doctrine of the Church, and would defend it and spread it . . ." —Pius XII, allocution, "L inscrutibile consiglio divino." Acta Apostolicae Sedis XXXVI (1944) 85, 6.

In other words, after college our duty in our profession or vocation is to apply personally the principles of social-economic morality, and to strive towards having our profession or vocation accept and *use* these principles. In this way we can work towards Christian cooperation among individuals and groups to replace the all too frequent struggle between worker and manager, worker and worker, business man and business man, seller and consumer.

In this way we can avoid the thing that Communist leaders are betting on: division and conflict, collapse and self-destruction. In this way our good "House of America" can be soundly reconstructed and kept in good repair. In this way we can do our part as responsible Notre Dame men.

As one of your old professors—with some Irish blood in me—let me close with a little prayer used by some of the old Irish:

May Almighty God speed you,
And give you the height of luck.



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The Morris Inn, a gift to the University from the late E. M. Morris '06 of South Bend, Indiana, will open in April.

Reservations from many friends of Notre Dame, the alumni and parents of the Students are being received daily.

It is the hope of the University that the Morris Inn will help to introduce many new friends to the objectives and ideals of Notre Dame, as well as to serve the many old friends and supporters whom the University now enjoys and values so highly.

With this thought in mind we think it well to assure all of our readers that the facilities of The Morris Inn are completely at their disposal, not only for themselves, but for their friends and acquaintances as well.

Please feel free to call upon the management of The Inn for assistance in caring for your requirements, or those of persons you direct to us. It will be his pleasure to render prompt and efficient service at all times and nothing will be left undone in carrying out your wishes.

In the event your room requirements cannot be taken care of at The Inn because of previous booking the management will assist in securing reservations in one of South Bend's downtown hotels.

Please write, telegraph or telephone.

Edward H. Hunt, Manager
The Morris Inn
Notre Dame, Indiana

The American populace seems to be involved in an evolution of regimentation, system and bureaucracy. Some is good; some is bad. Campus life at Notre Dame has not escaped this tendency in striving for increased efficiency and versatility. But guided into proper channels, its worth to the University is undoubtedly most valuable.

Extra-curricular activity having any semblance of affiliation with the University is sanctioned and controlled by the students' own duly-elected representatives—the Student Council. Under the influence of this governing body are all the various campus organizations, the most powerful and active of which, are the regional and geographical clubs.

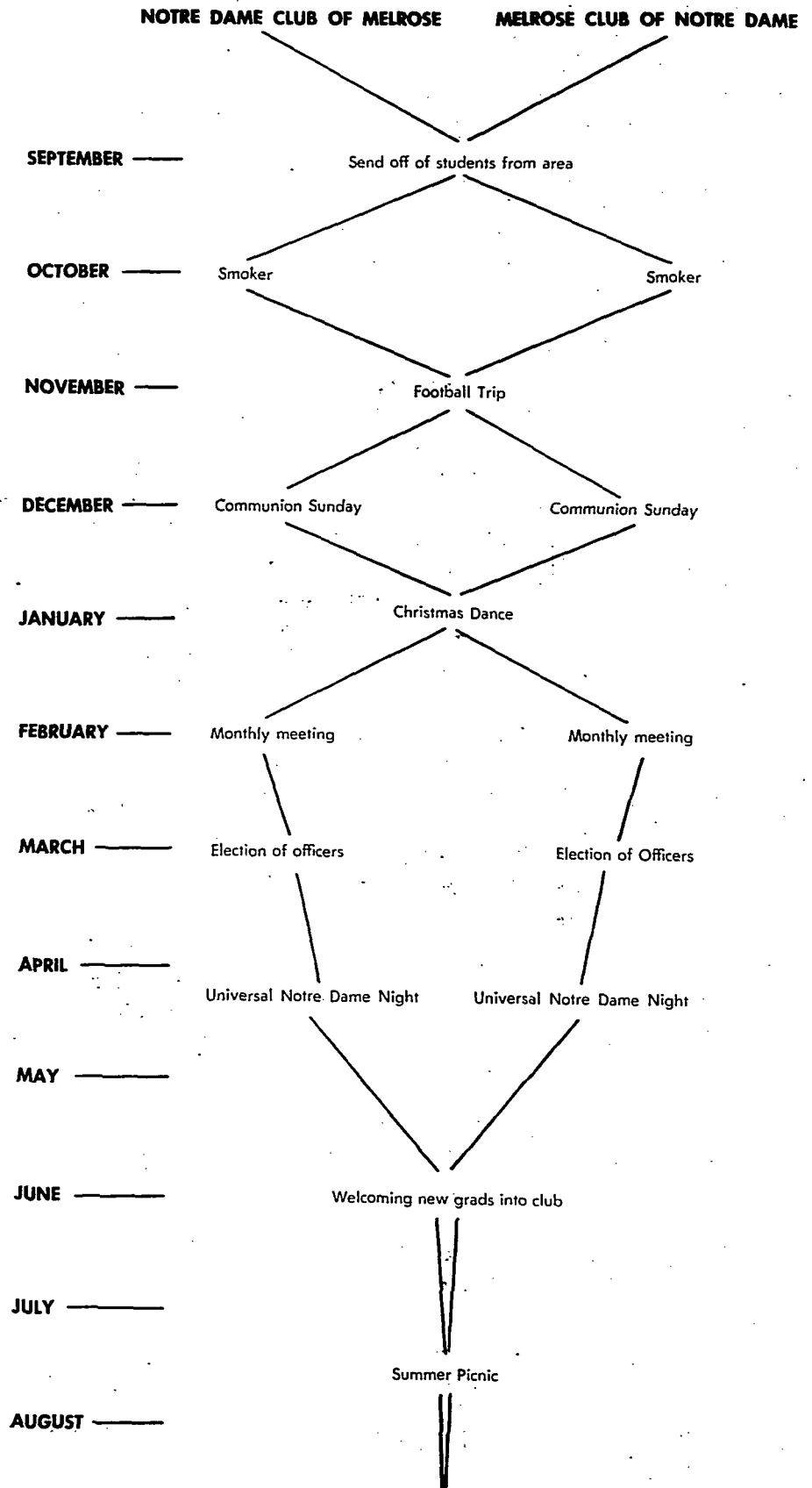
These clubs are a student branch of their respective local Notre Dame Alumni clubs and offer an excellent opportunity for building better alumni clubs in the future. Through a program of cooperation and mutual planning both segments of the Notre Dame Club can stimulate the interest of the student and recent graduate in the aims, policies, and functions of the Alumni organization.

From the day of enrollment in the University, the student's indoctrination and orientation into the Alumni Association should commence. His four years of association with a campus club should be stepping stones to his life membership in the Alumni Association.

The University has grown immensely in size since 1941. More students have been graduated in the past twenty years than in all the previous years. It is often hard for the Alumni Clubs to create and maintain a personal affiliation with the students in their area. But there is an imperative necessity for adopting the younger graduates into the club if the club is to remain strong in future years. The method of attracting them appears evident; it is now time to revamp our methods and double our efforts toward a greater and more powerful Alumni Association.

Of course, there can be no set rules since the make up and general procedure of each club is different; however, the accompanying graph illustrates the possible unity and working relationship between the campus and the parent club.

Club and Campus: A Team



ALUMNI CLUB

Baltimore

"Mr. Hochreiter, it must be admitted, is not Spencer Tracy, but he does manage to look (and even act) more like the popular conception of a father than Mr. Tracy was ever able to do."

The above newspaper quote was prompted by the appearance of Franklyn C. Hochreiter, '35, as "Father of the Bride" in a Baltimore stage presentation of that popular play. The Baltimore Foundation Committee bought out an entire performance of the show, in the Vagabond Players' Arena Theatre, Baltimore.

Hoch is Secretary of the 1935 class, Foundation City Chairman for Baltimore and past president of the Baltimore Alumni Club. He sold the Foundation Committee the plan to buy up one house of "Father of the Bride," re-allocate the tickets and use the net as a contribution to the Notre Dame Foundation.

Buffalo

Under the general chairmanship of Attorney Bill Lawless, a very successful Basketball Luncheon was held here at the Sheraton Hotel. And as expected, all guests were honored with the presence of ND coach Johnny Jordan and his traveling squad. Many local sports notables were present as well as dignitaries from ND's rival that evening, Canisius College.

The luncheon program of introductions and movies of ND football highlights was handled without a snag, for which John Doerr, John Eagan, Chuck Claus and Tony Rocco must be duly complimented. Many ND rooters from near and far attended, including Tom McViegh from neighboring Salamanca, New York.

The first monthly meeting of 1952 was held on January 21 at the Sheraton. The main subject for discussion was our local Club's presentation of the Glee Club in the Kleinhans Music Hall here in this City on April 18. This will be their second annual appearance under our support. Frank Gaglione, who comes to us from the St. Louis Club, has been appointed Concert Chairman with Tony Rocco in charge of publicity. The second item of importance was the forthcoming election of directors and officers.

The four directors leaving office are Paul Sheedy, Bob Nagel, Jack Shine and Maury Quinn. The nominating committee was formed consisting of Marty Ryan, Carlos Frank, Jim Claus and Bill Menard.

Al Ryan, former ND Alumni Secretary and a prominent Buffalonion, was selected as our Club's recommendation for National Alumni Director. Jim Claus.

Buffalo

Anthony Brick, Jr., '36, is the new Buffalo Club President, elected at the Feb. 19 meeting of the Club.

Others are:

James T. Claus, '47, vice-president.

Donald Jacobi, '34, treasurer.

Richard Thoen, '39, secretary.

Directors named to serve for three years:

Donald Jacobi,

Richard Thoen,

William B. Lawless, Jr.,

James Seymour.

Cincinnati

One of the most eagerly awaited events of the Christmas season, our Annual Scholarship Ball was held on Friday, December 28 at the Hotel Netherland Plaza. Again this year, the dance was a great success, literally bigger and better than ever, resulting in an additional increase to our scholarship fund which at this time is assisting two boys who are students at the University.



Cincinnati's Club President Howard Rohan, Moose Krause, Frank Leahy and Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., at the NCAA meeting.

Taking the bows for the success of the dance is Bill Grafe, the General Chairman. Bill's Committee included Jim Burke, John Fead, Tom Geile, Bob Leonard, Jim Clark, Ed Mersman, Frank Peluso, Bert Schloemer, Bob McCafferty, Dr. Ed Glaser, Ray Gudmens and Bob Johnson.

Possibly the most pleasant strictly Notre Dame affair in the history of the club was the cocktail party given in honor of all the coaches who are alumni of the University, in attendance at the NCAA Convention the week of January 7.

Alumni Director Joe Morrissey and "Bucky" O'Connor were co-chairmen of the party at which some of the guests were Father Hesburgh, Athletic Director Ed "Moose" Krause, Head Coach Frank W. Leahy, Bernie Crimmins, Bill Earley, Adam Walsh, Hugh Devore, Francis Wallace, Jimmy Phelan, Joe Bach and many other "greats" of Notre Dame. We, here, were very honored and happy to have them all with us and to be able to renew old acquaintances. We certainly hope they all will get back soon again.

Plans for our Universal Notre Dame Night Celebration are going ahead under the capable direction of Ray Gudmens and Bob Bomkamp. They promise us a great UND night party to which members' wives and guests are to be invited for the first time.

Denver

A cocktail party was held on January 10 at the Brown Palace Hotel for Notre Damer's and Wiv's in honor of Walter O'Keefe, Class of 1918 who came to Denver to preside as master of ceremonies at the dedication of the New Denver Coliseum.

President Robert Flynn, Jim Logan, Class of 1918, and Jim Hanlon, Class of 1918, were on the welcoming committee. The Cocktail party was a tremendous success. Dr. Dan Monaghan and Eugene Blish were in charge of the affair and assisted by Robert Flynn, Art Gregory, Jim Sheehan and Tom Gargan.

The regular monthly meeting of the Denver Notre Dame Club was held January 24 at the Leyden-Chiles-Wickersham Post No. 1 of the American Legion. A dinner preceded the meeting held in the dining hall.

Initial plans were made for Universal Notre Dame Night. The Club plans to make this year's affair the best ever.

At this meeting Gerald Smith was re-appointed Chairman of the Scholarship Committee. Other members are John V. Coyne, Robert Flynn, Jim Hanlon and Charles Haskell. Tom Gargan, secretary, reported that the new 1952 Club Directory would be mailed February 1.

Detroit

On Dec. 9 we had an extremely successful Annual Communion Breakfast, with an attendance of 180. Ed Roney, Jr., '43, and John W. Brennan, '28, were co-chairmen of all arrangements.

Our speaker at the breakfast was Father Alfred Mendez, C.S.C., who did a marvelous job of mixing humor and campus life with an up-to-date report of Notre Dame as it is today. As Chaplain of Verville on the campus he is in intimate touch with student thinking.

Our next annual event was the Annual Notre Dame Club of Detroit Retreat at Manresa, the Jesuit Retreat House north of Detroit. Dan Henry and Art Crossin were co-chairmen of the event, which extended from February 29 to March 2.

On Feb. 5 the Detroit Times held its Annual Downtown Quarterbacks Banquet in Masonic Temple. There were in attendance some 1,200 sports enthusiasts. We had a pretty solid program during which many awards were made for Coach of the Year, Man of the Year, Team of the Year, etc., but our own Moose Krause received an award for the part he played in making it possible for Notre Dame to play University of Detroit here in Detroit during the city's 250th birthday celebration. He was presented with a suitably inscribed plaque.

Leon Hart was introduced at the banquet, and the announcement was made that Leon has a new son, William Edward, born Feb. 4. Leon was also best man at the wedding of his friend and teammate, Bill Wightkin.

Fort Lauderdale

New officers were elected at the Club's last meeting, Jan. 2. They are:

Jim Evert, '48, President

Webb Marshall, '48, Vice-President

R. H. Gore, Jr., '31, Treasurer

George H. Gore, '48, Secretary

'48 nearly swept the field.

Francis Moen, of Ft. Lauderdale, though not an Alumnus was elected Honorary President of the Club in recognition of his outstanding service and loyalty to this Club and to the University of Notre Dame throughout the entire past history of the Club.

The election meeting followed a very enjoyable dinner, at which visitors Jim ('48) and Betty Atkinson, of Ozone Park, N. Y., were special guests.

After the elections the Club voted to change the meeting date of the Club to the first Thursday of each month, from the present schedule, under which meetings are held on the first Wednesday of each month.

For information of visiting Alumni, the meetings are held at the Governors' Club Hotel, and the Club extends a welcome to any Alumni who may be in this area.

The Feb. 7 meeting featured a menu of roast suckling pig, this delicacy being provided by Mr. Fred Stuart, '12.

Grand Rapids

The Grand Rapids Club's annual Communion Breakfast guest speaker on Dec. 16 was Rev. John H. Murphy, C.S.C., vice-president in charge of public relations for the University.

The observance was held in St. James' Church



One of the tables at the Calumet Club's Annual Christmas Party.

and auditorium, with John I. Flanagan as chairman. Committee members were Ed McDermott, Ed Dunn and Joe Kelly. Approximately 100 men attended. Rev. Speer Strahan, Club Chaplain, was celebrant of the Mass.

Next scheduled event for the Club is Universal Notre Dame Night, April 21. The Club has received a commitment from Ed "Moose" Krause, Director of Athletics at the University. "Moose" will be making his first public appearance with our Grand Rapids Club.

Kansas City

A television Football Party, a Communion Breakfast, Notre Dame Alumni Promotion of the Kansas City Polio Drive and a club dinner after a showing of "Highlights of the 1951 Football Season" have been the chief activities of the Kansas City Alumni Club since the last reporting.

About 75 alumni and friends gathered at the Olathe Naval Air Station late in the afternoon of December 1 to view the first nationwide west-to-east telecast of a sports event—the Notre Dame-Southern California football game. The use of the Officers' Club at the Air Station was generously provided by Capt. James H. Flatley, Station Commander.

Those of you who saw the telecast of the game probably credit young Quarterback Ralph Guglielmi with a good share of the credit for the fourth quarter drives that brought eventual victory. Now, we don't want to minimize anyone's contribution, but the team and organized cheering corps in front of the television screen at the Naval Air Station may have expended as much effort as the team playing Southern Cal in the Los Angeles Coliseum.

In addition to protecting Guglielmi on his passing and warning John Petitbon of potential tacklers on his port or starboard sides, we are proud to report that one of our members threw what the sportscasters term the "key block" on Trojan Halfback Stars to shake John Lattner loose for his touchdown. We are presently considering a date for our own football banquet, presentation of monograms and the election of next fall's TV Football Captain.

Among the alumni present and vigorously participating were Bob Meunier, Bob Schramm, Ed Aylward and Bill McLeese. Congratulating the perspiring members of the Kansas City Squad after the game were Ben Oakes, Bob and Joan Metzler, Barney and Mary Louise Quirk, Ed and Shirley Reardon, Tom and Marcelline Pendergast, Don and Mrs. Ryan, Tom and Dorothy Reardon and Dr. D. M. Nigro.

An old high school shoulder injury kept Treasurer Dick Prezebel out of this last game of the

season. Club President Oakes served in the capacity of Field Judge, called two defensive holding penalties on us and narrowly escaped being the first participating customer of the 1952 season in the Station's open-air swimming pool.

The Club held its annual Communion Breakfast on Sunday, December 9, 1951. Mass was celebrated in the Rockhurst College Chapel and the forty members attending gathered for breakfast in the dining room of the Twin Oaks Apartments after Mass. In the crowd for breakfast were Joe and Edna Stewart, Otto Schmid, Bob and Joan Betzler, George and Betty Kopp, Bob and Rose Meunier, Joe and Maryhelen Van Dyke, Frank and Mrs. Grimaldi and Charles and Mrs. Stevenson.

Eddie O'Connor's wife, Kathleen, seemed glad to see Eddie acting as unofficial Club Chaplain by saying Grace and he was assured that he could rely on prompting from Ed Aylward, Russ Farrell, Don Ryan and Bernie Finucane in case of an emergency. Closely checking O'Connor's delivery were Dr. D. M. Nigro, Chuck Frizell, Dick Prezebel, Dr. Al Nigro, Glen Findley and Bill McLeese.

A rebellion seethed about O'Connor after breakfast when a motion from the floor offered the plan to rotate the post of Chaplain among the membership but Bob Schramm, Ed Reardon and Ed Noonan joined the group supporting O'Connor to provide the necessary majority.

The porch light went on at 7 P.M. on the evening of Wednesday, January 30, and in the next hour most of the homes in the greater Kansas City area were convassed by 15,000 volunteer workers in the "Mothers' March on Polio." The Kansas City Alumni of Notre Dame offered their services to the local Polio headquarters and was assigned to the task of collection from ten of Kansas City's downtown hotels.

In a letter to Ben Oakes, Club President, the Chairman and Director of the Polio Drive congratulated the Kansas City Notre Dame Alumni for their unsolicited aid in the campaign. The Notre Dame Alumni Club was the first men's organization to offer its services in the campaign and the ONLY alumni group in the Kansas City area to do so.

Dick Prezebel headed the group of alumni who volunteered their services for the Polio Drive. The other alumni who participated in the collecting were: Len McCluskey, Bob Schramm, Tom Higgins, Gene Murray, J. J. Murray, Ed Noonan, Ed O'Connor, Harold Quinlan, John Trave, Herb Zeigler, Bob Drilling and Dave Crooks.

These alumni provided the effort for some of the most favorable publicity ever given to Notre Dame in this area where alumni of miscellaneous state universities outnumber ND alumni several thousand to one and newspaper publicity is generally provided in the same proportion.

AGAIN, with the cooperation of Captain Flat-

ley of the Naval Air Station at Olathe (this Captain Flatley could win the "Best Friend of Notre Dame" title around here without unbuckling his jacket!), the Club journeyed out to the Air Station on February 9 to see the "Highlights of the 1951 Football Season." A crowd of about seventy-five enjoyed the pictures and then moved in on the now-famous Air Station's buffet dinner.

Joe and Edna Stewart and Marie Smith joined Joe and Mrs. Shaughnessy in the front row and didn't miss a play when the pictures were being shown. One table included John and Mrs. McGrath and Bill Gibson and wife (both couples up from Sedalia), Norm and Fred Bowes, Ed and Katie O'Connor and Bob and Peg Barry.

The party marked the first appearance in over a year of the Club's representative in the Marines—Jim Metzler, recently back from Korea. Jim's wife, Kay, was with him.

Bob and Joan Metzler, Dick and Darlene Prezebel, Dick and Kay Bowes, Tom and Betty Higgins and the Jim Aylwards listened attentively to the "Hike Song" as rendered by the Tom Reardons, Bernie Finucane and two Navy Choristers who remain unidentified up to this time except for their abilities to fit in as first and second tenors. (Most of us were hoping that somehow a Notre Dame touchdown could be clipped from another game and spliced into the Michigan State pictures. No such luck, though—final score of movies was the same as the game: 35-0).

The Club continues to hold weekly luncheons at the FAMOUS Restaurant and attendance has picked up a little. All brethren passing through are assured of congenial company and a fast right arm reaching for the check. This offer is good for THIRTY DAYS ONLY. It's every THURSDAY, 12 noon.

Plans are being completed for Universal Notre Dame night which the Club will probably celebrate a week early because of our good fortune in having Father Cavanaugh present in Kansas City the week of April 14 if he attends the Convention of the N.C.E.A.

Richard J. Bowes

Mon-Valley

About 15 members of the Monongahela Valley Club—in southwestern Pennsylvania—gathered at Seton Hill College (for women) in Greensburg, Pa., on Wednesday, January 16, where they enjoyed a brief visit with the Most Reverend John F. O'Hara, C.S.C., Archbishop of Philadelphia.

The Archbishop was in Greensburg to install the Most Reverend Hugh L. Lamb as the first Ordinary of the recently created diocese of Greensburg. Archbishop O'Hara, former popular Prefect of Religion and President of the University, took time out of a tight schedule to have a chat with approximately 35 alumni of both the Mon-Valley club and the Pittsburgh Club. Even though the visit was, of necessity, brief, every one felt amply repaid for the opportunity to say hello to Father O'Hara, which is how every one addressed him—from force of habit.

Miami

Jerome P. "Jerry" Holland was seated as President of the Notre Dame Alumni Club of Greater Miami at the installation of officers Banquet held on Thursday night, January 31, at Smith Brothers Restaurant. The remaining officers installed were Fred Flawaty, First Vice-President, Ed Kelly, Second Vice-President, and Fred Jones, Secretary-Treasurer. The new officers were elected for the years 1952-1953.

I. I. Probst and Faris N. Cowart assumed the offices of directors for three year terms. Walter Rowlands announced that the Board of Directors will hold the annual election for the Chairmanship of the Board on a date soon to be announced.

The installation affair was well conducted and planned by the Committee in charge. Faris N. Cowart, long noted for extensive dissertations, closed out his last official act as President of the Club in a burst of glory. This honor was achieved in the brief message submitted to the club members and in his discharge to the new president. In accepting the gavel, the duties and responsibilities of his new office, Holland expressed his appreciation to the members for the



Three non-voters at the Chicago Club's election meeting. Rev. Thomas J. Brennan, C.S.C., right, with Joe Boland (the vest) and Moose Krause. At left are Luke Tiernan, new president, and Al Stepan, retiring.

honor bestowed on him, his plans and aims during his term in office.

Walter Rowlands, present Chairman of the Foundation Committee and Board of Directors, was introduced by Holland and spoke briefly on the Foundation and plans in connection for the present year. He expressed his sincere gratitude to all those who assisted him as Committee members and to those who so graciously contributed to the Fund. The newly appointed Foundation Committee appointed by Chairman Rowlands for the year 1952 are: Mike Zorovich, Jim Armbruster, Ed Kelly, John Fenn, Fred Jones, I. I. Probst, and Faris Cowart, Assistant Chairman.

Walter also announced that a banner of the University of Notre Dame, similar to those of Civic organizations, will be presented to the Club at the next monthly meeting.

BLESSED EVENT

Freddie Jones and Louise Jones, his spouse, are the very proud parents of a new baby girl. Her name is Kathleen Louise, born on January 17 at 10:55 a.m. at Doctors Hospital and weighed in at 4 pounds 13 ounces just before the battle began. Freddie says Louise is back in trim but that it will take him some time to get over the ordeal.

EXTRA

George Brautigam, the old stand-by, has cast his hat in the ring for the post of State's Attorney. Vince Giblin, the incomparable, will again be a candidate for the Judgeship he now holds. It is the opinion of the writer that all alumni wish them success and will be in there pitching for these two highly respected and truly qualified gentlemen.

Members in attendance: Paul Tully, President of Washington, D. C. Club, Walter Rowlands, Dan Rowlands, Ed Kelly, Ed Hanley, Faris Cowart, John Fenn, Tom Boyce, Don Smith, Jim Connell, Sr., Jim Connell, Jr., Vince Giblin, Hugh McManigal, Mike Gray, I. I. Probst, Jim Curry, Jim Armbruster, Mike Zorovich, George Brautigam, Jerry Holland, Fred Jones, Fred Piowaty.

Mid-Hudson

The club held its November meeting, a combination dinner-business meeting, at Judie's in Kingston, N. Y. Our popular President, Henry Fisher, made the necessary arrangements and a delightful evening was had by all present. Our pet project, "Operation Scholastic," managed to get into full swing and at this writing, we have the Scholastic in nine of the local high schools. The club members feel that the presence of the Scholastic in the various Guidance Departments and Senior Rooms may play a major role for Seniors who are undecided as to where to continue their education—we also encourage other clubs to adopt this plan.

The December meeting was held at Gibsons Colonial Inn, Poughkeepsie, N. Y. Joe McCabe and his group of men deserve a pat on the back for their fine job of arranging the details. This was an open meeting—members could bring guests—and after this meeting was over, the feeling that we would soon have an auxiliary grew by leaps and bounds. The business meeting was very short due to the fact that the members wished to attack the dining tables and also to partake in Holiday festivities.

The January meeting was held at the Pine Tree Inn, Newburgh, N. Y., and the group led by Jim Flanagan made it possible for us to have a gala time. The two major items of business were the Man of the Year Award nominations and the ND Glee Club. The Glee Club project was dropped from the agenda as there was no open date on their itinerary. The Man of the Year Award committee chairman, John Kuhn, met with his group and a candidate was chosen.

As of this writing, the February meeting will be held at the Hotel Kirkland, Kingston, N. Y., at which time the list of candidates for club officers will be made up and initial plans for Universal Notre Dame night will be set into motion.

CLUB GOSSIP

Howie Murdock, aide-de-camp of Joe Boland, dropped in to say Hello over the vacation period. He is teaching at Purdue and also seeing quite a bit of the U.S.A. following the Fighting Irish during the football season. He is a little on the "plump" side which indicated that he and Boland

must be eating high off the hog. Or should I say off of the expense account?

Bob Shea—now Captain, U.S.A.F., dropped in on the Xmas meeting to extend his best wishes. As to his exact location, it was listed as unknown.

Tom Walker was passing out the cigars at a recent meeting—I may be wrong but rumor had it that this is the fourth time he has played such a role.

Nick Amato called to say that he could not make the Xmas meeting. Nick is still at St. Bonnie's and is doing quite a job.

Ed Blake is eligible for the "commuters award" at this time as he is now riding the rails from Newburgh to Long Island daily.

Bob Ortale was selected by the New York State Bar Association—Young Lawyers Section—to a chair on the Committee on Legal Aid and Lawyers Reference Section.

New York

After all precincts were heard from the ballots showed our new President to be Herb Giorgio, '32 . . . and a nicer guy we couldn't have selected. Herb succeeds Jim McGoldrick, '39, who was recently elected to the National Alumni Board . . . and our prayers for success to both.

The other but still essential details were allotted to Jim Clynes, '45, Secretary and Frank Conforti, Treasurer. Vice Presidencies went to Al Perrine, '41, John A. Hoyt, '33, Jordan Hargrove, '35, Jim McGoldrick, '39, and Bill Furlong, '47. Bill Talbot, '44, and Kev Carley, '48, are assistants Secretary and Treasurer respectively.

Members of the Board of Governors this year are: Herb Giorgio, '32, John Duffy, '44, Ed Beckman, '16, Phil Shea, '49, Greg Rice, '39, Al Perrine, '41, John MacCauley, '41, Jim Sheils, '35, Tim O'Rourke, '31, Jim Clynes, '45, Bob Reale, '43, Walt Desel, '42, Bill Talbot, '44, Bob Walsh, '47, and Bill Fallon, '37. This is a pretty good spread in years and gives the 1700 or so fellows in the club a good coverage as well as those coming in from out of town to get in touch with.

Plans for the next six months at least shape up to about the following: February brings our annual Basketball Luncheon at Toots Shor's where we hope to have Frank Leahy, Moose Krause, Johnny Jordan and Howard Cann (NYU coach) and the HiLight Films of the '51 season. This

is usually a wing-ding affair in the usual and capable hands of Chairman Jack Hoyt. Somehow or other the luncheon always seems to stretch out into the game that night at Madison Square Garden, and this year should be no exception.

The Annual Retreat on March 21-23 in Jamaica at the Monastery will take the place of our usual monthly meeting and this is being handled by Herb Giorgio, our new President. April will be the big month for the first part of the year . . . that is, with Universal Notre Dame Night on the 21st or thereabouts.

Plans for this event are still tentative and can't be announced as yet . . . but that's for another issue here anyway. The meeting for the Month of May will probably be dispensed with and concentration given to the June meeting before the summer recess of activities. More to the members about each event will be forthcoming in their personal mail . . . and more to the column here after they happen.

Philadelphia

In an ancient, solemn ceremony, His Excellency, Most Rev. John F. O'Hara, C.S.C., D.D., '11, was installed as Archbishop of Philadelphia at the Cathedral of St. Peter and Paul, on January 11.

The massive Cathedral was filled to overflowing with prominent figures from every walk of life. The occasion marked the largest gathering of the American Hierarchy in the history of the Archdiocese.

On the following evening, a Civic Testimonial to the Archbishop was held in Convention Hall. Governor John Fine and Mayor Joseph S. Clark officially welcomed His Excellency on behalf of the Commonwealth and the City.

Members of the Philadelphia Club were indeed fortunate in being present on both occasions. The manner in which His Excellency has endeared himself to his new flock, and the way in which they have taken him to their hearts is particularly edifying, although not at all surprising to those of us who knew and remember our beloved "Father O'Hara" in our days 'neath the Golden Dome.

We of Notre Dame in Philadelphia join with the million others under his direct spiritual control in wishing him every blessing, and in happily anticipating many years of his saintly example and leadership.



That's a gavel, Jerry. Faris Cowart hands the Miami Club's persuader to new president Jerry Holland. Standing, L to R: Fred Jones, secretary; Edward A. Kelly, second vice president; Fred Piowaty, first vice-president, and Walter Rowlands, board chairman.

January 27 marked the annual banquet of the Men of Malvern, the lay retreat group here, of which most of our alumni are members. What with Archbishop O'Hara and Coach Frank Leahy being the featured speakers, it turned out to be quite a Notre Dame affair.

The annual elections were held at the regular January meeting. Joseph P. Cattie, Jr., '41, was reelected President, while Leonard H. Tose, '37, was named Vice. John H. Neeson, Jr., '35, is Treasurer, while John P. Dempsey, '49, was elected Secretary, and Clifford E. Proehl, '32, Recording Secretary. New members of the Board of Governors are the Messrs. Cattie, Tose, William Whiteside, '51, Walter R. Ridley, '31, and William G. Burns, '40. Their terms are for two years, and they join the august company of Ambrose F. Dudley, '43, Charles J. McKinney, '29, and the aforementioned Neeson, Proehl and Dempsey, whose terms expire in 1953.

Plans for Universal Notre Dame Night are being formulated by Chairman Len Tose. The Grand Ballroom of the Benjamin Franklin Hotel has already been reserved for the evening of April 24, and Len is busily rounding out a slate of prominent guests and speakers.

Bud Dudley, Foundation Chairman, reports that 1951 was one of the best yet, as far as Philadelphia is concerned. This happy state of affairs is due primarily to the time and the energy that Bud has devoted to his task. Incidentally, that gentleman, in addition to his Foundation duties and his annual Chairmanship of the Communion Breakfast, has charge of the activities for the big ND-Penn weekend in September. Beyond this, he has represented the Club at over 100 banquets, luncheons, communion breakfasts and the like during the past several years. He's a man—a real Notre Dame man—is this Mr. Dudley, of the Class of '43 and the Dudley Wallpaper Co.

The ND basketball team plays Penn at the Palestra on February 26, and the Glee Club is due during Easter week, so there are several gala evenings in store. More about them next time.

Pittsburgh

About twenty members of the local group drove to Greensburg, Pennsylvania, on January 16, to informally welcome and greet Archbishop John F. O'Hara of Philadelphia, who officiated at the installation of Bishop Lamb of the new Greensburg diocese.

Archbishop O'Hara individually chatted with each member of our delegation, and interrupted his regular schedule to be conducted to the special parlor where the members were awaiting him. All Pittsburgh alumni wish him every success in the world in his new work in Philadelphia.

The meeting was a combined endeavor with a delegation from the Monongahela Valley Club and we believe it is a good thing to demonstrate joint action occasionally.

John Briley went to some pains to personally follow through on these arrangements, and to keep in touch with the Monongahela Valley group.



Archbishop John F. O'Hara and Head Coach Frank Leahy at the Men of Malvern Dinner in Philadelphia.



Archbishop John F. O'Hara, C.S.C., and members of the Monongahela Valley (Pennsylvania) Club.

Among others present were Gene Coyne, Leo Vogel, Frank McSorley, Dr. Leo O'Donnell, Dr. Frank Hegarty, Vince Burke, Hugh Gallagher, Hugh Boyle, Jim Devlin, Pinky Martin, Regis Kuhn, Joe Kurth, Bob Fulton, Ben Kaiser, and several others, as well as the Monongahela Valley representatives.

San Diego

Needless to say the ND Club from this fair far west city thoroughly enjoyed the Notre Dame victory on December 1, at the expense of the Univ. of Southern California. Some of the U.S.C. fans got a bit damp but the sun was shining mightily bright on our side of the coliseum.

We were glad to welcome five new Notre Dame men to our club who have recently moved to San Diego: Ralph Weber, Ernie Kling, John McDevitt, Capt. Ed Gallagher and Comdr. John Rieder. All have joined us in our monthly get-togethers and are helping us build a bigger and better club to represent the University in this corner of the United States.

Our Communion Sunday at the Cathedral on December 9 was very well attended and an informal gab-fest over coffee and donuts was enjoyed by all. Main topic—of course, was the previous profitable Sunday in Los Angeles.

The holiday social was spent at Pres. Win Day's residence where an open house was held for all members and honorary members. The hospitable Days entertained from noon until after midnight. To keep things interesting a couple of jugs were raffled off along with a beautiful tie donated by Phil Martin with a bit of sharp persuasion.

On January 30, our semi-annual dinner dance was held at Camp Kidd Officers Club as guests of Comdr. George O'Malley. George had things well planned and we all enjoyed a delicious dinner of prime ribs of beef plus a pleasant evening of dancing. The lucky O'Malleys went home with a nice new radio this time, which was the prize offered that night by the club. They will undoubtedly win all the cash at the Bingo party to be held on Feb. 25 too. If we do as well as we did last year at the big Bingo party everybody will be happy and Howard Beilstein will be able to treat us all to a cold brew.

Our next big meeting will be a stag affair on March 26 when we will have election of officers and plan for a great Universal Notre Dame Night April 29.

Schenectady

The officers and members of the club are now making plans for our Universal ND Night celebration. Everyone is hoping that we can surpass the fine affair that was held last year at the Edison Club with Father Charles E. Sheedy, C.S.C., giving an outstanding speech. An effort is being made to contact every ND man in the area for this affair.

During the month of December two successful affairs were held. First, our annual Communion

Breakfast, Sunday, Dec. 9, at the Hotel Van Curler with Father Albert J. Heinzer, C.S.C., addressing the group. The second affair, our annual Holiday Formal, Dec. 28, at the Locomotive Club, was a huge success with many alumni, students and friends attending.

The Schenectady club has lost one of its most loyal members and hardest working officers within the past two months. Our Vice-President, Bob Eckel, '49, has been transferred to the G.E. plant at Lockland, Ohio. Cincinnati boys take notice—grab Bob for he was a very efficient officer, hard worker and great booster—he will make you an excellent member.

Dan Cunha, '35, is leading his Siena cagers to another great season. To name some of the BIG games that they have won—Seton Hall, Manhattan twice, Fordham, Oklahoma City, and Canisius. Wouldn't a Siena-Notre Dame game in Albany be a star from heaven for us Notre Dame grads in the area?

Larry Weiss, '37, is serving as District Deputy of the 41st New York District Knights of Columbus.

President and Mrs. William G. Leonard, '49, are the proud parents of a girl, Mary Kathleen, January 19.

A son, David Paul, was born to Paul and Joan Dee, '51, Nov. 6, 1951.

South Jersey

The Notre Dame Club of South Jersey held its annual Mardi Gras Party at Kenney's Restaurant in Camden on February 22.

Chairman for the affair was Bill McCormick, '47, of Woodbury. Committee members were Matt Siedlecki, '49, of Camden and Matt Campanella, '49, of West Collingswood.

The party was held in real mardi gras style with dancing and a carnival atmosphere. About 100 persons attended.

Plans are now under way for Universal Notre Dame Night. No definite speaker commitments have been made, but we're looking forward to an excellent program.

A spring outing for all members and their families will be held some time in May.

We're happy to welcome Tom Rourke, '47, Haddonfield and Joe O'Brien, Gloucester, into the fold.

Remember, South Jersey Alumni, meetings are every third Thursday at Kenney's Restaurant in Camden.

St. Louis

Following, a brief resume of the St. Louis Club activities since last October:

The Annual Raffle to raise funds for our Scholarship Fund was held October 9, netting the Fund about \$1,200. Many thanks to Bud Haberkern, as this was an exceptionally fine job, considering this affair had to be handled on the Q.T.

Next followed the Football Trip to the Southern Methodist Game, which resulted in an income to the Club of \$2,500. It was the largest group we ever had on this trip with an attendance of 250.

The train left St. Louis Friday nite with a special party on the train, as it was leaving St. Louis.

After the game the party stayed in Chicago over nite, and returned to St. Louis Sunday. A grand time was had by all, thanks to the untiring efforts of Jack Griffin and ably assisted by Vince Fehlig and Fred McNeill.

On December 3 the Annual Club Communion Breakfast took place with about 50 members attending. The Mass was celebrated by the Chaplain of the Club, Father William Reeves. After the Mass the members adjourned to the Candlelight House for breakfast, where they were addressed by Father Bowdern of the St. Louis University. This was a very fine affair, thanks to Francis Roth.

The next big event was the Christmas Dance held December 28 in the Tiara Room, at the top of the Park Plaza Hotel. The affair was attended by about 230 Alumni and guests, as well as 30 students and their friends home for the Christmas Holidays. Everyone certainly must have had a fine time from the looks of the overtime bill for music. Thanks to Bill Ruoff for putting on a swell party.

Our next venture was new to the Club. On January 25 we sponsored a concert by the Notre Dame Glee Club which was given in Kiel Auditorium, with about 1200 Patrons in attendance. Following the concert a reception for the Club and Guests of the Alumni was given in the Garden Room of the Lenox Hotel. This was one of the finest parties the Club has ever had thanks to the very fine performances by the Glee Club.

We believe the University should be very proud of this organization as they are really tops. As mentioned above this was our first attempt at a venture of this kind, and the Club wishes to acknowledge the fine efforts of the committee in making this event a success. Thanks to Al Ravarino, Tom Hennigan, George Conny, Frank Polnow, Bob Hellrung, Jim O'Neill, Bill Ruoff and Ed Griesedieck.

We hope to make this an annual affair and in time, if it continues to be successful, supplement it for the raffle as a means of raising funds for the Scholarship Fund.

Our next event will be the Basketball Game between Notre Dame and St. Louis University on February 9. We are planning a luncheon in honor of the team and coaches, at the Jefferson Hotel, prior to the game. Hope we win this one.

St. Joe Valley

The Notre Dame Club of St. Joseph Valley has mapped out a most interesting and ambitious schedule for the spring months and it is hoped that we will have a record participation in these varied activities.

The Club will honor Knute Rockne on March 30 with its Annual Memorial Mass and Rockne Communion Breakfast in the Lay Faculty Dining Room. On April 18 the Notre Dame Villagers and the St. Joseph Valley Alumni Club will sponsor jointly a dance in the Bronzewood Room of the Hotel LaSalle. This social occasion will afford an excellent opportunity for all club members to get better acquainted with the local boys now in school.

April 21 being Universal Notre Dame night, the Club will hold its traditional dinner in the Faculty Dining Room and we especially encourage club members to bring their wives for this occasion.

A high point in our spring schedule is Father Cavanaugh night, May 20. Present plans call for the holding of this informal meeting in the new Morris Inn and all club members are encouraged to attend as we would like to honor Father Cavanaugh with a record turnout.

Wednesday, June 18, has been set aside for our annual golf tournament and dinner. It isn't too early to start making up your foursome for the tournament which this year will be played on the University course.

Toledo

Toledo Club activity since December has reached a "modern" all-time high. Participation in the Club's programs, both those restricted to members, and those open to friends, has been on the upswing.

Universal Notre Dame Communion Sunday, back

in December, was the Toledo organization's first winter-season activity. Dr. George Bates was chairman of the program, assisted by Jack Solom, who served as toastmaster. About sixty Club members received communion in a body at the Rosary Cathedral's high mass that day, and nearly 100 people were on hand for the breakfast. Guest speaker for the occasion was the Most Rev. George J. Rearing, S.T.D., Bishop of Toledo. This was the Bishop's first meeting with the Club.

This past year's Christmas Dance was one of the most successful in the history of the Club. Approximately 213 couples filled the Grand Ballroom of the Commodore Perry Hotel the night of Dec. 28, to dance to the music of Jimmy Rohr's band. Dick Donoghue was general dance chairman, assisted by Charlie Schira, Art Soder, Dick Kopf, Jim Detzler and Jack Malone. Individual table decorations consisted of traditional candles and evergreen. A roving photographer took pictures at every table during the evening.

The Club's Stag Party honoring Old Timers was held in the K. of C. Clubrooms, Feb. 1. An evening of cards was topped off by the presentation of gifts to all Old Timers—those in the class of 1925 and before. Sixty-five members, guests and friends attended the party, including Tommy Sexton, great friend of Notre Dame and nationally known polio victim. Bill Murtagh was head of the program, aided by Harry Hoffman, George Korhummel, Dick Tillman and Chuck Comes.

The Old Timers honored included James J. Cooney, William L. Beckman, George F. Covert, John C. Cochrane, Paul J. Dooley, Steve A. Fazekas, John P. Hurley, Bernard G. Kesting, Frank R. Lockhard, Robert J. Mithen, Harold H. Munger, Joseph L. Tillman, Ray L. Tillman and Emery S. Toth.

Jim Cooney, considered to be the Dean of the Toledo Club Old Timers, was presented with a special plaque in honor of the occasion. Jim, who graduated from Notre Dame in 1893, has been an active member of the Notre Dame Club for many years. He is a consistent spectator at Notre Dame football games, no matter where they are played.

Bob Welly was chairman of a Club Square Dance held Feb. 15, and open to all Notre Dammers and their friends. Seventy couples attended. This marked the second square dance put on by the Club in the past five months. Both have been well attended. Members appeared in informal attire, prepared for four hours of fun—and hard work!

The Club's first Lenten activity was a retreat to the Manresa Jesuit Retreat House in Detroit. The trip coincided with the Detroit Club's pilgrimage to Manresa. Bill Syring and a dozen other Toledoans made the week-end trip.

ATTENTION ALL EX-ST. JOE HALLERS!

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JUNE 6, 7 and 8

A letter giving details will be sent to you before March 1. If you don't receive one, send your present address to Jim Armstrong, Alumni Secretary.

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Virginia

Notre Dame alumni in Virginia met recently at Roanoke to organize the Foundation on a state-wide basis. The two-day session included discussion on many phases of the Foundation program.

Those in attendance were (see page 10): Frank Stumpf, assistant chairman, Richmond; Frank Albert, city chairman, Covington; Thomas J. Hils, State Publicity Chairman; John Cackley, representing Notre Dame; Paul M. Morrison, State Governor; Anselm D. Miller, former State Governor; Charles Morrison, president of the Virginia Alumni Club, Richmond; William J. O'Sullivan, Hampton; Thomas Morrison, city chairman, Lynchburg; Charles Hutchens, Jr., city chairman, New-

port News-Hampton area, and Edward B. Boyle, Chairman of State Speakers Bureau, Richmond. Edward Eckensode, Martinsville, was absent when picture was taken.

Western Washington

Twenty-four members of the Notre Dame Club of Western Washington participated in the Annual Notre Dame Mass, Communion, and breakfast, in honor of the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, on Dec. 9, at St. James Cathedral, Seattle.

Emmett Lemihan, Foundation State Governor, Will Tieney, of the Class of 1901, George Nyere, of the Class of 1904, and Colonel George J. Schill, of the Class of 1927, were among the faithful. Colonel Schill is presently Commanding Officer in charge of ROTC at Seattle University. Mr. Clayton Walton, prominent Catholic layman, was guest speaker.

Fred N. Hoover, '42 and '46 was in charge of all arrangements and Jerry Kame, '38, Club President, presided at the breakfast meeting. Jerry Lee, Joseph G. Lotta, John J. Cleary, Brian Doherty, all members of the Class of '51, were introduced to the Club members on this occasion.

On Feb. 19, a pre-Lenten dinner meeting for all Notre Dame Alumni club members was held at Seattle University. Club activities for the ensuing year were on the agenda.

Plans are now in the rough draft stage for the Notre Dame Club of Western Washington observance in Seattle for the 29th Annual Universal Notre Dame Night on Monday, April 21. Arrangements are being made for a campus speaker and Western Washington Club observance is expected to top all former years relevant to this traditional date. In Seattle, as in Notre Dame Clubs all over the world, it will be Father Cavanaugh Night as well as Universal Notre Dame Night. The committee in charge of arrangements will focus particular attention on Father Cavanaugh's outstanding achievements during his administration.

Youngstown

The Youngstown Notre Dame Club had a good turnout for the Universal Notre Dame Communion and Communion breakfast, Dec. 9. After Mass at St. Columba Cathedral, the club held a breakfast at the Hotel Pick-Ohio. Rev. Donald Reagan, assistant principal of Ursuline High School, and a summer student at Notre Dame, spoke on the Rosary. President Francis Hopkins presided.

The club arranged a television party Dec. 1 at the Lyden Oil Co. building, to see the Southern Cal game.

A team representing the Notre Dame Club competed with a panel of women from the American Association of University Women on "Club Quiz," broadcast over WFMJ, Youngstown, in November. The boys lost to the girls.

William G. Lyden, Jr., '50, was elected president of the Youngstown Club Wednesday evening, Jan. 13, at a dinner meeting at the Colonial House. Lyden succeeds Francis J. Hopkins, '41, president for three years.

Louis C. Collieran, '45, was elected vice-president and Charles Butler, '43, secretary-treasurer.

John N. Cackley, '57, Foundation Staff Project Director, spoke on the Foundation program, and showed campus pictures.

Charles B. Cuswa, Sr., of Youngstown, benefactor of Notre Dame and father of Charles B. Cuswa, Jr., '31, died of a heart attack in December.

Mr. Cuswa was president of the Commercial Shearing & Stamping Co. of Youngstown and Commercial Shearing & Stamping, Inc. of Chicago. He was a devout Catholic, and a Knight of St. Gregory.

He was especially interested in Notre Dame, and had donated a room in the new Science Building. He headed the trustees of St. Elizabeth Hospital, and had been active in many religious and civic programs.

Rev. Louis Thornton, C.S.C., Director of Admissions, represented the University at the funeral, Dec. 11. Most Rev. Emmett M. Walsh, coadjutor bishop of Youngstown, celebrated the Mass, and Bishop James A. McFadden presided.

ALUMNI CLASSES

'17 35 YEAR REUNION JUNE 6-7-8

Edward J. McOsker, Secretary
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Leo Vogel and Leo O'Donnell have done quite a job of drumming up interest in the 35-Year Reunion of the Class of '17 this June, and have assembled quite a bit of data which they've forwarded to your secretary.

HOWEVER, there have been a number of "unclaimed" members of the class, and also a substantial number "unanswering"—persons un-reached by letters regarding the Reunion. Some of these "unanswering" members may have wrong addresses listed with us—AND with the Alumni Office, for we get our addresses from Jim Armstrong's records.

Those for whom we have no addresses are listed here, with their known degrees, in the hope that someone who knows their whereabouts can communicate with your secretary or with Jim Armstrong:

Clarence E. Biggers, S.E.E.
Francis J. Carey, Ph.B.
John B. Campbell, Jr., B.Arch.
Michael M. Chemidlin
Arthur James Coyle, B.S.
Joseph E. Dorais, L.I.B.
George N. Halme, E.E.
James Keegan
Francis M. Kirkland, L.I.B.
Napoleon E. Langlois, S.Comm.
Vincent J. Lamb
George W. Omacht
Paul V. Shirly
John O. Spillane, L.I.B.
Harold J. Stickney, S.Com.
Richard H. Tyner, B.S.Ch.
George F. Windoffer, L.I.B.

In the "unanswering class" there are quite a few who, if we can trust the U.S. mails, were dunned twice—once by letter, once by postcard—and who are still not heard from.

Here is that list:

John Baczenas, Edward F. Barrett, Harry C. Baujan, Joe Benziger, Dutch Bergman, Jim Boylan, Father Francis Brown, C.S.C., Harold Cleary, Stanley Cofall, Charlie DiLorenzo, Bill Egan, Father Fred Gassensmith, C.S.C.

Emmet Hannon, Harry Kelly, Frank A. Kiernan, Denis Leary, Leo McGahon, Father Will McNamara, Elmer Mohan, Father Mike Mulcaire, Melchior Niemer, Bernie Regan, Frank Rogers, Rigney Sackley, Ray Schaub, Father Speer Strahan, Dr. Marion Sullivan, Ed Sylvestre, Len Swift and Claude Yockey.

We left Jimmy Phelan off this list, because, although not heard from, Jim is doubtless trotting between his home in Los Angeles and New York, where his football Yanks used to be, and Dallas, where they'll be for the 1952 season.

Oscar Dorwin has received a promotion in the Texas Corporation. He's been made vice-president and general counsel.

1920

Ralph W. Bergman
1609 N. Jefferson
St. Louis 6, Mo.

"Representative Joseph P. O'Hara is a big friendly Irishman who has learned that persistence pays off in Washington as well as in Minnesota."

That is the lead paragraph in a Minneapolis

Star story on the representative from Minnesota's Second Congressional District.

The Joseph P. O'Hara referred to is Joe O'Hara, L.I.B., '20, father of three sons (two of them alumni of the University), World War I veteran and now in his sixth term in Congress.

The Star describes Joe's persistence in campaigning:

"He was defeated when he ran for probate judge in his first bid for public office. He then ran for county attorney, and lost again. He ran for county attorney a second time. Still no success. He filed again, and finally, on his third attempt was elected.

"The same thing happened when he decided to run for Congress in his district. On his first attempt in 1936 he wasn't even nominated. In 1938 he lost to the incumbent and in 1940 he finally made it, defeating the incumbent by 11,000 votes."

Joe has been in Congress since, still persisting. Three times he introduced what he believed was a vital bill, and the third time it passed both houses. That was the legislation outlawing the misbranding, false advertising and false invoicing of fur coats and fur products. As a result, there's no more dyed-Hudson-this-or-that. If you're buying colored rabbit you know it.

One O'Hara son, Pat is in FBI work, and taking a Master's degree from Catholic U. Another, Ed lives in Redwood Falls, Minn., and the youngest, Terrence is an Air Force corporal in Rapid City, South Dakota.

From Leo Ward, former president of the Alumni Association, comes word that the Los Angeles Alumni Club is putting final touches to the plans for Universal Notre Dame Night. The Club's guest this year is Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., President of the University.

The observance of 1952 Universal Notre Dame Night in Los Angeles promises the best in the Club's history.

Leo sends along the following note of sadness:

"In the 1920 Class news you might note that Edna McMahon, wife of Edward McMahon, of the Class of 1920 died in Los Angeles. They were married early in 1950 and on their wedding trip attended the thirty-year Class Reunion in June, 1950."

The 1920 Class lost one of its most active members Feb. 2 when Bill Cole died in Minneapolis. He was founder of the St. Paul (Twin Cities) Alumni Club and very active and interested in Alumni work.

His son, Jack, of Indianapolis, is a '39 graduate of the University. Surviving also are his wife, Mrs. Rose Schreyer Cole, and one brother, Charles W. Cole, Sr., of South Bend.

1921

Dan W. Duffy, Secretary,
1101 NBC Bldg.,
Cleveland, Ohio

Maurice—the Original Clipper—Smith is back at his California home, on the voluntary retired list. The Clipper had been football coach at Lafayette College, Easton, Pa. He went there in 1949, from the Boston Ynaks of the National Football League.

The Clipper had previously coached at Gonzaga, Santa Clara and at Villanova.

Prayers of the '21 Class are asked for Chet Grant's father. He died in South Bend recently, at the age of 84.

Placement Director Bill Dooley, '26, apparently can't get reporting out of his blood. He sends along the item that Tom Van Aarle was a recent visitor to the University and specifically to the Placement Office. Tom came in from Saginaw, Michigan, where he's located with Standard Oil.

Tom has a Mechanical Engineering degree but on this mission was a talent scout, on the lookout for likely prospects for Standard's engineering staff. He interviewed June '52 graduates, through the program set up by Bill Dooley's Placement Bureau.

'22 30 YEAR REUNION JUNE 6-7-8

Gerald A. Ashe, Secretary
39 Cambridge Street
Rochester 7, New York

We of '22 salute our classmate, Dean Clarence E. (Pat) Manion, who has announced his resignation as Dean of Law at the University, effective with the close of the current scholastic year, as reported in the last issue of the ALUMNUS.

We are very proud of the accomplishments and advancements that have taken place during Pat's administration, and we are sorry to see him go.

We rejoice in the knowledge that Pat will not be idle, for he will be very busy with his own personal law practice, his writings and in making speeches on Americanism, for which he is in great demand. As Pat closes the Notre Dame phase of his career, we see him becoming even greater in the national picture.

Congratulations to Ralph Coryn upon his election to the Alumni Board, and to Doctor Matt Weiss on being promoted to the office of first vice-president of the board. We of '22 are highly favored to have two members of our class on the Board, and we do heartily thank the electorate for their confidence in us.

Mona Castellini, youngest daughter of A.A. (Bill, of happy memory) and Ruth Castellini, became Mrs. Donald Bryson Poynter in marriage Feb. 9 at St. Mary's Church, Hyde Park, Cincinnati. We tender our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Poynter, and to Mrs. Castellini, mother of the bride.

Great interest is developing for our 30th Reunion in June. It was earnestly hoped that we could have had names of the Reunion Director and committeemen in this issue of the ALUMNUS but an early deadline date prevents that. Let there be no mistake about it—the BOYS are rarin' to go.

They are writing in to offer assistance in any way possible, and already more such offers have been received than was the case for our silver anniversary five years ago. Here and now we exhort all '22 men to persuade their friends and neighbors of '22 to attend.

If they are near by, there is nothing like a personal meeting; if far away, use the mail or telephone. As soon as possible, a copy of the class roster will be mailed to every class member. If anyone can figure out something original, or even a re-hash of something old but good for use as a publicity piece, let him do so.

For our last reunion we received some very effective publicity pieces that were outstandingly good. Don't you recall the medicine man number by Harold McKee with airplane campus view, the letter to wives and sweethearts prepared by Dan Young's committee, the pen-and-ink sketches of South Bend and the Notre Dame campus by an artist from USC in collaboration with a 1931 ND grad, verse by Bob Galloway and other wonderful contributions?

If you feel the urge, just go to work—BUT THE TIME IS SHORT!

Joe Rhomberg in his undergraduate days at ND, a brilliant student and president of the senior class, writes to give his blessing to the preparations being made for our 30th. Joe is district agent of Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. with headquarters in Dubuque, Iowa—his home city. Joe writes:

"Was glad to read of the interest expressed by others in the 30th reunion next June, and will carry on any correspondence which might be delegated to me in these parts. I feel sure that very few of those at our 25th will miss this great event, and that a number of those who did not enjoy the fun in '47 because of their absence will be on hand for this one.

"Brother Al and I plan to be there, and we are trying to inveigle Walt Klauer and Clarence Zwack to come along. Walt is president of the Klauer Mfg. Co. here while Clarence is a partner with his dad in the construction business.

"Al resigned as city manager after a 14-year tenure here, because of ill health and to enter the construction field. He has been under doctor's

orders for about a year, but is now fully restored to health and is proceeding to make arrangements for his new work.

"I met Earl Walsh, who like you, still enjoys single blessedness, at the Savery Hotel in Des Moines a month ago, and he did some promoting for the June celebration. Since Fordham discontinued football, Earl returned to the home state to practice law in Des Moines.

"I am going to close like George Heneghan did, with the suggestion that you let me know if there is anything I can do, at any time."

Many thanks, Joe, for your fine letter, and the kind offer. We are delighted to hear that your brother Al has been restored to good health. Right away, we are going to put you to work. Please ascertain the present address of Earl Walsh and furnish same to the Alumni Office.

Earl is being carried on the rolls as in the Bureau of Missing Persons. Maybe in the next issue of the ALUMNUS we can publish names of AWOL '22 men so our roster will have no missing addresses.

Doctor John F. Kelley of Utica, New York, who was quite spry aloof as a track man at ND in our days writes to say he plans to attend the 30th. We quote:

"In looking over the Notre Dame ALUMNUS a few nights ago, I noted you are now making plans for our 30th Reunion. I certainly plan to go to school for this one, and if there is anything I can do to contact any of the men I shall be glad to do so.

"I met Eddie Anderson this spring, and had Jim Crowley here a few weeks ago for a high school banquet. He is now living in Ithaca, New York and has not changed one bit."

Thanks to you, Doc for your interesting letter, and for your offer of help. If you intend to motor to Notre Dame, maybe you could pick up an old buddy of '22 and bring him along. Some of your neighbors are John Meehan of Schenectady, Paul Mulcahy of Genoa, Jim Jones and Clint Lintz of Rochester. Later on you will be furnished a copy of the class roster showing addresses, so you may be the better enabled to contact '22 men. We are certain similar transportation arrangements would greatly increase reunion attendance.

Dan Young is back in Chile again, having been summoned in emergency to leave his home in Drexel Hill, Pa., on Dec. 13. Here is a quote from part of his letter written in Chuquicamata on Jan. 30:

"After I left here on Sept. 1, I went to work at La Serena in Chile, then to Santiago, and from there to Lima, Peru where I took a few days' rest, and then went over the Andes to Iquitos on the east side, and down the Amazon to our work at Macapa on the northern bank of the Amazon.

"There I spent some time in the jungle country where we are locating a railroad which we are now designing to bring out manganese ore from a newly discovered mine.

"The Church has missionaries for the length of the Amazon and, fortunately, I came upon them on land and on water. These missionaries are from all over the world, and it gives a fellow a great feeling of warmth to meet them, and to learn something of their work.

"I just wrote Ruth Castellini that a Mass is being said for Bill here on the First Friday of February."

To Dan, many thanks for a fast-paced letter on his travels among our southern neighbors.

'22 has its own member of the missionaries, and we will indulge our editorial license to brag about him here. Father Hilary Paszek, C.S.C., is returned from France and is now a member of the Holy Cross Mission Band. He went to France in 1929 as Novicemaster in LeMans, from there to Czartorysk, Poland where he was arrested in 1939 by the Russian Army.

Father Paszek finally was permitted to return to France. That was in January, 1940, and he escaped through Spain when Germany occupied the remainder of France. He was last previously in South Bend in 1949.

Starting the '22 column with a salute to one South Bender, we didn't intend that this become a salute with full battery. However, your secretary pulls the lanyard for Walt Shiltz and "Rangy" Miles.

Walt has been named president of the Catholic Charities of South Bend and "Rangy" just wound up South Bend's campaign for the March of Dimes.

"Rangy" has a personal stake in the Polio

defense fund. His son Jack, '47, was stricken with polio Sept. 10, 1949 while covering a polio epidemic in Benton Harbor, Michigan, as a reporter's assignment for the South Bend Tribune. The Class of '22 salutes the father of a courageous Notre Dame alumnus.

We have just received the very sad news of the death of Malachi Gooley, in Syracuse, New York. God rest his soul. We tender our sympathy and prayers to his widow and family.

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John P. Hurley
1218 City Park Ave.,
Toledo, Ohio

George C. Laughlin, superintendent of Commonwealth Edison's structural and mechanical division is currently president of the Illinois Engineering Council.

His twin sons are both attending the University, sophomores in the Commerce school. Michael R. and John F. are the prospective members of the class of 1954.

Prayers of classmates are asked for the repose of the soul of Charles Stanhope. He died suddenly in Chicago of a heart attack suffered at home. For 20 years he had been a Bowes Seal-Fast distributor in that city.

Your class secretary extends the sympathy of his classmates to Gladys, his widow.

1926

John J. Ryan,
2434 Greenleaf Ave.,
Chicago 45, Ill.

Joe Bach is back at the same job he had in 1935 and 1936.

He is head coach of the Pittsburgh Steelers football team, succeeding John Michelosen. Joe coached the Pittsburgh team when they were known as the Pirates.

In his 26th year in the business, Joe left St. Bonaventure College to take over in Pittsburgh. Since graduation Joe has been around:

Syracuse, line coach, to 1928; Duquesne, assistant coach, to 1931; Duquesne, head coach, 1934; Niagara, head coach, to 1941; Fort Knox (Army) head coach, to 1942; Detroit Lions, line coach, to 1947; Boston Yanks, line coach to 1948; New York Bulldogs, 1949; St. Bonaventure, head coach to 1951.

Your secretary wishes to express the sympathy of the class to Mrs. Alice Turner on the death of her brother, Herbert Burt. Herb died in Chicago Jan. 18, of a heart attack. Herb was a lieutenant-commander in the Navy during World War II and saw Pacific service. Please remember him in your prayers.

Ken Cook has left the directorship of Catholic

Relations for the Boy Scouts of America to become public relations director at St. Louis University.

The Catholic News of New York City gave Ken an editorial sendoff:

"Ken Cook has always reflected his Catholic principles in his conduct; they have given him a serenity amid problems which impressed all with whom he worked. The national officials of the Boy Scouts yield him to St. Louis very reluctantly; their farewell to him is an experience he will have reason to treasure always.

"The 500,000 Catholic Scouts in the United States today attest the effectiveness of his labors, which he made an apostolic vocation. While regretting his departure from the field of scouting and from this area, we are happy in the knowledge that he is still engaged in Catholic work. Our best wishes go to St. Louis with him and his family."

**'27 25 YEAR
REUNION
JUNE 6-7-8**

Frank Moran
633 East Monroe Street,
South Bend, Ind.

Only three months more! Under the able leadership of President "Mike" Swygert and Reunion Chairman Herb Jones the plans for the big event are going quietly but steadily forward. Herb will probably send out a news-letter in early March, outlining the arrangements completed up to date.

Meanwhile, preliminary mention may be made here of some of the activity locally. At a very pleasant meeting in Herb's rathskeller, territories were mapped and names suggested for district chairmen to mobilize classmates in various areas of concentration, whip up enthusiasm for the reunion, and perhaps work out travel arrangements where that will be feasible. By this time these chairmen are already in action, supplied with the names and addresses of the '27 men in their respective sections. Obviously, however, some members may be missed, especially where classmates are spread thinly.

At this same meeting Ted Berkery's proposal for a class gift to the school was considered. Mike Swygert and Herb Jones arranged to have lunch with several of our active '27 men in Chicago to talk over the project. As a result, Eddie McLaughlin agreed to serve as chairman on this difficult job, with Bill Corbett as vice-chairman and Tom Nash as treasurer.

Since you will undoubtedly hear from this Silver Reunion Gift committee shortly, I won't



Bill Allen (left), a chemical engineering senior of 5400 W. 69th, Mission, Kansas, in a Placement interview with Thomas Van Aarle, '21, and Ben Franklin of Standard Oil (Ind.)



New Club officers, for a new Club — Muskegon, Mich. — L to R, Leo L. Link, '43, Secretary; George Cannon, Jr., '36, Vice-president; John Frederick, '28, Muskegon Foundation Chairman; Jim Price, '43, Treasurer, and George Ludwig, '25, President.

try to anticipate except to say that this project is being carried on somewhat independently of the reunion gathering proper, since some who for one reason or another will not be able to show up here in June will nevertheless be eager to contribute to the jubilee fund.

Some have inquired about the program for the reunion week-end activities and have sent in suggestions. The program has not yet been worked out in detail, but there is an established general pattern which will include, after registration, the class get-together and dinner or buffet lunch on Friday evening in the Morris Inn (we'll be the first reunion class to benefit by these facilities), the memorial Mass on Saturday morning for the deceased members of the class, the President's luncheon Saturday noon, and the general Alumni banquet Saturday evening. Any other special class activities will have to be forced into this rather tight frame.

Col. Don Wilkins has noted that our very popular classmate Hugh McCaffery, killed four days after Pearl Harbor, en route to the Pacific, was probably the first Notre Dame casualty in World War II. Don's recommendations: "That an appropriate memorial to Lt. Col. Hugh McCaffery be presented to the University by the Class of '27 and dedicated as part of the 25th Class Reunion. This memorial could take the form of a religious article needed for the church or chapel." Don suggests that a special committee might be appointed to contact class members on behalf of this memorial. Herb Jones would, I'm sure, welcome any further suggestions to implement this fine proposal.

From Ray Kelley has come the following announcement by way of the Alumni Office:

"Raymond J. Kelley, '27, an attorney and justice of the peace in Grafton Township, McHenry County, has announced his candidacy for representative in the state legislature in Illinois from the Eighth Senatorial District: McHenry, Lake, and Boone counties. Mr. Kelley, a Democrat, has practiced law in Huntley, Illinois, his home town, for the past six years. Previously he served his community as postmaster for sixteen years. Primary: April 8, 1952."

Frank Pendergast, still highly enthusiastic over the presence of little Susan Jane in the household, writes that he's not sure that he can make the reunion, but is still hoping. I notice that on Frank's questionnaire there's a mention of a couple of books he would like to get published. If there's an enterprising publisher in the crowd, here's an opportunity for mutual advantage.

Vincente Gomez of Vera Cruz, Mexico, reports a family of one girl and two boys. He also sends on the addresses of Raul Flores and Fernando Trevino, for which we are grateful. Vincente is assistant chief of the consumers' department with the Mexican Light and Power Co.

Vince Ball, whose son Eddie is a senior at ND, plans to be back both for his son's graduation and for our twenty-fifth. Vince owns and operates

a Men's Clothing Store in Plymouth, Indiana.

Clayte Leroux, Assistant Personnel Director for the Monarch Aluminum Mfg. Co., Cleveland, characterizes his three young offspring, two girls and a boy, as respectively and prospectively a debutante, an artist, and a "pistol." Clayte has been very active in local alumni affairs and is now the chairman of the Scholarship, Placement, and Directory Committees. He sees Joe Sweeney, still "fat and sassy," occasionally John Ohnemus, Ed Orlikowski (in the abstract business), John Butler, and Stan Lechowick, father of a numerous family (9).

Bill Coyne is puzzled at the make-up of our roster, wonder why the names of George Sesona, Gene Halligan, Tony Roxas, 'Dog' White, Mike O'Keefe, Bucky Dahmen, and Christy Flanagan don't appear. I'm not sure about all of these, but some of them have evidently preferred to be listed with the class in which they finished rather than with their starting class.

Bill Kavanaugh, former student manager, now Washington, D. C., manager of the American Cyanamid Co. and father of four boys, promises to be on hand in June and to talk things up in his territory. George Walsh, another Washingtonian, is non-committal about the reunion. George was in the Navy during the War and earned a Presidential Unit Citation and four battle stars. Walt McKenna, active as an administrative assistant in the Detroit Area Council of the Boy Scouts and with three daughters, might do well to keep in touch with Bill Kavanaugh.

Arnold Peterschmidt is one of the several academic members of the class. Arnold is serving as both teacher and controller at present in the University of Portland. He has a nicely proportioned family of four children, alternately boy and girl, the eldest, Ted, a freshman at the University of Portland.

John Carey of Toledo reports a very full public life. John has been successively a member of the Ohio House of Representatives, vice-mayor and mayor of Toledo, and is now judge of the Court of Common Pleas and president of the Common Pleas Judges Association of Ohio. John has one son, born last March. Another judge, Malcolm Hatfield, of St. Joseph, Michigan, is completing his fifth term as judge of the Michigan Probate Court, twenty years in all. Besides doing much lecturing throughout this country and Canada, Malcolm has authored two books.

Jim Coogan sends a brief account of his career since graduation, first in the export field, both traffic and sales, then as Assistant Export Sales Manager for the Carter's Ink Company, Cambridge, Mass. In 1937 he set up a dry cleaning plant in Fall River, with branch stores in neighboring cities. Two years after Jim returned to civilian life he sold his business and moved to California in semi-retirement, from which he emerged in 1949 to enter the Naval Ordnance Test Station in Inyokern, California. Jim is married, has no children; does not expect to be

able to make the reunion but promises to be thinking of the gang.

Bill Coogan of Fall River, Mass., has a son at ND and a daughter married and living in South Bend. Bill has two grandchildren, but this will not prevent his attending the reunion; they are probably part of his reason for coming west. Bill lost a son, a Naval Pilot, in 1944.

Along with his questionnaire, Jim Brown, of Springfield, Massachusetts, sends in some news and a suggestion:

"Only a short time ago I saw a very good bound book issued by the alumni of Princeton College for their ten year class reunion. This same procedure is carried out at the end of every ten years and a larger volume is published for the silver anniversary. All of the class members who have responded to the questionnaire sent them are listed in this book with their address and the position they now hold.

"If our class could afford to print a similar book I believe that it is one of the few ways of knowing where our former classmates are and what they are doing. It is a good feeling to be in any of the cities in the United States and know that you can call a fellow Notre Dame man. It is one of the definite advantages of graduating from a nationally known school. Spiritually, we have received the greatest wealth and materially we have realized the friends who can help us advance.

"I see Bernice Garber, class of 1928, quite often. He lives only a few miles from me in Katonah. James J. O'Connor, '27, is located in the Appraisers Stores in New York.

"Sunday I attended the Annual Breakfast of the Notre Dame Club of New York City at the Biltmore Hotel and of course I saw many of our mutual friends who are also planning to attend our Silver Anniversary in June."

Bill Hearn also took advantage of the blank side of the questionnaire to write a letter and so make life easier for the class secretary. Bill writes:

"Dear Frank:

Writing to you about the reunion in June certainly brings back memories of the days when we were freshmen and I first made your acquaintance along with Cap Welch and Sam Prizzi—the Avon Trio. I certainly enjoyed the trip back in '47, after nineteen years of absence, and I am looking forward to the one in June.

"Last week I had a note from Dan Cunningham asking me to help in rounding up the boys from this area—and to his surprise I am going to do what I can in that matter. I correspond with John Brinkman regularly and he will be down I'm sure. Had a note on a Christmas Card from John Foley up in Rutland, Vermont, and he hopes to make the trip. My ex-roommate, John E. Sullivan, gave me the same news on his card, too.

"As for myself, the going has been pretty much as that experienced by others. There have been ups and downs since 1927 but all in all I can't complain. Last summer I finished up six years with the Veterans' Administration in the New York Regional Office, where I was Asst. Chief of the Advise and Guidance Section, but as that program drew to a close I have embarked upon a program that is as unruffled with that field as one could choose.

"I am now busy getting a place in shape to open an Auction Barn where I hope to develop the country type of auction that has come into such favor around here since the war. I must tell you that I have been a devotee of this line for the past twelve years, so it's really a case of trying to swing the avocational into the vocational. Aside from having my own business (?) one of the strong considerations was how to avoid commuting to New York.

"As you can see I have not become expert with the typewriter but let me assure you that it is better for you to bear with it than to have a bout with my writing. If there is anything you believe I can do to help out besides working with Dan please let me know. If there is a per capita expense fund for the reunion let me know and I shall remit."

The shortest and most 'spirituous' suggestion so far for a successful reunion is that by Walter (Red) Smith: "Scotch!"

There is finally a letter from Dan Cunningham, our active mobilizer of the Metropolitan area and best correspondent. At the risk of duplicating some of the news in this and the preceding '27 column I give Dan's whole newsy epistle:

"I have been in touch with quite a few of the

1927 gang here in the metropolitan area, since Mike Swygert asked me to round up the members of the class in the metropolitan New York area.

"We are planning a get-together dinner in the near future, so that we can arrange to travel together on our way back for the reunion in June. In the meantime, here is some news for the column.

"Jack Hick is District Manager here in New York for Hotpoint. Jack and I have a date for lunch today, so that we can discuss plans for our get-together here in New York before the reunion. John Petrone is practicing medicine in Suffern, New York. John's answer to my letter says we can definitely count him in on the reunion.

"Ed Broderick is practicing law in Morristown, New Jersey. While Ed did not say so in his letter to me, I have heard that he is THE Democratic Party right smack in the middle of a Republican stronghold.



Chicago Again: Luke Tiernan, new president, Moose Krause, Jim Gallagher and Al Stepan.

"Joe Nulty is with the Union County Probation Service in Elizabeth, New Jersey. Joe says he will make the reunion and will travel any way except by air. He adds that "coming from the city of Elizabeth" he wants no part of that.

Bill Degnan is with the Kellogg Company who build oil refineries and cracking plants, among other things. He is busy designing equipment for the plants. Bill also reports on Frank Masterson and "Pat" Reilly.

"Frank is in the freight business here in New York and "Pat" is in Trenton, New Jersey, with the New Jersey Public Service. Bob Shields is still in the automobile finance business. I had a long phone conversation with Bob and found that he confines his activities to the East these days, which is the reason that some of the fellows scattered around the country no longer see him.

"Ted Berkery is a Vice-President of the Immigrant Industrial Savings Bank here in New York. Ted will be back for the reunion. Chuck Beretz called yesterday to tell me that he and Paul were both planning on making the reunion. Chuck is now selling Cadillac automobiles in Westchester County, while Paul is in business here in New York.

"Jerry Froelich is now with Wright Aeronautical Corp. doing employee relations work. I talked to Jerry over the weekend and he tells me he is working hard and very happy. He doesn't know yet whether or not he can make the reunion, but will try.

"Bill Hearn is definitely in. Bill has a new business. As you may have known, Bill has been with the Veterans Administration since getting out of the Army until very recently. He is now an auctioneer and appraiser, but don't ask me of what. I expect to find that out in the very near future, however. Bill's home and business are located out in Roslyn Heights, Long Island. He offered to take on the job of rounding up the Long Islanders in order to find out how many would be coming to the reunion. Needless to say, I have accepted his offer.

"This is all I have to report on at the moment. Things are looking up and I should have more news for you in time for another issue of the ALUMNUS.

"Best wishes and hoping to see you in June.

"Sincerely, Dan"

Notice has reached us through the Alumni

Office of the death in December of Clarence Versteegen of Marinette, Wisconsin.

New Addresses:
Herbert J. Braun, 216 Evanslawn Ave., Aurora, Illinois.

Edward F. McKenna, 524 N. Douglas, Kingman, Kansas.

Francis Olseh, P.O. Box 763, Saratoga, California.

William O. Brandenburg, 215 Seebirt Place, South Bend, Indiana.

Thomas F. Farley, Jr., 254 Fluvanna Ave., Jamestown, N. Y.

Lawrence G. Groden, 385 South Main St., Geneva, N. Y.

Frank J. Hagenbarth, Jr., 725 W. 20th, Spokane 41, Washington.

J. Ray Hunt, 1801 Townsend Dr., E., South Bend, Indiana.

Joseph W. Maxwell, 412 Sylvania Ave., Glenside, Pennsylvania.

Thomas D. McMahon, 2528 S.W. Ravensview Rd., Portland, Oregon.

Champ C. Vaughan, 2912 S.E. 76th Avenue, Portland, Oregon.

Frank T. Andrews, 2496 Derbyshire, Cleveland Heights, Ohio.

Charles N. Kaiser, 14236 Detroit Ave., Lakewood, Ohio.

Paul Frantz, 5541 White Oak Ave., Encino, California.

Raul Flores, C. deAloyac 46, Mexico 5, Mexico. D. F.

Fernando Trevino, Rio Lerma 232, Miraville, Monterrey, N. L. Mexico.

Jose A. Toriello, 20 deNoviembre 18, Irapuato, Gto Mexico.

Lawrence W. Englert, 27 S. Columbia, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

1928

Leo R. McIntyre, Secretary
3004 Turner St.
Allentown, Pa.

From high in his beloved Tennessee hills comes a most welcome and informative letter from genial J. Thomas Traugher, Attorney-at-Law, scion of an old Democratic family which antedates Tennessee's most famous son, Andrew "Old Hickory" Jackson.

Since graduation, I've encountered Tom more often, I believe, than any other fellow twenty-Eighter. I've met him in Milwaukee at a Young Democratic National Convention, in Indianapolis at a similar Democratic shindig, in Chicago, in South Bend and on the Notre Dame campus. It's always a pleasure to greet him and to get his political views. It was he, for example, who first told me that Estes Kefauver would beat the "Boss" Crump forces in Tennessee and become an outstanding United States Senator, which he most certainly has. It was he, more-

over, all the polls to the contrary notwithstanding, who assured me that President Harry S. Truman would be returned to the White House for a full term.

Tom is not only an able political prognosticator; he is able to corral votes in his own behalf in the benighted "Bible Belt." He has just been elected State's Attorney for an eight-year term. This is no mean accomplishment for a full-fledged Notre Dame man and is tantamount, I believe, to a Mason being elected grand knight of a Knights of Columbus Council in Boston.

But let's hear from Tom in his inimitable manner:

"Congratulations on your election as Class secretary. I can think of no one in the class who could possibly fill the shoes of Louis Buckley more capably. Situated as I am, about the halfway mark between Chicago and Miami and Chicago and New Orleans, I have from time to time met several old-timers in their wanderings here in the Mid-South, sometimes referred to as the 'Bible Belt,' and I must say that Tennessee is not the 'long and narrow' state it was years ago.

"I see John Buschmeyer occasionally. He has been highly successful as Superintendent of the Louisville Hospital since 1934, and has three beautiful and accomplished children. If you happen to be a dog fancier and attend any of the National Dog Shows, you more than likely have seen John or his lovely wife, Helen Cathrine, acting as judges. They have been raising English bulldogs for years and are officials in the National Association. Charlie Buschmeyer of the class of '29 is in the Department of Education in the city of Louisville and has been working on his Ph.D. at the University of Indiana.

"I was with Bob Hughes in Cincinnati last September between trains. I saw him for an eventful evening in London during the war in '43. He is the father of three daughters and is in stocks and bonds in Cincinnati. John Burchide of the class of '28 married a girl whose home is in an adjoining county to mine. I see him occasionally. He has been with a steel company in Birmingham, Alabama, for many years and has two children.

"I have been chairman of the operating committee of the local USO for the past two years and through that committee I met Fod Cotton, '21, who was here as Field Representative for the National Catholic Welfare Council.

"Father Sampson of the class of '40, the Paratroop Padre, was stationed at Fort Campbell for about a year and a half. He then went to Korea and dropped with the 187th Parachute Regiment last September. He was wounded in action, but not seriously from the latest reports.

"John Harwood of the class of '27 lives in Nashville. He is one of the leading architects of the Mid-South. He won an outstanding award in competition for the best design of a



"For outstanding loyalty"—a special plaque for James J. Cooney, '93, from his fellow alumni of the Toledo Club. The presentation was made by a special committee; L to R: Chuck Comes, Geo. Korhumel, Mr. Cooney, Harry Hoffman, Jim Murtagh and Dick Tillman.

public building a few years ago in Nashville. He is married and has two children.

"I was so sorry to hear of the death of classmate Bill Murphy's mother. She, Bill and his sister, Helen, spent one evening with me last summer while on a trip through the South. Theodore Dehogue (Frenchie) of the class of '27 comes to Clarksville occasionally to visit his daughter, Patsy, whose husband is stationed at Fort Campbell. Frenchie was with the city of Memphis as electrical engineer for several years, and now represents DePrue Lighting, Incorporated, with offices in the Builders' Exchange in Memphis.

"John H. Gaughan, '28, married a local girl several years before the war. At that time he was an engineer with the TVA, stationed in East Tennessee. I haven't seen him in these past several years. (Gaughan, of Clarksburg, W. Va. Gaughan was one of my freshman hall roommates. He's a grand guy!—L.R.M.)

"I had a telephone call late one night about two years ago from Wid Lawler. I had not heard from him in years. He has been with an oil company for the past fifteen years and lives near Philadelphia.

"I hear from John Carlin about once or twice a year. He and John Buschmeyer called me from Salina, Kansas, one night last summer. John had been on a trip West with his family and had stopped for an old-fashioned session with Carlin. Carlin came down this way several years ago as a public accountant with a firm in Kansas City. At the present time he is in the gas business in Central, Kansas, with headquarters in Salina.

"I saw Joe Nash one morning late last winter. He and his family were returning to Chicago from Florida. I could not prevail on them to stay for a visit. He promised to stay for a longer time on his next trip. I ran into Tom Hart, '28, at the airport in Minneapolis a couple of years ago. He is just as rotund as ever.

"We had only a few minutes together so he did not have a chance to break into song. He has been very successful in the insurance business and has been with the same company since leaving school. We went to Mass with Vince Walsh, '28, and his wife Sunday morning after the Southern California game in 1949. We met at the hotel in Kokomo Sunday morning. Vince is the tycoon of banking and farming in and around Monticello, Illinois.

"Bill Sherman, '30, operates a radio station in Knoxville, Tennessee and is quite successful from what I hear.

"I spent four years in the Army and returned here in 1946, and have been practicing law since that time. For several years I served as chairman of the Election Commission, and last August I was elected State's Attorney for an eight-year term. I am married and have a five-year-old boy.

"I get tired of returning to football games at Notre Dame, seeing thousands of people there and not one familiar face. So I pass this suggestion along to you for what it is worth. I suggest that at each game the class of '28 meet at 11 o'clock at some building, for example the old Law School Building, now I believe, the School of Architecture.

"It might be possible to have some chairs there if the local Alumni would be so kind as to make the arrangements. It would make our stay for any football game much more pleasant, besides offering a place to rest for the leg weary.

"I think we can work out some point of meeting, and all we would have to know is where it is located. It would be a much greater pleasure to attend the game knowing that you would meet some of your old friends. I would like to have an expression of your opinion on this idea. I would like to repeat that I am tired of going to ball games with thousands of strangers." (An excellent suggestion, Tom. That chair idea is dandy. Whaddya say, classmates?)

Our famous Flanagans, Christie, the All-American left halfback, one of the late and lamented Knute Rockne's greatest off-tackle speedsters, of Port Arthur, Texas, and Frank M. "Mickey," classy diamond star, of Pittston, Pa., both contributed interesting letters, written a day apart.

Cheerful, smiling Christie from far-off Texas writes: "Leo, I'm the father of four children, all living. My two girls, 20 and 19, are now attending St. Mary's. (Good for you, Christie! How time flies! It doesn't seem so long ago that I saw you tearing Army's, Northwestern's and Southern California's stalwart lines to shreds with your terrific off-tackle slashes.) The boys, 13 and 11, are home with us going to school.



Paul Bartholomew's annual between-semester trip to Washington, D. C. His group of St. Mary's and Notre Dame students were guests of Walter Trohan, '26, lower right corner.

"I'm in the shipping business, as this is the world's largest oil port and I do all the stevedoring for the Gulf Oil Corp. Being a native Texan, I could ramble at will for hours without embarrassment, but will be seeing you in June at reunion and my best to you and yours for the coming year." Christie's address is 4305 Forest Drive, Port Arthur, Texas.

Serene, laconic Frank types: "I don't have much that's news as it's so long since I saw any member of the Class of '28 that I've forgotten where and when. I have been practicing law here in Luzerne County (Home county of Pennsylvania's Governor, John S. Fine) since 1933. I had planned on going back for our reunion in 1948 but my mother died at just that time and my plans necessarily had to be changed. I expect to get back in 1953, God willing." Frank's address is Miners Bank Bldg., Pittston, Pa.

In a witty missive our dynamic former vice-president, Howard Vincent Phalin, of 718 Sheridan Road, Wilmette, Ill., chides your secretary for devoting "so much space in the '28 column to loquacious Democratic lawyers at the expense of the solid, substantial Republican businessmen in the Class." He points out that our Class fund could be trebled overnight if I were to charge the regular advertising rates for the notices I have been giving in the column to the myriad Democratic attorneys at law. He computes the amount of free advertising given to our valiant barristers of the Jeffersonian persuasion in the '28 column in the most recent issue to be in excess of \$1,000. (Treasurer Garber please note!)

In his new and advanced post as Eastern sales manager of World Books, Inc., Howie seems to have more time to write and I hereby appoint him official correspondent for "the solid, substantial Republican businessmen in the Class." (God bless them! Somebody must pay the taxes!) Needless to add, your secretary, like Thomas Jefferson, believes in "equal and exact justice to all men of whatever persuasion, religious or political." The quote is Jefferson's. We will adhere strictly to Jefferson's quotation in allotting space in the '28 column. (If the news continues to come in such an abundance, Jim Armstrong will be compelled either to call another Class election or impose rationing of space among the Class secretaries)

Our able treasurer, Bern Garber, in a friendly and cheerful communication, despite the fact that he is confined to his home for several days "with some intestinal bug or other," urges all loyal Twenty-Eighters to come to the aid of their Class treasury. He points out that our twenty-fifth reunion is just one year away. He informs me that Father Andy Mulreany, C.S.C., former business manager of the Glee Club, has offered to say gratis six masses a year for '28 men. "Very kind of him," adds Bern. (So say we all).

"It is good to know that you have forwarded to Managing Editor John Burns the Class news notes," continues Garber. "I've been looked upon askance by some of our dear classmates

because of the non-appearance of the notes they sent. My congratulations to you—but even more to your wife—on your great family. If it isn't the biggest in the Class of '28 it must share the honor with very few others. (Let's hear from the others. What do you say, men?) When are you going to run for Congress? And when has there been a Catholic Governor in Pennsylvania? Come on Leo, don't let '28 down!"

(Garber, a native of Butler, Pa., knows full well that a Jeffersonian has about as much chance of becoming Governor of Republican Pennsylvania as Joe Stalin has of becoming president of the A. O. H., the Ancient Order of Hibernians)

Mrs. Blanche McKeown, wife of Edward P., one of the Democratic lawyers his good friend Howie Phalin was alluding to, writes: "Ed has recovered wonderfully from his long siege in bed. He keeps very busy as one of his law partners died last spring—Leo Hassenauer. Mary is in second year in high school now. Edward is in the eighth grade and is an altar boy and Ruth Anne is in first grade now."

The late amiable and admirable Dr. John M. Cooney's '28 journalists, with the exception of Bern Garber and Christie Flanagan, have not contributed to our Class news column in a long time. John A. "Jack" Mullen, editor of the Notre Dame Scholastic, has not been heard from in years.

The same is true of George A. Scheuer, one of Garber's most able and faithful assistants, when he was president of the Press Club; Bob Capesius, author of the "Strikes and Spares" column in the defunct South Bend News-Times; Ed McCormack, super ND blanket salesman; Dick Elpers, leading campus poet; Dick Parrish, my able assistant as news editor of the Scholastic; (I received the credit for Dick's outstanding work); George H. Kelley, an indefatigable worker; William W. "Turk" Kelly, active in Press Club activities; Walter H. Layne, editor of the Notre Dame Juggler and president of the Scribblers; Dave Gibson, Garber's old side-kick and Dick Green, whose illness prevented him from completing his college work.

Scheuer, Parrish, Geo. Kelley and Green are still engaged in newspaper work. Scheuer is on the editorial staff of the South Bend Tribune. Parrish, on a year's leave of absence, is one of the top men on the Fairmount, W. Va., daily; Kelley is managing editor of the Youngstown, O., Vindicator and Green is with the Muncie, Ind., daily, I believe.

I am relying on Journalists Mullen, Scheuer, Capesius, McCormack, Elpers, Parrish, George Kelley, "Turk" Kelly, Layne, Gibson and Green to supply news for our next column, which will appear in the May-June issue of the ALUMNUS.

The deadline approximately will be April 15. (Is that correct, John?) Let's make this a concerted and worthwhile contribution, a memorial column for our beloved "Prof." Dr. Cooney. Requiescat in Pace. He was a great and good friend of many Twenty-Eighters and I am going to recommend to President Buckley his post-

humorous election as an honorary member of our Class to share in masses for deceased members, et cetera.

I shall make the same recommendation for another fine faculty friend, the late Rev. James H. Gallagan, C.S.C., our Sorin Hall rector and professor of Politics, who was selected by vote of the Class to say the mass for our deceased members at our twentieth-year reunion. R.I.P.

From Lee, Mass., Frank J. Kelly, in a quandary states that he doesn't know whether to extend congratulations or condolences to me upon my election as Class secretary. (Condolences, of course, Frank!) Wishing me the best of luck in the new job, he continues:

"If you're looking for class news you'll get precious little out of me. Very frankly, my ND connections have dropped to about zero. There are no men around who were contemporaries in school and likewise there is no organized alumni group in the vicinity.

"This, plus the fact that there's no game in New York (which used to afford something of an annual Eastern Reunion) leaves me 'way, 'way out in right field.

"Was not aware of your family. Congratulations and good luck! We have been very fortunate on the health and accident side of the ledger, for which we are thankful. Our seven children go as follows:

Ann, 13
Sheila, 12
Zita, 11
Marcia, 10
Bill, 8
Kevin, 6
Shaun, 4

"All in school but Shaun. How do yours run? If John Leitzinger, Maury Conley, you and I should ever have a family get-together we would need extra accommodations.

"On the personal side the letterhead indicates what I do during working hours. Family business: furniture, floor coverings, funeral director—page Bob Kirby—and ambulance service; been here as a family business 80 years this spring.

"For hobby interests my specialty is guns. Have a fair-sized collection of antique firearms and also do quite a bit of shooting with both modern and old-fashioned muzzleloaders.

"Naturally this gets me around to a considerable extent and into a number of clubs and organizations and the funny part of it is of all the fellows I've met there has not been one ND contact. Must be they're not a shooting crowd."

I was pleased to read in the January-February issue of the ALUMNUS that fifteen members of our Class are serving the ND Foundation either as City Chairmen or State Governors or both as follows:

Herbert P. McCabe, Asbury Park, N. J.; Charles P. Lytle, Blair, Centre, Huntingdon and Bedford, Pa., Counties; James W. Cullen, Bradford, Pa., County; Bernard J. Bird, City of Buffalo and Co-Governor of New York; John C. Fontana, Columbus, O.; Thomas Collins, Fall River, Mass.; James T. "Jack" Canizaro, Jackson, Miss.; August M. Grams, LaCrosse, Wis.; Kirwin J. "Tex" Williams, Little Rock, Ark.; Edward J. Dean, Monessen, Pa.; John F. Fredrick, Muskegon, Mich.; Christie Flanagan, Port Arthur, Tex.; Edward J. McGauley, Worcester, Mass., and Judge John T. Cullinan, Governor of Connecticut.

Please keep sending in those news items. Let's follow the good example of lads like Bern Garber, Tom Traugher, the Flanagans, Christie and Frank, Howie Phalin, Frank Kelly, et alii. Remember, too, just a year from now we'll be completing our arrangements to attend our 25th year reunion at old Notre Dame. We are counting on you and you and you to rally with us at ND in 1953!

Congratulations are in order from all of our other classmates to Quentin J. Wildeman, Ph.B., formerly of Barnesboro and now a prominent resident of Indiana, Pennsylvania. His son, Joseph R., is the first of all Class of '28 progeny to be graduated from our Alma Mater, ND.

The younger Wildeman was graduated from his Dad's school in August, 1951, just a little more than twenty-three years after his father turned the trick.

This interesting information is contained in a letter received on the eve of St. Valentine's Day, on the threshold of Managing Editor John Burns'

Feb. 15th deadline, from our President, Louie Buckley, who writes:

"Congratulations on the excellent column. Keep up the good work. I trust you will meet the Feb. 15th deadline. (We did with John Burns' able assistance) Also my congratulations on the new daughter (Patricia). Jane M. Pilarski, Bill Dooley's very efficient secretary, advised in response to my question in the ALUMNUS that J. Q. (our Quentin J.) Wildeman, '28, 666 S. 6th Street, Indiana, Pa., (send him congratulations, now, won't you lads?) is the first member from our class to have a son graduated at ND. Joseph R. graduated in August. Regards, Louie B."

"Congratulations on our Class notes in the present issue of the ALUMNUS," writes Joseph Sullivan Morrissey, our Class' able representative on the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association.

Joe carries on his duties as a director in the fine tradition built up in the past decade, first by Louie Buckley, our President, and subsequently by Bill Jones, Louie's long-time friend and confidant, who retired from the Alumni Association's directorate at the end of 1951.

"On a recent trip to attend a meeting of the Board of Directors at Notre Dame," continues Joe, "I called Bob Kirby (our great head cheerleader during our undergraduate days and one of my Freshman Hall roommates, a grand and popular lad) but he wasn't home. His (one of the twins) daughter and I had quite an enjoyable chat. The biggest news in the Kirby menage is bouncing Michael Patrick, age 2½. His daughter told me that 'her Daddy hasn't slowed down any'."

"I have caught up with Frank Donovan," writes Joe. "We have two sons each at ND now." (Congratulations to you, both, Frank and Joe! Old Notre Dame will win over all while her loyal sons continue to send their loyal sons back to her hallowed halls!)

Joe has been appointed chairman of the committee of the Alumni Association's directorate which is arranging for the get-together of the Club President's Council at Notre Dame in June.



Navy Comdr. Henry T. Glennon and his family. Rev. Charles L. Doremus, C.S.C., supplied the snapshot.

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Larry Stauder, Acting Secretary
Engineering Building
Notre Dame, Indiana

Your Acting Secretary Larry Stauder (see above for address where you '29ers can send your letters and news, notes, etc.) mailed inquiry cards to several '29ers in Pennsylvania, Maryland and Ohio, assuming that football games in Pittsburgh, Baltimore and Chapel Hill would bring numerous classmates together and furnish some newsworthy class items.

Ohio came through with three fine letters. Joseph H. Kraker is now sales manager of the Orr-Thomas Oil, Inc., the Atlantic Refining distributor in Summit, Portage and Medina Counties and also operates in Cleveland and Warren, Ohio.

Joe has, since graduation been associated with First Central Trust Co., also with his father the late John Kraker in operating Kraker's Old Heidelberg Restaurant and then with Frank Kraker, Inc., in the real estate business.

Quoting from Joe:

"My family consists of three sons and two daughters ranging in age from four to 18. My eldest son John, 18, is in his fifth year at St.

Charles College, Baltimore, which is a preparatory seminary; and my second son, Joe, Jr., 13, is planning on enrolling there this year.

"Betty Jo, 16, is a junior at St. Vincent's High School and Mary, 8, is in her third year at St. Sebastian's. Jerry, 4, is still at home with his mother.

"I see Claude Horning quite often and of course he is successful in the lumber business. Joe Wozniak is practicing law and as you know is with Firestone here in Akron and has a very nice family.

"While visiting in New York recently I saw Pete Bee and he is now Dean of Men at New York State Institute of Applied Arts & Sciences. He is married but has no children.

"If from time to time I hear of anything that might be of interest to you and the '29 Class I will send it along."

Sincerely, Joe Kraker

Fellow Akronite Joe Wozniak writes:

"To hear from you, Larry, was like a bolt of lightning from above, but it was a grand feeling to know the organization is still active and checking on the gang of the Class of '29.

"Well, here it goes.

"I've been married since 1933 and have two boys, Thomas John Wozniak, 17, a senior at St. Vincent High School and Joseph John Wozniak, 15, a sophomore at the same high school.

"Since graduation I have been engaged in the active practice of law. Just recently defended a minor accused of a first degree crime and the jury recommended mercy.

"My hobbies consist of golfing, and of following the destinies of the Notre Dame football team.

"God willing, my oldest boy will be a student on the campus before many more months.

"The Notre Dame Club here has established a scholarship and some of the recipients are now attending the University.

"Send regards to the Barberton and Akron boys doing so nicely at Notre Dame, and from us around here who are watching the wonderful work they are doing. The local news angle has me stopped, with the exception of the fact that we lost Paul Bertch last summer in a tragic accident."

(Until Joe Wozniak's letter your secretary had not been aware of the death of Paul Bertch; our last information concerning Paul listed him as Vice-President and Sales Manager, Rohner Paper Co., Akron; his children as of 1949 were James Philip, 4, Barbara Ann, 7, Paul A., Jr., 10, and Louise Catherine, 12. In behalf of Paul's many friends at Notre Dame we express our sympathy to his children and to his wife, Barbara. We will remember him in our prayers.)

Orain Dausman, with Bell Telephone Co., Indianapolis visits South Bend periodically. He informs us that Gene Galdini is now in Indianapolis with Peerless Pump, a division of General Foods. Until recently Gene resided in Milwaukee.

At the St. Joe Valley Club's annual testimonial banquet to the football team we saw Dr. John Vaichulis, who had previously dropped a card from East Lansing:

"Received your inquiry about class news. You will have to give me a chance to get over this 35-0 nightmare. Yes, I still follow the team. Best wishes for Don Plunkett's health."

Pat O'Leary in Zanesville, Ohio, sent in the last letter to our requests:

"Decided that if I didn't jump on this pronto it would get buried, so here goes.

"Frankly, news of the Zanesville O'Learys is going to make very dry reading. My contacts with '29ers don't exist. Quite frequently I see Vince McIntyre here who was in the class of '30, I believe, and Ray Longstreth, circa '36 belongs to the same Study Club as I do and that, my friend, is the sum total of my contacts with ND men since last I saw you in June 1950.

"I had a call from son Jack from Cleveland on the occasion of the Navy game. He's a cadet at Annapolis, and seems to like it here. He lost one of his credits from Notre Dame and had to start in as a lowly plebe last year, but now that he's a Youngster, as the Third Class men are called, he says he has really risen in the world. He says the year at Notre Dame was of immeasurable help to him in bringing up his studies.

"On his summer training cruise he went to Edinburgh and Lisbon, aboard the USS Wisconsin.

From Edinburgh he took a side trip to London and the Scottish lake country.

"From Lisbon he went to Fatima on a trip arranged by their Catholic chaplain aboard the battlegwagon. Came back with some pretty nice color shots of the shrine.

"Son Jim is a junior in high school this year.

"Leona and I are continuing our parochial activities. We both belong to the study clubs, and were in on starting the Block Rosary in our neighborhood. I'm also engaged with the Laymen's Retreat League.

"And the development of the Retreat League is a story, too. Five years ago four men went to the Retreat House in Columbus. The next year two additional ones went. (I was one) We got busy the next year and increased to 12. Last year it was 18 and this year it was 30.

"The Retreat House accommodates 32 so we had a full house. We operate on the principle of each man signing up a new man each year. Then seeing that the new man goes to the first one. We figure from there he's in. I've got my man already lined up for next year. It's a drop in the bucket as far as the total of Zanesville men are concerned, but we've got them worrying in Columbus about next year. Kind of nice to be worried about an overflow crowd, splitting the group, etc.

"Larry, I've about run out of material. This has been anything but a chronicle of '29ers but on the other hand when you don't see 'em you can't write about 'em. Reviewing this letter I see I've left out two things.

"One concerns the Princess Susie, who is now in sixth grade and the other is that Steve Durbin called me from Columbus airport en route from the east to Kansas City. He's still with GE in air conditioning unless the intervening months have brought a change."

Pat O'Leary

"P.S.: I failed to mention it in the letter but I'm the District Traffic Supt. in charge of the Zanesville District, with Ohio Bell."

Joe Lauber continues in the sheet metal business in South Bend. He recently underwent surgery at the Mayo Clinic but is recovered.

From Secretary Don Plunkett who continues to teach part-time while recuperating, comes word that he hasn't seen many classmates since Fall when he ran into Tom (Mickey) McMahon of New Orleans who was on campus for the Purdue game. Don Shettig, says Sec. Plunkett was in from Iowa.

Jake Northcott, in the Electric Engineering Department sends this on E. C. DeBaene:

"DeBaene wrote a five page article appearing in the February issue of 'Electric Light and Power.' They introduced him this way:

"From confining currents to placating people to slipping sliderules is an unusual pilgrimage but DeBaene has made it in his 22 years with D-troit Edison. For the 15 years following graduation he did research in dielectric materials after which he spent five years in personnel administration work and is now senior engineer in the engineering department. In this case all roads lead to Rome, for seldom does an article appear in this office as clearly thought out as his that appears in this issue."

Father Joe Voorde, C.S.C., spent a month's vacation—his first time in the U. S. since 1937—with his parents at South Bend. Father Joe has been in Pakistan, covering his mission on foot and by bicycle. Calls his work there "very rewarding."

George N. Beamer, newly elected president of the South Bend Association of Commerce presided at the Studebaker Corporation's 100th Anniversary Dinner Feb. 16 in the University dining hall.

Closing the column this issue is a letter from Joe Jachym (Westfield Trade High School, Westfield, Mass.):

"The years have really slipped by since 1929. While reading the ALUMNUS I've often made an honest intention to write once a year. But since I've slipped up, I just don't know where to begin.

"After leaving ND I played Pro baseball at Wheeling, W. Va., Evansville, Ind., Beaumont, Texas, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Saranac Lake, N. Y., and wound up as batting practice pitcher with the Detroit Tigers in 1939.

All along the line I met ND grads, some of whom were Butch Niemiec, John Poliskey, Tex Riley, Joe Sheeketski, Leo Schroll, Jim Harris, John Igoo, Tom Carey, Tom Ferriter, Tom Shea,

Bill Hurley, John B. Sullivan, Tom Murphy, Bud Redgate and many others. Tim Toomey stopped and visited me here last summer.

"Very seldom did I miss the ND-Army game. And I hated to see this series discontinued because the weekend was old home week where I met so many of the 1929 class and others from the Eastern part of the states. Always made the basketball game at the Garden while George Keogan was coaching.

"Married Helen Schoenrock of Westville in 1937. On our wedding trip we saw the Yankees and Giants World Series of that year. So the past one brought back fond memories.

"We have four youngsters—John 9, Ann 7, Tom 6 and Jim 2. All of them keep Helen and me busy.

"I'm a member of the Knights of Columbus, Holy Name Society and of local teacher and coaching organizations.

"Since 1939 I have been in the local school system as teacher and coach at Westfield Trade High School. I teach Math, Physics, Hygienic, Safety and Gym. Also coach basketball and baseball. During the summer I'm a playground director and coach Junior American Legion baseball. And I nearly forgot—am also a part-time salesman for Sears-Roebuck.

"As for the room-mates at Notre Dame, I had quite a few in Brownson. At Sophomore, George Simons; at Badin, H. Maynard Sullivan. Haven't seen Simons since 1930, nor Sullivan since 1939 in Chicago.

"Of the '29 class, had a nice letter from co-captain Fran Crowe of Detroit, who has a family of five. Dr. Tom Ferriter is in Springfield, Mass., and has three youngsters. Bob Brennan is in Pittsfield, Mass., and his oldest boy is quite an athlete. Bump into quite a few at Connecticut Valley and Pioneer Valley Alumni Club meetings.

"If things are okay, I hope to make the 25th Reunion in '54. Meanwhile, please give my best regards to those on campus, and to all in the Class of '29."

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Devere T. Plunkett
Dept. of History
Notre Dame, Indiana

This column is made possible by the diligent reporting of the following foreign correspondents: James "Jack" O'Keefe, Chet Ashman, Jack Elder, Bob Hellrung, F. A. "Bill" Fink, Pat Goggins and Bus Redgate.

Thank you, gentlemen, for covering your beats like dedicated journalists. And as for those raises in salary you keep pleading for, I'll take it up with the budget committee again, but you know how Armstrong and Burns are. They had us on short rations long before the British discovered the word "austerity." Of course, they are a couple of nice guys, if your taste runs to efficiency experts. But they have long held, that eating was an over-rated and an unessential pastime. I suspect we will be on the same budget again this coming year. So forget that new typewriter ribbon you had your heart set on.

Things are about the same at Notre Dame as in any February of the past. Weather is bad; students have that will-Easter-ever-get-here look on their faces; the professors' stories in class match the weather; Bob Cahill is asking all Alumni to go on a diet, so he can squeeze a few more people in next fall; bookmakers on the presidential candidates are offering 10 to 1 it won't be FDR, despite the speeches you hear; Pat Manion is not running for the Senate; it just happens to be that season; the ghost of Washington Hall has not been seen; he's not running this year, either; Oonie Donovan, however, is available, and will harken to the vox populi if a popular draft summons him to drop his plough; Jack Cannon is willing to go this year, if he can get the backing of the ALUMNUS and "Osservatore Romano."

In the past two years a great number of letters and cards have been sent out to class members requesting news about them and their ND contacts. Quite a few have not replied. That is unfortunate, because the purpose was to clarify their status in light of many libelous charges made by other class members. For example, in Tim Mooney's dispatches it is clearly implied that most of the 1930 class were not bona fide students at all.

Most of them were fugitives from a French penal colony, and hiding out here for four years. I have been hounding men trying to set this record straight. Again, George O'Malley writes that the class was composed of himself and two or three other non-descripts. George is a lawyer, tending to over-simplify things, and reduces all social conflicts to O'Malley vs. The People.

On the other hand, Bo Richards is more expansive, and contends that the class of '30 included all the good people of the liberal and fine arts, commerce, law, science and engineering, who were out of work in 1930. As a cautious historian I refuse to ignore any of these plausible theories about what went on here from 1926 to 1930, but we must have more evidence to write the full story.

In this connection, it would be mighty helpful to hear from: Art Erra, John Dea, Bob Andres, Joe Fay, Harold Shumate, Dr. Walt McFarlane, John Marcus, George Simons, Bob DeWald, Mike Shanahan, Henry Horika, Tim Hinchey, John Gauthier, Pete Moroni, John Switzer, Dr. Frank Hand, Ray Spahr, Carl Gruning, Steve Sherry, Jim Coulter, Jim Morgan, Dr. Don Gressly, and Charley Derby.

But back to our foreign correspondents. From Seattle, Washington, comes Pat Goggins:

"Many thanks for your recent kind letter and gentle reminder. Your column for Class of '30 each issue of ALUMNUS reveals splendid effort on your part and certainly fine cooperation from the outside.

"1930 column copy is scarce this season. Notre Dame men of the late thirties, 1940 and many 1951 graduates provide a large portion of our membership of Notre Dame Alumni Club of Western Washington. Club Secretary of this active organization certainly helps to keep me alerted relevant to Notre Dame activity.

"No contacts in months with Joe Manley in Taccoma or Ron Sullivan in Portland. We are having a dinner meeting on February 19, at Seattle University and I hope to see John Flynn and Ed McCrimmon.

"Plans are now in the rough draft stage for our 29th Annual Universal Notre Dame Night observance in Seattle. The occasion should bring together, at this time, all men of the Class of 1930 in the area of the all entrancing Pacific Northwest. (My, how your writer has changed since he left Arcola, Illinois—back in 1940.)

"Boeing Airplane Company, Seattle Division, is presently keeping me occupied on a highly classified Project and same provides temporal needs for our good family—Patrick III, Mary Elizabeth, Eileen Ann, and Michael Edward. One of the Irish Christian Brothers recently remarked about our choice of German names.

"Kindly tell John Burns an AIRMAIL will be on an outboard plane relative to a few timely notes concerning the Notre Dame Club of Western Washington.

"Kindest personal regards and every good wish for a Happy Easter to you and ND men of the Class of '30."

From that romantic land of Indiana—Huntington, to be exact, COME IN, BILL FINK—Managing Editor of Our Sunday Visitor:

"I am sorry, Devere, but I am afraid that I shall not be able to be of much help to you. I have been on the go quite a lot lately, but have had very little contact with members of the Notre Dame Alumni and particularly with members of the class of 1930.

"Due to the pressure of other duties, my own roommate, Jim Irwin of Buffalo and I failed in 1951 to get together for even one Notre Dame football game. That was the first time that had happened since we were graduated. Not that I missed the game, but only that I was able to take in those which permitted travel to and from the site of the game in a single day. For example, all of the home games plus the Michigan State affair.

"Jim Irwin, I know, was among many Notre Dame graduates who attended the recent installation of Archbishop O'Hara in Philadelphia. Maybe he could give you a round-up on the gang in the East.

"Here at our office we have a little Notre Dame reunion every day. On our editorial staff are Paul Manoski, class of 1934; Jerry Hekker, class of '48, and Dick Schieber, class of 1950.

"In Catholic Press circles, I have frequent contact with Joe Brieg, class of 1927, who is cur-

rently receiving much praise for his new book "The Devil You Say"

"And in limited activity in the Knights of Columbus, I have had contact with John Rocap, class of 1930, who is now a member of the Supreme Board of the K. of C. . . . also, Tom Medland, class of 1930. State Secretary of the K. of C., and likely successor to Bill Zahn of our town as Indiana State Deputy.

"Joe Dillon, class of 1930, still maintains his home in Huntington, but is working at the International Harvester in Fort Wayne and going well.

"Had a casual meeting not long ago with Bob Eggeman, class of 1930, in Fort Wayne. And a few minutes later with Frank Corbett, of our class. Both looked well, although I had no opportunity to visit with them. Also saw Norb Berghoff, class of 1929, when Helen and I went to pay our respects on the occasion of the death of his Mother-in-Law, Mrs. Laura Noll Collins.

"That about does it, Devere. And, as I said in the beginning of this note, I am sorry that my contacts with the Notre Dame fellows have been few."

From Skyline Farm, Ulster, Pa., we have word from a fellow we've been waiting a long time to hear from. Let's have it, Jack O'Keefe:

"Reading Mrs. Jim Leahy's inspiring letter on her fine family in the January-February issue of the ALUMNUS finally persuaded me that it would be a good idea to get off a long-delayed report on our brood. The latest report published in the Armstrong Gazette told of our fifth, a son born on the day of the 1940 Notre Dame-Army game; since then four more have been sent to us to make a total of nine.

"I am enclosing a picture of them all with the hope that somewhere in some future issue there will be space enough to print it. We too had trouble getting a satisfactory picture of the entire gang as a group so we solved the problem by having a composite print made from nine individual pictures. From left to right and top to bottom, with ages, they are: Peggy 17, Jimmy 16, MaryEllen 14, Kathleen 12, George 11, Betsy 8, Michael 6, Patrick 3, and Eileen 2.

"In spite of the roguish smile displayed in her picture, Peg, our diminutive red-head, is a very dignified high-school senior who hopes to return next fall to the hospital where she was born to take up the study of nursing; currently she is the official scorekeeper for the school basketball team on which her brother plays. Jim already towers a foot over his mother and older sister, is two or three inches taller than I, and is still growing. MaryEllen—we had to call her by a doubled name in order to avoid confusion among the many Marys in our vicinity—is the real student of the family, studying conscientiously and getting very good marks.

"But Kay is something of a genius who studies occasionally and not very hard and then comes up with such marks as 100 in eight of ten subjects in recent seventh grade mid-year tests—and sincerely mourns over the minor errors which deprived her of perfect marks in the other two courses. George is in the middle of the family, not only in the picture, but also numerically which fits him ideally for his dual role as mascot of the older four and leader of the younger four.

"Betsy struggles willingly all day in third grade but can hardly wait to get back home, into her dungarees, and out among her animal friends here on our farm; her ambition is to become a nursing assistant to a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine. (Do they have such?)

"Mike started first grade last fall and can be counted on to be in the midst of any mischief there; he aspires to (1) drive a tractor and (2) drive a Jeep. Pat is beginning to strain at the apron-strings and has the ambition to someday (1) drive a Jeep and (2) drive a tractor.

"Eileen, more often called Moonbeam, unquestionably rules the roost, but why shouldn't she; after all, are there very many other little girls who arrive fully equipped with four brothers and four sisters? She handles them like a seasoned veteran.

"During the war years I worked in Newark—with Federal Telephone and Radio where Joe Abbott is Director of Personnel—but when the shooting was all over we decided that our brood (seven then) was becoming too unwieldy for us to manage with maximum efficiency in town, so six years ago we bought ourselves a farm out here on the rounded top of a northern Pennsylv-



REV. JOSEPH KMIECIK, C.S.C., '30

Father Kmiecik has been recalled to active duty with the Air Force. Chaplain (Major) Kmiecik is now at Fort Slocum, New York.

vania alp and went to work tilling the soil and producing milk for the New York City market some two hundred miles away.

"Our seven older children attend Saint Agnes School in nearby Towanda where they make up some five per cent of the total enrollment; we Jeep them daily to Saint Agnes eight miles away, half over unpaved roads. (May the heavenly angels, at their earliest opportunity, deliver into eternal perdition that diabolical American institution, the non-sectarian school bus!)

"Incidentally, Saint Agnes was the pre-Notre Dame school of three of our classmates, Father Jim Rizer, Father Bill Burchill, and Jim Costello; furthermore, its principal is one of our summer alumnae, Sister Mary Amadeus Ronan, R.S.M.

"A week or two ago I spent a very enjoyable evening with Jim Costello, his wife Bobbie, their two sons and two daughters in their northern New Jersey home. Father Bill Burchill is pastor of a two-church rural parish several miles northwest of here, in fact, when the weather is clear we can see from our farm one of his gleaming white churches perched high up on top of a round-topped hill eight or nine miles away as the crow flies. Father Larry Wenniger is pastor of another adjoining parish; we saw both of these '30 Fathers recently when they assisted our Bishop at the funeral of our late pastor.

"Every now and then we see John Coleman, '33, or Harold McCue, '33, at a Sunday Mass in Towanda, or lawyer Jim Cullen, '28, of nearby Sayre at the county court house in Towanda. Jim is quite active in Democratic Party affairs, but this is an overwhelmingly Republican county, which situation has militated against Jim becoming the excellent public servant he potentially is. (That seems to be one of the weak points of our two-party system.)

"Just in case I've made the raising of nine kids sound too simple in the earlier part of this letter, let me say now that we've had our difficulties. Our major adventures in medicine and surgery have been miraculously few: two simple fractures of forearms, three fractured vertebrae (all in one victim at one time) which healed perfectly, one appendectomy, one concussion, surgical repair of a congenital cleft lip, a near-fatal case of whooping cough in a nine-week-old baby, and one tonsillectomy complete the list. Sure, we've had scratches, mumps, cuts, burns, measles, sprains, whooping-coughs, bruises, chicken pox, colds, and what-have-you galore, but none of these ever reached serious proportions. Sometimes I think these nine of ours were each given a

special gift of two or three guardian angels instead of the customary allotment of one apiece.

"However, the same God Who sent us such healthy children and kept their mother the healthiest of all the family saw fit, in His Infinite Wisdom, to take away some two years ago what had always previously been my excellent health. After that, with eleven mouths to feed and our resources rapidly dwindling, it was not long before I learned what a strong temptation despair can be. But then, just when things were looking their darkest, along came the fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost with its Gospel from the Sermon on the Mount, including "Consider the birds of the air: they neither sow nor reap, nor do they gather into barns; yet your heavenly Father feedeth them. Are not you of much greater value than they?" After that things didn't look quite as hopeless as they had previously and now, two years later, although I am still unable to earn a living for myself or for those in my charge, here we are all together as one family, all alive, all except myself quite well, and all happy. With profound gratitude and with the deepest reverence, I can say that in the time of our great need, in His own way and through agents of His own choosing, our heavenly Father has fed us and much more than merely fed us.

"It wasn't exactly easy, Devere, to write that last paragraph, for it certainly is no story of financial success or material accomplishment such as I am accustomed to reading in our class news, yet the story of this family would not be complete without that paragraph. I debated with myself for a long time before including it; I finally decided in favor of its inclusion with the hope that it might be read by someone who is finding the going much tougher than he would like and that possibly he might be inspired to keep going a little longer, and then a little longer again, as we had to learn to do. That's a very hard lesson to learn, but we know it can be learned.

"With kindest personal regards to yourself and to all at Notre Dame."

From Morristown, Tennessee, a gentleman who specializes in the art of sitting down—our own chair manufacturer, COME IN Chet Ashman:

"I am just a little late on that New Year's resolution to bring your file on me up to date—but if I can get this in by your deadline date of the 15th, then you might be able to gather a few tidbits from this to help you out.

"First of all let me say that I sure envy you in getting to see the ND-Kentucky gam: the other nite. I would have given anything to have seen it. From the newspaper accounts the ND boys did all right—they just seemed to run out of gas in that last quarter.

"I have been in Tennessee since July of 1941; I came here from Los Angeles on a vacation, but somewhere along the line I got married, and have been here ever since. I met my wife when she was in California for the first Tennessee Vols Rose Bowl game, that was 1940. She likes California very much, and I believe that was the time I threw a curve, because she believed we would live out there. But after seeing the many beauties of this section, the mountains, lakes, etc., I decided there were enough opportunities here to just stay in this section.

"So after working for the Tennessee Valley Authority as a cost engineer on their dam construction, I went into the chair manufacturing business, upon the completion of the TVA work in this area. My first products were juvenile items exclusively—specializing in little chairs and rockers, so you see how easy it came to call my company the Little Chair Co.

After the war years when metal toys again appeared on the market, it made it rather hard to sell juvenile furniture the year round, so I started making chairs and rockers of all sizes. At the present time I am making about ten different styles of these items and this year I am planning to add a table to go with my child's chairs. My chairs are inexpensive in comparison to the upholstered and other type chairs, and the majority of my business is in the southwest and south, although there are few states that I do not ship. It is an interesting business, and I like it very much.

"My only complaint regarding this section is the fact that although this town has a population of probably 15,000, there are only 18 Catholics. We do not have a church, but meet every other Sunday in the City Hall. A priest comes down from Johnson City, Tenn., which is 60 miles

from here. We are only 40 miles from Knoxville where they do have a Catholic Church, but our priest always comes out of the mission parish in J. C. We have a fund that we have been working on for several years now, so perhaps before long we will be able to have a small chapel. So at least things are looking brighter for us.

"Devere, I hope I have given you the information you had in mind when you dropped me your note of the 3rd. And again let me say that your column in the ALUMNUS is always looked forward to, as it is about the only way I have of ever knowing what other ND men are doing—it is a rare occasion when I get to see and talk to one."

And from our Missouri reporter, held incommunicado for a whole year, a most welcome report. From Bob Hellrung:

"The other day I came across a letter that you wrote me February 4, 1951—just a few days more than a year ago. In it you ask for some class news for the ALUMNUS.

"The reason for my not writing you is because things have been rather dull here in St. Louis. Nothing new has been happening to the members of the class of '30 and none of the boys from out of town have called me on their way through the city. We seem to be in a rut.

"Yours truly is still active in Notre Dame affairs, recently having been co-chairman of a committee that brought the Notre Dame Gle. Club to St. Louis on January 25th to sing at our Municipal Opera House. The affair was very successful and we hope to make it an annual one.

"Saturday night of this week we are looking forward to the Notre Dame-St. Louis University basketball game here in our Municipal Auditorium. The game has been sold out for the past two weeks and now it is difficult to buy even standing room space.

"As soon as I have any news to report to you on other members of the class, rest assured that you will hear from me. Congratulations on the excellent job that you are doing as class secretary, especially in the latest issue of the ALUMNUS.

"Best personal regards."

A welcome reporter, always, is that gentleman from Cleveland, branch manager for Sinclair Refining Co. COME IN Jack Elder:

"Just a note to give you a bit of information about some fellows and some names of fellows whom I have met during the last few weeks in my wanderings here and there. Was over in Akron, Ohio, last week speaking at a Holy Name Society banquet for St. Sebastian's parish and ran into a number of the fellows.

"Charles Schnur of the class of 1929 I believe, was toastmaster and did a magnificent job. Tom (Bud) Markey was there and was host to some of the ND fellows before the affair.

Also at the banquet were Chick McGuckin, Art Keane, Hugh Calopy, Bernie Ley, Steve Sitko, Ed Barch, president of the Akron ND Club, Will Molloy, Al Hilkert, Mickey McDermott, Gerald Kline and the three Wozniak brothers led by Steve. I wish I knew the classes all these fellows came from but I was unable to get this information.

"Just recently here in Cleveland a bunch of us got together to say hello to Frank (Spike) McAdams who was in town with Senator Douglas who was guest speaker at the Bar Association luncheon. I think Spike was in our class too for, like Pat Canny I think he was in every class from 1925 to 1930.

"I was highly honored recently when, on the occasion of our family Communion Breakfast at which Father Hesburgh spoke, Father Hesburgh consented to baptize our latest arrival, our seventh child, Elizabeth Ann. I only hope she absorbs some of the kindness that our good Vice-President exudes. We now have five girls and two boys and from the way things are going at our house all of our football players will have to play at St. Mary's across the road. Oh, well, football teams need cheer leaders, too.

So much for now. Just had a few moments to jot down these notes which may be of interest to someone, somewhere."

Just to prove that New England is not cut off from the rest of the country by the winter's snow and ice storms, here is Bridgeport, Connecticut's ever reliable reporter, John "Bus" Redgate:

"Many thanks for your card. Trust that you and yours have a healthy and happy New Year.

"Not much news from here. Harold Magner BCS (about 1931) has opened a new appliance store here in town and is doing very well. Dr. Vince Gorman is also taking this town in stride. He and John Mitchell Murphy both work out of Saint Vincent's hospital. John is really running the place.

"I expect to leave for Philadelphia tomorrow to take in the Installation of His Excellency, The Most Reverend John Francis O'Hara, C.S.C., D.D., as Archbishop of Philadelphia. It doesn't seem like twenty years since he was just Prefect of Religion. Time really flies.

"Howard Smith, 29, who is coaching Mt. St. Michael's in Mount Vernon, N. Y., brought his team up here a month or so ago and trimmed a very good Fairfield Prep team. Tom Murphy, '29, was the referee, if that had anything to do with it.

"About all I can give you at this date, Devere."

Rev. Joseph A. M. Kmiecik, C.S.C., for the past two years superior of the Holy Cross Fathers Mission Band, with headquarters at St. Edward's University, Austin, Texas, has been recalled to active duty with the Air Force. Chaplain (Major) Kmiecik went to Fort Slocum, New York, on February 18 for a forty days' chaplains' course before reassignment.

A native of New Waverly, Texas, Father Kmiecik attended St. Edward's University High School before entering Holy Cross Seminary at Notre Dame, Indiana, in 1922. He was ordained in 1934.

Shortly after assignment to parish work in South Bend, Father Kmiecik went to Czartorysk, Poland, in 1936. He remained at Czartorysk until the Soviet invasion of Eastern Poland in January, 1940.

Upon his return to the States, Father Kmiecik was engaged in mission work in Texas until 1942 when he joined the Chaplains Corps in August. 1942. From Fort Lewis, Washington, he went to the Aleutian Islands, and was separated from service in May, 1946.



Jack O'Keefe's, '30, nine children are: Peggy, Jimmy, Mary Ellen, Kathleen, George, Betsy, Michael, Patrick, and Eileen.

1931

James T. Doyle, Secretary
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Chicago 45, Illinois

The new year is off to a good start, and if correspondence received so far is an indication of what will follow our column will occupy the Number One position in the ALUMNUS for 1952.

The Notre Dame Club of Chicago held its annual election of officers on January 30th at the Merchants and Manufacturers Club. The class of 1931 had a special interest in this party. Al Stepan, the retiring president, is to be congratulated for the excellent conduct of club activities

during his term in office. Gil Seaman was elected First Vice President and is due to follow in Mr. Stepan's footsteps next year.

I had a very fine letter from Earl Brieger of Pittsburgh, Pa., and it is full of news. I met Harold Stelzer and Eddie Ryan at our high school alumni banquet. Harold had recently seen Dom Murphy of Mexico City and promised to write me a letter for the next issue of the ALUMNUS.

We extend a welcome to Byron Kearney, Kingston, Pa., and hope that he will come through with a letter within the next month. The other night while out to see Frank Holland I had a chance to see Red O'Connell. He mentioned several of our classmates and was particularly glad to hear of F. X. Murphy, from whom I had a recent letter.

Red is doing a bang-up job in sales for the Gazzola Drug & Chemical Co. in Chicago. I met Henry, Jr., and his father can certainly be proud of him. Mrs. O'Connell had recently undergone a serious operation and is now on the way to recovery.

I had a wonderful letter from F. X. Murphy, who is now in Roswell, New Mexico. They left Manitowoc in 1949 due to the ill health of Mrs. Murphy. The warm climate is doing her some good and according to his letter she is showing improvement. "From the report on the reunion that I got via the ALUMNUS you all had a good time—wish we could have made it. Johnnie and I talked about it but with Mike in the shape, or rather as out of shape as he was we thought that we'd better pass it this time. It must have been fun to see the boys and hear them brag about their families, etc.—that's what I'd have done, you'd have been so darn sick and tired of hearing about the Murphy clan that you'd have been glad to see me go!

"Twenty years is a long time—Johnnie and I will be married that long this August, think of that fella! That's a long time to be tied to one woman, I tell her; I also remind her that age 40 is a dangerous time and that she'd better watch me. I guess she's not much worried—what can an old, bald headed burned out male like me do?

"I'm still with Eastman Products Corp. and cover, as I've told you before, New Mexico, Arizona, Colorado and West Texas—about nine hundred thousand miles square I think—sometimes it seems much more. Business has been good but because of material shortages we have not been able to keep our deliveries up to par and that hurts me because I get paid on the material we deliver, not the material I get orders for! I guess we're getting our fair share of material so I'm not moaning about it—some are much worse off than we are, as long as I can keep enough food on the table and two jumps ahead of the law I'll go along."

Earl Brieger writes:
"Congratulations on the fine job you are doing as Class Secretary. You have really stirred up the old class and, consequently, we all look forward to the news you have in the 1931 Class column. I was back for two of the class reunions, but unfortunately missed the last one (20 year) which undoubtedly was the best. I had planned on being there, but a trip to Mexico City came up at the last minute and, consequently, was not able to get to the Bend. Saw Bill Berning in Beeville, Texas, on my way back from Mexico. He is in the beer distributing business (Schlitz), married and has a teen-age son. He is doing fine and doesn't seem to show much wear despite the past twenty years. Bill says he sees Tom Monahan once a year when Tom comes down to Beeville to buy material for his broom factory in Arcola, Illinois.

"Art Bergen and I were out to the Bend for the last Army-ND football game. Bill McCarthy from Kansas City was also there, and we all got together that night for a real old time session. We had our wives with us, but Bill was still single. He has since married and is living in Kansas City. Art Bergen has four boys and a girl. Two of the boys are twins. I have four children, two boys and two girls, and not to be outdone by Bergen, two of mine are twins.

"Dick O'Donnell, John Hickey, and Billy Magarral live here in the city and I see them every now and then. John is an attorney and works for one of the judges in Orphans' Court. Dick is with some advertising company and Billy is employed with a local construction company. Billy Magarral's wife, Pauline, died rather suddenly on January 7.

"Enjoyed Bob Dendall's note in the September-

October issue of the ALUMNUS. My best regards to him. Bob, should you get in Pittsburgh in your travels, be sure and visit me. Martin Wider's letter in the November-December issue of the ALUMNUS was read with much pleasure and interest. Congratulations on your fine family, Martin. As you know, Martin, I deserted all my fellow engineers and ended up being a lawyer. I am in practice here in Pittsburgh. I say this, having in mind, John Anderson, Jim O'Brien, Ed Coomes, Bob Baskerville, Dan Egan, Francis Loney, Herb Perry, and all the rest of the gang that used to struggle with us in our E.E. classes. My best regards to all you guys.

"Well Jim, there isn't much more to write, that I can recall or that might be of interest to you. Details are boring and would be of interest to only a few, so will end this for the time being.

"Be sure and give my regards to all of the '31ers in Chicago."

John Burns' letter:

Dear Jim:

"Thanks for the card which reminded me of the promise to drop a few lines now and then for use in the '31 class news. Hope the following may be of some interest.

"Saw the Michigan State game on TV at Ed 'Slim' Mahon's home in Parkchester and after the game we called Ritchie 'Judge' Barber for his reaction. Result—Ed, his wife Kitty, and myself drove to Rye and helped 'forget' the score by joining Ritchie, his wife Frances, and several others of the Barber family at the Rye Volunteer Firemen's annual dinner dance. We all had a grand evening. I stayed over to see my god-child, Joan, their youngest. Ritchie and Frances have five children—three girls and two boys. Ritchie's law partner is New York State Senator Frank McCullough.

"Drove to Milford, Delaware, over the Navy game week-end and had a very pleasant visit with Ed and Virginia Cunningham. They have five boys and a GIRL—the girl arriving in November 22nd. They are very happy over the new addition. Ed is in the poultry business in Milford and doing very well. Michael, the oldest boy, is attending prep school in Wilmington and is a future ND prospect. Ed was unable to make the reunion but I gave him first hand information of the wonderful time even going so far as to inform him that Joe Deeb's story of finding me under a tree was a tall tale.

Frankie 'Red' David, '29, of New Orleans, La., stopped off in June en route to Casa Blanca where he is in a civilian capacity with the Army Engineers. His wife and son followed shortly after and Bill Kelly, '29, and I entertained them while they were awaiting transportation. Frankie expects to be over there about three years. 'Red' was wont to work out in the gym and developed a very good left hand under the able tutelage of Spike McAdams and Johnny Preece.

"I see where Spike is now judging fights in Chicago these nights. If you happen to see him give him my best. Johnny Preece, '30, is now a practicing medico in Trenton, New Jersey, specializing in obstetrics. He is single and still the same swell person we knew at school. I've seen him several times over the course of the years. John also has a farm in Newtown, Pa., with livestock, a couple of good jumpers and a few flat racers.

Saw Bill Kelly, '29, Tim Toomey, '30, and Art Denehy, '30, among others at the Notre Dame Club meeting last Wednesday at the Biltmore. Herb Giorgio, '32, was installed as president for 1952 succeeding Jim McGoldrick. Toomey hears regularly from Father Jim Rizer, '31, who is now located in Roanoke, Va.

Tom 'Cozy' Dolan, '32, dropped into the office to see me last week and we had a real gabfest. He is as chipper as ever and busily engaged as Vice-President of the Nassau Photo-Engraving Co., Mineola, Long Island, working out of the New York office. Has four children and lives on Riverside Drive here in the city. He has been in touch with Bill Lynch, '32, who is okay, still single and working for Sterling Products. Tom informed me that Johnny Ryan, '32, has a nice position with Republic Aviation and that Bud Tuohy, '31, is also out there.

"Do you ever run across Jim Mulvaney in Chi? He is with Mather Coupon Ticket Division of Commercial Controls Corp., 2924 North Western Ave. Give him my best if you should happen to see him at any of the Chicago get-togethers. Also to Frank Borzac.

"Had a pleasant surprise when I chanced to meet Bill O'Malley, '31, his wife and his sister

SPOTLIGHT ALUMNUS



T. E. "BEN" OAKES

T. E. "Ben" Oakes, '31, formerly manager of general sales development for Trans World Airlines, has been elected vice-president of the newly organized Crimsco, Incorporated, in Kansas City, Missouri.

The Crimsco organization, which has existed since 1950 as a division of Truog-Nichols, Inc., manufactures and distributes cargo handling and other equipment for several national airlines, as well as other materials handling units.

Oakes, who was associated with TWA for ten years until August, 1950, when he joined the Truog-Nichols Company to direct Crimsco sales and sales promotion, was previously located at Boston and Chicago with a building materials manufacturer.

in the French Hospital on January 18th. They were visiting Bill's sister Ann who is a patient. I had seen Bill at the reunion.

"Was very sorry to read of Tom Golden's tragic events. Also the death of Ray Mannix.

"That's about it for now, Jim. Keep up the good work you are doing as class secretary. It is so good to open the ALUMNUS and find more than a line or two under the 1931 heading.

"Pass along my best wishes to the boys you may happen to contact. I do hope that you and your family will have a healthy and happy year in 1952."

Matt Garrigan of Detroit writes:

Dear Jim:

"Thanks for your card, it was the prod that was needed. Might offer an objection about the '31 column not carrying news of Detroit. Last issue had a squib from Mart Wider and he covered the local parish, Gesu, pretty well. In fact it was Mart's example that put the idea into my mind to do likewise and as I have mentioned your card was most opportune. It was nice hearing from you Jim and with that I'll proceed with what I have gathered.

"I attended the opener at ND to see the Indiana game and with 56,000 others came away

impressed. After the game I met Tim O'Rourke, '30, who was with Coleman O'Shaughnessy, '31, and Coleman's wife and two sons. Tim is traveling out of New York City for the New York Life. Coleman has left the Big City and now is located somewhere in Ohio.

After the Southern Methodist game had a visit with Austin Boyle. Joe Carey, '32, and our wives made the trip and enjoyed everything but the score. Made a week-end of it staying overnight at Schuler's in Marshall, Mich. Joe Carey has recently been elected Treasurer of Kelsay Hayes Wheel and needless to say he and his friends are happy about this new promotion. I think Joe now qualifies for that "Spotlight Alumnus" Jim Armstrong features. We also had a visit with Father Jerry Wilson who preaches in the Old College Bldg. over by the Log Chapel. Father's pre-game dope was a touchdown or two off.

"Henry Kopeck, '31, and his brothers did an excellent remodeling job on their White Eagle Laundry between washings. Plywood and glass paneling gives the office the touch and comfort the boys need after a hard day with the mangles and washers.

"How about using Gate 5 as a rendezvous after the games? Might have a chance for a visit that might otherwise be missed.

"Expect to make the annual ND-Detroit club retreat at Manressa the first week in Lent and will pass on any news I can gather.

"Best regards Jim to you and the Chicago gang, thanks again for the prod."

HEARD BUT NOT SEEN

Joe Harney is an instructor in practical psychology at Wright Junior College, Chicago. He's a little busier than that one statement indicates, though.

He is in Wright's Placement Office, and teaches the police course, too. Evenings he teaches adult education courses in psychology at Lawson YMCA. Joe took a Master of Arts at Chicago U. in 1936 and a Ph.D. in 1950 at Illinois T.C.

Charlie Caskwa, Jr., of Youngstown, O., was elected president of Commercial Stamping and Shearing Co. in December, succeeding his father, who had died suddenly. At the silver anniversary celebration of the Youngstown Alumni Club Charlie was named man of the year.

Art Kane, of Baxter Springs, Kan., has left the position of advertising manager for Southwest Gas and Electric, in Shreveport, La. He is now in a similar position with Empire District Electric Co. of Oklahoma. Art is parent of three youngsters—Mary Alice, Michael Denis and Elizabeth Ann.

Bob Cunningham recently had a visit from Dave Rusk and his wife. Dave is physical education instructor at Austin High, Chicago.

Jim O'Brien is an engineer with the Highway Department of the city of Chicago.

Congratulations to Joe Deeb, on behalf of the '31 Class, on his election to presidency of the University of Notre Dame Law Alumni Association. Joe is U. S. Attorney for the Western (Grand Rapids) District of Michigan.

In the latter part of January your secretary mailed about 20 appeals for letters and received the above included ones. It is hoped that those who have not yet replied will find time to send some information for the next issue of the ALUMNUS.

'32 20 YEAR
REUNION
JUNE 6-7-8

Jim Collins, Secretary
17 Triangle Avenue
Dayton 9, Ohio

As this is written final plans for our big 20th Reunion are being completed with Cliff Prodel doing most of the work. He has been in contact with the District Vice-Presidents who, in turn, have contacted class members in their respective areas.

Cliff has all his committees working toward a fine team, and promises that ours will be the best reunion ever seen on the campus.

The dates again are June 6, 7, and 8. You can register anytime Friday, June 6, and it will last

until Sunday. A hall will be assigned to stay in, and it is hoped that all of the activities can be held on the campus. Indications are that an extremely large number of the class will attend.

Father Paul Hallinan recently conducted an upperclassmen's Retreat at the Lourdes Academy in Cleveland. Father Paul is, among his many other activities, Director of the Cleveland Intercollegiate Newman Club.

Remi Renier is a Major with the Army Corps of Engineers, and was recently transferred to the Middle East District. His full address is APO 231, c/o Postmaster, New York.

Among recent changes of address are these: Fred Eisenmann to 139 Center St., New York; Jim Halligan to 303 Wysor Bldg., Muncie, Indiana; Bill Mooney to 265 Oakland Ave., Staten Island 10, N. Y.; John Simko to 1112 Elmhurst, Peoria, Ill.; Joe Strebinger to 818 Dover Drive, South Bend 14; Ralph Witt to 2518 Jackson St., Wilmington, N. C.; and Frank Trieweller to Bonesteel, South Dakota.

See you at the Reunion.

1933

Joseph D. A. McCabe, Secretary
632 Forest Ave.
River Forest, Ill.

Dear 33's:

We knew we were working back to par for the course, and this is it, brethren, this is it. No letters received since the last issue.

We've met a lot of boys here and there, but see no point in just a recitation of names, when there is no news to go with them. However, the Alumni office gave us a bit of a lift, by sending us some new addresses for the following classmates:

Gen: Calhoun, 704 S. Spring St., Rm. 212, Los Angeles, Calif.

Art Becvar, 547 Barberry Lane, Cherokee Gardens, Louisville, Ky.

Jesse Dickey, 2014 Leer St., South Bend 14, Ind.

Ralph Ehr, 3120 Carey Ave., Davenport, Iowa.
Chuck Jaskwich, 4101 Wilson Rd., Kenosha, Wis.

Fred Laughna, 2100 Oak Park Ave., Dayton, Ohio.

Frank Madden, 4307 S. 36th St., Arlington, Va.
Frank McGee, 134 Keeler Ave., Bridgeport, Conn.

J. Harold Roddy, 1613 Harvard St. N. W., Apt. 306, Washington, D. C.

Bill Robison, Mountain Grove, Md.

Filling all that space makes me very glad the Alumni Office is still writing to me.

Going through class names brings back a lot of memories, and posting the above changes of address makes you wonder about the men who moved, particularly those you knew well. . . . Calhoun, Becvar, Jaskwich, Madden, McGee—yeah, Fred Laughna, too. Do they still look like they did the last time you saw them?

Every once in a while I run into a group of men I used to know—school stuff, or fellow employees, slaves of the buck-hunt. . . . and some change greatly and others not at all. But there's only one way to solve this problem. . . . that's for the men I've named and all class of 33-ers to drop your wondering boy a line—now.

For instance, I'm wondering if Art Becvar is still designing dreamboats for GE and if they moved him to another plant, or is he waving his facile brush for someone else? Did Chuck Jaskwich stay with football or pick a less bumpy career? Is that the tall dark and suave Madden who used to assist Messrs. Hodel, Rhatigan, Mehauff and other Blades & Bucks in keeping the Palace out of the red? And if so, how does he like Arlington, no less?

That's the way it goes. . . . some months you just wonder.

With Lent coming on—you will no doubt be deep in the middle of it when you read this—it behooves us all to say a little extra prayer this year for some kind of guidance in this barrelhouse world. Out here in Chicago a sizable number of gentlemen are under fire as being agents of the Mafia, the Syndicate, and other illegal and often fatal organizations. Or else they are being panned for not purging from politics the members of these outfits. Things may be better elsewhere, but all a guy has to

do is to lift his eyes to the international scene to realize that everybody has enough trouble, everywhere, to go around. . . . and to warrant some overtime knee duty.

For myself, one of my prayers is gonna be that I get some correspondence out of this class in the coming months. Please?

Best regards,

Joe McCabe



Joe Kraker's ('29) children are top to bottom: John, Betty Jo, Joe Jr., Mary, and Jerry.

1934

Edward F. Mansfield, Secretary
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Chicago, Ill.

This edition of the Thirty-Four News, successor to the Depression Times, is an experiment in style. Lest it become a one-time newspaper in more ways than one, readers are referred to the house ad under CLASSIFIED.

Unique in publishing, this newspaper has a guaranteed circulation but no guarantee of news unless its own readers turn writers.

No other class newspaper offers these departments:

FOREIGN

ROME.—Completing an extended foreign service tour here, Vincent G. McAloon of the American Catholic Club of the NCWC at Via Consolatione 1 has been transferred to Staff Special Services, APO 331, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco. It is strongly suspected that he is not in San Francisco.

PARIS.—Disappearing from alumni circles after filing a lucid, fact-filled report from 6 rue Daunou here, James Fitzpatrick has sent no further dispatches to Your News Service's foreign desk. A moulin-by-moulin search of Montmartre hill has been initiated.

QUEBEC.—Charles D. Cashman's mail, formerly delivered to New Norzone Mine, Rouyon, Quebec, is now going to Mrs. D. J. Cashman, 309 W. Navarre, South Bend, Ind., U. S. A.

HEIDELBERG.—The Rev. Edmund Murray recently arrived here for duty with the Chaplains Division from Booterstown, Ireland. Father Murray denied any connection between his former station and the department of punting at Notre Dame. "Coincidental," the chaplain said.

QUEBEC.—The Rev. Richard Sullivan, C.S.C., left 144 Claire Fontaine here for a new post at Pius X Seminary, North Easton, Mass., U. S. A.

PRESS

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—BULLETIN AP BUREAU WASH DC ANNOUNCES ARRIVAL JAMES C AS IN CHARLIE MUNN FROM AP ROCHESTER NY OFFICE MORE FROM MUNN TO FOLO AP BUR WASH DC.

MEDICINE

SPRINGFIELD, ILL.—Dr. Robert Nachtwey

is now practicing medicine here and residing at 701 South Second St. A former Mayo clinic staff member, Dr. Nachtwey is being asked for his own story of his study and travels from the time he left the flatlands of Iowa.

COLUMBUS, O.—(INS)—State Health Director John D. Porterfield warned that the school narcotics traffic is moving into Ohio where treatment facilities are "grossly inadequate." The director told the third annual conference of local Ohio health commissioners that "prevention here is the only hopeful answer."

FIRE

CHICAGO.—Gene Holland, ND commerce graduate, was seen making motions like a fireman at an apartment fire on Albion in Rogers Park. Mr. Holland told a YNS reporter that his great interest in this particular blaze sped him to the scene before professional smoke-eaters arrived. He attributed his early arrival to two factors: 1) his speed from ND training days, 2) his residence in the same building.

PROMOTIONS

CHICAGO.—U. S. Rubber Company here announced that Thomas R. Grimes, formerly of South Bend, has just been made sales manager of the Chicago plant, a plastics producer. Mr. Grimes was transferred from the Mishawaka plant after working there since 1939. (excerpts from W. R. Dooley press service, ND, Ind.)

FINANCE

CINCINNATI.—Robert Chenal of 1053 Loiska Lane, has resigned as assistant trust officer of the First National Bank here, and will enter law practice early in '32.

In an interview in his new white brick home. Mr. Chenal said his new address will be 401 Second National Bank Bldg. He further revealed that he had seen George "Jack" Meister in Miami, that Bob Van Lahr is still manager of the Twenty-Nine Palms Inn, that Fred Sullivan is in advertising in Cincinnati, that Dick Shields is with Shields Lumber until 5 p.m. and with six children after 5.

TELEVISION

CHICAGO.—Under a two-column cut in the Herald-American, the local Hearst paper said, "Television star George Menard turns a fatherly smile on his daughter Paula 8, as she puts the H-A's 'Wanda,' the Walking Doll, through her paces. TV viewers may see 'Wanda' Monday through Friday on Menard's WBKB program. 'Fun and Features' (9-10:30 a.m., channel 4)."

TODAY'S GUFFAW

The Sales Executive Weekly of N.Y. told this: In '49, ND whopped the N.C. Tarheels 42-6 after a 6-6 standoff into the third. In the purple of the evening, a die-hard Tarheel Clag-horned for 73 minutes in a grape-juice parlor about what might have been had the Chapel Hillians been able to shoot Mr. Ch. Ch. Justice vs. the Irish. At the 74-minute mark the leprechaun behind the grapejuice bar shook a white towel in fist and brogued: "Listen, Mac, with or without this Choo-Choo, we could've licked ye with our Protestant platoon!"

RESORTS

MIAMI.—Faris Cowart, ex-ND backfield man, was dealt a bad handoff in the '30's by the quarterback from Depression, Hardy Times, left here this fall long enough to visit Notre Dame, then visit Michigan State with Notre Dame, then return to Miami to let sunshine heal his wounds from the Michigan State stop. Mr. Cowart urges any '34 men fortunate enough to reach Miami to reach him at 1803 SW 8th. (Editorial comment: President of Miami ND Club and local accountant, Faris has done much to interest non-alumni in visiting and helping ND and its Foundation.)

WILDLIFE NEWS

BATON ROUGE.—The Louisiana State Tigers recently had a chance to welcome a wolf. William A. Wolff bedded down here at 936 Moreland after prowling in from Lafayette, La. Dick Kelley has been recommended locally as the local trainer most likely to become Wolf's handler on nightly prowls.

CLASSIFIED ADS

Wanted—More than 500 reporters as mail correspondents, male, for Your News Service. Applicants limited to ND '34 class. Knowledge of typing not required. Ability to write not required, since any standard communication means is acceptable to city desk of YNS, including jungle drums (excluding collect wires). Open

shop. Address inquiries to 6575 N. Glenwood, Chicago 26. All inquiries definitely not kept confidential. Not enough of our employees know about this ad.

MILITARY

BRONX, N. Y.—Lieutenant Dan Brick is now located at 4300 Martha Avenue here. Unless security restrictions interfere, Lt. Brick is being asked for a full report to this newspaper.

REAL ESTATE

New homes and apartments and other shelter have recently been acquired by the following readers: John A. Devine to Murver Ct., Westport, Conn.; Bill Powell to 156 Hampton Blvd., Massapequa, L. I., N. Y.; Dick Chapleau to 110 Pokagon, South Bend; Bill Escher to 2224 Canada Blvd., Glendale, Calif.; Emmett Conkling to 529 Westway, Harundale, Glen Burnie, Md. (Personal—is it now Mister, Major, Colonel, or General, and have you seen John Rocca O'Hanlon, who may or may not rank you by now?); Edward J. Fisher to 111 North Broadway, White Plains, N. Y.; Edmund W. Hafner, 4028 N. Albany, Chicago 18; the Rev. Bernard Mullahy, C.S.C., from Community Infirmary to Provincial House, Notre Dame; John Journalism Conley to 207 Saint Dunstan's Road, Baltimore 12 (there's a fine foreign correspondent who never reported on his last trip over there); Jim Ross to Box 22, Glen Oaks, Floral Park, N. Y.; Tom Brobson to 508 McKinley Parkway, Buffalo 20; Johnny Ruppel to 345 Crest Drive, San Jose, Calif.; Hugh Carroll to 780 Grange Rd., Teaneck, N. J.; Joseph W. Nelson to 5638 North 10th Drive, Phoenix; John J. O'Connor to 6111 Walnut, Kansas City, Mo.; Julius J. Kiraly to 14 S. Park, Hinsdale, Ill.; Clem Powers to 2401 Pier Ave., Santa Monica, Calif.; George Wenz to Box 196, Packanack Lake, N. J. (that's how they pronounce "picnic" in Jersey); Les Jandoli to 31 Bradwood Rd., Stamford, Conn.

NEWCOMERS CORNER

NOTRE DAME, IND.—These wise gentlemen have applied for membership in the class of '34 through the alumni office: William P. Hughes of 5 Evelyn Rd., Port Washington, N. Y.; Robert S. Ryan, 9 Keasly Rd., South Orange, N. J., and Harold Stone of 719 Jefferson, Springfield, Ill.

EDUCATION

LONG BEACH, CALIF.—Brother Francis A. Davis is now on duty here with the teaching staff of St. Anthony's high school.

MISSING PERSONS

NOTRE DAME, IND.—The alumni office announced here that these names have shown up in the unclaimed mail: Dr. Joseph R. Caton, John F. Fisher, formerly of 5644 Stanton, Detroit, and Gene Bogardus, formerly of 706 E. Ewing, South Bend. Mail clues to James Armstrong.

LEGAL

CHICAGO.—Howard Jeffers (law '36) and John Breen, Chicago lawyers, are now with an all-ND legal backfield of strong Celtic tradition. The halfbacks are Tom Donovan, '24, and John Sullivan, '24, e pluribus unum, and they use the "I" and "We" formation at 134 E. LaSalle in this city's financial canyon.

INSURANCE

BALTIMORE.—In one of the most roundabout relays of news since Magellan first got through to his home office, the good word about two '34 men came to light here in a dispatch from Frank Holahan, '35, to Frank Hochreiter, '35 (that is NOT his age).

Insisting upon a split fee on space rates, Hochreiter today permitted Your News Service to reveal that Ed Graham, '34, is in the insurance business in Galesburg, Ill., and that Pat Burns, '34, is in the same line down the river at Natchez, Miss. Pat refuses to offer coverage for those diehards waitin' for the Robert E. Lee—and still looking for the boat bookies who took their bets.

LEATHER GOODS

SAN FRANCISCO.—In a special story, George Cummings told YNS that he is "married, with four children, an accountant by profession, doing accounting and purchasing with a tannery and wool pulley" (Legallet Tanning Co., 1099 Quesada Ave.).

Cummings said his hobby is working around his three-acre homesite in the country, swimming

("having a pool in California is like having a TV set in Chicago," he said), and raising a family.

"I learned with deep regret of the passing of a member of our class. Ted Carville died in May in Reno, where he was practicing law with his dad, E. P. Carville, who was a graduate of ND many years past. E. P. Carville has been a judge, governor, and senator of Nevada. Ted did not graduate from ND, as he dropped out in '32 because of illness. Ted's mother was a South Bend girl."

After expressing disappointment over the few names of his ND friends showing up in Thirty-Four News, Mr. Cummings said, "I hope to inspire some of my former pals to write."

ENGINEERING NEWS

NEWARK.—In a mail interview with Reporter Robert Cahill, Cliff Sausville, an architectural graduate of ND, issued the following statement from his office in the P. Ballatine & Sons brewery, 57 Freeman St.

"Since graduating from the architectural college, I have drifted into industrial engineering and have been with P. Ballatine & Sons, America's foremost brewers (display rates were sent to this man), for 15 years, in the engineering department in charge of piping.

"I live in South Orange with Mrs. Sausville and the three children. We rarely run into any of our old classmates, but upon occasion I do see Les Jandoli, well married and with two children. Les lives in West Orange (Ha! see Real Estate, this edition) and is climbing the Prudential ladder of success." (This newspaper needs an ad manager).

Sausville congratulated Newsman Cahill for making Notre Dame his career, asked to be remembered to classmates, and hoped for a 20th anniversary meeting with them all.

BUSINESS MACHINES

SCARSDALE, N. Y.—Advertising Manager A. Donald Brice of Dictaphone Corp., pointed out in a release from his home here at 78 Penn Road that "our class follows the feast or famine cycle: two full pages one issue, virtually nothing the previous one." (see Classified section).

"I recently had a very nice note from Dean Manion, to whom I had sent 50 copies of one of our company magazines in which I had reprinted Harry Luce's unexpected piece: 'Holmes Was Wrong.'"

(N.B.: Company magazine edited by Don: "It's Said and Done." Get on the mailing list. It's free, it's good, it's Brice's.)

NIGHT BEAT

DETROIT.—The first night football game in ND history here against Detroit attracted Mr. and Mrs. Ed Roach of 9211 S. Loomis in Chicago and Mr. Roach's ND roommate, Dr. Oldham of Lockport, N. Y., and Mrs. Oldham. Tickets were obtained through a service maintained on the budget floor of Breen-Phillips hall at Notre Dame, managed by a Mr. Cahill.



Airman-of-the-month Frank Lombardo, right, receiving a bracelet from Maj. Gen. N. B. Harbold, at Sampson AFB, New York. Lombardo was selected on a basis of leadership, military ability and performance of duty.

Center is Maj. Dan Handler, Lombardo's CO.

SPORTS

NEW YORK.—Hugh Dewore, NYU football coach and one of ND's all-time great ends, appeared here on a nationwide broadcast as a guest of Grantland Rice. A report from the flatlands of Ohio revealed that the aircraft reached all the way to a car radio monitored by the editor of Thirty-Four News.

CHICAGO.—Poised with one foot on the St. Louis Club special train steps, and one on Fred McNeill's foot, Vincent Fehlig told Thirty-Four News here that he had seen these personages at the SMU game (or had heard of them): Sturka Canale, another fine end, still in Tennessee, and rumored to be father of five; Al McGuff, capable coach of Weber High in Chicago; Lowell Hagan, the Red; Al Smith, and Ray Troy.

The owner of Fred McNeill's foot also said that a ND architectural firm of Morrison and Morrison is now in Rochester, N. Y.

Tony Crowley stood on McNeill's other foot and publicly blasted Ben Kennedy and William Charles O'Toole for failure to write or to appear in public in upper Indiana on game days.

A rumor-monger often found in such a gathering rumored that Dr. George Blaha of Chicago was seen in the Rockne Memorial SMU day.

NOTRE DAME, Ind.—At the 32d annual football banquet in the university dining halls, Coach Frank Leahy paid tribute to Athletic Director Edward Krause's masterful assembling of football opponents for the '52 season. This newspaper will also quote Mr. Leahy at the end of the '52 football season concerning Mr. Krause's judgment in signing ten such fearsome foes.

Ed Sullivan, MC of TV's TT (Toast of the Town), reminded a full house that Mr. Krause had played all but 14 minutes his senior year, and demanded to know where he hid for those 14.

FERGUSVILLE, IND.—Paul Burns, South Bend ad executive, who began his ND career as a '34 man and ended with '35 on his diploma, entertained the football banquet committee and honor guests at his new home north of the university. At the junior-grade banquet in the Fergus kitchen and dining room. Ticketman Robert Cahill told Newsman Ed Burns of the ChiTrib that he expects to hide under rocks soon if the pre-sale demand for '52 home games keeps up. That is interpreted by Thirty-Four News sports staffers to be a veiled hint to all '34 men to start their "dear old pal" letters early.

The Fergus frolic drew, among others, Callahan, Donovan, Krause, Cahill, Ed Burns, "Tag" Wilson of the Big Ten, Jerry Linka and Ed Stansbury of Chicago press services, Joe Doyle and Paul Neville of the South Bend Trib, Al McGann, and others still snowbound in Fergusville.

WOMEN'S SECTION

Mrs. Vincent Fehlig of St. Louis, nee Hazel Higgins, was seen methodically kicking the shins of a Thirty-Four newsman in retaliation for being short-changed. He had reported four little Fehligs at 7136 Lindell, St. Louis.

There are FIVE.

CONSTRUCTION

Travelers in the northern Indiana area are urged with the coming of spring to visit the Notre Dame campus to see the fast progress made in the four new buildings rising on the front plaza. Alumni travelers can be distinguished from non-alumni by the soft glow of pride seen through the Indiana dusk.

Contributing alumni travelers can be distinguished by the exuberant manner in which they point out the structures to strangers as "OUR new buildings."

INVESTMENT NEWS

All Thirty-Four News readers are reminded of a current excellent investment, with payments of \$1 to \$1,000,000 accepted, in the Notre Dame Foundation. The Father John Cavanaugh Dedication issue is currently a favorite, and no other investment now available offers as much return in satisfaction, smart outlay in capital equipment, increase in value of degrees with passage of years. Address investment amounts and inquiries to Foundation, Notre Dame, Indiana. Try a dollar or two a month to start, every month. They'll mail you reminders.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

To keep your desk at home clear of all blank paper and envelopes, try this helpful hint from our tidiness editor:

Fill each page with notes about yourself and ND friends, job, family, books written, golf courses conquered, promotions earned (or unearned), and sweep them into an envelope addressed to the editor, Thirty-Four News, served by Your News Service—

E. F. Mansfield,
6575 North Glenwood,
Chicago 26, Ill.

What other paper offers you a chance to be both writer and subscriber?

NAVY BLUES

Frank X. Connelly (PO Box 3432, Carmel-by-the-Sea) sums up 20 years with a helper for your secretary, who swung at a dateline and missed. His summing-up:

"Was a little disappointed in the January issue of the ALUMNUS (So was your secretary, and your secretary's spouse) in that it carried no news of the Class of '34—even tho an "ex" of that vintage. I get a kick out of reading of the doings of many whose faces have long since faded from memory—

"Srems like a short 20 years since Mr. "Heiney" Maurus decided after correcting my exam papers that I had a great deal more to learn about foresights and back sights than I was able to exhibit on his examination. Inasmuch as this same learned professor had the ill fortune to be given the difficult position of trying to impart the intricacies of Descriptive Geometry at one and the same time to this brain, with approximately the same results as were apparent in his surveying class, it seemed highly desirable that I place some of my business with the east-bound New York Central Railroad. This was done.

"Be that as it may—exactly 20 years later I find myself out here in sunny, dew-lapped California, recalled to active duty by the U. S. Navy as of October, '51. I'm the assistant Resident Officer in charge of Construction for the new Navy Postgraduate School—and imagine: the first step in the new construction is a \$5 million ENGINEERING BUILDING!!!

HAD YOUR IRONY TODAY?

"I'd said the irony in the situation is worthy of mention and it is the only humorous thing in the whole chain of events which saw me as an "embryonic tycoon" in Rochester, struggling to promote Frank X. Connelly & Co., Acoustical Contractor—the father of five Irishmen—suddenly and with hardly any warning on the way to Monterey, California, as a Lt. Comdr. in the Civil Engineers, to help get this postgraduate school under construction!

"In recent years Larry Carpenter and Bernie Hennessey have been my contacts with ND '34. Larry is with R. T. French in Rochester, trying to find new ways to make mustard and pepper. Bernie is covering just about all of New York State promoting the use of "FoamGlass," a very good roof insulation. Dick Tobin passed out of sight several years ago and has left no sign.

"Keep up the good work and get those '34 boys to write more often."

1935

Franklyn C. Hochreiter, Secretary
1527 Pentwood Road
Baltimore 12, Maryland

Here we are again gang, and this time we had another "agent" pull us out of the woods or we would have gone to press without a word. We hope that the plug for news that came out in the last ALUMNUS will bestir you into action. It gets pretty tough trying to knock out a column for you when there is nothing to write about.

Anyway, here is the newsheet from out in South Bend, sent in by our Class Prexie, Bill Ryan.

"It has been some time since I passed on any information to you for which I am duly ashamed. A few months ago I had occasion to spend several days in Houston, Texas and before I left, I had lunch with Ray Keating, Tom Standish and Joe Johns. At the time I made some notes and then promptly misplaced them somewhere between Texas and South Bend. They

just came to light the other day so I am passing the following on to you.

"Ray Keating has added considerable poundage since I last saw him—which, of course he denies. He has a public accountant's office at 1438 Commerce Building and from all appearances is doing very well for himself. He has four youngsters—a girl nine years old, a boy six years old and twin boys three years old. Being a public accountant, he knows the value of exemptions.

"Tom Standish is with the Houston Light and Power Company. He must be getting advice from Ray for he had five children when I was in Houston and I believe the count must be six by now for one was due within a month. The score when I saw him was three girls and two boys so I hope that last one was a boy to make it even.

"Joe Johns has been with Dupont since graduation. In 1949 he was transferred from Tacoma, Washington to Houston where he has been since. Joe has a 12-year-old boy and a nine-year-old girl.

"Two more of the thirty-fivers are also in Houston but it wasn't possible for me to see them. However, the above trio imparted a few tid-bits about them. George Hill is also with Dupont as a department supervisor and is located in LaPorte, Texas. At the time of my information, he had three children—two girls and a boy. Rocky Lang is with J. A. Walsh Electrical Appliance Company in charge of their Dumont Television Sales. The boys told me that shortly before I arrived, he was on a TV program and did an excellent job.

"Sorry that this information is quite belated but I hope you will get it in time now for the next issue of the ALUMNUS. I might also mention that last week my old side-kick for four years, Ray Margaret, was in South Bend attending a branch managers' meeting for our company. As you probably know, Ray and I have been with the same company almost the entire time since we graduated and Ray is now our manager at White Plains, New York. Time did not permit any social encounters this year so we were unable to swap information about each other. Ray has three boys and looks the same to me as he did seventeen years ago.

"My travels in recent months have taken me in all directions except East. However, Frank, there is a possibility that I might get to Baltimore within the next 30 to 60 days and, if I do, I will give you a ring and maybe we can have lunch together."

That's it, men! Do we do better next time?

Immediately after mailing in our one letter the next mail brought another from John Gainer out there in Alton, Illinois. It's been twelve years since we saw or heard anything from Jack and his note was so welcome that we are sending this along immediately to the editor for inclusion in this month's chatter.

This is Jack's message for which we are so grateful:

"Seeing our meager Class Notes in the current issue of the ALUMNUS shamed me into forwarding my first letter in years. Your faithfulness and devotion to the class certainly deserves better than my past performance, at least, and I resolve to do better by you in the future.

"Upon leaving Notre Dame, I entered Washington University (St. Louis) Law School and was graduated with an LL.B. in 1938. I became associated with a firm here in Alton and engaged in general law practice until last year, when I came into the Trust Department of First National Bank & Trust Company in Alton. In January of this year I was appointed Trust Officer of the Bank.

"During the War, I served in the army and spent some time overseas with the 88th Infantry Division in Italy. While there, I ran into Harry Pierce who was also with the Division and who was in the Class of '37, as I recall. Harry told me that Jim McDevitt was with the Division but I never got to see him. Another pleasant occasion, while in the service, was a chance meeting with Louis Grosso at Camp Patrick Henry, Virginia, on my way overseas.

"I have been happily married since 1940. We have four children (three girls and a boy) two of whom are now in the early years of grade school.

"I attended the five-year reunion in 1940 and regretted missing the fifteen-year party. I certainly look forward, however, to seeing the old crowd again in 1955."

Father Charles L. Doremus, C.S.C., reports that Rocco Schiralli is operating a sports goods store in Gary (Indiana) and has himself a local radio show, too.

And Father Tom Hewitt is back with the fly-boys again. He is officially Chaplain (Major) Thomas E. Hewitt, C.S.C., Box 95. RCAF, Weaver, South Dakota.

BIRTHS

To Lt. and Mrs. Edward J. Kilmurry, a daughter, Kathleen Rita, Jan 7 in Milwaukee, Wis.

1936

A. H. "Lee" Moorman, Jr., Secretary
1708 Industrial Bank Building
Detroit 26, Michigan

"Located: Sebastian "Bunny" Bonet, the undercover man for the La Raza Club during our college days. "Sabby" reports he is married to a lovely colleen, Patricia O'Brien; that he represents the Union Asbestos and Rubber Company; and that he resides at Farhills, New Jersey, R. R. 1. He would like to hear from Tobey Kramer, Jack McKinley and Bill Quirk (so would the secretary).

"Sabby" had quite a career with the United States Army in World War Two. Colonel Donovan's OSS office selected him as one of the first United States representatives to parachute into Greece. That Sabby had already mastered the language, methods and customs of the French, Portuguese, Italians and Americans did not impress our Army.

Accordingly, it was quite disturbing to Sabby to be relieved of correcting Spanish papers at the Army school in Alabama and detailed to the University of Pittsburgh to learn Greek and assimilate the customs, etc., of the people he was scheduled to drop in on unannounced. As the secretary writes this and recalls the blond hair, blue eyes and sly ways of his Spanish friend, Bonet, and of his black market operations in examination papers with Joe Sullivan in our Sophomore year, the secretary is convinced that OSS really was coming up with the perfect agent in Bonet.

However, as is often the case, the story has a happy ending because when the proposed Balkan Invasion was called off "Sabby" went into Normandy with the Ninth Army and after hostilities ceased was placed in charge of Von Ribbentrop's champagne business. HIC!

"Joe McDonald stopped over in Detroit after an extensive business trip through the East. He is located in Davenport, Iowa, and is the daddy of seven children. Joe said that he will be changing positions soon and that there is a possibility his transfer will be to Detroit or, better, still, to his native state of Vermont.

"Pat" Tofuri, who is the New England representative of the Mastic Tile Company of America, sent a nice letter and has promised to help revive our Class column. "Pat," who has three daughters, is living in Winchester, Mass., and is a member of the Town Finance Board. He passes on the information that "Pepper" Martin is coaching at Concord, N. H., and that he occasionally sees George Moriarty and "Andy" Scafati, who are teaching and coaching at Haverhill and Norwood. Pat writes:

"Ask some of my old friends like Shelby Roemere, Dan Sherrod and my roommate Joe Nigro to contribute to the column. The fellows are not so busy that they can forget our early days. This world is hectic enough and if we cannot find time to share experiences and news together then we are fooling ourselves."

Note to Pat Malloy. What news do you have of Harold "Butch" Gooden? When you see him ask him to drop the secretary a line.

ADDRESS CHANGES

Hal Stine's new address is 34 Kemp Avenue, Fairhaven, N. J.

Frances Kellner has moved from Kenmore, New York to 23 Wallace Avenue, Buffalo, New York.

Dr. Thomas Dorris is now with Jacobs Engineering Company, 600 16th Street, Oakland, California.

Father John Thomas McGee, C.S.C., is back taking salutes in the Canadian Air Force. Father John is stationed at Goose Bay, Labrador, putting a hash mark on the ones he earned in 4/2

years during World War II with various ground units of the Canadian Army.

Those of the '36 class who might want to drop a note can reach him at RCAF, Goose Bay, Labrador.

1939

Vince DeCoursey, Secretary
1917 Elizabeth
Kansas City 2, Kansas

Not an awful lot in the way of news from '39 this issue. Seems as though the boys are keeping out of trouble and too busy to write. Had a nice letter some time ago which somehow didn't get into print from Mrs. "Burly" Grimes proving, as had been said many times in the past, women are the best correspondents of Class '39.

The Grimes live in Dayton, Ohio, where Ed is one of the mainsprings at Wright Field, having been there twelve years. Mrs. Grimes said that Bob Heuther had visited them while on business at the field—Bob is still at Northrop Aviation at Hawthorne, California. Seems like Wright Field has a pretty fair club since Hank Rohl, Jack Schulze, Karl Fromuth, Wally Gerend, Walt Grady and Roy Rasmussen are all members.

From Daniel Falsioni, who by all odds is the best correspondent this column has ever had, announcement that his first, a girl, arrived in mid-July (1951 that is). Dan is practicing law at Lockport, New York.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Verhoestra, a son, Dec. 27 in South Bend.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Piedmont, a daughter, Regina Patricia, in New Haven.

To Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sutton, a son, Larry, Jr., January 8.

SYMPATHY

To Jim Snyder, Hollywood, Ill., on the death of his father.

To Jack Cole, Indianapolis, on the death of his father.

1944

George A. Bariscillo, Jr., Secretary
515 Fifth Avenue
Bradley Beach, New Jersey

Your Secretary, under pressure of an early deadline (February 15 for the March-April ALUMNUS), embarks upon the pleasant task of reporting class news—but regrets to advise that only TWO of our classmates found time in the weeks since the last column was threaded together to educate us on their whereabouts and respective careers. Before we get to their reports, however, (and please pardon the "lecture") I just want to emphasize the obvious: this corner in the "mag" is reserved for news about us; I can't invent it! So, I need your continued cooperation; better yet, I need your postcards and letters. So give!

Now let's see what's new!

Reported in this column an issue or two ago was an inquiry from one of our classmates for the whereabouts and doings of Kelly Cook, whom, you will remember, edited the DOME in our Junior year. Kelly has been recalled to active service and is now at Dow Air Force Base in Bangor, Maine (Box 222, Dow AFB) flying F-84 Thunderjets and F-51 Mustangs.

He left ND in 1949 (where he had taught in the English department for two years), and then worked for Radio Station KCOM in Sioux City, Iowa until the fact of his presence in the Iowa Air National Guard changed things. Reports Kelly:

"With the 174th Fighter Squadron of the Iowa Air National Guard, I was recalled to active military service in February, 1951. In April, we were transferred to Dow Air Force Base in Bangor, Maine, some few miles south of the Arctic Circle. Here, since then, in fog, rain, wind, and snow. . . . I have a wife, two children, an automobile ('51 Chevy convertible, because I thought our unit was going to West Palm Beach, Florida), and considerably more creature comforts than Thoreau would have collected to live in New England."

Kelly inquires for Dick Ames' address; anyone knowing same, please forward to him or to your scribe.

Tom Kelly, if you're reading this column, suggest you slip on the dark glasses as the finger of shame is about to be pointed in your direction. It's like this: your buddy, Paul O'Connell, informed me of how you promised each other one of you would write a letter to the ALUMNUS. Paul's reached this desk first—but yours is still welcome! Understand you're living in Pittsburgh with that lovely wife of yours, Juanita, Tom. How's about a little more info on yourself and other '44ers you've heard from for the next issue.

Coming back to Paul O'Connell's letter, we learn that he completed work for his Ph.D. in biochemistry at Rochester in January, 1949, was married to Marge Wenning of Euclid, Ohio the next month (her brother, Jack Wenning, '52, was best man and Tom Healy, '50, an usher), and then began a post-doctoral fellowship in the Department of Chemistry of the Univ. of Pittsburgh. Paul has two sons, Mark and Peter, and as of last September their daddy has been a member of the research staff of the Upjohn Company. The former K. of C. vaudeville star writes:

"Being closer to Notre Dame than any time since October, 1943, has given me an opportunity to visit there as I would like. I saw the Southern Methodist game in the fall (let us pass over this in silence). I never seem to have the good fortune to meet any of our classmates at the games, but I did have a good chance to visit with friends in Chemistry Hall and my special friend, Father Thomas Irving. . . . Besides Tom Kelly, Joe Christen of our class was working for Gulf Oil in Pittsburgh.

"Tom works in the research labs of Pittsburgh Consolidated Coal, one of the more progressive organizations in a field that needs it. I know his work has made a good record for Notre Dame chemists, and also, as it should be, with his pastor. Tom is the parish organist."

And here's a flock of news on chem majors of our class that Paul has rounded up for us: Charles Raley received an M.S. at school and a Ph.D. from his home state University of Delaware. Last heard from Charley was with the Southwestern Research Institute in San Antonio. . . . Mandell Ziegler, Ph.D., Michigan State, is with DuPont. . . . Bob "the Voice" Byrnes is another Merck man. . . . Joe Walsh also completed his Ph.D. work at ND and went on to a teaching position at Fordham. . . . John Kuhn (our senior year president and high-average chemist of the class) eschewed any graduate work and is doing well in the Chicago sales office of the Dow Chemical Co.

And still more news on '44ers furnished by Paul O'Connell:

"Accounting major John Bright is now selling for a competitor of my employer, a Milwaukee drug firm—Lakeside Laboratories. John has the Connecticut territory and lives in Southington with his wife, Lillian, and two boys.

"My short-time roommate (before his Air Corps call in Feb., 1943) Paul Marietta, was married this past summer and is an agent for Prudential Insurance around Terre Haute. Earl Englert, my personal candidate for the most enthusiastic Notre Dame booster of the class, has a house in his hometown of Louisville. But where Earl may be living at any given moment is anybody's guess.

"He is plying his chemical engineering trade with the Girdler Corporation and within the past year has been working in Norristown, Pa., Dallas, Los Angeles, Atlanta and Kansas City. Earl married a South Bend girl, Jane Hannan, and they have two boys and a girl.

"Phil Clarke, who left us in December of 1942 to enter medical school, took his internship at St. Louis and then entered the Navy. He stayed on the coast for residencies in the Univ. of California hospitals but has just returned to his native Denver, where he is now at St. Joseph's Hospital. Next July he is to be Chief Resident in Medicine at University of Colorado Hospital. It is evident that Phil is a top-notch physician. And to maintain a top rating, he and his lovely wife, Doris, are the proud parents of four children.

"Phil tells me that Pat Yoklavich recently completed a tour with the Naval Medical Corps and has returned to Salt Lake City for more study in surgery. He has three daughters. . . . Vic Desimon is now a full-fledged member of the legal profession. . . . I always enjoy hearing

of others through your column. I hope I have properly embarrassed Kelly and will be seeing his contribution in print soon. Perhaps some others I have lost track of will also be moved—Leo Lardie, Dr. McSweeney, Bill O'Connell, and others."

Gents, if you've read about yourself somewhere in the foregoing column, wish you'd grab a scrap of paper and scribble out any other info of interest—and especially news of others in our class. If your name hasn't been mentioned, it's not an oversight. To repeat, I can't invent news about you (and perhaps subject myself to a libel suit!) So, please enlighten us with what you're doing, whom you have seen, and what you've heard about our buddies.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Rad, a daughter, Patricia Eleanor, in Houston, Texas, Jan. 19.

To Mr. and Mrs. Theodore O'Toole, Jr., a son, Theodore III, January 10 in High Point, N. C.

ENGAGEMENTS

William C. O'Connor and Phyllis Mary McCloy of Queens Village, N. Y.

1945

Al Lesmez, Secretary
61-56 82nd Street
Elmhurst, New York

LOOKING AHEAD

Several people have written to ask whether there will be a '45 NROTC reunion this year, or whether it is to be held in conjunction with the regular '45 reunion in 1955. I have been checking on this question lately, especially since I am interested in having the NROTC meet at the same time with the rest of the class. Most men will find it impossible to attend two reunions held during the same year, and since most of the NROTC group belong to the '45 class, it would be swell for all concerned if we could hold both our reunions at the same time—although as separate functions, if desired.

In this respect I quote from a letter received this week from Rev. Charles M. Carey, C.S.C.:

"In regard to the NROTC reunion about which you inquired in your letter of January 8, I believe that anything I might say to you at this time would have to be indefinite. Most of the men who returned for that previous reunion have now returned to service and are scattered all over the world with little knowledge of what the future holds for them. I imagine that once they are returned to a peace-time existence we shall begin to hear from J. D. Usina and his contemporaries regarding the possibility of another reunion. I can then suggest to them that we all meet at the same time as the 1945 class ten-year reunion. Meantime, you have my every good wish for your success in keeping the 1945 interest alive among Notre Dame men."

All this is just some food for thought—looking ahead a little—so that when the time comes for a decision, it will be easier to decide what is the best to do. We will soon poll all NROTC men to find how they feel about this, so that we will then know whether it will be worthwhile to try for a dual reunion of the mutual groups.

LETTERS FROM DEPARTMENT

From Frank J. Curran: "The end of '51 found me, as ever, pursuing the M.D. I expect to receive this June. Hardly had I wondered what the new year held for me, when I found myself married to the former Miss Doris E. Wolf of New York City. I find myself with 8 more pounds of "muscle" and with an appetite that eyes the rest of the year with a gourmet's delight. Give my regards to all the boys."

From Welton R. Abell:

"In July of 1950 I was called back to active duty with the Marine Corps. I was sent to Korea where I stayed eleven months. I returned in September 1951 and married Miss Margaret Minot of Beverly Hills, California, in October. We now have a small apartment in St. Louis, and I am back at my old job as Advertising Manager for a brewing machinery manufacturer. Regards to all."

From Welton R. Abell:

"Enjoyed your visit in Rome and appreciated your letter afterwards. We were ordained on December 8, in the College Chapel by the

Rector, Bishop O'Connor. Father Mark McGrath, C.S.C., '45, was present, as also on the next day at the Church of St. Agnes where my first Mass was celebrated. Vacationed with parents during Christmas holidays. Father James Buckley, C.S.C. (also ordained in December) and I served each other the other day at one of the churches here in Rome."

From J. D. Usina:

"I have been back in the Navy since November 12, 1950 on the USS Essex (CU-9). We have been operating with Task Force 77 off Korea since this past summer. Frank Culhane is on the USS Colahan, a DD which is with us now and then. Don Clays now is on the General Morton, a transport, and Bill Pfister and Bill Klem are somewhere with the Navy in the Atlantic. As I understand it, all of us were recently made Lieutenants in the Naval Reserve.

"At Christmas I heard from Bill Waddington, Dave Champion, and Bob Erkins. Bob is occupied in public relations work with the Huntington in Pasadena, California. Dave is still with the Champion Rivet Company in Cleveland. Last reports had Bill doing work with a Minneapolis advertising agency, but this could be old news by now.

"My primary job is ward room Mess Caterer on the Essex. Now I can appreciate the problems of Mr. Ford and Company in the Dining Hall. Am qualified now as 000 and put in a spare 8 hours a day on the bridge. This keeps me out of mischief but multiplies my gray hairs. We hope to turn Stateside one of these days before we all go Asiatic. Best wishes and good luck to the class." (Best of luck to you, too. J.D.—from the class, and from me personally. You'll have a letter from me in the next few days, sent to USS Essex (CU-9), FPO San Francisco).

From James C. Andrews:

"I am serving in the USAF on a two-year tour (with 11 months left) as Capt. in the Medical Corps. My home at present is in Charlottesville, Virginia, where my wife, Dr. Patricia Andrews is finishing her residency training in anesthesiology at the University of Virginia Hospital. We have a 10-month-old baby boy born 6 March 1951. Say 'Hello' to everyone for us."

From Jack Kinney:

"I was transferred with the General Electric to Louisville, Ky., from Erie, Pa., so please change my address to 2812 Yorkshire Blvd., Louisville, Kentucky. Have met Larry O'Connor and we plan on taking in the ND-U. of Louisville basketball game this Saturday. Best regards to all the men of '45."

From Joseph P. Fisher:

"I was admitted to the Pennsylvania Bar in March 1951. Since then I have been employed as Law Clerk to Judge W. Heber Dithrich of the Superior Court of Pennsylvania, an Appellate Court. My address at present is 723 George Street, Corapolis, Pa."

From Jim Clynes:

"I was very happy to reach the finals of the Cherry Valley Country Club golf championship this Fall. Would you kindly send me the addresses of Tom McCoughey, Rem Toner, Bud Malone, and Bill Fitzharris? I have lunch with Hank Slamin and Harry Walters occasionally. Both are doing fine. Had announcement of Dr. John Dockweiler's marriage. Please forward his address, if you have same. Regards to all."

Jim, a note's in the mail giving you the address of the men you mentioned in your letter. I want to congratulate you, too, on being named to the Board of Governors of the Notre Dame Club of New York. Good luck to you . . . Al.

From Ed LaRocque:

"I was recalled to active duty in the Navy in October 1950. I expect to get out in October of 1952, and lead the nice life of a civilian again. Upon recall I was ordered to an LST, and have been on it ever since. We've been in the Far East most of the time with the exception of about four months spent Stateside last summer when I squeezed in a 30-day leave. I'm still a bachelor, but will change

that status as soon as I get back to the States. I hope that everything's fine with you; maybe I'll see you at one of the games next Fall."

(Certainly hope so, Ed. And maybe you won't be alone either, but with a missus, from what you say above. Good luck!! Ed's address is Lt. jg, USNR, USS LST 802, c/o FPO, San Francisco, California)

From Ernie Rauscher:

"Announcing the arrival of Ernest W. Rauscher, Jr., '74, on December 27, 1951 at 12:05 p.m., weight: 6 lbs., 15 ozs. Mother feeling fine; father very proud. Regards to the class."

From Ray Kopituk:

"Enter another of the long lost '45ers. Writing this has been one of the many things I wanted to do, but just never got around to doing it before. You may or may not remember me by now, but I led the V-12 band and when the Marines were still there, alternated at that post with Jim Kress.

"Incidentally, whatever became of him? I also had the V-12 swing band that we used at the school and in South Bend. There is one lad from that outfit I am trying to get in touch with and that is George Finn. He was with the NROTC at the time. I would appreciate your getting his address for me, if you can.

"Over the past several years, many things have happened to me—such as getting married!! My wife's name is Dotty and we have a 3-year-old son, Raymond, Jr.

"I've been associated with Crucible Steel's Eastern Research Laboratories, Norwalk Razor and Blade Company, and am now metallurgist with Reaction Motors, Inc.—makers of rocket engines such as those which power the Bell X-1, Douglas SKYROCKET, and the Navy's VIKING missile, etc. The work I am now in is extremely fascinating, to say the least.

"I haven't seen too much of the class of '45 except those in my old metallurgy class such as George Sippel, Ed Faust, Tubby LaRocque and Jim Butler. Has Tubby gone back into the navy, or was that another LaRocque I was reading about? I guess I've seen Jim Butler the most of the above group because he was transferred to the Kearney, N. J. Research Labs of U. S. Steel from the Chicago works under their training program.

"The last I heard from Jim, he had been in a very serious car accident. However, he is getting along fine now and is back in Chicago. The last I heard from George Sippel, he was X-ray man for an aircraft outfit in Indianapolis, while Ed Faust has left the field of metallurgy and is doing actuarial work with an insurance company in Columbus, Ohio.

"Well, I guess that just about does it for now, Al. I'll be looking for that George Finn

address if you have it." (Ray, first of all I want to thank you for your swell and newsy letter. Secondly, I want to welcome you into the class since you are one of those "lost sons" that we've been trying to find. I remember you well, from the SCHOLASTIC stories about dances and events at which your band played. I'll send you those addresses as soon as I find out the info. Best regards, Al.)

From Jim Paris:

"Remember me? I used to be your partner for wind-tunnel lab taught by Prof. Brown way back in 1943 or 1944. I was in the Navy V-12 unit at that time. I'm writing now to have you add my name to your roster of '45, since I just wrote to the Alumni Office for a dual purpose—to give them my new address (I've just moved to California, about two months ago) and to request that I be listed as a member of the class of '45, since I recognize more names in your column than any other, and save for my Navy service, I would have graduated in 1945.

"Now for some news about myself and the Notre Dame men I've seen or been associated with since '43. I left Notre Dame under Navy orders in April of 1945 to go to Great Lakes—seems I acquired too many demerits. I ultimately finished my Naval career aboard the battleship Alabama in the Pacific as a Seaman, First Class. I was discharged in April of 1946 and returned to school in September '46, graduating finally in June '47 with a B.S. in Aero Engineering.

"Then went to your part of the country, Al, to take a job as a junior designer with Chance Vought Aircraft in Stratford, Conn. While there I met Jim Kelly, Bill Soong, Art Ley, Ed Marshall and Jack Klingler, who were then, I believe, the only Notre Dame men in Chance Vought's engineering department. Of course, Peter Wachs was Personnel Manager, but I didn't find Art Ley's address. He left Chance Vought in '48 to come to California, and now that I'm here, I'd like to look him up. I think he graduated around 1943. (Jim, I'll try to get this for you and will send you a letter soon.—Al.)

"I returned to South Bend temporarily in May 1948 to be married to the former Miss Gloria Cook. We were married by Father Norton at Notre Dame. So far God has not blessed our marriage with children, but we keep praying.

"In December 1948 I moved, with Chance Vought, to Dallas, Texas, where I became acquainted with Hal Tehan and his wife, Joan. I had attended St. Joseph's Parochial School in South Bend with his wife, so we reminisced about South Bend. I learned also that Dr. Bob Murphy was in Dallas—He too is from St. Joseph parish in South Bend. I also met Joe Haggard in Dallas—you probably knew him, Al. Other Notre Damers met in Dallas were Johnny Sierra and Bill LaJoie, plus many other swell fellows of the Notre Dame Club of Dallas.



Alumni-coaches at the Cincinnati NCAA meet: standing, rear, Dick Friend and Paul Patten; seated, second row: Joe Gavin, Hugh Devore, Rex Enright, Joe Bach and Adam Walsh; left and right, front row, Frank Leahy and Jimmy Phelan.

"In February 1950 I left Chance Vought to go to Bendix in South Bend as an engineer in the Landing Gear Department. The Chief Engineer there, Tom Delker, was a graduate in the first class of Aero Engineers at Notre Dame. Joe Eaton and Dan Siegel were other ND men I got acquainted with in South Bend.

"That brings me practically up to the present. Last Fall I took a vacation and went East again, visiting the old stomping grounds in Stratford, Conn., driving down to Philadelphia—or rather to Roslyn, just outside of Philly, where I visited my old roomie, John Patane.

"He's got quite a real estate business there, and he's doing all right. After the vacation, I returned to Bendix. Last November, I moved to California just in time to drown in some "dew" at the Southern California game. During half-time I ran into Jack Zilly, who's living in California too. We dodged raindrops long enough to have quite a talk. He's with the RAMS.

"Since I've finally broken the ice, maybe some of the fellows will see some words about me in our column and write me. Fellows like Cliff Marks, who's still at McDonnell in St. Louis, I understand—probably almost Chief Engineer by now. And what happened to guys like Dave Randall and Jim Monahan?

"As for me, I'm still very much in the engineering game, currently with a firm of consulting engineers with home offices in Allentown, Pa., but I'm on loan to Lockheed in Burbank, which explains my presence to California. I'm sold on it, and plan to remain here for a good many years. Until 1955, at least, when I'll be back for the ten-year reunion. I'm sorry I missed that five-year reunion, but the next one will be different! Good luck, Al; be seeing you." (Jim, if you think I forgot you, you are quite wrong. I remember your shipping out just before our graduation. You were always there ready to help in the Aero Club, and at the meetings. Glad to hear you're doing good and that you like California. Keep in touch with us, and welcome to the class of '45. I'll relay your address, 418 W. Stocker Street, Glendale 2, California, to the rest of the class. Good luck . . . Al).

And to the rest of the class, keep those letters coming in. Good luck, best regards, and I'll be seeing you next issue. S'long, Al.

To Jim Armstrong, from Harry J. Walters: "Thought I'd drop you a line to let you know I have been appointed Assistant District Attorney of Bronx County, New York. The appointment is effective January 30.

"One of these days I hope to find time to write a full letter to Al Lesmez. It will help him with our class column in your ALUMNUS."

ENGAGEMENTS

Joseph Lyons, Jr., and Miss Patricia Ann Russell.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Rauscher, a son, Ernest, Jr., in Clifton, New Jersey, Dec. 27, 1951.

MARRIAGES

Dr. Jerome F. Cordes and Miss Rosa Graciela Marcos, Feb. 2 in St. Louis.

1946

Jack Tenge, Jr., Secretary
912 Lovett Blvd.
Houston, Texas

Jack Stewart, from the American Institute of Foreign Trade, Phoenix, Ariz., writes:

"Chuck Clauss was down here in Phoenix a few days and we had a few days to recall some of our ND sessions.

"A month or so ago I heard from Charlie Bartlett. He is coming here to school next semester.

"I have no financial interest in the place, other than having to pay tuition, etc.—just like everyone else—but it is one of the best outfits in the country. The language program is without parallel and the placement service is equally good.

"Any Notre Dame graduate who is contemplating a career abroad—in either government or business—might do well to invest a year here. The campus has none of the traditional earmarks of a campus, and there is the absence of restrictions which generally apply in undergraduate schools. Informality is the keynote and seriousness and earnestness are much more in evidence than in college."

Also from the Southwest, comes this from Rudy Lopez, in Chino, Calif.:

"Have been on the go so much since I've graduated that I've really never had too much time to sit down and let you know our new address.

"I'm at the present time working for the Department of Corrections here in California as a Guidance Counselor in the state's new \$3½ million Guidance Center. We classify every convicted inmate in Southern California, transfer him to one of the four prisons and recommend educational, medical, vocational, etc., treatment for him while incarcerated. It's very interesting work, but very different from that of coaching.

"In case you didn't know, last season I was Athletic Director and head coach at the Chino Institution for Men, California's minimum security prison, and we had a very successful season playing against the small colleges and university teams close by.

ENGAGEMENTS

Edward R. Fleming and Miss Margaret Shilts, of South Bend, Ind.



Sam Adelo, Secretary
818 Thomas Street
South Bend, Indiana

Reunion plans are fast shaping into the organized reality that we'll all be enjoying come June 6, 7, and 8. A local planning committee has been set up by the South Bend contingent of the class and we're all hot to go, making our first reunion an affair that will be enjoyed and remembered by all.

Bill Wishing, Pete Rucano, Bob McBride, Ed Caparo, Paul Godollet, Jack Alexander, and Jack Freeman are all serving on this planning group. Art May is also helping make the original arrangements. We all met at Rosie's a few weeks ago and between reminiscing over the class members and downing our beer and steaks, we came up with what is going to be a slam bang program for our reunion dates.

There is a dinner arranged for the evening of June 6 in the new Morris Inn. We have the 19th hole reserved for our boys. And on Friday and Saturday a golf tournament has been planned to clear our heads and loosen our limbs from the evening revelry. Saturday morning our class Mass is scheduled to be offered for all the deceased classmates from '47. We'll all be holed up in Dillon Hall together for our Reunion quarters.

That's the nucleus of the affair, but its success depends on the cooperation of you. We are going to start mailing out more information in March and hope to have a class roster to you then. With this you can start calling your neighboring classmates so that your area is represented 100 percent. Perhaps car pools can be arranged or buses chartered to cut down all expenses to the minimum. We'll need some regional chairmen to organize the big cities and areas so drop me a line at my address above with your suggestions and remarks.

The Reunion can be boosted by regional plugs from members of the Class who are active in their local Alumni Clubs.

We have nine such men in the class, which your secretary regards as a very good score for one of the youngest of Alumni classes. Nine men in office out of 117 Clubs speaks well for the interest of our '47 members.

These men are:

Jim Clauss, secretary of the Buffalo Club; Fred Eichorn, Attendance Committee, Chattanooga; Jim Simon, vice-president, Houston; John FitzHenry, secretary, Michigan City, Ind.; John Robinson, President Ohio Valley; Howard Beilstein, treasurer, San Diego; Paul McCabe, secretary-treasurer Southern (NY) Tier; Paul Qualey, secretary-treasurer Twin City (Minnesota); and Dave Korty, treasurer Wabash Valley, Indiana.

It looks like a good time is in store for us

all so remember to set those dates aside. That's June 6th, 7th, and 8th.

Now for a little news on some of our cohorts: I'll give you some bad news first. Capt. John Lauck, who was wounded twice in the Pacific during World War II, has been wounded again in Korea after only a month in action. Recalled to active duty in September, he left for Korea in December and was wounded in the left arm and hand by shrapnel January 7. He is with the First Marine Division.

From the American Institute For Foreign Trade: Charles Cooper received a Bachelor of Foreign Trade degree in January at the American Institute for Foreign Trade, Thunderbird Field, Phoenix, Arizona. The course of study at the Institute concentrates techniques of international business administration, foreign languages and characteristics of foreign countries. Specializing in Latin America, Cooper has completed the school's intensive program in preparation for a career in American business or government abroad.

From First Lt. Tom Snyder, MC-USAF, USAF Hospital, Donaldson Air Force Base, Greenville, S. C.: "Just a note to the Class of '47 to inform any old friends of my whereabouts (said whereabouts of course subject to change), now that I am a doctor for Uncle Sam. I was glad to see a note about Dr. Ed Sanders of our class. Anyone ever hear from Ken Zine, another pre-Med who was in Med school last I heard some few years ago? All of us were Comparative Anatomy buddies under Dr. Zangrel."

John Mastrangelo has retired from pro ball and is now working as a contact manager with a local trucking firm.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Giordano, a son, Anthony Francis, January 21. Weight 8 lbs, 1 oz.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Mastrangelo, a daughter, Paula Marie, August 15, in Vandergrift, Pa.

To Mr. and Mrs. William R. Schramm, a daughter, Deborah Jean, Dec. 31, 1951 (10:42 p.m.)

To Mr. and Mrs. George Weiss, a daughter, Mary Shawn, 5/8 Irish.

MARRIAGES

George A. Conway and Elizabeth Bader in Brooklyn.

CLARIFICATION DEPARTMENT

(to John Burns)

"Thank you for your note of congratulations on the birth of our daughter.

"We are writing you again to correct your impression about her name. Her name is NOT Mary Sharon but Mary Shawn. The name S-h-a-w-n is a good old Irish one and a happy choice for a girl who is much more (5/8) Irish than the name Weiss would indicate.

"As we hope our good news will be published in the ALUMNUS we wanted to be accurate. Thank you very much. Sincerely, George & Maryita Weiss—and Mary S-h-a-w-n."

Jack Miles, the quick-change artist—from bachelor to benedict in two easy words (I DO)—found time before his Feb. 23 wedding to shoot a few needles, as follows:

"As I told you I would, I sent 14 postal cards out ere Jan. 1 plugging the class reunion. So far, three replies and the result is exactly as I had suspected. After Uncle Sam, Notre Dame comes first.

"If they are representative of a majority of our lads I am afraid our reunion will be smaller than we'd like it. But a college reunion is insignificant in the over-all picture, and it will be up to the boys who manage to make the get-together to pray that the absenteers will be able to make it 100 percent in 1957.

"Anyway, here are some new addresses which may be of help to you:

Lt. (jg) Lawrence Reister
USS Coolbaugh (DE 217)
US Naval Base
Key West, Fla.

"Larry said, on Jan. 7, 'The weather down here is wonderful.' He has probably changed his mind. The Navy's tentative plans call for Larry to spend April in Norfolk and May through August in the Mediterranean (wow!) and Near East area. He will be here for the reunion, though, if at all possible.

N C Robert R. Rosenthal
Bldg 1451, Rm 108
NAAS Whiting Field
Milton, Florida

"Rosie writes that he has been in training there since June. After ND he took two years of Chem.E. at Washington U. in St. Louis, then worked two years in the Chemical Engineering field at a small St. Louis plant, the Carboline Co. He also found time to become engaged to Miss Barbara Bassett—the wedding may be this fall after he gets his wings. So, though he had looked forward to it for five years, no reunion for Rosie.

Cpl. Robert L. Mulcahy, US 5 1064 361
HQ and HQ Co., 102 QB Group
APO 34, c/o PM, New York

"My information about Bob is second-hand, gleaned from a Christmas card I got from his parents in Merrick, N. Y. He's been in Germany since October, though and he'll be sorely missed by his '47 brethren.

"Bob's roommate and co-scourge of 135 Alumni Hall, "Moose" Matthews, is now Second Lieutenant Elmer M. Matthews, date of rank 19 Jan '51. He received his bars at Fort Riley but I have no address for him.

"So there you have it. A gloomy picture so far. I'm sure they are in the thoughts and prayers of every Notre Dame man, together with all their fellow alumni in service. It's a wonderful feeling to be sure Our Lady's Legionnaires will always be militant servants of God. Country and Notre Dame."

1948

Herman A. Zitt
126 Farmside Dr.
Dayton, Ohio

Robert Rolwing is now piping engineer for the F. H. McGraw Co., who are erecting the new Atomic Energy Commission plant at Kevil, Ky., just 18 miles from Cairo. His address: 634 33rd St., Cairo, Ill.

From John Sweeney:

Our family now counts a boy and a girl, with Mary Christine arriving January 3 in Chicago. Jack, Jr., is almost two.

"We're still living in Long Island City (20-06 18th Street) while I finish my Ph.D. at Columbia."

Ed Ostroski and Mrs. O. became the No. 1 parents of 1951 in South Bend at 12:29 a.m. Jan. 1. Barbara Jo is the name.

Your secretary was going to put in his private plug here for a member of the '48 class, but Jack Robinson, a cousin from '47 puts it so well in a letter to the members of the Bellaire, Ohio Club, that we'll use his words:

"This is the story of Robert Kelley, Allentown, Pa., graduate in Civil Engineering, '48.

"In mid-December, while surveying coal acreage in the vicinity of Benwood, W. Va., for his firm, the Bethlehem Collieries, Bob was struck by the swinging bucket of a steam shovel. He lays helpless, his spine and lower half of his body encased in a cast in room 304, Ohio Valley General Hospital, Wheeling, W. Va.

"In spite of his physical pain, his greatest cross is loneliness. Both his parents are dead. His nearest relatives, an aunt and uncle, live around Philadelphia.

"This is not an appeal for money. Bob is being provided for by his firm. Rather, this is an appeal to the finer instincts of all Notre Dame men in our area, to visit Bob often during his confinement."

How about some letters and cards to Bob?

And if any men of '48 are going near Wheeling, W. Va., how about a short detour to Wheeling General for a short visit? Traditionally, Notre Dame men take care of their own. Bob's not only one of our Notre Dame men, he's a classmate. Let's help him.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. John Sweeney, a daughter, Mary Christine, Jan. 3 in Chicago.

To Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ostroski, a daughter, Barbara Jo, Jan. 1, in South Bend.

To Mr. and Mrs. Orville E. Dunn, a son, Thomas Edward, Feb. 1 in Dayton.

1949

John P. Walker, Secretary
135 So. LaSalle Street
Chicago, Ill.

First, we have an item in the small world department. One day not so long ago I wandered into the conference room of our august agency and discovered Ernie Rogers setting up a presen-



The Class of '38 (South Bend Chapter) lined up for the testimonial at Hotel Oliver for Joe Kuharich (center, front), on his appointment as coach of the pro "Cardinals."

tation for us. Ernie, who is now happily married, is with the selling arm of the outdoor advertising association here in Chicago.

And Jack Reed of Cleveland spent some time in Chicago. He is a buyer with the Higbee Company, a large Cleveland department store. Jack has been married about six months and he and his wife Sally have a suburban place at Avon Lake, Ohio, right near Cleveland. Jack, your correspondent, Tom McNally, Bill Lyman and Bob Madden had dinner together in honor of the happy occasion.

Now to the mail:

William J. (Bill) Gorman writes from Washington, D. C.:

"I wish to announce the birth of our first child, a son, Michael Tennant, on October 27. We are still located in Washington, D. C., and have been running across quite a few '49ers. I would appreciate hearing from some of my classmates in other parts of the country, especially Joe Gettlein, Art Smith and Paul Bailey."

OK you guys, take out the paper and pen and drop Bill a line at 3808 Davis Pl. N.W., Washington 7, D. C., Apt. 301.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Daniel of Tallahassee, Fla., wish to announce the arrival of Kevin Michael (class of '72) who was born October 3. I received a nice long letter from one half of the Boyer twins, John. Sgt. John J. Boyer is working in the classification and assignment section of the 11th Armored Cavalry Personnel Office. Before the Army got him John was with the Indiana State Penal Farm interviewing inmates. John married the former Marguerite Conlon who was in nursing at St. Joseph hospital, South Bend.

Jim Boyer is also in the Army and stationed at Camp McCoy, Wisconsin. John would enjoy hearing from some of his old buddies; his address: Sergt. John J. Boyer, 719 West Pikes Peak Ave., Colorado Springs, Colo.

From Bob McDavid at McComb, Miss., comes this pleasant news.

"Will you help me tell the world that we have a son? Robert Finley McDavid, III, was born October 31, in McComb. He weighed ten pounds and one ounce. My wife is the former Maryalyce Truman of Omaha and Rosary College, '50. I am teaching and coaching here in McComb and enjoying the wonderful weather. We drove up to Brookhaven to see Bob O'Donnell, '48, and his wife, Alice. John D'Antoni is with the Gulf Oil Co. and is in Hattiesburg, Miss."

Edwin Conley was married to Betty Jean Mueller December 27 at San Antonio, Texas.

Got a very newsy Christmas card from Bill Pfaff; says Bill:

"My own career has been military for the past year—infantry basic and leader's course, then a PR assignment. My present station is Fort Jackson, S. C. Ed Probst, either '49 or '50, is also here. Visited New York, my ex-apartment sharer Lou Burns is doing brilliantly in public relations. Ted Joyce is with CARE in Boston. Trackman Jim Murphy is in Washington."

Also in the mails comes a nice longie from Joe (Pepe) Concannon. Joe, before he joined the Air Force, was Sales Manager of the Concannon Vineyard. Currently Joe holds a second lieutenant commission in the Air Force and is stationed at the Air Force Indoctrination Base at Pleasanton, Calif., only ten miles from his home.

Bob Probst writes that on October 10 he became engaged to Miss Margaret Roman and was married December 29 in Ann Arbor. Bob's new address is 855 First St., Apartment 3, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Pat Doyle, formerly of South Bend, is now in Kalamazoo, at Ingersoll division of Borg-Warner. His address there is 7308 Portage Road.

F. B. Nuelle (Metallurgy) is the recently announced assistant supervisor of GE's Chemical and Metallurgical Program at its Pittsfield, Mass., plant.

Bill Breen (1st Lt. W. J. Breen, AO-222 1661, 35th Ftr-Bmr Sq, APO 970, San Francisco, Calif.) would like to know what this half of the world is doing.

"Even though I'm away from the institution," Bill writes, "it is ever so present in my thoughts. It was the best thing I have ever done, attending Notre Dame, and I try to carry on out here with the principles and learning obtained there."

"I would appreciate if you remembered me in the ALUMNUS, along with my other classmates of '49. I'm assistant operations officer in a fighter-bomber outfit in Korea."

ENGAGEMENTS

Henry B. Froning, Jr., and Miss Constance Luczak, of South Bend, Ind.

MARRIAGES

Peter Kernan, Jr., and Miss Ann Schaefer, in Detroit.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. John N. Terrio, Jr., a daughter Jan. 27 in South Bend, Ind.

1950

2nd Lt. John F. Connor, USMCR
I Co., 2nd Tr. Bn, "A" Barracks
Marine Corps Schools
Quantico, Va.

Bill Braunlich of Monroe, Mich. (Magna cum Laude, Law) is in Europe, in the Inspector-General section of the 28th Infantry Division.

Bill is holding down the rank of captain. He enlisted as a private in 1943, became an infantry officer with the American Division in South Pacific service and went into the inactive reserve in September, 1946. When he was recalled to active duty Bill was secretary of the Monroe County (Mich.) Bar Association, and secretary of the Monroe Alumni Club.

Mrs. B. is in Monroe with daughters Barbara and Marcia.

Three more military notes—everyone's getting into the act:

Rufe Rauch, Jr., is an ensign at Norfolk, on staff duty in the Hq of Admiral L. D. McCormick, Atlantic Fleet Commander.

Jim Carberry is a captain, address Unit PO 1, Box 912, San Antonio, Tex., and Ed Foley is a sergeant at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

Foley wrote Father Harry Stegman recently: "On Nov. 19, 1951 a new fighting Irishman was brought into the world. And he'll be an All-American at Notre Dame in 1972 or his name won't be Foley. He was baptized, named Edmond William, on the second of November here (in Lebanon, Mo.) He was only a little guy at birth, six pounds, five ounces, but now weighs a husky 13. Good start for a fullback post."

ENGAGEMENTS

John C. Heyvaert and Miss Ruth Gadamsowski, of South Bend, Ind.

Peter M. Gross and Miss Patricia Anne Wolfe, of South Bend, Ind.

Louis Di Giovanni and Miss Mary Lois Kehoe, of Pelham, N. Y.

MARRIAGES

William John Wightkin and Miss Joan Waechter, in South Bend, Ind.

Bernard M. O'Doherty and Miss Maryvonne Rose in South Bend, Ind.

John J. Reedy and Miss Joan Walsh in South Bend, Ind.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. John W. Thornton, a son, Jan. 9.

To Mr. and Mrs. Edmond I. Foley, a son, in Lebanon, Mo.

SYMPATHY

To Charles Perrin, on the death of his son.
To John L. Martin on the death of his mother.

1951

Robert J. Klingenberg
1832 M St. N.W.
Washington, D. C.

First off, I'd like to thank Tom Carroll for his contributions in the last issue, and thanks to you other fellows for the news. Even with your cooperation, the column is much too small. So get some information in.

Bob Mahoney at 8151 So. Morgan St., Chicago, writes that: "Corky Desmond, Bill McDermott, Bob Yabroski, Jack Young and himself were guests at the Ray O'Conner homestead in Milwaukee. Ray and Kitty's baby, Mary Kathleen (6 months), did the entertaining."

Lt. J. Al Bailey, 034084, 2nd Training Battalion, The Basic School, Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, Va., who was in the Marine center with Ben Blas and Tom Klett, writes that: Jack McKelvey is working for the Prudential Life Insurance Co. in Newark, N. J.; Hugh Touhy, RA 19346253, Co. D, Hqs. Bn. 9829, T.E.C.R., Fort Belvoir, Va., that explains his present situation; Walt McGovern is now an Ensign in Company A, Navy Supply Corps School, Bayonne, N. J.; Tom Brennan is in the Air Force at Chanute Field, Ill.—his address: AF 19419654, 3347 Student Sqdn; Jim Boyle is working in Chicago for the Chicago Motor Club.

Bill Cushman was graduated on January 25, 1952, from the U. S. Naval Officer Candidate School, Newport, Rhode Island, with the commission of Ensign.

John Gerlis, 931 W. Carmen Avenue, Chicago, Ill., writes that he is studying investment finance at Northwestern and hopes to receive his master's degree in August of this year. Steve Bolanowski was also studying for his master's at Northwestern. Chuck Luecke, SKSN, 4th Division, USS LST 880, FPO N.Y., N.Y., is still in the Navy. Bob Hoening has been dividing his activities between accounting work for the Hudson Vanilla Company, Morton Grove, Ill., and his father's bakery on the west side of Chicago. Joe Ryan is currently in Chicago, and an engineer for the Standard Oil Co. Bill Scholy is at the Merchant Marine Academy. Don Georgen is attending law school at Northwestern.

Gene Kenny writes that he is coaching and teaching in Shamokin, Pa., and that "I hope

SPOTLIGHT ALUMNUS



THOMAS ARMEL

Appointment of Thomas N. Armel as national industrial sales manager of the Glidden Company has been announced by A. D. Duncan, vice-president of the company's paint and varnish division. He will have headquarters direction of the development of all Glidden's industrial and maintenance finishes sales throughout the country.

Before this appointment Mr. Armel, who joined Glidden in 1940, was a member of the sales force of the Nubian industrial division in Chicago.

to see a few classmates at the Notre Dame-Navy or NYU basketball games."

Jim Gillis has been attending F.B.I. school in Washington and expects to be assigned shortly.

Nick DeFilippis is now an Ensign and ready to report to the Med. Sea for duty.

Ens. Jim Donnelly is stationed at Norfolk.

Leo Supple is in Tokyo and stationed with the Headquarters Command.

Bill Markay is with the American Blower Corp., in Washington, D. C.

2nd Lt. Harry Hannigan is no longer in Dayton, Ohio, but rubber stamping in Baltimore.

Charles Shewalter was graduated from Officer Candidate School, Newport, R. I., on Jan. 25.

Walt Turner finished basic training at Camp Breckenridge, Ky., on Feb. 9 and planned to head for a camp in the Baltimore, Maryland, area.

It's not that I like to see my name in print (not too much), but quite a few of the gang have been around this cold storage center or have written to me (Tom Carroll) so with your leave again, Robert, I'll pass on a few words.

Sitting in Joer's Restaurant (?) the other evening was Jim Kingsley, now a 2nd Lieutenant in the Marines on his way to Camp LeJeune. He is looking great and in terrific shape—especially his elbow.

George Weber is going to even fewer classes this semester.

John Haley has been especially interested in the Death division of this column since joining the staff of Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co., working out of South Bend. Beware the day he gets hold of a class roster.

Leo Brennan returning from 6,300 miles of tour with the glee club reports seeing Joe Lamber, Pete Cassidy and Jack Nadeau along the way.

A miniature reunion of the class was held after the Notre Dame-Kentucky game in Chicago a few weeks ago. Those indulging (in the reminiscing, that is) were Ensign Bill Carey, Hank Madden, Phil Faccenda, Jim Hemmsey, Bill Hart, Jack Corrigan, Joe Stach, Jim Benbow, and Jacko Muldoon. Carey is now stationed aboard the USS Columbia at the Boston Navy Yard. Madden is moving to Cincinnati around the first of March prior to entering the service this summer.

Pete Green, at Fort Riley, Kansas, hopes to go to OCS soon.

Bob "Hooker" Thompson, in the Marines, is stationed in San Francisco.

2nd Lt. Paul F. Komora, to be married in June, is attached to 3627th Trng. Sqdn. (Mil), Tyndall Air Base, Florida.

Bernie Lavins is with Bethlehem Steel in Baltimore. Around that vicinity is Bill Kelly at the CIC school.

John Moore spent a couple of days around South Bend and Notre Dame en route from Virginia to Denver, Colorado.

Jack Powell and Dick MacDonald also spent a couple of days around this scene of their former glories, in the recent past. Likewise for Bob Brandel, who picked up a diploma during the January graduation.

Professor Dick Callen of the class of '51 and before, is teaching Business Law in addition to his various other duties and deals.

Behind the Air Medal with two clusters and the Distinguished Flying Cross, appeared Mal Dooley, who stopped off in South Bend on his way to New York. He just returned from Korea, after completing his fifty-seventh mission aboard a B-26.

Hal Manger, in close communication with his draft board, was in the Alumni Office in February. He now lives in Detroit where he is working with the AEC and the Gilles Vallet Engineering Firm.

From Ens. Jack Curran (SC) USN, U.S.S. Edmonds (DE 406), FPO San Francisco:

"I have been meaning to write for a long time and today seems to be as good a day as any, so here goes.

"I enjoyed my three months on the Cacapon. I reported on the 17th of October off Korea and we went back to the States the middle of November. I only had six weeks in Sunny California and I must admit I enjoyed it. I stayed there, just long enough to see a West Coast team make its usual showing on New Year's Day.

"Dave Naughtis, Jack Tracy, and I all went to San Francisco together. Dave flew to Honolulu and caught his ship there, just before it left for Japan. He will be in the Far East for six months and then go back to San Diego. Jack took a transport over and was to meet his ship in Japan. It is leaving Feb. 8 for a yard period in Mare Island, so he got a good deal.

"I flew all the way to Tokyo, but had a two-day stopover in Honolulu. Since arriving in Japan I have been chasing the Edwards all over, but as yet, no luck. I went to Okinawa, and now I'm in Formosa, and in a few more days I should meet up with it. In the meantime though I'm enjoying just sitting around doing nothing. I should be on the Edwards about 18 months. Dave and Jack should have similar tours.

"Dave's ship is the Samuel N. Moore (DD 747) and Jack's is the USS Gregory (DD 802). Both are care of Fleet PO, San Francisco, Calif.

"I heard from Don Rodriguez who's in the Army. He's stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey. I also heard from Gene Myler. He says that Harvard is plenty rough, but he is getting along okay.

"While I was in Japan I saw Bob Darling. He is fine and seems to thrive on this Navy

life. Dave is all for thirty years, but Tracy doesn't seem to go for it too well."

From Jack Broderick, Wharton Graduate School, University of Pennsylvania:

"Been meaning to write for some time now, but this Wharton Grad School doesn't give you a minute to spare. I hardly had time to get to Pitt for the game and down to Baltimore and Washington for the Navy weekend. Also have been over to Dick Giedlin's place in Trenton, New Jersey to see Yale and Princeton play what they call football out here in the East. Wait until these Pennsylvanians see a real ball club here next fall. Also managed to make it to New York City for a three day week-end with Dick Marshall.

"Got a letter from Tom Snyder. He's with the NavCads training to fly above the blue waters. Phil Finnegan spent a night with us in Philly a couple of months ago. Jack Young and I are going down to Washington about the middle of February and plan to see John Moore. Gerry Kerns was passing through Philly on his way back to New London and gave us a buzz, but unluckily neither Marsh nor I were in. Buddy Powers is still trying to crash the big time in New York, but working on the side for Christian Bros. Wine Co.

"Met Don Grobmeyer in New York. We were supposed to do a few songs, but it never worked out. He really has gone Eastern. He even wears a vest. Met Jack Murray, Ken Thoren, Bob 'Easy' Edmondson at St. Pat's on Notre Dame Communion Sunday. Jack Young, Marsh and myself are supposed to meet them towards the end of February to see ND play basketball.

"Bill Whiteside, Iggy Soisson, Tom Mullins, Marsh, myself and usually two or three of our class get together once a month for dinner and then head over to the Alumni meeting. The last meeting was exceptionally interesting. Bill Whiteside, strongly backed by his loyal followers (us), was swept into power as a member of the Board of Governors for the Philadelphia Alumni Association. Bill also just got engaged at Christmas.

"Dick Giedlin has had quite a time trying to decide whether to stay in school or go into Spring training with Detroit. Just last week he decided to risk the draft so he will head South at the end of the semester.

"I could tell you guys more of what a swell deal we have here but I won't. I'm afraid that if I did you'd all hop the next plane for Philly. So I'll sign off for this time."

Frank Muller, Ensign (SC) USNR at NSCS, Bayonne, New Jersey, was at the Mardi Gras Dance at Notre Dame on Feb. 22. He was in Chicago for Pat Barrett's wedding and came down for the festivities. I think he also wanted to see Maureen Carroll, his fiancée. Frank reports that Bob Clemency, (SC) USN, is back from the Med and is in Boston. Dick McCarthy, now in leadership school, goes to OCS (Army) soon. Jerry Hank, Len Call, Jack Haggerty, and Walt McGovern are all in school with him at Bayonne. He also says that Ensigns Andy Walsh and Jim Dording are serving together on the USS Vogelgesang and will be in the Med until late in May.

Pat Barrett's wedding to Joanne Sheridan was really a beautiful affair. It also proved to be a real get-together for many of the old classmates. In the wedding party were Don Sondag, Mike Jacobs, and Tom Myers. There for the festivities were Tom Adler, Frank Muller, Pete Cassidy, Jack Becker and Bob Huff.

The only thing to dampen the gaiety was to learn that Jerry Hank's fiancée, Joyce McMahon, was very sick with pneumonia. Here's hoping she recovers shortly.

Received a letter from Jack Nadeau, 38 Mosswood Rd., Berkeley, Calif., who is in graduate school at the University of California. He expects to receive his master's degree this summer. He says that his old room-mate, Vince Rauth, is working for General Motors in Detroit and "piling up a sizeable bank balance in the process."

From George Schwartz: "Here's a little information you could probably use in the next issue of the ALUMNUS. Charlie O'Donnell just got out of Finance school at Ft. Harrison, Ind., and is being assigned to Army Finance Center at

St. Louis, Mo. Right now I'm spending a 19-day delay en route at home. I went through a communications school at Camp Gordon, Ga., and have to report to Fort Lawton, Wash. I will end up in the Far East, probably Japan or Korea. Roger Nanovic is going to Law School near his home town in Pennsylvania, I believe. Received a Christmas card from him there. Maybe George Foster could tell you more." That's your cue, George.

MORE SERVICEMEN (and service addresses)

Ens. Joe Eger, USS Vesole (DD878) c/o FPO New York.

Ens. William McNally, USS Strong (DD758) FPO New York.

2nd Lt. James Hartman, S Co., 5th Tng, Bn., Bldg. 2184, MCS, Quantico, Virginia.

Pvt. Thomas McNamara, AF 2 634 1766, Flt. 2331, Sqd. 3701, Lackland AFB, San Antonio, Tex.

MORE CHEM ENGINEERS

John Milewski, 77 S. Madison, Spring Valley, N. Y., is an assistant Engineer for Reactor Motors, Dover, New Jersey. Recently had as house guests:

Bill Prindiville, Esso

Lee Brown, Houdry Process Co.

John Carp, Merck Pharmaceutical.

Ed Dillon, DuPont.

Dick Everett, DuPont.

Art Zabinski, he didn't say.

Concerning other Chem Engineers — John O'Brien, at Chrysler Engineering Institute, Detroit: (he's to be married June 7; Charlie Dreis, Baltimore—married last May, now with Davison; Bill Garcia, Mexico City, with Goodrich Rubber; Joe Galloway, with DuPont; Jim Meloche and Andy Fairlee are Fellows in Naval Research. Jim was married last summer and Andy has a June 14 date.

Fred Brice and Walt Kosydar are Teaching Fellows at the University. Ed Koval, Standard Oil, Whiting, Indiana. Al Miltner, still single, is with DuPont in Cleveland.

Please remember in your prayers Bob Walsh, killed last fall in a car accident.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mary Ann Frank and Pvt. John Corcoran.

MARRIAGES

Joanne Sheridan and Pat Barrett, February 23, in Arlington Heights, Ill.

Gladys Schlelein and Dick Herrle, January 26, in Brooklyn, New York.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Meshot, a son, Thomas, in Santa Barbara, Calif.

CLASS SECRETARIES

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| 1911 FRED L. STEERS, 105 S. LaSalle Street, Chicago 3, Illinois | 1933 JOSEPH D. A. McCABE, 632 Forest Ave., River Forest, Illinois |
| 1913 PAUL R. BYRNE, University Library, Notre Dame, Indiana | 1934 EDWARD F. MANSFIELD, 6575 N. Glenwood, Apt. 1, Chicago, Illinois |
| 1914 RON O'NEIL, Argos, Indiana | 1935 FRANKLYN C. HOCHREITER, 1327 Pentwood Rd., Baltimore 12, Md. |
| 1915 JAMES E. SANFORD, 1429 W. Faragut Ave., Chicago 40, Illinois | 1936 A. H. MOORMAN, 1708 Industrial Bank Bldg., Detroit 26, Michigan |
| 1916 GROVER F. MILLER, 612 Wisconsin Avenue, Racine, Wisconsin | 1937 FRANK J. REILLY, 7 Hawthorne Ave., Merrick, N. Y. |
| 1917 EDWARD J. MCSKER, 2205 Briarwood Road, Cleveland Hgts., 18, Ohio | 1938 CHARLES M. CALLAHAN, Sports Publicity Dept., Notre Dame, Indiana |
| 1918 GEORGE E. HARBERT, 108 N. Main St., Sycamore, Illinois | 1939 VINCENT DECOURSEY, 1917 Elizabeth, Kansas City 2, Kansas |
| 1919 THEODORE C. RADEMAKER, Peru Foundry Company, Peru, Indiana | 1940 RICHARD BURKE, 146 Paxton Drive, South Bend, Indiana |
| 1920 RALPH W. BERGMANN, 1609 N. Jefferson Avenue, St. Louis 6, Missouri | 1941 JOHN W. PATTERSON, JR., 123 Glenrock Dr., Ruthford Acres, Bridgeville, Pa. |
| 1921 DAN W. DUFFY, 1101 NBC Bldg., Cleveland 14, Ohio | 1942 WILLIAM E. SCANLAN, 400 E. 111th St., Pullman Trust & Savings Bank, Chicago 28 |
| 1922 GERALD A. ASHE, 39 Cambridge St., Rochester 7, New York | 1943 JOHN L. WIGGINS, 11404 Rupley Lane, Dallas 14, Texas |
| 1923 PAUL H. CASTNER, 1305 W. Arlington Ave., St. Paul, Minnesota | 1944 GEORGE A. BARISCILLO, JR., 515 Fifth Ave., Bradley Beach, N. J. |
| 1924 REV. THOMAS A. KELLY, C.S.C., Cavanaugh Hall, Notre Dame, Indiana | 1945 AL LESMEZ, 61-56 Eighty-second St., Elmhurst, N. Y. |
| 1925 JOHN P. HURLEY, 1218 City Park Avenue, Toledo, Ohio | 1946 JACK TENGE, JR., 912 Lovett Blvd., Houston, Texas |
| 1926 JOHN J. RYAN, 2434 Greenleaf Ave., Chicago 45, Illinois | 1947 SAM ADELO, 818 Thomas St., South Bend, Indiana |
| 1927 FRANK MORAN, 633 E. Monroe St., South Bend 6, Indiana | 1948 HERMAN A. ZITT, 126 Farmside Dr., Dayton, Ohio |
| 1928 LEO R. MCINTYRE, 3004 Turner St., Allentown, Pa. | 1949 JOHN P. WALKER, 135 S. LaSalle St., Chicago, Illinois |
| 1929 DONALD J. PLUNKETT, Biology Dept., Notre Dame, Indiana | 1950 JOHN CONNOR, 1st Co. 2nd Tr. Bn., "A" Barracks, Marine Corp Schools, Quantico, Virginia |
| 1930 DEVERE PLUNKETT, Social Science Bldg., Notre Dame, Indiana | 1951 ROBERT J. KLINGENBERGER, 1832 M St. N.W., Washington, D. C. |
| 1931 JAMES T. DOYLE, 6457 N. Bell Ave., Chicago 45, Illinois | |
| 1932 JAMES K. COLLINS, 17 Triangle Avenue, Dayton 9, Ohio | |

Daughters of ND Alumni Enrolled at St. Mary's College, 1951-52

<i>Student</i>	<i>Home</i>	<i>Father's Name and ND Class</i>
Mary Beth Adler, '54	Joliet, Ill.	Joseph, '24
Marie Balfe, '52	Rye, N. Y.	John, '20
Jeanine Berner, '55	South Bend	Sebastian, '29
Mary Bickel, '54	Munster, Ind.	Charles, '25
Maureen Carroll, '52	St. Louis, Mo.	Maurice, '19
Suzanne Centlivre, '55	Fort Wayne, Ind.	Herman, '25
Suzanne Clements, '54	South Bend	Walter, '14
Frances Clohessy, '55	Waverly, N. Y.	Frank, '20
Mary Beth Croxall, '55	Elkhart, Ind.	Willard, '34
Mary Frances Cullinan, '54	Chicago	Frank, '18
Elise Curry, '52	Hartford, Conn.	Thomas, '14
Mary Jane Donovan, '54	Chicago	Thomas, '24
Pauline Donovan, '54	Muskegon, Mich.	Frank, '28
Anne Feldpausch, '54	Hastings, Mich.	Roman, '25
Marjorie Fiehrer, '53	Hamilton, O.	Marc, '27
Eileen Finnegan, '52	South Bend	Bernard, '25
Kathleen Flanagan, '54	Port Arthur, Tex.	Christie, '27
Muriel Flanagan, '53	Port Arthur, Texas	Christie, '27
Mary Alice Fritch, '54	South Bend	Louis, '19
Noreen Gallagher, '55	Shawano, Wis.	John, '25
Carol Graham, '55	York, Pa.	J. Robert, '26
Hazel Hargrove, '54	South Bend	J. C., '22
Patricia Holland, '55	Indianapolis	William, '27
Judy Jones, '54	Dixon, Ill.	Gerald, '22
Jeanne Kelly, '55	Grand Rapids	James, '26
Dorothy Kohne, '55	Decatur, Ind.	Gerald, '25
Dorothy Lahey, '54	South Bend	Frank, '25
Barbara Lane, '54	Detroit	Bernard, '25
Lois Langford, '54	South Bend	Walter, '30
Colette Leslie, '55	Waverly, Ia.	Humphrey, '20
Kathleen Mack, '52	Niles, Mich.	John G., '19
Paula Makielski, '55	Mishawaka	Dr. P. H., '21
Ann Martin, '53	Chesterton, Ind.	James, '23
Madonna Mayer, '54	Plainfield, Ill.	Edward J., '26
Patricia McKinley, '55	Cassopolis, Mich.	Paul A., '20
Beverly Miller, '52	South Bend	Joseph P., '25
Mary Ann Mulholland, '52	Chicago	Clem, '20
Patricia McNulty, '55	Indianapolis	Maurice D., '26
Barbara Norton, '53	South Bend	Donald, '30
Helen Ong, '53	Amoy (China)	Benedict, '24
Mary Powers, '55	Laurel, Miss.	John N., '24
Judith Schwartz, '53	Dunkirk, N. Y.	Herbert, '27
Ann Schwertley, '52	South Bend	Paul, '22
Sue Seidentsticker, '53	Columbus, O.	William, '25
Rose Mary Shaughnessy, '52	Kansas City, Mo.	Joseph, '22
Julie Skelly, '52	Oil City, Pa.	Daniel, '14
Marianne Thode, '55	Minneapolis	Edward K., '24
Sue Whalen, '54	Des Moines	Joseph, '29
Mimi Wurzer, '53	Davenport, Ia.	Henry, '25
Jean Zimmerer, '54	Kokomo	Mark, '21

The Cover Picture

The ALUMNUS, in presenting the members of the Campus Generation Club, wishes to point out that those portrayed in the cover picture are only a portion of the more than 300 sons of Alumni at the University.

The picture, taken by University Photographer M. Bruce Harlan, '49, was made at a routine meeting of the Club. Thankfully, says Harlan, not all 300 showed up.

Saint Mary's Alumnae Office explains that seven of the young ladies listed opposite were necessarily absent from the picture; they were teaching in South Bend.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Noreen Gallagher, Carol Graham, Mimi Wurzer, Sue Seidentsticker, Helen Ong, Lois Langford, Marie Balfe, Mary Beth Croxall, Marianne Thode; SECOND ROW: Judy Schwartz, Dorothy Kohne, Patricia Holland, Colette Leslie, Pauline Donovan, Mary Powers, Jean Zimmerer, Paula Makielski, Beverly Miller; THIRD ROW: Mary Alice Fritch, Patricia McKinley, Judy Jones, Anne Feldpausch, Sue Whalen, Madonna Mayer, Mary Frances Cullinan, Suzanne Centlivre, Patricia McNulty; FOURTH ROW: Mary Bickel, Muriel Flanagan, Jeanne Kelly, Suzanne Clements, Jane Donovan, Jeanine Berner, Barbara Norton, Mary Beth Adler, Frances Clohessy, Julie Skelly, Ann Martin, Marjorie Fiehrer.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Lawrence J. and Philip J. Gotuaco, sons of (John F. Gotuaco '24), William J. Burke (G. C. Burke '23), R. Thomas Schaub (R. A. Schaub '18), Richard Donovan (F. J. Donovan '28), Edward Ball (Vincent Ball '27), John Snakard (J. W. Snakard '29), John E. Roman (James A. Roman '26).

SECOND ROW: James Herr (Jesse J. Herr '13), Lawrence Baldinger (Lawrence Baldinger Sr. '31), Arthur E. Peterson (Arthur E. Peterson Sr. '30), John W. Anderson (John W. Anderson Jr. '31), J. L. Weigand, Sgt. At Arms, (Lawrence Weigand '27), Edward Madigan, Secretary, (E. P. Madigan '20), Jim Graham, Treasurer, (James R. Graham '26), Joseph L. Adler Jr., President, (Joseph L. Adler '24), Tom Dempsey, Vice-President, (John T. Dempsey '21), Paul J. Cushing (Paul J. Cushing '31), Paul Figel (Edward L. Figel '11), Joe Nash (John R. Nash '29), Jim Roman (James A. Roman '26), John Manix (Robert P. Manix '29 deceased).

THIRD ROW: John Scheibelhut (Leo C. Scheibelhut '07), Alfonse F. Gotuaco (John G. Gotuaco '24), David M. Curry (Thomas B. Curry '14), Edward J. Griffin (Thomas J. Griffin '29), Richard H. Miller (Ray T. Miller '11), Edward D. Ahlring (Edward L. Ahlring '25), John F. Fink (Francis A. Fink '30), Raymond T. Duncan (Walter Duncan '12), Edwin L. Ryan Jr. (Edwin L. Ryan Sr. '27), James H. Brennan (John W. Brennan '27), Michael R. Laughlin (George C. Laughlin '23), John F. Gelson (J. Norbert Gelson '26), Thomas B. Kelley (William H. Kelley '18), Rockne Morrissey (Joseph S. Morrissey '28).

FOURTH ROW: Thomas A. Hayes Jr. (Thomas A. Hayes Sr. '16), Francis C. Schwab Jr. (Francis C. Schwab Sr. '02), John E. Porta (Armando J. Porta '25), William J. Londo (Harold L. Londo '24), Louis A. Centlivre (Herman G. Centlivre '25), John L. Kiley Jr. (John L. Kiley Sr. '25), Ray W. Durst Jr. (Ray W. Durst Sr. '26), Francis H. Phelan (Francis W. Phelan '73), Elmer Layden Jr. (Elmer Layden '25), Edward D'Arcy (John D'Arcy '21), Robert K. Garden Jr. (Robert K. Garden '25), Daniel C. Curtis Jr. (Daniel C. Curtis '17), Wilfred J. Riley Jr. (Wilfred Riley Sr. '21), James E. Silver Jr. (James Silver Sr. '26), Paul H. Sowa (Frank J. Sowa '31).

CLASS AND CLUB SECRETARIES' NOTES FOR MAY-JUNE ALUMNUS MAY 1 DEADLINE

The editors of the ALUMNUS, dependent as always on the active assistance of class and club Secretaries, ask for column notes by May 1.

Club Secretaries are reminded that the ALUMNUS needs as many pictures of Universal Notre Dame Night observation by local Clubs as the Club Secretaries can send in. A selection of pictures assures that the best ones will be used.

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State College, Pa.

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