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Sacred Heart Church on the Notre Dame campus — a focal point of student religious life and the scene of many alumni weddings.

1954 FOUNDATION PROGRAM

Stress Faculty Development Fund

The Notre Dame Foundation program in 1954 will be highlighted by a meeting on campus of State Governors and City Chairmen; a personal solicitation campaign of all alumni through the efforts of governors and chairmen in the early months of this year; and a continuing emphasis on the over-all Faculty Development Fund as well as advancing the Distinguished Professors Program through corporation support.

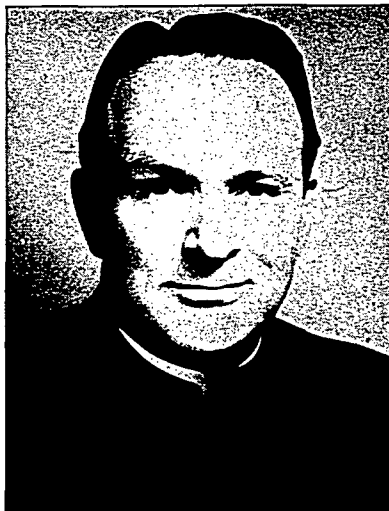
Since the January ALUMNUS will be published prior to a complete year-end report for 1953, final statistics will be announced in the following issue. From all indications, as the magazine goes to press, 1953 will have been one of the most productive years of the Notre Dame Foundation.

Governors and chairmen, from those states and cities where there is the heaviest concentration of alumni, will return to the University for a real workshop session on February 12. All phases of Foundation activity will be discussed with the more-than-80 representatives expected to attend the conference and University administrative officials will outline various aspects of the Foundation program as they apply to physical expansion on campus and academic developments.

New Governors, Chairmen

Many of those attending the meeting will have been recently appointed to Foundation duties by the Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., president, during a process of re-organization. The program is being planned which will allow for maximum discussion periods among participants. Ideas stimulating from those present at the conference will undoubtedly result in furnishing the Foundation campus staff, under the direction of the Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., with additional constructive methods of operation.

A personal solicitation campaign of



FATHER CAVANAUGH

alumni in chairmen areas will start on March 1 and continue through May 20, 1954. Committees, working under the supervision of City Chairmen, will be supplied with information and material from the campus office for this project. In addition to personal contact during the campaign, the Foundation office will send out the usual number of direct mail pieces for the 12th Annual Alumni Fund. In attempting to obtain 100% response from alumni-givers, during this special period, Governors, Chairmen and Committees will then have an opportunity to concentrate on non-alumni solicitation during the remaining months of the calendar year.

Personal Solicitation Campaign

The campus office will forward a report of contributors to City Chairmen and he in turn will notify solicitors concerning those who have given to the Foundation. By the close of the campaign on May 20 alumni in Chairmen cities will have had at least one contact from a soliciting committeeman.

By mid-December, 1953, just prior

to the ALUMNUS going to press, 123 American corporations had contributed financial support to Notre Dame. Scholarships, fellowships and research grants were provided by 105 corporations, while 18 corporations restricted their gifts for the Distinguished Professors Program.

Father Cavanaugh emphasized that "Notre Dame is a private institution which receives financial assistance from neither Church nor State and which must rely in increasing measure on its alumni, friends and corporations for support."

Industry and Private Education

Pointing up industry's stake in private education, Father Cavanaugh stated that 180 industrial and business organizations sent representatives to Notre Dame during 1952-53 to interview seniors for employment with their firms. "We are pleased and proud that so many of our recent graduates have already established themselves as junior executives in corporations from coast to coast," Father Cavanaugh said.

Noting that four major buildings have been erected on campus in less than two years, Father Cavanaugh reported that all unrestricted gifts to the University during 1954 would be allocated for faculty development.

With the continued cooperation of individual alumni, of alumni clubs, non-alumni friends and corporations, and of Governors and Chairmen, 1954 could conceivably be the year of greatest financial support for Notre Dame since the Foundation was organized in 1947.

FRONT COVER—With the "new look" becoming more prevalent than otherwise it was thought that the Notre Dame ALUMNUS should fall in line so beginning with the initial issue of 1954 a new cover different in design from any other alumnus magazine anywhere, we believe, is presented for the first time. And to keep pace with it, variations in headline styling and general makeup have been added.

—J. N. C.

Elect Five New Alumni Board Directors

All Members To Attend January Meeting

Four new directors for the Alumni Board have been elected for three-year terms while one other will complete the unexpired term of Galvin Hudson, '15. Those who will be members of the Board until 1957 include Joseph I. O'Neill, Jr., '37, Midland, Tex., John E. McIntyre, '31, South Bend, Ind., James L. Ferstel, '48, Chicago, Ill., and Robert H. Gore, Jr., '31, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. Karl Martersteck, '29, Cleveland, O., will serve a one-year term fulfilling Mr. Hudson's vacancy.

Balloting was heavy and all eight candidates received generous national support. The new directors will attend their first meeting when the board convenes on campus, January 22-23. Holdover directors who have been members of the board include '53 President John H. Neeson, Jr., '35, Philadelphia, Pa., J. Ralph Coryn, '22,

Moline, Ill., John W. Courtney, '25, Dearborn, Mich., James G. McGoldrick, '39, New York City, Daniel Culhane, '23, Chevy Chase, Md., Rt. Rev. Msgr. J. B. Toomey, '26, Syracuse, N. Y., John F. Saunders, '31, Boston, Mass., and Dr. Leo D. O'Donnell, '17, Pittsburgh, Pa. Alumni Secretary James E. Armstrong, '25, completes the present list.

Outgoing directors include Honorary President Harvey G. Foster, '39, Cincinnati, O., Joseph S. Morrissey, '28, Cincinnati, O., Luther M. Swygert, '27, Chesterton, Ind., and William C. Schmitt, '10, Portland, Ore.

Joe O'Neill played varsity football in 1934-5-6 and basketball in 1937. Currently Joe is an independent oil operator. He is married, has one daughter and three sons. John McIntyre was formerly president of the St. Joseph Valley Alumni Club and

has long been active in South Bend civic affairs. He is vice-president and general manager of Sibley Machine and Foundry Co. John is married and has two daughters.

Jim Ferstel is the son of William G. Ferstel, '00. Jim is practicing law in Chicago after serving as trial counsel with the U. S. Army in Osaka, Japan. Bob Gore is associated with the many interests of the Gore family in Florida. He is president and managing director of Governor's Club and Sea Ranch hotels and treasurer of the Ft. Lauderdale News and Station WFTL-TV. Bob is married and has four children. Karl Martersteck is assistant division manager with Great Lakes Dredge and Dock Co., and also president of the Cleveland ND Alumni Club and Foundation city chairman. He is married, has one daughter, and a son at Notre Dame.

Joe O'Neill

John McIntyre

Bob Gore

Jim Ferstel

Karl Martersteck



GUS DORAIS DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Charles E. (Gus) Dorais, '14, Knute Rockne's teammate and the man who revolutionized the game of football 30 seasons ago by introducing the forward pass as an offensive weapon, died on January 3 at his Birmingham,

Michigan home. He had been ill for more than a year.

Mr. Dorais gained fame not only as a Notre Dame great but also as coach of Detroit University for 18 years, and later as head coach of the Detroit Lions for five seasons.

In the summer of 1913 the Dorais to Rockne forward pass combination was perfected while the two were

working at a resort near Sandusky, O. That fall the pair completed 12 passes good for three touchdowns against Army and upset the Cadets 35-13. It was a game that has gone down in football's record books as one of the most famous ever played.

He is survived by his wife and four children who were at his bedside when he died.

Editorial Comments from your Alumni Secretary

Happy New Year!

The 110th anniversary of the chartering of Notre Dame by the State of Indiana!

The Marian Year designated by His Holiness, Pius XII, to culminate in the Centenary of the Dogma of the Immaculate Conception!

All Notre Dame will be sending special and added prayers through Our Lady. The Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes has special significance. The much newer Shrine of Our Lady of Fatima on the Niles Road, with its ready parking for travelers, as well as the long-worn paths from the campus, is a rich depot of devotion.

It should be a happy new year, indeed . . .

What impressed you most about the football season? An undefeated season is always impressive. But the grim intensity of Frank Leahy for his work; the unending drive of his assistant coaches, and the willingness, work and teamwork of his team must have made themselves clear, whether on the field or on television or on Joe Boland's Irish Network.

Intellectual Champions

It has frequently occurred to you, no doubt, what teachers could do with classes if the same combination of ability, selectivity, and intensity could be projected into the academic processes. Intellectual champions!

But has it occurred to you what Notre Dame's progress could enjoy if you as alumni promoted the University program with this ability, teamwork, and intensity of purpose? You could be champions, in every phase of alumni effort! . . .

"Overemphasis."

This term is a familiar one with Notre Dame men. We have heard it for years in terms of football. More recently, the Alumni Office has been hearing it, from Notre Dame men this time, in terms of money-raising.

The analysis is unattractively simple in both fields.

When Notre Dame Men Gather

The two things that all of us understand and can talk about are football and money. Inevitably, when two or more Notre Dame men gather, these two subjects follow the weather in close order.

But this is not overemphasis. It is simply an emphasis that any great common denominator enjoys.

The unhappy point is that it obscures the many enjoyable and significant subjects that are common only to segments, and victims of conversational segregation.

The law alumnus who meets the doctor or the engineering alumnus on the street hesitates to tell them about the symposia in the College of Law for fear of disinterest.

The doctor or the scientist, meeting the teacher or the manufacturer, will instinctively hold back comment on LOBUND, or biology, or radiation studies, for fear of being misunderstood or pressed for detailed explanations.

The Great Traditions of N.D.

The writer or the business man, meeting almost any fellow alumnus, will fail to comment on the Marian Year, or Universal Communion Sunday, because in the great tradition of Notre Dame he may not know whether his fellow alumnus is a Catholic, and worries about his enthusiasm being misinterpreted.

So the usual greeting is "Great team," or "I suppose you got another blank check this week."

It is human nature. It is fact. It is likely to continue. But please don't call it overemphasis. Neither athletics nor money-raising have disturbed the fundamental perspectives and purposes of Notre Dame.

So during 1954, let's try to switch back to the silver lining, and stop worrying about the cloud that has it. Believe me, we have made great progress.—JIM ARMSTRONG.



LEONARD R. SIMONS

Lt. Simons, '52, USAF Dies in Greenland; Falls on Mt. Hassel

The ALUMNUS has recently been informed that Leonard R. Simons, Jr., '52 and a member of the AFROTC, died July 4, 1953 as the result of a fall while hiking on Mount Hassel in Greenland where, as 2nd Lieut., he was stationed at the Sondrestrom Air Base.

Leonard was buried from the Church of the Visitation in Minneapolis, Minnesota, his hometown. He is survived by his parents Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Simons, 4248 Garfield Ave., South, Minneapolis, and two sisters, Mrs. Paul Murphy, Chaska, Minn. and Mary Clare Simons, Minneapolis.

Leonard was called to active duty on September 20, 1952 at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas and served at Maxwell Field from November 1952 to May 1953. He arrived at Sondrestrom located on the west coast of Greenland just north of the Arctic Circle and about one hundred miles inland from the coast, on June 23, 1953.

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FATHER MATTHEW SCHUMACHER

GOLDEN JUBILEE ON CHRISTMAS DAY

The Rev. Matthew Schumacher, C.S.C., celebrated his Golden Jubilee as a priest with the principal event being a High Mass sung on Christmas Day at 10:00 a.m. by Father Schumacher in the Church of St. Mary of the Assumption in South Bend. This is the same church in which Father Schumacher said his First Mass on Christmas Day 1903, and his Silver Jubilee Mass in 1928. It is also the



Furnishings valued at \$1600 for the new faculty lounge and adjacent kitchen in the Nieuwland Science Hall were contributed by an anonymous benefactor. The lounge is dedicated to the memory of Rev. Ernest A. Davis, former professor of Chemistry at Notre Dame who died recently.

church in which he received his First Holy Communion and was confirmed.

Father Schumacher is a former Dean of Studies (1907-1919 and again 1926-1927) at Notre Dame, and a former President of St. Edward's University in Austin, Texas (1919-1925), and of the College of St. Thomas in St. Paul, Minn. (1928-1933).

Since 1934, he has been Chaplain and Professor of Philosophy and Reli-

gion at St. Mary's College, Notre Dame, Ind.

Father Schumacher first came into national prominence as Chairman of the Committee on Standardization of Catholic Colleges, 1917-1922. Under his leadership, this committee of the Catholic Educational Association accomplished the huge task of standardization, often in the face of great obstacles and sometimes of opposition.



The Alumni Association

University of Notre Dame

Dear Fellow Alumni:

By the time you read this, my last letter to you as President, another year will have passed and a new President will have been elected by the Alumni Board of Directors. It has been an honor and a privilege for me to serve as President of your Association.

During the past year, nine new local Alumni Clubs have been formed and our ranks have been augmented by approximately 1000 graduated seniors. It is rather startling to many of us when we realize that 53% of our 23,000 Alumni have graduated since 1940. Of the 140 Alumni Clubs now in existence, only 20 failed to report at least one meeting in the last twelve months.

Personally, I feel we have the broadest and about the most active and enthusiastic Alumni in the world. You are to be congratulated on your club activity and on your response to the needs of Notre Dame. I hope you will increase your participation in Association affairs in the coming year so that we all may render greater honor and glory to Our Lady's University.

On behalf of the Officers and Staff of the Alumni Association, and for myself, may I extend to each of you cordial greetings with the hope that our Blessed Mother will care for and guide all of us throughout this Marian year of 1954.

Sincerely yours,
JOHN H. NEESON, JR., President

Jan, 5, 1954

the University Today

Dean Weimer Lectures at N.D.

Dean Arthur M. Weimer of the Indiana University School of Business gave two lectures to students in Notre Dame's College of Commerce recently. He discussed "Trends in Business and Education for Business" and "Industrial Development and City Growth." Dean Weimer was the fourth guest lecturer in the current series sponsored by the University's College of Commerce Advisory Council.

Weimer, nationally recognized as a leading authority on real estate and land economics, became dean of the Indiana University School of Business in 1939. Under his leadership, the school established a graduate study program making it one of the few institutions in the United States granting the master's degree and doctorate in business.

master's degree at the University of Notre Dame, was solemnly invested recently at Notre Dame, as a papal chamberlain to the Holy Father by the Most Rev. John F. O'Hara, C.S.C., Archbishop of Philadelphia.

Pablo Pena, acting Philippine consul in Chicago, represented his government at the rites. The Rev. Philip S. Moore, C. S. C., vice-president in charge of academic affairs at Notre Dame, was the University's official representative. Among specially invited guests were members of the Philippine Catholic Guild of Chicago as well as Philippine students from Notre Dame and other colleges and universities in this area. Monsignor Calip is vice-chancellor and assistant superintendent of schools in the Archdiocese of Nueva Segovia in the Philippines.

Father Gabriel Publishes Work

The Reverend A. L. Gabriel, director of Notre Dame's Mediaeval Institute, has just published a study of Robert de Sorbonne, founder of the famous French college which bears his name. Father Gabriel prepared his treatise in connection with the 700th anniversary of the College of Sorbonne in Paris which is being observed this year both in Europe and this country. He is secretary of the American committee for the septi-centennial celebration. A specialist in mediaeval education, Father Gabriel based much of his research on the Mediaeval Institute's microfilm collection of the history of great European universities.

Msgr. Calip Invested on Campus

The Very Reverend Osmundo A. Calip, a Filipino priest studying for his

Meehan Scholarships

One student from each of six southern states will be eligible for a four-year scholarship at the University of Notre Dame beginning in September, 1954, it was announced by the Rev. Alfred Mendez, C.S.C., chairman of the University's scholarship committee.

The Meehan Scholarships, founded in 1936 by the late Augustus F. Meehan of Chattanooga, Tennessee, provide an annual stipend of \$750 for four years for one qualified high school graduate from Alabama, Georgia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Texas and Virginia. Neither religious creed nor financial necessity are determinants in deciding the scholarship winners. The official application form and other details may be obtained by writing the Meehan Scholarship Committee, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana.

Arbitration Meeting Report

The Notre Dame Arbitration Committee has recently announced the publication of the PROCEEDINGS of the CONFERENCE on ARBITRATION in LABOR-MANAGEMENT RELATIONS held here last winter. The sessions were sponsored by the Department of Economics, the College of Law, and the American Arbitration Association.

Other universities which in the past have co-sponsored such arbitration conferences are Yale, Rutgers, the University of Pennsylvania, and the University of California.

The Proceedings, which are available from the Arbitration Committee, Box 42, Notre Dame, Ind., are \$1.25 per copy.

Mediaeval Institute Publications

The Mediaeval Institute of the University of Notre Dame has inaugurated a new series of publications entitled "Texts and Studies in the History of Mediaeval Education." The Rev. A. L. Gabriel, director of the Institute and a specialist on mediaeval universities will be editor of the series and the Rev. Joseph N. Garvin, C.S.C., will serve as assistant editor. The Mediaeval Institute has a highly specialized library in the history of higher education in the Middle Ages. Its scholars devote much of their time to the editing of unknown texts of scholastic thinkers at these first universities.

Father Gabriel currently is preparing a history of Ave Maria College, at Paris, as part of the University of Notre Dame's contribution to the observance of the Marian Year recently proclaimed by Pope Pius XII.

Gregorian Chant Anniversary

The golden anniversary of the papal decree proclaiming Gregorian Chant as the official music of the Catholic Church was observed at Notre Dame recently with a series of services featur-

ing chant by the congregation and a concert by the Moreau Seminary Choir.

The congregation sang the Ordinary at High Masses in Sacred Heart Church while the Moreau Choir chanted the Propers of the Mass at the earlier service. The new Faculty-Student Choir sang the Propers at the later Mass. The active participation of the congregation in Church services was one of the aims of Pope Pius X and has become a decided trend in recent years.

Dr. Wallace Speaks to Students

Dr. S. Rains Wallace, Jr., director of research for the Life Insurance Agency Management Association, Hartford, Connecticut, gave a series of

three lectures recently before students and faculty members in Notre Dame's College of Commerce. He was the third guest lecturer in the current series sponsored by the University's College of Commerce Advisory Council. Wallace is the author of a number of Association publications and has contributed several articles to psychological journals and other publications.

Paintings Exhibited

A collection of ten paintings of American religious folk groups by Constantine Kermes were exhibited in the galleries of the O'Shaughnessy Hall of Liberal and Fine Arts. A blend of new and old world concepts is readily recognized in the works of this 29-year-old artist who works in a Thoreau-like

setting on one of Pennsylvania's wooded hills near Pittsburgh. It is in this "Workshop of the Woods," as Kermes calls it, that the artist develops his sketches into colorful paintings of the Pennsylvania Dutch, the rapidly disappearing Shakers, and the Spanish Americans of New Mexico.

Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto

The beautiful Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes on the Notre Dame campus will be a center of prayer and devotion for students and visitors during the Marian Year. The Marian Year, promulgated by Pope Pius XII who visited Notre Dame in 1936, commemorates the 100th anniversary of the definition of the dogma of the Immaculate Conception of Our Lady for whom Notre Dame is named.

The campus shrine, constructed of unhewn rock and situated beneath a canopy of trees, is a replica of the world-famed Grotto at Lourdes in France where Our Lady appeared to Saint Bernadette on eighteen occasions during 1858. During one of these apparitions, the Virgin Mary identified herself declaring: "I am the Immaculate Conception," as if to confirm the dogma which had been proclaimed four years earlier by Pope Pius IX.

Hampered by lack of funds, the construction of the Grotto was not completed until 1896. Completion of the shrine was made possible largely through the generosity of the Reverend Thomas Carroll of Oil City, Pennsylvania, who at one time was a theological student at Notre Dame.

Law Students in Moot Court

Three students of Notre Dame's College of Law participated in the regional rounds of the National Inter-Law School Moot Court Competition recently held in Chicago. They were Joseph T. Helling, Elwood City, Pennsylvania; Carl F. Eiberger, Denver, Colorado; and Wilbur F. Pollard, Kansas City, Missouri.



Basketball captain Dick Rosenthal was a popular fellow at a recent party sponsored by Notre Dame and St. Mary's students in the Northern Indiana Children's Hospital.

N. D. FOUNDATION CHAIRMEN

Recent Appointees Named by Fr. Hesburgh

ARIZONA

Phoenix—Robert D. Kendall, '31, 37 W. Pasadena Ave.—*Tucson*—Elmer W. Besten, '27, 2733 Devon Drive.

CALIFORNIA

Los Angeles—Eugene M. Kennedy, '22, 148 S. Orange Drive.—*San Francisco*—William T. Daly, '41, Medical Dental Building, Suite 11, 1515 Sloat Boulevard.

COLORADO

Colorado Springs—William J. Donegan, Jr., '29, 1800 Mesa Avenue, Broadmoor.—*Denver*—Eugene Blish, '34, 1370 Madison Street.

CONNECTICUT

Hartford—Francis T. Ahearn, '27, 173 Four Mile Road, West Hartford, Connecticut.—*Waterbury*—William J. Andres, '18, 135 Cables Avenue.

FLORIDA

Fort Lauderdale—Robert H. Gore, Jr., '31, 221 N.E. River Drive.—*Miami*—Faris N. Cowart, '34, 278 Aragon Ave., Coral Gables, Fla.

GEORGIA

Atlanta—Alfred R. Abrams, '21, 362 Jones Avenue.

IDAHO

Boise—Francis H. Neitzel, '23, 726 Mesa Drive.

ILLINOIS

Chicago—James R. Martin, '23, 933 E. 95th Street.—*Joliet*—William J. Bossingham, '25, 306 D'Arcy Bldg.—*Moline*—John R. Coryn, '22, 2545 13th St.—*Peoria*—William J. Motsett, '34, 324 S. Washington.—*Rockford*—James H. Dunn, Jr., '39, 206 Guard St.—*Rock Island*—Edward J. Meagher, '21, 1513 34th Street.—*Springfield*—John P. Lynaugh, '39, 500 W. Calhoun.—*Sterling*—Joseph H. Bittorf, '33, 1411 First Avenue.

INDIANA

Anderson—Elmo A. Funk, '11, 920 W. 8th.—*Elkhart*—Robert F. Holtz, '38, 1021 Strong Avenue.—*Evansville*—Ralph F. Heger, '25, 8121 Newburgh Road, Route 6, Box 346.—*Fort Wayne*—Col. John R. Flynn, '23, 708 Fort Wayne Bank Building.—*Calumet District, East Chicago*, Gary, Hammond, Whiting—William L. Travis, '27, 7126 Jefferson, Hammond, Ind.—*Indianapolis*—Patrick J. Fisher, '35, 605 E. 42nd Street.—*Kokomo*—Mark E. Zimmerer, '21, 1124 W. Webster St.—*Lafayette*—Dr. Kenneth F. Laws, '36, 501-5 Lafayette Life Building.—*Logansport*—Thomas G. Medland, '30, 2330 E. Broadway.—*Marion*—James M. Gartland, '41, Shady Hills.—*Michigan City*—John P. Donnelly, '39, 218 E. 8th St.—*Muncie*—Howard R. DeVault, '32, 812 Marsh.—*Notre Dame*—Lawrence H. Baldinger, '31, Dean, College of Science.—*Richmond*—Norman B. Jenkins, '30, 144 S. 21st St.—*South Bend*—Bernard J. Voll, '17, 628 Park Ave.—*Terre Haute*—Louis F. Keifer, '16, Vice President & Manager, Tribune-Star Publishing Co., Inc.—*Vincennes*—James D. McQuaid, '31, 28 N. Fifth Street.

IOWA

Davenport—D. John Hickey, III, '36, 705 E. Rusholme.—*Des Moines*—Harold P. Klein, '26, 512 Polk Boulevard.—*Dubuque*—Thomas B. Schmid, '40, 2310 Simpson Street.

KANSAS

Salina—Norbert F. Skelley, '25, Low's Drug Store, 109 N. Sante Fe.

KENTUCKY

Louisville—Carl B. Ratterman, '37, 3711 Lexington Road.

LOUISIANA

New Orleans—William B. Dreux, '33, 2715 St. Charles Avenue.—*Shreveport*—Robert A. Roy, '27, 509 Market St.

MARYLAND

Baltimore—Franklyn C. Hochreiter, '35, 1327 Pentwood Road.

MASSACHUSETTS

Boston—Arthur T. McManmon, '31, 3050 Washington Street.—*Springfield*—William A. Hurley, '28, 181 Wheeler Avenue.

MICHIGAN

Battle Creek—H. Chase Black, Jr., '49, Architects Haughey & Black, 423 Post Building.—*Benton Harbor*—G. Clemens Theisen, '32, 1258 Miami Road.—*Detroit*—Arthur D. Cronin, Jr., '36, Cronin Coal Company, 2632 Buhl Building.—*Flint*—Thomas F. Halligan, '44, 1615 E. Court St.—*Grand Rapids*—George A. Jackoboice, '31, 327 Front Avenue, N.W.—*Jackson*—Lyman H. Hill, Jr., '29, 5202 Jackson Road, South.—*Kalamazoo*—Paul W. O'Connell, '44, 1729 Sunnyside Drive.—*Monroe*—William J. Gallagher, '50, 812 Hollywood Drive.—*Muskegon*—George E. Ludwig, '25, 372 E. Morris Avenue.—*Port Huron*—Harry S. Erd, Jr., '46, Erd-Marshall Company.—*Saginaw*—Carl W. Doozan, '38, 723 S. Fayette Street.

MINNESOTA

Duluth—Philip G. Hoene, '38, 1424 Vermilion Road.—*Minneapolis*—Patrick A. Dougherty, '50, 515 Syndicate Bldg.—*St. Paul*—Robert M. Rogers, '43, 2160 Wellesley.

MISSOURI

Kansas City—Richard J. Bowes, '38, 5525 Rockhill Road.—*St. Louis*—John J. Griffin, Jr., '39, 10263 St. Charles Rock Road.

MONTANA

Butte—Dr. Richard C. Monahan, '98, 210-11 Mayer Building.

NEBRASKA

Omaha—Ted Miller, 425 Fairacres Road.

NEW JERSEY

Asbury Park—John J. Wingerter, '28, Little Ballingarry, Spring Lake, N. J.—*Camden*—Frank E. Vittori, '49, 1346 Browning.—*Elizabeth*—James T. Quinn, '27, 425 Stanton Street, Rahway, New Jersey.—*Jersey City*—Harry A. O'Mealia, Jr., '43, 2600 Hudson Bldg., Jersey City N. J.—*Newark*—John A. Pindar, '40, 24 Commerce St.—*Paterson*—Joseph A. Abbott, '30, 275 Park Avenue.—*Perth Amboy*—Anthony V. Ceres, '28, 440 Brodhead Place.—*Trenton*—Peter J. Morgan, Jr., '29, 21 N. Lenape Avenue.

NEW MEXICO

Albuquerque—Charles F. O'Malley, '39, P. O. Box 595.

NEW YORK

Albany—John F. Campbell, '26, 252 S. Main Street.—*Auburn*—Thomas R. Herbert, '48, 8 Linn Ave.—*Binghamton*—James H. Hogan, '34, 37 Oak Street.—*Buffalo*—Anthony W. Brick, Jr., '36, Sweeney Bldg., North Tonawanda, New York.—*Elmira*—Francis F. O'Brien, '35, 412 E. Church Street.—*Geneva*—John F. Larsen, '28, 407 S. Main Street.—*New York City*—Louis J. Burns, Jr., '49, 441 Lexington Ave.—*Rochester*—Charles J. O'Brien, '50, 82 Camden St.—*Schenectady*—Francis M. Linehan, '45, 1257 Glenwood Boulevard.—*Syracuse*—John E. McAuliffe, '39, 127 Austin Avenue.—*Troy*—Dr. Daniel P. Mahoney, '37, 301 5th Avenue.—*Utica*—Vincent T. Fletcher, '32, 1640 Clementian Street.

OHIO

Akron—Thomas J. Botzum, '49, 121 Avondale Drive.—*Ashtabula*—John E. Lynch, '39, 4229 Birchwood.—*Canton*—Maurice F. Zink, Jr., '48, 1106 22nd Street, N.W.—*Cincinnati*—Richard W. Scallan, '21, 3612 Victoria Lane.—*Cleveland*—Karl E. Martersteck, '29, 1630 Williamson Building. Co-Chairman—John J. Reidy, '27, 1050 Union Commerce Bldg.—*Columbus*—John C. Fontana, '28, Fontana & Ward, 50 W. Broad St.—*Dayton*—W. Edmund Shea, '23, 2515 Shafor Blvd.—*Elyria*—Richard S. Horan, '24, Lorain County Bank Building.—*Hamilton*—W. Boyce Fischer, '31, c/o Fischer Hardware & Supply Company; 20 N. Third Street.

—*Portsmouth*—Jerome M. Wiggins, '31, 2206 Waller Hill.—*Sandusky*—Alfred A. Schnurr, Jr., '28, 1101 W. Jefferson Street.—*Springfield*—Daniel R. Shouvin, Jr., '42, 215 S. Clairmont Avenue.—*Toledo*—F. John Solon, Jr., '38, 2727 Merrimac Boulevard.—*Warren*—Paul A. Guarnieri, '36, 179 Bonnie Brae, N.E.—*Youngstown*—Charles B. Cushwa, Jr., '31, Commercial Shearing & Stamping Company.

OKLAHOMA

Oklahoma City—J. Haskell Askew, '31, 105 N.E. 27th.—*Tulsa*—Peter J. McMahon, '45, 1841 E. 27th Street.

OREGON

Portland—Phil Berthiaume, '28, 817 Corbett Building.

PENNSYLVANIA

Allentown—Leo R. McIntyre, '28, 3004 Turner Street.—*Altoona*—Primo V. Lusardi, '50, 521 Pine Street, Hollidaysburg, Penna.—*Bradford*—William P. McVay, '40, 94 Main Street.—*Butler*—William J. Rockenstein, '34, 305 N. McKean Street.—*DuBois*—Regis J. Maloney, '29, DuBois Brewing.—*Erie*—Joseph C. Barber, '36, 705 Ariel Building.—*Harrisburg*—Louis C. O'Brien, '44, 2237 Adrian Street.—*Johnstown*—Eugene L. Cavanaugh, '33, 114 Erie Street.—*Lehighton*—George A. Schwartz, '45, 163 South First Street.—*Monongahela Valley*—Adolph V. Capano, '26, 733 McKean Avenue; Donora, Penna.—*New Castle*—Herman W. Green, '36, First National Bank Building.—*Oil City*—William K. Bayer, Jr., '36, 951 West First St.—*Philadelphia*—John P. Dempsey, '49, 2028 S. 57th Street.—*Pittsburgh*—Laurence R. Smith, '33, 1003 Park Bldg.—*Pottsville*—John B. McGurl, '37, Chronicle Building.—*Reading*—Thomas P. Wolff, '51, Gilbert Associates, 412 Washington St.—*Scranton*—John A. Kramer, '45, 121 Chestnut Street; Dunmore, Pa.—*Sharon*—James A. Biggins, M.D., '31, 420 N. Walnut St., Sharpsville.—*St. Mary's*—William P. Gies, '40, Maurus St.—*Titusville*—Matthew J. Bajorek, '45, 422 N. Brown St.—*Wilkes-Barre*—Thomas M. Higgins, '34, 262 S. River St.—*Williamsport*—Peter P. Somerville, '29, R. D. No. 3; Muncy.

RHODE ISLAND

Providence—George W. Ferrick, '41, Manager, New York Life Insurance Co., 469 Angell Street.

SOUTH DAKOTA

Sioux Falls—Thomas M. Reardon, '36, Dakota Iron Store.

TENNESSEE

Chattanooga—John W. Terrell, '39, 1104 McCallie Avenue.—*Memphis*—Lawrence K. Thompson, Jr., '39, 1804 Exchange Bldg.—*Nashville*—J. Thomas Traugher, '28, Glenn Building, Clarksville, Tennessee.

TEXAS

Beaumont—Port Arthur—Richard T. Braun, '14, 3901 Fourth Street, Port Arthur, Texas.—*Dallas*—Thomas E. Braniff, Braniff International Airways. Co-chairman—Walter L. Fleming, Jr., '40, Fleming & Sons, Inc., P. O. Box 1291.—*El Paso*—Richard S. Smith, '37, 4311 Hastings St.—*Fort Worth*—J. Lee Johnson, III, '49, 1209 Washington Terrace.—*Houston*—Lawrence J. Kelley, '42, 811 City National Bank Building.—*San Antonio*—William V. Dielmann, Jr., '25, 433 Beverly Drive.

VIRGINIA

Richmond—Francis J. Stumpf, '44, 17 Cherokee Road.

WASHINGTON

Seattle—John F. Boespflug, '33, 1912-4th Avenue, South.—*Tacoma*—Joseph H. Manley, '30, 916 North K Street.

WEST VIRGINIA

Charleston—Robert E. Shoemaker, '40, 1527 Hampton Road.—*Wheeling*—George J. Sargus, '28, No. 1 Oak Pk.

WISCONSIN

LaCrosse—August M. Grams, '28, 121 S. 13th St.—*Madison*—John E. Tobin, '34, 2826 Van Hise Avenue.—*Marinette*—Frank J. Lauerman, Jr., '19, 713 Marinette Ave.—*Milwaukee*—Charles M. Bransfield, '41, 6209 N. Berkeley.—*Racine*—James M. Hamilton, '35, President, The Greene Mfg. Company, 1028 Douglas Avenue.—*Rhineland*—Donald C. O'Melia, '39, O'Melia & Kaye, O'Melia Building.

RECENT GRADS COMMITTEE CONDUCTS SURVEY of 1946-51 CLASSES

Reflects Opinions on Campus Life and Alumni Clubs

Notre Dame's recent graduates—1946 through 1951—prized the fellowship of their undergraduate days most of all, while at N.D., and also were impressed by the quality of the education they received at Notre Dame. This was revealed in a survey undertaken during the year by a committee of young alumni.

The committee was headed by Charles F. Russ, '49, and included William Anhut, Thomas Carroll and George Murphy, all of the '51 class; Edward Snyder, '50; and John P. Walker, '49.

This group was appointed last Spring by the Alumni Association Board of Directors at the urging of recent grads. Its purpose was to examine the attitude and opinions of the graduates of the last five years and

to give special emphasis to the operation and general effectiveness of the local alumni clubs.

In addition to fellowship and the cultural environment on campus, young alumni were 'grateful for Notre Dame's religious atmosphere'. Tabulations show that the group was highly critical of several facets of student life—primarily the disciplinary system and the food. But it seems that their criticism was meant to be constructive because almost unanimously they stated that they would encourage their sons to attend the University.

Ninety-two per cent said their opinion of Notre Dame had changed for the better or had remained unchanged. There were many recommendations for altering the curriculum, improving

student-faculty relations, providing more and better social life (including St. Mary's), giving Notre Dame less of a football reputation, raising the standards of admission, expanding the placement service and revising the approach to fund-raising.

The survey gave a vote of confidence to alumni publications. Eighty-nine per cent of young graduates read class notes in the ALUMNUS magazine while 92% read the NOTRE DAME magazine.

It was indicated in the survey that a closer bond of cooperation should exist between local alumni clubs and present students. In some cities the price of affairs has discouraged many young alumni from participation in
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Industry-College Execs Attend First Conference

The First Industry-College Conference, held in White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., featured nationally-known business and education executives as speakers and it was agreed by those in attendance that a "mutuality of interests" existed between the two groups.

Notre Dame was represented by the Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., president, who served as chairman during one of the discussion periods. According to Ben Moreell, Board Chairman of Jones and Laughlin Steel Corp., the consensus at the conference's end was that both groups "reached a basis for understanding and achieved an eagerness to learn about the other's problems."

In all there were 38 leaders of education, most of them college presidents,

and 31 industry executives, many of them heads of corporations, present at the meeting. In addition to Father Hesburgh the other chairmen included: Douglas McGregor, president of Antioch College; William Given,

president of the American Brake Shoe Co., New York; R. C. Hood, president of Ansul Chemical Co., Marinette, Wis.; and Paul H. Sheats of the Adult Education Association of the United States, Los Angeles.



Father Hesburgh attended the Industry-College Conference, White Sulphur Springs, W. Va. Left to right: William Given, Jr.; Father Hesburgh; and Carroll V. Newsom.

Who's Who in America, 1952-53 edition, lists 135 Notre Dame alumni according to a survey by the A. N. Marquis Co., publisher. The Notre Dame representation includes prominent alumni in occupations and fields of endeavor. The survey revealed that Notre Dame is one of the first two Catholic colleges in the total number of listings.

Included in the volume are biographies on 27 priests of the Congregation of Holy Cross. This group is composed of the Most Rev. John F. O'Hara, C.S.C., former president of the University and now Archbishop of Philadelphia; the Superior General of the Congregation of Holy Cross, Rev. Christopher J. O'Toole, C.S.C., the Rev. Theodore J. Mehling, C.S.C., provincial, Indiana Province of the Priests, Congregation of Holy Cross; Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., president of Notre Dame; the Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., former University President and now Director of the Notre Dame Foundation; Rev. Philip S. Moore, C.S.C., Academic Affairs vice-pres.; and Rev. James E. Norton, C.S.C., Student Affairs vice-president.

Clergy-Faculty at Notre Dame

Also the following priests who are faculty members at Notre Dame: Rev. Henry J. Bolger, C.S.C.; Rev. Eugene P. Burke, C.S.C.; Rev. Frank Cavanaugh, C.S.C.; Rev. Wm. Cunningham, C.S.C.; Rev. H. G. Glueckert, C.S.C.; Rev. Cornelius J. Hagerty, C.S.C.; Rev. Thomas A. Kelly, C.S.C.; Rev. Thomas T. McAvoy, C.S.C.; Rev. William H. Molony, C.S.C.; Rev. Raymond W. Murray, C.S.C.; Rev. William H. Robinson, C.S.C.; and Rev. Robert J. Sheehan, C.S.C.

Other priests are: Rev. Francis J. Boland, C.S.C., president of Stonehill College; Rev. Michael J. Early, C.S.C.; Rev. Joseph S. McGrath, C.S.C.; Rev. Charles C. Miltner, C.S.C., and Rev. Robert H. Sweeney, C.S.C., of the University of Portland; Rev. John H. Murphy, C.S.C., chaplain, St. Joseph's Hospital, South Bend, Ind.; Rev. Patrick J. Peyton, C.S.C., of the 'Family Rosary'; and Rev. Matthew A. Schumacher, C.S.C., St. Mary's College.

Distinguished lay alumni include: Frank C. Walker, former postmaster-general and currently a University trustee; Arch Ward, *Chicago Tribune* Sports Editor; Albert Pick, president

'Who's Who' Edition Lists 135 Notre Dame Alumni

N. D. Is Leader in Catholic College Group

of Pick Hotels, Inc.; James R. Record, Ft. Worth, Tex., publisher; Frank J. Starzel, general manager of the Associated Press; Terence B. Cosgrove, University trustee; former Governor

ward Tighe Woods, former Rent Expeditor; Sherwood Dixon, former Lt.-Gov., Ill.; Allen W. Fritzsche, industrialist; Thomas H. Beacom, U. trustee, bank exec.; George N. Beamer, lawyer; James Landi, manufacturer; John P. Murphy, U. trustee, businessman; Harry A. Stuhldreher, public relations, member of 'Four Horsemen' backfield; George N. Shuster, educator; Romeo



FRANK C. WALKER

of Michigan, Harry F. Kelly; Walter W. "Red" Smith, sports columnist; Clyde A. Lewis, former head of the VFW; Raymond J. Kelly, former national commander American Legion; Darrel Austin, artist.

Trustees Represented in Group

Also, John A. Cassidy, attorney; Joseph M. Byrne, Jr., University trustee and Newark, N. J. businessman; John S. McKiernan, Lt.-Gov. of Rhode Island; Don C. Miller, attorney, member of 'Four Horsemen' backfield; J. P. McEvoy, writer; Robert L. Chase, editor; William E. Cotter, attorney, director of philanthropic organizations; Joseph F. Deeb, former U. S. District Attorney, Michigan; Joseph P. Evans, M.D., professor, Univ. of Cincinnati; Charles Fahy, judge; Neil C. Hurley, Jr., manufacturer; Byron V. Kanaley, lawyer, University trustee; Ambrose O'Connell, judge; Ray T. Miller, former Cleveland mayor.

Walter Trohan, newspaperman; Ed-



M. E. WALTER

P. Allard, dean, Loyola, L. A.; Edward N. Anderson, Holy Cross College football coach; Karl M. Arndt, professor; Lester L. Bowles, M.D.; Harold P. Burke, U. S. dist. judge; Francis R. Cawley, govt. specialist; P. DiGiorgio, corporation pres.

Thomas A. J. Dockweiler, lawyer; Oscar Dorwin, attorney; Joseph E. Duffey, business exec.; Thomas J. Ess, editor; Michael L. Fansler, attorney; C. L. Farris, govt. official; W. P. Feeley, business exec.; Harry W. Flannery, news reporter and analyst; Sister Mary P. Garvey, pres., Mercy College;

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Frank Holahan Does Great Foundation Job As District Governor

Solicits Gifts From 60 N.D. Friends in 1953

In the little town of Hollidaysburg nestling amid the Allegheny Mountains of Western Pennsylvania, a member of the 1935 Class decided that he should see what could be done to advance the efforts of the Notre Dame Foundation. This was almost two years ago—in early 1952. As he says, it required more than fifteen years for him to realize that he could do something in addition to his modest, though regular, contributions to the University.

So J. Frank Holahan, valedictorian of '35 with a 94.6% average in Commerce, put his shoulder to the Foundation grindstone. The results have been amazing. Records indicate that during 1953, the first full year he spent some of his "spare time" making Foundation contacts, his solicitations resulted in \$5,000 from donors whose contributions had totaled less than \$400 in the preceding year. Sixty of Frank's non-alumni "prospects," who had incidentally contributed nothing prior to his first contact with them, gave \$3,000 to the Foundation this past year. The statistics are even more phenomenal when compared with 37 non-alumni gifts from the entire State of Pennsylvania in 1952.

Encouragement from Mr. Walker

Holahan became enthused about the Foundation in a conversation with Mr. Frank C. Walker, '09, President of Notre Dame's Associate Board of Lay Trustees and former National Chairman of the Notre Dame Foundation. Mr. Walker told Frank of the success he had had in asking prospective donors to send him their checks for forwarding to the campus. Frank found that by utilizing this plan he can keep an up-to-date "tickler" on persons who have promised to send donations. He says that many persons share his own propen-

sity to forget about intended donations and follow-up contacts are occasionally necessary and generally productive.

Currently Frank is District Governor for Central Pennsylvania with supervision over a 23-county area. Prior to being appointed by the Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., Frank had served as City Chairman and as President of the ND Alumni Club of Central Pennsylvania.

In the story on Governor Joe Farrell, '15, November-December, 1953, ALUMNUS, it was stated that "until last year Joe had done practically a one-man job of stimulating participation in the Annual Alumni Funds." Frank is one of the primary reasons why Joe no longer has a "one-man job."

Alumni Participation 75%

While directing the activities of his alumni club, participation for the area *increased to 75%*—the highest in Pennsylvania and one of the highest in the entire country. In appreciation of Frank's great work as Club President, he was presented the "Man-of-the-Year" award on Universal Notre Dame Night in 1953.

Holahan's efforts as District Governor have been concentrated on potential contributors among non-alumni. He does not consider someone a prospect unless an interest in Notre Dame already exists either from being a follower of Fighting Irish athletes, or one who appreciates the tremendous part Notre Dame plays in the Catholic higher educational field, or from other factors.

More than one-half of the non-alumni he has approached have contributed and most of these have agreed, often at their own suggestion,



J. FRANK HOLAHAN

that they would give similar amounts annually. Without any doubt this is one of the outstanding percentages of individual fund-raising whether it be in the college ranks or otherwise.

Foundation Work Done in 'Spare Time'

Frank's work for the Foundation has to be done in his "spare time." He is employed as a bank examiner for the Comptroller of the Currency and official duties require 60 hours per week. After almost nineteen years on the same job Holahan insists that he is not a salesman and is a neophyte at soliciting funds for any cause. (Editor's note: The writer will take exception to this statement even if it does appear in print. JC)

Many persons are interested in Notre Dame and would like to contribute to the Foundation but they lack knowledge thereof or else they may be just too busy to think of sending in a donation unless approached personally, according to Holahan's theory. Several non-alumni have emphasized that they were "glad to find

such a worthy place to put some of their earnings . . ."

As part of his work, Frank has discovered that many affluent alumni had given little or nothing to the Foundation but would make substantial annual gifts if personally approached. One example was an alumnus who had graduated many years ago but had never participated in alumni funds. After a bit of encouragement, Frank succeeded in reactivating his interest which led to a gift of \$150 for the University. Another gave \$200 even though his prior annual contributions were \$10.

Several alumni who have been giving \$10, \$20, \$25 regularly over the years have remarked that those original amounts loomed large in family budgets a decade ago but could be increased with present-day incomes by \$50 or \$100. Although only 16 alumni in Pennsylvania contributed \$100 in 1952, Holahan firmly believes that there should be at least 100 persons in this category.

Frank works closely with his city chairmen and is confident that a follow-up by them in the future will retain most, if not all, of the '53 contributors he has personally solicited.

Indoctrinates With ND Mag

He makes good use of the NOTRE DAME magazine, copies of which he gives to prospects so that they may become fully cognizant of the Notre Dame story. Holahan modestly insists that he has no magic money-raising formula but rather, on the other hand, he has the "easiest product in the world to sell."

Until recent years, Frank admits he did not fully appreciate the financial plight of most private educational institutions. For instance, at Notre Dame the student actually pays only about 70% of his tuition. The remaining 30% has to be defrayed by the University through benefactions from alumni, non-alumni friends, corporations and foundations. It is Frank's own belief that alumni should strive to repay this obligation.

In addition to obtaining financial support for the University, Holahan has also been successful in getting new students from the Hollidaysburg vicinity to enroll at the University.

Frank is convinced that there are many other alumni who have taken little or no part, financially or otherwise, in the Foundation but who can aid in this essential phase of "Operation Notre Dame."

Frank and his lovely wife, Louise, have two potential candidates for Coach Leahy, Johnny 11, and Billy 7. They are one of the most rabid family groups ever to follow the Fighting Irish football squad. For 17 seasons the Holahans have been attending ND games and in recent years the boys have accompanied them to New Orleans, New York City, Cleveland, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Baltimore and South Bend.

Even though it means being away from his family and putting in extra hours, Frank is determined to do all that he can in assisting Notre Dame to provide the best in Catholic higher education—for Johnny and Billy, and thousands of other privileged youngsters who will some day attend classes on the campus of Our Lady's University.—J.N.C.

Recent Grad Survey

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club programs and the survey also suggests that functions should be more interesting.

Notre Dame's football fame was not the main attraction for enticing them to the Golden Dome campus, so said recent graduates. Only 8% of the group placed football as the primary reason for coming to Notre Dame.

Although Lou Buckley's "Life and Opinions of the 1928 Class" (see ALUMNUS, Nov-Dec. 1953) covered a greater variety of subjects, his report and the young alumni survey paralleled each other on a number of points. Notre Dame's religious influence and spirit of fellowship were also listed as top contribution to the lives of '28 men while the 'nature and extent of discipline' was one of their chief complaints.

The Recent Graduates Committee survey results were presented to the Alumni Board of Directors at their October meeting.

STUDENTS INSURANCE PLAN

An accident and sickness insurance plan, one of the most comprehensive of its type in the nation, has been offered to Notre Dame students by the Continental Casualty Company of Chicago, Ill. Over 1400 underclassmen have voluntarily enrolled in the plan which will give additional protection to those services provided by the University Infirmary. Students also receive coverage during vacation periods and other times when infirmary facilities are unavailable to them.

The Notre Dame plan costs \$21 for a full twelve month rate but has been prorated for entrants taking advantage of its coverage in October and at the beginning of the second semester this year. All coverage now effective will extend until September 14, 1954, at which time new enrollments will start for incoming freshmen and others. All members of the student body are eligible for the plan.

Accident benefits of the student health plan are completely unallocated and limited only by the maximum amount payable of \$750 per accident. Sickness benefits are payable up to \$500 based on a set schedule. These latter benefits include hospital room and board, surgeon and special nurses' fees, doctors calls and ambulance service.

The Student Senate has chosen John C. O'Meara, Hillsdale, Mich., a Junior in the College of Arts and Letters, to administer the plan on campus. His function is to process and forward claims to the Chicago office, answer questions of parents and students on the subject, and generally promote interest in the plan. O'Meara has an office in the new LaFortune Student Center.

University officials gave thoughtful consideration to the present Student Health Plan before accepting it as a part of the school's program. The plan is designed to be of maximum value to students and parents alike. Its initial success is evident in that 35% of the current student body are already covered by its benefits.

Who's Who

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Frank B. Goodman, newspaper editor; Clinton R. Gutermuth, conservationist, naturalist; George W. Holmes, banker; Clarence B. Jennett, banker; Henry C. Johnson, corporation lawyer; John E. Kenney, business exec.; James G. Mackey, lawyer.

William E. Mahin, research administrator; John E. Martin, judge; Emmett A. McCabe, business exec.; Roger I. McDonough, judge; William E. Miller, congressman, N. Y.; Robert H. Morse, Jr., manufacturer; Frederick E. Neef, surgeon; Edward M. O'Connor, govt. official; Joseph P. O'Hara, congressman, Minn.; William H. Powers, educator; Basil Rauch, professor; Charles M. Reagan, exec. Paramount Pictures; John F. Robinson, educator; Edward A. Rumely, public relations exec.; Reynolds C. Seitz, Law dean, Marquette.

John R. Sheriff, Dean, Loyola, Chicago; J. W. Stack, educator; Joseph H. Thompson, business exec.; Stanley D. Tylman, professor of dentistry; Louis F. Thompson, govt. official; M. E. Walter, Houston Chronicle editor; Clifford Ward, news columnist; Paul M. Wood, M.D.; Henry H. Barnhart, manufacturing exec.; Linus C. Glotzbach, Northwest Airlines exec.; Walter H. Johnson, Jr., American Airlines exec.; Thomas H. King, educator; Brian S. Odem, lawyer; and John P. Wagner, business executive.

Lay faculty alumni at Notre Dame include: Paul C. Bartholomew, Cecil Birder, Andrew J. Boyle, Jose A. Caparo (now retired), Jose C. Corona, Edward A. Coomes, Gilbert J. Coty, Norbert Engels, Louis Hasley, George F. Hennion, Clarence "Jake" Kline, Walter M. Langford, Coach Frank Leahy, Francis J. O'Malley, Ronald E. Rich, John H. Sheehan, Walter L. Shilts, Thomas J. Stritch, Judge Luther M. Swygert, Richard R. Vogt, James A. Withey and James A. Reyniers.

MARIAN YEAR PILGRIMAGE

The Canadian Federation of Newman Clubs is sponsoring a Marian Year Pilgrimage to Europe from June 25-Aug. 6, 1954. Full particulars may be obtained by contacting: James J. Lynch, director, World Educational Travel, 1457 Broadway, New York 36, N. Y.

SILVER JUBILEE of HOLY CROSS MEN

Four Holy Cross missionaries in Dacca, India, recently celebrated their Silver Jubilee in the Congregation with a Solemn Pontifical High Mass and special presentation program. His Grace, the Most Rev. Lawrence L. Graner, C.S.C., Archbishop of Dacca, Rev. John Kane, C.S.C., Rev. Dominic D'Rozario C.S.C., and Brother Jude Costello, C.S.C., all were honored on this occasion.

BOOK REVIEW:

The Presence of Mary by Sister M. Agnese

THE PRESENCE OF MARY (Fides Publishing Co. \$1.50) by Sister M. Agnese, Sisters of Divine Providence. This book, published in 1949, has a new significance in this Marian Year. It is a translation from the French original of a French Jesuit, Father Francis Charmot.

It treats of Mary's role in the lay apostolate, very vital in this year of Marian emphasis. It pictures her in her role as Queen in the fight against evil, never more significant than now. And it treats of Mary as the teacher who forms the necessary interior life for the apostolate.

Sister Agnese is a most capable translator, and those privileged to know her during her years in the summer sessions at Notre Dame, know that her contribution to this work is far more than its translation.—J. E. A.



Members of the '29 class in Pakistan receive a visit from the Very Rev. Christopher J. O'Toole, C.S.C., Superior General of the Congregation of Holy Cross. Left to right: Rev. Walter R. Marks, C.S.C., Rev. Joseph F. Voorde, C.S.C., Father O'Toole, Rev. John J. Harrington, C.S.C., and Rev. Charles J. Young, C.S.C.



SHANNON and MATZ '54 CO-CAPTAINS

Dan Shannon and Paul Matz, both juniors from Chicago, who attended Mount Carmel High School together in the Windy City, and who spent the past football season at Notre Dame battling each other for the starting left end job, will co-captain the 1954 Fighting Irish football team.

Both had been primarily defensive men before the 1953 season, Shannon as linebacker and Matz as an end. During the past campaign, Shannon caught seven passes for 138 yards, two for touchdowns. The two touchdowns brought about the 14-14 tie with Iowa in the eighth game of the season. Matz caught five passes for 61 yards. Shannon is an accounting major. Matz is majoring in aeronautical engineering.

Leahy's Winning Record Tops .888 Percentage

After the 1953 football season, which saw Notre Dame win nine, lose none, and tie one, Frank Leahy, coach of the Irish team for eleven years, now has a record of 87 victories, 11 defeats and nine ties. This is a winning percentage of .888 exclusive of ties.

Leahy also won 20 games and lost two in two years as coach of Boston College. Thus, his all-time coaching record is now 107 victories, 13 defeats, and nine ties. This is a winning percentage of .892.

During his tenure at Notre Dame, Leahy has won four national championships, in 1943, 1946, 1947 and 1949.

The Irish mentor has had six undefeated seasons at Notre Dame, 1941, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949 and 1953.



Dan Shannon grabs the tying touchdown pass against Iowa. Final score: 14-14.

1954 Football Schedule Features 5 Home Games

Sept. 25	Texas at ND
Oct. 2	Purdue at ND
Oct. 9	Pittsburgh at Pittsburgh
Oct. 16	Michigan State at ND
Oct. 23	Open date
Oct. 30	Navy at Baltimore
Nov. 6	Pennsylvania at Philadelphia
Nov. 13	North Carolina at ND
Nov. 20	Iowa at Iowa City
Nov. 27	So. California at ND
Dec. 4	So. Methodist at Dallas

Seven Seniors Play In Post-Season Grid Games

Seven senior members of the undefeated Notre Dame football team played in post-season games, three for the East, in the East-West game in San Francisco, and four for the North, in the North-South game in Miami. Johnny Lattner, right half, Neil Worden, fullback, and Art Hunter, right tackle, were at San Francisco. Captain Don Penza, right end, Menil Mavraides, right guard, Jim Schrader, center, and Tom McHugh, fullback, appeared in Miami.

1953 Recapitulation

ND 28	Oklahoma 21
ND 37	Purdue 7
ND 23	Pittsburgh 14
ND 27	Georgia Tech 14
ND 38	Navy 7
ND 28	Pennsylvania 20
ND 34	North Carolina 14
ND 14	Iowa 14
ND 48	Southern California 14
ND 40	Southern Methodist 14

*Record: Won nine, lost none,
tied one*



Capt. Don Penza, E



Armando Galardo, HB



Fred Mangialardi, E



John Lattner, HB



Bob Rigali, HB

*Graduating Members
of 1953 Football Squad*



Tom McHugh, FB



Art Hunter, T



Rockne Morrissey, HB



Art Nowack, C



Joe Bush, T



Jim Schrader, C



Bob Martin, QB



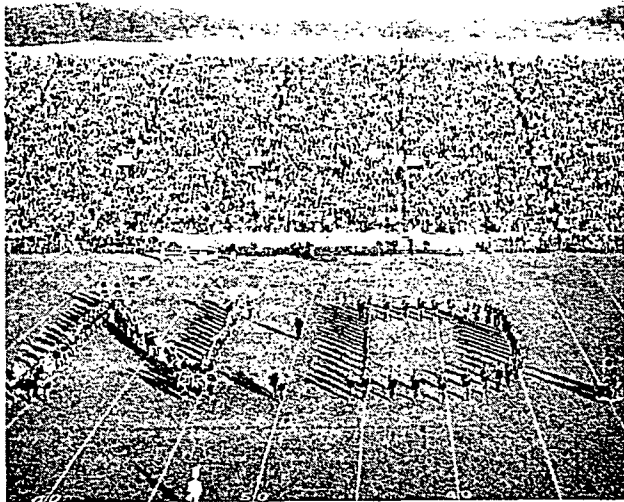
Neil Worden, FB



Menil Mavraides, G



"Eh Cumpari" (popular song — or did you know) rendered by (left to right) Jackie Lee, Pat Bisceglia, Frank Varrichione and Menil Mavraides at St. Joe Valley's football banquet for team. Sitting are Arch Ward, '23, and Frank Leahy.



The ND band, under the direction of Robert F. O'Brien, presented an outstanding show each home game and in Philadelphia. This year's unit is one of the best musical units ever to represent the Fighting Irish

Worden Sets N.D. Record With 29 TD's in 3 Years

Final statistical honors for the 1953 season were fairly well divided among the four members of the starting Notre Dame backfield. Neil Worden, senior fullback, gained the most yards and scored the most points. Johnny Lattner, senior right half, was first in kickoff returns. Joe Heap, junior left half, paced the team in passes re-

ceived and punt returns, and Ralph Guglielmi, junior quarterback, was the top man in passing and passes intercepted.

Worden made 11 touchdowns to lead the team for the third straight year and ran his three-year total to 29 touchdowns, a new Notre Dame record. The Milwaukee lad also was first in rushing on the basis of 859 yards gained in 145 carries for an average of 5.9 yards. Worden was fifth in the country among collegiate rushers.

ALL-OPPONENT TEAM

Oklahoma and Pittsburgh dominated the 1953 Notre Dame All-Opponent football team. Three Panthers and three Sooners were on the 12-man club, a 12-man team being necessary because of a tie for the second end position.

At the time of voting for the all-opponent team, the Irish players also selected the "best team played." In this balloting, Oklahoma edged Iowa for the honor.

Seven schools were represented on the All-Opponent team.

Ends: Dick Deitrick, Pittsburgh; Carl Allison, Oklahoma, and Tom Nickoloff, USC (tied for second end position). **Tackles:** Eldred Kraemer, Pittsburgh; Jack Shanafelt, Pennsylvania. **Guards:** J. D. Roberts, Oklahoma; Tom Bettis, Purdue. **Center:** Larry Morris, Georgia Tech. **Quarterback:** Ed Gramigna, Pennsylvania. **Backs:** Jack Ging, Oklahoma; Bobby Epps, Pittsburgh; George Broeder, Iowa.

John Lattner, senior halfback, received the following honors as the outstanding college football player in the United States: Heisman trophy, Maxwell trophy, Washington (D.C.) Touchdown Club award, Cleveland Touchdown Club award and the Detroit Quarterback Club award.

To Coach Frank Leahy, the Assistant Coaches and all members of the Football Team:
Gentlemen:

I believe I express the opinion and desires of the Alumni of Notre Dame when, on behalf of the Association, I offer you congratulations on the victorious completion of one of the finest seasons in Notre Dame football history. The display of the will to win when needed seemed to exceed that always expected of Notre Dame teams.

You should be as proud of your accomplishments as we are proud of you.

Sincerely,
JOHN H. NEESON, JR.,
President, Alumni Assoc.

Alumni Clubs

Akron

Sparked by President STEVE WOZNIAK, '28, the Rubber City group has been kept plenty busy of late.

FRANK STEELE, '25, and his committee substantially increased the club's Scholarship Fund by means of a successful ticket raffle. ED HINDERSCHIED, '30, was the lucky winner of four 50-yard line tickets to the Southern Methodist game, plus expenses.

MURRAY POWERS, '23, brought out a splendid attendance of over fifty for the annual corporate communion at St. Bernard's Church on Sunday, December 6th. Following 8 o'clock Mass, the club enjoyed an excellent breakfast at the new Iacomini Restaurant. Guests included Father Edward A. Wolf, Administrator of St. Bernard's; Brother Noel, C.S.C., principal of Akron's new Hoban High School; Mayor-elect Leo Berg; Coach Eddie Wentz of Akron St. Vincent's High; M. G. "Jerry" O'Neil, executive assistant to the president of the General Tire & Rubber Company; and All-American Art Hunter and his father Albert D. Hunter, who drove Art all night from Notre Dame so he could be with us.

—GLENN SMITH

Aurora

The Scholarship Fund of the Aurora Club is \$500 richer, thanks to the successful raffle of four Georgia Tech-Notre Dame tickets in October. Prexy DICK REEDY, '44, is laying final plans for a dinner dance sometime around the first of February for club members and their guests.

—JOHN J. RILEY, Sec'y.

Baltimore

FELIX MELODY, '23, was chairman of the sixteenth annual Notre Dame Club of Baltimore Communion Breakfast. . . . HAL WILLIAMS, '38, chief researcher, author and editor of recent

Sun Magazine article depicting development of the Chesapeake Bay. . . . GIL PRENDERGAST, '30, a contributor, telling what the Bay means to the amateur fisherman. . . . FRANKLYN HOCHREITER, '35, chief sleuth in Vagabond Players' amateur production of chiller "The Late Edwina Black," proceeds of which go to the Notre Dame Foundation. . . . BOBBY WILLIAMS, '51, still at Bainbridge, gained achievement award as outstanding "boot" in his class. . . . VICTOR WOJCIEHOVSKI, '37, coached Mount St. Joseph's football team to an undefeated season, his players gaining six All-Catholic team berths.

—J. MURRAY WIEMAN

Boston

JOHN V. MORAN, '30, and his Notre Dame associates—90 strong—travelled via the New York, New Haven and Hartford to Philadelphia to see the exciting Pennsylvania game. Among the alumni members making the trip were JOSEPH O'REILLY, '48, JOHN BRESNAHAN, '45, JOHN F. SAUNDERS, '31, and JOHN T. BURKE, '29.

The Honorable John B. Hynes, mayor of the city of Boston, also made the trip. The mayor's eldest boy, John, graduated from Notre Dame in 1952. Another son enrolled at Notre Dame this past September. Among those whom the group met in Philadelphia were our ex-president and his beautiful wife, Claire. Those lucky people in Rochester, N. Y., got both in the same package.

REV. FRANCIS J. BOLAND, C.S.C., '18, President of Stonehill College, sends word that a new shrine to the Immaculate Conception was dedicated at the college on Sunday, December 6th.

FRANKLIN H. STUART, '43, called the other night to say that he is back in Boston after an absence of three years. His new address is 11 Beachwood Terrace, Wellesley Hills. Frank is now in the steel business.

DR. ROBERT E. DONOVAN, M.D., class of '33, sends word that his new address is 110 Gray

Street, Arlington 74, Mass. We wish Bob all the luck in the world in his new home.

The members of the Boston Club were deeply sorry to hear of the death of Lt. Robert Herlihy, '52, killed in Korea on July 26. Those of us who knew Bob certainly will miss him.

DR. CHRISTOPHER LANDRY, M.D., has moved into the Boston area. His address is 61 Richfield Road, Arlington.

Buffalo

A record crowd attended the annual cocktail party of the Alumni Club of Buffalo held on Friday, November 27, at the Hotel Sheraton.

December 6th was the date for our Communion Breakfast. Mass at the New Cathedral Chapel was followed by breakfast at the Hotel Sheraton with Rev. Francis Growney as speaker. DICK THOEN, '39, was chairman of the affair. This is a family affair at which many of the future hallbacks make their annual appearance.

Big event of the year was the Christmas Dance on Monday, December 28th, in the Hotel Statler ballroom. The Alumni, Alum-Wives, and Campus Club joined forces to make it a huge success. Profits are earmarked for the Foundation Fund. Co-chairmen were Mr. and Mrs. PAUL J. ALLWEIN, '49, with Mr. and Mrs. JAMES T. CLAUSSE, class of '44, and Mr. and Mrs. FRANCIS G. KELLNER, '36, as honorary chairmen. Committee heads were: Mr. and Mrs. FRANCIS X. BENNETT, JR., '39, Reservations; Mr. and Mrs. JAMES R. AUSTIN, class of '38, Tickets; Mr. and Mrs. ANTHONY C. ROCCO, class of '49, Decorations; Mr. and Mrs. HENRY J. BALLING, '52, Music; and Mr. and Mrs. J. FRANCIS HANSSEL, '31, Publicity.

—NICHOLAS H. WILLET

Calumet District

The highlight of the holiday season in the Calumet District occurred on December 29th—the annual Christmas Dinner Dance. Held at the Woodmar Country Club and chairmanned by JACK OGREN, '49, the party reached new peaks of fun and gaiety with good food and good music.

TOM RADIGAN, '38, is now making plans for our Stag Sports Dinner to be held January 26th. This Smorgasbord dinner will be held at



MEMPHIS—Club members were guests of Msgr. Kearney for breakfast following the Mass on Universal Communion Sunday. The Mass was offered for the late Mr. Galvin Hudson, '15, Alumni Board Director and Foundation Governor.

the Marshall House Restaurant in Gary. **TERRY BRENNAN**, '49, will be the guest of the Club at this event and he will have with him the Football Highlights film. The nomination of officers for the coming year will take place at this meeting together with other business, including a report on the Club's activities for the past year. We expect quite a turnout for this event.

FATHER MICHAEL FORAN, C.S.C., '33, of the Notre Dame Mission Band, thrilled Club members and their wives with his simple eloquence as he addressed them at the Club's Annual Communion Breakfast. After Father Foran celebrated Mass in St. Joseph's Church in Hammond he spoke to the Club at the LaSalle Grille, also in that city. He charged those present to show good example to their children by leading good Christian lives, for this is the best way yet devised to defeat juvenile delinquency.

—**ERNIE HUFFMAN**

Central New York

The new officers elected for the year are as follows: President: **PHILLIP G. KELLEY**, '50; Vice-President: **T. R. HERBERT**, '48; Secretary-Treasurer, **PAUL D. LONERGAN**, '50.

The evening before the Lions-Steelers game here, we had a dinner and business meeting at the Cavalry Club, an affair attended by **FATHER HESBURGH**, **LEON HART** and **GUS CIFELLI**.

This fall we also sponsored a benefit drawing to raise money for a scholarship fund. The winner was **RICHARD GREENE** and his wife who enjoyed an expense paid trip to the Notre Dame-Penn game.

At present we are making plans for our Communion Breakfast to inaugurate the Marian Year, and are planning a Christmas Dance to be held December 27th.

The annual communion breakfast was held on December 6th at Hotel Syracuse, following 8 o'clock Mass and Communion at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception. Guest speaker at the breakfast was **Mgr. Toomey**. The menu included ham and eggs, french fries, double orange juice, assorted hot rolls, marmalade, and plenty of coffee.

—**PAUL D. LONERGAN**, '50

Central Pennsylvania

The club's annual Universal Notre Dame Communion Breakfast was well-attended this year including the wives and children. President **PRIMO LUSARDI** presided and Father Philip O'Donnell, club chaplain, was guest speaker.

Central Illinois

The Central Illinois Club, including members from Decatur, Jacksonville, Springfield and other central cities, held its "Fall Kick-Off" meeting the end of October at the home of club president **JAMES COSTA**, '48. The program consisted of a discussion of future club events, the showing of football movies, and a public relations film. Refreshments were served and a pleasant evening was had by all.

—**MICHAEL J. BESSO**.

Chicago

The Notre Dame Glee Club, sponsored by the Scholarship Foundation of the Notre Dame Club of Chicago, presented a concert at Mundelein College Auditorium the end of October. Approximately seven hundred grads and their families and friends attended. Nothing but praise could be heard for the performance of the boys in the glee club and for Professor **Daniel H. Pedtke** in particular.

My leading sentence, you'll note, shows **DR. COONEY'S** tireless training . . . the who, when, where and why is all in that first line. Now let me give you the story. Seven hundred of us . . . old grads . . . grads not so old . . . wives . . . sons and daughters . . . friends . . . all of us sat back and enjoyed some of the finest choral singing any of us had ever heard. And we were proud . . . proud of the Glee Club . . . and proud of the University for which it stands.

SPOTLIGHT ALUMNUS



COLONEL FRANK FEHR, '93

The dean of American brewers, Colonel Frank Fehr, '93, is now chairman of the board of directors of the Frank Fehr Brewing Co., Louisville, Ky. Colonel Fehr has the unique distinction of having played center on Notre Dame's first football team. He is very proud of a picture in his office of the 1887 Irish grid eleven and recalled that "our one substitute was absent when the photograph was taken." Although nearing his 84th birthday the Colonel remains active in business and in his many other interests.

He has been in the brewing business for more than 60 years having learned the trade from German masters in Munich and Vienna. His father, Frank Fehr, Sr., started the company in 1872 and managed it until he died in 1891. The Colonel served as president of the brewery until being elevated to his new post as board chairman.

Not only did he survive the rigors of football and more than a half-century in the brewing business but Colonel Fehr also was in the Iroquois Theatre in Chicago when it caught fire on December 30, 1903, and claimed 600 lives.

The Colonel is married and he and Mrs. Fehr recently moved to 107 Travois Road, Louisville, Ky.

And mind you, the old boy who is writing this piece was a member of that Glee Club just twenty years ago . . . a soloist to boot! I talked with many who attended. They thought the voices blended well; they liked the numbers on the program and the way they were arranged; they thought the boys themselves made a fine appearance. They were right! Then we talked about the soloists. They saw real talent in every one of them. They were right again.

Then how about Prof. **DANIEL PEDTKE**? Every last soul I talked with feels he is doing an excellent job. Naturally he is an accomplished musician but it goes deeper than that. The boys respect him and he enjoys bringing out the beauty in their voices. These young men are doing much to show the country that Notre Dame loves fine singing. And how do I feel about all this? If I had a son I would be proud indeed if he sang with the Notre Dame Glee Club!

—**GEORGE MENARD**, '34

Cincinnati

Our observance of Universal Notre Dame Communion Sunday took place on December 6. Members, their wives and families attended the 9 o'clock Mass at the Holy Spirit Chapel of the Fenwick Club and then adjourned across the street to the Fontbonne Club for breakfast and a short speaking program.

The Eighth Annual Scholarship Ball was held in the Pavilion Caprice of the Netherland Plaza Hotel on Tuesday, December 29, from 9:30 p.m. until 2:00 a.m. A Cocktail Party for patrons took place from 8:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. This dance has developed into one of the social highlights of the holiday season and we usually have from 800 to 900 people attending. **RAY GUDMENS**, '47, was chairman, assisted by **JOHN CRONIN**, '48, and **DICK A'HEARNE**, '44, patrons; **ROHAN KELLEY** and **GREY HOLTMAN**, class of '48, reservations; **FRED SULLIVAN**, '34, publicity; and **BARRY SAVAGE**, student representative.

We are looking forward to the NCAA Convention, which will be held in Cincinnati during the first part of January. The Club is giving a party in the Hotel Gibson for the coaches and directors from the University as well as all ND men in the coaching profession who will be attending the convention. **JOE MORRISSEY**, '28, is acting as chairman of this affair.

Our excursion to the Notre Dame-Purdue game was its usual success with the scholarship fund being the beneficiary. Once again we thank **WALLY NIENABER**, '37, who did his usual outstanding job as our representative.

Two of our club members have recently received recognition in the political field. **JACK GILLIGAN**, '43, who is a Republican State Representative, was appointed one of the commissioners of Hamilton County. Club members **JOE MORRISSEY** and **BOB McCAFFERTY**, '43, took an active part in Jack Gilligan's campaign.

DICK SCALLAN, class of '21, is the new Foundation Chairman for the Cincinnati area. He succeeds **JACK HEILKER**, '30, who has had the job for the past four or five years. A rising vote of thanks was given to Jack at one of our recent monthly meetings for his very fine work as Foundation Chairman.

—**RAY GUDMENS**

Cleveland

Sunday, December 13th, was the date of the Notre Dame Family Communion Breakfast of the Cleveland Club. 9 o'clock Mass at the Cathedral was followed by breakfast at the Hotel Allerton with **REV. EDMUND P. JOYCE**, C.S.C., executive vice-president of the University, as guest speaker. **JIM COLLERAN**, '35, was chairman of the event.

JOHNNY LATNER is to be honored by the Touchdown Club of Cleveland at its annual Award Banquet this year. He will be the second ND man to be so honored in a period of about five years; a distinction not held by any other school.

The Notre Dame Club of Cleveland Directory was distributed to club members before Christmas. **CLAYT LEROUX**, '27, chairmanned the commit-

tee, and, along with the committee, has done a really wonderful job. The directory, this issue, is not only a roster of the club members, but also a classified listing of the members and a manual, the object of the latter being to compile data pertaining to the operation of the club.

The formal Christmas Dance was held at the Carter Hotel's Rainbow Room on December 26. BOB LALLY, law grad of '53, and RAY MILLER, JR., '51, were the co-chairmen.

PAT CANNY, '28, Erie Railroad's legal consultant, has moved his base of operations from New York back to Cleveland, where he has maintained his home.

Our capable and industrious president, FLO MCCARTHY, '32, is moving to Chicago around the first of the year as assistant to the president of the C. & O. Railroad and will handle public relations work. "A word to Chicago should be sufficient."

FATHER ED SEWARD, '34, vice-chancellor of the Cleveland Diocese, was elevated to Monsignor recently. He is being saluted as Ohio's outstanding Notre Dame man in our new directory and we are pleased that the Vatican agrees with us.

—VINCENT F. DeCRANE, Sec'y.

Dayton

About 600 people participated in the annual excursion of the Dayton Club to the ND-Georgia Tech game. The trip was sponsored by the club in conjunction with the Knights of Columbus of the Dayton Council, and the proceeds went to the Dayton Alumni Scholarship Fund.

St. Joseph Church was the site and REV. PHILIP SCHAEFER, C.S.C., was the celebrant of the Mass on December 6th held in observance of

Universal Notre Dame Communion Sunday. Father Schaefer also addressed the alumni and their friends at the ensuing breakfast.

The club reports the loss of one of its members, JOHN WHALEN, '30, who has been transferred to Milwaukee.

—HENRY WORMAN, Sec'y.

Detroit

Word from the Detroit area has it that the October football trips, conducted by LOU MALONE, class of '14, were highly successful.

One very significant action was taken recently by the directors with the helpful guidance of JIM ARMSTRONG. Steps have been taken to establish an Aid to Needy Students Fund to augment the Fisher Fund when the University feels the need is shown. This program supplants the idea for a scholarship fund, on the theory that it is more important to see that worthy students already in school are enabled to graduate rather than to try to get students into school.

The December Communion Breakfast, handled by ED HICKEY, '43, and "LEE" MOORMAN, class of '36, was a success as always. Breakfast was at the League of Catholic Women and Mass before was held across the street at the Chapel of St. Therese of the Little Flower.

Another Detroit Club extravaganza was this year's Christmas Dance, with backing from the campus club and local details being handled by LARRY SMITH, '49, and JIM MOTSCHALL, '39.

Dubuque

New officers elected at the November meeting of the Dubuque Club are: President, LOUIS

RHOMBERG, '31; Vice-President, REV. WILLIAM C. KUNSCH, '37; Secretary-Treasurer, HENRY TRENKLE, '24.

Highlight of the evening was the showing of the All Stars-Detroit Lions football film. A timely companion film on hunting was also shown.

The club observed Universal Notre Dame Communion Sunday on December 6th at Christ the King Chapel of Loras College.

—(REV.) WILLIAM C. KUNSCH

Elkhart

The Elkhart County Club held its annual Communion Breakfast on Sunday, December 6th. 7:30 Mass at St. Thomas Church was followed by breakfast at the Knights of Columbus clubrooms. President ROBERT HOLTZ, '38, held a brief meeting before introducing the guest speaker, Father James Elliott, pastor of St. Thomas Church. Father Elliott spoke on the Marian Year.

—D. P. WYNKOSKI, Sec'y-Treas.

Fort Wayne

Two big events within the short space of ten days were held by the Fort Wayne Club at the beginning of December. First on the list was the football roundup smoker on November 30 at the Centlivre Brewery. A short business meeting preceded the showing of a film on the epic ND-Iowa game of the preceding week, which was narrated by Jim Costin, Jr., son of the late sports editor of the South Bend Tribune.

Then on December 6th came the annual Communion Breakfast, with Mass at the Cathedral followed by breakfast at the Keenan Hotel. Bishop Leo A. Pursley was the main speaker at the breakfast.

Grand Rapids

Universal Notre Dame Communion Sunday was held on December 13 with the REV. JEROME J. WILSON, C.S.C., vice-president in charge of Business Affairs at Notre Dame as the guest speaker. President JOHN FLANAGAN had charge of the meeting.

Green Bay

A recent meeting was held by the club during the visit of GROVER MILLER, Racine, Wis., State Foundation Governor, and JOHN CACKLEY, of the Notre Dame Foundation Office. Both commented on progress being made on campus with regard to the expansion program and research projects. A movie, "Highlights of 1952," was shown to the group. President WILLIAM KERWIN presided at the dinner affair.

Harrisburg

The Notre Dame Club of Harrisburg held its annual Christmas party Dec. 27 at St. Catherine of Labour Church. The party was planned and conducted by the Women's Auxiliary. Movies of campus life at Notre Dame were shown.

The football train to the Penn-ND game at Philadelphia was successful enough to allow the club to contribute \$250 to the Foundation.

The 17th annual communion breakfast was held at Lancaster with 50 members attending. The Rev. Alphonsus Sobota, T.O.R., of St. Francis College, Loretta, Pa., spoke on "The Dogma and American Civilization." LOUIS O'BRIEN, president of the Harrisburg club, was toastmaster. HENRY H. REHN, Lancaster, headed the planning committee.

JAMES R. GRAHAM, JR., '52, is stationed with the United States Air Force at Elemendorf Air Base, Alaska.

Hiawathaland

LUKE TIERNAN, class of '38, and former president of the Chicago Club, spent an enjoyable evening at ROBERT LeMIRE's, LL.B., '38, home here in Escanaba recently. Incidentally, Bob, in addition to his successful law practice, is also



DENVER—The alumni club's annual Christmas Dance was held on Dec. 26 and honored Notre Dame students from Colorado. Committee members were (left to right): Tom Gargan, chairman; Jerry Shea; Dick Hodges; Jack Ryan; and Tom Tierney.



Doug and Mrs. Giorgio, '33, and their family, including Virginia, Cecelia, Doug Jr., Cathy, Tommy, Anthony and Herbert. Doug is a doctor and is stationed at the Bethesda Naval Hospital, Bethesda, Md., as chief anesthetist with the rank of Commander.

actively engaged as mayor of Escanaba—an electoral post he has held for several years. Bob, CLAUDE TOBIN, JR., myself and our wives attended the Georgia Tech game in South Bend this past season and ran into many old acquaintances which added to the satisfaction of another Irish victory.

—PAUL D. STACK, Sec'y.

Indianapolis

The club held its annual Communion Breakfast on Sunday, December 6th, with Mass in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel of Saints Peter and Paul Cathedral and breakfast afterwards in the Marott Hotel. DR. PAUL F. MULLER, class of '37, was chairman and JOHN C. O'CONNOR, class of '38, was toastmaster. Rev. James Galvin, superintendent of Cathedral High School, gave an address on "Introduction to the Marian Year."

There was a large turnout of alumni—especially young members—for the annual Christmas Dance staged by Notre Dame students at the Indiana Roof Ballroom on December 29.

LEO BARNHORST, '49, is playing pro basketball this season with the Baltimore Bullets. Indianapolis Olympians, which he played for last year, folded after the '52-'53 season.

—LAWRENCE S. CONNOR

Kansas

The Notre Dame Club of Kansas held its regular meeting last night at the JOHN CARLIN ('28) Ranch south of Salina. The entire Salina membership with the exception of President JIM FOLEY, '40, was in attendance. Members present were: NORBERT SKELLEY, '25, JOHN CARLIN, '28, A. J. McLEAN, '31, A. J. SCHWARTZ, '37, GEORGE COLE, '34, R. A. McAULIFFE, '36.

Among items of business transacted was the judging of entries for a club letterhead. These entries were submitted by the Art Department of Marymount College here in Salina which is an excellent Catholic girls' college. We awarded \$25 to the young lady submitting the winning entry.

A definite schedule of meeting dates was estab-

lished for the coming year. We discussed next year's Club Football Trip. Our group was somewhat divided over a trip back to Notre Dame or to Dallas for the Southern Methodist game.

Plans were made to have a Christmas party for members and their wives during the Christmas holidays. NORB SKELLEY, '25, was appointed local publicity chairman.

—R. A. McAULIFFE, Sec'y.

Kansas City

On Sunday, December 6th, our Notre Dame Club held its annual Communion Breakfast at Rockhurst College Chapel with the breakfast following at Benish's Twin Oaks Restaurant. BOB MEUNIER, '50, and ED AYLWARD, '48, did a grand job as co-chairmen and we had a good number of old-standing alumni with their wives and children present. Spotted among the crowd in attendance were JOSEPH SHAUGHNESSY, '22, TOM ('39) and ED ('37) REARDON, BILL DUNN, '46, JOE VAN DYKE, '44, JOHN TROUP, '43, JIM BRESSETTE, '43, VINCENT SCHMELTZ, '39, JIM AYLWARD, '41, DAVE CROOKS, '38, CARL ERFFMEYER, '51, BERNIE FINUCANE, '46, ED O'CONNOR, '44, WILLIAM McLEESE, '41, BOB OWENS, '43, SAM RICHARDS, '30, and FRANK SCHROER, '32.

The annual Christmas Dance at the President Hotel in Kansas City was quite a success as enthusiasm over the affair was very great and co-chairmen DICK PREZEBEL, '35, and BOB MEUNIER did a thorough job on arrangements. A one-hour cocktail party preceded the dinner, which was served at 8 o'clock, followed by dancing from 10:00 to 1:00.

—RUSSELL FARRELL, Vice-Pres.

Kentucky

We are quite proud of the honor ND has bestowed on several of our high school graduates from Louisville. Two of the finest high school athletes to ever play football in Kentucky were awarded ND athletic scholarships this year, namely Paul Hornung and Sherrell Sipes from Flaget High School. In basketball Jack Bedan from

Jeffersonville High School won an ND scholarship and in scholastic achievement Jim Morris, also from Jeffersonville, won the Burns scholarship. Kentucky and greater Louisville is well represented this year at ND with over 30 students.

We have started this year an athletic committee headed by JOE HARMON, '25, who played center on the 1922, '23, '24 teams. This committee has the duty of studying the local high school talent for possible ND-material. It also makes a thorough study of prospective athletes' grades and moral character.

Our September meeting was the kickoff for our annual football trips advertising campaign. LAWRENCE WILLENBRINK, JR., '47, our trip chairman, gave the particulars to the 75 members and guests attending, after which the ND Football Highlights of 1952 were shown. Also at this meeting, our last year's president BILL BOSLER, '41, was presented with a silver platter by president OTTO MILETTI, '44, in the name of the club for his wonderful work of the past year.

This year we ran a bus trip to the Purdue game and a train trip to the Georgia Tech encounter. The latter trip was one of the biggest and most successful of all our trips. Included in the 14-car train were two cars of boys from the local orphanages and boys' clubs who were guests of the club. Our trip chairman, LARRY WILLENBRINK and boys' car chairman ROGER HUTER, '40, did a wonderful job in handling all the details.

Our annual scholarship raffle, headed by JOE DONALDSON, '23, was again a success. The prize this year was a trip to the Penn game for two.

We are now working towards our Christmas Dance which will be held on December 26th at the Henry Clay Hotel Ballroom. This year the dance is being arranged by an Alumni-Student committee headed by JIM CAREY, '49, from the alumni and MIKE McBRATH from the students. With the students pitching in we should have our most successful dance.

—DICK WILLENBRINK

LaCrosse

The club held a luncheon meeting during the visit of GROVER MILLER, State Foundation Governor and JOHN CACKLEY, of the Notre Dame Foundation office, to LaCrosse. Arrangements were made by AUGIE GRAMS, City Chairman of the Foundation, and President ROBERT HACKNER.

Los Angeles

A gigantic rally was held by the Los Angeles Club at the Biltmore Ballroom on the night preceding the ND-Southern Cal game. The room was opened at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and drinks were served starting at that time. A galaxy of movie stars, including Jack Haley, Pat O'Brien, Dennis Day and Margaret Whiting were present, along with Frank Leahy, Moose Krause and the rest of the ND coaching staff.

On Sunday, December 6th, the Annual Communion Breakfast was held, with Mass at Blessed Sacrament Church followed by breakfast at the Hollywood Athletic Club.

Memphis

The Memphis Club observed the annual Notre Dame Communion Sunday at the Immaculate Conception Church on Sunday, December 6th. The Mass was said by Monsignor M. F. Kearney, Club Chaplain, and was offered for GALVIN HUDSON, '15, who died in August.

Monsignor Kearney gave a little talk on the University, and also gave a short resume of Mr. Hudson's activities concerning Notre Dame and the Notre Dame Alumni Club. Prayers were said at the Mass for the repose of Mr. Hudson's soul.

After Mass, the club members were guests of Monsignor Kearney for breakfast at the rectory.

—ARTHUR SARTORE

Mid-Hudson Valley

DR. ROBERT HULIHAN, '41, is now affiliated with St. Luke's Hospital, Newburgh, N. Y.,

Milwaukee

The club observed Universal Notre Dame Communion Sunday by attending Mass in a group and having a breakfast meeting afterwards. The REV. JAMES LANE, C.S.C., of the Notre Dame faculty was guest speaker. President WILLIAM DOUCETTE had charge of arrangements.

Mohawk Valley

Universal Notre Dame Communion Sunday was observed by the Mohawk Valley Club on Sunday, December 6th, at St. John's Church in Utica, New York. A breakfast followed in the Green Room of the Hotel Utica. We had an excellent turnout and a very enjoyable morning.

—BILL LYNCH, Sec'y.-Treas.

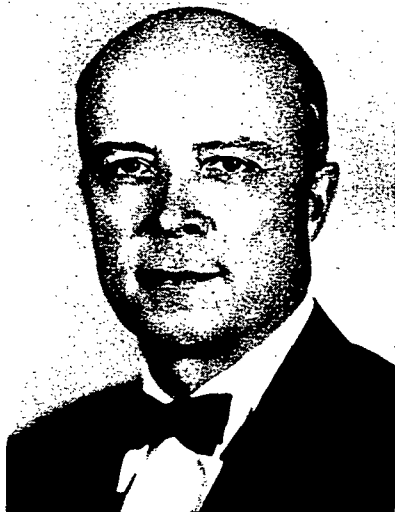
New Jersey

DAN O'NEILL and PETE QUINN operated the biggest excursion the N. J. Club has ever had to the ND-Pennsylvania football game at Philadelphia on Nov. 7. Working for the first time on a guarantee of tickets from the University, and excellent seats at that, Dan and Pete were able to muster over 650 into a private train of the Pennsylvania R. R. The trip remains one of the most popular of N. J. Club functions.

JACK Q. ADAMS made December 6 a busy Sunday for Club Members starting with 8:00 a.m. Mass and Holy Communion at Immaculate Conception Church in Montclair where N. J. Notre Dame men and their families filled the altar rail again and again, as former president of the University, REV. JOHN J. CAVANAUGH, C.S.C., offered the Mass. The Annual Corporate Communion Breakfast, attended by over 300 people, was served at the Montclair Golf Club in Montclair. RUSS RILEY was an excellent toastmaster with Club President CLARK REYNOLDS presiding. After the invocation by Rev. John A. Munley, pastor of Immaculate Conception Church, and a welcome by the city magistrate of Montclair, Frank J. Brunetto, an award was accepted by Mrs. John Q. Adams on behalf of M. Jacques Maritain, professor of philosophy and former ambassador to the Vatican from France. This award was presented by Mr. Edward Skillin, the editor of The Commonweal. Mr. George K. Batt, Vice-President of Dugan Bros. and winner of the Man of the Year Award of the N. J. Club for 1951, presented scroll awards to Mr. Lorenzo B. Hoopes, executive assistant to Sec'y. Benson on behalf of the Hon. Ezra T. Benson, United States Secretary of Agriculture and the Hon. John H. Davis, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture. The Breakfast this year was unusual in that the ladies were invited and the success of the affair would appear to indicate that we'll want them back again next year. In keeping with this pleasant change in procedure, Jack Adams was able to prevail on Miss Genevieve Warner, soprano of the Metropolitan Opera Company for three delightful selections which were enthusiastically received.

Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., was introduced by our "Mr. Notre Dame," University Trustee JOSEPH M. BYRNE, JR. Father Cavanaugh's address was a moving admonishment of the threat of ideological communism. This theme was taken up by our second honored guest, the Most Rev. Archbishop Thomas A. Boland, a particular favorite of Notre Dame men in this area. The Archbishop pointed out a solution to the communist threat by prayer and sacrifice, reiterating the promise Our Blessed Mother made at Fatima. One could not help but feel a deep spiritual warmth after listening to these two wonderful addresses. Thanks to Jack Adams for another well done job.

CLARK REYNOLDS, Club President, saw his "Operation Procurement" reach fruition later the same afternoon with an assist from Jack Adams again. Approximately 75 high school boys with their fathers attended the "Operation" which intends to give prospective college students a look at Notre Dame life. To this end they heard JACK LONG, Club Treasurer, give a recent student's view; Gene Dean, counsel for the Erie Railroad, the viewpoint of a non-alumnus; Joseph



MARK E. MOONEY, '26

The appointment of Mark E. Mooney, '26, as Vice President in Charge of Sales for Typhoon Air Conditioning Co., has just been announced by D. V. Petrone, Executive Vice President. Mark will assume charge of all sales and distribution for Typhoon, one of the major air conditioning manufacturers.

He was with the Carrier Corp., in several assignments, including Product Manager, from 1937 to 1950. Until he moved to Brooklyn and Typhoon, Mark was president of the National Sales Executives of Maine. Mark has been active in a number of trade societies including the American Society of Refrigerating Engineers and the American Society of Heating and Ventilating Engineers.

He is a member of the Board of Directors of the Air-Conditioning and Refrigeration Institute. Under Mark's direction Typhoon expects to boost sales 50% this year.

and was welcomed into our group at our October meeting held at the Pine Tree Inn, Newburgh, N. Y.

All ND men in the Mid-Hudson Valley area may contact John Kuhn, Radio Station WKIP, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., concerning our Club activities.

At our November meeting at Poughkeepsie we laid plans for our annual Christmas party in Kingston during the holiday season.

—J. C. McCABE



AMBROSE F. "BUD" DUDLEY, '43

One of the busiest men in college sports these days is Ambrose F. "Bud" Dudley, '43, director of athletics at Villanova University. His unprecedented sale of nearly 60,000 tickets to the American Stores Co., in Philadelphia, for Villanova's opening game this past fall with Georgia was one of the primary reasons for an attendance of more than 97,000 people in all at the contest.

A successful businessman who operates his own wallpaper and paint store, Bud has applied what he calls "a business approach" to Villanova football. Bud was a star gridder at St. Joseph's Prep in Philadelphia and later attended Kiski. He earned a baseball monogram at Notre Dame and was a member of the football squad during Elmer Layden's coaching regime.

After establishing a brilliant service record in the Air Force during World War II, he returned to Philadelphia. From 1948 to 1950, Bud was president of the Notre Dame Alumni Club of Philadelphia and received the "Man of the Year" award there in 1950. For several years he was Foundation City Chairman.

Bud is a member of the National Executive board of the Pop Warner Foundation and is also one of the governors of the famed Maxwell Club in Philadelphia. He is married and the father of three youngsters.

M. Byrne, Jr., an old grad's viewpoint, with an address by Rev. John J. Cavanaugh whom the Club really kept busy for the full day. Clark has instituted a permanent area-wide setup to follow up this program from year to year. The Lacordaire School again was our hostess for the afternoon, lending as well the assistance of their pretty students for serving refreshments.

—THOMAS H. GREEN, Sec'y.

New Mexico

A Communion Breakfast was held by the New Mexico Club on Sunday, December 6th, in observance of Universal Notre Dame Communion Sunday.

Several members of the club attended the Southern California game and pre-game festivities.

New Orleans

It appears that attempts to reactivate the New Orleans Club are beginning to pay dividends. The club had a Stag Smoker in early November at which boiled seafood and beer was served. Monk Simons, former coach of Tulane University and one of those responsible in inaugurating the Tulane-ND series, was principal speaker of the evening.

On Sunday morning, December 6th, the club observed Universal Notre Dame Communion Sunday, and had a fairly good turnout. Mr. Fred Digby, General Manager of the Sugar Bowl and an honorary member of the club, had with him movies of the ND-Georgia Tech game which were shown following the breakfast. The Mass and breakfast was held at Sacred Heart Church with Father Peyton cooperating beautifully.

Next event on the rejuvenated schedule was a noon luncheon on December 30th honoring the boys from the area who are currently students at the University and their fathers. It is planned to have a party for members and their wives at the Jax Stein Room in January.

—W. H. JOHNSTON, Pres.

New York

The principal speaker at the Universal Notre Dame Communion Breakfast of the New York Club on December 6th was Honorable Robert F.

Wagner, Jr., mayor-elect of the City of New York. The breakfast was held in the Grand Ballroom of the Hotel Biltmore following 9 o'clock mass in St. Patrick's Cathedral.

Guest speaker on the program was the Rev. Robert W. Greene, M.M., who was only recently released by the Chinese Communists and who was on his first visit to the United States since 1937. Father Greene is the author of "Calvary in China."

Northern California

The second annual Christmas Dance of the Northern California Club was held on Monday, December 21st, in the Italian Room of the St. Francis Hotel. From all indications the affair was even more of a success than the initial one of a year ago.

—A. W. McMULLEN

Oklahoma City

Word from the Oklahoma City Club of the election of new officers. President: ED KAVANAUGH, '38; Vice President: CHARLES McFARLAND, '39; Secretary: ED BUDDY, '41; Treasurer: ROD JANEWAY, class of '30.

Club reports a very nice turnout for its Universal Communion Sunday observance on December 6th. Mass was held at St. Francis Church in Oklahoma City and the breakfast at Beverly's Drive-In. Father Murtagh, pastor of St. Francis Church and a "rabid Notre Dame fan," was guest speaker.

The Annual Christmas Party was held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. ALBERT DRESCHER, '38.

The club is also planning to sponsor the University Glee Club's visit to Oklahoma City on February 3rd.

—E. S. KAVANAUGH

Oregon

A luncheon was held in Portland by the Notre Dame Club of Oregon in honor of Most Rev. Loras T. Lane, Auxiliary Bishop of Dubuque. He was in the city as the featured speaker at the opening session of the Conference of Social and Industrial Relations. A large group of alumni and friends attended.

Panama

The Notre Dame Alumni Club of Panama held a farewell luncheon last Fall for students who were leaving to enter the University.

Philadelphia

The Fifth Annual Communion Breakfast of the Philadelphia Club was held on December 6th, with Mass at St. John's Church celebrated by Archbishop O'Hara of Philadelphia, followed by breakfast at the Adelphia Hotel. Rev. Anthony L. Ostheimer, editor of the Catholic Standard & Times, and several speakers from the sports world addressed the breakfast gathering and an award was presented to the outstanding player in the Catholic Football League during the past season.

—JOHN F. VOIT, Sec'y.

Pittsburgh

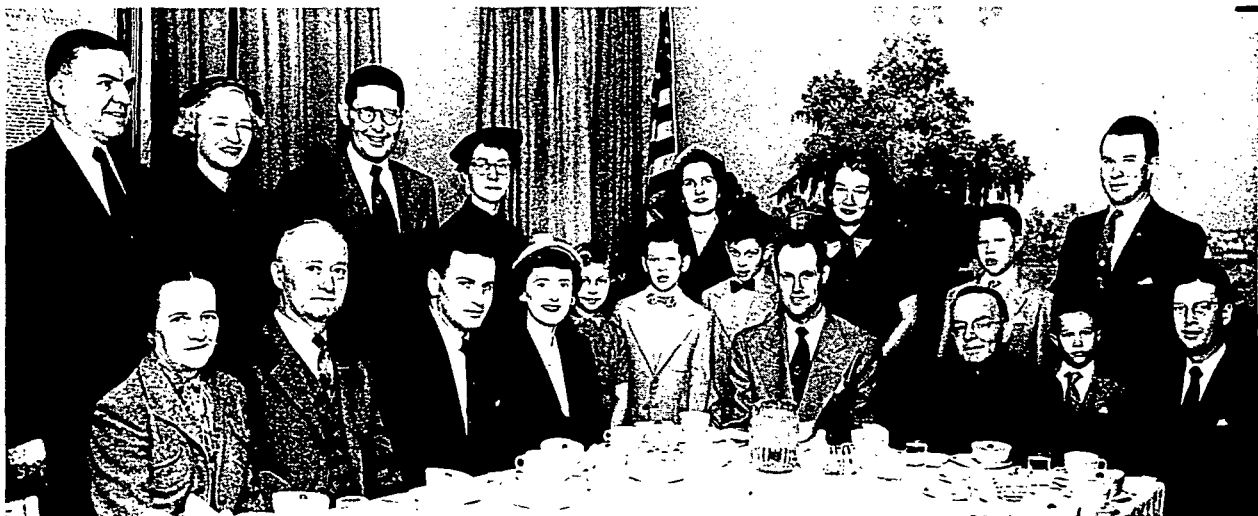
A rare privilege was granted to the Pittsburgh Club on December 6th when its members were allowed to assist at the Liturgy Mass of the Byzantine-Slavonic Rite in conjunction with the observance of Universal Notre Dame Communion Sunday.

The Mass, held at the newly-opened Sts. Cyril and Methodius Seminary, was celebrated by Monsignor Nicholas Elko, Rector of the Seminary and Vicar General of the Diocese. Monsignor Elko also gave a speech at the post-Mass breakfast in the Seminary Refectory. His subject was "Our Lady of Fatima and the Conversion of Russia."

After breakfast there was an Open House which enabled the club members to inspect the new seminary. TOM GILLESPIE, '39, was chairman.

South Central

A dinner meeting was held recently during the visit of GROVER MILLER, Foundation Governor and JOHN CACKLEY, of the campus office, to Madison. Club President PHIL SCHWARZ had charge of the meeting at which time talks were given by Miller and Cackley. The "Highlights of 1952" football film was also shown.



CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA—The club's Universal Communion Sunday Breakfast in Altoona was attended by a representative group of alumni, wives and children. Left to right, seated: Mrs. H. N. Dunegan, Dr. H. N. Dunegan, Remus Lusardi, Mrs. Primo Lusardi, Club President Primo Lusardi, guest speaker Father O'Donnell and Robert Jones, Sec'y. Standing: Don Schettig, V-P, Mrs. Schettig, William Clear, Mrs. Clear, Susie Clear, Pat Jones, Mrs. Jones, Robert Jones, Jr., Mrs. Frank Holahan, John Holahan, William Holahan and Frank Holahan, Foundation District Governor. Photo by Altoona Mirror.



BALTIMORE—The Notre Dame club observed Communion Sunday by attending Mass at Loyola Chapel and later listening to guest speaker Father Clare Dwyer at breakfast meeting.

South Jersey

Due to the huge success of the recent raffle of Penn-ND football tickets, the South Jersey Club was able to set aside \$1000 as the second installment of its fledgling Scholarship Fund. If the present rate of growth can be maintained, it should not be long before the fund can support, or at least help support, a student at the University.

—MATT J. CAMPANELLA, Sec'y.-Treas.

Southern Colorado

The club held its first Christmas Party, a dinner dance, on Dec. 29, at the Broadmoor Hotel, Colorado Springs. Members and guests enjoyed a pleasant evening.

St. Joseph Valley

"The greatest team we ever had at Notre Dame," in the words of Coach FRANK LEAHY, '31, was honored at the 34th annual civic testimonial banquet of the St. Joseph Valley Club of Notre Dame on Wednesday evening, December 9. A sell-out crowd filled the east dining hall on the campus and heard a battery of speakers hail the Fighting Irish as champions.

JOE BOLAND, '27, sports director of local stations WSBT and WSBT-TV, was toastmaster. Honored guests were the members of the '53 Irish squad which won nine games, tied one, and became the subjects of national controversy when they were selected second, behind the University of Maryland, in the polls for national champion by major wire services.

Highlights of the evening were the announcement of monogram winners and the presentation of the Irish shillelagh by 1953 Captain DON PENZA to 1954 co-captains DAN SHANNON and PAUL MATZ. Both are juniors and both played end on the '53 team.

Boland called the team "the national champions of 1953," while Coach Leahy called it "the greatest football team with whom we have ever been associated." The squad had a capacity for loyalty as well as talent, he added.

Featured speakers included Paul Brechler, director of athletics at the University of Iowa, ARCH WARD, '23, sports editor of the Chicago Tribune, and JACK LAVELLE, '28, New York sports public relations man and raconteur.

Brechler called the Irish "One of the finest teams that ever played football." Referring to Notre Dame's much-discussed clock-stopping injuries in the ND-Iowa game of Nov. 21, Brechler said "Notre Dame did what they did within the

time allowed and within the rules. What's important, they scored the touchdowns. You'll hear no beels from Iowa."

Ward, praising the character-building benefits of inter-collegiate football, called the team "The all-time Notre Dame squad of my experience."

REV. EDMUND P. JOYCE, C.S.C., '37, executive vice-president of the university, said the Notre Dame last-ditch comeback to tie the score in the Iowa game was "a memorable demonstration of coolness under fire, the hallmark of a champion." He defended spectator interest in the sport as an "integral part of the game."

Also heard were EDWARD (MOOSE) KRAUSE, '34, Notre Dame director of athletics, and Mayor JOHN A. SCOTT, '38, of South Bend. HARRY KOEHLER, JR., '37, president of the sponsoring club, opened the program and REV. JAMES C. HEALY, C.S.C., '39, club chaplain, gave the invocation. CHARLES CALAHAN, '38, ND director of sports publicity, introduced various press representatives at the dinner.

DANIEL J. YOUNGERMAN, '35, headed the committee of local Notre Dame alumni who staged the testimonial.

St. Louis

The annual family Communion Breakfast was at the top of the calendar for early December. FATHER TOM O'DONNELL, C.S.C., Assistant to the Director of the Notre Dame Foundation, celebrated the Mass and was the guest speaker. OLLIE HINSMAN, '49, completed all the arrangements and did a very fine job, indeed.

Next on the slate was the Christmas dance on December 26th at the Sheraton Hotel. This year's dance was originated by the students with firm support by the alumni, so that both could become better acquainted. DON DOHENY, class of '46, led the alumni support, while PHIL HIGGINS was in charge of the students' preparations.

Very fine club spirit shown in note from FRANCIS A. KLEIN, '26, and his son, KEITH R. KLEIN, '51. Keith, away in the army now, is kept on active list and fully advised on all activities by his father.

A welcome to new member MURRAY GLASGOW, class of '29, and a thanks to GEORGE C. FISK, '43, now of Belleville, Ill., and to all our other nearby Illinois neighbors for their co-operation in the smooth running of the St. Louis club.

Note from RALPH E. SCHUMAKER, '48. Out of army now, has sales territory covering West Virginia and parts of Ohio, Maryland and Pennsylvania. Last summer Ralph married a girl

he had met five years ago at St. Mary's Academy in South Bend.

—WALT DRISCOLL

Tidewater

Our "Football Special" to the Notre Dame-North Carolina game was both socially and financially a wonderful success. All of our patrons thoroughly enjoyed themselves, and they are already inquiring as to what we plan to do next fall.

Once again we wish to express our thanks to BOB CAHILL, whose cooperation and patience was responsible for the success of our venture.

The following members attended Mass and received Communion in a group on December 6th: PHILLIP RUSSO, '49, FRANK AMATO, '52, HAROLD SOLOMAN, '52, DON PIEDMONT, '49, DENNIS O'NEILL, '51, GERALD McCABE, '53, FRED HARTMAN, '52, and HARRY McKNIGHT, '43.

After Mass we were served a most delicious breakfast in the faculty dining room of the Norfolk Catholic High School. Naturally, the topic of the conversation was how Maryland ever "rated" number one in the nation.

—HARRY McKNIGHT

Tri-Cities

The lovely wives of the Notre Dame Club of the Tri-Cities created quite a bit of enjoyment with their square dance on November 7th.

The club attended 8 o'clock Mass and Communion on Sunday, December 6th, at St. Anthony's Church in Davenport in commemoration of the annual Universal Notre Dame Communion Sunday.

—P. J. KIRCH

Tulsa

A Communion Breakfast was held by the Tulsa Club on Sunday, December 6th, in observance of Universal Communion Sunday.

In November, the club was privileged to hear Mr. Clarence Manion when he spoke to the Men's Dinner Club of Tulsa. His topic was "The Key to Peace."

—W. N. SHEEHAN

Washington, D. C.

An early evening Christmas cocktail dance was held by the Washington, D. C., Club on December 26th under the chairmanship of DUKE MURPHY. The affair was unusually successful, with dancing from 5 to 8 p.m. in the Sheraton-Carlton Hotel.

DR. FRANCIS MURRAY, '36, was chairman of the Washington, D. C., Club's annual Com-



PANAMA—A farewell luncheon was given to ND students this past Fall. Alumni include Sebastian Company, Lorenzo Ramagoza, Joe Harrington, John Fogarty, Jose Cardenas and Antonio Dominguez.

munition Breakfast on December 6th. 9 o'clock Mass was celebrated at Holy Cross College and was followed by breakfast at the college. Rev. Francis J. Connell, C.S.S.R., outstanding author, teacher, and moral theologian, was guest speaker on the program.

Western Washington

Under the capable chairmanship of **WILL TIERNEY**, '01, many Notre Dame men attended the Annual Retreat held at St. Martin's Abbey this past summer. Our club is particularly proud of **GEORGE NYERE**, '04, who was instrumental in founding the St. Martin's Retreats. For this work George was "Man of the Year" at last spring's Universal Notre Dame Night.

This fall (November 18th) Notre Dame men met at Rose's Highway Inn for our 35th Annual Notre Dame Smoker. Besides cocktails, we had chicken—"all you can eat"—and were shown movies of the World Series. We were also honored by the presence of three charter members of the Western Washington Club, **FRANK McHUGH**, class of '11, **ENMETT LENIHAN**, class of '42, and **HARRY ABEL**. Again, **PAT SUTHERLAND**, active and loyal Notre Dame alumnus, made all the arrangements.

To celebrate the Marian Year proclaimed by **PIUS XII**, beloved honorary alumnus of Notre Dame (LL.D., 1938), our club received Holy Communion in a body to honor the Immaculate Conception on December 6th. After Mass at St. James' Cathedral we met at the Sorrento Hotel to hear the Rev. Lawrence Willenborg, Archdiocesan Director for the Propagation of the Faith. Again, the wives, daughters and sons of Notre Dame men were invited. **JAMES H. KELLEHER** headed the arrangements.

In the latter part of January, the club plans a mixer under the chairmanship of **CHARLES LACUGNA**, class of '50, along with **GEORGE SCHILL**, '27, to make plans for the coming Universal Notre Dame Night.

—**CHARLES LACUGNA**

Youngstown

The Youngstown Club was saddened by the death of Mr. Russell "Busty" Ashbaugh, father of a great Notre Dame football player, "PETE" **ASHBAUGH**, '48. As a player, coach and teacher, Mr. Ashbaugh was loved and admired by everyone. Among the Notre Dame notables coached by Mr. Ashbaugh are **HARVEY BROWN**,

'24, **RAY DAHMAN**, '27, **MIKE KOKEN**, '33, **FRED MUNDEE**, '37, and **BOB DOVE**, '43.

Our thanks to President **WILLIAM LYDEN, JR.**, '50, who has worked especially hard these past two years for the club's success. Bill appreciates the help given by **PAUL GUARNIERI**, '36, of the Warren area for an excellent job as toastmaster for Universal Notre Dame Night. Last year **GRIFF ALLEN**, '47, also proved a wise choice for this important affair.

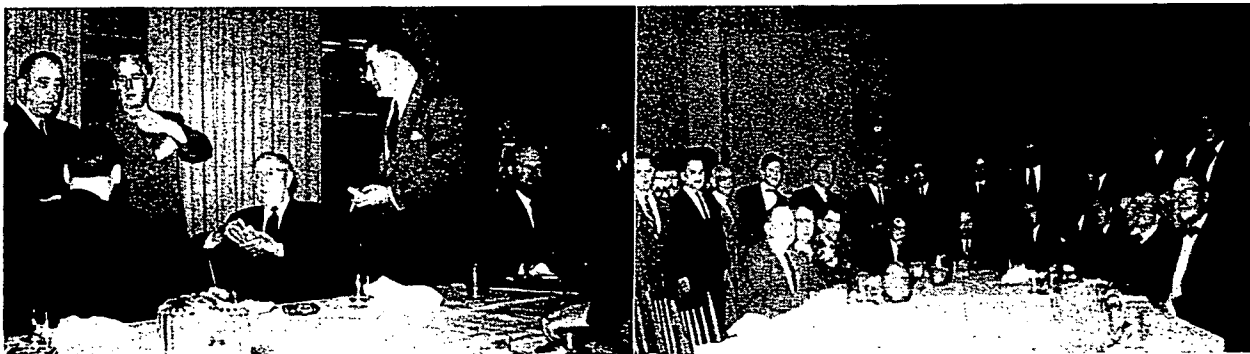
We have been proud of **CHUCK RIFFLE**, '40, coach of Warren Harding High School which has been rated high in the state each year.

JOHNNY MORAN, '29, and **GABE MORAN**, '32, plus Attorney **BOB SINKO**, '48, beat a good five-man bowling team to help Notre Dame's team up the ladder. A welcome addition to this year's team is **TAMMY KERRIGAN**, '44.

We are happy to report **VINCE "PORKIE" LAVELL**, '32, is doing just fine after his serious auto accident. **DR. EDMUND MASSULLO**, '24, is ace high in "Porkie's" estimation for his wonderful care.

Please forward any alumni news and pictures to **CHARLIE BUTLER**, '43, 3411 Hillman St., Youngstown, Ohio, for this Youngstown area column.

—**CHARLES BUTLER**



MOHAWK VALLEY—Alumni club members and guests held a Universal Communion Sunday Breakfast in Utica, N. Y., Dec. 6. Photo on left: (left to right) Dr. Shaughnessy, Don Fullem, Frank Donalty, Dr. Hitzelberger, Charles Hitzelberger, David Dwyer and George Briggs. Photo on right of entire group.

Alumni Classes

Engagements

Miss Mary Ann Kaselsteiner and CHARLES W. FALKENBERG, JR., '52.

Marriages

Miss Vera Mais and CHARLES L. ZIEBARTH, '41, Idaho Falls, Idaho, Nov. 7.

Miss Patricia Ann Mix and Lt. JOSEPH D. USINA, USNR, '45, Oslo, Norway, Nov. 21.

Miss Rita Frances Sullivan and DR. JOSEPH P. MURPHY, '48, Denver, Colo., Oct. 24.

Miss Joan V. Kuehnl and JOHN D. DURKIN, '49, Milwaukee, Wis.

Miss Phyllis Braun and THOMAS J. KELLY, '49, Buffalo, N. Y., July 11.

Miss Rosemarie Kohne and LIGUORI A. O'DONNELL, JR., '49, Gary, Ind., July 25.

Miss Kathryn Ann Loosbrock and WILLIAM J. FLEMING, '50, Charles City, Iowa, Nov. 14.

Miss Florence Ann Buckley and BRIAN DUFF, '52, Des Moines, Iowa, Nov. 28.

Miss Arline Laemlein and LLOYD J. FORRESTAL, '52, Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 26.

Miss Betty Liang and ALFONSO F. GOTU-ACO, '53, Notre Dame, Ind., Nov. 26.

Miss Virginia Grady and Ensign JAMES THULIS, '53, Chicago, Ill., Nov. 18.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. THOMAS E. OAKES, JR., '31, a son, Thomas Elliott, September 15.

Mr. and Mrs. JOSEPH J. DUNN, '32, a son, October, 1953.

Mr. and Mrs. JOHN F. SULLIVAN, JR., '33, a son, Patrick Joseph, October, 1953.

Mr. and Mrs. JAMES R. AUSTIN, '38, a son, November 19.

Mr. and Mrs. JOHN C. McKENDRY, JR., '38, a daughter, August, 1953.

Mr. and Mrs. GERALD PAVEGLIO, '41, a daughter, Kathleen Ann, August 10.

Mr. and Mrs. JAMES F. PURCELL, '42, a daughter, Anita, November 22.

Mr. and Mrs. GEORGE A. UHL, '42, a son, George Henry, November 13.

Mr. and Mrs. QUENTIN C. STURM, '43, twin sons, Michael and William, November 12.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. MUNECAS, '44, a son, Cesar, November 9.

Mr. and Mrs. BEN MAMMINA, '44, a son, Joseph Ross, II, November 8, 1953.

Mr. and Mrs. THOMAS F. X. VAIL, '45, a son, David Alan, October 11.

Mr. and Mrs. CHARLES J. CLAUSS, '46, a son, David, October 7.

Mr. and Mrs. JAMES T. CLAUSS, '47, a daughter, Melinda, October 10.

Mr. and Mrs. GORDON L. FORESTER, '47, a son, Thomas Vincent, December 11.

Mr. and Mrs. RICHARD E. O'CONNELL, '48, a daughter, Elizabeth Patricia, July 3.

Mr. and Mrs. JAMES F. WELTER, '48, a son, Timothy Robert, August 22.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. BUSH, '49, a daughter, Mary Theresa, November 3.

Mr. and Mrs. WALTER J. YOUNGER, '49, a daughter, Theresa Anne, October 26.

Mr. and Mrs. ROBERT J. LALLY, '50, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. RICHARD F. HAHN, '50, a son, John Nugent, October 5, 1953.

Mr. and Mrs. VINCENT F. DeCRANE, '50, a daughter, Barbara Jean, November, 1953.

Mr. and Mrs. RAYMOND F. FAGAN, '50, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. WALTER F. ZENNER, '50, a son, Christopher Joseph, October 13.

Mr. and Mrs. ROBERT J. LOKKEN, '51, a daughter, Nancy Joan, November 2.

Mr. and Mrs. TERRY BRENNAN, '49, a daughter, Dec. 28.

Mr. and Mrs. JAMES W. FRICK, '51, a son, Thomas Patrick, Dec. 25.

Mr. and Mrs. WALTER COLLINS, '52, a son, W. Robert, July 10, 1953.

Obituary

THOMAS HALE, '81, of Pryor, Oklahoma, passed away on June 20 at age 94.

NEAL H. EWING, '84, of Roselle, New Jersey, died November 5.

THOMAS E. NOONAN, '97, of Chicago, Illinois, succumbed to a heart attack last August 11.

LUCIEN C. WHEELER, '01, Los Angeles, California, died November 11.

HAROLD H. DAVITT, LL.B., '03, passed away in October. His residence was in Gainesville, Florida.

GEORGE NYERE, '04, died quite suddenly November 28. He was a resident of Seattle, Washington, and an active member of the Western Washington Club.

ROSCOE P. HURST, LL.B., '06, passed away in Portland, Oregon, on November 24.

WILLIAM B. HELMKAMP, '11, died on August 27.

JOSEPH B. McGLYNN, '12, of East St. Louis, Ill., died on Dec. 14. Mr. McGlynn was a former governor for the Notre Dame Foundation in Missouri and served as president, some years ago, of the Notre Dame Alumni Club of St.



Mr. McGlynn

Louis. He was an attorney and maintained his own law firm. He was a Deputy Grand Knight, Master of 4th degree, District Deputy and Grand Knight in the K. of G. Mr. McGlynn belonged to the American Legion and had been City Attorney. Two of his brothers, Dan, '18, and Robert, '23, attended Notre Dame. He is survived by his widow, three daughters and two sons.



FATHER FURSTOSS

REV. BERNARD J. FURSTOSS, C.S.C., '41, director of purchasing at Notre Dame, died on Nov. 7 in the student infirmary. Father Furstoss was stricken with a heart ailment last July and was under treatment for several months in the St. Joseph Hospital before being transferred to the campus infirmary. Father Furstoss also had served as supervisor of maintenance and rector of Alumni, Badin and St. Edward's Halls. He received an A.B. degree from Notre Dame in 1941 and was ordained on June 10, 1945.

DR. JOHN F. DELPH, '16, of Chicago, Illinois, passed away on November 8.

JAMES F. CRAINE, '17, died last June 22. He was a resident of Columbus, Ohio.

REV. LAURENCE R. GAIN, '17, died July 19, 1953, in Proctor, Vermont.

EDWARD F. McGRATH, '18, of Kansas City, Kansas, passed away in early November.

GERALD CLEARY, '21, passed away unexpectedly last July 11, shortly after being appointed to the Mackinac Island Park Commission by Governor Williams of Michigan.

THOMAS A. ROSE, '22, passed away in the latter part of the summer. He was from Anderson, Indiana.

WALTER J. STUHLREHER, '22, was killed in an automobile accident on Dec. 24, near Tipton, Ind. He is survived by his widow, Mildred; three sons, William D. and Walter F., both '53, and Donald, a freshman at Notre Dame; two daughters, Anne and Marjorie; and a brother, Harry A., '25.

GEORGE L. REARDON, '24, of Detroit, Michigan, died last June 18 after an illness of more than four years.

EDWIN J. WESNER, '25, of Fort Wayne, Indiana, died November 13, 1953.

ARTHUR SULLIVAN, LL.B., '27, of St. Paul, Minnesota, passed away during the fall.

HERBERT SCHULTZ, '28, died in Port Arthur, Texas, on September 29, 1953.



FORT WAYNE—Herb Shriner's (left) All-Star Show aided club's scholarship fund. President Bob Kearney, '48, extends appreciation.

J. JOSEPH CONLEY, '31, of Bloomington, Illinois, died on November 13. He is survived by his wife and three children.

JEROME E. MADDEN, '31, died suddenly on August 19. He was from Covington, Ky.

CARROLL B. MURPHY, '31, of Chicopee Falls, Mass., passed away on October 6. He is survived by his wife Mary, a daughter and an infant son.

DR. WALTER T. SULLIVAN, '32, of Bronxville, New York, succumbed to a heart attack on October 29. Surviving are his widow, his mother, two sons, three daughters and a brother.

DR. SARE A. LANZAFAME, '37, passed away in Farmington, Missouri, on November 1. He is survived by his widow and five sons.

BROTHER CLEMENT MROCZEK, C.S.C., of the University of Notre Dame, died this past fall in the community infirmary on the campus. He was born in Posen, Poland, December 30, 1889, and entered the Congregation of Holy Cross March 19, 1906. He had held various assignments in the order.

DANIEL P. HIGGINS, of New York City, noted architect and a member of Notre Dame's Science

and Engineering Advisory Council, died Dec. 26. Two of his outstanding works are the Jefferson Memorial and the National Gallery of Art in Washington, D. C.

Sympathy

PAUL PFOHL, '22, on the death of his wife.

WALTER TROHAN, '26, on the death of his father December 2.

HON. LUTHER M. SWYGERT, '27, on the death of his mother.

WILLIAM DOWDALL, '28, on the death of his father.

DON ELSER, '36, on the death of his father.

WILLIAM FALLON, '37, on the recent death of his father.

THOMAS M. SWEENEY, '43, on the death of his mother.

PHILIP JENSEN, '49, on the death of his mother.

NORMAN E. MIRRORINGTON, '49, on the recent death of his mother.

JOHN L. PARKER, '49, on the death of his mother.

GEORGE S. DeKIME, '50, on the death of his father in October.

1904

JAMES R. RECORD, managing editor of the Fort Worth (Texas) Star Telegram, was recently made a Knight of the Order of St. Gregory the Great by His Holiness Pope Pius XII. Jim's citation stated, "A fine Catholic gentleman, James Robert Record has had the courage as managing editor of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram to print news of religion. Distinguished for his competence and intellectual honesty he is respected not only in Fort Worth but also throughout Texas as an able journalist and a leader in the development of healthy opinion." The Papal honor was bestowed by Bishop Thomas K. Gorman, Dallas, Texas. The bishop praised Mr. Record for having "used a mundane but very effective instrument to bring to the people knowledge and truth. Through the instrument of the press he has served God, and we have come to honor a modern knight journalist."

'09 45 YEAR REUNION
JUNE 11-12-13

1911 Fred L. Steers
105 So. LaSalle St.
Chicago 3, Illinois

1913 Paul R. Byrne
O'Shaughnessy Hall
Notre Dame, Indiana

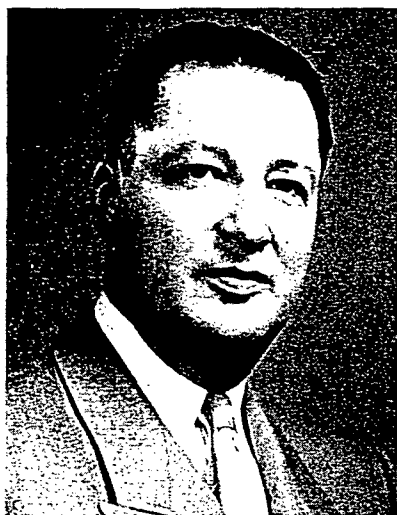
'14 40 YEAR REUNION
JUNE 11-12-13

1914 Ron O'Neill
1350 No. Black Oak Dr.
South Bend 17, Indiana

Returning for our 40th Anniversary Reunion next June, according to direct and grapevine information, are CECIL E. BIRDER, JOHN F. CARROLL, WALTER L. CLEMENTS, TWOMEY M. CLIFFORD, THOMAS B. CURRY, WILLIAM J. CUSACK, WILLIAM P. DOWNING, DR. JOHN R. DUNDON, LOUIS F. EICK, SIMON T. FARRELL, SIMEON T. FLANAGAN, FRED W. GUSHURST, FRANCIS M. HOGAN, EUGENE A. KANE, EDWIN J. LARNEY, RAYMOND T. MILLER, HARRY M. NEWNING, JAMES V. ROBINS, CHARLES L. VAUGHAN, M. EMMETT WALTER, LEO S. ZGODZINSKI and R. S. O'NEILL.

These add up to twenty-three. But we want the other seventy-three! Perhaps a letter from you to one of your classmates will prompt him to come back and relive those happy days of forty years ago. "POYNT" DOWNING has volunteered to try to lure to our beautiful campus some we've missed these many years; won't YOU write just one letter to someone you would like to meet here in June?

We always knew there was a great deal of



John E. Hockwalt, '32, was recently promoted to assistant general manager of general accounting, Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co.

pent up emotion and sentiment in the class of '14, but we never dreamed that our invitation to ED LARNEY of Chicago would elicit such a poetic response. Ed announces his "homecoming" in verse too touching to be revealed in advance. It will be recited by our class poet at the reunion dinner!

We and the Alumni office were sorry to learn, only recently, of the death a few years ago of IGNATIUS L. SOISSON at Connellsville, Pa. Remember him in your prayers.

To the long list of '14 men who have distinguished themselves, add the name of CHARLES FAHY, Judge of the District of Columbia Circuit of the United States Court of Appeals.

We're wondering who SIM FLANAGAN's latest client is. Could be Mrs. Roosevelt, or Santa Claus. Postcards have arrived weekly from Sim and his lovely wife from Dublin, Paris, Rome, Berne, and Madrid. Every card says "See you in June!"

Nice note from Leo Zgodzinski, whose mail from the Alumni office had been returned "unclaimed," advises that he's at 1344 East Cleveland Road, South Bend 17. We're glad to get "Squad" back on the list. Anyone know the present address of other "unclaimeds"?—RICHARD W. COLLINS, TIMOTHY E. DOWNEY, JUAN G. GONZALEZ, BENJAMIN GUERRA (a great fellow!), HAROLD F. MADDEN, GEORGE J. MASSEY, PAUL J. MOUSHEY, FRANCIS J. RYAN, or ROBERT E. ("BOB") DALY, formerly of Pittsburgh? Drop us a line if you know where we can reach any of these.

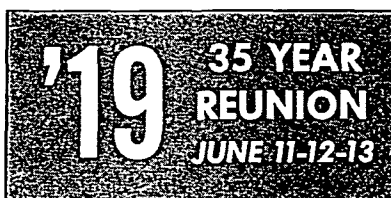
1915 James E. Sanford
1429 West Farragut Ave.
Chicago 40, Illinois

1916 Grover F. Miller
612 Wisconsin Avenue
Racine, Wisconsin

Our class president, LOU KEIFER, is vice-president and manager of the *Tribune and Star* of Terre Haute, Indiana. GROVER MILLER, Governor of the Notre Dame Foundation in Wisconsin, and JOHN CACKLEY of the Foundation's main office were present at several ND meetings in Central Wisconsin during the month of November.

1917 Edward J. McOsker
2205 Briarwood Road
Cleveland Heights 18, Ohio

1918 George E. Harbert
108 North Main Street
Sycamore, Illinois



1919 Theodore C. Rademaker
Peru Foundry Company
Peru, Indiana

1920 Ralph W. Bergman
1609 No. Jefferson Ave.
St. Louis 6, Missouri

1921 Dan W. Duffy
1101 N.B.C. Building
Cleveland 14, Ohio

1922 Gerald A. Ashe
39 Cambridge Street
Rochester 7, N. Y.

A hearty welcome to DAN YOUNG upon his return to the U.S.A. after a long sojourn in Chile. Dan and his wife, Loretta, arrived back in the country on October 26, just in time to see the ND-Penn football game in Philadelphia. Dan's present address is: % Foley Brothers, Inc., Pleasantville, New York.

We extend our deep sympathy to PAUL PFOHL and family on the death of Paul's wife, Alice. We expect all '22 men to remember Mrs.

Pfohl in their prayers. There are two sons: Paul, Jr., and Roger L.

ED COCHRANE's latest address is: Pembroke Hotel, 317 Marion Ave., Seattle, Washington. EDDIE HERBERT is now located at 1595 Elizabeth Pl., Cincinnati, Ohio.

Your secretary had a delightful visit recently in Waseca, Minnesota, with the DANNY COUGHLINS. Besides showing their visitor the scenic beauties of the Waseca area, Don and his wife, Bess, made Faribault, Owatonna, Rochester, and Winona ports of call on a scenic tour.

Mrs. Gertrude Foley, wife of our beloved deceased classmate, CHARLES "CHUCK" FOLEY, now resides at 3112 NE 24th St., Portland, Oregon. Daughter Mary Ann and son Charles compose the balance of the family.

"BUCK" SHAW'S professional footballers, the San Francisco 49ers, are in second place in the Western Division of the National Football League.

DR. EDDIE ANDERSON, head coach of the Holy Cross football team, had some tough going this year due to some important material losses, particularly the loss of Chuck Maloy, ace passer. Eddie still has a very important assignment ahead of him—helping to weld together a football team to represent the Eastern section of the nation for the annual East-West Shrine football classic in San Francisco in late December.

1923 Louis V. Bruggner
2165 Riverside Drive
South Bend, Indiana

It's been a long, dry summer and fall, as far as news of '23 men is concerned. Not only has the Secretary been soundly asleep at his typewriter, but the incoming mail has hardly reached flood proportions either.

JACK NORTON, Class President, has been quite active in his letter-writing, an achievement not imitated by classmates, or quite appreciated either.

HANK LAUERMAN, sometime after the summer reunion, wrote as follows: "Had a meeting



BUFFALO—This group helped plan the Buffalo Club's Christmas Dance. Mrs. Paul Allwein and Mrs. Francis G. Kellner, Auxiliary members; and President Jim Clauss.



NEW MEXICO—The Club's Communion Breakfast was held at the Hilton Hotel, Albuquerque. Front row: Anthony F. Potenzi, '40; Father Richard Butler, '42; Club President Cecil Jordan, '40. Second row: Ralph G. Glaser, Jr., '52; Jaime Velez-Saenz, '49; William J. Schultheis, '53; Pete Duran, '53; Louis C. Lujan, '24; Michael J. McGuinness, '08. Third row: George A. Schreiber, '41; John L. Minck, '52; Philip B. Deily, '47; Frank Hudson, '53; and Roland F. Trehearne, '53.

with **FATHER JOHN DUFFY**, National Chaplain of the American Legion who was in Menominee at the Upper Peninsula Legion meeting and spoke in the evening. . . . Our other classmate, **TOM PLOUFF**, was occupied elsewhere and missed the opportunity that was mine." Details of Plouff's occupation elsewhere were not offered. Belated scrutiny of the Secretary's files shows that **MERLIN ROLWING** mailed in his reservation for the Reunion on June 27, 1953. Does this

mean your reservation for the 35th reunion, Merlin?

ED KELLY, of Emmetsburg, Iowa, was instrumental in getting his law partner's son, Tom Spies, enrolled at ND last September. Tom paid a visit to your Secretary after he got settled in the fall.

Of interest to all Class members is the publication sometime during the spring of 1954 of a revised Class roster, showing geographical group-

ings and embodying certain questionnaire information gleaned at the Reunion. The cooperation of all men is asked in returning promptly their replies to mailings from the Secretary. We have a modest treasury which we hope to use mainly in mailings and related expense. If I break down and write you, will you please pencil me a memo in reply. **PAUL CASTNER**, on the strength of his years of experience as Secretary, predicts you won't answer your mail. Make a liar out of him now!



KENTUCKY—The local club sponsored train trip for 100 youngsters from Louisville orphanages to Georgia Tech game. Roger Huter (left) and Lawrence Willenbrink, Jr., chairmen, with four of the boys.



1924 Rev. Thomas A. Kelly, C.S.C.
Cavanaugh Hall
Notre Dame, Indiana

I recently received this very fine letter from **ED CANTWELL**:

Dear Father Kelly:

"Looking forward to our 30th Class Reunion reminds me to try and make your job as Class Secretary a little easier by furnishing you what news I can about some of our classmates who, like the dignified but somewhat discredited groundhog, cast their collective shadows not every year but every five years on the finest campus in the world.

"**HAROLD LONDO**, Green Bay, Wisconsin, guarantor of pure and abundant water for his community, is quite cheery over the arrival of his first grandchild, a grandson presented by his daughter, Rosemary. His son, Bill, '53, is doing newspaper work in Chicago.

"**JIM SMITH**, Circleville, Ohio, processor of fine canned foods of Esmeralda fame, has established an excuse to visit Notre Dame. His eldest daughter, Jacqueline, is a student at St. Mary's College. Jim, Jr., '53, is assisting his dad in

the canning business. His younger girl and boy will ultimately enjoy South Bend winter weather.

"JOE SHEEHAN, Columbus, Ohio, who sees that Ohio gets the best in highways, is enjoying the return of his two older boys from the service, both of whom were former students at Notre Dame. His eldest son, Tom, a Lieutenant with the Paratroopers, plans to re-enter Notre Dame this coming February.

"JOHN GOTAUCO, Manila, Philippine I., was present to see his sons Al and Philip graduate with the Class of '53. Another son is now a student at the University. After graduation this June, John stopped and paid us a short visit and was to return to Columbus on his way west. However, he did not return and I have been unable to communicate with him since. John indicated he plans to attend our 30th Reunion.

"Now for some news about myself. Daughter Sally, St. Mary's, '50, has presented us with two granddaughters. Our oldest son, Pat, '52, is a second lieutenant with the Corps of Engineers at Ft. Belvoir. Tom, '53, is an ensign with the navy, and is scheduled for duty in the Pacific. Son Mike is now a senior in high school and, the Registrar willing, will enter Notre Dame next fall.

"I am sure that all of the above are planning to attend the 1924 Class Reunion next June."

Sincerely yours,

EDWARD G. CANTWELL

1925 John P. Hurley
1218 City Park Avenue
Toledo, Ohio

1926 John J. Ryan
2434 Greenleaf Avenue
Chicago 45, Illinois

(Ed. note: What the hell has happened here? First time in five years that Secretary JOHN RYAN has failed to send in a column. He can't do the job without your help. Help! Help! JC)

1927 Steve Ronay
2829 Appletree Lane
South Bend, Indiana

1928 Louis F. Buckley
1253 North Central Ave.
Chicago 51, Illinois

CHRISTIE FLANAGAN informed us of the death of HERB SCHULZ in Port Arthur, Texas, on September 29. Herb was single. You will recall he was an AB graduate in our class. I wrote to Herb on June 27 letting him know how much we missed him at the reunion since several of his friends were inquiring about him. A mass card was sent to Herb's mother with a letter expressing the sympathy of the class. Please remember Herb in your prayers.

Mrs. TOM GRIFFIN advises that the masses offered for the repose of Tom's soul were a great consolation to her and to her three sons who are now at Notre Dame studying law. Tom, as you know, died in Knoxville, Tenn., on July 27 just a few weeks after suffering a heart attack. A native of Indiana Harbor, Tom joined T.V.A. as Principal Attorney of the General Counsel's Office in 1935 after serving with a Chicago law firm. In 1944 he became solicitor and was concerned chiefly with TVA's court proceedings.

BILL DOWDALL's father died recently in Chicago. ED RAFTER and I called at the mortuary and expressed the sympathy of the class. Bill has a daughter at Rosary College. I also met WALTER HART, '29, at the mortuary. Bill is president of the Federal Market Company in Buffalo, N. Y.

I wish to call attention to an excellent article by Mary Agnes Boyle, the deceased wife of ANDY BOYLE, in the September 19, 1953, issue of the Ave Maria. The article was published shortly after her death and is "a mother's story of what it is to be dying of cancer." Andy has two children, a daughter age 11 and a son age 4. He is acting head of the Department of Chemistry at Notre Dame. You will recall that we extended our sympathy to Andy on the death of his wife in our September newsletter.

After 25 years of silence it was a real pleasure to hear from WALTER LAYNE from 82 Bay Drive, Huntington 12, N. Y. Walt writes as follows: "I thought about you fellows many times during June of this year—just as I have thought of you and Notre Dame and all the fine things it meant to us all many times during the years that have passed since June, 1928. However, I am one who simply cannot look back too much.

It was all too good to be true; and I prefer to leave it that way. JOE BREIG wrote to me before the reunion and I wrote back saying that I would not be there and explaining it the best I could.

"The world has been quite good to me, Louie, I am married, have a little girl eleven and a job that enables us to live as well as I have any right to expect. I am editor of 'Master Detective' magazine. It is far from literature, but we do not live in a very literary world. I've done a lot of free lance writing and edited dozens of different magazines. It is all in a day's work; but nothing has given me the pleasure that the campus publications gave me.

"I hope all is well with you; and that every member of the Class of '28 has found a full measure of happiness throughout the years."

I am sure the many classmates who asked me about Walt at our reunion will be as pleased as I am to hear from him.

Marshall Field, President of Field Enterprises, Inc., announced the appointment of HOWARD V. PHALIN as Vice President in the educational division and general sales manager for the eastern half of the United States. The Educational division publishes the World Book Encyclopedia and Child Craft. Despite his many business responsibilities Howie has always found time to help out on numerous assignments I have given him for the class.

JOHN LYONS played an important role in the Republican upset in the Chicago judicial election on November 2. John was second high among the Republican candidates who were elected to the Superior Court here.

JOE BREIG's new book "A Halo for Father" (Bruce) has received excellent reviews. No doubt, you read the reference to this book in Jim Armstrong's column in the November-December Alumnus. Joe, who is assistant managing editor of the Cleveland Catholic Universe Bulletin and a columnist for the Ave Maria, has five children.

I noticed in the Indianapolis paper where BOB GRANT appeared before the Indiana Toll Road Commission in opposition to plans for constructing the road across Notre Dame and St. Mary's property.

Father MARK FITZGERALD gave an excellent talk on the labor situation in Europe at an Employment Security institute at Notre Dame in



TULSA—Alumni gathered to observe Universal Notre Dame Communion Sunday.

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JAMES J. SHERRY, JR., '36

Starting to work for General Motors Corp., Chevrolet Division in Tarrytown, N. Y., James J. Sherry, '36, has recently been promoted to Assistant Director of Purchases, Buick Motor Division.

In 1941 he was drafted in the Armed Forces and separated in 1945 as a Major after four and one-half years of service in this country and overseas. After returning home from World War II, Jim was transferred from Chevrolet, Tarrytown, to Chevrolet's Central Office in Detroit. Two years later in October, 1947, he was sent to General Motors' Purchasing and Salvage Section and became Assistant Director of the section in 1949.

Jim married Miss Grace Rogers in Manchester, N. H., in November, 1942, and they have three children, Kathleen, James, III, and Deborah. His father, James, Sr., is also a Notre Dame alumnus and a member of the 1905 class.

Having been extremely active in alumni and Foundation affairs, Jim was general chairman of the Detroit Club's Universal Notre Dame Night celebration in 1953. He also served as a director of the Notre Dame Alumni Club in Detroit.

October. The talk was based on his observations in England, France, Scandinavia, Germany, Italy and Switzerland. I also spoke at the ND Institute. The complete text of my talk on "Objective Use of Facts" was published in the November issue of the International Association of Personnel in Employment Security News.

Our classmates continue to be prominent in all Notre Dame Alumni activities. The following are presidents of local Alumni clubs: STEVE WOZNIAK (Akron), CHARLEY LYNCH (Los Angeles), JOHN IGEO (Columbus), GEORGE SARGUS (Ohio Valley), AL SCHNURR (Sandusky) and LEO MCINTYRE (Eastern Pa.).

ED BRENNAN is carrying on in my old job as a member of the Board of Directors of the Notre Dame Club of Chicago.

We have two Notre Dame Foundation Governors: JOHN WINBERRY (New Jersey) and TOM BYRNE (Ohio). JOE MORRISSEY continues as a member of the Board of Directors and First Vice President of the Alumni Ass'n.

Our Vice President for the South, JACK CANIZARO, had a Notre Dame Alumni party at his ranch, Green Pastures Hereford Farm, which is just north of the city of Jackson. It resulted in the founding of the Mississippi-Notre Dame Alumni Association. Jack reports that BOB EVANS of Vicksburg, Mississippi, was present with his wife. Bob has a married daughter and a son at the University of Mississippi. Bob is with his father in his lumber and building materials business, the Mississippi Lumber Co. He hopes to return for the 30th Class reunion.

Please keep me advised of additional classmates who should be mentioned in connection with Alumni activities.

WALT TOUSSAINT spent the first three weeks of October in Europe on business for the Carbide & Carbon Chemicals Co. of So. Charleston, W. Va. He visited London, Brussels, Antwerp, Dusseldorf, Frankfurt and Munich. Walt has a daughter who is a freshman at St. Mary's of the Woods. Dr. FRANK HEGARTY also has a daughter starting there this year.

SWEDE SCHROEDER told me at the Navy game that he visited JIM BERRY who is farming near Stanley, N. Y. Jim has five children. He promised Swede that he would be back for our 30th reunion. This is the first report I have had on Jim, so I am very grateful to Swede for the news.

JOHN GAUGHAN has moved to 319 South Shawnee St., Pasadena, Tex. Lt. Col. TOM NOON is now located at M.C.A.S. Cherry Point, North Carolina.

JAMES T. PARKER is now living in Vicks-

burg, Miss., at 403 Locust St. BOB EVANS reports that Jim is still in the ranks of the bachelors and is on leave from Consolidated Edison Co.

BILL DAILY is now in Atlanta, Ga., where he is Branch Manager of the Employees' Mutual Insurance Co. of Wisconsin. AL HANS is assistant to the Manager of Safety, Standard Oil Co., in Chicago. GEORGE MURRIN is engaged in general practice of law in Houston, Tex. I wish to thank CYP SPORL and RUBE MOMSEN for bringing us up to date on these lawyers. Cyp, by the way, returned to Notre Dame for the Georgia Tech game.

I see ED MCGUIRE regularly as we both have offices in the Bankers Building at 105 W. Adams St., in Chicago. Ed is attorney for the U. S. Securities & Exchange Commission in the Chicago regional office. He has two children. Ed regretted very much that he was unable to make the reunion due to sickness in his family.

JIM WHITE was in the '28 section at the Navy game. Jim operates an insurance claims service in South Bend. He is married. He saw his old roommate, DAN MOORE, recently. Dan has a son at ND and a daughter at St. Mary's and 7 other children at home. He is with Western Electric. Jim also reports that he sees JOHNNY NYIKOS (Chevrolet) and IKE VOEDISCH (real estate). Jim mentioned that his old pal BULL JOLISKY, is now a beer baron at Steubenville, Ohio. Jim and Bull get together at a game each year. Jim also told me that he saw ED MCKEOWN in September when one of Ed's daughters was registering at St. Mary's Academy. Ed and his family are now living throughout the year at their home at Dune Acres, Chesterton, Indiana. He commutes to Chicago where he has his law office in the Bankers Bldg., where I am located. I recently purchased a car from the McKeown Motor Sales (Chrysler-Plymouth) which Ed owns.

ART MILLER, FRANK MCCARTHY and BOB EGGEMAN attended the Georgia Tech game. Art is still practicing law in Fort Wayne, Ind., with offices in the Lincoln Bank Tower. He has two children, a daughter age 9 and a son age 6 years. Art sees HENRY HASLEY and FRED SCHOPPMAN daily as they are also practicing law in Ft. Wayne. Art made the following comment on our reunion: "Since returning from that unforgettable Class Reunion, I have started on numerous occasions to convey to you and the rest of the members of the committees in charge my immeasurable thanks for a truly great time. It was a tremendous success in every phase and in my opinion will reflect,



NEW YORK—Featured speakers at the Greater Metropolitan New York Club's Communion Breakfast were Mayor-Elect Robert F. Wagner, Jr., and Father Robert Green, M.M., recently released from prison in Communist China.

to all who contributed some effort, a lasting page in theirs and our memories."

I had occasion the other day to refer to the publications, "Who's Important in Medicine" and the "Directory of Medical Specialists" and noted the name of DR. SAM ROMANO. It gave me the information I have been attempting to secure for 25 years concerning Sam. He is clinical professor of surgery at Louisiana State University School of Medicine. After receiving his M.D. from Johns Hopkins, he served as a teaching fellow in surgery at the University of Minnesota. He is a diplomate, American Board of Surgery and a fellow in the American College of Surgeons and the author of contributions to medical and surgical journals. Sam is married and has two children. He has offices in the Pere Marquette Bldg., New Orleans, La.

Father MARK FITZGERALD, C.S.C., gave me a picture of Dr. and Mrs. JOE SULLIVAN, '29, and their two daughters which Father took in London this summer. Joe is head of the U. S. Dept. of Public Health in Great Britain. His address is American Embassy, Grosvenor Square, London, England. You will remember Joe as being from Holyoke, Mass., when he was at school.

I met a number of the classmates at the Georgia Tech and Navy games, including FRANK CREADON, PAUL TOBIN, BILL MURPHY, ED QUINN, VINCE WALSH, GEORGE KELLEY, FATHER JIM MSHANE, JOHN BRANNON, GEORGE COVERT, JOHN IGOE, AUGIE GRAMS, FRANCIS (SWEDE) SCHROEDER, JIM WHITE, JIM ALLEN, HOWIE PHALIN, ED RAFTER and JOE BRAUNSDORF. We had some great sessions at Gate 4 and at the Alumni Service Booth before and after the games. Father MULCAIRE joined Vince Walsh and me and our wives for dinner following the Georgia Tech game.

Other classmates mentioned they had seen FRANK DONOVAN and JOE MORRISSEY at these games, but I missed them. We were all pleased to see Joe's boy, Rockne Morrissey, in action on the football field at the Navy game.

Father MSHANE advised me that he had the privilege of baptizing ELMER WYNN in Denver in October. Father was enroute to Milwaukee where he was to conduct a retreat.

SWEDE SCHROEDER mentioned that in addition to seeing JIM BARRY in New York, he

also visited JOE DeBOTT in Geneva. Joe is still single. Swede also reports that STAN GRINAGER is operating a very successful hotel and restaurant at Becker, Minn. Swede, who is practicing law in Detroit Lakes, Minn., has five children including a son who is a senior at ND. He has his own plane and flies to the games as he did to our reunion. He was grounded in LaCrosse on his way to the Navy game.

The Alumni Service Booth meeting spot after the game also gave me the opportunity to see men in other classes whom we knew at Notre Dame, including BILL NEFF, '29, and TOM DUNN, '27. Bill Neff, who is principal of the Mandan, N.D., High School, recently had a history text book published by Bruce. The title is "World History for a Better World." TOM DUNN, who is practicing law in Morris, Ill., was asking about BILL COYNE. Bill is still in Washington as an attorney for the Housing and Home Finance Agency.

Our Vice-President for the West, ART CANTY, cracked the western iron curtain by sending us information on several classmates about whom we have not had a report in years. Art met DICK ELPERS and HAL HUDSON in Los Angeles for the first time since 1928. He found that Dick is with KFAC, a broadcasting station in the very building in which Art's office is located—3757 Wilshire Blvd. Art's company, the Prudential Insurance Company of America, had a luncheon recently celebrating the fifth anniversary of the installation of their western home office in Los Angeles, and HAL HUDSON was representing CBS at the luncheon. Hal is general manager, program division, CBS. He is married and has three children. He has been in Southern California since 1937.

Art also advises that MERV AGGELER is Deputy District Attorney of Los Angeles County and is located in Santa Monica. He had lunch a short while ago with ART PARISIEN who has three children and lives in Upland, Calif., a suburb of Los Angeles.

ED QUINN, Director of the Department of Guidance and Testing, has advised me of additional '28 men who have sons whom he has met recently at Notre Dame. These include the sons of TOM JONES, PAT CANTY, NORB SEIDENSTICKER and JOHN LEITZINGER. Ed has promised to keep us advised of other '28 sons whom he meets.

We have now reached the stage where we should

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JOHN T. WHITELEY, '44

John T. Whitely has been elected a Vice President of W. R. Grace & Co., international industrial and trading concern.

He joined the Statistical Department of W. R. Grace & Co. in 1949. In 1950 he was named an Assistant Treasurer, and in 1951 an Assistant Vice President. In October, 1953, John was elected a Director of Grace Chemical Company, a subsidiary of W. R. Grace & Co.

He was graduated from Notre Dame with a Bachelor of Science degree in chemical engineering and received his LL.B. from Notre Dame in 1949.

read the class notes of recent classes to find out what the sons of '28 men are doing. I noted, for example, in the 1953 column in the last Alumnus that HENRY MASSMAN, III, was graduated from the Navy's Officer Candidate School at Newport, R. I.

BERNIE GARBER reports that the LARRY CULLINEYS have their fourth child and third son, born Oct. 16, 1953. Larry also has a new address, 4 Vineyard Rd., North Haven, Conn. Bernie also mentioned that he saw FRANK DUQUETTE on the train one morning recently. Frank had had a knee operation and thought it successful—should improve his golf.

JACK ADAMS, '27, was a guest of honor at the dinner on the occasion of the 10th Anniversary of the Catholic Labor Alliance in Chicago. I also saw FATHER MARK FITZGERALD and Appellate Court Justice JOHN LYONS at the affair.

I hear from FATHER ANDY MULREANY regularly from St. Mary's Cathedral in Austin, Texas. Father is still busy converting the Texans. He



Mr. and Mrs. Henry "Red" O'Connell, '31, Chicago, and their children visit with Judge E. K. Jarecki after an order had been signed by which Henry adopted his wife's three children by a former marriage and she his four. Photo by Chicago Daily News.



TIDEWATER—Part of the Club in attendance at the Tidewater Club's Communion Breakfast were (seated): Phil Russo, '49; Frank Amato, '52; Harry McKnight, '43; (standing): Harry Solomon, '47; Jerry McCabe, '53; Dennis O'Neill, Jr., '51, and Fred Hartmann, '52.

continues to remember the '28 men each day in his prayers and Masses. In addition to offering the Masses at the request of the class for **TOM GRIFFIN**, **GEORGE O'BRIEN** and **HERB SCHULZ**, he offered an additional Mass for each as his own contribution.

The mail of **JOSEPH M. KANE** has been returned unclaimed from 55 Lathrope Ave., Binghamton, N. Y. Can any of you assist by sending me his correct address?

Our Treasurer, **JACK SHEEDY**, has asked me to extend thanks to the large number of classmates who have made contributions to the class treasury. His address is 1116 Farmers Bank Bldg., Pittsburgh 22, Pa. Jack was back to Notre Dame for the Pitt game. As you know, he has a son at ND.

I trust each of you received a copy of the reprint of my article in the Sept. 5, 1953, issue of "America" entitled, "Profile of a Class: Notre Dame, 1928." I continue to receive inquiries and favorable comments on the class survey report from many sources. The following excerpt from a letter from Dr. Edwin E. Witte, Chairman, Department of Economics, University of Wisconsin, is typical:

"While I am not a Notre Dame man and in fact have been at Notre Dame only on one occasion, I found the article of very great interest. Notre Dame being a University which has a great national appeal very probably has a somewhat more selected group of students than the great Midwestern state Universities. That twenty-five years after college graduation the *Notre Dame men* are financially ahead and more civic and religious minded than has been shown for college graduates generally is a pretty good tribute to the work that is being done at your alma mater. While your article is of greatest interest naturally to Notre Dame men, it has a good deal of value for educators generally."

I made a further analysis of the data collected in the 1928 Class survey for a report to a committee of the American Political Science Association on "Citizen Participation in Politics."

The analysis indicates that 12.4% of the classmates who have held political office are predominantly lawyers although individuals in retail trade and public utilities are also well represented in this group. A relatively higher proportion of economic and history majors had held political office than were represented in the total class generally. The college grades of the politicians

were as a whole better than those of all classmates. As would be expected, a larger percent (28%) of the future office holders participated in campus politics than did all classmates (19%). Similarly 32% of the future politicians held an office in a campus organization at Notre Dame in contrast to only 19% of all classmates. Not as many politicians currently receive daily and weekly Communion as do all '28 men. Fifty-seven percent of the active politicians are Democrats in contrast to only 39% of all classmates.

In order to assist me in making accurate comparisons of my study with the findings in the Time survey of college graduates, Time made a cross tabulation of their data for all male graduates in the 40-49 age group for my use.

We wish to thank **JIM DOYLE**, Secretary of the Class of 1931, for his words of praise for the 1928 reunion in his class column in the Nov.-Dec. *Alumnus*. I have already been called upon by two class secretaries to assist them in making plans for their reunions this year. **FRANK CREADON** has been requested to assist the 25-year class at Loyola University in planning its reunion along the lines successfully employed by our class.

When I saw **GEORGE COVERT** at the Navy game, he suggested that I prepare a list identifying each of the '28 men in the class picture taken on the library steps at the reunion. I will attempt this project soon and if I am successful in completing it, I will send the list to each of you. You may obtain a copy of this class picture by sending \$1.00 to James DuBois, University Photographer, Notre Dame, Ind. He can also supply prints at \$1.00 each of the Class of 1928 reunion march (plus band) to the Alumni Banquet which appeared on the cover of the July-August *Alumnus*.

Our President, **FRANK CREADON**, has prepared an excellent "Reunion Reel" from films taken and donated to the class by **VINCE WALSH** and **ART DENCHFIELD**. Frank is having a copy of this film of the 25-year reunion made so it will be available for use on a loan basis by classmates. Please write to Frank at 194 Addison Rd., Riverside, Illinois, if you wish to borrow the film to relive what **BOB HAMILTON** refers to as "those never-to-be-forgotten days." The film will be made available in exchange for some class news for this column.

The following note was received from **BILL CRONIN**: "I heard from **BOB HAMILTON** that **CHARLIE SHELANSKEY** is with the State

Department of Public Works and lives out at Westhampton, L. I.; also, **VIC ZIMMERMAN** moved to the country, upstate, near Kinderhook, N. Y.—lucky guy."

1929 Donald J. Plunkett
Biology Department
Notre Dame, Indiana

Larry Stauder, Acting Secy.
Engineering Building
Notre Dame, Indiana

'29 25 YEAR
REUNION
JUNE 11-12-13

From **LARRY STAUDER**:

If your family is like that of the Larry Stauders you wonder at the speed at which 1953 passed. It had its highlights—not as many, perhaps, as it could have had. In looking back a year hence we trust that you can include pleasant memories of a **JUNE CLASS REUNION** with your former roommates and close friends of student years at Notre Dame. Past experience has indicated that attendance at the 25th Reunion is larger than for any other. You will have your best opportunity to see more of your classmates on that occasion. The planning time is already upon us.

DON PLUNKETT who did so well in making arrangements for the 1949 reunion is back at the top spot and will be calling upon many of you soon to lend support. We all know that successful reunions do not just happen.

To the wives, we mention the family picture display that was so popular last June for the Class of '28. Some one hundred or so family pictures were assembled and displayed.

Special groups like engineers, lawyers, architects, medics, glee club and others may arrange



Daniel D. Halpin, '31, has been named chairman of the Sales Managers Committee of Radio-Electronics-Television Manufacturers Association.

Communion Breakfasts and other meetings within the reunion program. Details will follow.

We trust that you have put the directory recently mailed to you to good use.

KARL MARTERSTECK, we congratulate you on your appearance among those proposed as Directors of the Alumni Board. If our ballot counts, you are in. "DOC" DOUGHERTY recently sent us a note from Germany. He is currently visiting steel plants in Europe.

If you have been hearing rumors that student spirit and loyalty to a football team of champions has been outstanding, take it from those who saw it first hand, "it was great." We will see you in June.

1930 Devere Plunkett
Social Science Bldg.
Notre Dame, Indiana

1931 James T. Doyle
6457 North Bell Ave.
Chicago 45, Illinois

By the time you read this issue of the *Alumnus* you should all have had a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. Among the many lofty New Year's resolutions you have made, I hope you included one to write JIM DOYLE at least once a year.

JOHN HICKEY, in his letter of July 15, 1952, mentioned being able to peer across the Pittsburgh canyons and see CHARLIE SPINELLI, the super-sleuth, busy with a magnifying glass surrounded by stacks of old pictures, files and letters while he sought out missing heirs to fabulous estates. Charlie has done a good job according to the Chicago papers Saturday, Nov. 28th. After a trip to St. Louis he was able to establish that a St. Louis woman was entitled to a handsome piece of change out of an estate he was working on. Congratulations Charlie.

The grim reaper has called another '31er to his reward. I received a note from the widow of JOHN JOSEPH CONLEY saying he had died suddenly November 13, 1953. John was from Bloomington, Illinois and a graduate of the College of Engineering. After his graduation he was associated with the Sollitt Construction Co., of South Bend and then supervised construction of several county bridges while with the State of Illinois Highway Department. For the past few years he operated his own consulting engineering firm in Bloomington. Mrs. Conley writes as follows:

Dear Mr. Doyle:

"I don't know whether or not you were personally acquainted with my husband, J. Joseph Conley, but since he graduated from Notre Dame Engineering School, Class of 1931, I thought you would be interested in receiving this clipping from the local papers. He had a great many friends among the Alumni of Notre Dame, whom I should like this information to reach. Perhaps you would be kind enough to mention his sad death in your next *Alumnus* column.

"Joe, as he was known to his Notre Dame associates, was enjoying wonderful success here as a Consulting Engineer. We have three lovely children, two boys and one girl, all at home. He had no heart trouble as far as we knew, and worked the day before his death as usual. Coronary Thrombosis was the apparent cause of his sudden passing and, of course, it was a terrible shock to all of us. I shall appreciate your sending this sad news through the proper channels for the *Alumnus* Editor."

Sincerely,

Mrs. J. Joseph Conley
1109 N. Prairie St.
Bloomington, Illinois

Please remember Joe in your prayers together with other classmates who have received their eternal reward. I am writing FATHER JOHN J. MARGRAF, C.S.C., pastor of St. Mary's Church, South Bend, Indiana, to say Masses for

JOE CONLEY, BOB NEYDON and CHARLIE MANNIX.

As you can recall from the '31 notes in the *Alumnus* I have had Masses said and sent Mass cards to the widows of several classmates during the past two years. My source of funds for this has been the unexpended balance of funds collected in Farley Hall during the 1951 reunion. As this is nearly depleted I am asking contributions from you for a class fund to provide for Masses as well as a fund to defray the cost of promoting our reunion in 1956. Whatever amount you choose to send will be fine. At the same time enclose a newsnote. These may be sent either to my home or office which is 209 S. LaSalle St., Chicago 4, Illinois.

The home football games brought some news of '31ers. At the Navy game I sat a few rows in front of KELLY POWERS, '32, and his wife, from Milwaukee. They were staying at CLARENCE FUTTER's home in South Bend and during the evening decided to call ED SHEERAN at Long Beach, California. I also saw CLEM THEISEN, '32, FRANK BUTORAC, JACK SCHMITT and his son, Tom, a 6' 2" Loyola Academy basketball prospect, MATT GARRIGAN and his wife who decided to spend Saturday night at the Morris Inn. GIL SEAMAN and his family and GENE VALLEE. At the Georgia Tech game Gil Seaman met the President and Vice President of the Arcola, Illinois Notre Dame Club, TOM MONAHAN and PAUL GRANT. Gil suggested they look for me at the Alumni Information Booth, but I happened to be 90 miles away that day.

Alderman NICK BOHLING appeared on TV November 14th in an attempt to explain his needling the mayor. Nick made the Pennsylvania game, but could not come up with any news because of the bad weather. However, one of the reliable '31ers came up with a "Class Secretary's Delight" letter. I had written JOHN BURNS to help me out on news of our eastern classmates many of whom appear to be losing their power of dictation.

Dear Jim:

"Your letter didn't give me much time to get working on news of the boys in this area—that November 30th deadline sorta scared me. Since time's a-wastin' I'll try to get some information off to you pronto!

"Received the *Alumnus* last night and was grieved to learn of the deaths of Bob Neydon and Charlie Mannix. I knew Bob very well and remember his infectious chuckle and his wonderful disposition. I'm going to try and get a note off to his family. Wasn't Charlie a pitcher on the Varsity? May God rest their souls.

"Had telephone calls from ED (SLIM) MAHON



John A. Kiener, '32, his wife Elaine, and their children, Mary, Paul, Johnny and Michael visit the campus on Founder's Day.

and ED CUNNINGHAM yesterday. Slim was busily preparing for a Thanksgiving dinner at his Dad's home for all the members of the family. I know they will have a grand time. Ed Cunningham recently moved from Milford, Delaware to Central Valley, N. Y., about 40 miles outside New York City. His two oldest boys are at school in Newburgh; the three younger boys are attending the local school. Virginia, his wife, looks after Ellen until the boys return and take over the house. Ed finds much to do around the new home. DICK BARBER is now in Miami, having chauffeured his Mother and Dad there last week. However, the Judge expects to fly back in time to do the turkey carving for his brood. All the boys and their families are in good health.

"Weather conditions ruined the planned trip to the Notre Dame-Penn game this year—and just when I had received GOOD tickets for the battle. SLIM MAHON had tickets but a special investigation in which his aid was required prevented the trip. Dick Barber had 50-yard line seats, hotel accommodations and well meant plans, but cancelled them. I had intended driv-



FORT WAYNE—The club's Communion Breakfast was held on December 6th, with the Most Rev. Leo A. Pursley, Auxiliary Bishop of Fort Wayne, as guest speaker.

ing to Philly with a party of four, but the freak snowstorm made driving too hazardous so we settled for the radio broadcast and the pictures on Sunday. **TIM TOOMEY**, '30, who made the trip on the New York Notre Dame Club Special told me the trip was a 'social success' with the New Englanders and New Jerseyites joining the New York crowd to have a grand trip. Perhaps some of the boys who made the trip will be able to fill in with the doings of that day.

"Met **OLLIE SCHELL** at one of the ND club meetings who told me he meets up with **CHARLIE 'RED' McALEER**, **BILL McALEER**, **TED LEE** and **TERRY WHARTON**—all of Altoona—once in a while and that they are all well. Ollie is now a C.P.A. in Tyrone, Pa., and doing exceptionally well. Met **PAT CANNY** at the meeting too, who gave me the lowdown on my old sparring partner **SPIKE McADAMS**. Pat is at present working in New York for Erie R. R. We had quite a laugh over recollections of **JOHNNY MURPHY** and **PAT O'HOUHAN**—our ring names of years ago. It was good to read the letter from **CHARLIE POWERS** in the '31 column. Long time no see Charlie, but we did have many a good gabfest at the ND-Army gatherings. Met **DUTCH RIDLEY** in Philly for the Penn game in '32 for a most pleasant surprise. Dutch is looking fine and has himself a lovely wife.

"Talked with **JIM GALLAGHER** during the summer months. He is now living in Hackensack, N. J. Jim and his family are well and he is definitely planning on the 25th reunion. Also had a pleasant surprise in meeting **JOHN O'DONNELL**, '30, while attending Mass one Sunday in Hohokus. John and I were experts in maneuvering the food carts from the old kitchen in back of Carroll Hall to the Minims' dining room, especially when it snowed. Haven't seen or heard of **GORDIE SALMON**, the piano playing wonder, since our 20th get-together. And how about **BOB MASSEY**, anyone ever meet up with the genial Bob? **JOHNNY LISICKI** is another who went into retirement after the 20th, how come, John? You must remember how well Barber, Mahon and I entertained your family while we were gathering ice cubes a few years back. Friends in Auburn inform me that **GEORGE SHAMON** is up and coming in that city. Said hello with **GIL PERRY** when I reached Wilkes-Barre. He has a picture to prove he was the best dressed man to attend the '32 ND-Penn game.

"**JIM MULVANEY** and I correspond to keep in touch with activities in our areas. Jim makes a trip to New York in the spring, at which time he checks on my doings. I note that he attended the Chicago Club golf tournament—was he by any chance caddyding???

"There was a time when I would meet **BOB RICK** and **ART FLYNN** at the club meetings. Haven't seen them in ages. Not many 'old timers' get to club meetings these days; seems as though the younger boys rule the roost. Do you find that in your club activities? All the boys in this area seem to be pointing for the 25th reunion. After the grand job done by the class of '28 we really should be getting started on a definite program for the gathering. I'll be glad to cooperate in any way I might be able to help, Jim.

"That's about it for now. Thanks for your letter and do remember me to your family and any of the boys in the Chicago area."

Best,

John

Of all the Pennsylvanians you mention, John, only one, **GIL PERRY**, has come through with news. Get busy boys.

I met **WALT CAHILL** on the street the other day. He and his family are fine. He gave a good report on **BILL LEAHY** (who when he goes out of town and sees a few '31ers should pick up the phone or send me a note), and also on **EDDIE RYAN** whom he saw at the Navy game. **JIM McQUAID** was in Chicago October 25th and telephoned.

HENRY G. (RED) O'CONNELL and his charming wife and family made a wonderful family group in a picture taken at court proceedings where each adopted the other's children.

SPOTLIGHT ALUMNUS



JOSEPH H. MULQUEEN, '40

Joseph H. Mulqueen, '40, is the originator and Managing Editor of a new magazine called **NEW**. This is the first magazine in America brought out for the express purpose of listing new inventions available for sale to manufacturers. Not only does **NEW** picture, describe and cost estimate new inventions, it lists the outright sale or royalty lease arrangement desired by the respective inventors.

The first issue of this quarterly magazine came off the presses in October and the number of well-known American corporations that have subscribed to it have raised eyebrows of even the most experienced publishers. Circulation is over 5,000 with a majority of subscribers in top level industrial management and with a growing list of inventors as well.

Since doffing his Marine Major's role in 1946, Joe Mulqueen has spent 6 years in the publishing business and is a former executive with both **LIFE** and **QUICK** magazines.

Married to a Philadelphia girl in 1941, Joe is the proud father of 6 children—evenly divided between boys and girls.

Red went from four to seven children in seven months. (Photo in this issue of **ALUMNUS**.)

AL STEPAN phoned recently after seeing **DAN HALPIN** in New York. Dan has made one of the biggest TV hotel installations at the Stalter in Los Angeles. **DR. BUCKY O'CONNOR** and his wife were guests of Al Stepan at the Iowa game. They spent four days at the Morris Inn, while Bucky on his first visit back to the campus visited priests and friends at ND. Al saw **JOHN FORD (RED) MEAGHER** from Mankato, Minn., at one of the games. Red has a son who is an ND freshman. No doubt some of you recall when Red put on his act on the second floor of Howard Hall. It seems as though Red was racing a paper weight down the corridor when **VINCE PONIC** took over consoling Red and protecting the onlookers when . . . Need I go further, Vince? Remember when **FATHER MARGRAF** came upstairs. It was shortly before Sunday night supper.

DON O'TOOLE sent the following note: "I have just returned from a convention where I met a banker who operates a bank in Sturgis, Michigan. I learned from him the sad news that Bob Neydon died about two months ago after some eight or ten months illness. I believe his difficulty was cancer. You may already know of this, but I wanted to be sure that you did receive word. The banker tells me that Bob left five children, and that his wife is teaching school again.

"I wish I had more news to report to you, but all I can say is that I spent a very delightful two days at the campus during the middle of the summer, loafing at the Morris Inn and playing golf, and visiting with some of my ex-teachers. I can assure you that is a swell two or three-day vacation. I also took in the Georgia Tech game last Saturday, but did not run into any of my classmates. Again I want to congratulate you on the job you're doing as secretary. I wish I could do more to help you. With kindest regards, I am

Yours very truly,"

Don

I have sent notes to **HARRY KENNEDY** in South America and **FATHER DUFFY** in Seattle and hope to have something soon. I wrote **ED LA BARTHE** and he came through with a fine letter.

Dear Jim:

"I received your letter, and first of all I want to congratulate you for the 'award' of class secretary at which I see you are doing a fine job. **JERRY CROWLEY** has come down to Mexico twice in the past two years and I've had long talks with him about campus memories and Notre Dame men. From Al Stepan I had a long distance call a couple of months ago, and I was expecting his eldest son to come down here, but later had a letter from his wife saying that the boy couldn't come.

"If it interests you, the dope about me, here it goes: I have four children, two boys 12 and 13, and two smaller girls. The boys, since the beginning of the year, are in St. Thomas Military Academy, St. Paul, Minn. They stayed for half a term in summer camp and then came home. Last September I went with my wife as far as San Antonio and then left them in the plane to Chicago and St. Paul.

"The last of the Notre Dame men (outside of Mexico) I have seen is **GENE CALHOUN**. I was in Los Angeles, called him up and he took me up to his house to meet his charming family. I was playing golf with **LUCIO MUNAIN** and he told me about the Alumni Reunion last June where he met you. I have not seen **BILL MORPHY** in the last few weeks, but I know he is fine.

"I'm sorry this year we have not been able to get together as we did last year when Lucio, Bill and I flew to San Antonio and Austin to see the Texas-Notre Dame game. I have been at Notre Dame only once since I graduated. That was in summer about three years ago, and naturally I hope and intend to be there for the 25-year reunion.

My best wishes to you and your family, and

my best regards to all the ND 'ex-boys' that you see."

Sincerely,

ED La BARTHE

I wrote ED SHEERAN to take over as regional secretary for the So. Cal game, but in the over 90,000 attendance it was difficult to spot TOM ASHE and many other '31ers who were there.

Dear Jim:

"Thanks for yours of November 23. It is good to hear from you and we wish that you would find an excuse to write more often. Apparently, Kelly forgot to tell you that his call originating in South Bend reached here one Saturday evening at 10:00 P.M. Lydia answered the phone and Kelly and Clarence were quite amused to hear that I had already hit the sack. Weekends when one can get to bed early are few and far between so when they do occur, they are doubly appreciated.

"My wife's sister and her husband are flying in tonight from Tokyo, so it will be impossible for me to attend the rally at the Biltmore Hotel. Should I see or hear of any of the fellows of '31 at the game tomorrow, I will put a postscript on this letter before posting it.

"I see ED MASSA almost every holiday season. Ed's home is in Hayward so he and Grace usually come to see us when we are with my folks in Berkeley at Christmas time. Ed is in the insurance business and doing very well. Last summer on our way to Banff and Lake Louise, we stopped at Great Falls, Mont., and had a pleasant visit with LEN REGAN, '33, and his wife, Rosemary, who was Rosemary Gies of St. Mary's. On our way home we stopped at Kalispel, Montana, where we were royally entertained by N. M. (BUD) GIES and his wife, Jean. They and their children took time out from their busy schedule to show us around Glacier Park. Bud, who was of the class of '31 has not lost a bit of his flare for a good time and enjoys life immensely.

"You probably remember LOU BERARDI who started in '27 but graduated in '30 ahead of us. I see him frequently at club affairs in Los Angeles. Lydia and our two girls are looking forward with me to another trip to the campus in 1956 for the 25-year reunion. They all join me in extending to you and your family all good wishes."

Sincerely,

Ed.

"11-30-'52. P.S.: Saw none of the boys from '31 at the game."

How about a note from westerners on the rally at the Biltmore and those you saw at the game?

I have a few months before the next ALUMNUS deadline so please note on your calendar for a January or February letter to JIM DOYLE. Don't forget my request for a Mass and Reunion Promotion Fund. All donations deductible and cheerfully accepted.

1932 James K. Collins
3336 Kenmore Road
Shaker Heights, Ohio

JOHN MATOUSEK has been promoted to Vice President and General Manager of the Baker Kaulang Company in Cleveland which manufactures industrial trucks and tractors. He has been in charge of manufacturing with the company since 1949.

ED KOLSKI has been appointed Assistant Superintendent of the Division of Women's and Children's Employment of the Illinois Department of Labor. Ed has also been active in fraternal organizations in Chicago, and is a member of the Sports Officials Association of Chicago.

Thanks to JIM BYRNE of the ND club of Detroit, I learned that REMI RENIER has been promoted to Lieut. Colonel in the Army Engineer Corps. He is a Reserve Officer on active duty, and is now stationed in Tripoli, Africa. Because of his assignment, he is serving at this station as a major.

SPOTLIGHT-ALUMNUS



LAURENCE WINGERTER, '28

The new president of the American Transit Assoc. is Laurence Wingerter, '28, of San Antonio, Tex. Larry, a native West Virginian who heads the San Antonio Transit Co., came to Texas in 1942 and built the San Antonio bus line into one of the most outstanding in the country. He has taken an active interest in civic affairs and has served as president of the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce.

Larry is also president of Studer's Inc., a large photographic studio and supply organization with nine stores. He has been past president of the Young Men's Board of Trade, New York City; and past president of the Indianapolis Junior Chamber of Commerce.

He is a member of the National Defense Transportation Assoc., the San Antonio Safety Council, the American Management Assoc., and the Defense Orientation Conference Assoc.

OLLIE POWERS is another to join the still small list of grandfathers when his first grandchild was born to his daughter Gail and her husband early in November.

FLO MCCARTHY has gone back to the railroad business, having recently taken the position of Assistant to the Vice President in charge of public relations of the Chesapeake Railroad.

We were very sorry to hear of the death of WALT SULLIVAN recently, and wish to extend the deepest sympathy of the Class to his wife and family. Kindly remember him in your prayers.

JOHN E. HOCKWALT was recently promoted to the post of assistant general manager of general accounting at Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. of Akron, Ohio.

WILLARD J. CROXALL, director of research for Summer Chemical Company, has been elected to the board of directors. Summer Chemical is an operating subsidiary of Miles Laboratories, Inc.

1933 Joseph A. McCabe
632 Forest Avenue
River Forest, Illinois

By the time you read this, you will have long since read—but I hope not forgotten—the Class Letter sent out late in 1953 to each '33er.

Also, by the time I read this in the Alumnus, I will know whether or not our plans for digging up more names and news for the column will have proved successful.

So I'm rather writing this about a future time and state of mind—somewhat like this scientification that is growing so popular. And it is my fondest prayer that my future state of mind will be a lot happier about the class column. I'm sure from what some classmates have said that you are all hoping that the column has more news in it, too.

But just hoping isn't enough. Take YOU, for instance. You're reading this column right now . . . have you done enough—heck, have you done ANYTHING to make it more newsy? Have you sent in the name of your new baby, or—we sure are moving along, men—your newest grandchild, whichever may apply? Have you sent in the word about your new promotion, or change of address, or whatever else you've done lately that your classmates might like to hear about?

No? THEN DO IT NOW!

It's my hope that this will be the last class column that's done at the last minute, with a lot of "scientification" dreamed up by your ever-loving secretary to fill out some space. And if you'll all take about 20 minutes a month to drop us a line, it very easily could be the last such column.

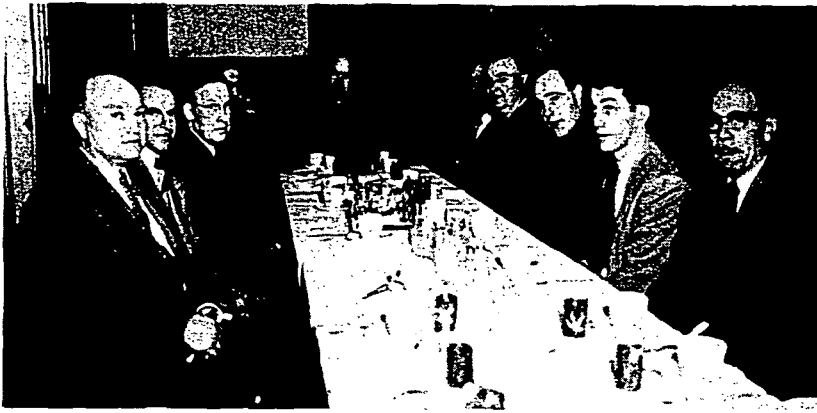
However, since it is (we hope) the last of its kind, I'm going to seize the opportunity to say a few words on a such subject I've kind of neglected to write you about lately—The Blessed Mother. Reason I take Mary as my topic—outside of the fact that I like to talk and write about Her—is that as you all know, this is the Marian year, as so declared by Pope Pius XII recently.

At our Chicago Club Communion Breakfast on December 6, FATHER MATT WALSH, the beloved former president, whom we were lucky enough to get as guest speaker, also said some memorable things about Mary, and I'm going to borrow the phrase he used to introduce the subject—"What is more fitting a topic, and what more suitable audience to discuss the topic of the Blessed Mother, than a gathering of her sons—the graduates of Notre Dame?" The point being that all who attended her school are especially indebted to her . . . and, we fervently hope, have an special claim on her goodness and charity.

So take advantage of this Marian year. There are innumerable special blessings and graces offered for those who make the little extra effort needed to gain them—spiritual boons which can also mean material blessings for you and yours. Make the effort to get them for yourself and family!

Once again I urge all classmates to drop a line. If you don't want to write the guy who has been such a pest—namely the undersigned—drop it in the lap of one of our officers . . . maybe it will serve to jolt THEM into writing!! They include:

GEORGE ROHRS, president—220 E. 42d St., New York 17, N. Y., LUCIEN KEMPF, S.W. vice-president—Box 75, Lindsey, Okla., ED MORIARTY, West vice-president—Hollywood Turf Club, Hollywood, Calif., BERNIE LENAHAAN,



WICHITA—The Alumni Club's Communion Breakfast, Dec. 6, was attended by (left to right): Dr. B. Leis, '34; T. Jochems, '40; Dr. B. Crowley, '28; E. A. Koester, Bishop Carroll; P. Donigan, '35; G. Schwarz, '25; Fr. Murphy, chaplain; Dr. D. Hagan, '43; and Frank Furstenberg, '21.

Midwest vice-president—1426 Broadway, Vincennes, Ind., **TONY BRICK**, East vice-president—Sweeney Bldg., N. Tonawanda, N. Y., **JOHN CAHILL**, treasurer—213 W. First, Dixon, Ill., **CHARLIE FERRIS**, sergeant-at-arms—201 Bellevue Blvd., Alexandria, Va., and of course your nagging secretary—**JOE McCABE**, Suite 852, 231 S. LaSalle, Chicago 4, Ill.

I think the need for news is effectively pointed up by the fact that out of the 150 members of '33 who attended the 1953 reunion—and nearly all of them promised they'd write—I have received a letter from one—**JOE KURTH**.

I think Joe's cooperation was so outstanding I'm going to reprint his letter in full:

Dear Joe:

"Just a 'little' note to you in appreciation of the work you did on our 20-year Reunion. It was great to be among the fellows again; to talk with them; to reminisce with them plus the fact that it was just 'plain fine' to be back on the campus again. Frankly, this reunion was the greatest stimulant the writer has had for some years.

"It is my sincere hope that our silver jubilee in 1958 can find even a greater number of our classmates back on the campus. It seemed from casual observation that the 1928 class had a wonderful reunion. May I go on record that if there is anything the writer can do in assisting in a long-range preparation for our silver jubilee reunion, please get in touch with me.

"I have several ideas in mind, but I shall hold them for a future date. As of now, there is no desire to place myself in the van of things in view of the fact that I have been rather dormant as far as continuing contact with Notre Dame or my classmates were concerned.

"Keep up the good work, Joe, and henceforth, please do not hesitate to call on me in whatever manner I may be of service.

"Hoping your and my paths shall cross many times before 1958, I remain,

Very truly yours,"

JOSEPH J. KURTH

Joe lives at 2568 Green St., Apt. B, Harrisburg, Pa.—so drop him a line, if only to applaud him for writing!

That's all for now, mates—here's expressing the hope again that by the next **ALUMNUS** I'll have a column full of news and names.

'34 20 YEAR REUNION JUNE 11-12-13

1934 Edward F. Mansfield
M-4 Kingsley Terrace
Norwalk, Connecticut

1935 Franklyn C. Hochreiter
1327 Pentwood Road
Baltimore 12, Maryland

1936 A. H. Moorman
1708 Industrial Bank Bldg.
Detroit 26, Michigan

1937 Paul Foley, Vice-President
MacManus, John and Adams
Fisher Building
Detroit 2, Michigan

Coach **VIC WOJCIHOVSKI** had an undefeated football season at Mt. St. Joseph High in Baltimore, Md.

1938 Charles M. Callahan
Sports Publicity Dept.
Notre Dame, Indiana

'39 15 YEAR REUNION JUNE 11-12-13

1939 Vince DeCoursey
1917 Elizabeth
Kansas City 2, Kansas

MAX BURNELL's football squad at St. George High of Evanston, Illinois, capped an undefeated season by winning both the Catholic League and

Chicago City Championships. This marks the second such dual championship for Max since he took over the reins at St. George in 1943.

1940 Richard Burke
146 Paxton Drive
South Bend, Indiana

1941 John W. Patterson, Jr.
Pittsburgh Press, Roto Section
Pittsburgh 22, Pennsylvania

1942 William E. Scanlan
400 East 111th Street
Chicago 28, Illinois

1943 John L. Wiggins
11404 Rupley Lane
Dallas 14, Texas

In reviewing the rosters of Club Officers to serve Notre Dame Alumni Clubs throughout the nation, it appears as if the Class of '43 is of executive timber. **JIM MADIGAN** heads the Little Rock, Arkansas Club; **JOHN LANAHAN** is President of the North Florida group; **BILL CLEMENS**, the Dubuque, Iowa Club; **GUS ZUEHLKE** heads the Fox River Valley (Wisconsin) organization; and **BOB HACKNER** the LaCrosse, Wisconsin Club. In the newly formed Kansas Club **FRED GANS** is Vice President; **BOB KEARNS** is Treasurer of the Aurora, Illinois Club; and **HARRY MCKNIGHT** is Secretary of the Tidewater (Virginia) Club.

In the last issue, while recapping the highlights of the Reunion week-end, mention of the splendid work of **JERRY FEENEY**, chairman, was overlooked. Jerry did a fine job of lining up many details in South Bend and on campus to make the week-end a delightful success. As a token of appreciation the Class presented Jerry with a desk lighter.

ED HANRAHAN dropped word of the opening of law offices at 30 N. LaSalle, Chicago. The shingle reads: Hanrahan and Royal.

WALLY ZIEMBA spent a couple hours in Fort Worth on November 28 scouting Southern Methodist against Texas Christian. TCU won 13-0 while, according to Dallas papers, SMU revealed nothing to the Notre Dame scout—at the expense of the game? One of Wally's teammates, **BOB DOVE**, has transferred from the Chicago Cardinals to the Detroit Lions, which must be like going to the Yankees from the Orioles.

BILL MIDDENDORF is back in Fort Wayne after a brief stint in Decatur, Illinois. Bill is selling real estate in Fort Wayne.

JOHN J. GILLIGAN was elected to the Cincinnati City Council on November 3. John's old roommate, **JAMES R. CLARK, JR.**, has been appointed Commissioner of Hamilton County. What makes this more interesting is that the two former roommates are working on opposite sides of the political fence.

'44 10 YEAR REUNION JUNE 11-12-13

1944 George Bariscillo
515 Fifth Avenue
Bradley Beach, N. J.

By now everyone in the Class of '44 whose address is correct in the files of the Alumni Office should have received a mimeographed copy of the class roster. It is to be hoped that this list will help refresh your memory (10 years



WESTERN WASHINGTON—The club's Universal Communion Sunday breakfast was held in Seattle with a fine turnout of alumni, wives and children.

IS a long time!) with those in our class; and perhaps it has already prompted some renewal of friendships even before our big get-together next June 11, 12, 13 at ND. Time is growing short and within a very few months after receiving this issue of the ALUMNUS we will be campus-bound once again for the big event!

Class President DICK DOERMER had originally planned to appoint committee chairmen in the various cities to "beat the drums" for the reunion; but the early response has been so overwhelming that the event is now certain to be a huge success.

One contingent that is aiming for 100% turnout at the reunion is the '44 Club of Chicagoland. JACK THORNTON, presy of the organization, writes a very interesting and informative report on their activities. Actually, the club got rolling in high gear a year ago when "we rejuvenated our class list and sent out inquiries as to whether the fellows would be interested in getting together socially now and then. The response was favorable," writes Jack, "and we met once a month at a local restaurant

—and lounge—for dinner and much social activity. This continued from September to June. We are again starting up and will meet tomorrow evening (Oct. 15) for the initiation of the Fall social season." "MOX" ROGERS is Secretary and JACK COAKER, Treasurer. Here's a partial list of men of '44 in regular attendance at their meetings: BILL BRADY, HERB CLARK, JACK COAKER, STRATTE COORLAS, GEORGE CRONIN, BOB DUFFY, ED DUNIGAN, JOE FARMAR, MILT FLYKE, DR. BILL FORD, ED GITS, JIM KANE, BILL KENNEY, JIM LANDGREN, HARRY LAVERY, JIM LLOYD, JIM McDONOUGH, JACK McSWEE-NEE, JACK MORAN, DICK NICKSON, TOM O'CONNOR, JIM PLATT, JIM RICE, CHUCK ROGERS, WALTER "MOX" ROGERS, FRANK ROMANO, GEORGE ST. GEORGE, JACK SEGERSON, JOE TAAFE, DR. AL THOMETZ, NORV TRIMBORN, FRANK VIGNOLA, GEORGE WENDT, JIM WILSON, JIM WHALEN, JACK WITOUS, BOB WOLF, and HARRY YEATES.

(Lot of good party boys in the foregoing list, so it should be QUITE some reunion with all

that gang on hand! Wonder how many other groups will check in with perfect attendance?)

JACK THORNTON writes of others he has seen or heard from recently: BOB GALVIN, BILL DUNNE, JOE ELWOOD, BOB McKAHAN, GENE PILAWSKI, BOB PURCELL, LARRY REYNOLDS and JIM CUNNINGHAM; and he reports that he has had word from TOM COSTELLO who is in Korea and now in the regular Army.

We have a late report from BOB MARTINA who should get a special citation at the reunion as "The one member of the class who has helped your secretary most consistently with news for the column." Bob now has the Colorado franchise for a new cement wall product called "Vitro-Glaze"—and a new address, 1225 Meadowsweet Road, Golden, Colorado.

GRIDIRON SIDELINES . . . At the Penn game in Philly . . . JIM O'BRIEN who is now on the faculty at Villanova teaching Philosophy. . . . BILL WALDRON wrapped up in his ND '44 blanket dreaming of the beautiful June weather on the campus at our coming reunion.

At ND for the Georgia Tech weekend. . . .



FORT WAYNE—A large crowd attended the alumni club's Football Roundup Smoker in November.



ST. JOSEPH VALLEY—Captain Don Penza (far right) presents traditional shillelagh to Co-Captains-elect Dan Shannon (center) and Paul Matz at football banquet. Sitting, left to right: Coach Leahy, '31, Toastmaster Joe Boland, '27, Jack Lavelle, '28, and Athletic Director Ed Krause, '34.

TOM BRENNAN who is now practicing law in Houston and who promises he will journey northward from the Lone Star state for the reunioning. . . . **JOE NEUFELD** in from Green Bay for the game and planning to be on tap in June. . . . **BERNIE FINUCANE** who says all '4ers from Kansas City will be "present and accounted for" in June. . . . **BOB McDONNELL** and **JOHNNY MORRIS** who ditto the foregoing as to the Detroit crowd . . . and what say: are YOU planning to be there????

JAMES M. GOWER was ordained to the Priesthood last May 30 by Bishop Daniel J. Feeney of Portland, Me., for the Diocese of Maine. Father Gower studied his theology at St. Augustine's Seminary in Toronto, Canada. Father Gower's new address is 163 Danforth, Portland, Me.

Received an interesting report from **JACK JOHNSON**, bringing us up-to-date on his whereabouts. After flying 30 missions in Europe as a gunner on a B-24 and later serving as an instructor with the Air Force in Aerial Photography, Jack returned to ND for his B.S. in Accounting. He's now associated with a Chicago firm selling bottle caps to soft drink bottlers and breweries in Ohio and West Virginia. He married a lovely gal from Oklahoma and they have four little ones—three boys and a girl. Jack confirms he'll be on hand for the reunion in June. Add his name to your roster; his address: 131 North Maple, Marysville, Ohio.

DICK LEON writes from Mexico City that he expects to be back for the reunion . . . also notes that the class roster does not include the following: **PETE ASHBAUGH**, **FRANK GROVES** and **BOB MILFORD**. Will the preceding please advise the Alumni Office of their present addresses so they may be added to the class list and receive all data pertaining to the festivities in June.

The **BEN MAMMINA**'s announce the arrival of a son, Joseph Ross, II, on November 8, 1953.

Another addition for your class roster is **HARRY J. SULLIVAN**, whose address is Explanada No. 615, Mexico 10, D. F., Mexico.

One final suggestion before the wrapup: Let's ALL try to be at Notre Dame this June. . . . It will certainly be a weekend to remember—and one you'll never forgive yourself for missing!!!

1945 Al Lesmez
122 Tullamore Road
Garden City, N. Y.

It's always nice to visit and to be visited by friends of the class. My wife, Betty, and I

went down to Silver Springs last month to visit my old roomie, **FRED "GODFREY" BREMER** and his wife Mary Ellen. They have a beautiful little boy, Davey, who is our little Godchild, so naturally we are prejudiced, but he's really a wonderfully behaved and lovable child. He's only eight months old but already shows signs of being very intelligent . . . just like the Godparents. Fred is in his last year of law studies, having done the whole course in the evenings at the George Washington University Law School. He graduates this coming June, and all indications are that he'll be the proud father of two children by then.

Another classmate, **JOHN HEYVAERT**, visited New York several weeks ago, and was an overnight guest. It was great fun comparing notes and recollecting. John owns a household appliance store in South Bend and his sales record in a particular line had won him a visit to New York and a weekend trip to Bermuda. He looks swell, married life showing up very good on him.

And talking about marriages, another visitor to New York this past month was **GEORGE DESPOT** of Shreveport. George finally married his college-days sweetheart, Pearl, and they

chose New York for their honeymoon. Matter of fact, they chose the Waldorf-Astoria hotel just when all possible dignitaries were staying there. When ex-President Truman was served with the paper to appear before an investigating committee a few floors away from George and Pearl, I was sure it couldn't have been anyone else but George who served him. The new couple, along with **ERNIE RAUSCHER** and his wife, Dottie, were dinner guests at our house, the get-together sounding more like a reunion or a pre-game rally. The cause of this was the Sunday evening football TV presentation, along with my playing all the ND records, and George and Ernie and myself trying to harmonize on the college songs. All three wives threatened to leave us with the dishes, so we turned EVERYTHING off.

A week later we were all the guests of Ernie and Dottie at the New York Athletic Club. The New York A.C. serves a sumptuous dinner, and Ernie, who is a member, refused to allow anyone to pick up any of the tabs. He mentioned it was his hobby to collect them, so we all had a wonderful farewell party for the returning Shreveport couple. And many thanks to Dottie and Ernie Rauscher.

The mailman brought welcome news . . . **LT. JOSEPH D. USINA** took unto himself a wife, Patricia Ann Mix . . . the event took place at St. Olaf's Cathedral in Oslo, Norway . . . the date was Saturday, November 21 . . . congratulations and best of luck to you and to your wife, J. D. . . . your secretary received a beautiful Christmas card early in December from **FRANK J. CURRAN** (M.D.) with a return address of 7779 Medical Det. G. A.P.O. 227, c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y. . . . Frank Curran is a First Lt. in the Marine Corps . . . a note from **RAY BADDOUR**, our treasurer, states that out of a possible 374 dues-paying members, we have received contributions from 110 . . . not too good a picture when you consider all the effort that has been put behind this all-important project which is the backbone of our coming reunion. . . . **MELVYN P. TOMBER**'s address in South Bend is 509 E. Milton Street . . . those who have sent in their dues this past month are **BILL GRANT**, **BILL WRAPE**, **MATT ROMEO**, **E. VERNON FROST**, **MELVYN TOMBER**, **THOMAS MCCOUGHEY**, **JOHN J. DOWLING**, and **MICHAEL J. GARRY**. . . . saw **JIM CLYNES**, **HARRY WALTERS**, **JOHN O'ROURKE** and others at recent New York Club meeting . . . congratulations from the class to **BOB GRIFFIN** who was recently engaged to Miss Elizabeth Musante.

From Mary Agnes Grant, wife of Bill Grant: "Just seems busy husbands take much additional going after. Sorry we are among late doers, so I'll get this off for Bill. Just now we're extra busy with two boys—one almost 2½ years old, and the other almost a year—and building a



OREGON—The club luncheon in honor of Most Rev. Loras T. Lane, '32, Auxiliary Bishop of Dubuque, was held in Portland. Left to right: Bill Schmitt, '10, Foundation Governor; Rev. John J. Walsh, '30; Bishop Lane; Rev. Michael J. Gavin, C.S.C., president of University of Portland; and Judge Frank J. Lonergan, '04.



ST. LOUIS—Head table at the Communion Breakfast included (left to right): Mrs. O'Neal, Club President James J. O'Neal, Father Thomas O'Donnell, C.S.C., guest speaker from Notre Dame, Mrs. Griffin, Foundation City Chairman John J. Griffin, Jr., Mrs. Hinsman and Breakfast Chairman Oliver A. Hinsman.

house. Bill's Advertising Manager for a large wholesale bakery here in Erie, Ohio."

From Bill Wrape: "Sincere apologies for being so tardy with the enclosed dues. I know we'll all be rewarded with a big turnout for the reunion in '55. Thanks again for your patience, and best regards to all of the class." (Bill, thanks for the dues and for the good words. I note that your new address is 507 North Palm, Little Rock, Arkansas. We certainly do hope we get the whole gang out for that reunion now only a little over a year away, and we are working hard toward that end. See you then. Regards. Al.)

From Lt. John Brozo, USN: "So many times I have wanted to sit down and write, but never seem to get around to it. I like your plans for a joint reunion (the WHOLE class of '45, including the NROTC). I think I was the only RO to go into the Regular Navy after World War II. I haven't seen many of the old gang since then.

"At present I'm an exchange fighter pilot with

the 42nd Fighter Interceptor Squadron at International Airport, Park Ridge, Illinois. Will be with the Air Force for a year flying F-86's, then back to the Navy. Wife and family have remained in Jacksonville, Florida. Count me in on next reunion. My best to J. D. USINA, and the rest of the boys."

From Joe Romeo, brother of Matt Romeo: "This letter is to inform you of the whereabouts of one of your no doubt lost members of the ND class of '45, my brother, Matthew P. Romeo. I am enclosing \$1 to cover Matt's dues and thought I would send you his present address so you and the Alumni Office can contact him direct from now on. I also want to send you additional information about him.

"Matt graduated from St. Louis University's Medical School in 1946 and has been in the Navy ever since. He was stationed in California most of the time but is now serving in Hawaii, where he will be for a couple more years. He holds a Lieutenant's rank, is doing fine, is married and has three children—two girls and a boy. Here is the present address where I hope you will have all his alumni mail sent: Dr. Matthew P. Romeo, 209 Plantation Drive, Honolulu 18, Hawaii.

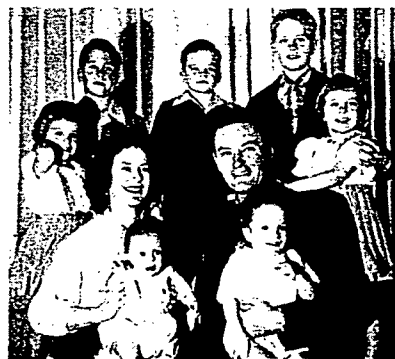
"I think this just about covers everything. Hope this letter has helped you bring another sheep back into the fold. I plan to enter ND myself next September." (Joe, thank you very much for your thoughtfulness in writing. I have noted Matt's address, as well as sent it on to Notre Dame so that the Alumni Office puts it into their own records. We'd like to wish you the best of luck while attending Notre Dame. Naturally, guided by our own experience, we don't think you will ever regret having picked such a school as Notre Dame. Again, good luck, Al.)

From E. Vernon Frost: "Just a note along with my dues. Please address all correspondence to my home address, 5916 S. Kings Road, Los Angeles, California. Recently I arrived at Commander Service Forces, Pacific Fleet here in Hawaii, as Assistant Technical and Engineering Officer in the Pacific Command Petroleum Office. As collateral duty, will probably be coach-player of the CinCPac Fleet-Com Serv Pac basketball team. Your letter had difficulty catching up with me since previous to July I was in the Far East as Administrative Asst. and Aide to

Rear Admiral Ragan on General Clark's HQ., F.E.C. staff.

"If plans go as scheduled, next May 8th will find me in Los Angeles at which time I will be anxious to return to Sales and Engineering in the petroleum, steel, and related industries, again representing possible Eastern, Midwestern, or Gulf Coast companies with coverage throughout California. I hope to join the class in '55, and personal thanks to you as secretary, Al, for keeping us posted the past years on so many of the fellows."

From Tom McCaughey: "Enclosed please find my dues. My delay is inexcusable, but believe me, Al, my intentions have always been good. It sounds like our reunion in 1955 is bound to be a big success. I'm looking forward to that. "Your letters have been very enjoyable, and,



Dr. and Mrs. Roy Pinelli, '40, Colma, Calif., Roy Jr., Tony, Tim, Marianne, Catherine, David and John.



KANSAS—Alumni Club session at the Carlin Ranch, Salina, Kan. Left to right: Al McLean, John Carlin, Dr. Fred Gans, George Cole and Norb Skelley (standing).

even though you took 'party-poopers' like myself to task, I believe that I deserved it and can only say that I shall try to be more co-operative in the future. Wishing you and the class the best of luck, I'll sign off for now." (Dear Tom, thanks for the dues. If you follow through with your plans to make the 10-year reunion you'll get the dues plus interest back, and add to the general merriment. From all early indications, it's going to be short of colossal, and that's a promise!! I see you have offices at 332 South Michigan Avenue, Chicago 4, Illinois. Good luck to you, AL.)

From Frank Curran: "The swiftness with which my address changes is unavoidable. Uncle Sam, you know. Sorry. It must be very frustrating for the bill collectors. Have been in Germany for three months now. Expect to return next June. There's only one thing that Europe has which is superior to the USA. JIM CLYNES would agree that the CATHEDRALS are beautiful. Have been over most of Germany, and to Copenhagen, Stockholm, Oslo, and Lisbon. Have not met one ND man yet. If there are any in the Frankfurt area, please drop a note to Frank J. Curran, 1st Lt, M.C., 7779 Med. Det. G. APO 227, Kaiserslautern, Germany (or c/o Postmaster, New York).

"In addition to my medical duties here, am coach of the football team. So far we have a similar record to ND—3-0-0. Best to all."

From Bob McCarthy: "Please pardon this hastily scribbled note. Regarding your letter of September, as far as I'm concerned, there is no reason for apologies. Your 'Party Poopers' letter was correct. Sorry I took so long, but here is the dollar finally." (Thanks for the vote of confidence, Bob, and for the dues. AL)

From Bob Griffin (to Ray Baddour): "Enclosed is a check to cover my dues. I sincerely feel that it is a small amount which will provide all the class of '45 much more in memory of those wonderful years at Notre Dame. I am tardy in sending in my dues, so I can't say very much, except that the least we can do is give all our cooperation in the tremendous work ahead. Good luck and be assured you will have my complete cooperation now and always."

From Rudy Anderson (to Ray Baddour): "I am never the first to get these things in, but sooner or later my 'social secretary-spouse' is always sure to prod me into activity. I am glad to hear from various sources that you are quite happy that you have had a chance to locate up there in Cambridge. I can't get too complimentary about it because, if any of the M.I.T. individuals around here heard me comment to the good, my complete line of joshing attack would be lost. Needless to say, I hope you have all good luck in your 'professorial' capacity."

"True to my promise to Doc Hamel, I have particularly deserted the profession of research and development, and am now a patent lawyer with Johns-Manville Corporation down here in the research Center in Manville, New Jersey."

"While they accuse me of being 'an engineer gone wrong,' some of the Notre Dame Chem Engineers in this area still talk to me. I see GENE MOORE quite often. He is with Esso Standard Oil, and incidentally, is the relatively new father of a gorgeous little girl. I also saw PAUL PANDOLFI, who devotes his time to DuPont at the Grasselli Works, at a recent meeting of the New Jersey Club. Aside from the Chem Engineers, we see BILL MOORE and JOHN 'BUMP' ELLIOT quite often. I have talked to JOHN DeVRIES, who is running an electric brain for Curtiss-Wright."

"Before coming up here, I spent four years in Washington, D. C., with evening law school, the Patent Office, and subsequently the Department of Justice. Most of the time down there was spent in a figurative ND patent lawyer club with DAN O'DONNELL, LARRY WINTERS, JOE KEVLIN, and CLAYT TODDY—we voted HUGH WARD, Washington Sales Engineer for Fairbanks-Morse, an honorary membership in our club."

"That's about all the news I can think of, Ray. I would be very happy to see you if you happen to be down in this vicinity and are

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WALTER MONACELLI, '38

As manager of the Patent Section, Koppers Co., Inc., Walter Monacelli, '38, has the responsibility for all matters pertaining to patents, trade-marks, and copyrights of Koppers. He supervises a staff of eight patent attorneys.

Walt also received a Ph.D. degree from Notre Dame, in addition to a Bachelor of Science, in 1941, and graduated from the DePaul U. School of Law with a J.D. degree in 1945. He is the second of three Monacelli brothers to attend Notre Dame—Al graduated in 1934 and Carl finished his pre-dental studies in 1943.

Following his graduation from Notre Dame, Walt worked as research chemist with Atlantic Refining Co., in Philadelphia and the Sherwin-Williams Paint Co., in Chicago. Thereafter he was with Industrial Rayon Corp., Cleveland, prior to joining the Koppers organization.

Walt is married to Miriam Johnson of Atlanta, Ga., and they have two daughters, Linda, 4, and Janet, 2.

free around a meal time. Regards to yourself, to Al, and to the class." (Rudy's address and phone number for those living in Jersey, is: 42

Madison Avenue, Fanwood, New Jersey. The phone is Fanwood 2-8040.)

From Francis M. Guiney: "Enclosed please find my dues. I'm sorry for being so late. I received your letter at the end of September and now hasten to send in my dues. Regards to all." (Thank you for your dues, and I want to tell the rest of the class that your address is 247-43 Seventy-Seventh Crescent, Bellerose, Long Island, New York. Best regards, AL.)

From Miss Nancy Coffey, sister of Michael Coffey: "Enclosed please find a check for \$1 to cover the class dues of my brother, Michael J. Coffey." (Mike Coffey is presumably still in Germany, although I had thought he would be back in the USA by this past March. If anyone has further word, please send it on to me. AL.)

From Ed LaRocque: "I want to get off your 'delinquent list' so I'm enclosing the sought-for buck. I hope the rest of the class was a little better than I in paying as soon as requested."

"I don't have much in the way of news for you. I got out of the Navy a year ago this October and have been back working in Fort Wayne with International Harvester Company since that time. Naturally, living about 70 miles from the campus, I went to several of the games this Fall. If you get down around this way, do look us up." (Dear Ed, thanks for the invitation to look you up. I certainly will should I get near enough. Thanks also for the dues. I note your new address is 1529 1/2 Spy Run Avenue, Fort Wayne, Indiana. Good luck, and we'll be seeing you at the 10-Marker. AL.)

From Vince Laurita: "I received your letter of September and hope I can renew some of your faith in mankind. I too must belong to that group of 'non-dues payers,' but I have somewhat of an excuse. Twice within the last year we have moved and in that space of time have received little correspondence and no issues of the ALUMNUS. However, I believe most of the fault is mine since I probably overlooked sending a change of address card. Enclosed you will find my dues."

"I noticed you asked for volunteers from the South Bend area, and since we have established residence here, and looks as if we might be here for some time to come, I will be glad to help in any way at all. Another thing of special interest to me concerns the NROTC reunion, as I am a member of that 2nd NROTC graduating class. I had heard rumors that we might hold our '35 reunion with the balance of the class, and when you confirmed it, I was most happy with the news. I certainly do like the idea."

"I have been here in South Bend a little over a year now. I am working at John Adams High School as a teacher and also coaching football (backfield assistant) and track. I have seen some thirty or more fellows from our class in this past year, who have dropped in to see a game or who were just passing through town. I am anxiously awaiting the opening of ND's home schedule so I will get the chance to see some more of the old gang. Seems I have said enough, AL. Any way that I can help, I will be glad to. Give my regards to all." (Dear Vince, thanks for the enthusiasm. You are being put on my list of possible future manpower so that I will call upon you as the plans develop, should I need you. Some of the points and questions which you brought out in your letter are best answered directly by mail, so I have not printed the whole letter. You'll be hearing from me very shortly, and I know that you will be happy with what my answers will be. Good luck to you. I note that your new address is 738 Sylvan Lane, South Bend 19, Indiana.)

From Mike Garry: "Your correspondence has always been well-received and now I hope you continue even though I am making my dues-payment. The Garry family now includes an eight-month-old daughter, Mary Jane, and the Grain Business is still trying to provide for them: With best wishes to you and the class." (Congratulations, Mike. As long as you have a favorable balance of trade with the grain business, you have no worry. When the children start eating more than you have to sell, then you better beware. Good luck. AL.)

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JOHN A. MATOUSEK, '32

Announcement has just been made by the Baker-Raulang Co., Cleveland, O., industrial truck and tractor manufacturer, of the appointment of John A. Matousek, '32, as vice-president and general manager. He will be responsible for all activities in the company's operation.

John is also a director of the Baker-Lull Corp., in Minneapolis, Minn. He is a member of the Society of Automotive Engineers, Cleveland Chamber of Commerce, Shaker Heights Country Club and the Notre Dame Alumni Club in Cleveland.

Joining Baker-Raulang in 1949 as manager of manufacturing, John was named to a vice-presidency in this division in October, 1951. Before his association with the Baker-Raulang Co., John was manager of the Detroit Division of the Hupp Corp.

From John J. Dowling: "Enclosed is my check for class dues. I must explain WHY you haven't heard from me. My present address is my fourth in less than two years, and it is a miracle that your last communication has been forwarded to me via Newport, R. I., Devan, Pa., and Philadelphia, Pa.

"I have been out of the Navy (the reason for the California and Newport addresses) for 8 months, and am now back in my residency in Orthopedic Surgery. Will be at the State Hospital for Crippled Children, Elizabethtown, Pa.,

until July, 1954, when I return to Jefferson Hospital in Philadelphia. My home address will be 106 Rolling Road, Carroll Park, Philadelphia 31, Pa."

From Ray Baddour: "A couple of weeks ago I was home (North Carolina) and saw SAM RIZK there. He is making lots of money, is still single. JIM BUTLER dropped in on me here in Boston on business. He stayed with me a couple of days and it was nice seeing him again for the first time since 1945. He, too, looks swell and is doing very well as a metallurgist for U. S. Steel Corp. As far as the class dues picture goes, we have collected just under 29% of the present maximum. Let's hear from you." (Dear Ray, thanks for the news and the fact that we still have a lot of waiting to do until some of the class begin to feel like sending in their dues. First chance I get I'll be up to Boston as there are several things I want to talk over with you concerning some of the embryo plans for our future reunion. See you soon. AL.)

I want to state once more—for any of the class who are still in doubt—that the '55 reunion will be planned for the WHOLE class, including all the men who attended or graduated with our class, and including the whole NROTC group. Special functions will be planned exclusively for NROTC participation, and a plan is being worked on now that will leave a whole floor for NROTC within the hall assigned for '45 returnees. The important thing will be that the majority of the reunion will be a concentrated effort to have everyone meet everyone, renewing old friendships, and talking about all the things that have happened since we all parted way back in 1945. More details as they develop. For the time being, best of luck to all of you and to your families. S'long for now . . . AL.

1946 Jack Tenge, Jr.
35 Hughes St., Apt. 2,
Hartford, Conn.

JAMES A. EGAN has been appointed Chicago district sales manager for the Magnavox Company.



Lts. Don Strasser and Leroy Leslie, both of the '52 class, are with the Fifth Air Force in Korea.



KANSAS—J. E. Foley, '40, alumni club president, presents \$25 award to Hilarette Skibinski, of Marymount College, Salina, Kan., for winning a designing contest sponsored by the club.

1947 James E. Murphy
408 So. 25th, Apt. B-2
South Bend, Indiana

LYNN R. BRYAN, a Beverly Hills, California, newspaperman, reports seeing several Notre Dame men at a reunion in the Biltmore Hotel on the weekend of the Southern California game. Among those mentioned: MIKE HINES, an attorney in Las Vegas; JOHN KELLY with the FBI in Los Angeles; JACK YOUNG, West Coast publisher's representative; JIM WHELAN who practices law in Fresno; BILL FULTON who is in the outdoor advertising business; MIKE IVERS who is in the television field; and ROBERT NUEGARD. Bryan says he occasionally sees JACK ZILLY who is a liquor salesman and JOE CAMPBELL who operates a department store in Santa Monica.

CHARLES YAKEMONIS is now teaching in Shenandoah, Pennsylvania.

That's all the news this time from the men of '47. Let's hear from more of you for the next issue of the ALUMNUS.

1948 Herman A. Zitt
126 Farmside Drive
Dayton, Ohio

Dr. GORDON R. McKINNEY has been appointed an Assistant Professor of Pharmacology in the medical school of West Virginia University.

JOSEPH T. KIVLIN, JR., has joined the Research and Development Division of S.C. Johnson & Son, Inc., as Assistant Patent Attorney.

RICHARD F. KAYSER recently received a Ph.D. degree from the University of Cincinnati and has accepted a position in the research and development laboratory of Linde Air Products Company of Tonawanda, New York.

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JUNE 11-12-13

1949 John P. Walker
826 Wing Street
Elgin, Illinois

The circular and the class roster which was sent to all '49ers announcing the five-year reunion June 11, 12 and 13, 1954 netted a whole mail bag full of news as well as about thirty early birds who have signed up to be there. Your secretary appreciates the many offers to help on the reunion committee. JOE DOYLE has accepted the task of being the South Bend representative of the reunion committee. Those in the South Bend area who would like to work with Joe may contact him at the South Bend Tribune. Suggestions will be gratefully received from '49ers as to what kind of a program they would enjoy for the three-day reunion. The program usually includes a class Mass, a class dinner, possibly a softball game with the ten-year class. There is, of course, the Alumni banquet in which all the reunion classes participate. Let me know what you'd like most. Here's a list of those who have said they would attend for sure:

ROBERT M. CIANCHETTI, CARLOS J. CORONA, JOSEPH S. COSTA, WILLIAM E. DACEY, WILLIAM F. DANIELS, JAMES J. DOUGHERTY, JOSEPH A. DOYLE, THOMAS F. HANLON, THOMAS A. HYNES, THOMAS J. KELLY, RICHARD J. KOPF, OTIS P. LAMBERT, CARL A. LIEBSCHER, WILBUR L. LOCKE, THOMAS J. MCGUIRE, JR., ROBERT J. MACKIN, MARTIN A. MATICH, EDWARD J. MEEHAN, WILBUR F. MILLER, EUGENE J. O'NEIL, FRANCIS B. PARISE, ROBERT A. POISSON, CHARLES A. ROULT, GEORGE E. SCHROADER, JOHN E. SENYČKO, JOHN P. SHEEHAN, SYDNEY E. SIMPSON, JOHN F. SULLIVAN, ALEXANDER S. TOTH, FRED R. VEIT, JOHN P. WALKER, JOSEPH B. WOERTH, CHARLES M. WOODS.

Others who replied and who are interested but unsure of attendance include: LAWRENCE S. CONNOR, EMMET R. DALTON, WILLIAM J. GORMAN, J. RICHARD LAMERE, DANIEL D. REARDON.

JIM DOUGHERTY who is employed with the Elder Manufacturing Company of St. Louis came up with a good suggestion in his letter: "If each member of our class would personally write or contact only five fellow '49ers, the fellows he knew best, telling of his intention to be in South Bend for the reunion, I think our attendance would increase." Periodically your secretary will issue a listing of who intends to be present.

JACK SULLIVAN's letter reached us too late for inclusion in the last ALUMNUS. Jack is out of the Army now and is presently employed with the Rockford Wholesale Paper Co., Inc. He was released from the Army after active duty with the Quartermaster Corps and the Army Audit Agency of the Finance Corps. Jack and his wife Gloria are living at 621 Theodore Street in Rockford, Ill.

Jack's letter also reported the activities (as of September) of several other '49ers: "ROBERT STOLZE has been with the Counter Intelligence Corps of the Army in Tokyo. JACK FRANZ acquired a direct commission as First Lt. in the Adjutant General's Corps and was stationed at the Pentagon. FRANK R. REGAN (ex '50), was a Second Lt., Army Artillery and saw action on most of the 'ridges' in Korea. JACK SWENEY is married and working at the Los Alamos, New Mexico, project."

DAN REARDON has turned out to be a regular traveling reporter. In his job with the Scott, Foresman Publishing Company he travels through 5½ states and reports on the activities of many '49ers. Dan married Ruth Bote in 1951. He and his wife and son are living at 3731 Warrensville Center Rd., Shaker Heights 22, Ohio. This is what Dan had to say: "JIM RODGERS is now living in Toledo and is manager of the Pacific Finance Loan office there. At latest count he and his wife had a little girl and another one on the way. JOE HIPPE is living here in Erie and employed by a printing firm. GEORGE KIERNAN got out of the Army and returned to Notre Dame to take Law. JIM MARTIN of Dune Acres, Ind., was married some time ago. DICK PENDERGAST was in the wedding party."

L. S. (BO) CONNOR reports that LEO BARNHORST is playing pro basketball with the Baltimore Bullets.

From FLETCHER DANIELS: "I am with the Standard-Coosa-Thatcher Co., in export sales work. BOB VERHILE is in Shiraz, Iran working as an Administrative officer with the Point Four program. Says he has about 150 Iranians working for him—or against him is usually the case."

BILL DACEY writes from Boston of his ever-expanding family: two boys and a girl with number four on Thanksgiving. Bill reports that JOHN SULLIVAN was married in June, '51, and has settled in Norwell, Mass. The Sullivans have one child and another on the way.

NORB SMITH writes from Los Angeles that

distance will prevent him from attending the reunion. He married Barbara Ann Sundling of Indianapolis and his new address is: Apt. 401, 135 N. New Hampshire, Los Angeles 4, Calif.

CHUCK ROULT is with the Automatic Sprinkler Corporation (Chicago office) and is now living in Evanston. Chuck spent 34 months in the Army. While he was in Buffalo last summer, he saw DON BUSECK and TOM HANIFIN, both '49ers, who are working there.

HARRY O'CONNELL writes from the U.S.S. Baltimore, a Navy cruiser, that he won't be able to make the reunion. The Baltimore is expected to be in European waters then. Harry is a Lt. (jg).

TOM KELLY writes from Buffalo: "I entered the University of Buffalo Law School in September '49 and was graduated in June of '52. I was admitted to the New York Bar in November '52 and since the summer of '52 have been practicing with Brown, Kelly, Turner & Symons here in Buffalo. I was married last July 11th to Phyllis M. Braun.

From Oceanside, Long Island, New York, comes word from JOHN KENNEDY that family responsibilities will prohibit him from attending the reunion. John is with the FBI and tells me that the squad to which he is assigned is practically a government Notre Dame club. Jack and his wife Kathleen have a daughter and another heir on the way.

DICK LAMERE is living in Milton, Mass., and is a reporter on the Boston Herald-Traveler.

TOM HANLON is a special agent for the Bankers Life Co., and is assigned to the South Bend office.

Also from South Bend comes word from BOB MACHIN. He has been working for Bendix Aircraft in Production Control for four years. The Machins had their third child in October.

My old Prefect and neighbor from the third floor of Dillon Hall—GENE O'NEILL—is going great guns out in Chicopee Falls, Mass., where he heads the E. J. O'Neill insurance agency. Here's what he had to say: "I plan to attend as of now . . . we are having our third some time in May so if everything is OK I'll be there. I'm secretary-treasurer of our local club and see some of the fellows. BOB CAMPBELL is married and has two children. MOE CASEY ('49 from Holyoke), is on his own in the advertising business. . . . I'm the third generation to run the business. I'm a trustee of the Chicopee Falls Savings Bank, Veterans Administration appraiser, president of the Chicopee Real Estate Board, appraiser for the Commonwealth of Mass. and have many other duties."

SALVATORE NIGRO is currently a First Lt. in the Air Force and is Legal Officer with the 518th Air Base squadron stationed at Niagara Falls, N. Y. Lt. Nigro received his law degree from Kansas City University in June, '52. He is engaged to Miss Marian Giblin of Kansas City, Mo.

BILL PFAFF has been released from the Army and has returned to his duties as assistant editor of The Commonwealth.

M. L. SMITH has rejoined the Carbology Department of General Electric, Detroit, after two years in the Marine Corps. PHIL RUSSO is opening a law office this January in Norfolk, Va.

Remember, gentlemen, as soon as you have your plans made, will you let me know about your intentions toward attending the reunion June 11, 12, 13. A postal card will do the trick.

1950 Richard F. Hahn
5440 No. Winthrop
Chicago, Illinois

Take note that our classnotes are a little sketchy this issue and it's not because I'm at a loss for words, but rather at a loss for names. Up to today, I have received only one letter



An alumni reunion in Hollywood's Brown Derby restaurant. Left to right: Mrs. Dailey; William Dailey; Mrs. Callahan; ND Sports Publicity Director Charlie Callahan; Mrs. Walsh; and Christy Walsh, Jr.



WESTERN WASHINGTON—The Club's retreat was held at St. Martin's Abbey, Seattle. Left to right: Morris E. Starrett, August R. Von Boecklin, Club Prexy Pat Goggin, George Nyere, Harry Abel and Joe Manley. Mr. Nyere died recently and the report of his death is in this issue of the ALUMNUS.

bringing in news of everyone's doings. I hope that next issue more good intentions will be put on paper and mailed. By right we should have one of the largest columns of any class for we are one of the largest classes, with over 1200 students. So come on and write, even if it's just to say "Hello."

Well now for the news. My first son, John Nugent Hahn, was born October 5, 1953 and has been showing a keen interest in all the Saturday afternoon games by yelling his lungs out. This brings our family to two now.

It's reported that BOB MURPHY and his wife Dorothy are expecting their first child some time next spring. Bob is with the Public Service Company of Northern Illinois.

RONALD B. MYRTER writes, "After receiving my B.S. in Commerce, I entered the University of Pennsylvania Law School along with JOE FARRELL, also a 1950 grad. Received my LL.B. last June and recently received good news that I had passed the Pennsylvania State Bar Examination. After completing the required six months clerkship here in Pennsylvania, I intend to begin private practice in Clearfield, Pa. Marital status is still single.

"I have some information on other 1950 graduates. JOE FARRELL, whom I mentioned above, was drafted into the Army after completing his first year in law school. I saw him last February when he stopped over on the way to Korea; he was then LT. JOE FARRELL, and he stated then that he intended to return to Penn. Law school after being discharged.

"JACK GARIEPY is now in his last year in Yale Medical school. The last I heard, my old roommate, JACK GOOSSENS, was at the University of Maryland doing graduate work in chemistry. Last winter in New York, I ran into FRANK STERNITZ in Penn. Station. He was then with a chemical firm in New Jersey. JACK CRANE is also working in the sales division of a chemical firm in Philadelphia, is married, and has two children."

BILL FLEMING married Kathryn Loosbrock in Charles City, Iowa, on November 14. TOM LOOSBROCK, '52, was the best man. JACK NEUMEYER, '52, TOM NEUMEYER, '54, and JUSTIN McDONOUGH, '54, were Bill's ushers. Other Notre Dame men present for the festivities were BILL LEEDS, '50, ROY STRICKFADEN, '52, and BERNIE ALLARD, '56. Bill and Kathy will make their home in East St. Louis, Illinois, where Bill is associated with the McGlynn law firm.

BOB KRAEMER is working in the Jet Propulsion Research Division of North American Aviation. Bob is still living at the Kraemer Rancho, Placentia, California, and is currently sporting around the Golden State in a maroon Jaguar.

the campus for the Navy and Iowa games. Bill has resigned his position with Phillips Texas in order to accept a job with National Screw and Manufacturing in Bill's home town of Cleveland. John completed his Navy tour of duty late in the summer of 1953 as a Lieutenant and is now working in Sharon, Pa.

BOB LALLY has deserted his private law practice to associate himself with a large Cleveland law firm. Bob's wife, Betsy, recently presented him with the third little Lally. Bob's new address is 18129 Parkmount Dr., Cleveland, Ohio.

BILL LEEDS has returned to the campus after his tour of duty with Military Intelligence. Bill is now studying Political Science and occupies his free time by toiling on the ALUMNUS and NOTRE DAME magazines and as a coaching assistant on the track team.

JIM (CLUTCH) HOLLOWAY visited the campus for the Iowa game. Jim has graduated from the Michigan law school, passed the Illinois Bar, and is now associated with Arthur Anderson in Chicago.

1951 Robert J. Klingenberg 1717 Penberton Drive Fort Wayne, Indiana

I got to the Pittsburgh and Navy games this year and saw some of the old classmates around.

TOM CARROLL has left the University's Public Relations Department and is now with the Dumore Co., in Racine, Wisconsin.

JACK MULDOON is in law school at Kent. BOB RAYMOND is with Shell Oil Co. in Chicago. PAT TONTI is married, has one girl, and is attending law school.

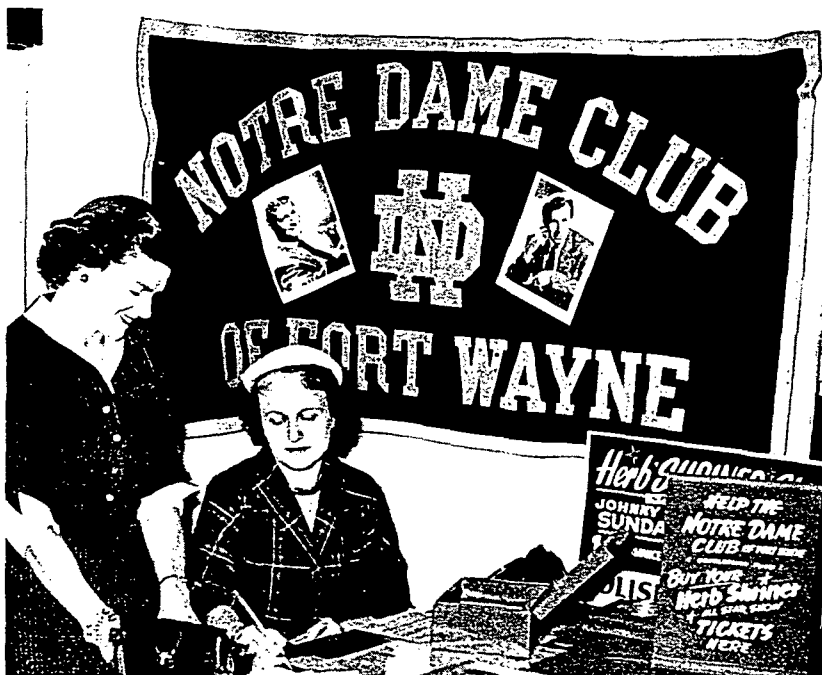
DON SONTAG and TOM MEYERS are still located in Northwestern Med School and are doing a fine job. LEO BRENNAN is still with Uncle Sam's Air Force and was about to be sent to Japan when I saw him.

DICK MacDONALD was released from the Army on September 1, and is now back in Lafayette working with his father in the classi-

TOM BENEDICT received his Master's Degree from Iowa University this summer. ROG HOSBEIN is rumored to be in Korea. Do any of his friends know his address over there?

JERRY JOHNSON stopped by the campus for a short visit recently. Jerry is now a First Lieutenant in the Air Force stationed in Rapid City, South Dakota, where he is assigned to the Joint Armed Forces Research Project. Jerry and his wife, Earline, have been blessed with a daughter, Michelle, 9 months, and expect another addition to the family by Spring.

BILL EGGERS and JOHN FERRY visited



FORT WAYNE—Mrs. Robert O'Reilly and Mrs. Arthur W. Miller, whose husbands are Bob, '43, and Art, '28, sell tickets at Herb Shriner Show for alumni club benefit.

fied advertising business. BOB HOFF is in the Army and is located at Fort Sill in Oklahoma.

BOB MORIARTY has just been released from the service and was returning home to Montana with his new bride. JIM NACTECHAL has also been released from the service and was at the game with his bride.

TOM MCGEE, who left Notre Dame after his junior year, is now back on campus after serving three years in the Coast Guard. Tom writes that BILL McDERMOTT passed the Illinois Bar Exam this summer and is now with Arthur Anderson in Chicago. BILL MacMILLAN has passed the Ohio Bar. TOM KELLEGHAN, who was released from the Army in the Fall of '52, is back at ND studying law. JACK HADDIX, who was in pre-med and who left in 1950, is back studying philosophy.

HOBE TAYLOR is back from 18 months service in Korea and is in the School of Foreign Service at Georgetown University. He is residing at 3003 P Street NW, Washington, D. C. JACK McCARTHY, 3742 Stannard Dr., Toledo, Ohio, was released from the Air Force on July 17 and is now in the law school at Ohio State. His school address is 4 East 12th Avenue, Columbus, Ohio.

STACE HOY, a good friend of many members of our class and who left school in 1949, writes that he is still associated with his father in the dry cleaning business. He further writes: "I married a lovely Irish colleen by the name of Lorraine Flanagan. We have two small boys, Stacy William, III, 19 months, and Patrick Joseph, 7 months. Both look like likely candidates of about 1971." Stace's address is 1719 Lane, Falls City, Nebraska. Thanks, Stace, and the best of luck to you.

WALT COLLINS, 207 Cricket Ave., writes that on July 10 they were blessed with W. Robert Collins, "who has taken advantage of every opportunity since to let us know that he is still around."

Frater Basil, O.S.B., alias VERNON BURKHART, writes that he made a profession of his simple vows last January 15, and is now in his second year of Theology. Also studying with him are DAVE HOGAN and MIKE DIEHLE, for the Sioux City and Tucson dioceses respectively. They are in their third year of Theology. JOE PARKER, '52, from Louisville, is also studying with them. JOE SCHIDLER, '51, is in his third year of seminary life at St. Meinrad's. BILL KLEE is attending Ohio State University and his address is 317 Brevoort Rd., Columbus 2, Ohio. JERRY LABOE married a South Bend girl, Miss Joan Riordan, has a son, and is working as a Civil Service personnel investigator. Jerry's address is 4871 Overland Parkway, Toledo, Ohio. DON KREBS is in his third year of Theology at St. Paul Seminary in St. Paul, Minnesota. ART MARGRO joined the Franciscans at Loretto, Pa. BOB BRANDEL is preparing himself for the role of lay catechist and intends to go to Nigeria, Africa, with his good friend Michael Abdul-Ockpon when Mike returns home. Bob's address is 325 Lincoln Way West, South Bend, Indiana. BILL O'CONNOR studied at the Holy Cross Novitiate at Latrobe, Pa., and is now in O.C.S. at Fort Belvoir, Va., where he has bumped into TOM HUBER. Bill asks for our prayers to help him know and follow God's will. Bill's address is William O'Connor, U.S. 52252993, Class 64, Co. C, Fort Belvoir, Va. Vern states that he believes that

JOHNNY O'BRIEN is in the seminary of St. John's, Collegeville, Minn. Vern's address is Frater Basil, O.S.B., Conception Abbey, Conception, Missouri.

MIKE DIEHL followed up Vern's letter with two more addresses for us: JIM BATES, who is studying law at Georgetown, Apt. 706, 35 E. St. NW, Washington 1, D. C.; and BROTHER ERNEST (ART) MARGRO, F.O.R., Franciscan Fathers, Mt. Assisi Monastery, Loretto, Pa.

LEO MCKILLIP viewed the Southern Methodist game while on a weekend visit to the campus and reported that he is currently studying for a master's degree in education at the University of Nebraska.

DON SCHILDER reports that he is now an Assistant Resident in Internal Medicine at Georgetown University Medical Center and is engaged to be married this coming spring. Don often sees JOE COSTA, JACK SANDERS, JACK ARGUE and many other Notre Dame men.

PHIL CANTWELL will always consider 1953 a red letter year as his Joliet Catholic High (Ill.) football team rolled through to an undefeated season.

HENRY M. SHINE, JR., LL.B., has been appointed Assistant to Commissioner Robert G. Storey on the Commission on Organization of the Executive Branch of the Government—popularly known as the "Hoover Commission." His appointment became effective in November, 1953 and Henry has relinquished his dual post as Administrative Editor, Oil and Gas Reporter, and Director of Publications of the Southwestern Legal Foundation in Dallas, Tex. Henry's new address is: Hoover Commission, General Accounting Office Bldg., Room 3118, Washington 25, D. C.

1952 Harry L. Buch
309 Fisher Hall
Notre Dame, Indiana

I am at this writing sorry to inform you of the death of one more member of our class. LEONARD R. SIMONS, JR., died July 4, 1953, as the result of a fall while hiking on Mt. Hassel in Greenland where he was stationed with the Air Force. Remember him as well as ANDY HERNON, BOB HERLIHY and WAL-LACE BUTLER in your prayers.

Heard from JACK J. MAYL, who is an Ensign in the Navy, stationed with the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts in Cleveland, Ohio. He tells me that GENE RILEY is an Ensign on the U.S.S. Grand Canyon. BARRY HAYNES, AL BLOUNT, JERRY STEIS, BERNIE LYNCH, and HARRY HAGERTY are all Ensigns in the Navy. JOHN J. COLEMAN, JR., is an Ensign on the Midway. TOM TIERNEY was drafted in November. He is married to Margine White, a former employee of the Library. Many thanks for the news, Jack.

HUGHES WILCOX is a Second Lieutenant in the Air Force and is planning to be married to Margie Walker in a few months. DAVE WILMOT has been in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii with the Navy since March.

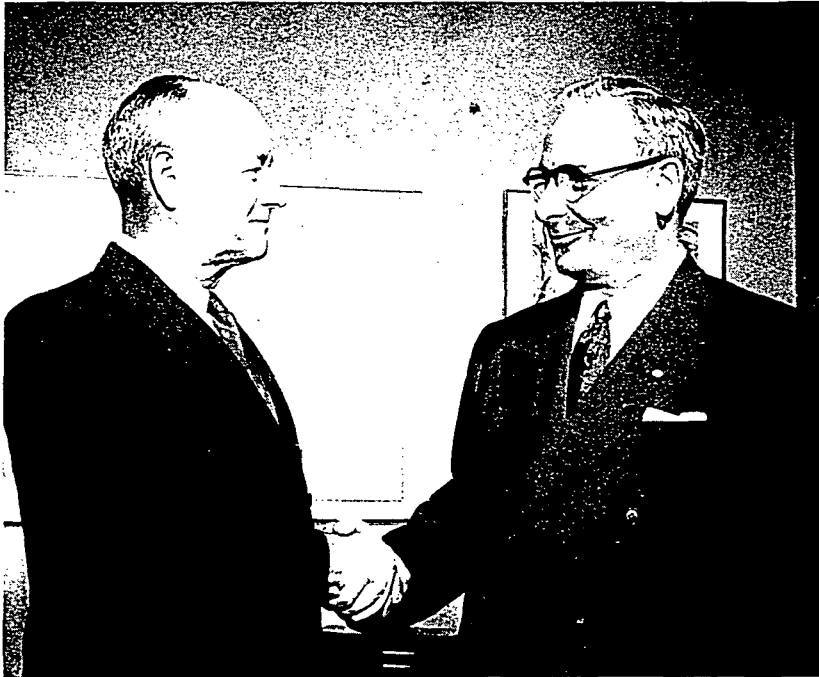
GUY GADARDO is working for Ford Motor Co. in Cleveland, Ohio. MATT KERGER is working for the United Boiler and Tank Co. in Hammond, Ind. JACK CAREY is working for Peoria Caterpillar Co. in Peoria, Ill. BOB BRUNS is working for Williams and Co. in Cincinnati, Ohio.

ED GRAY is an Ensign in the Navy. He has just returned from Cuba and is now stationed in Philadelphia. PHIL MEYER, Ensign, is stationed in Pensacola, Fla. ED KRUPPS is in the Army stationed at Fort Riley, Kansas. TOM DUNLEY and PETE GARVEY are in the Army and are stationed in Alaska. JOE GOULDE is an Ensign and is stationed in Guam.

CARL EIBERGER is attending the Notre Dame Law School. He represented ND in the National Moot Court Argument and is also the Editor of the Lawyer.

VIC KROEGER is working on his Master's Degree in English. While here he is teaching in the Commerce School. The Kroegers live in Verville and have a little son, Mark, born in April.

Heard from Lt. JACK H. WENNING. He is finishing up an instructors course in Jets at



Linus C. Glotzbach, right, who was graduated from the law school in 1934 cum laude, is vice-president and assistant to the president of Northwest Airlines. He was awarded a 10-year service pin by Croil Hunter, president and general manager. Linus organized the airline's personnel and labor relations department in 1942 and still heads it. He directed the staffing of extra wartime projects when more than 13,000 persons were on the payroll. He also supervises the flight food service along a 20,000-mile system coast-to-coast, to Hawaii, Alaska and the Orient, in addition to company cafeterias.



George Winkler, Jr., '30, is vice-president and regional director, Eastern Division, of the National Furniture Warehousemen's Association. He also is treasurer and general manager of John Winkler's Sons, Inc., Far Rockaway, Long Island, N. Y.

Craig A.F.B., Alabama, and will return to Forbes A.F.B., Texas, to begin instructing after the first of the year. Lts. JACK WAGNER and DON MAHRT are at Webb A.F.B., Big Springs, Texas, finishing up basic single engine jet training. Lt. BILL DONELAN completed multi-engine training at Vance A.F.B., Okla., last month and is now in B-29 training at Randolph A.F.B., San Antonio, Texas. Jack tells me that they ran into each other at Webb last month and staged a real four-man reunion.

A/2c H. E. (GENE) WAGNER is an Air Force medic stationed in Minneapolis. Lt. GEORGE MCCLANEY, U.S.M.C., was last reported at Cherry Point, N. C. He was married last September to Carolyn Clayton. Lt. LEONARD (LEVI) DREW is also with the Marines at Cherry Point. Lt. JIM GARVIN at last report was somewhere in France.

GEORGE L. HEIDKAMP, now a Lieutenant serving with the Marines in Korea, is the proud father of a baby girl born in November. LARRY LAPINA has just completed his basic training in the Army at Fort Riley, Kansas, and hopes to be stationed somewhere in Indiana.

CHARLES W. FALKENBERG, JR., in law school at Northwestern, is engaged to Mary Ann Haselsteiner. TOM SOULES is in the Personnel Department of I.B.M., Poughkeepsie, N. Y. He married Joan Murphy of Gardiner, N. Y., in October. BRIAN DUFF married Florence Ann Buckley of Des Moines on November 28.

ED WERLE is working on his Master's in History and teaching Economic History in the Commerce School. CHARLES HANDS received an M.A. at Penn, and is now back here doing further work in English. HUGH SCHADLE, HANK CUSHING, and JOHN GREEN are all doing graduate work in English. DAVE BROWN, who was drafted in his junior year, is now out of the service and is back in the Commerce School. CONNIE HIGGINS is in Law School and from all reports has done quite well in the C.P.A. exam. He has passed three parts and has only one more to conquer.

GEORGE FAILEY is working for the Arthur Anderson Accounting Firm in Charleston, West Va. JOE PFAFF received his Master's Degree in Education in August and at present is working in Cleveland, Ohio. LEO STEPANIAN is to be married on December 26 to Pat Lancaster of South Bend. TOM MATTHEWS is in Medical School at Georgetown and JOHN MINCH

is working for the government in New Mexico. Brother ROY CHERRIER, S.M., has been appointed head of the Adult Education Department at St. Mary's University of San Antonio, Texas.

1953 Thomas W. Reedy 511 Monroe Avenue River Forest, Ill.

Since the last writing, your reporter has received his Navy commission and orders and is now in Navy Supply Corps School in Bayonne, New Jersey. I expect to be transferred to Athens, Georgia in January.

Dropped in on LEN LeROSE at his father's coal company. Len has tentatively signed a contract with the Brooklyn Dodgers but it is dependent on whether or not he'll be drafted before next summer. Len tells me that JOHN-NY FORTINO married a hometown gal about October 1.

CHARLIE RITTEN spent the summer working in Chicago at the Board of Trade before entering Navy OCS at Newport in the November class.

Ran into ROG BRAUN at the Georgia Tech game. He played semi-pro ball this past summer in Wisconsin and is employed at the West Bend Aluminum company. His cousin, HUGH BRAUN, is currently studying law at the University of Michigan.

Also saw EM DAKOSKE and his wife JoAnn. Emory is working in Detroit as Office Manager for the O'Keefe Beer Company.

TOM HASSENGER is studying at Iowa University—taking up a motion picture course there.

The Georgia Tech weekend was a last fling for MIKE McKINSTRA—he was scheduled to report to the Army three days afterward.

BILL KELLY plans to finish up at ND this January and enter the Navy soon thereafter. Bill's singing the blues about "that old gang of mine" that isn't there no mo.

The JIM BLACKBURNs had their second this fall. Blackie's already signed young Jimmy up for Commerce in 1958.

DICK PETRARKA and JIM FOLEY are both doing graduate work at DePaul University in Chicago.

JOHN HAUCK, DON ROSS and VINCE RAYMOND are among the many 53 grads still on the campus studying Law.

BILL UNGER is entering Navy OCS this winter.

On the field in the Pensacola crack drill team between the halves of the Geo. Tech-ND game was CHARLIE WILSON. Charlie entered Pensacola three days after graduation.

DON CURTIS is employed in Chicago at the Glidden company and expected to enter the Army on Nov. 10.

Saw TOM O'BRIEN, who's passing out cigars on the arrival of their first—a 6-lb. 8-oz. baby girl. Tom has his own Nash agency in Indianapolis.

DAVE AUGSBERGER is currently stationed with the Navy in Pensacola where he is in pilot training.

Some of the Notre Dame boys stationed here at Bayonne are: RON WONG, BILL DONALDS, PAUL FARMER (who is engaged and expects to be married this spring), BILL DEMPSEY, JERRY KEELEY, DAVE McELVAIN, AL ELLSWORTH, BOB TRIPENY, and AL PANDO. All ensigns now.

EDDIE McCARTHY — now Lt. McCarthy, U.S.M.C.—was seen taking command in the Biltmore lounge over Thanksgiving. Ed's still at Quantico in officer basic.

Among the 50-odd (?) Notre Dame men of '53 now in Quantico are: TOM FOOTE, BRIAN KELLY, JOHN JOE O'CONNOR, AL KOHANOWICH, BRENDAN CRYAN, MORT KELLY, JIM WEITHMAN, MIKE BEGLEY, JOHN CAMPAGNONE, GEORGE HIGGINS, JACK CAHILL, BOB DYER, GEORGE DESMETS, and JACK POWERS.

LOU KRAFTT just entered the Army as did JOHN WALSH.

GEORGE BLUBAUGH is scheduled to be married this spring.

LARRY McKIM is working for the Mutual

SPOTLIGHT ALUMNUS



J. HARVEY DALY, '28

A nationally-known expert on human relations, J. Harvey Daly, '28, is Industrial and Public Relations Director of Giant Food Department Stores, Washington, D.C. Harvey teaches a unique course at American University called "Supervision in Industry Public Relations." He is in great demand as a speaker by leading professional organizations and luncheon clubs in Washington.

The Notre Dame Alumni Club there gave him the 'Man of the Year' award in 1950. He has done graduate work at Columbia and George Washington Universities. This past November, Harvey was featured on a panel at the National Industrial Relations Conference, which was sponsored by the U. S. Chamber of Commerce and several other organizations.

Before coming to his present position with Giant Food Stores, Harvey was with Wright Aeronautical Corp., Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States, American Express Co., and the National City Bank of New York.

Life Insurance company in Omaha, Nebraska.

Ensign TOM MANGAN has been ordered to Port Hueneme, Calif., with the Civil Engineers Corps of the Navy.

Lt. GEORGE CUSICK, who was commissioned at graduation as a lieutenant in the Marines, was wounded in action in Korea shortly afterward and is now recovering in Bethesda Naval Hospital. George is well on the way to recovery. In fact he even got permission last weekend to take in the Army-Navy football game in Philly.

JOE HARRISON was drafted and is now training in an army tank outfit in Indiana.

Ens. DICK MOLOKIE is stationed in the South Pacific—no one seems to know exactly where.

SOMMERS McTEIGUE is working as an engineer in Stamford, Conn.

News item from New York City: PAT (HEAD) DREW has been drafted and will pick up his rifle and serve his country well.

Ensign JIM THULIS was married Nov. 18 in Chicago to Virginia Grady. Unfortunately Jim's orders read Yokuska, Japan for which he left immediately after the honeymoon. JOE PAGLIARI, a law student at Northwestern, was all set to be best man at the Thulis wedding but in a touch football game a few days before the wedding was roughed up by PAT (KILLER) MONTROY and received a triple jaw fracture. Whereupon Pat obligingly stepped in and was best man at the wedding.

CLAUDE ZUBA and LARRY O'MARA both entered the army Dec. 1.

JOHN FITZGERALD is now with the Army stationed at Fort Dix.

CLAIRE TRINKLEY is back at ND in law school as is JIM KELLY.

Ens. GENE BERGIN is stationed in Norfolk, Va., on shore duty.

BILL MERRIMAN is completing his studies at the University of Niagara.

BILL REEVES is a student of Law at Cornell.

BABE CARLSON is currently in OCS Newport

Officer training as is BOB MUNNS.

TERRY BRETT is studying graduate geology at the University of Arizona.

Also down at Arizona is JOE BABBITT who is studying Law.

JERRY ELLSWORTH is employed as a junior accountant in Chicago by the Arthur Anderson public accounting firm.

DON CARBONE is employed in Evanston by the Standard Rate and Data Advertising service.

BILL ERMAN is studying at M.I.T. under a teaching fellowship he received in organic chemistry.

Ens. PAUL RUPP is stationed on Guam as a Naval officer with TOM CANTWELL.

BENNY SUPLICK is doing grad work at Fordham.

Ens. JERRY O'CONNOR will be stationed in Japan in February.

RAY KORZEN is working for an insurance company in Chicago while he awaits his Air Force orders to report to Lackland A.F.B. in Texas in May.

Ens. JIM BUTLER is stationed on the U.S.S. Krishna.

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JACK CLARK is at Fort Dix where he is in training to be army audit specialist.

AL DeCRANE will, by the time you read this item, be a member of the U. S. Marine Corps in Quantico, Va. Al spent some time at the Holy Cross Fathers Novitiate, Jordan, Minn., following graduation and later returned to work with the Notre Dame Foundation. His commission as a Marine officer came through just before Christmas.

JOE STADLER is working in Erie, Pa., in his father's foundry. STEVE KENDRA is attending medical school in Philadelphia. ED KENNEDY and PAT ROSS are studying graduate phy ed at Penn State. BOB NIQUETTE and JOHN SENG were recently drafted.

GEORGE HELFENSTEIN was present for the



Tom Hughes, '37, is now district sales manager for Continental Can Company's Paterson, N. J., area.

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