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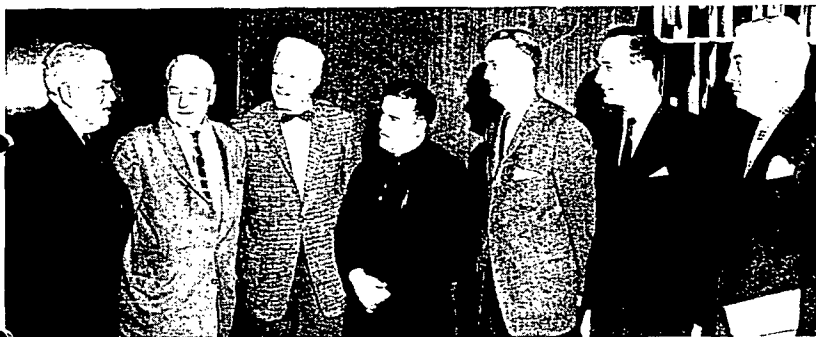
Taking a momentary breather from a crowded agenda at the Morris Inn on campus are most of the participants in joint meetings of the Alumni Association Board of Directors and the Biennial Class Secretaries Conference, held January 14-17.

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At the January meeting of the Alumni Assn. Board of Directors, newly elected national officers conferred with the Alumni staff: (l. to r.) Executive Secretary James E. Armstrong, '25; Fund Vice-President Paul J. Cushing, '31; President John C. O'Connor, '38; Club Ambassador Rev. Thomas J. O'Donnell, '41; Honorary President William E. Cotter, Jr., '41; Club Vice-President James H. Sheils, '35, and Class Vice-President Joseph R. Stewart, '22.



Huddling with the new Alumni Assn. president are three of five new national directors at the winter meeting: (from left) William P. Mahoney, Jr., '38, of Phoenix, Ariz.; President O'Connor; Maurice Carroll, '19, of St. Louis, Mo.; and George Connor, '48, of Chicago. Not shown: Harry Mehre, '22, Atlanta, Ga., and John Dempsey, '49, Philadelphia, appointed to complete the term of the late Charles Rohr, '30.

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* Appointed to fill the unexpired term of Charles E. Rohr, '30, deceased.

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LIBRARY APPEAL TO



The old University Library, completed in 1917, is still an imposing structure, but —

In the months ahead you will hear detailed plans for the new Notre Dame Library.

This is a background story, predicated on the listing of the proposed Library in the new Ten-Year Program, and on Father Hesburgh's announcement in December that construction can no longer be put off. Here are the basic factors at present:

1. The new Library is an urgent need.
2. It will cost a minimum of \$6,000,000.
3. It will probably house a minimum of 1,500,000 volumes.
4. It will in all likelihood provide study space for more than 2,000

students at one time.

5. It will increase facilities for faculty and graduate research.
6. The President of the University has appointed a Faculty Planning group under his academic assistant, Rev. Philip Moore, C.S.C.
7. The University has employed an architect who is studying the project.

The present University Library was dedicated in 1917, when college enrollment at Notre Dame was 1,207. At that time the University had no graduate school. It listed under 40,000 books.

The new Library, then, actually provided a long-range capacity of a little over 400,000 volumes (contemporary estimates were optimistically higher). It provided study space for more than a fourth of the student body.

Now, the University lists over 380,000 books in the Main Library and 537,000 all told. Its enrollment is just under 6300. Its graduate school enrolls some 700 students in both study and research. Its residence halls house over 4000 undergraduate students in increasingly demanding curricula which dictate ever increasing facilities for material and concentration.

For forty years the intellectual life of the University has progressed through the vision and generous provision of men like Father John A. Zahm, C.S.C., and Rev. John W. Kavanaugh, C.S.C., under whose leadership the present Library was constructed.

In the light of the challenges and the opportunities which face Notre

In Memoriam

JOSEPH MARTIN BOLAND, '27

The officers and directors of the Alumni Association join the University in expressing shock and sorrow at the loss, on February 26, of Joseph M. Boland, better known to thousands of Americans, young and old, as "Joe." Truly "the voice of Notre Dame" to countless sports enthusiasts, he was described by his classmate, columnist Walter W. Smith, as the most competent sports broadcaster in the business. More important, he was a fine citizen, a great Christian gentleman, a true Notre Dame man and with the late Jack Lavelle, '28, among the University's outstanding ambassadors to the nation. To his family, profound sympathy and a pledge of continued prayer.

SPEARHEAD UNIVERSITY PROGRAM

Early Announcement Launches First and Most Urgent Building Project of \$66 Million, 10-Year Plan— New Library of Which All Alumni Can Be Proud

Dame today and in the years before us, University leadership would be less farsighted and less prudent than its predecessors if it did not recognize the urgent and key part that a new and adequate Library must play in Notre Dame's progress.

Father Hesburgh, Father Joyce, Father Moore, Librarian Victor Schaefer, and others, have been visiting other college and university libraries, and listing the facilities which a new Library at Notre Dame must encompass.

Father Hesburgh's decision to announce the project and intensify all our efforts stems from his conviction that further delay will only interfere with the total advancement of Notre Dame education.

In his announcement, Father Hesburgh offered to spearhead the effort to secure at least three million dollars from special sources if Notre Dame alumni would double their own generous efforts and secure a like amount. With six million dollars, he announced, the building of the New Library will

begin within a year.

Father Hesburgh expressed the hope that the alumni quota might be assured within a maximum period of three years—a million dollars each year.

You know from the fine record of our Alumni Fund that Notre Dame men have made total contributions of over a half million dollars each year for the last ten years.

You also know that this generous amount has come from only one-half our alumni membership.

You know that the number of larger gifts has been increasing. But you also know that the great majority of alumni contributions still remain under \$25 a year.

We have said, and we repeat now, that the necessarily small gift is a deeply appreciated gift and has great inherent value apart from its amount.

But we bring up the present pattern because past performance and the proven generosity of Notre Dame alumni indicate that this giant step forward is definitely attainable.

No other building, no other purpose, no other tie, is as universal for alumni as is the Library.

The Library is to the intellectual life of the University what the Church is to its spiritual life and the Stadium to our athletic traditions.

If we meet with the enthusiasm and the understanding and the effort and the generosity we anticipate, the project will succeed outstandingly.

It will call for a much higher percentage of alumni participation—we're aiming at 100%!

It will call for an annual average gift substantially above the present figure of \$56.

But these goals are attainable here, as they have been attained elsewhere!

We will use all the familiar means of acquainting you with the story and enlisting your help—direct mail, the ALUMNUS, NOTRE DAME, the Clubs, the Classes, and most of all personal solicitation. We will need many more of you to enlist in carrying this story personally to the increased numbers who must respond, and for the increased gifts they must give.

There will be memorial opportunities of an outstanding nature and variety for individuals, for Clubs, for Classes, for disciples of the many great men whose names are linked in the history of the Library at Notre Dame.

This will be the Story for 1960, 1961 and 1962 for Notre Dame men everywhere. We feel confident of the happy ending.

But this is the beginning—"Once upon a time"



Its reading rooms were operating at capacity in this picture taken twenty years ago.

Editorial Comment

from your
Alumni Secretary

I want to talk to you about the new Library.

At last, I am an authority! In 1917, when Notre Dame was observing its



J. E. Armstrong

Diamond Jubilee, the Aunt with whom I lived in Niles was an ardent fan of James Cardinal Gibbons. So a somewhat disinterested high school sophomore came with her to Notre Dame to see Cardinal Gibbons and the array of dignitaries who provided the "spectacular" of our history to that date. That was when the present Library was dedicated, a sparkling limestone commitment to the growing intellectual excellence of Notre Dame.

In the fall of 1921, when that Library was still new, I entered Notre Dame as a freshman journalist, and began long and memorable hours in the basement of the Library, which was the journalism classroom.

As a day-dog from Niles, I had no place else to go—thank God—and in the hours out of class I was exposed to many bonus hours with a great scholar and a true gentleman. Doctor John M. Cooney, head of the journalism department.

Because in those days after World War I space was also at a premium, and enrollment bursting at the seams with 1500 students, the large basement rooms of the Library brought me economics under Father William Bolger and history under Father Bill McNamara. Out the windows I watched the Log Chapel wedding parties, mostly alumni.

I remember Father Paul Foik, the first librarian, sitting with his cigar like a Holy Cross Buddha on the steps of the Library. I remember him happily, because he was a friend of Professor Cooney, and because his nephew Ted Bullard was a day-dog like me, and I came well recommended.

I remember the impeccable successor to Father Foik, Father Laurence Broughal, as disturbed by detail as Father Foik had been unmoved by it. Looking back, I suspect it was the combination of their talents that provided the

scholarly and orderly development that followed.

I remember the first issue of the ALUMNUS I edited, January, 1926, because it contained a feature story on the expanding Wightman Art Galleries, which were a vital and heralded part of the Library. They rounded out an impressive center of learning that gave the entire campus the confidence of culture.

I remember the gentle and scholarly Paul R. Byrne, who retired in 1958. He succeeded Father Broughal as Librarian and as curator of the University Art Galleries. When he was succeeded as Librarian by Victor Schaefer, the present Librarian, Paul remained as curator of the new Art Galleries in O'Shaughnessy Hall until his retirement. He was not the first lay Librarian. One of Notre Dame's legends is Professor James "Jimmy" Edwards, who, for fifty years after the death of Father Lemonnier, served as director of the Notre Dame Library, and was one of the great collectors of Church history in the U.S.

But this was the Library that "accommodated 100 students in each of its spacious wings," the Library that Paul Byrne watched grow from 39,000 books in 1922 to more than ten times that number at present—a number overtaking now the farthest horizon envisioned by Father Zahm and the other planners who produced the imposing 1917 building.

Now there are 6200 students, many of them in a graduate school which did not even exist in 1917, all of them driven by the competition of minds to a more intensive use of library facilities. The fraternity of the residence halls is an asset in itself, a liability to concentration for individual study, arguing urgently for facilities for "ten times as many students" to use the ten times as many books.

These are reminiscences sparked by the news of the imminence of the new Library. Details and statistics will come to you soon, urging your interest and support.

Nothing Notre Dame has projected has a deeper interest for me. I hope that all of you, in some way, remember what the Library has meant in the past. Then we can count on your support to ensure its essential part in Notre Dame's future.

Class Secretaries, New Alumni Board

A new decade dawned with several new challenges to a newly constituted Alumni Board, new national officers and a Class Secretaries body newly resolved to serve the men of Notre Dame.

The new directors, as announced in a bulletin last issue, are Maurice Carroll, '19, St. Louis, Mo.; George Connor, '48, Chicago, Ill.; William P. Mahoney, Jr., '38, Phoenix, Ariz.; and Harry Mehre, '22, Atlanta, Ga. All but Mehre were on hand for installation at the winter meeting beginning January 14, along with Philadelphia's John Dempsey, '49, constitutionally appointed to serve the last year of the term vacated by the death of Charles Rohr, '30. Narrowly outdistanced were Raymond A. Geiger, '32, Lewiston, Mo., manufacturer and editor of the *Farmers Almanac*; Rodger Huter, '40, Louisville, Ky., industrialist; Raymond T. Miller, Jr., '51, of Cleveland, Ohio, state senator; and Stephen W. Mulvey, '51, New York businessman.

An early order of business was the election of the following Alumni Assn. officers for 1960: President John C. O'Connor, '38; Club Vice-President James H. Sheils, '35; Class Vice-President Joseph R. Stewart, '22; and Fund Vice-President Paul J. Cushing,

'31. Outgoing President William E. Cotter, Jr., '41, will serve as honorary president for the coming year, and James E. Armstrong, '25, was re-elected executive secretary for the 34th consecutive year.

Board business included reports of the standing committees, progress on which will be reported in future issues, but the most pressing issues were discussed jointly with the biennial Class Secretaries' Conference, which was attended by the following: Walter L. Clements, '14, South Bend; James E. Sanford, '15, Chicago, Ill.; Grover F. Miller, '16, Racine, Wis.; Charles W. Call, '18, Hasbrouck Heights, N. J.; James H. Ryan, '20, Rochester, N.Y.; Louis V. Bruggner, '23, South Bend; James R. Meehan, '24, South Bend; John P. Hurley, '25, Toledo, O.; Clarence J. Ruddy, '27, Aurora, Ill.; Louis F. Buckley, '27, New York City; Lawrence F. Stauder, '29, South Bend; James T. Doyle, '31, Evanston, Ill.; James K. Collins, '32, Shaker Heights, O.; T. Edward Carey, '34, Rocky River, O.; Franklin C. Hochreiter, '35, Baltimore, Md.; Joseph P. Quinn, Jr., '37, Andover, N.J.; Burnett C. Bauer, '38, South Bend; James N. Motschall, '39, Detroit, Mich.; James G. Brown, '40, New York City; James

Theme, 'The Notre Dame Family' Opens Door to Many and Varied Types of Program on This 37th Observance in N.D.'s 172 Local Alumni Clubs at Home and Abroad

Prestige and public relations —

The high standing which Notre Dame enjoys at present in both these vital fields has come, in substantial measure, from the spotlight which is annually turned on the nonathletic phases of Notre Dame through the increasingly fine programs of our Local Alumni Clubs.

(It seems trite, but is important, to repeat that the athletic phases of Notre Dame are equally respected and have contributed greatly to both these areas, but are eminently qualified to develop themselves through a press and public which have long met Notre Dame's teams more than half way.)

This year — 1960 — marks the 37th occasion of the universal observance of a tribute to the academic, cultural and spiritual phases of the University, planned by the Alumni Association in 1924 when the late John Neeson, '03, was national president, and Alfred C. Ryan, '20, was the Alumni Secretary.

The Alumni Board, especially the Committee on Prestige and Public Relations, has devoted much time to the Night, because it has become one of

the great annual vehicles for bringing the tremendous progress of Notre Dame to the community level through the Clubs.

One reason for the success of U.N.D. Night has been the growing strength, loyalty and enthusiasm of the Notre Dame family — alumni, their families, the loyal football fans, the local school people, the Catholic leaders in the community who know the value of the Notre Dame men in their organizations, the corporation executives who number Notre Dame alumni among their employees, the fewer but outstanding Laetare Medalists and Honorary Doctors whom Notre Dame has honored, coaches who have competed against

Parents who have led the community in sending sons to Notre Dame or who have been outstanding in Notre Dame programs locally should be recognized.

The long-time friends who have patronized Notre Dame games, who have been the backbone of the football trips, should not be forgotten on this Night.

The Notre Dame athletes, and their local coaches, have been a colorful and distinctive part of the Notre Dame family — and while the Night theoretically is nonathletic, certainly this family identity of our athletes is a proper and a distinctive Notre Dame asset. Here, too, we make room for our competitive coaches of the teams

Universal Notre Dame Night--1960

Notre Dame, and others who find themselves in the growing world of Notre Dame activity.

In 1960, your Alumni Board and the Committee on Prestige and Public Relations proposes to dedicate the 37th observance of Universal Notre Dame Night to this Notre Dame Family.

In addition to a deserved recognition of those who have made this great contribution, the broad nature of the dedication also opens the door for unlimited variety in the Local Club program.

Some Clubs will honor outstanding local alumni. Some will honor the past Club Presidents (as many Clubs have done).

Some Clubs will feature distinguished Laetare Medalists or Honorary LL.D.'s for their Notre Dame affiliation.

Local educators who have done part of their graduate work at Notre Dame, or who have sent boys to the University from local high schools through their counseling, can be spotlighted.

Heads of corporations which have employed alumni, who send interviewers to the campus, who sponsor research, scholarship or fellowship programs at Notre Dame, can be appropriate guests.

on our schedules, the heads of institutions with whom we have enjoyed rivalries, and the sports writing fraternity, who have given generously in molding so much of the great common denominator of Notre Dame spirit.

Your speakers from the campus, where you have them or need them, will pursue this general theme, but are unusually open for individual contributions to a great Universal Notre Dame Night.

A NEW SUMMER CAMP

The Holy Cross Fathers in the East announce the opening of a Camp for boys, ages 8 to 14, this summer of 1960. The name of the Camp is Camp Sebalk (pronounced "Sa-bay-ick") and is located on the shores of Lake Sebago in Maine, 25 miles from the City of Portland. The Camp Season will begin on June 25, and end on August 20, 1960. The Camp Periods will run from two weeks to eight weeks. Camp Sebalk will be staffed by Holy Cross Priests, Brothers and Seminarians, plus a competent Lay Staff. The Rates will run as follows: Two-week Period, \$150; Four weeks, \$300; Full Season (8 weeks), \$550.

For further information, write to: Rev. Joseph N. Hanna, C.S.C., 835 Clinton Avenue, Bridgeport 4, Conn.

in Busy Schedule

F. Spellman, '41, New York City; William Mark Hickey, '42, Chicago, Ill.; John L. Wiggins, '43, La Crescenta, Calif.; George A. Bariscillo, Jr., '44, Bradley Beach, N.J.; Alvaro V. Lesmez, '45, Garden City, N.Y.; Jack Miles, '47, South Bend; John P. Defant, '48, South Bend; Richard F. Hahn, '50, Glen Rock, N.J.; Robert J. Klingenberg, '51, Fort Wayne, Ind.; John P. Deasy, '56, Chicago, Ill.; Arthur L. Roule, Jr., '58, Notre Dame; and John F. Marchal, '58 Law, Greenville, O.

The sessions were visited by Fathers Theodore M. Hesburgh, Edmund P. Joyce, John H. Wilson, James E. Moran, Louis J. Thornton and Thomas J. O'Donnell, C.S.C., and Survey Director John F. X. Ryan, for reports on the Administration and Notre Dame Foundation, admissions, placement, athletics, the Notre Dame Clubs and preliminary studies of the Alumni Self-Study Survey, which will be reported in detail in later issues. Secretaries also discussed the ever present problems of the ALUMNUS, Class organization, etc. But the topics of the greatest immediacy, upon which this abbreviated issue concentrates, were discussed by both bodies.

News of the NOTRE DAME LAW SCHOOL



Conference on Civil Rights

A one-day conference on the recommendations of the Civil Rights Commission and on civil-rights measures pending in Congress was held at Notre Dame on Sunday, February 14, under the auspices of The Law School. The Conference was arranged to provide the occasion for an exchange of views between legislators and law teachers from Indiana and the neighboring states of Michigan, Illinois, Kentucky, Ohio and Wisconsin, and others professionally interested in the problems involved.

The subjects considered were: Protecting the Right to Vote, Assisting School Desegregation and Equal Opportunity in Housing. These topics were introduced by brief preliminary statements by Professors Wofford, Ward and Broden of the Notre Dame Law Faculty. The rest of the time was devoted to questions and comments by the participants, the discussion being led by Congressman Brademas.

In opening the Conference, Dean O'Meara said: "America is equal opportunity or it is nothing: not equal opportunity as regards this or that, but equal opportunity in every area of American life. In all frankness, I do not see how an American could seriously challenge this proposition. We have our differences as to method and timing, but the central idea, the affirmation of equal opportunity for all, is not only part of the American dream but a built-in and essential feature of the fundamental law of the land. That is a postulate of this Conference. We

are met to consider how best to bring the promise of the Constitution to fulfillment.

"On this day, Sunday, a day on which many of us are expected to concern ourselves in a special way with spiritual values, and in these academic surroundings I hope we will be able to lay aside prejudices and partisan considerations, and approach this important subject with as much objectivity as humans are capable of.

"I hope the Conference will contribute to a better understanding of the difficult legislative problems involved, and will be helpful both to law teachers and to those in positions of public responsibility."

The Conference was attended by members of Congress from the states mentioned above. Governor Williams of Michigan was present and Governor Handley of Indiana was represented by his administrative assistant. The Commission on Civil Rights was represented by Father Hesburgh and Commissioner George H. Johnson. Also present were Mr. John D. Calhoun, Assistant Deputy Attorney General, staff counsel of the congressional committees having to do with civil rights legislation and representatives of the major organizations concerned with civil rights.

Father Hesburgh addressed the Conference at a luncheon in the Morris Inn.

Labor Union Power

A Symposium on Labor Union Power and the Public Interest will be held at the Notre Dame Law School in April. It will involve a critical examination of the extent of the power of labor unions and an assessment of the consequences of this power in terms of the public interest, followed by consideration of possible legislative action. Australia's experience with compulsory arbitration and Canada's experience with the less drastic method of compulsory conciliation will be examined.

In announcing the Symposium, Dean O'Meara said: "It seems clear to me, as I expect it does to most people, that excessive power is now lodged in the great national labor unions. I think it is time to look at the matter squarely and candidly and ask ourselves what should be done now that unions have over-compensated for their early weakness. This seems to me all the more necessary since the United Steel Workers demonstrated that they are more resolute, if not more powerful, than the steel industry and the United States Government combined.

"It is our purpose to avoid, so far as possible, any bias in favor either of unions or of management. We do not feel called upon to speak for either side. What we do want to do is to focus attention upon the fact that there is a third party involved, namely, the public — the most important party, actually, though its interest is seldom adequately represented and is apt to be ignored."

Professor Charles O. Gregory of the University of Virginia Law School will preside, and the following have agreed to participate: Professor Archibald Cox, Harvard Law School; Professor Charles H. Livengood, Jr., Duke University School of Law; Professor Bernard D. Meltzer, University of Chicago Law School; Professor Sylvester Petro, New York University School of Law; Mr. Gus Tyler, International Ladies Garment Workers Union, New York City, and

The 1959-60 scholarship drive of the Notre Dame Law Association is drawing to a close and we are highly gratified by a 40% increase in the number of donors. This drive saw a 14.7% participation against 9.7% last year. While we did not equal the 25% boasted by the University of Virginia Law School, we did make substantial progress. Receipts to date are, nevertheless, below the record of \$32,478.51 of last year. To those who have not yet sent in their checks I say: please do so TODAY so that we can exceed the results of last year.

One of the most rewarding aspects of the drive has been the enthusiasm and zeal of the area chairmen throughout the country. To each of them and to all who contributed, on behalf of the Association, my grateful appreciation!

Albert H. Monacelli
President,
Notre Dame
Law Association

Professor David McCord Wright, McGill University, Montreal, Canada.

Moot Court

The final argument in the Annual Moot Court Competition was held on October 17, 1959. The Court which sat on that occasion was composed of: Justice Harold H. Burton of the Supreme Court of the United States; Judge Alfred P. Murrah of the United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit, and Judge Paul C. Weick of the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit.

The students who presented arguments before these distinguished jurists were: Mr. William B. F. Custer, Fredonia, New York; Mr. Don R. Gardner, Cincinnati, Ohio; Mr. Paul H. Titus, Bradford, Pa., and Mr. Lawrence D. Wichmann, Erlanger, Ky.

Mr. Titus was adjudged the winner. He and Mr. Wichmann represented the School in the Regional Competition in Chicago, where they lost by one percentage point.

Judge Desmond

Honorable Charles S. Desmond, Chief Judge of the New York Court of Appeals and a member of the Law Advisory Council, has been designated one of Buffalo's 10 Outstanding Citizens by the Buffalo Evening News. Congratulations!

New Judges

William B. Lawless, Jr., '44L, of Buffalo, was elected to the New York Supreme Court in November, and William J. Nye, '55L, was elected City Court Judge in Elkhart, Indiana. More recently, John F. Marchal, '58L, of Greenville, Ohio, was appointed County Court Judge by Governor DiSalle.

Gray's Inn

Detroit Police Commissioner Herbert W. Hart, '31, visited Notre Dame as the guest of The Law School in December. He addressed a meeting of Gray's Inn on "The Problem of Extra-Legal Arrest."

Faculty Notes

Professor Rollison has been invited to address the members of the Bar in the five counties of Western New York in May. He will discuss estate planning.

Professor Wagner is on leave of absence. He has a Fulbright Lectureship and is spending the year at the University of Paris and other European universities.

Professor Ward was a delegate to the National Conference on Judicial Selection and Court Administration in Chicago in November.

Professor Wofford was one of the participants in a civil rights seminar at the University of Buffalo in December. Senator Javits presided and the participants included, besides Professor Wofford, Chief Judge Desmond of the New York Court of Appeals, a member of the Law Advisory Council, and Judge William B. Lawless, Jr., '44L.

Dean O'Meara delivered a public lecture at the Yale Law School in February. His subject was "Natural Law and Everyday Law." He has been appointed one of the American delegates to the Conference of British, Canadian and American law teachers in New York next September.

Report from the Armed Services

The following is quoted from a letter from Edward F. Broderick, Jr., '56L, who, upon completing his tour of duty, recently entered practice with his father in Morristown, New Jersey:

"Notre Dame lawyers who have chosen the Air Force Judge Advocate Department as a full time career are Mark Tolle, '55L, of Dallas, and Vince Raymond, '55L, of Detroit. Carl Eck, '56L, has extended his two-year term for an extra year. Bill Fagan, Joe Gallagher, Otto Hilbert, Pat Foley, Joe Gormley, Jack Roberts and myself, all of the 1956 class, have served three-year terms with the Air Force JAG Department. John Strickroot, Vernon Teofan, '57L, Ed Lewis, Dave Wilson, '57L, are former Notre Dame law students who are in Army and Air Force JAG jobs. Jack Callahan, '59L, was in our fall JAG School for new military lawyers in October."

Appointed

Robert H. Michand, '51L, has been appointed Counsel for the Bendix Missile Section of Bendix Aviation Corporation, with headquarters in Mishawaka, Indiana.

Following is a paragraph from a letter from a 1959 graduate:

"Review courses are fine, but it soon becomes apparent that the bar examination is passed on your legal education prior to the review course. 394 candidates took the examination, and no one was as adequately prepared as the five from Notre Dame. There is no comparison between our legal education and what they received at their respective schools. The differences were amazing."

MAN AND THE MOMENT

by Rev. Thomas J. O'Donnell, C.S.C., '41

The importance of the alumni and the alumni clubs in higher education and in the destiny of a university cannot be overrated.



Father O'Donnell

The late Chancellor Samuel Copen of Buffalo said: "In the long run the alumni of American universities are responsible for what each institution becomes. They constitute the dominant group of citizens. . . . As such, they hold the ultimate destinies of the universities in their hands." Another university leader phrased it this way: "The ultimate continuing strength of a university rests with its alumni. . . . They are the keepers of the tradition, preferred stockholders of the enterprise, the mark of its accomplishment."

It is good for us, as Notre Dame alumni, to pause in our busy lives and reflect on what it means to be alumni from the campus of Our Lady. It is good for us as alumni to consider our privileges, our obligations and our opportunities.

The privileges that are ours as alumni:

(a) *The learning* we acquired. This may not be as much as we would like, but the fault could be ours that it is not more. Certainly the school had a good faculty. They made us work whether we liked it or not. It was a dedicated faculty and they knew what was best for us. It is a privilege to have knowledge, to have had a chance to stand on tiptoe and reach for learning.

(b) *Spiritual growth*. To know how to make a living is important, but it is also important to know how to live well. The habit of prayer and the faith that is ours are privileges.

(c) *Friendship*. There is no need to dwell on this. Many memories are delicately wrapped in our college days. We carry these with us. The mention of a town brings back a smile and a story. A privilege indeed to have had and to have such friends.

(d) *Prestige*. The name of Notre Dame adds to our stature in business and in social life. We are not just "grads" from any old college . . . we are Notre Dame men.

These are but a few of the privileges that are ours. You can meditate on others that I have not mentioned. But as you do so, do not lull yourself to sleep in a cozy sense of well-being. A privilege implies an obligation that almost flows from the privilege. The obligations that follow:

(a) *To continue our learning*. This is a vast field that is getting more and more attention. Some call it Great Books; others refer to it as Adult Education. No matter what the title, the fact is that our education and learning should be coextensive with life. We will talk of this at greater length another time.

(b) *Spiritual growth*. In a brilliant world where laughter rings out and heartbreaks are inaudible, others look to us so that they might believe. Whether we are Catholic or not, we have the obligation to be unafraid to practice our faith.

(c) *Friendship*. As members of the Notre Dame family we owe to the household. It is not enough, as a true son, to eat, to read, to run. A house needs care. A family needs care. As children of the campus we owe more than chummy palaver and idle words. This is another point we will develop at length at another time.

(d) *Prestige*. Just as the name of Notre Dame helps us we must help the name of Notre Dame. We have an obligation to better ourselves. By doing so we affect others' judgment of the campus. It is very important to a waiting world to wonder about Notre Dame. We have the obligation to add to the name of Notre Dame, to add to her position as a great place of learning.

I have mentioned only a few of our privileges and obligations as men of Notre Dame. It is easy to make full use of the privileges. It takes courage and strength to live up to the obligations. But the joy of living and the fullness of living — these are ours as men of Notre Dame.

ALUMNI CLUBS

UNIVERSAL NOTRE DAME COMMUNION SUNDAY

Twenty-second Observance on December 6 Set a New High in Number of Clubs and in Serious Approach to Theme, "The First Amendment"

The January meeting of the Alumni Board was featured by an expression of commendation to the Local Alumni Clubs from the Religion and Citizenship Committee for the widespread and effective manner in which Universal Notre Dame Communion Sunday (Dec. 6) was built this year around the general theme of "The First Amendment," a timely and significant factor in consideration of the relationship between religion and citizenship in the United States.

You will recall that this custom was begun in New York City in 1938, on the Sunday nearest the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, Patroness of the United States, to develop a closer understanding of the religious roots of our government. It was quickly adopted by the Board as a universal program of merit. Your study of the Club reports will indicate some of the great developments in its observance, and will document the Board's decision to continue to urge a central theme for the 1960 U.N.D. Communion Sunday, Dec. 11. The theme will be selected at or before the June meeting of the Board and the Clubs informed.

Alabama

The Notre Dame Club of Alabama takes pride in the fact that a distinguished member and last year's N.D. Communion Breakfast speaker, Father BRIAN EGAN, O.S.B., was selected as one of Alabama's "Outstanding Young Men" and a candidate for national honors by the Alabama Junior Chamber of Commerce. Father Brian, president of Cullman's St. Bernard's College, is the first priest to gain this kind of recognition in the South. One of the reasons for the award was St. Bernard's predominantly Baptist enrollment.

Atlanta

Congratulations to Atlanta's own HARRY MEHRE, '22, on his recent election to the national Alumni Board of Directors. Keep tuned to local channels for announcement of the stellar lineup for Atlanta's sixth annual Universal N.D. Night.

Baltimore

With a Notre Dame Communion Breakfast and other affairs under its belt, the Baltimore Club is now pointing toward U.N.D. Night. Secretary "Bullet" BOB WILLIAMS has not divulged the details at this time, but President CHARLES NORTON and the committee will doubtless announce them at home.

Boston

The announcement of not one but three Cardinal Cushing Scholarships to Notre Dame... the proclaiming of a truly "eminent" honorary alumnus, RICHARD CARDINAL CUSHING (LL.D. '48), as Boston's N.D. Man of the Year... a serious appeal by the Cardinal for Notre Dame men to "be active for the preservation of this nation under God in these critical times" of space exploration and cold war... these were highlights of the 22nd annual Notre Dame Communion Sunday as observed by the Notre Dame Club of Boston. Chairman TIM TOOMEY, '30, described it thus:

"There were more than 200 alumni and guests at the Mass in Holy Ghost Chapel and breakfast in the auditorium of the Paulist Information Center... WILLIAM E. DACEY, '49... announced the naming of the Boston Club scholarship in honor of the Cardinal... His Eminence was presented to the audience by myself... designated as Man of the Year... The citation lauded him as a champion of peace, educator, and a prince... who brought great honor to Notre Dame... The Cardinal also received an N.D. monogram blanket.

"The serious side of the Cardinal's talk was re-

lated by the press. On the lighter side, he told the audience he never received a formal college degree... He recalled his visits to Notre Dame with great pleasure and spoke affectionately of his admiration for JOHN CARDINAL O'HARA who was appointed to the College of Cardinals at the same time Cardinal Cushing was elevated in December, 1958...

"The announcement of two additional scholarships (donated) by the Cardinal was warmly applauded... Father EDMUND JOYCE, representing Father HESBURGH, thanked Cardinal Cushing for his generosity and... gave a brief talk on present plans for expansion... at the University.

"The servers at the Mass were Peter Marr, son of HARRY MARR, '37, and William F. O'Brien, Jr., son of BILL O'BRIEN, '44. Assisting me in arrangements were CHARLES PATTERSON, '44, and BILL DACEY, '49... Cardinal Cushing presented President Dacey and myself with copies of a limited edition publication of the highlights in print and picture of his priestly career... a gift of the Armenian people following his investiture... and to me an autographed photograph...

"The Cardinal assisted MSGR. CORNELIUS DONOVAN, '09, at Mass by distributing the Blessed Sacrament to the congregation.

"We were the recipients of many compliments which we humbly and gratefully accepted on behalf of the President... Most of them seem to express the thought that this was the finest affair ever sponsored by the Notre Dame Club of Boston.

"I am deeply appreciative to Fathers Hesburgh and Joyce... and to JIM ARMSTRONG, who is always eager to assist and advise."

BILL O'BRIEN conducted a campaign for the N.D. Foundation in December, and on Feb. 19 the Club held the annual smoker at the Cambridge Boat Club featuring various sports films and many prominent athletic figures. All proceeds went to the Cardinal Cushing Scholarship Fund. Treasurer DOUG ROBERTSON, '55, was chairman.

Buffalo

The Buffalo Club has an honor roll of 25 men who have attended every monthly meeting of the past year but two. These men are the backbone of the Club. Besides their attendance at the regular monthly meetings they are the ones who support the Club functions that have Notre Dame and this Club the leaders in the area.

The Club's Christmas Dance was one of the features of the holiday season in Buffalo... thanks to the Alum-wives... The men from the Club on campus... and the leaders: Chairman DON MAHONEY... his sturdy associates MATT DUG-

THE PROMPTER'S BOX

INVESTMENT CLUB

Ever think of taking a plunge in the stock market? You can, at least in a small way, with some tips from a reputable broker and enough interested N.D. Clubbers (with pocket change) to form an investment club. Jack Dempsey, '49, of the investment firm of Kidder, Peabody & Co., has begun such a club among Philadelphia Club members, according to their newsletter, The Pennant Jack, now pinch-hitting on the Alumni Board, is not only educating Philly investors in the difference between bulls and bears, blue chips and fly-by-nights, but picking them up some mad money to boot.

NEW MEMBERS ARE NEWS

The Indianapolis Club and others publish the Alumni Office notices on N.D. men moving into their area so that classmates and enterprising members can personally welcome them into the Club. This is supplemental to the annual welcoming of newly graduated members. Incidentally, several Clubs now have regularly scheduled newsletters through the use of various inexpensive duplicating processes. In general, they are brightly edited and offer spot news, promotion and information service that the quarterly Club News section in the ALUMNUS cannot possibly provide.

GAN, JIM CASEY, et al. . . Most everyone of the 114 dues paying members for the year 1959 were in attendance.

The Buffalo Club was honored in having Father O'DONNELL as their guest for the Family Communion Breakfast more than 180 attended, and all had the pleasure of personally meeting Father O'Donnell... The leaders included JACK ENDERS, chairman... his sturdy associates HENRY BALLING, MAURY QUINN... FRANK GAGLIONE, etc.

The Club presented three trophies in the name of Notre Dame for football supremacy in Western N.Y.: one to St. Joseph's Collegiate Institute; one to Cardinal Mindzenty in the high school division and one to Sts. Peter and Paul (Hamburg, N.Y.) in the grammar school division. The trophies were provided through the generosity of Mr. and Mrs. FRANK REPPENHAGEN, Jr., in honor of their son FRANK REPPENHAGEN III and BERNARD REPPENHAGEN, '39. JOE RYAN, '39, and FRANK NOVAK, '39, administered the program. President HENRY BALLING made the presentation.

At the January meeting President Balling expressed the feelings of the entire Club membership in thanking Club Chaplain Father F. BARATTO for the inspiring Christmas letter that he sent to all members. MSGR. GRANT was the guest speaker at the January meeting and outlined the hopes of the diocese in the building of the new area seminary. In the name of the Club a check was presented to Msgr. Grant for this seminary.

MAURY QUINN, '37, chairman of the week-end retreat at St. Columban's, Derby, N.Y., announced that there is a good possibility of having Father CAVANAUGH, C.S.C., as retreat master this year. Chairman Quinn hopes to have advance reservations for 82 Notre Dame men and their friends for this week-end retreat.

Some of the men who have declared themselves interested in the run for the Board of Directors are: JACK LAVIGNE, '49; PAT NEVILLE, '52; ROBERT WEBER, '49; JIM CASEY, '44; DICK WAGNER, '53; JIM DONOGHUE, '48; PAUL GARROLL, '48, and JOHN McMAHON, '55. The newly-elected men plus the old war horse carry-overs have dedicated the year 1960 to this theme... "The University of Notre Dame—the greatest for Leadership Training." The Board and

the Buffalo Club hope to bring to everyone's attention in the area that leadership is Notre Dame's greatest product. . .

P. S.: All men in the area who plan to return to the campus for the Reunions are asked to contact the club secretary for consolidating transportation.

—DON JACOBI, '35, Secy.

Chicago

This year's Chicago Club Scholarship Fund party took a new and unique form. The Club welcomed the N. D. University Theater into Chicago for their production of "Tiger at the Gates" by Jean Giraudoux, translated by Christopher Fry, Feb. 22 at the Eighth St. Theater. The new Women's Auxiliary, led by Mrs. THOMAS W. SEXTON, president, and Mrs. CYRUS F. FRIEDHEIM, vice president-benefit chairman, handled all arrangements.

Other officers of the Auxiliary are Mrs. PHILIP J. FACCENDA, corresponding secretary; Mrs. FRANCIS J. MILLIGAN, JR., recording secretary; and Mrs. H. GILBERT SEAMAN, treasurer. The founding committee included Mrs. CHARLES F. HICKMAN, Mrs. RAYMOND W. DURST, Mrs. TERRENCE J. DILLON, Mrs. NEIL C. HURLEY, JR., and Mrs. JOHN J. O'SHAUGHNESSY. They organized at Mrs. O'Shaughnessy's home Dec. 3.

On Sunday, Dec. 6, approximately 200 members, wives and friends attended the 1959 N. D. Communion Breakfast in the Grand Ballroom of the Sheraton-Blackstone after Mass and Communion at old St. Mary's Church. REV. CHARLES E. SHEEDY, dean of the College of Arts and Letters at the University, delivered the address and previewed Notre Dame's plans for a new Library, the most ambitious project ever undertaken.

TOM BROGAN and the membership committee have been busy compiling a new directory, while JIM JENNINGS' prep school committee and the interview committee under ED FOX have made many visits and contacts.

Calumet Region

The Calumet Club kept the Christmas budget in mind in planning the annual Christmas Dinner-Dance on Dec. 29, providing dining and dancing for only \$10 per couple. Chairman DAVID OGREN was assisted by THOMAS CLIFFORD and CHUCK PUNTILLO in arranging the affair at Teibel's Restaurant, Schererville, Ind.

Plans for Universal Notre Dame Night continue apace with the 1960 theme—"The Notre Dame Family."

Central New Jersey

The Central Jersey Club met at the Park Hotel in Plainfield in November to elect officers for the coming year. President DAN GRACE, '51; TONY GUIFFRE, '32, and JOHN REAGER, '29, serving as the nominating committee, presented the slate of officers to the membership. Elected for 1960 were JOE SEPKOSKI, '50, president; ED SADOWSKI, '51, vice president; WALT KAVANAUGH, '55, treasurer, and BILL RICHARDSON, '55, secretary. Serving on the Board of Directors will be JACK DOYLE, '38; TONY GUIFFRE, '32; DAN GRACE, '51, and JOE SIMONS, '44.

Universal Notre Dame Communion Sunday, chairmanned by JOHN REAGER, was celebrated at St. Mary's Church, Plainfield, at the 8 o'clock Mass on December 13. A breakfast followed at the Park Hotel. John, who served as toastmaster, introduced JUDGE HENRY CLEMENT, '28, the principal speaker. The affair, the first for the Club, was attended by forty alumni, their sons and friends.

—J. J. SEPKOSKI, Retiring Secy.

Cincinnati

There have been two main events in the last quarter for the Club here in Cincinnati.

We held a Communion Sunday, December 6th at Our Lady of Cincinnati College. Msgr. Carl J. Ryan, superintendent of schools in the Archdiocese of Cincinnati, spoke on "Catholic Education." We had a turnout of close to a hundred, which was far and away the best ever for this affair mainly due to the efforts of JOHN McCORMICK, '48, who was chairman.

Our other event was the "Scholarship Ball" on New Year's Eve. The chairman of this gala event was JACK FAVRET, '49, the reservations chairman was FRANK JOHNSON, '50, and the Patrons Chairman was TOM GROTE, '50. The dance was a success as usual with an even greater attendance than last year.



BOSTON—Club's announcement of a \$4,000 scholarship in honor of Richard Cardinal Cushing (LL.D. '48), guest of honor for Universal Notre Dame Communion Sunday, was topped by his announcement of sponsoring two matching scholarships. Breakfast principals included: (l. to r.) Club President William E. Dacey, Jr., '49; Chaplain Rt. Rev. Cornelius Donovan, '09; Chairman Tim Toomey, '30; Cardinal Cushing, who spoke on Catholic citizenship and was honored as Boston's N.D. Man of the Year; Rev. Edmund P. Joyce, C.S.C., '37, Notre Dame's executive vice-president, and Rev. Richard H. Sullivan, C.S.C., president of Stonehill College.

Our planning now is centered on Universal Notre Dame Night. A chairman for that affair, which will be held sometime late in April, will be appointed at the next meeting.

—BARRY SAVAGE, '54, Secy.

Cleveland

Cleveland events since the December 6 Communion Breakfast with former Law Dean CLARENCE MANION, included the Christmas Dance at the Statler-Hilton on Dec. 29, a meeting on Feb. 22 with an interesting talk on 1960 business prospects, and a retreat March 4-6 at St. Stanislaus Retreat House, Parma, O.

Connecticut Valley

The following is a brief summary of the two most recent gatherings of the Notre Dame Club of the Connecticut Valley.

A "Freshman Sendoff Dinner," Sept. 10, 1959, in Hartford, was attended by alumni, incoming freshmen and fathers. A Notre Dame movie was shown. LEN KILIAN, '52, was in charge of arrangements.

Our annual N. D. Communion Breakfast was held Dec. 13, 1959, in the Hartford Room of the Statler-Hilton Hotel in Hartford. Guest speaker, in the traditional religion-citizenship pattern, was Emilio Q. Daddario, U. S. Representative from Connecticut. The breakfast followed Mass and Communion at St. Patrick-St. Anthony Church. ROGER TREMBLAY was in charge of arrangements.

Officers for 1959-1960 are LOU BERGERON, '52, president; LENNY KILIAN, '52, vice-president; ROGER TREMBLAY, '56, secretary, and BILL WAELDNER, '43, treasurer.

—R. C. TREMBLAY, Secy.

Dallas

President JACK SCROETER announced a Notre Dame Stag Smoker featuring football films and a business meeting at the Italian Village on Feb. 23.

Dayton

Activities to date this year have included the annual Communion Breakfast in December which included an interesting and informative talk by Mr. Don Sharkey, noted Marian author, on Our Lady of Beaurain.

At Christmas our Club joined forces with the local Women's Auxiliary group and sponsored a dinner-dance at one of the country clubs.

On January 29 the Glee Club appeared here at Memorial Auditorium, and our Club sponsored a reception for them after the program at a downtown Hotel.

Plans for the future include a spring smoker, the usual Universal Notre Dame Night dinner program and, we hope, another golf stag.

We have been a bit unsuccessful in interesting the new members in town in Club activities. This has applied even more particularly to the recent graduates. We hope to devise some means for encouraging the attendance of these new potential members. With a mailing list of nearly 150 names, our Club is suffering from a lack of active participation. Perhaps one of the other club secretaries could forward me some ideas or techniques that

they have used to stimulate active interest in their Club affairs.

—GEO. A. PFLAUM, JR., Secy.

Dearborn

The Notre Dame Stag Golf Day at Glen Oaks Country Club, whistled the summer to a close but not before LEE LA ROCQUE scored a social success for thirty alumni and friends. Far was matched or sorely threatened by such golfers as TOMMY DORE, JERRY KELLY, JOHN LAKE, ED ARCY and PETE KERNAN.

The fall proved to be a busy season for the "Club." The NOTRE DAME-MICHIGAN STATE U. football trip, chairmanned by DICK KING and JACK SCHAEFER, kicked off a memorable day that saw loyal subway alumni, like STEVE SHERIDAN and BILL HETTEL, huddle with the old stalwarts JERRY GASS and JIM KING to cheer the Irish on at East Lansing.

Three general meetings, hosted by JOHN FISH SR., DICK KING and JACK COURTNEY JR., brought together many old friends and active members in EMERY DAKOSKE, LARRY DOLAN, DON HICKS, ED SNYDER and the PREBENDA BROTHERS for a pleasant and sometimes profitable winter evening.

GEORGE BALL ably headed the annual Dinner-Dance which was held in the very comfortable surroundings—the JERRY WAYNO's home. A prime beef buffet followed by an evening of dancing and conversation was especially satisfying to all, including the DICK MILLMANS, GEORGE TOBINS, JERRY SARBS, JACK FISCHERS and JACK GRIFFINS.

TOM TUCKER was host for a February meeting at which business included nominations, stag dinner plans and progress reports on membership, Foundation, etc.

—J. W. BYRNE, Secy-Treas.

Decatur

In December retiring President B. A. MARTY sent a check representing a 100% participation of regular members in the first gift to the Notre Dame Foundation from the Notre Dame Club of Decatur, Ill. December 13 was the date of the N. D. Communion Breakfast, for which JAMES UHL was chairman.

Officers and directors for 1960, who took office on Jan. 1, are: MILTON J. BEAUDINE, president; JAMES A. UHL, vice president; GEORGE H. HUBBARD, treasurer; ALLAN F. LANDOLT, secretary; WILLIAM T. DOWNING, three-year director; JAMES J. MORAN, JR., two-year director; EUGENE F. FORAN, JR., one-year director, and REV. ARTHUR D. LEBRETON, chaplain.

Detroit

January and February first Monday luncheon meetings at the Wayne Club gained impetus after the successful Communion Breakfast and Christmas Party in December.

A special luncheon party was called which echoed the traditional campus observance of Washington's Birthday. Benefit of this Washington's Birthday Party was the dwindling Scholarship Fund. An attractive door prize was an all-expense European tour or a Hillman car or a cash equivalent.

Fort Wayne

The committee in charge of the annual Communion Breakfast has arranged for an outstanding speaker for the event in the person of Rev. STANLEY PARRY, C.S.C., head of the political science department at the University. Among his varied accomplishments, Father Parry holds a master's degree from Georgetown U., Washington, D.C., and also a doctorate from Yale in political science. Father Parry spoke on aspects of the First Amendment.

This year we invited the sons of club members who are of high school age to accompany their fathers to the breakfast.

The religious part of the program was held at the Blessed Sacrament Chapel with a Low Mass, after which we proceeded to the Keenan Hotel for the breakfast.

—JOSEPH P. COLLIGAN, Chairman

Indianapolis

Two events that our fine Indianapolis Alumni Club can be proud of this year are having Father THEODORE HESBURGH as our Communion Breakfast speaker and having our own JOHN C. O'CONNOR, a '38 classmate of Father Hesburgh, as the president of the Notre Dame Alumni Association. On Sunday, Dec. 6, 1959, Father announced to us for the first time publicly his plans for the new Library. On Jan. 15 O'Connor was elected by the Board of Directors to head our 27,000-member group. While at N.D. he was president of the Senior Class and played varsity basketball. Our 1958 "Man of the Year" is with the law firm of Ruckelshaus, O'Connor & Ruckelshaus.

Our annual Football Smoker was a big success with DON DOLL, KEN ADAMSON and JIM CROTTY supplying us with info on the past season. The annual Christmas Formal was one of the best dances in recent years.

One of the many projects our Club has undertaken this year is to raise funds to send one high school graduate to Notre Dame each year. The present drive is being conducted by PAT FITZGERALD, '52. A TV set is door prize for a St. Patrick's Day benefit at our regular Thursday luncheon.

Another event will be the publication of an Alumni Membership Directory for this area. NICK CONNOR, '36, is chairman of this effort, while BILL MOONEY, JR., '57, heads the advertising committee. Featured in the booklet will be the Club history, written by CURLY ASH, '24, and pages that can be inserted as new members move into the city, keeping our directory up to date. Our last roster was printed in 1954.

The Universal Notre Dame Night committee looks forward to the most successful social evening in the Club's history and is now working hard on final plans, as is the "Man-of-the-Year" selection committee.

Other committees working very diligently for the benefit of the Club and University are the Job Counseling Committee, the Interview Committee for prospective students and the Scholarship Committee, who will announce after May 1 the award-winning high school senior.

—BILL MCGOWAN, '57, Secy.

Kansas City

Local alumni and families joined twenty thousand ND'ers on Universal Communion Sunday, Dec. 6, in a reverent tribute to our school's leadership in religion and citizenship. JOHN DAW and JOHN SEE co-chairmanned the program held at Pius X School. The comptroller of the Kansas City Diocese, Father KOENIG, outlined the role of Catholic men in the modern world, particularly in our civic responsibility.

The Kansas City By-line Club featured FRANK LEAHY and JERRY GROOM at the November luncheon. Club members present—nada there were many—were pleasantly surprised to hear from another guest speaker, Col. George B. Simre, Athletic Director of the Air Force Academy, of the impending football game in 1964 between the new "natural rivals." Since it was fall, football was in the mind and the heart of most. Therefore the traditional joint luncheon with Iowa Alums came upon us in short order. ED and TOM REARDON, JACK FRITZLEN, ED AYLWARD, Dr. D. M. NIGRO, Father A. F. MENDEZ, C.S.G., and many others celebrated the victory. JOHN MASSMAN expressed the Club's thanks for being invited and received a tremendous ovation (we outnumbered our hosts) when hoping for a similar reason to return next year.



ST. PETERSBURG-TAMPA—The Notre Dame Club of the Florida West Coast highlighted the 1959 season with a Christmas dinner-dance at St. Petersburg's Sunset Country Club under the guidance of (l. to r.) Charles Burke, finance chairman; Ed R. Miller, dance chairman; Mark Mooney, Club president; Mrs. Al Johannes, hostess chairman; Robert S. Burns, Club publicity director, and Roy Deeb, Club secretary-treasurer.

The high light of alumni social activities was the Christmas dinner-dance held in the Grand ballroom of the Hotel President. Three hundred alumni and their guests enjoyed the most successful dance in Club history. Taking bows for a job well done are JOE VAN DYE and JOE "BUD" SHAUGHNESSY. Also taking a bow was JACK HAYES' daughter and her partner due to an excellent floor show featuring an exhibition of ballroom dancing.

Former President DICK BOWES, representing the Club on campus, recently reported that JOE KUCHARICH was having trouble conforming his spring practice and travel schedule to the K.C. Notre Dame Night, but, Joe or no Joe, the Club can be sure of a stellar U.N.D. Night speaker.

—G. J. "JIM" HIGGINS, Secy.

Kentucky

REV. FOREST MACKEN was the speaker at the Universal N.D. Communion supper of the Notre Dame Club of Kentucky on Dec. 8 following evening Mass at St. Pius X Church. Father Macken is professor of theology canon law at the Passionist Fathers Seminary and chairman of the adult education program at Bellarmine College.

La Crosse

The new officers of the Notre Dame Club of La Crosse, Wis., are: JERRY HEBERLEIN, '50, president; STEVE PAVELA, '48, vice president; WILLIAM MURPHY, '52, secretary, and BERNIE LAVINS, '51, treasurer. The Club looks forward to another gala Notre Dame Night in April.

—STEVE PAVELA, Vice Pres.

Miami

The 1959 Christmas Dinner-Dance was held Saturday, Dec. 12, at the new Everglades Hotel. Those in attendance will attest a gala affair with much good food, delightful music by Johnny Master's Orchestra, and an evening of Christmas spirit among friends, old and new. Orchids to Chairman JIM SMITH and wife Lois who did a splendid job on arrangements.

It was a pleasure for Presy CHARLIE MAHER to announce a generous gift to the University in the name of our Local Foundation by GEORGE CORY in the amount of \$500.00, this to more than cover the deficit of our 1959 drive goal. Thanks a million, George!

NOTES FROM THE PARTY: MIKE ZOROVICH, RICK BLOMQUIST wondering why they held exclusive rights to boiled shirts and white coats; BILL WELCH wondering why everyone didn't wear their red coats; FARIS COWART, the only person who boated through the 11-inch rain to attend the cancelled Probst Radio Party, was showing the guests the fine features of his sporty N.D. jacket; JIM BOYLES doing a modified Mishawaka version of the cha-cha; BILL NEAL, who after the community sing of the Victory March, insisted on a long, loud and lusty rendition of something they sing at the University of Florida; the DICK SADOWSKI's specialty of a torrid polka; the RAY POPPS' mambo; FRED ZOROVICH's waltz; the LYLE RUSSELLS, JERRY HOLLANDS,

ART BERGENS and JOHN KOTTES in a tight huddle to catch the punch line of Annie's joke on Pat and Mike in the graveyard 3-sheets-to-the-wind; AYE AYE PROBST failing to keep Mary geared to the "slow" dances; Lois Smith, Betty Zorovich and Mary Maher locating place cards nad favors by "dead reckoning"; GEORGE CORYS doing the latest version of the Mexican Hat dance; URBAN KOKENGE trying to con Dr. TOKER into including his boat under Coast Guard sick bay coverage; the ANDERSONS and BOB REILLYS cutting the light fantastic in the club mixers; and the numerous wonderful guests and others of the Alumni who joined in a rousing finale of the Victory March (while on campus for a few days at Morris Inn, I was privileged to witness the celebration of the 50th anniversary of the Victory March at ND-Ga. Tech halftime honoring JOHN SHEA who composed the lyrics).

As has been customary the past few years, our annual Communion Breakfast was deferred until after the first of the year, because of the Christmas Dinner-Dance.

On Saturday, Oct. 17, some thirty of the faithful braved the rain equals to attend the annual Television Party held at Major Appliances, courtesy of DAN ROWLANDS who had as the main feature the ND-Michigan State game. On hand were the PROBSTS, HOLLANDS, STREETERS, BERGENS, OULETTES, PIOWATYS, ROWLANDS, JOHN CASHION, ED KELLY, GEORGE CORY, RAY POPP, GEORGE KENNARD, BOB REILLY, CHARLIE MAHER, JIM SMITH, BILL WELCH, JIM WILSON, MIKE ZOROVICH, among others and their guests. Although Duffy's gang "wapped us",... there will come another day, cousins, and it won't be too soon to suit we-uns.

On Saturday, Oct. 24, a group of the guys and gals were at the JIM SMITHS for a Radio Party at which we hoped to see the Irish upset North-western, and we almost... well sir it was a nice party anyhow and the PROBSTS and the DICK HOUHANS came from way off yonder to lend their support.

At the annual meeting held January 7 at the Everglades hotel, the following were elected to office for 1960: JAMES A. SMITH, '48, president; W. DAN ROWLANDS, '50, 1st vice president; Dr. WILLIAM B. WELCH, '48, 2nd vice president; JAMES R. WILSON, '56, secretary, and WILLIAM C. STREETER, '54, treasurer.

—CHAS. E. MAHER, Retiring Pres.

Michigan City

The Notre Dame Club of Michigan City, Ind., held their annual elections on the evening of Dec. 2, 1959 in their usual rousing fashion. The following slate was designated to guide the club activities for the coming year: President, Dr. F. J. KUBIK; vice pres., W. C. ZEHPFENNIG; secretary, R. E. MILLER; treasurer, Dr. R. L. MAR-SKE. Board of Directors, Mayor Francis G. Fedder. In addition WALTER TIMM was appointed as local chairman for the Foundation Fund.

The new officers will have been installed at the Club's annual "Grasshopper Frolic" scheduled for Feb. 13, 1960.

Two new members have been added to the "active" roster of the Club, LEON DARIS of Michi-

gan City, a recent graduate, and JUDGE ALBEN SMITH of LaPorte.

Prayers are requested for the eternal rest of former President LOUIS BLACK, whose sudden death was a shock to the Club, and sincere sympathy is tendered to his family.

—BILL ZEHPFENNIG, Vice Pres.

Mid-Hudson Valley

In observance of Universal Notre Dame Communion Sunday, the annual Father-Son Communion Breakfast was held on December 6. This year's theme was clarification of the First Amendment of the Constitution of the United States, together with increased participation of Notre Dame men in parochial and civic affairs. Mass was celebrated by the Club's chaplain, Rev. ANTHONY D. BOTTI, S. J., at St. Andrews-on-Hudson Seminary. Breakfast followed at the Nelson House in Poughkeepsie. JOHN J. KUHN handled the arrangements and GERRY HOWELL handled the publicity.

Talbots Inn was the site of the Christmas Dinner meeting on December 19. Plans for a forthcoming theater party in New York City were discussed and color movies of the club's 1959 summer picnic were shown. For the theater party BOB ORTAL was selected to investigate ticket availability. The Christmas meeting served as a farewell party for Esther and MIKE BURKE. Mike, the Club's hard-working secretary, has been transferred to Bethesda, Md., and will be a valuable asset to the Washington, D.C., Club.

—DONALD J. REYNOLDS, Pres.

Milwaukee

Rev. JAMES DOLL, C.S.C., from Lobund on campus, was an enjoyable speaker for Milwaukee's observance of Universal N. D. Communion Sunday on Dec. 6. Attendance at Mass, Communion and the breakfast, if not a new high, was close to it.

—BOB SCHIRF, '39, Chairman

New York

The Long Island Scholarship Dance at the Sky Island Club on Nov. 13, 1959, broke all records for attendance, enjoyment and receipts. GEORGE BODEN, '32, headed the hard-working committee responsible for the large turnout.

JOHN BALFE, '20, is acting as liaison for the Club with the proposed Catholic College Alumni Club which is ready to lease clubrooms in the Grand Central area.

The Metropolitan Club Thanksgiving Dance at the Statler on Friday, Nov. 27, 1959, was chaperoned by JOE WURZLER, '46; ED FITZPATRICK, '54; and BILL MURPHY, '38, and their wives, together with TOM MURPHY, '53, and his fiancée.

The Metropolitan Club ran a party for the boys to St. Mary's Home in Syosset on Saturday, Jan. 2, 1960. ED FITZPATRICK, '54, was chairman.

The N.Y. Newsletter has already lost two of its three editors, BOB SECKLER and JIM DULAN, '59, to the Armed Forces. The remaining editor, GLENN YATUNI, '52, FI 8-3020, would welcome editorial workers and news items.

The Long Island meeting on Wednesday, Dec. 2, 1959, at the Sky Island Club, featured MSGR. RONALD McDONALD, who took those present behind the scenes on the diocesan school building program, and FRANK CONFORTI, '39, who covered the subject of college scholarships, student loans and loans to parents through banks and The Tuition Plan, Inc. An overflow turnout showed that the topic of education is of great interest to our membership. Oldtimers at the meeting included ED FALLON, '26, former New York Club President in 1935, and ED ARTHUR, '30, founder of the Cana Conferences in the Diocese of Brooklyn.

The Club's new assistant secretary for the NYC Division, replacing MIKE MALLARDI, who moved to California, is GLENN YATUNI, '52.

GEORGE BARSA has been appointed chairman of the Club's finance committee. The committee's first job will be to prepare a Club budget for 1960.

The November elections brought both joy and sadness to our members. GEORGE VERGARA, '25, failed in his bid for reelection as mayor of New Rochelle. WALT KENNEDY, '34, was elected mayor of Stamford, Conn. BILL SHEA, '37, was elected Municipal Court justice. He was the only Republican to win any office in New York City. JUDGE FRANK McCULLOUGH was reelected in Westchester County.

Congratulations to BILL DONNINE, '32, current president of the Columbian Lawyers Association of Queens County.

Approximately two hundred club members and



KANSAS CITY—Now involved in planning for Universal Notre Dame Night in April are the principals of last year's auspicious event (from left); John T. Massman, '56, president of the Kansas City Club; 1959 speaker Richard J. Bowes, '38, a former Club president, now area director for the N.D. Foundation; Edward Aylward, '48, immediate past president, and Club Chaplain Father Schwartz.

wives attended Mass and Communion at 11:45 a.m. at St. Patrick's Cathedral on December 6, Notre Dame Communion Sunday. A brunch followed at the Park Lane Hotel. The program, co-chaired by GORDON FORESTER and TONY DiBARI, was excellent. Speakers were HARVEY FOSTER, Special Agent in charge, New York FBI and former President of the National Alumni Association; Father EDMUND JOYCE, Executive Vice President of the University; and Dr. THOMAS DOOLEY of Medico, an alumnus who has gained world-wide fame for his work in Laos and his writings. Dr. Dooley, "The Splendid American," gave an inspiring talk. Honored guest was Dr. GEORGE SCHUSTER, prominent educator, author and civil servant, who retires this year as President of Hunter College.

Long Island's third annual Golden Anniversary Cocktail Dance honored ERNEST L. HAMMER, '04, on Feb. 28.

U.N.D. Night will be celebrated with a dinner-dance at the Park Lane Hotel on April 23. N. D. sociology head JOHN KANE will represent the University. The principal speaker will be Hon. OWEN MCGIVERN of the New York Supreme Court, one of the most popular speakers in the metropolitan area.

—WILLIAM V. CUDDY, Secy.

North Carolina

The Carolina Club planned a social hour to celebrate the ND-North Carolina basketball game January 2.

Officers of the Club are: DONALD J. KELSEY, '48, Greensboro, president; THOMAS M. MCCOY, '55, Fayetteville, vice president; JOSEPH A. SANSONE, '44, Greensboro, secretary, and STEPHEN B. BERRY, '53, Greensboro, treasurer. Directors are Dr. FRANCIS X. BERRY, '38, of Greensboro, and JOHN G. O'CONNELL, '44, of Charlotte.

—DON KELSEY, Pres.

Oklahoma City

The new president of the Notre Dame Alumni Club of Oklahoma City is Dr. AL R. DRESCHER, '38.

—CHARLES L. MONNOT, JR., Past Pres.

Palm Beach County

BILL MADDEN, '42, the president of the Palm Beach County Notre Dame Club made arrangements for a luncheon at Taboo, Worth Ave., Palm Beach, on March 1. We now have approximately thirty alumni in our area and most of them will probably be present.

The officers of our Club—Notre Dame Club of Palm Beach County, are as follows: President, WILLIAM MADDEN, PHBC '42, 315 Worth Ave., Palm Beach; Vice President, ERSKINE EDWARDS, AB '32, First National Bank, Palm Beach; Secy-Treas., TIMOTHY O'HARA, AB '55, LL.B. '56,

Asst. County Solicitor, Palm Beach County Court House, West Palm Beach.

We have had four meetings in the last year, the most recent of which was a Christmas party at Taboo, Palm Beach, at which the following were present: Mr. and Mrs. DANIEL DOWNEY, Mr. and Mrs. CHEATHAM HODGES, Mr. and Mrs. BERNARD O'HARA, Mr. and Mrs. JOHN HOSINSKI, Mr. and Mrs. JIM DOWNEY, Mr. and Mrs. JIM COONEY, Mr. and Mrs. ED LEWIS, Mr. and Mrs. ROME HARTMAN, Mr. and Mrs. JOHN CALLAN, Mr. and Mrs. BILL MADDEN, DENNY CLEARY, JOHN COLLINS, and Mr. and Mrs. TIM O'HARA.

—TIM O'HARA, Secy.-Treas.

Peoria

REV. EDMUND P. JOYCE, executive vice president of the University, will be campus guest and principal speaker at Universal Notre Dame Night festivities in Peoria, Ill., on Monday, April 25.

Philadelphia

Heartiest congratulations and appreciation to BILL WHITESIDE and his committee for the December Communion Breakfast. The attendance, food and program were the best the Club has experienced in quite a few years. Father LABOON, S.J., was an excellent and interesting speaker.

The result of the election of officers for 1960 is as follows: JOHN F. MOORHEAD re-elected president; BILL WHITESIDE re-elected vice president; JOHN P. DONOHUE was named secretary and BART JOHNSON re-elected treasurer. Elected to the Board of Directors were CHARLIE CONLEY, BART JOHNSON, JOE WHITE, GERRY VOIT and GEORGE MITCHELL.

The Philadelphia Club Directory will be out in March, prepared under the guidance of BART JOHNSON. Congratulations to JACK DEMPSEY on his interim appointment to the Alumni Board. Jack is organizing an investment club among alumni.

Pittsburgh

First Pittsburgh Club event of the new year was the Notre Dame Retreat at St. Paul's Retreat House Jan. 8-10.

Rochester

The Rochester Club's Notre Dame Communion Breakfast followed Mass at McQuaid Jesuit High School. JOHN CASEY, JOHN BURKE, JIM DOYL and TOM TIERNEY handled the December 13 event.

Social event of the year was the traditional Christmas Dinner-Dance at the University Club on December 26. Chairmen ED DEMPSEY and GUS FALCONE were assisted by PHIL FINNEGAN and JOHN BURKE for this moderately-priced affair,

featuring cocktails, a roast beef dinner and dancing up to the wee hours.

St. Louis

The Annual Christmas Dance was held in the Khorassan Room of the Hotel Chase on Dec. 29, and the February 10 general meeting featured free froth and football films at the Falstaff Inn.

Congratulations to MAURICE CARROLL, '19, elected to a three-year term on the Alumni Assn. national board of directors.

St. Petersburg - Tampa

Progress—a word that justly may be labelled synonymous with The Notre Dame Club of the Florida West Coast, as witnessed by its outstanding growth throughout the 1959 season.

From modest beginnings, the Suncoast's alumni association has jumped to a membership of some 100 graduates and friends of Notre Dame, who enthusiastically support the club's monthly activities and the University's Foundation Drive. Members are residents of the Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater area.

Highlighting the season's events was the association's second annual Christmas dinner-dance, staged Dec. 19 at a St. Petersburg country club. On hand for the festivities was JOE BOLAND, "The Voice Behind Notre Dame," who announced the nationally televised Division Bowl game, played in the Sunshine City.

Those present payed tribute to Boland as a man whose efforts have contributed immeasurably to the greatness of their Alma Mater. Boland attended the 1958 Yuletide affair also.

Stag smokers during football season were favorites on West Coasters' lists, whatever the game results. With all the spirit of a freshman at the Stadium for the first time, oldsters and youngsters alike cheered their team on relentlessly.

Club service is not to be overshadowed by the social scene. Members have contributed generously to numerous members of the Notre Dame Family who are undergoing days of need, and a sizeable portion of club funds is forwarded to the Foundation, in addition to individual donations.

Plans now are underway for two association banquets, both of which will feature a prominent guest speaker, and further the universal Notre Dame effort. A June picnic and beach party also are planned.

Commenting on the year's progress, President MARK MOONEY of Tampa said, "I am greatly impressed with the significant gains our organization has made, and with the tremendous interest members have shown."

—BOB BURNS, Publ. Chairman

San Diego

The Annual Picnic of the Notre Dame Club of San Diego, Calif., was held at Lindo Park, Lakeside, Calif., last September 27. About 80 attended, with mothers and fathers outnumbered by the children. There was plenty of eats and music. Everyone had an enjoyable time.

The Club members held their Annual Dinner-Dance on Saturday, Nov. 28, at the U.S. Navy Officers' Club, sponsored by Lt. Col. FRED FOWLER, U.S.M.C.R. Fifty people enjoyed the cocktails, delicious steak dinner and dancing. There is a noticeable number of new members joining the old-timers at these social events.

—ANTHONY M. MITCHELL, Secy.

Southeastern Iowa

The president of the N.D. Club of Southeastern Iowa for 1960 is LOUIS LAUTH, Burlington, Ia., instead of ROLAND MARTEL as stated in the December issue.

There are now fourteen couples in our Club, gathering each month for a dinner meeting in a home or private club.

Our spring project is to invite the junior class boys of Notre Dame High School here in Burlington as our guests and inform them about the University. We usually show a film of Notre Dame and answer any questions the youngsters might have in the event that they might wish to apply to the University in their senior year.

—JOHN A. DAILEY, JR., Secy.

Spokane

Members of the Notre Dame Club of Spokane, Washington, observed Universal Notre Dame Communion Sunday by attending Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes Cathedral on December 6. The Mass

was offered for the intentions of all attending members. A breakfast at the Ridpath Hotel followed the Mass, with Club President MONK ALBO, '35, presiding. The guest speaker was REV. JOHN P. DONNELLY, editor of The Inland Register, the diocesan newspaper. Father Donnelly's informal talk on the role Catholic laymen must play in current affairs was both pertinent and very interesting.

In attendance were the following members and their wives: MONK ALBO, '35; CHARLES MARQUELING, '50; ED BETHKE, '26; FRANK FLANNERY, '31; DR. CURRAN HIGGINS, '49; JIM LYNCH, '40; DR. BOB MAHER, '35; BOB MERZ, '47; GARY MYERS, '59; RAY MURPHY, '59; JOHN P. O'NEILL, '29; DICK ST. JOHN, '56; BOB ROTCHFORD, '49; VINCE SLATT, '43; HAROLD SHEERAN, '50; BERNIE SMITH, '53; GERALD VANDENBERG, '59, and JOE WALSH, '14.

The annual Holiday Party of the Club was enjoyed on Tuesday evening, December 29, at the beautiful new home of Dr. and Mrs. BOB MAHER, '35. The attractive setting added much to the pleasure of the event. A buffet supper concluded the most delightful affair which was attended by the following members and their wives: MONK ALBO, '35; ED BETHKE, '26; DR. BOB DEAK, '53; FRANK FLANNERY, '31; FRANK HAGENBARTH, '27; FRANK HERRON, '35; CLAIR KEARNS, '33; JIM LYNCH, '40; DR. BOB MAHER, '35; MARK MARQUELING, '50; BOB MERZ, '47; JOE ROWAN, '50; BERNIE SMITH, '53, and JOE WALSH, '14. Special guests of the Club were University freshmen Terry Flannery, John Heskett and Charles Tilford, home for the holidays.

—JOSEPH M. WALSH, '14, Secy.

Tucson

At a meeting held January 25 in the Bamboo Room of the Pioneer Hotel, the Notre Dame Club of Tucson elected the following officers for the year 1960: ROBERT O' CALLAGHAN, president; PAUL MATZ, vice president; BERT APKER, secretary, and MIKE BROWN, treasurer. We hope to meet monthly the rest of this year at the Pioneer and are planning a continuing schedule of activities.

Tulsa

An election was held here in Tulsa on February 1, 1960. The new officers are as follows: JACK F. MOHATT, president; JOHN G. MADDEN, vice-president; ROBERT LAWTON JONES, secretary, and BERNARD J. SULLIVAN, treasurer.

—J. H. CONWAY, JR., '44, Retiring Pres.

Washington, D. C.

On the heels of the Notre Dame Communion Breakfast, featuring Judge CHARLES FAHY, come Washington Club's Holiday Dance, Dec. 21, 1959, at the Burgundy Room of the Sheraton-Park Hotel.

CLUB PRESIDENTS ELECTED SINCE THE LAST ISSUE

Arizona

Tucson—Robert O'Callaghan, '45, 725 Camino Miramonte, Tucson, Ariz.

Florida

Greater Miami—James A. Smith, '48, 672 N.E. 98th St., Miami Shores, Fla.
Palm Beach County—William Madden, '42, 315 Worth Ave., Palm Beach, Fla.
St. Petersburg—Mark E. Mooney, '26, 4325 Gaines Road, Tampa, Fla.

Indiana

Michigan City—Dr. Francis J. Kubik, '36, 902 Pine, Michigan City, Ind.

Iowa

Burlington—Louis Lauth, Jr., '45, 322 North Fourth, Burlington, Iowa.

Minnesota

Twin Cities—Joseph T. O'Neill, '53, 1815 Eleanor Ave., St. Paul 16, Minn.

New Jersey

Central—Joseph J. Sepkoski, '50, 1155 Loraine Ave., Plainfield, N. J.

Ohio

Mansfield (new)—Leo J. Scanlon, '30, Scanlon & Berger, Carroll Bldg., Bucyrus, O.

Oklahoma

Tulsa—Jack F. Mohatt, '35, 3754 East 46th Place, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Wisconsin

LaCrosse—Gerald "Jerry" Heberlein, '50, 503 S. 22nd St., LaCrosse, Wis.

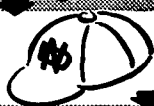
BOB HUTCHINSON was chairman of the gay, informal affair, at which Christmas carols were added to the orchestra music and a drawing climaxed the activities.

President JOE FITZMAURICE announced nominating committees for the selection of candidates for 1960 officers and directors. JOHN L. KENKEL and HOWARD J. SCHELLENBERG, JR., were chairmen of groups which selected slates of candidates. The nominees were announced on December 29 and introduced at the Feb. 4 meeting, with ballots to be distributed well before the traditional St. Patrick's Day election. The February meeting also featured the presentation of the Club trophy awards to the outstanding football players at each of the Catholic high schools in the Washington area, as selected by the teams themselves, and the Notre Dame Traveling Award to the school of the city's outstanding player.



CENTRAL NEW JERSEY—The Mid-Jersey Club's observance of Universal N.D. Communion Sunday on Dec. 13 featured (from left) John J. Reager, '29, breakfast chairman; Joseph J. Sepkoski, '50, new Club president; Judge Henry W. Clement, '28, principal speaker, and Daniel P. Grace, '51, outgoing president.

ALUMNI CLASSES



Engagements

Miss Martha J. Berry and JAMES A. ROGERS, '51.
Miss Elizabeth Seton Dempsey and STILLMAN A. LOOMIS, '55.
Miss Deirdre Marcell Bishop and DR. KEVIN THOMAS O'DONNELL, '55.
Miss Mary Adele Heiskell and ANDREW WILLIAM BORACZEK, '56.
Miss Betty Ann Harmon and FIRST LIEUT. EDWARD DERMOTT BURNS, JR., USA, '57.
Miss Sheila Galvin and ROBERT FRANCIS RONEY, '57.
Miss Sandra Lee Gill and ENSIGN DONALD C. GILLIES, USN, '59.
Miss Sheila Ann Hobbs and GEORGE LANG COUZENS, '60.

Marriages

Miss Ila Mae Christopher and RICHARD N. MARTIN, '45, San Diego, Calif., November 28, 1959.
Miss Mary Catherine Karsten and WILLIAM DAVID SUTHERLAND, '49, Horicon, Wisc., December 28, 1959.
Miss Jean Patricia Morrisey and WILLIAM JOSEPH DUNHAM, '53, New York City, November 7, 1959.
Miss Sally J. Farlow and JOHN EDWARD HUGHES, '55, Portland, Oregon, October 3, 1959.
Miss Margaret J. O'Neill and CORNELIUS F. McCARTY, JR., '56, Glenbrook, Connecticut, September 26, 1959.
Miss Teresa Anne Mullee and ALFRED THOMAS SCHOENIG, '56, New York, New York, November 7, 1959.
Miss Martha Anne Butler and SECOND LIEUT. ROBERT CREGG JOHNSON, USA, '58, New York, New York, November 28, 1959.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. MICHAEL F. KIELY, '44, a daughter, Susanna Clare, July 26, 1959.
Mr. and Mrs. RAYMOND J. RUETZ, '44, a daughter, January 27, 1960.
Mr. and Mrs. VINCENT A. JACOBS, '46, a daughter, Deborah Ann, December 17, 1959.
Mr. and Mrs. WILLIAM R. BROCKHOFF, '49, a daughter, Nancy Elizabeth, December 2, 1959.
Mr. and Mrs. PETER F. FLAHERTY, '51, a son, Shawn T. Flaherty, June 12, 1959.
Mr. and Mrs. JAMES H. BRENNAN, '52, a daughter, Kathleen Ann, November 26, 1959.
Mr. and Mrs. ROBERT A. DOUGHERTY, '52, a son, Michael Joseph, January 19, 1960.
Mr. and Mrs. DONALD J. FAGER, '52, a daughter, Geraldine Maria, December 5, 1959.
Mr. and Mrs. JAMES GRAHAM, '52, a daughter, Mary Elizabeth, December 10, 1959.
Mr. and Mrs. ROBERT M. REGAN, '52, a daughter, Cynthia Mary, December 10, 1959.
Mr. and Mrs. FRED R. SCHLICHTING, '52, a daughter, Mary Therese, December 1, 1959.
Mr. and Mrs. RICHARD T. LORENZ, JR., '53, a daughter, Anne, October 25, 1959.
Mr. and Mrs. WALTER H. GRUGER, JR., '54, a son, Walter Hickman, III, November 16, 1959.
Mr. and Mrs. JOHN L. ROSSHIRT, '54, a son, Thomas Michael, October 28, 1959.
Mr. and Mrs. ANTHONY J. TRIGIANI, '54, a daughter, Adriana Maria, November 3, 1959.
Mr. and Mrs. TIPTON N. PATTON, JR., '55, a daughter, Kathleen Marie, September 23, 1959.
Dr. and Mrs. STEPHEN J. PREVOZNIK, '55, a son, John Cyril, September 14, 1959.
Mr. and Mrs. JOHN W. BRENNAN, JR., '56, a son, Michael Joseph, November 30, 1959.
Mr. and Mrs. ROBERT BUNDSCHUH, '56, a daughter, Julia Mary, December 7, 1959.

Mr. and Mrs. CARL J. SCHERER, '56, a son, Stephen Eugene, November 22, 1959.

Mr. and Mrs. GEORGE R. MURRAY, '57, a daughter, Kathleen Ann, December 14, 1959.

Lt. and Mrs. DANIEL W. O'BRIEN, '58, a daughter, Ellen Marie, January 12, 1960.

Sympathy

FRANK W. DONOVAN, '26, on the death of his father, Frank D. Donovan, December 3, 1959.

ROGER W. BRESLIN, '28, on the death of his mother, December 20, 1959.

WALTER E., '30, and FRED R. PARENT, '30, on the death of their mother, September 14, 1959.

REV. BERNARD BLATT, '31, on the death of his mother, November 26, 1959.

THEODORE HALPIN, '32, on the death of his wife, January 6, 1960.

JOHN F. SULLIVAN, JR., '33, on the death of his daughter, October 3, 1959.

REV. THOMAS J. McDONAGH, '38, on the death of his father, January, 1960.

ROBERT W. GALVIN, '44, on the death of his father, November 4, 1959.

CRAIG A. HEWETT, '46, on the death of his mother, November, 1959.

HENRY KEEL, '47, on the deaths of his wife and son, November 22, 1959.

JOHN G. MARHOEFER, '52, on the death of his father, January 21, 1960.

ROBERT F. BROWN, JR., '57, on the death of his wife, January, 1960.

Deaths

REV. PATRICK J. CARROLL, C.S.C., Notre Dame, Indiana, died November 18, 1959 in the Community Infirmary. Father Carroll was former Vice President of Notre Dame, and long-time editor of the Ave Maria magazine.

WILLIAM O'BRIEN, '00, Washington, D. C., died November, 1959, according to information received in the Alumni Office.

DR. NICHOLAS M. DOYLE, '09, of Chicago, Ill., died recently, according to information received in the Alumni Office.

JUDGE JOHN J. KENNEDY, '09, Pittsburgh, Pa., died January 21, 1960. Judge Kennedy served 22 years on the bench of Common Pleas Court. He is survived by three daughters, and five sons, one of whom is Dr. F. Bryan Kennedy, a '50 graduate of Notre Dame.

JOHN F. O'CONNELL, '13, Chicago, Illinois, died January 26, 1960. Mr. O'Connell was a former Probate and Municipal court Judge, but had been in private practice for the last 14 years. He is survived by his wife, a son and three daughters.

JAMES S. DEVLIN, '14, of Pittsburgh, Pa., died January 2, 1960. Mr. Devlin spent 40 years in public service, his last position having been that of City Public Works Director. He is survived by his wife, his mother, a sister, and three brothers.

JOSEPH L. BANNIGAN, '18, of Detroit, Mich., died December 7, 1959. Mr. Bannigan was an assistant prosecutor for nearly 24 years, and, at one time, served as Assistant U.S. Attorney. He is survived by his wife, Ruth, a son and a daughter.

RAYMOND J. CONRAD, '21, of Alexandria, Minn., died December 1, 1959, according to information received in the Alumni Office. His widow survives.

LOUIS CHESNOW, '23, of Washington, D. C., died December 11, 1959, according to information received in the Alumni Office.

REV. FREDERICK J. MANN, C.S.S.R., '23, of Chicago, Ill., died January 9, 1960, according to information received in the Alumni Office.

MILTON B. LEACH, '25, of Davenport, Iowa, died December 5, 1959, according to information

received in the Alumni Office. He is survived by his wife, a son, two sisters and his father.

EUGENE JOSEPH STEUERLE, '25, of Louisville, Ky., died July 10, 1959, according to information received in the Alumni Office. He is survived by his wife and a son.

BROTHER XAVIER DONOGHUE, C.S.C., '26, of Chicago, Ill., died June 12, 1959, according to information received in the Alumni Office. At the time of his death, Brother Xavier was at Holy Trinity High School.

BROTHER JAMES OF MARY, '26, of St. Louis, Mo., died November 22, 1959. Brother James was a history teacher at St. Patrick High School, and lived in the Christian Brothers' residence there. He was a member of the Christian Brothers for 52 years. He is survived by a brother and two sisters.

RAYMOND J. KASHER, '27, of Omaha, Neb., died September 23, 1959, according to information received in the Alumni Office. He is survived by his wife.

RONALD E. RICH, '28, of South Bend, Ind., died November 25, 1959. He was head of the Chemical Engineering department at Notre Dame. He is survived by his wife and son, Joseph R. Rich, '58.

WALTER F. KOLB, '30, of Mount Carmel, Ill., died October 4, 1959, according to information received in the Alumni Office. He is survived by his wife, Kathryn.

JAMES W. BAKER, '34, of Ontario, Canada, died January 3, 1960. Mr. Baker was well known in Canadian geological and exploration circles, having had wide experience in the Canadian North. He is survived by his wife and four sons.

RICHARD BERNARD McARDLE, '37, of Fort Wayne, Ind., died January 16, 1960, according to information received in the Alumni Office. His widow survives.

RICHARD J. PHILION, '40, of Madison Heights, Mich., died August 8, 1959, according to information received in the Alumni Office. He is survived by his wife.

DOUGLAS F. HALEY, JR., '42, of Gary, Ind., died January 23, 1960, according to information received in the Alumni Office. His widow is among the survivors.

LOUIS E. BLACK, '49, of Michigan City, Ind., died suddenly January 21, 1960. Mr. Black had been manager of Doctors Hospital for the past six years. He was past president of the Michigan City Notre Dame Club. Surviving are his wife, one daughter, two sons, his mother and four sisters.

LOUIS C. BAUMAN, '51, Cicero, Ill., died September 6, 1959, according to information received in the Alumni Office. Mr. Bauman is survived by a sister.

JOHN L. MEYERS, '51, Carroll, Iowa, died December 15, 1959. Mr. Meyers, his wife and two-year-old daughter, Ann Marie, were killed in an automobile accident. Two other daughters were injured. Mr. Meyers was employed by the Studebaker-Packard Corp., prior to moving to Carroll. He is survived by three sons, four daughters, his mother, and several brothers and sisters.

ROBERT T. CARVILLE, '52, of Houston, Texas, was killed in an automobile accident January 1, 1960. Mr. Carville was the son of the late E. P. Carville, '09. He is survived by his wife and four children.

FATHER EUGENE A. MORIARTY, of South Meriden, Conn., died November 22, 1959. Father Moriarty was pastor of Holy Angels Church, South Meriden, and had previously taught English literature at Notre Dame from 1933 to 1936.

50-Year Club

The following resolution in tribute to the Reverend Edward Finnegan, C.S.C., was adopted by directors of the St. Joseph County Tuberculosis League at their meeting on October 1, 1959:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS the REVEREND EDWARD FINNEGAN, C.S.C., has served on the Board of Directors of the Tuberculosis League for seventeen years — bringing his kindly wisdom to bear upon our problems, softening the approach to many difficult situations by his extraordinary grasp of human values — and has contributed to our business discussions an illuminating realism,

WHEREAS in addition, Father Finnegan's natural out-going warmth has not only made his presence at our meetings a benign and effective

influence, but has also brought personal comfort and courage to various members of the Board in their times of trial and bereavement,

AND WHEREAS for many years — 1925 to 1945 — as chaplain of Healthwin Hospital, he made available, daily, the spiritual nourishment of his church to patients in the hospital,

BE IT RESOLVED that this instrument be suitably engrossed, so that the Board's gratitude to Father Finnegan for his faithful participation in our affairs and his ministrations to our people may be made a matter of permanent record.

It was signed by JERRY HICKEY, president of the County T.B. League.

The roll of semicentenaries who have gone to their eternal reward in recent weeks is short but imposing. It is headed by FATHER PATRICK CARROLL, C.S.C., who took his A.B. as a seminarian in the 1890's and went on to be head of Sacred Heart College, president of St. Edward's University and vice-president of Notre Dame, known to other generations as an author, teacher and editor.

WILLIAM O'BRIEN, who died in November, was on campus in the high school before getting an LL.B. in 1900. Apparently the last of his line, he had been living at the John Dickson Home in Washington, D. C. His wife had died and his son was killed in action serving with the Canadian army in World War I. Known as Shamus O'Brien on campus he played baseball and was a member of the track team. After about twenty years in show business he began the practice of law in Chicago and returned to the campus frequently in the 20's and 30's. The Notre Dame Club of Washington gathered and recited the rosary for him, and his funeral was attended by priests from Holy Cross College.

Death also took two prominent members of the Class of '09, Dr. NICHOLAS M. DOYLE and Judge JOHN J. KENNEDY. Dr. Doyle had lived in Chicago, and Judge Kennedy was a highly respected citizen of Pittsburgh. Classmate JOHN KANALEY remembers him as a distinguished jurist, outstanding athlete, patriotic citizen (Distinguished Service Cross for valor in World War I) and exemplary parent. His wife died many years ago at the birth of the last of his eight children, one of whom is Dr. F. BRYAN KENNEDY, '50.

50 YEAR REUNION Class of '10 JUNE 10-11-12

1910

Present (tentative) plans for the Golden Jubilee Reunion call for housing in Howard Hall, just a few steps from the more familiar but less inviting structure named in honor of Father Badin and the grounds that once were alternately a mud puddle and a skating rink. The glories of the football champions of 1909 will be sung over meals and gatherings in the Morris Inn.

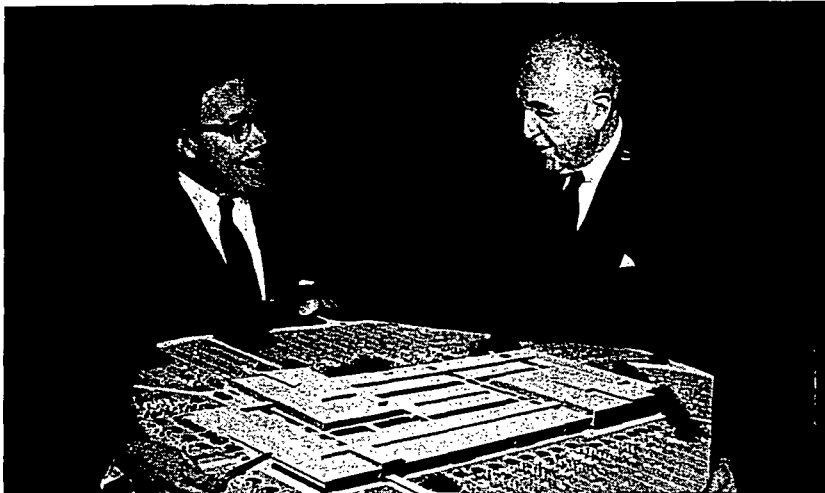
Of course, Badin Hall was still St. Joseph's Hall in 1910 and didn't acquire those rambling wings until later (1917), while Howard was just a gleam in the eye of FATHER MATT WALSH, one of several residences (Morrissey, Lyons, etc.) erected in the twenties by the president who brought the students back to campus and reshaped the Alumni Assn. as it exists today. To recapture those fabulous times, be sure to be on hand June 10.

Sympathy to FATHER EDGAR J. MISCH on the death of his sister last November 26.

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

From the Alumni Office:

The most distinguished of many outstanding '11 grads, His Eminence JOHN CARDINAL O'HARA, answered "population explosion" hysteria of birth control advocates in a December pastoral letter to the Archdiocese of Philadelphia: "If they do any research at all they must know that in this country only Catholics and Negroes show an extraordinary increase in births — the latter about 60 per cent and the former about 100 per cent over the totals of, say, fifteen years ago. Are



John P. Murphy, '12 (right), president of The Higbee Company of Cleveland, Ohio, studies a preliminary layout for the new \$30 million Severance Center in which Higbee's will have a major suburban department store. L. Paul Gilmore, president of Severance Estate, Inc., indicates the buildings' position on a 12-acre sloping site in the center of a 151-acre Cleveland Heights estate. The new Higbee store will be the company's first branch operation. Mr. Murphy is a University trustee and former president of the Alumni Association.

those who want to supplant divine wisdom by their own planning disturbed by this? Let them leave us to God. We ask no sympathy . . ." Cardinal O'Hara quoted an Egyptian official's claim that American attempts to impose birth control on other peoples is biological warfare, prompted by fear of other races and designed to kill them off. He urged a return to Bethlehem for an appreciation of the divine gift of parenthood and renewal of the spirit of sacrifice which gives souls to God.

1912 B. J. "Ben" Kaiser
604 East Tenth St.
Berwick, Pa.

From the Alumni Office:

J. W. "BILL" KAUFER and Maud are on their annual winter sojourn in Florida after their annual summer stay up at Mullet Lake. Bill, who established South Bend Roofing Co., still gets his mail forwarded from 1071 Riverside Dr., South Bend.

1913 Paul R. Byrne
360 Warner Ave.
Syracuse 5, N. Y.

From the Alumni Office:

We are again indebted to CLYDE BROUSSARD, who sent some welcome notes from Beaumont, Texas, about classmates and other alumni. In correspondence with Three Lakes, Wis., builder FRED "CY" WILLIAMS, Clyde discussed the relative merits of skiing down Wisconsin slopes and boating along the Texas beaches. The Williamses live on a chain of 27 lakes with a total shoreline of 777 miles. Cy disclosed that he had suffered a tough financial setback a year ago when his wood-working shop, dry kilns, etc., burned down. He remembered architecture classmate D. B. "JACK" SHOURDS, reported by Clyde as an architect with offices in New Orleans and Gulfport, Miss. Cy recalled looking up BILL TIPTON in Watrous, N. M., during a trip through the Southwest and finding that Bill, active in R.O.T.C. as a student, never recovered from mental illness incurred during World War II and is confined in a government hospital at La Junta, Calif. In his helpless condition Bill could use the prayers of his classmates. Cy mentioned the possibility of visiting Claude on a trip to Texas this winter.

Sympathy to the family of JOHN J. O'CONNELL, former Chicago municipal and probate judge, who died January 26. He had been in private practice and various businesses in recent years.

1914 Ron O'Neill
1350 N. Black Oak Dr.
South Bend 17, Ind.

Acting Secretary: Walter Clements
623 Park Avenue, South Bend, Indiana

From the Alumni Office:

POYNT DOWNING and JOE WALSH can be checked on between reunions as pillars of the Decatur, Ill., and Spokane, Wash., N.D. Clubs, respectively.

Your prayers are requested for the repose of the soul of JAMES S. DEVLIN, who died January 2. Director of public works for the city of Pittsburgh, he had been a civil engineer and public servant for 40 years.

45 YEAR REUNION Class of '15 JUNE 10-11-12

1915 James E. Sanford
1429 W. Farragut Ave.
Chicago 40, Ill.

From the Alumni Office:

Secretary JIM SANFORD was at the Waldorf in N. Y. C. preparing to cover the National Assn. of Manufacturers meeting when he came upon the National Football Foundation dinner and was invited in, meeting, beside all the great living figures of football, Cardinal Spellman, Gen. Douglas MacArthur, Bob Hope, Gene Tunney, etc. "N.D. was well represented," writes Jim, "with HARRY STUHLREHER on stage and MOOSE KRAUSE introduced from the floor."

In the space of three months the Class' most publicized personality, DR. GEORGE N. SCHUSTER, (1) had a building named for him, Shuster Hall, a magnificent library-administration building on Hunter College's Bronx campus; (2) retired as president of Hunter, effective January 1; (3) accepted a post as director of the Committee on Intercultural Studies in Colleges and Universities, formed to determine the extent of our non-Western studies by the American Council on Education, supported by a grant from the Edward W. Hazen Foundation, and (4) had a new book published by Harper, "Education and Moral Wisdom," explor-

ing the purpose of education, academic freedom, philosophical influences and the difference between education and wisdom.

Now is the time to set aside June 10, 11 and 12 for the 45th Reunion. JOE BYRNE, appointed by Secretary Sanford to head a national reunion committee, took time from his trustee and business duties to write to the Class. One sequel was the sad discovery that LAWRENCE BARRETT had died in May of 1938 without the knowledge of his classmates. You will still wish to pray for Larry; doubtless he intended to make the 45th. Your being on hand in June will insure against any repetition of this unfortunate lapse in communication.

1916 Grover F. Miller
612 Wisconsin Ave
Racine, Wis.

From the Alumni Office:

Fathers HENRY GLUECKERT and PATRICK HAGGERTY, still holding forth on campus, should enjoy the reminiscences of EDGAR KOBAK on life with the Minims in St. Edward's Hall: "... they did have an interesting leather strap, eight feet long, with lead at the important end, and it was used by a priest six feet six.

"I found out later the strap had no lead in it, it was only eighteen inches long, and the prefect of discipline was about five feet six . . ."

1917 Edward J. McOsker
R.R. 2, Box 1, So. State St. Rd.
Elgin, Ill.

From the Alumni Office:

Situated as he is in Pompano Beach, Fla., with the Lauderdale, Miami and Palm Beach County N.D. Clubs in forward passing range, CHARLES BACHMAN must be kept busy filling young alumni in on his coaching trials at Northwestern and Michigan State that made way for the successes of Daugherty and Parseghian. Charlie and Cleveland's STAN COFALL took their team leadership into coaching and business with great success.

1918 Charles W. Call
225 Paterson Ave.
Hasbrouck Heights, N. J.

JOHN J. VOELKERS, now of Winter Park, Fla., has just recovered from an operation. He informs us that his brother Gerald, '10, died of a heart attack in South Bend while he was hospitalized and it was impossible for him to attend the funeral. Our sympathy to John on the loss of his brother and to the family of JOSEPH L. BAN-NIGAN, who died in December of an apparent heart attack. Joe had served in Detroit for many years as assistant prosecutor and assistant U.S. attorney and had been a candidate for secretary of state.

Your secretary attended the Class Secretaries Conference on campus in January and hopes you noticed the prominent mention of President JOHN LEMMER in the last issue.

1919 Theodore C. Rademaker
Peru Foundry Co.
Peru, Indiana

From the Alumni Office:

Congratulations to MAURICE CARROLL on his election to the Alumni Association's national board of directors. Maurice was on campus in January for the board's first meeting, with little opportunity to review his architectural handiwork on the Rockne Memorial and at S.M.C.

40 YEAR REUNION Class of '20 JUNE 10-11-12

1920 James H. Ryan
170 Maybrook Rd.
Rochester 18, N. Y.

From the Alumni Office:

Everything seems ready for an auspicious 40th anniversary of the '20 Class at the Class Reunions

on June 10, 11 and 12. Most of the observances and the reminiscing will probably be concentrated in the comfort of Howard Hall and the Morris Inn. A large local delegation is expected to include WILLIAM BAKER, MENEFEE CLEMENTS, ED DORAN, ED FREDERICKSON, Doctors HERBERT FORSTER and FRANCIS VURPILLAT and, of course, ED MEEHAN, SR. You will want to visit with FATHERS JAMES CONNERTON and ARTHUR HOPE, and maybe others in the Congregation will be able to come from Portland, Chicago, etc. Sorely missed and remembered in prayer will be REV. WILLIAM HAVEY, C.S.C., who surely counted on seeing his classmates before his death in December. Among toasts to the memory of "the Gipper" there should be a couple of belts in honor of BILL FOX for his Grantland Rice Award. Everything is ready, and it's time for you to get ready too.

Surveying the scene in January was Secretary JIM RYAN, who took the editor's plea for brevity too seriously and abbreviated his column to nothing at all. Jim is hereby authorized to print all news received from classmates who promise to make the reunion.

1921 Dan W. Duffy
1101 Superior Bldg.
Cleveland 14, Ohio

Alumni Director HARRY MEHRE of our time, whom you will remember at Georgia and old Miss, addressed the Cleveland Touchdown Club on Tuesday, Jan. 19. Harry really had a hilarious and happy speech.

He regaled the Club with stories for about an hour and a half and when he finished, they were yelling for more. Having always had a great sense of humor, Harry's experiences in coaching make him one of the easiest men to listen to that this listener has ever enjoyed. He made a happy evening for about 900 people. I wonder what would have happened if JOE BRANDY had been there to heckle him.

From the Alumni Office:

Congratulations to JOHN E. KENNY, elected in December as president and chief executive officer of the Foster Wheeler Corporation, specialists in the design and construction of petroleum and chemical processing plants.

CALLIX MILLER reported that RAY CONRAD died suddenly in December. The Class's deep sympathy is hereby expressed to Ray's family.

1922 G. A. "Kid" Ashe
175 Landing Rd. North
Rochester, N.Y.

From the Alumni Office:

Secretary KID ASHE hopes classmates noticed his change of address in the last issue. The Kid, still on the move, will probably have a whopping column in July.

The Philadelphia Eagles of the National Football League rehired head coach LAWRENCE (BUCK) SHAW in December before the 1959 season was over. Buck waived a longer contract because of his plans to retire after the '60 season. A coach for nearly 40 years, he succeeded HUGH DEVORE in 1938 and rebuilt his cellar-dwelling

team of that year into the top contenders of the N.F.L.'s Eastern Division in 1959.

1923 Louis V. Bruggner
2165 Riverside Dr.
South Bend, Ind.

Two deaths in recent weeks have terminated a welcomed lull enjoyed in 1959 in the demise of men of '23.

On December 11, 1959, LOUIS CHESNOW, B.Arch. '23, died in Veterans Hospital, after a long illness, according to a clipping from the Detroit Free Press. He was 65 years old. Born in Russia, he had been a Detroit resident for 50 years, serving in World War I, after which he entered Notre Dame. Surviving is a daughter, Mrs. Pauline Pozen of Los Angeles and one grandson.

FATHER FRED J. MANN, C.S.R., died Saturday, Jan. 9, in Columbus Hospital, at the age of 58. At the time of his death he was assistant pastor of St. Michael's Church, Chicago. A native of Chicago, he attended Notre Dame for two years and left in 1922 to join the Redemptorist Missionaries. He was ordained in 1932, served in various parishes and hospitals in San Antonio, Denver, Wichita, concluding with his last two years at the Chicago parish. Correspondence received from him over a period of years indicated he had not been in good health for some time. He is survived by three brothers in the Jesuit order, three other brothers and two sisters.

FRANK WALLACE has been engaged for months in the writing of a biography of Knute Rockne, proposing as he explained it to "show the old boy as he was, which will be good enough, and correct a lot of the foolishness grown on the fringes of the legend." Frank requests Classmates and all Alumni to send him scrap book clips from their files having to do with Rock, and promises to return them as soon as he can. Address your clips to Francis Wallace, Bellaire, Ohio.

Mrs. NEIL W. FLINN, '37 head librarian of the Superior, Wisconsin library, died while at work at the library early in December. She was conversing with people at her work when she collapsed and was pronounced dead at the library by her physician. She is survived by her husband and a sister in California. Information came to this office in a roundabout way from a sister-in-law (in Superior) of WILLIAM L. VOSS, '23 who forwarded the clipping to the secretary's attention. Piecing together of certain facts available would indicate the date of death to be December 5.

WALTER F. RAUBER, 270 Berryman Dr., Buffalo, N. Y., manager of apparatus sales in Buffalo for the General Electric Co. since 1953, and an employee of the company since 1927, was to have retired December 31, according to a Buffalo News story of December sent to my attention. Shortly before the story broke, he was honored at a luncheon attended by friends and associates from Buffalo, Rochester, Syracuse, Niagara Falls and Erie. Although the article makes no mention of Walt's plans we assume he will keep busy playing golf at the Country Club of Buffalo, being secretary of the Buffalo Rotary Club, and endorsing G. E. dividend checks.

JOHN C. ("JABEZ") COCHRANE notified me that he and his Alice are flying via jet to Rome



Head football coach Joe Kuharich, '38 (right), brushes up on pre-Rockne athletic lore as he consults with a trio of gridiron pioneers: Monogram Club President Wm. "Bill" Schmitt (left) and Harry "Red" Miller, 1909 teammates now in training for the Class of '10 Golden Jubilee in June, flanking Jess Harper, Irish coach from 1913 to 1917.

on April 7, planning to be there during Holy Week, and from there to various continental points of interest, returning via the Queen Elizabeth about June 10.

Their son, CHRISTOPHER W. COCHRANE, '46, is stationed in Rome with his family as Middle East representative for Kaiser-Willys and as second v.p. of the N. D. Club of Rome.

1924 James R. Meehan
329 S. Lafayette Blvd.
South Bend 10, Ind.

From the Alumni Office:

Those on hand for the reunion last June learned that most of the large and distinguished C.S.C. contingent have answered their Congregation's call to the frontiers of Portland, King's College, St. Ed's, Sacred Heart, Pakistan, etc. Remaining are FRANK HENRY BOLGER, still turning out physicists, and FATHER PHIL MOORE, now academic assistant to FATHER HESBURGH in charge of faculty-administration planning on the New Library.

35 YEAR REUNION Class of '25 JUNE 10-11-12

1925 John P. Hurley
2085 Brookdale Road
Toledo 6, Ohio

Boys, lets "go like sixty" at our 35th on June 10, 11 and 12. You received your list of classmates . . . write them and urge them to come. "RIP" MILLER, as Committee of One, promised to contact every Monogram Man on that famous 1924 team . . . the one and only Notre Dame team to make the Rose Bowl. That is a good start and DON MILLER will contact the lawyers and his pal EVARD KOHL will line up the engineers. AL PORTA who is still on the home grounds will get the commerce men. TOM COMAN will stir up the A.B. men.

Big plans are in the offing and JIM ARMSTRONG and a few more in the South Bend area are making this reunion different. One new idea proposed on which you may have received a letter before you read this, is a Saturday noon luncheon, with all the classes from 1930 on back. We plan on having all the professors and priests at this luncheon who were with us from our Freshman year to our graduation. That in itself, should bring the attendance up . . . because we know you will be happy to see them. There will be at least a "bakers dozen" of the old profs and rectors there . . . with FATHER MATT WALSH, our president in the good old days of 1925.

The gang who were at our Navy game reunion all promised to work on the rest of the class. These are the men you didn't see because you were not at that affair . . . so these same gentlemen will be on deck in June to greet you as a welcoming committee: ELMER LAYDEN, BEN KESTING, FRANK HOWLAND, JOHN DROEGE, PAUL HARTMAN, GEORGE LAUGHLIN, DON MILLER, JOHN COURTNEY, CHARLES GLUECKERT, HARRY STUHLREHER, HANK WURZER, GEORGE LUDWIG, TED BINTZ, DR. CY CALDWELL, EV KOHL, FRANK NAUGHTON, RIP MILLER, DAVE CAMPBELL, JOHN GALLAGHER, WALTER METZGER and JIM ARMSTRONG. That was a swell teaser of a party . . . join us in June for the big affair.

Along with the glad news we have some sad news. HANK WURZER sent me a copy of a letter to JIM ARMSTRONG: "MILTON LEACH of our class, who originally came from Faribault, Minn., and has lived in Davenport for the last eight or ten years, died December 5th." Hank called personally and also extended sympathy on behalf of the Class of 1925 with our usual Mass card. The Alumni office just learned of the death of EUGENE J. STEURLE of 1439 Willow Ave., in Louisville, Ky. Gene died last July 10th. A high Mass was said for Gene also. Our deepest sympathy goes to the wives and families of these two classmates.

The Mass Fund could stand a few more dollars. A partial report from HANK WURZER indicates that you will get a full report when you come in June. "Over the past nine years there has



FORT WAYNE—Among alumni and sons gathered at the Keenan Hotel for the Fort Wayne Club's annual Notre Dame Communion breakfast were (l. to r.) Bob O'Reilly, son of alumnus R. E. O'Reilly and a junior at Central Catholic High; Stan Colligan, son of Joseph P. Colligan and a soph at C.C.H.S.; Mr. Colligan, who was chairman of the event; Rev. Stanley J. Parry, C.S.C., head of the N.D. political science department and guest speaker on the First Amendment; and Paul O. Schirmeyer, Club president.

been contributed to the Mass Fund, \$782.00 by 185 different members of the class and some have contributed more than once. The sum of \$711.00 has been expended which is all for Mass stipends, except the cost of the memorial cards that are issued and distributed each five years carrying the names of the deceased class members and the date of their death, together with appropriate prayers for the dead. The idea and purpose is that they be carried in the missals and prayer books of the class members.

"Over the ten year period there have been a total of 106 Masses offered for the deceased members of the class. Sixty for all the deceased members and forty-six of the Masses were offered for the individual members." HANK WURZER, our treasurer, has done a splendid job on this Mass Fund. HANK'S full report was given by me at the Class Secretaries Conference on January 16th at Morris Inn on the campus. Our class was the first to start a Mass Fund so let's keep it going! Let Hank know how you feel about this Fund and mail him a few bucks along with a little news about yourself. SEE YOU IN JUNE . . . you will be glad you came.

From the Alumni Office:

A. J. PORTA, executive vice president of Studebaker-Packard, has taken on another of many responsibilities as Sister Madeleva's appointee to the chairmanship of the Michiana President's Council of St. Mary's College across the highway. A member of the Council since its inception, he's also a director of the South Bend Chamber of Commerce, Committee of 100, St. Joseph's Hospital and the United Fund.

JOHN W. BRENNAN is six times a grandfather with the arrival of Kathleen Ann, fourth child and second daughter of son Jim, '36, and his wife Maureen.

1926 Rudy Goepfrich
1109 N. Cleveland Ave.
South Bend 28, Ind.

According to an article in the Tampa Tribune, our MARK MOONEY has been elected president of the Notre Dame Club of the Florida West Coast. Congratulations, Mark! Since then, Mark wrote that the Club is quite active in promoting activities for its members. They had smokers during the N.D.-Iowa and N.D.-Michigan State Football games, a Christmas dinner and dance at the Sunset Country Club, and are planning a beach party for June.

Mark also writes that JIM GLYNN is back in the paper box business with St. Regis Paper Company, and that AL JOHANNES just returned from a world tour and looks great.

DAN O'NEILL, who is with the Holophone Company, illuminating engineers using the coined word "illumineering" to describe their business, called at my company, Bendix, on business and we had a very enjoyable chat. He advised that TOM FARRELL had just returned home from the hospital after an operation there. We hope you're up and around by now, Tom. Dan also said he

sees DR. GERRY HAYES frequently and that they had dinner together recently.

I had lunch with JOHN RYAN, our president, on a recent trip to Chicago. We talked some about plans for our 1961 reunion, which is drawing nigh. We would be glad to get some suggestions from you fellows on interesting events which we might include in our program. After lunch, while walking down the street, John and I met JOE BAILEY and we had a ten-minute visit on the sidewalk. Joe is an attorney in Chicago. John and Ona Ryan visited at our house after one of the football games. We had some highballs and lots of conversation. John said that he had seen JIM STACK and DOC GELSON at one of the games.

Last Fall, Mrs. G. and I took the Redden-Notre Dame Football Tour which consisted of a week's stay at Waikiki Beach in Hawaii, and then the California-Notre Dame football game at Berkeley, California on the way home. It was a very enjoyable trip and we liked the outcome of the game. While in Hawaii, we met a couple of Notre Dame men in Honolulu. TOM FLYNN, '33, went to the Island in the late '30s as an employee of the FBI. He now has his own law business and is doing well. BILL HANNIFIN has been on the Island for 23 years, first as an employee of the U.S. Treasury Department, then as a manufacturer's agent for clothing and soft goods, which required a lot of traveling in the Far East, and now in the real estate business. We had nice visits with both of them.

RAY DURST, our past president, and his wife Grace, were at Notre Dame for an Alumni Board meeting and Mrs. G. and I had a short but pleasant visit with them on Sunday morning after Mass. At that time, Ray was still "taking it easy."

DENNIS O'NEILL sent a beautiful photographic Christmas card, showing, in groups, his family and his children's families—real neat.

Your secretary was confined to the hospital with a case of acute hypertension in January. As a consequence, he missed the Notre Dame Class Secretaries Conference which was held at Notre Dame on January 15, 16 and 17. He was on the program to talk on a very fascinating subject, i.e., "Drinking at Reunions." In his absence, the assignment was ably handled by good old Jim Armstrong. (Ed. Note: The assignment seemed a natural for the top Bendix "skid prevention" expert, Rudy. But the hypertension suggests that in your work you haven't learned to put on the brakes. JL)

1927 Clarence J. Ruddy
32 S. River St.
Aurora, Ill.

While I was in Pittsburgh a few months ago, I looked up PINKY MARTIN. Although no one in school realized it, Pinky's name is "Charles." I find that this characteristic still persists because his name in the telephone directory is carried as "Pinky." In any event, Pinky and I got together a couple of times. He and his wife graciously called for me at the hotel on Sunday morning, took me to Church and gave me a delicious breakfast. Pinky is employed by the Pennsylvania Insurance Department. He still maintains his interest

in athletics and officiates at games involving boys' teams. He brought me up to date on a couple of other classmates. PHIL LO PRESTI lives in Johnstown, Pennsylvania, has been in the General Assembly at Harrisburg for several terms and is a recognized leader of the legislature. NEIL GALONE is doing well with the Bell Telephone Company.

I ran into VAN WALLACE in the cafeteria at Notre Dame during one of the football games last fall. His mother and other members of his family were with him. He enjoys seeing the games as much as any of the rest of us, and also like the rest of us enjoys it more when the team wins.

Following the Navy Game, FRANK MORAN, TOM DUNN, LEO (Butch) HERBERT, MARC FIEHRER and his friend CHARLES EBERLE, LEWIS WOODKA, GENE KNOBLOCK, MIKE SWYGERT, LES (or Bill) TRAVIS, BILL VOOR, JACK DAILEY and myself got together with our wives and had dinner. Not all of these men are classmates, but those who were not, soon realized that by their sheer good fortune they happened to be associated with representatives of the Class of 1927.

I received a letter from JIM BROWN stating that he, like TOMMY GREENE, has a daughter at Barat College. She will graduate in June of this year. Jim's home is formerly Springfield, Mass., but is now living in Katonah, New York. He is Treasurer of South American Minerals and Merchandise Corporation in New York City.

As I write these notes I have just returned from a conference of Class Secretaries which was held in the Morris Inn. Frankly, I must say that other Classes seem to do a lot better in exchanging news than we do. I believe this is a situation that should be remedied, and I think it will be.

Within the next month or so, I intend to send out a questionnaire to all members of the Class. I hope you will fill it out carefully. I know you will all want to revive the associations that we made years ago. After all, our 35th Reunion is only a little more than two years away, and as we all must know by now, two years pass all too quickly. Everyone had better begin now to make his plans. May I gently point out that some of us may not have too many Reunions to look forward to? In order to make the next event successful, committees will have to be appointed and a real effort made to get as large an attendance as possible.

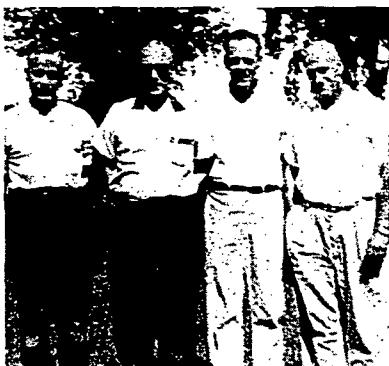
1928 Louis F. Buckley
68-10 108th St.,
Forest Hills 75, N.Y.

In the death of RON RICH on November 25 in South Bend the Class lost one of its most distinguished and loyal members. Ron has been a professor at Notre Dame since 1931 and head of the Department of Chemical Engineering since 1942. He is survived by his wife, two sons and a daughter and a grandson. Ron is listed in "Who's Who in America," "Who's Who in Engineering" and "American Men of Science." I could always depend on Ron for help in arranging for reunions and in getting out mailings to engineers. VINCE CARNEY had a note from Ron in October expressing his regrets at not being able to attend our Class cocktail party this year. He asked at that time for us to keep him in our prayers. The Class arranged for FATHER MULREANY, C.S.C., to offer a Mass for Ron. Father Andy, who represented the Class at the wake, said he had dinner with Ron and ANDY BOYLE in September while JOE REPETTI was at Notre Dame enrolling his boy as a freshman.

ED RAFTER called my attention to the deaths of two men who were well known to our Class, FRED COLLINS on September 25 at Lakeside, Mich., and JOHN BULFIN, '29, who was a teacher in the Chicago public high schools. TIM TOOMEY of Boston advised of the death of Dr. JOE SULLIVAN's father in Holyoke recently. Dr. Joe returned from Nicaragua in October and now lives at the Bethesda East Apartments, 405 East West Highway, Bethesda, Md. BILL BROWN of Milwaukee wrote regarding the deaths of Father JAMES McDONALD, C.S.C., and Father PATRICK CARROLL, C.S.C.

Father ANDY MULREANY, C.S.C., offered a Mass on December 6 for all deceased members of the Class of '28. Father JIM MSHANE, S.J., offered a Mass for our deceased classmates on November 1.

The '28 Class' fourth annual cocktail party, held following the Northwestern game, in



Memories of 1931-32, when they were all on campus at once (a record perhaps?), were awakened at a recent reunion of the four Locher brothers: (from left) Paul, '38, who also attended '31-'33, won an M.A. from Harvard, a Ph.D. from the Sorbonne, Paris, and is now professor of history at Georgetown; Dr. Robert, '34 (M.D. Iowa), now a general practitioner in Cedar Rapids; John, '35 (Juris Doctor '36), practicing law in Cedar Rapids; and Cy, '33 (LL.B. Iowa), now a lawyer in Monticello, Iowa.

O'Shaughnessy Hall was another great success. We are indebted to our Class President, JIM ALLAN, who worked with the Alumni Office in planning the affair. VINCE CARNEY took care of the cost of printing and mailing return postcards to the whole class, and BERNIE GARBBER contacted classmates in the New York area with cards. The following classmates who have attended all the prior class cocktail parties were on hand again this year: JIM ALLAN, JACK CANIZARO, FRANK CREADON, JOE DORAN, AUGIE GRAMS, JOE HILGER, ED McKEOWN, JOE MORRISSEY, BILL H. MURPHY and CHARLIE SCHUESSLER. Those present this year who had attended one or two previous class cocktail parties included NEIL AMIOT, GUS JENKINS, DICK QUINLAN, ED RAFTER, VINCE WALSH, VINCE CARNEY, FRANK DONOVAN, MIKE HOGAN, FRANK McGARTHY, ARNOLD THOMA, RAY MULLIGAN, BERNIE SCHUH and BOB MOHLMAN. The following classmates attended for the first time: JIM CONMEY, DR. MARCUS FARRELL, BERNIE BIRD, GEORGE KELLEY, BILL LEAHY, LEO McINTYRE, JOE REPETTI, and JOHN RICKFORD. The wives and children of a number of classmates were also in attendance at the affair. Those of you who were not able to be present this year should make plans to attend next year. JIM ALLAN hopes to arrange for another party next year following the Michigan State game at Notre Dame on October 15. Mark your new 1960 calendar now and plan to order seats for that game.

The following comment from MIKE HOGAN is typical of those received: "Just a word of thanks for the very fine time we from Fort Wayne had at the cocktail party after the Northwestern game. It was very worthwhile. Frankly, I wouldn't miss any of our get-togethers for the world. FRANK McGARTHY stopped in today to say what a fine time he and his daughter had." FRANK CREADON observed, "It was the best party we have had. There was much more room, which afforded more time to renew friendships. JIM ALLAN, VINCE CARNEY and the others who promoted the affair deserve a big 'thank you.'"

The Class cocktail party was not only a huge social success, but it also netted the Class treasury about \$100.00. In addition, the following classmates who were guarantors of the affair contributed a total of \$140.00 to the Class treasury: JIM ALLAN, BILL KEARNEY, DICK PHELAN, AUGIE GRAMS, JOE MORRISSEY, FRANK DONOVAN, HOWIE PHALIN and ED McKEOWN.

Thanks to ART CANTY of Los Angeles, I received a copy of the October, 13, 1959, issue of the Los Angeles Times announcing the appointment by Governor Brown of MERVIN A. AGGELER of Santa Monica as Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California. Judge Aggeler

served as Deputy District Attorney of Los Angeles County, 1946 to 1954, and as Judge of the Municipal Court, Los Angeles County, 1955 to 1959. After being graduated in our Class he received his LL.B. degree at Loyola University of Los Angeles. He was married in 1935. He served overseas in the North African and Italian campaigns from 1942 to 1946. You will recall Mervin rooming with JOHN CAVANAUGH, JOHN GOCKE and BILL MURPHY near me in Freshman Hall.

FRANK CREADON sent a picture from the Chicago Tribune of November 18, 1959, of Judge JOHN LYONS taking the oath of office of the Illinois Superior Court Judge after having been re-elected recently to his second term on this court. John previously served as Probate Judge in Cook County and as a member of the State Parole Board. He was married in 1934 and has one son, 14 years of age.

In November I had a very enjoyable luncheon get-together in New York with BERNIE GARBBER, GEORGE CRONGEYER, EDWIN F. BRENNAN, FRANK FLYNN and TIERNEY O'ROURKE. It was the first time I had seen ED BRENNAN since our 25-year reunion. Ed is with the Burlington Industries, Inc., in New York and has six daughters, ages 9 to 22. GEORGE CRONGEYER, who is still single, is with the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., and TIERNEY O'ROURKE, the New York Life Insurance Co. FRANK FLYNN, who is an attorney with an English insurance company, had just returned from the Navy game and had attended the '29 class cocktail party.

My scouts report that the following classmates were seen at the North Carolina game: NEIL AMIOT, JIM CONMEY, DON O'MEARA, JIM KEARNS, BILL KEARNEY, JOE HILGER, ED McKEOWN, JIM ALLAN, BILL MURPHY, JOHN IGOE and HERB McCABE. JACK WINGERTER, LARRY STADLER, TOM RODGERS and BILL DOWDALL attended the Navy game. DON RAU and JAMES KELLEY were seen at the Michigan State game. LARRY O'CONNOR, JOE HILGER and JIM ALLAN had lunch at MIKE RICK'S home before the Purdue game. ART MILLER was up from Fort Wayne for the Southern California game.

ED RAFTER met JOHN CAVANAUGH recently in Chicago. John is a partner in the law firm of McDermott, Will and Emery. John was hospitalized at the time of our 30th reunion and was highly disappointed to have missed it. He was very busy as Chairman of his Milwaukee high school reunion last June. John has five children, 5 to 18 years. CHARLIE SCHUESSLER's son, who is a member of the Notre Dame golf team, led the field in a junior tournament in Chicago last summer.

I was successful in digging up some news on several classmates about whom we have had no word in some time. DON O'MEARA is in the tavern business in Peoria. His address is Apartment E, 101 South Glen Oak. JOHN (RED) LAHEY is working as head pharmacist for the Illinois State Hospital in Dixon. JOE HORAN is with General Electric in Erie, Pa. His address is 207 W. 40th St. FRANK McGARTHY is office manager of the Evangeline Milk Co. in Fort Wayne. Frank has a daughter at St. Francis College, another in high school, and an eighteen-month old baby. Are there any other Class babies? FRANK G. GUARNIERI is kept busy delivering babies as chief of the OB Department of St. Joseph's Hospital in Warren, Ohio. Frank has four children, ages 6 to 20. His daughter graduated from Georgetown Visitation Junior College last year. Frank has a son who is a pre-med at Notre Dame. BURT TOEPP, who is with Bendix Aviation Corp. in South Bend, has four children and one grandchild. He has a son at Notre Dame and another at St. Joseph's College. Burt's daughter joined the Daughters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul in 1956 and is now a student at Marillac College in Missouri. ART MITTIGUY, who is in the wholesale drug business in Burlington, Vermont, has three children and four grandchildren. His daughter is in the graduate school of Boston College.

I talked to HAROLD CANAVAN in Albany recently. Harold is senior parole officer in charge of the interstate bureau for the State of New York. He has two boys and a girl. One boy is at Niagara University and the other was graduated from St. Michael's College this year.

VINCE CARNEY and his wife of Rochelle, Illinois, drove to New York following the Northwestern game to give a report on the Class cocktail party. Vince showed us all around New York City in his Volkswagen. He has a son at

St. Bede College and a daughter at St. Catherine's. He also visited FRANK (DUKE) DUQUETTE in New York. Duke is with General Electric here. He has a son at Dartmouth. Vince stopped on his return trip to see HENRY DAVIS at St. Mary's, West Virginia. Henry has been with the Quaker State Oil Company there for some 27 years. He has one daughter with children, making Henry one of the proudest grandpas in the South. VINCE CARNEY saw JOE HILL, '29, in San Francisco recently. Joe is with the First Western Bank. Vince also visited JOE NETTLETON on his ranch in Idaho.

I have reports of a number of other get-togethers. LARRY WINGERTER and his son visited FATHER ANDY MULREANY, C.S.C., at his new parish, St. Pius X in Granger, Indiana. FRANK CREADON recently sang with the Paulist Choir in JOE DORAN's parish in Weaton, Illinois. Joe and his wife entertained a group of them at his home after the concert. Joe is with Sears Roebuck Co. in Chicago and Frank is with Metropolitan Life there. BILL MURPHY made a sales survey in Arkansas in November and talked to KIRWAN WILLIAMS. I visited BILL COYNE, '27, in Washington recently. Bill's son is at the medical school at the University of Maryland. He mentioned that he saw HENRY HASLEY, who has a son at Georgetown Medical School. MIKE HOGAN's oldest boy is finishing his last year as a marine physician at Camp Pendleton and has accepted a residency in pediatrics at the Indiana University Medical Center.

ED MOWERY of Forest Hills, N. Y., Pulitzer Prize winning feature writer for the Newhouse chain of newspapers, was awarded a special citation from the Catholic War Veterans for a seven-article series on J. Edgar Hoover and the F.B.I. published earlier this year. Ed addressed the Americanism Committee at the American Legion convention in Minneapolis this fall.

I noted in newspaper reports recently where HOWIE PHALIN, executive vice president of Field Enterprises Education Corp., has taken on the duties of director of sales. JIM ALLAN has been promoted to second vice president of Lumberman's Mutual Casualty Co. and American Motorists Insurance Company in the Kemper organization.

Dr. WILLIAM MCGEE of Riverdale, N. D., was at St. Mary's Hospital in Rochester for surgery in October. FATHER CHARLES HAMEL, C.S.C., who has been at the University of Portland for the past 21 years, offers Mass on occasions for our deceased classmates. CLARK WALLACE goes to the same church in Rochester as JOE GERAGHTY and DON CORBETT. Clark has four children and is a grandfather. His oldest boy graduated from John Fisher College. Clark is a cost supervisor with the American Brake Shoe Plant in Rochester. JOHN HERBERT is manager of the Will and Baumer Candle Co. in Boston. CARROLL PINKLEY sees Father JIM MESHANE, S.J., regularly. Carroll has been on crutches recently with a broken ankle, so was unable to make the Class cocktail party. GEORGE WAGNER was unable to make it as he was in Mexico for five months at the time. Colonel LEO SCHULTHEIS is now stationed at Fort Totten, N. Y. BILL BROWN spent two weeks at Harvard and six weeks in Europe this fall. He arrived in Boston shortly after I moved to New York, so I missed him there.

LES FLEWELLING has been elected president of the Sunland-Tujunga Democratic Club in California for the third time. His son is also active in Democratic party circles in California. Les is with the Southern California State Dental Laboratory Society. Please keep me advised of activities of '28 men in politics this year.

JOE LANGTON wrote from Peoria that he visited RAY MULLIGAN, JOE GRIFFIN, ED BRENNAN and DICK PHELAN in Chicago. JOE GRIFFIN has a daughter at St. Mary's. JOE LANGTON's two daughters are at Mt. St. Scholastica College at Atchison, Kansas.

I had lunch with ED BROUGHEL who has been with General Electric Company in specialty sales work. He recently transferred to Winchester Electronics Co. in Norwalk, Conn. Joe has four children. His oldest boy is at Fairfield College.

BERNIE GARBER and your Class Secretary met with our Class President JIM ALLAN in New York to discuss '28 Class matters.

I saw ED BURKE and GEORGE CRONGEYER at the Communion breakfast of the Notre Dame Club of New York. Ed and George are still single. Ed is with the Ruppert Brewery and George is with Metropolitan Life. I had lunch recently in New York with another one of the

bachelors in the Class, BILL MURPHY of Chicago. Father MARK FITZGERALD, C.S.C., and I had dinner with BILL JONES and his family when we were in Washington attending meetings of the economic associations.

My annual round-up of '28 men with sons at Notre Dame is as follows: ED ABEL (CM 3), JOE BAIRLEY (AB 1), JIM ALLAN (AB 4), BERNARD BIRD (SC 3), JACK CANIZARO (EG 3), CHARLEY CASH (EG 4), DON CORBETT (AB 4), FRANK CREADON (CM 4), BILL CRONIN (AB 3), EMMET DOHANY (CM 4), MARCUS FARRELL (SC 3), CHRISTIE FLANAGAN (AB 1), PETE GALLAGHER (CM 2), MAX GAUTHIER (CM 1), FRANK GAURNIERI (SC 2), JIM HARTLEY (CM 1), JOE HILGER (CM 4), BILL KEARNEY (CM 3), GUY LORANGER (AB 2), LEO MCINTYRE (AB 1), ED MCKEOWN (CM 4), JOHN MCSORLEY (CM 2), JOE S. MORRISSEY (EG 3), ORVILLE MURCH (AB 3), DICK PHELAN (AB 4), ED PHILBIN (EG 2), JOE REPETTI (SC 1), MIKE RICKS (AB 3), LEO J. ROZUM (AB 3), VINCENT WALSH (CM 3), FRANCIS WILSON (CM 1). CHARLIE TOPPING has two sons at Notre Dame, one a freshman and the other a junior in A.B. I also noted that three of our deceased classmates, FRANCIS BEGGAN (LW 3), JOHN McMAHON (AB 3) and EARL LAMBOLEY have sons at Notre Dame. Please let me know if we missed any classmates with sons at Notre Dame.

The sympathy of the Class is extended to ROGER BRESLIN on the death of his mother on December 20. Roger, according to the recently issued American Catholic Who's Who, is still practicing law in Hackensack, N. J., and has five children, ages 12 to 22.

1929 Larry Stauder Engineering Bldg. Notre Dame, Indiana

The recent conference, on the campus, of Class Secretaries left your secretary with a fund of ideas for the future. After sitting in on discussions of class reunion plans for June of 1960, I frankly and sincerely wish that it was our year to return.

FATHER DOREMUS is celebrating the fiftieth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood this year. He and his associates, Fathers MATTHEW WALSH, EUGENE BURKE, THOMAS BURKE, PETER HEBERT, PATRICK HAGGERTY, THOMAS STEINER, THOMAS IRVING and BERNARD LANGE, to mention a few, as well as lay faculty members of their age group, are to be especially invited to be present at several reunion functions. In the past, some of you have been disappointed because of not being able to meet more of your former rectors and teachers. Efforts will be made in the future to have them present.

Perhaps it is the fact that I am becoming better acquainted with those who are returning for Class reunions and get-togethers that makes them more enjoyable. Whatever the reason, the anticipation is there for me, and I trust for many of you.

LOUIS BUGCKLEY, '28; AL LESMEZ, '45; LOUIS BRUGNER, '23; FRANK HOCHREITER, '35, and JOHN HURLEY, '25—all model Class Secretaries of highly organized and active classes—have the energy and find the time to produce results far beyond that of your secretary. Perhaps with improved organization, and your cooperation, we can narrow the gap.

Those who returned in June for our thirtieth reunion will recall signing the album for the Superior General of the Holy Cross Fathers, FATHER CHRISTOPHER O'TOOLE. His gracious letter of acknowledgment follows:

How exquisitely thoughtful it was of all my classmates, gathered at Notre Dame for the thirtieth annual reunion, to present this personally autographed precious souvenir album. I wish that I were in a position to thank personally the distinguished members of the Class. In any case, all these signatures will recall for me the talented personalities they represent, as well as those priceless, happy student-days we spent together under the protection of Our Lady.

"Although my work makes it practically impossible for me to attend the annual reunions, nevertheless I am with you in spirit. Although we are widely separated, the same spiritual and intellectual ideals bind us closely together.

"With renewed gratitude and with the prayerful wish that the future will bring a great share of joy and success to all members of the Class of

'29, I am faithfully yours,
(Rev.) CHRISTOPHER J. O'TOOLE, C.S.C."

A funeral Mass was said in Sacred Heart Church for the mother of Father O'Toole in December. She was buried in Cedar Grove Cemetery adjacent to the campus. Kindly remember her in your prayers.

Word still gets back that our post-Navy game Class of '29 get-together of about 40 classmates and their wives and guests was our best yet. Is it too early to plan for a publicized meeting place for '29ers in Philadelphia after the 1960 Navy game? Are you reading this, JOE LENIHAN, JIM GALLAGHER, GAY HAAS, JOHN HINKLE, LARRY MOORE and JIM CURRY?

Is there popular support for a post-Michigan State game get-together of '29ers on the campus this fall? From JOHN P. MANNING, Industrial Engineer, Silver Springs, Md., we learn that ED GAGE in Detroit had a daughter graduate from Sacred Heart in Detroit the same week end as our class reunion. Ed has a large Oldsmobile Agency in Detroit and a Cadillac Agency in Wichita, Kansas. John Manning and wife, Frances, have two sons. John, Jr., age 27 was a 1958 graduate of Kent State U., Ohio. His major was Geology. Charles, who is six, is partisan to Notre Dame.

Thanks to HUGH McMANIGAL, we have this relayed letter from BERNIE KEARNS of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

"As you may remember, I was one of that 'select' group of Pop Greenes' Pharmacy students and, I'm still in the drug business as manager of The Pinex Company.

"Dolores and I have six kids from 4 to 22. Tom, the oldest is a senior at Xavier in Cincinnati. Jerry is next and a sophomore at Notre Dame. Molly is in high school. Kathleen and Dennis are in grade school. Kevin stays home to keep his mother company. We're all disgustingly healthy. . . .

"I would like to hear from JACK GREY, EARL JOHNSON, JIM COUGHLIN, HOWARD DOLL, MANNIE VEAZEY, ELI LEONILLE. I'd prefer not hearing from any of those west side home-brew purveyors who ruined my taste for beer back in the 'Roaring 20's.'"

BILL CRONIN, 1250 Fifty-third Street, Oakland, Calif., wrote as follows last June:

"Dear Classmates of '29: I had hoped until the last minute that I would be able to coincide a trip I had to make to our factory in Dayton, Ohio, with the Class Reunion, but, unfortunately, it did not come to pass and I will not be present even though I swore I would. . . .

"A quick run-down on myself is that I am now Branch Manager of the Frigidaires Sales Corporation in Oakland and my wife's name is Janet and we have four children: Jennifer, 15; Peter, 13; Timothy, 8; and Janet, Jr., 2½. We have just recently purchased a new home and are living at El Camino Tassajara, Diablo, California. We have a small guest house and if any of you are ever in the area we want you to be sure and pay us a visit.

"I would enjoy very much hearing from any of you and would enjoy carrying on a correspondence."

JAMES E. DIGAN, Logansport, Indiana; was recently made Vice-President and National Sales Agent of Hadlock and Temte who specialize in miniature precision die castings. Jim, a faithful reunion patron, has three daughters, Kiane Mary (29) (Jennings), Patricia Ann (22) (Owen) and Kathleen Elizabeth (8). Granddaughter Karen (Owen) has more than her share of the family's attention.

ELMO MOYER, STEVE DURBIN and others who roomed at 1121 N. Notre Dame Avenue, as well as most day-dogs, will recall Clarence I. Peterson of the Peterson "Smiles at Miles" Trucking firm. Mr. Peterson retired several years ago. On January 22 he suffered a fatal heart attack. He is survived by Mrs. Peterson and by a daughter, Mara Jane.

JOE McNAMARA was elected Vice President of Bridgeport Brass Company in April 1959. He was recently elected to the Board of Directors of the Notre Dame Law Association. Joe, former Class Secretary, resides at Pine Tree Corner, Stepney Depot, Connecticut. He writes that: DAVE LEHMAN of Juggler fame is a success story in



B. Kearns

Notre Dame. Molly is in high school. Kathleen and Dennis are in grade school. Kevin stays home to keep his mother company. We're all disgustingly healthy. . . .

CASUAL READING FOR FUN AND PROFIT

*A Broker's Prospectus on Some Recent Issues
of Light-but-Rewarding Literary Securities*

INTRODUCTION: LEISURE READING AS AN INVESTMENT

By John T. Frederick

A FRIEND of mine who is of a mathematical turn of mind once undertook to find out what portion of his life he was destined to spend in the act of shaving. My friend has a large face and a tough beard. He found, by repeated timing, that the whole ritual from lather to lotion consumed an average of fully six minutes. My friend's occupation is such that he feels obligated to shave seven days a week. For round numbers he called it 40 minutes a week. He allowed himself two weeks for fishing trips, when he would shave rarely if at all, and came up with 2,000 minutes a year, or some 33 hours. At the time he made this study my friend's "expectation," in the pleasant phrase of the life insurance companies, indicated that from the time he began to shave daily until presumably he would no longer need to do so would be a term of 44 years. At 33 hours a year that gave the somewhat dismaying total of 1,452 hours — more than 36 40-hour weeks: nine months of his working life, spent in front of a glass scraping his face.

Let me hasten to say that I am not starting a crusade for the return of the beard. I tell this story simply to illustrate the fact that all of us invest very substantial portions of our lives in unconsidered daily activities.

One of these is reading, of three distinct kinds. First there is the reading we do to be informed of daily events, "to keep up with the world" — reading of newspapers and news magazines. For most of us this is a natural, enjoyed, and more or less necessary investment of our time. Second, there is the reading we do in direct relation to our jobs: reading of business and professional books and periodicals. This too has definite practical importance and reward. There remains the reading we do for its own sake: reading for entertainment, for relaxation, as a hobby, for significant pleasure. For many men and perhaps for more women, the aggregate time given to reading we don't have to do, reading that has no immediate necessity or practical purpose, may add up to far larger portions of our lives than my friend's investment in the act of shaving.

This investment of time — which is, after all, about

the only thing we as human beings have to invest, it is not? — can be actually lost, wholly unprofitable, because unconsidered and undirected. If our leisure reading is haphazard, done as we sometimes say "to kill time," the phrase may have a fatal accuracy. On the other hand, this portion of our lives can be in the highest degree enjoyable, fruitful, and profoundly rewarding, to our permanent and ever-increasing enrichment as human persons. The reviews in this and succeeding issues of the *Notre Dame Alumnus* are meant to offer varied and illuminating suggestions of books which are likely to make you feel that the time you spend in reading them is well invested.

JOHN T. FREDERICK, professor of English and (since 1958) head of the English department, took his A.B. and A.M. degrees at the State University of Iowa. He edited *The Midland*, an influential journal of regional writing in the twenties and thirties. Joining the faculty in 1930, he conducted the CBS radio series "Of Men and Books" for many years while on leave from Notre Dame at Northwestern University. Contributor of a regular column on books to the *Rotarian* magazine, Prof. Frederick is author and editor of several books and anthologies including the two-volume *American Literature* and, with the late Rev. Leo L. Ward, C.S.C., the *English composition* text *Reading for Writing*.

FICTION: LEGENDS, MYTHS AND OFT-TOLD TALES

By Richard Sullivan

RICHARD T. SULLIVAN teaches creative writing as a professor of English and staff member of Notre Dame's Workshops in Writing. He was graduated from the University in 1930 and joined the faculty in 1936 after study at the Art Institute and Goodman School of Drama, Chicago, and free-lance writing for magazines and radio. He has published a collection of his short stories in the volume *The Fresh and Open Sky*; a rhapsody about his alma mater entitled *Notre Dame*, and several novels, including *Summer After Summer*, *The Dark Continent*, *The World of Idella May*, *First Citizen*, *311 Congress Court* and *The Three Kings*.

THE ONCE AND FUTURE KING.

MAYBE it is true that there are some stories so wonderfully good in themselves that over the centuries they constantly demand retelling. As times change and attitudes shift these stories seem to insist upon keeping up with the contemporary mode of fiction, in which, as ever, they reflect the unchanging verities of human nature and illuminate our common and continuing existence.

In *The Once and Future King* T. H. White has taken a set of such old stories and has made them new and absolutely fascinating. This big book — which consists of three separate earlier published novels, one severely cut, and all revised to unite with a new fourth novel in a single extraordinary work of story-telling — deals with the ancient adventures of King Arthur and of the assorted personages who long ago surrounded him.

Everybody knows the Arthurian stories in one form or another. Certainly none of us, reading as boys about the Knights of the Round Table, quite realized that something adulterous was going on between our hero Sir Lancelot

and the king's wife Guenever. Probably most of us never finished reading Sir Thomas Malory's highly readable fifteenth-century account of the goings on at Arthur's court. Yet we all remember, however dimly or distantly, certain high adventures we once shared, through reading, with the unforgettable figures of the adventurers who once chivalrously supported a now mythical king.

What T. H. White has done, picking and choosing among these high adventures, is to renew them in a big novel alive with wit and with wisdom. *The Once and Future King* is a book of gripping, dramatic narrative, of bright, fantastic comedy, and of profound, immediate insight. When White tells us how it feels to ride in full armor upon a horse, we sweat and clank, encased in iron, at a fast trot. When he tells us how it feels to be a fish, swimming, or a bird, flying, we know. For this is writing which conveys exactly the impression, the very sensation, of the experience it deals with. It is also precise in other ways. When Lancelot and the queen betray the king they both love, this novel — in a way uncommon in contemporary fiction — treats with delicacy and accuracy their grievous offense. They are rendered not as victims of glandular compulsion but as mortal human sinners, free and knowing.

There is great understanding, great compassion, great love, and — marvelously — great fun in this large novel. Indeed, *The Once and Future King* may sometime hence be called one of the rarest and most brilliant fictional achievements of our hurrying age.

THE ONCE AND FUTURE KING. By T. H. White.
New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons, 1959.
677 pp. \$4.95.

Also recommended:

BULFINCH'S MYTHOLOGY. By Thomas Bulfinch.
Modern Library Giant No. 14. New York:
Random House. 778 pp. \$2.95

THE GODSTONE AND THE BLACKY MOR. By T. H. White. New York: Putnam, 1959. 225 pp. \$3.95.

AUTOBIOGRAPHY: THE ANATOMY OF NOSTALGIA

By A. T. Smithberger

ON THE SUNNY SIDE OF A ONE-WAY STREET.

ANYONE who grew up in the early years of this century or who would care to go back to those early years to see what a Hoosier boyhood was like will find much refreshment and delight in the twenty-one chapters of *On the Sunny Side of a One-Way Street*. Those exciting years, from Bull Moose days to the upsurge of the Ku Klux Klan, with hyperbole at the beginning of the account and Harvard at the end, William E. Wilson, the author, now professor of English at Indiana University, relives for us until 1924, when he was ready for his second year of college and "was

beginning to discover, for the first time, what it meant to be a man."

Evansville is the immediate setting, with such towns as Poseyville and New Harmony not altogether disregarded. But the general background is the boyhood of this century, the time when automobiles (with the laprobe and the "Honk, honk!" or the "A-oo-ga, a-oooo-ga!" horn) had such names as Reo, Cole, Chandler, and Stearns Knight, not to mention the ubiquitous Model-T. At that time the Rayo bicycle was more prized by boys than the Bluebird. Then a boy told time by the sun or from an Ingersoll watch, perhaps read a book from a Globe-Werneck bookcase, listened to an

Professor ANDREW T. SMITHBERGER was formerly assistant head of the English department and currently serves as managing editor of the *Natural Law Forum*. He joined the faculty after graduation from Ohio University in 1925 and was awarded an A.M. by Notre Dame in 1927. An authority on the essay and the Romantic Period of English literature, he has published two college textbooks, *On Poetry and Essays: British and American*. Prof. Smithberger is a member of national and state College English Assns., the Indiana Academy of Sciences, Tau Kappa Alpha, Eta Sigma Phi and Lambda Chi Alpha fraternities.

Edison phonograph, saw a Biograph Picture — and was tortured at school with the Palmer Method of handwriting.

This book is chiefly a boy's story, a story of a city boyhood, charmingly and wistfully told. Most boys have raced or struggled through the ordinary experiences of home and school and work and play — and survived them! — but many have missed some of the unique experiences related here. Playmates and games, relatives and "drummers," county fairs and old-fashioned barbecues are no doubt com-

monplace enough. But what about having a birthday on February 12, in a good Democratic household? How about having three fathers? (Everyone has at least two — the real and the mythical. But who has the chance to discover that his own father has the same name as a character in a famous story by Poe?) Who has lived in a "shotgun house"? Or in a house with a built-in vacuum cleaner? And how may boys had to endure a "cast-iron belly" for a year or so? Or have a father not be re-elected to Congress because he would not consent to join the Klan?

In an easy, straightforward manner Professor Wilson tells us of the amusing and sometimes distressing experiences of his growing up, at work and at play. This is a richly evocative book, with many passages of such wit and delight that one will come back to them for a least a second reading.

ON THE SUNNY SIDE OF A ONE-WAY STREET.
By William E. Wilson. New York: Norton,
1958. 223 pp. \$3.75.

Also Recommended:

ACT ONE: AN AUTOBIOGRAPHY. By Moss Hart.
New York: Random House, 1959. 444 pp.
\$5.00.

WHAT NEXT, DOCTOR PECK? By Joseph Howard
Peck, M.D. New York: Prentice-Hall, 1959.
209 pp. \$3.50.

CRITICISM: MASS MEDIA AND THE CAPTIVE IMAGINATION

By Robert E. Christin, Jr.

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THE IMAGE INDUSTRIES

THE title of Father Lynch's excellent book refers to the television and movie industries, industries that produce the images that in large part form our attitudes toward the world in which we live. Father Lynch's book is not another diatribe against the tawdriness of many movies and television programs, nor is it another of those books in which

the author places the blame on mass media for many of the ills of our society. Father Lynch fully approves of these media, and praises many movies and television programs. And his criticism is constructive: he elaborates on major problems and writes at length on what can be done to solve them.

Father Lynch is alarmed about harmful effect of movies and television on our imaginations, on our view of reality. He is concerned about "the monopoly of culture" exercised by these mass media, their "increasingly centralized management of the imagination of a whole nation." To remedy this situation, he calls on everyone in the audiences to exercise intelligence and imagination in becoming aware of what is happening. He specifically enlists the active support of four groups: the artists, the creative theologians, the critics, and the universities. Avoiding the usual statements about art versus morality, Fr. Lynch distinguishes carefully the work to be accomplished by each of the specialists listed above, cautioning against their tendency to interfere with each other, urging them to cooperate in a positive effort to improve our mass media.

In an important chapter on "Fantasy and Reality," the author emphasizes the need in any culture for some fantasy, but warns that we must always be aware of fantasy as fantasy. The danger presented by much of our television and movies is that fantasy is being presented in the guise of reality, creating a confusion among all of us as to what reality is.

Throughout his book, Fr. Lynch provides numerous examples of his major topics, and analyzes several current movies and television programs. His examples include such

seemingly disparate items as torch singers, cigarette commercials, Bing Crosby, the Japanese film, *Rashomon*, Dante's *Divine Comedy*, television weather analyzers, *The Ten Commandments*, *Bells of Saint Mary's*, *West Side Story*, *I The Jury*, *The Diary of Anne Frank*, Alfred Hitchcock, horror movies, *Paradise Lost*, and numerous other programs, movies, and plays.

What Father Lynch sees in all of these is something that the reader will see clearly once he has read Fr. Lynch's clear account, but something few readers would have otherwise noticed. The book is one of vital importance to everyone, and several television critics have alluded to it as one of the best analyses yet to appear.

THE IMAGE INDUSTRIES. By Father William F. Lynch, S.J. New York: Sheed and Ward, 1959. 159 pp. \$3.50.

Also Recommended:

AMERICAN CATHOLIC CROSSROADS. By Walter J. Ong, S.J. New York: Macmillan, 1959. 160 pp. \$3.50.

MASS CULTURE. Edited by Bernard Rosenberg and David White. Glencoe, Illinois: The Free Press, 1957. 561 pp. \$6.50.

HUMOR: ANECDOTE AS ANTIDOTE FOR BILE, PHLEGM AND BLACK MELANCHOLY

By Louis Hasley

Professor LOUIS HASLEY, assistant head of the English department, joined the faculty in 1931 with A.B. and A.M. degrees from the University. He was assistant dean of the College of Arts and Letters from 1942 to 1949 and was director of the Notre Dame Writers' Conference for four years. He has contributed articles, poetry and fiction to various magazines, including *America*, *The Sign*, *Saturday Review*, *Spirit and Tomorrow*. Prof. Hasley's specialty is the literature of American humor. His wife, humorist Lucile Hasley, is the author of *Reproachfully Yours*, *The Mouse Hunter*, and *Saints and Snapdragons*.

THE YEARS WITH ROSS.

A BOOK by America's greatest living humorous writer about one of the greatest editors of our time: this is James Thurber's *The Years With Ross*.

Unless you are just in from the back side of the foothills, you know who James Thurber is and are acquainted with some of his fantastically chaotic personal experience essays, his fables, his cartoons and, among his short stories, at least "The Secret Life of Walter Mitty." But you might have lived many years within shot-put range of Madison Avenue and not have heard of Harold Ross, founder (in 1925) of the celebrated *New Yorker* magazine and till his death from cancer in 1951 its first editor.

Ross himself was no sophisticated New Yorker to the manner born. His birthplace was Aspen, Colorado. He worked on newspapers in the far West and the South till he arrived in New York in 1919, following two years as editor in Paris of the overseas World War I magazine, *Stars and Stripes*. The book is packed with rich anecdotes of Ross's encounters with *New Yorker* contributors like Alexander Woollcott, Robert Benchley, Dorothy Parker and

Thurber himself. A blunt, conservative, naive, honest, profane man, he became, in Thurber's opinion, "by far the most painstaking, meticulous, hairsplitting detail-criticizer the world of editing has known." He felt that an editor had, metaphorically, to hold an artist's hand. The bluster the gruffness were real but they covered great kindness and solicitude for his temperamental stable of artists and writers. He did not respect people who wouldn't fight back and yell him down, but always, at the end of the yelling, it was, "All right. God bless you."

Ross had, in Charles MacArthur's phrase, "the charm of gaucherie." And, let us add, of naivete as well. He could join H. L. Mencken and Thurber in a conversation about Willa Cather and ask in all sincerity, "Willa Cather — did he write *The Private Life of Helen of Troy*?" He had to be told who William Blake was, and he once asked the magazine's checking department, "Is Moby Dick the whale or the man?" Some of his editorial queries fall into the near-classic category. "What woman? Hasn't been previously mentioned," he wrote when he became puzzled by a reference in a Perelman manuscript to "the woman taken in adultery."

Interesting as Ross is, few will regret that the book is nearly fifty per cent self-revelation on the part of Thurber. And all of it is in an unflawed, unmannered style, one that blends easy sophistication and mature objectivity. The humor arises unobtrusively, keeping intact the dignity of his subject in a book that is essentially a tribute to an incomparable editor, a long-time associate and a much-loved friend.

THE YEARS WITH ROSS. By James Thurber. Boston: Little, Brown and Company, 1959. 310 pp. \$5.00.

Also Recommended:

VERSES FROM 1929 ON. By Ogden Nash. Boston: Little, Brown, 1959. 522 pp. \$5.95.

THE RETURN OF HYMAN KAPLAN. By Leo Rosten. New York: Harper, 1959. 192 pp. \$3.50.

stocks and bonds in Washington, D. C., after a varied and highly commendable career in government. . . . LARRY MOORE is a valued asset of the Navy Department in Washington. . . . BOB SCHULZE is with Abbott Laboratories in El Central, California.

BARNEY J. HUGGER, formerly manager of Operations for American Airlines, Inc., in Cincinnati, was named manager in January.

30 YEAR REUNION Class of '30 JUNE 10-11-12

1930 Devere Plunkett
O'Shaughnessy Hall
Notre Dame, Indiana

By the time this edition reaches the newsstands, the members of the Class of 1930 will have received the first direct mailing on the Thirtieth Anniversary Reunion to be held, June 10-12. Everyone will have been notified of the main details concerning housing, meetings, and other affairs of the week end. Also, the Class will have been informed about the Reunion Gift that will be presented to the University.

Several meetings have been held on the campus involving present Class officers, the local reunion committee and JIM ARMSTRONG. The main attention centered on efforts to bring back the largest number of classmates ever recorded in one of our reunions. Many fellows living in different areas of the country have been asked to serve as regional representatives to publicize the Reunion and even coordinate transportation plans if necessary. The real success of the reunion in June will be measured by number of class members who return for a few days of visiting around the campus.

Class officers and the local committee for the reunion thought we should try to create an Anniversary Gift to the University that would be somewhat unique and directly felt by some students. So, the plan to create a fund from which seniors could borrow when they faced that last year and were strapped for funds. Every year some seniors fail to finish when they lack funds to get them over the hump. So, in the hope that no prospective graduates be lost for this reason, the reunion committee decided to highlight this Thirtieth Reunion by building a Seniors' Loan Fund. This would be handled by the University Committee on Student Loans under the direction now of REV. PAUL G. WENDEL, C.S.C. While the slogan is "Contribute Thirty Dollars for the Thirtieth Anniversary of the '30 Class," yet we hope to attract contributions larger than the slogan shoots for, and we will be forever grateful for smaller donations. I guess that covers about all categories.

FRAN MESSICK of the Associates Investment Company in South Bend is the chairman of the Local Reunion Committee. He has assigned the various tasks of the reunion to '30 classmates in the area, and he seems to have all spots covered. Fran's planning assures the best fun we have ever had at a reunion.

I should not take the space here to tell all the details of the reunion planning because that will be reaching you in several separate mailings. Try to make plans for your travel to South Bend. Check with fellows in the area who will likely be using the same kind of transportation as you. Try to be here. It will be the best gathering we have had in our reunion history.

The following notes and letters will carry much reunion information and should be of general interest to you.

JOE LORDI, to nobody's surprise, was unanimously elected to a second term as president of the New York Athletic Club.

TIM TOOMEY, one of the Class Veeps and a director of the Notre Dame Club of Boston, writes: "I am real pleased with the caption of the proposed drive for a loan fund for needy seniors, namely '\$30 for '30,' and I think if we aim our sights for such a fine fund we should have no trouble making it. We should not discourage those who want to give more than the minimum.

"You can count on me to do my share here in the East. I'll keep after the lads with postcards, notes, etc., and try to get an over-the-top partici-

pation in the Reunion. The ranks will be thinning after the 30th according to the mortality rate fellows. . . .

"I have been on a tightrope since the announcement of the two new American Cardinals. I didn't know whether my speaker, CARDINAL CUSHING, had to show up at the secret consistory set for December 14, the day after my affair. (Ed. Note: Tim was chairman of the Boston Club's N. D. Communion Breakfast at which the Cardinal, L.L.D., '48, was the principal speaker. See story and pix this issue. J.L.) I had engraved announcements, FATHER JOYCE coming from school, etc. A prayer to B.V.M. was answered. I learned. . . Cardinal Cushing was not going to Rome. He is a terrific man! . . . CARDINAL O'HARA must have told the Boston prelate I was "his boy," because I sincerely got the red carpet. . . I sat through the cloudburst in Pittsburgh (Nov. 14). I took my niece down with me in a chartered Boston Club plane. Saw no one I knew except PAT CANNY. . . DR. JOHN PREECE got married to an opera singer in London in October. I am awaiting details. . . .

"At the 25th Reunion I heard very favorable comment about the buffet put on by the 20-year class. They had various classmates donate provisions, booze, etc. Do we have anyone in the wholesale produce business in the South Bend-Chicago area. Set up a buffet in Lyons and keep it going until the boys leave like a smorgasbord. (Toomey thinks only of eating; I've got to—I don't drink.)

"I am sure the appeal '30 for '30 for the 30th' will go over. Get one of those short story writers on campus (DICK SULLIVAN, etc.) to come up with some unique appeal to give 30, 300 or 3,000 for the Class of '30 fund.

"Hand out a few awards—largest family, most grandchildren, longest distance, most visits to campus (other than South Benders), bachelors (I want to get one) who've done most for the class, etc. A flyer might tell the boys who are driving to hunt up others and bring them along. Seek out reduced airplane travel for groups of three or more. Bring the wife along if she won't let hubby go alone. . . .

"JACK CASSIDY called me. . . (one hour of gabbing like a couple of old maids). He brought greetings from New York and said MIKE BISHKO, ED DEMPSEY, JOHN DOLAN, JIM DILLEY, TIERNEY O'ROURKE, LARRY CRONIN and JOHN O'DONNELL were all well.

"Keep me posted and as soon as I get the go ahead sign with receipt of first announcement I'll contact everyone here with an appeal of my own.

"FATHER JIM RIZER, '31, has been ill and is at All Souls Hospital, Morristown, N.J. Remember him in prayer. My best to all."

JACK (JAMES G.) O'KEEFE, from his Skyline Farm in Ulster, Pa., sent in some interesting news items:

"A reception. . . in honor of one of our classmates, REV. WILLIAM E. BURCHILL, known to most of the Class as 'Bill' or 'Red'. . . was held in the parish school auditorium in nearby Towanda, which is not only the home town of Father Bill but also of FR. JIM RIZER and JIM COSTELLO. . . This was in another way a special occasion for the Class of '30, for you will note that the master of ceremonies was none other than our own LARRY WENIGER, now Rev. Lawrence Weniger, who also celebrated his silver jubilee last spring. Father Bill is pastor of a rural parish thirty miles east of here, while Father Larry is pastor of another rural parish twenty miles to the west. The honor of representing the laity of the class on this occasion fell on my shoulders. Also present was JOHN COLEMAN, '31. JIM CULLEN, '28, chosen as judge for this county, was unable to be present because of previous commitments. Jim won his position in a photo-finish election which was not finally decided until fourteen months after the polls closed. . . . On one trip last September (1958) I managed to get down to Logansport, Ind., to see TOM MEDLAND and his fine family. A week earlier I had seen JIM COSTELLO at the wedding of my eldest daughter; this was the first time we had seen one another in more than five years. Jim is the same dapper gentleman of college days, perfectly dressed and not a hair out of place; the only changes seem to be a slight increase in weight and a good bit of gray in the upper region.

"The main reason for my frequent visits to the campus is that my daughter Kay is now a junior at St. Mary's and son George is a sophomore at Notre Dame. Son Jimmy was at N.D. for a couple of years but transferred to St. Bonny's to be nearer home and started his senior year in the fall.

"Some of our class may be interested in a very strong resemblance which was first noticed by several of our younger children. When George arrived home with his copy of the 1959 DOME they got out the 1930 issue and started making comparisons. Could it be that the editors of this year's issue got hold of an old picture by mistake? PAUL A. O'CONNOR of East Orange, N.J., in the 1930 DOME and PAUL A. O'CONNOR of West Orange, N.J., in the 1959 DOME look like one and the same person. Relatives, perhaps? I haven't seen Dr. Bucky, Sr., since the early war years, although one of my daughters, a nurse, saw him frequently while working in a northern N.J. hospital during the past few years.

"My family is getting well scattered. Mrs. Jack received Mother's Day presents from four states, border to border and coast to coast. We have not become grandparents yet, but my minute now. A second R. N. and those already mentioned account for the five who have finished high school. There are still seven at home, including our four youngest plus a nephew and two nieces whose father met an untimely death several years ago and whose mother is incapacitated. I feel very strange without a couple of toddlers around, as our youngest is well past nine now. In a few more years, after these last seven have flown from the nest, we will probably devote our time for a few years to visiting our scattered offspring and getting acquainted with the new generation which we hope will be coming along in force by then.

"I expect to be on the campus for several days in mid-September, just before the fall semester opens, and will try to get in for a short visit at your office." (Secretary's note: Jack did come in and we had a delightful visit reminding about people in the 1930 class. D.T.P.)

AL SHIPACASSE, our treasurer and Ohio correspondent, wrote recently: "News of the planned reunion festivities struck a responsive chord. Specifically, the contemplated gift fund appears a most worthy and, withal, enduring contribution. If the powers-that-be feel my signature should be on the letters broaching the matter to the brethren involved. Presumably you contemplate that someone on the spot there will affix my signature thereon, always bearing in mind that the 'q' therein is silent like in 'billiard,' you know.

"A protest may arise from one quarter, though; namely, ART GALLAGHER, who may view anything with my name attached to it with a jaundiced eye and forthwith demand that the proposal be dusted off, turned over and the edges carefully scrutinized. Ours is a good-natured feud dating back to the morning we queued up in front of the Main Building to register. However, in order that Art may know that I'm acting in good faith, there is enclosed a check for the envisioned fund. What further proof can he ask that my hand is not quicker than his eye?

"Almost a year ago to the day, I had occasion to be in Celina, O. While I was there I visited with WALT BERNARD, who assured me that he was pointing for the forthcoming June reunion with that host of now almost legendary characters who sallied forth thirty years ago (almost) and subsequently astonished (?) the world with their grasp of affairs. Since seeing Walt I have had the good fortune to chat briefly with ANDY AMAN, DAN CANNON, JIM MURRAY, LARRY CRONIN and, last and too often, the aforementioned ARTHUR J. GALLAGHER, who resides twenty miles due east from where we live on the west side of Cleveland. He also assures me that, if he's warm, he'll grace the campus with his presence; if he can get a 'per'."

"Currently I can only suggest to the committee that word should be passed around to get plenty of sleep beforehand to compensate for perpetual motion engaged in when the clan gathers."

BRO. FRANCIS ENGLERT, C.S.C., '51, of Gil-mour Academy, Gates Mills, O., sent a note to the effect that we may be interested in knowing about the Academy, "one of the nation's leading preparatory schools conducted by the Brothers of Holy Cross." The enrollment includes many sons of alumni, and "a substantial portion of our graduating class enrolls at Notre Dame each year." For brochures and information, write to Bro. Francis, director of admissions.

Our sincerest sympathy goes to the wife of WALTER F. KOLB, who died of lung cancer in October after a long illness. Walt will be often in our prayers in June.

Mixed condolences and congratulations to WALTER PARENT in Santa Barbara, Calif. Walt, who lost his mother last September, has been appointed municipal court judge by Governor Brown.

1931 James T. Doyle
902 Oakton St.
Evanston, Illinois

From the Alumni Office:

JIM DOYLE, a headliner in Club-Class cooperation at the recent Class Secretaries Conference and still strengthening out the finances of the Chicago N. D. Club, is granting some of his space to these reunion classes in this overcrowded issue, but he would welcome news from all by May in preparation for the 30th anniversary, a little more than a year away.

Formerly a newspaperman, magazine writer, editor, fund-raising publicist, etc., and for the past ten years a public relations man, RICHARD J. O'DONNELL is now an account executive on the staff of M. K. Mellott Co., Pittsburgh and New York p.r. firm. A resident of Crafton, Pa., and native Pittsburgher, he has been associated with several corporations, hospitals and charitable organizations in the area, plus the Pittsburgh Symphony and CBS broadcasts of recent political conventions. The O'Donnells have four children.



R. J. O'Donnell

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

From the Alumni Office:

From the Land of Sky Blue Waters comes word that J. RAYMOND FOX has been named vice-president and assistant general manager of the western division for the Theo. Hamm Brewing Co. Slated to add the general manager's duties to his vice-presidency on May 21, Ray has been vice president in charge of sales for the Minneapolis Brewing Co. since 1935. Before that he had general and sales managerial positions with the Peter Fox and Bosch Brewing companies in Chicago and Houghton, Mich. Ray specialized at Siebel Institute of Technology in Chicago.

Almanac man RAYMOND A. GEIGER narrowly avoided adding another chore to his crowded calendar. So fast and far did Ray travel from his printing plant in Lewiston, Me., on his speaking circuit, addressing service clubs, appearing in radio, TV and newspaper interviews, etc., always plugging his Farmer's Almanac, that he seemed to be running from, rather than for, office on the Alumni Association Board of Directors. Our loss on campus, however, is our gain in Maine: Ray has been the "Maine-spring" (ouch!) of N. D. Club activity on the rock-bound Coast.

A mighty proud papa is WILLIAM T. KIRBY. Bill, who operates a law office and a tree farm around Waukegan, Ill., is basking in the glory reflected by son Jimmy, 13, and daughter Kathy, 15, since a Yuletide snowstorm panicked the Chicago area. Jim and Kathy conducted rescue operations for businessmen, teachers and various other citizens with the help of their little red tractor named Cub and a snow plow attachment. All this, on top of school and Jimmy's normal snow-clearing and paper route operations in the neighborhood, won them not only the thanks of their snow-snarled community but acclaim as heroes throughout the Midwest through a story in the Chicago Tribune.

Another Chicago lawyer, LEO SCHIAVONE, was accorded a special honor by the Italian government for humanitarianism during and since World War II. Leo was presented with the award, the "Star of Solidarity," by Dr. Giacomo Profili, consul general, at the Italian Consulate in Chicago on Nov. 17. Commended for "many years of service toward a better understanding of our two countries," Leo, as a major in Army Intelligence, assisted in a plan for treatment of Italian prisoners of war which was adopted at several POW installations. More recently he has been identified with the sponsorship and incorporation of a foundation to solicit American help for the care and rehabilitation of children mutilated as victims of war or its aftermath by German land mines, "booby traps," etc. Leo was



J. R. Fox

a senior honor student and president of the Boston and Italian clubs on campus when a similar honor was bestowed by the Italian government on REV. CHARLES L. O'DONNELL, C.S.C., then president of the University.

1933 Joseph A. McCabe
2215 Lincoln
Evanston, Illinois

From the Alumni Office:

Congratulations to Chicago's DAN CASEY for the recognition he won from the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission for his performance as director of the AEC engineering and construction division, pictured in this issue. Dan has long been involved in Chicagoland construction business with the Chicago Sanitary District, Herlihy Mid-Continent Co. and as naval contract administrator of the Public Works Administration. A U. S. Navy lieutenant in W.W. II, Dan was an all-around athlete on campus.

Your scribe JOE McCABE was unable to make the Class Secretaries Conference and has had little time for active news-gathering after business and tremendous labors for scholarship activity with the N. D. Club of Chicago, to be described in a forthcoming issue. He asks your help in keeping this column lively with news about yourself and classmates.

1934 T. Edward Carey
223 Elmwood Rd.
Rocky River 16, Ohio

From the Alumni Office:

J. F. McNERNEY, formerly of Toledo, has been named manager of the Milwaukee branch of Owens-Illinois Glass Company's Glass Container Division. Manager of the glass container sales branch at Buffalo, N.Y., since 1932, he has been with the company for 20 years, having worked in O-I sales in Toledo and Chicago before going to Buffalo as branch manager.

J. WALTER KENNEDY, some of whose travels as a public relations man were told in the last issue, has moved into politics with astounding success. In his maiden effort as a Democratic candidate for mayor of Stamford, Conn., Walt managed a Democratic landslide, sweeping the city from the incumbent Republican in November. Walt won districts that had never gone Democratic before, while his party took all the major city offices and placed 35 men on the Board of Representatives.

From BERNIE HENNESSY, to be forwarded to ED CAREY, "a few treasured incidents of the more recent past:

"A wonderful letter from JOE CLARK explaining his embarrassment in the Morris Inn on reunion week end when, in encountering my cousin after my departure, he couldn't remember the name — JIM GARTLAND.

"A few weeks after receiving the aforementioned letter, I had occasion to show same to Jim, who returned to Canandaigua from Boston to attend the 100th birthday celebration of his wonderful dad, John Gartland. At said celebration one noted JIM GLEASON and also JACK KINSELLA, who, after 25 years' service in Peru, South America, has decided to return to the States with his bundle and just grow old gracefully a few miles up on the west side of Canandaigua Lake. Ah, would that the bundle were nearer to being in the closet for some of the rest of us — or is the writer speaking for himself alone?

"Perhaps what struck the spark of inspiration for this hastily composed little missive was a chance meeting today with our own FATHER ED O'MALLEY here in Albany. Father Ed has just returned from a junket to Europe with some of the members of the cloth from up around my own Rochester. The few moments spent with Father Ed seemed like a breath from Heaven. . . ."

Thanks for the "happy interlude," Bernie. Secretary Carey is grateful for all notes sent to the office when, as in your case, his address is not available on the road.

Congratulations to ANTHONY F. MARRA, appointed attorney-in-charge of the Criminal Courts Branch of New York City's Legal Aid Society. Tony, who took his law at Fordham, has been with the Criminal Courts Branch since 1937 and assistant attorney-in-charge since 1932. He lives at 4704 Sixth Avenue, Brooklyn.

FATHER JIM MOSCOW, assistant director of hospitals in Chicago, has been named a papal chamberlain, with the title Very Rev. Monsignor, by Pope John, according to a recent announcement by Chicago's Cardinal Meyer. This is a very rare honor; most recent Monsignori have been appointed

domestic prelates. Congratulations, Msgr. Jim!

Sympathy from the class to the wife and sons of JAMES WILLIAM BAKER, a distinguished mining geologist, who died in January. Jim was highly respected among Canadian geologists and mineral explorers. A native of Buffalo, N.Y., and a graduate in mining engineering, he went to Canada in 1937 and was associated continuously with several mining operations as a geological consultant in the Canadian North.

25 YEAR REUNION
Class of '35
JUNE 10-11-12

1935 Franklyn C. Hochreiter
702 Scarlet Dr.
Towson 4, Md.

Here we are again, gang, the second volume for our Silvery Anniversary Reunion. This should have been our third, with one more to go. With the fluid and flexible ALUMNUS publication schedule — not to mention the austerity program enforced upon us which emasculated our last trip to press — we find ourselves cramming three columns into this one — our second and last one before reunion.

We gave you sixty names in the ALUMNUS which you received late in January — the November, 1959 issue — and found while we were out to Class Secretaries Conference (January 15 and 16) that we had a new deadline of January 20 for this issue. We are struggling to get the dope into the editor's hands by the 25th. This is no mean task when we have to cover 147 of you remaining from the 207 questionnaires returned, even with the reduced copy we are now permitted.

Before we get to the revised statistics and the 147 names, let's mention a couple news items. CLIFF WELSH and wife Sally added Elizabeth Ann to the family roster last November, a third daughter after 16 years. And during the same month CLIFF ("JC") DUDELEY left the ranks of the bachelors and took to himself wife Wilhelmina. We heard about this possibility when the Colonel was at Ft. Meade late in the summer, but he moved faster than we expected. To both Cliffs — a large amount of class congratulations!

You would all have been very proud of the '35 class last January at the Secretaries Conference. We were among the "pace-setters" to whom most of the classes looked for hints and help about class organization, reunions, dues, program and ideas. This business of being a class secretary is more often than not something of a drudgery, especially when we have nothing to write about. But the biennial conference gives us a great pickup when we can point with pride to our class solidarity for twenty-five years. Let's keep it up!

Thirty-five class secretaries were at The Morris Inn for the conference part of which was attended by some of the Alumni Board who stayed over from their own meeting on Thursday and Friday morning. Our own JIM SHEILS was among those who remained for our entire meeting. We got Jim to fill in his questionnaire and also pass along a dues check for the total amount.

JIM ARMSTRONG had put us on the Saturday morning program to discuss Class Directories. We think this grew out of the commotion we raised when our last (January issue) column was cut back so drastically. In many ways the austerity program of our ALUMNUS Editor may have been a blessing in disguise because we have now been forced to publish a Class Directory. The Directory will be distributed to each of you who returns for Reunion, and it will contain a lot more information on all of us than we could have included in the ALUMNUS columns.

On Friday night we had a Reunion meeting with DAN YOUNGERMAN and PAUL FERGUS. At the last minute BILL RYAN could not make it. Somewhere in this issue is a picture taken in our room before JIM ARMSTRONG and JOHN CACKLEY joined us. The local steering committee reviewed with us many of their Reunion plans — and believe your secretary, they are terrific. Future mailings, especially the February one from the local committee, are a real prospect.

Incidentally, we will be back in "The Rock" for Reunion headquarters and in Dillon Hall for residence. That is a first rate accomplishment in itself, for which we have the local committee to thank.

We took with us the stencils for a third questionnaire mailing, dated February 1. This will be the LAST CALL with a March 1 deadline. We

would like to run our returns up to at least 250. With a little cooperation it should not be too hard to make. The first mailing brought in 145; the second 62 for a total of 207. The deadline is a must because the first week in March we start working on the Directory — AND THAT WILL BE A TEDIOUS, TIME-CONSUMING AND EXACTING JOB! We want you to be proud of it!

Now to the statistics and several general comments drawn from the questionnaires. There were three errors of which we know in the last reporting. First of all, there were 14 men reported in the income bracket "\$30-35,000." This should have been \$30-50,000. If anyone added up the total number of children on the distribution table he would have found they did not come to 469, which was correct. Dorothy Frances Youngerman was reported merely as "Frances" — an unfortunate error. (We hope we made no more like that one.)

We think the following statistics are correct. Here they are on 207 of you, and they include the original 60 reported last time.

Job classification: administration—61; law—30; service—17; sales—16; engineering—15; insurance—15; religious—10; medicine—7; banking—6; loans and finance—5; coach—4; accounting—4; funeral director and undertaking—4; social work—3; architecture—3; education—3; dentistry—2; free lance writing—1; unknown—1.

Salary classification: under \$5,000—2; \$5-10,000—32; \$10-15,000—46; \$15-20,000—30; \$20-25,000—31; \$25-30,000—16; \$30-50,000—18; over \$50,000—9; unknown—14; religious—9. (One religious reported income. The "\$10-15,000" class continues to hold our largest number of '35ers. The "\$30-50,000" group jumped 4 and "over \$50,000" jumped 1. For the first time we had 2 reported "under \$5,000.")

Children classification: no children—9 families; one child—17 families and 17 children; two children—44 families and 88 children; three children—39 families and 117 children; four children—39 families and 156 children; five children—20 families and 100 children; six children—13 families and 78 children; seven children—3 families and 21 children; eight children—5 families and 40 children; nine children—4 families and 36 children; ten children—1 family and 10 children.

That should total up to 194 married men and 663 children. Three of our reporting '35ers were single and 10 were religious.

Incidentally, there are 13 grandchildren represented among those 207 reporting men in our class. A fuller breakdown on this group will appear in the Directory.

How do we look for the 25th Reunion? Well, of the 207 reporting 165 gave us a definite "YES", 15 "NO" and 27 "INDEFINITE." One of you got a second questionnaire by mistake and changed his reply from "no" to "yes" in the six-month period. Past experience has shown that we lose some of the men who plan to come, but we always pick up more from among those who do not plan to come or who are indefinite. And then there are always those who show up at Reunion who have given no indication of their plans.

DAN YOUNGERMAN has word from approximately 20 more of you, who have not answered questionnaires but who have sent in your checks, stating your intention of being with us next JUNE 10, 11 and 12.

LET'S GET IT OVER THE 200 REGISTRATION MARK! The class of '43 had more than 200 back last year — we can do it too!

This brings us to the remaining 147 names. We will follow the same format used by the editor, leaving the complete details on names of children and their ages, firm names, present jobs, military service, etc., for the Directory.

REV. PAUL BEICHER, C.S.C., University of Notre Dame; dean of graduate school; no word on Reunion. ED BRACKEN, Englewood Cliffs, N. J.; public relations; wife Dorothy; two sons; indefinite. KEN BROWN, Miles City, Mont.; contractor; wife Rosemary, four sons; will attend. BILL BURKHARDT, Akron, O.; company president; wife Louise, three sons, two grandchildren; will attend.

BILL BURNS (BROTHER FERGUS, C.S.C.), Chicago, Ill.; teacher; will attend. REV. ED CAMPERS, C.S.C., South Bend, Ind.; assistant pastor; will attend. JOHN CARBINE, Rutland, Vt.; lawyer; wife Muriel, one son, one daughter; will not attend. JIM CARRICO, Louisville, Ky.; comptroller; wife Clara, one daughter, one son; will attend if possible. BOB CARTER, Amarillo, Tex.; physical education, department head; wife Mary, one son; will likely not attend.

CHET CHANDLER, South Bend, Ind.; jeweler; wife Clara, three sons, one daughter; will be on hand on local committee. BILL COEN, Alton, Ia.; funeral director; wife Cecelia, one son, one daughter; will attend. JIM COLLERAN, Rocky River,



In January the Class of 1935 began nailing down details of the Silver Jubilee Reunion after months of preliminary planning. At the Morris Inn, comparing notes with Secretary Franklyn Hochreiter (right), are Paul Fergus (left) and Class Treasurer Dan Youngerman, who will welcome classmates on the 25th anniversary June 10.

O.; accountant; wife Helen, two sons, two daughters; will attend. RUS COMPA, Emerson, N. J.; engineer; wife Stella, two sons; will be back. ART CONRAD, Chicago, Ill.; public relations; wife Virginia, two sons, two daughters; will attend.

REV. JIM CORRIGAN, S.J., Prairie du Chien, Wis.; high school president; will attend. JOHN CORRIGAN, Whitmarsh, Pa.; unknown occupation; wife Annamaria, three daughters; will not attend we gather. JIM CRONIN, Chicago, Ill.; contractor; wife Jean, four daughters, two sons; will attend. TONY CROWLEY, Evansville, Ind.; manufacturer; wife Lilyan May, two daughters, one son; is returning and possibly with family. JERRY CUSHING, Park Ridge, Ill.; engineer; wife Dorothy, two daughters, one son; will attend.

HURDIS DAUSMAN, Bremen, Ind.; sales; wife Rosalie, three daughters; will attend. GEORGE DEMETRIO, Evanston, Ill.; restaurant operator; wife Madeleine, three sons, one daughter; will attend. Rev. WALTER DICK, Tanganyika, E. Africa; missionary priest; will not be back from Africa. JOHN DOOLEY, Birmingham, Mich.; trucker; wife Isabelle, four sons, one daughter, two grandchildren; will attend. GERRY DOYLE, Beaumont, Tex.; rice mill operator; wife Katherine Belle, three sons, two daughters; uncertain for attendance. CLIFF ("J.C.") DUDLEY, Paducah, Ky.; insurance; wife Wilhelmina, no children YET; will be there with his NEW WIFE.

KIERNAN "LEFTY" DUNN, Springfield, Mass.; "lubritrium" manager; wife Mary Ann, two daughters; will be at reunion with family. JIM DWYER, Berea, O.; salesman; wife Hazel, two sons, two daughters; will attend. FRANK ENGEL, Oak Park, Ill.; advertising; wife Catherine, four daughters, four sons; no commitment on reunion. NEIL FARRELL, Memphis, Tenn.; paint mfg.; bachelor; will attend. LOUIS FAUTSCH, DuBuque, Ia.; lawyer; wife Lorraine, three sons, one daughter; no word on reunion.

PAUL FERGUS, South Bend, Ind.; advertising; wife Mary Lenore, two sons, one daughter; will be working hard on local committee. PAT FISHER, Indianapolis, Ind.; lawyer; wife Carroll, four sons, five daughters; will attend. JOHN FITZPATRICK, Chicago, Ill.; engineer; wife Bonnie, two sons; will attend and maybe with family. TOM FLYNN, Honolulu, Hawaii; lawyer; wife Ruth, one daughter; will attend as usual with family, if daughter's high school graduation permits. TOM FOLEY, Memphis, Tenn.; publicity and promotion; wife Helen, two sons, one daughter; will attend.

GEORGE FOSS, Lancaster, O.; engineer; wife Mary, two daughters, one son; will attend. BOB FORBES, Hato Rey, Puerto Rico; insurance; wife Candida, three daughters, two sons; will attend. NORM FREDERICKS, Bloomfield, Mich.; coal co. prexie; wife Lois, three daughters, two sons; will attend. JOHN FRY, Los Angeles, Calif.; engineer; wife Zella, one son; will come from coast with family. KARL FULNECKY, South Bend, Ind.; salesman; wife Phyllis, five sons, four daughters; will attend.

EMIL GAENSSLEN, Green River, Wyo.; dentist; wife Helen, two sons, two daughters; will attend. JOHN GAINER, Alton, Ill.; banker; wife Frances,

three daughters, one son; will attend. RALPH GAUTHIER, Allendale, N. J.; mfg. manager; wife Margaret, no children; undecided about reunion attendance. RAY GEREND, Sheboygan, Wis.; funeral director; wife Gertrude, three sons, one daughter; no word on reunion. BILL GORGEN, Mineral Point, Wis.; funeral director; wife Gladys, one son; will attend.

BROTHER THADDEUS GOTTEMOLLER, C.S.C., Notre Dame, Ind.; high school teacher; will attend. CAMILLE GRAVEL, Alexandria, La.; lawyer; wife Katherine, six daughters, four sons; will attend. RAY GRUMMELL, South Bend, Ind.; federal probation officer; wife Mary Nell, one son, one daughter; undecided about reunion attendance. BILL GUIMONT, Minneapolis Minn.; mfg.; wife Frances, one daughter; will be back with his family. ELMER GURY, Peoria, Ill.; lawyer; wife Mary B., six daughters, one son; will bring his family back for reunion.

ARNOLD HACKENBRUCH, Wauwatosa, Wis.; engineer; wife Genevieve, no children; will attend. BOB HALEY, South Bend, Ind.; lawyer; wife Geraldine, two sons, one daughter; will attend. JOHN HALLBERG, Royal Oak, Mich.; construction; wife Charlotte, one daughter, one grandchild; will attend. JIM HAMILTON, Racine, Wis.; mfg. prexie; wife Louise, three sons, two daughters; as our class president will definitely attend, and maybe with family.

NORB HART, Muncie, Ind.; insurance; wife Kathleen Anne, five sons, one daughter; will attend. VERMONT HARTER, South Bend, Ind.; school counselor; wife Virginia, one daughter; likely will not attend. DON HAVERICK, Columbus, O.; insurance; wife Barbara, two daughters, one son; attendance is indefinite. PHIL HEINLE, Maplewood, N. J.; salesman; wife Janet, three daughters, one son; will attend. BILL HELME, Phoenix, Ariz.; neurological surgeon; wife Virginia, four daughters, one son; will attend. JOHN HELMER, South Bend, Ind.; surgeon; wife Eileen, three sons, three daughters; indefinite on attendance. DAN HENRY, Birmingham, Mich.; processing co. prexie; wife Jane, two sons, two daughters; will attend. REV. THOMAS HEWITT, C.S.C., Lackland AFB, Tex.; Catholic Chaplain—Asst. Chief of Training, Chaplain School; will attend.

JOHN HEYWOOD, Hudson, Wis.; lawyer; wife Edrys, three daughters, two sons; will attend. JOHN HIGGINS, Pottsville, Pa.; insurance; wife Catharine, three sons, one daughter; will attend with his family. FRANKLYN HOCHREITER, Baltimore, Md.; public housing; wife Clara Ann, three daughters; will attend with family (despite high school graduation day before and all-night drive). PAUL HOCKWALT, Chevy Chase, Md.; administrative; wife Jane, one son, one daughter; uncertain about Reunion.

FRANK HOLAHAN, White Plains, N.Y.; banker; wife Louise, two sons, one daughter; will attend. LOU HRUBI, Pacific Palisades, Calif.; administrative; wife Elizabeth, three daughters, one son; will attend. DICK HYDE, Park Ridge, Ill.; administrative; wife Ruth, two sons; will attend.

JOE KALEY, Milton, N.Y.; banker; wife Harriet, one son, one daughter; will attend. JIM KEL-

LY, Rockville Centre, N.Y.; public relations and fund raising; wife Catherine, one son, one daughter; will attend and with family. **BILL KENNEDY**, New Hampton, Ia.; lawyer; wife Eileen, two sons, one daughter; will not attend. **ART KRANZFELDER**, Indianapolis, Ind.; chemist; wife Theresa, three daughters, two sons; will attend. **AL LAWTON**, Atlanta, Ga.; insurance; wife Mary Patricia, two daughters, one son; will return with family.

ED LeJUNE, Glenview, Ill.; engineer; wife Eileen Marie, five sons, three daughters; will attend. **JOHN McARDLE**, Van Nuys, Calif.; broker; wife Mary, three sons, one daughter; will attend. **JIM McAVENEY**, Hamden, Conn.; salesman; wife Lorraine, two daughters, one son; will attend Reunion and possibly with family. **AL McCARTHY**, Grosse Pte. Woods, Mich.; insurance; wife Bernice, two sons, one daughter; will attend. **BILL (JIM) McCRILEY**, South Bend, Ind.; physician and surgeon; wife Philomena, four sons; will attend.

JOHN McDONNELL, Davenport, Ia.; administrative; wife Mary, four sons, one daughter; will attend. **JOHN MELLIGOTT**, Chicago, Ill.; lawyer; wife Wilhelmine, no children; will not attend Reunion. **GEORGE McGRATH**, Ware, Mass.; director of athletics and coach; wife Isabelle, one daughter; will attend. **JOHN McGRATH**, Sedalia, Mo.; banker; wife Mary Catherine, three daughters, one son; will attend and possibly with family. **ANDY McMAHON**, Riverside, R.I.; accountant; wife Helen, three daughters; hopes to attend. **ANDY MAFFEL**, Yonkers, N.Y.; lawyer; wife Vincenza, two daughters, one son; will attend.

CHARLIE MAHER, Miami Shores, Fla.; engineer; wife Mary Frances, one son; hopes to attend if plans work out. **BOB MAHER**, Spokane, Wash.; ophthalmologist; wife Betty, three sons, one daughter; will attend and possibly with family. **PETER MAHOLCHIC**, Kew Gardens, N.Y.; sales research; wife Ann, one son; will attend with family. **BILL MALLOY**, Bellmore, N.Y.; lawyer; wife Marilyn, two sons, one daughter; undecided about Reunion. **BROTHER MARTIN**, C.S.C., Lakewood, O.; high school teacher; no word on Reunion.

FRANK MATAVOSKY, Chicago, Ill.; savings and loan prexie; wife Marie, two daughters; will attend. **BILL MEASER**, Williamsville, N.Y.; high school activities coordinator; wife Elizabeth, two daughters; school graduation prevents attendance. **BILL MILLER**, Bethesda, Md.; lawyer and Congressman; wife Stephanie, two daughters, one son; will attend. **JACK MOHATT**, Tulsa, Okla.; credit mgr.; wife Helen Virginia, one son, one daughter; indefinite about Reunion because of no knowledge of dates; by now he should be among those attending.

CHARLIE MONTGOMERY, Lakewood, O.; administrative; wife Mary, four daughters, two sons; returning for Reunion and possibly with family. **BILL MOSS**, Mentor, O.; administrative; wife Helen, one son; will attend. **ARNOLD MORRISON**, Rochester, N.Y.; architect; wife Kathleen, three daughters, two sons; will be back with his wife. **BOB MORRISSEY**, Cleveland Heights, O.; mfg.'s agent; wife Catherine Mary, three sons, three daughters; will attend. **BILL MURRAY**, Los Altos, Calif.; administrative; wife Phyllis, one daughter, two sons, one grandchild; will attend.

HERB NADEAU, Coral Gables, Fla.; lawyer; wife Mary, no children; will attend. **JOHN NEESE**, Bala-Cynwyd, Pa.; lawyer; wife Dolores, two sons; will attend. **PAUL NOCKELS**, Yuma, Ariz.; lawyer; wife Ruth, two sons, two daughters; will not attend Reunion. **CHARLIE NOVAK**, Hamburg, N.Y.; supervisory; wife Adele, two sons; will return and possibly with family. **JOHN NOVAK**, Buffalo, N.Y.; coach; wife Mary Eileen, two sons, one daughter; will attend and with family.

RAY OAKES, Ardsley, Pa.; sales manager; wife Eleanor, five sons, one daughter; will attend. **BERNIE O'BRIEN**, Chicago, Ill.; coach; wife Mary, three sons, two daughters; will attend. **GENE O'BRIEN**, Baltimore, Md.; sales and promotion; five sons, two daughters; considering attendance at Reunion. **WALT O'BRIEN**, River Forest, Ill.; lumber co. prexie; one son; will return for Reunion. **MAURIE OLSON**, Allentown, Pa.; insurance; wife Lorraine, three sons; will attend. **JIM O'MEARA**, Milwaukee, Wis.; administrative; wife Jane, two daughters, one son; will return and possibly with family.

ART O'NEIL, Evanston, Ill.; contractor; wife Mary, three daughters, one son, three grandchildren; will attend. **BILL OTTE**, Coldwater, O.; accountant; wife Valeria, four daughters, four sons; will attend. **TOM OWEN**, Chattanooga, Tenn.; mfg. representative; wife Marguerite, one son, one daughter; will return for Reunion and probably with his family. **JOHN PENDERGAST**, Park



Notre Dame lawyers seem to have the Northern Indiana situation well in hand, as John W. Schindler, Jr., '43, of Mishawaka (seated, center), newly elected president of the St. Joseph County Bar Assn., discusses the association's 1960 program with the other officers, all N.D. alumni: (clockwise from left) William F. McInerney, '40, L '41, vice-president; Alexis T. Cholis, '41, L '42, re-elected secretary-treasurer; Edward V. Minczewski, '40, L '41, elected to the board of governors; and William E. Voor, L '25.

Ridge, Ill.; administrative; wife Annamay, three sons, one daughter; will attend.

JIM PICK, Milwaukee, Wis.; physician and surgeon; wife Elizabeth, five sons, three daughters; may attend Reunion. **ADOLPHE PONS**, Bel Air, Md.; service; wife Katharine, three sons, two daughters; will attend Reunion with his family. **JOHN PORCORO**, Fairlawn, N.J.; lawyer; wife Gilda, no children; will return with wife. **DICK PREZEBEL**, Winnetka, Ill.; advertising; wife Darlene, two sons; will attend. **TOM PROCTOR**, New York, N.Y.; lawyer; wife Audre, one son; will attend with family unless permanently residing in Madrid, Spain, by Reunion.

PHIL PURCELL, Salt Lake City, Utah; insurance; wife Shirley, two sons, one daughter; will attend and possibly with family. **PAT QUIGLEY**, Indian Rocks Beach, Fla.; real estate and music; bachelor; indefinite about returning. **AL RAVARINO**, St. Louis, Mo.; mfg. prexie; wife Helen Marie, two daughters; will attend. **MAT RONSZON**, Elkhart, Ind.; coach; wife Virginia; one son, one daughter; will attend. **NED ROWAN**, Kingston, Pa.; insurance; wife Jane, one son, one daughter; will attend.

BILL RYAN, South Bend, Ind.; loans and finance; wife Elouise, two daughters; will definitely be there helping in the local committee struggle. **MAT SAGARTZ**, Chicago, Ill.; contractor; wife Elizabeth, three sons, four daughters; will attend. **MITCH SALEH**, Dallas, Tex.; engineer; wife Adele, one son, one daughter; will attend. **ROCCO SCHIRALLI**, Gary, Ind.; city purchasing agent; wife Katherine, two sons, two daughters, one grandchild; will attend. **ROY SCHOLZ**, Baltimore, Md.; ophthalmologist; wife Pearl, three sons, one daughter; will attend and possibly with family.

BILL SCHRODER, Atlanta, Ga.; lawyer; wife Mary Elizabeth, two sons, two daughters; will attend. **NEIL SHACKETT**, Pawtucket, R.I.; administrative; wife Regina, three daughters, two sons; will not attend. **JIM SHEILS**, Jackson Heights, N.Y.; broker; wife Margaret, seven daughters, two sons; will attend. **BOB SHIELDS**, dairy mgr.; wife Dorothy, three daughters, one son; will attend. **JACK SHODRON**, Deerfield, Ill.; sales; wife Helen, three sons, one daughter; will attend.

KURT SIMON, South Bend, Ind.; wholesale groceries; wife Tessa, one son; will definitely be there with the local committee — how else would we get all that GOOD FOOD? **ED SIMPSON**, Evanston, Ill.; administrative; wife Dorothy, one daughter; will attend. **VINCENTE SINGSON**, San Juan, Rizal, Philippine Islands; realtor; wife Pacita, two sons, one daughter; no word on attendance. **FRANK SINNOTT**, Abington, Pa.; employee relations; wife Lorraine, one son, one daughter; may not be able to attend due to family illness.

TOM STRINGER, Dearborn, Mich.; administrative; wife Marjorie, two daughters, one son, one grandchild; will attend. **REV. VINCE THILMAN**, C.S.C., South Bend, Ind.; parish pastor; will attend as member of local committee. **TOM THOMPSON**, Detroit, Mich.; lawyer; wife Betty, six sons, one daughter; will attend. **JOE UNDERKOFER**, Chicago, Ill.; personnel; wife Eva, two daughters, one son; will attend. **FRED WEIDNER**, Lombard, Ill.; administrative; wife Patricia, two sons, two daughters; will attend. **CLIFF WELSH**, Boonton, N.J.; administrative; wife Sara, three daughters; hopes to attend. **SAM WEST**, Tarentum, Pa.; engineer; wife Rose Marie, one son, one daughter; will attend with family. **LINC WURZER**, Grosse Pte., Mich.; insurance; wife Eileen, one son, one daughter; will attend. **TOM YOUNG**, Paducah, Ky.; accountant; bachelor; will attend.

That completes the roster of 207. Let's hope that we pick up another 30 with the third questionnaire mailing during February. If you have not returned YOUR QUESTIONNAIRE when you read this column, look it up and send it back anyway. We will likely publish a supplement to our Class Directory and your material will be found there.

A last word before we put this stint to bed. Many of you have asked about bringing families back for Reunion. As a matter of fact, 40 of you have stated that you will definitely or possibly bring back the family or your wives. We have asked the local committee to send out a special mailing to all of you within the next few weeks which will list the hotels and motels in and around South Bend. There are some beautiful new motels with pools.

No program will be arranged for families, but many wives, sons and daughters have never seen Notre Dame. This is a wonderful opportunity for them to compare today's campus and landmarks with what you have told them over the years. The Class of '35 has always promoted the bringing back of families and each Reunion has seen many return. The girls and the kids never seemed to have gotten into the "ole man's hair" too much or spoiled his Reunion fun. The family should not expect to have you entertain them — IT IS YOUR REUNION. But THEY CAN HAVE THEIR OWN FUN!

If you are bringing back the family, and have not made a hotel or motel reservation — WRITE TODAY and protect yourself. We are told the Reunion weekend is not in a busy season either at the Morris Inn or at other hostilities. But don't take a chance!

REMEMBER FRIDAY MORNING, JUNE 10 IS CHECK-IN TIME, with the President's Silver Anniversary Class lunch at noon. Come for the whole week end! See you at OUR 25th—JUNE 10, 11, 12.

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By last Christmas we had had a good return from our little class questionnaire and believe me, for an old, old secretary who was about to give up trying to find column material, this was a real nice gift. Now my New Year's resolution is to play this information back to you so we'll all know more about what has happened to our gang in the past 24 years.

By the end of 1939 I had received 127 replies and, although one or two still come in every week, I went over these 127 for whatever statistics I could find of interest. Occupations were distributed as follows: business management, 24; law, 16; sales, 12; medicine, 10; retail business, 9; engineering, 9; religious, 8; education, 8; governmental posts, 5; coaching, 4; insurance, 4; finance, 3; accounting, 3; architecture, 2; oil operations, 2; building contracting, 2; wholesale business, 2; newspaper publishing, 1; industrial relations, 1; car and truck leasing, 1, and K. of C. work, 1. These classmates are the fathers of 401 children, of whom 201 are sons and 200 daughters (an amazingly well-balanced group). One in our class has 11 children; (DR. NORV. CASPER), one has 10 (JOHN DesNOYER) and one has 9 (JIM SIDDALL). Three have 8 children, three 7, and six 6. Eight have sons at Notre Dame. Of the 127 respondents, 117 are married, 8 are priests or brothers, and two of our fellow laymen remained bachelors. While only 54 attended our 20th reunion in 1936, 115 plan to attend our 25th next year if possible.

The survey indicated that the lack of class spirit and meager news in our ALUMNUS column were of concern to most of those who replied. Many had suggestions which I plan to discuss soon with our president, JIM SHERRY. At any rate, I think we're off to a much-improved future and your class officers are grateful for the excellent response.

Now for some letters, news and notes from the questionnaire (it will take a few issues to catch up on all the material, but we'll try our best).

JOHN NORTON who is in the insurance business in Rochester, N.Y., writes: "I received your letter and questionnaire right after returning from Notre Dame after entering our oldest son Jack; started filling it out—was interrupted and put it aside and just now found it again.

"As you may know, quite a few of our class have sons at N. D. now — JOYCE, SWORDS, DICK SCHMIDT, GEORGE MILTON, to name but a few. Jack is in Elec. Engr. and has PROF. HINTON for Chem. He is retiring this year. Did you know that RON RICH died Thanksgiving? We saw him in September and he told us he had a lung cancer that was inoperable. It is too bad to lose a good man like him.

"I trust that you have gotten accustomed to Detroit and are keeping MOORMAN and CRONIN in line. Let's hope they make the next reunion.

"With Jack at N. D. and Ed entering in September, I expect to make many trips back and forth for the next four or five years. I certainly will make the reunion in '61 and we'll bring as many of our class as possible from here with me.

"I can't give you much help as to improving class spirit except that mine has improved. (I think since Jack has gone to N. D. and I have been there a few times since then.)

"Happy New Year, Bob, and if I can help you in rounding up information on the fellows in this area, I'll be glad to do so."

PAT TOFURI of Winchester, Mass., accompanied his questionnaire with the following:

"As always I have good intentions about dropping you a note. I am looking forward to our 25th reunion. I had a grand time at the 20th. I was able to take my wife and three daughters with me.

"I sure would like to hear from my two old friends, DAN SHERROD and SHELBY ROMERE. I have never seen a word from them or about them since we graduated. Ask them to drop me a line. I do hope they plan on making the 25th reunion.

"I recently met PAUL CUMMINGS of our class in Worcester, Mass. He looks good and is with the State.

"Best of luck to you and I do hope many of the boys drop you a line.

"I am at present salesmanager for the Frank P. Goodwin Company of New Haven, Conn."

LARRY PALKOVIC of 207 N. Market Street, Johnstown, N.Y., urges the '36 physical education majors to write some news. Larry makes a special appeal for word from JOE DONNINO and BILL SAFFA.

BILL BAYER of Oil City, Pa., and several others passed along the good news about BOB CAVANAUGH's recent appointment as treasurer of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development. Congratulations, Bob, and thanks for completing the survey. Bayer, incidentally, reports his son Kirby is a student at N. D. and has had several dates with BERT BAUER's daughter at St. Mary's. Is there anyone who says we're getting younger?

"Colonel" BOB BURKE of Louisville, Ky., says he wants to attend unorganized chapel, participate in unorganized conversations, and take unorganized walks while attending our 25th. He also indicates that our unorganized "class spirit" will probably remain so. Thanks, Bob, for your comments, we'll try to get organized to refute your pessimism.

JACK WHITAKER is executive v. p. of the Whitaker Cable Corp. in Kansas City, Mo. They have 550 employees and Jack says business prospects are excellent. The Whitakers have five children, one of whom is a junior in Mech. Eng. at N. D. Incidentally, Jack, the alumni office supplies me with an up-to-date class roster which I keep in a card file. If I can help you or any other class member with information, let me know.

We hope these items give you some idea of the nuggets of news the survey produced. Be patient, and we'll try to get most of it printed by summer. In the meantime, let's all lay plans for attending our 25th in 1961 and God willing, it should be a truly wonderful reunion.

From the Alumni Office:

On New Year's Day the aforementioned JAMES J. SHERRY, JR., of Flint, Mich., class president and perpetual toiler in Flint and Detroit Notre Dame Club activities, became general production manager of the Buick Motor Division of General Motors.

Jim has been with G. M. since graduation, except for four years of W.W. II as an up-from-the-ranks major, first with Chevrolet material controls, then with the home office as a production engineer and assistant director of the purchasing and salvage section. He joined Buick in 1933 as assistant director of purchasing and since '36 has been assistant to the general production manager, whom he now succeeds. Jim has had plenty of production experience; he and wife Grace, living in suburban Goodrich, have six young Sherrys.

Last issue's "Spotlight" on BOB CAVANAUGH had so much ground to cover that it omitted some personal details. For more than a year Bob has been "Mayor of Kenwood" as president of the Citizen's Association in the Bethesda, Md., suburb, and he is treasurer of the Eugene and Agnes E. Meyer Foundation among many other social and charitable activities. It is also interesting to note that Bob's bank, operated on a \$21 billion capitalization by 69 member nations, unlike most government operations, turns a profit (46 million in the last fiscal year). The IFC, with \$100 million in capital for investment in private business only, also operates on profits rather than taxes.

Another recently spotlighted '36, BILL SHAKE-SPEARE, is now president of Cincinnati Rubber Mfg. Co.

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From the Class Secretaries Conference in January I can report that we of '37 have a lot of work ahead to have a good and successful reunion in 1962. Between BOBBY SIEGFRIED and AL SCHWARTZ I can give a complete rundown on the Oklahoma and Texas arena. Bob and JOE O'NEILL, the Midland Oil Man, participated in the local golf tournament, winning very few trophies, but having a good ND Reunion. Joe made the list in News Week as one of the young newcomers in the field. On a recent tour in Europe, Joe's wife became ill and had to be flown back to the States. Another oil man, CLAY MURRAY, is still located in Williston, N. Dak., and his associate there is LLOYD WORLEY, who is also an independent operator in Oklahoma. Clay spent a little time on vacation in Tulsa. CHARLIE McNAMARA has greatly enlarged his factory in Tulsa and moved into one of their new industrial sites in the oil town. JOHN BENNETT SHAW is moving some of that extra weight around after selling off his bookstore and drilling rigs, having one of the finest mortuaries in the area; he is chairman of the drive to raise funds for the largest Catholic high school in the Southwest territory (which even includes Texas). JOHN O'HERN has been elected vice president of American Bank of Commerce in Odes-

sa, Tex., and will be competing with WIL KIRK, our area V. P. in the Dallas banking family.

The Vice President of Motor Machinery Castings Co. of Detroit, ROY BARRON (father of six, evenly divided) reported in as having been associated with the family enterprise since graduation. This company supplies the automotive and machine tool trade. Roy has a younger brother filling in at Notre Dame until his clan starts in.

Newly elected justice of the Fourth Municipal Court District of New York City, WILLIAM SHEA came through as the only Republican elected in his district and almost the only one in town. Bill wrote just before the election that he has a young family, boy and girl, and is getting mixed up with the other Shea trying to get another baseball club in New York. Bill reports that JOE BITTNER is a prominent attorney on Long Island and that DAN HANRAHAN is a school teacher and insurance man combined.

AL SCHWARTZ was planning a reunion at the Iowa game, but PAUL SHEEDY couldn't make it. Paul is no longer with Wildroot (no door prizes for '62), but now represents Doan's Pills, has the same 48 states, same customers, is on the road a lot more and still resides in Williamsville, N. Y. Paul has a son Brian who is a pre-med freshman. BERNIE NIEZER and PARKER SULLIVAN were also scheduled to be there for the reunion.

Class Treasurer BOB WEAVER, Coshocton, Ohio, attorney, came through with a fine report (no money in the till as yet), living a quiet life in Ohio with a family of six. Had FR. BOB LOCHNER as a visitor in the summer, and BOB McCLAIN, the publication manager of Furniture Retailer (put out by Haire Publishing Co.), also dropped in for a visit. McClain reported for the Chicago gang. Weaver was planning a reunion with CHUCK MEYERS, Chicago attorney, at the North Carolina game. Bob will be contacting you on our plans for financing the reunion after he and JOHN CACKLEY have a meeting.

While at the Conference I spent some time with JERRY CLAEYS, of Claeys Candy, and his large family. Claeys has one of those modern homes with everything but a good old-fashioned cellar. KARL KING dropped in for a visit after Mass. His business is Office Engineers of South Bend. On the way to the airport I stopped at JOE DRUECKER's home and almost missed the plane. Joe has moved from Kokomo to S. B. and runs the Indiana Products Company. Joe is still trying to peddle the antelope hide football shoes that he had converted while at N. D. CLYDE BOWERS of Indianapolis just won't buy. Clyde is general manager of the Bowers Paper Supply firm, and has a son now at N. D. Druecker is still the same operator, whether Navy or civilian. His young son will make a good right guard. Joe's company operates from Detroit to Milwaukee supplying foundry sands, refractories, supplies and equipment.

Executive Vice President FR. NED JOYCE, who seems to be all over the country representing the University, gave us a few minutes for a visit and roundup on the class, getting some ideas for the reunion. Father Ned also visited with the class secretaries and the board at the conference.

JIM MOTSCHALL, class sec'y of '39, reported that his bowling team has a new member in HANK RUEN, who tosses a real good gutter ball. Jim also reports that ART CRONIN is still running the same coal enterprise in Detroit.

DR. EDWARD T. WILSON is reported on by his brother, FR. JOHN WILSON, who is the new acting head of the Foundation Fund program. Father Wilson spoke at the conference.

Please remember in your prayers the soul of DICK McARDLE, Fort Wayne, Ind., who passed away in January.

From the Alumni Office:

CLIFFORD MIHM, a Grad School man, wrote in from Borger, Tex., where he's a lab supervisor for Phillips Chemical Co. and a member of several professional societies. Cliff married Adeline Cleary in '38. They have five sons and a daughter, are active in scouting, church and school affairs, and collaborate on a column, "On the Home Front," in the West Texas Register.

1938 Burnie Bauer
1139 Western Avenue
South Bend 25, Ind.

Copies of the Des Moines Register carrying NICK LAMBERTO's reporting of Nick Khrushchev's conballing in Iowa last fall did not arrive in the nick of time to make the last issue of the Alumnus. But pictures of Nick K. and the prose of Nick L. prove that both Nicks had a field day in Iowa's

cornfields. Marginal comments on pictures showing Lamberto looking over K's shoulder included, "We don't have to fertilize the fields of Iowa anymore now that the Russians have left. . . . Tell CHUCK SWEENEY I think I can lick Krushchev in a dark alley, especially after my experience as his roommate. K's bodyguards were rough. They elbowed and shoved if you got near the guy — and I did."

Top winter news was the election of JOHN O'CONNOR, our former class president, as president of the Alumni Board in January and at the same time the election to the board of BILL "T-Bone" MAHONEY, the old track star and coach who recently won the largest personal liability damage suit in Arizona's history. Bill is managing the Kennedy-for-President campaign in Arizona and, though he's missed all the past reunions, is planning on making our 25th. O'Connor said he would try to make it too! DICK BOWES, with the N. D. Foundation, managed the O'Connor campaign.

Good tax news!—I think. Big JOHN M. SUL-LIVAN, who just moved his law practice to St. Paul, Minn. (1st Nat'l Bank Bldg.), from Washington, D.C., appeared as a panelist in the December hearings on income tax reform. John was with the Chief Counsel's Office of the Internal Revenue Service until 1958 and has been doing some writing for Merten's Law of Federal Income Taxation, Tax Management Service and the Tax Law Review. John's coming up fast, family-wise too, with four children now, the oldest being 5½ years.

From out of the deep silence of the great Northwest came word from FRANK LARWOOD and JERRY KANE. Larwood, 3925 Lon Oak Rd., S.E., Salem, Oregon, is in the transportation department of the Public Utility Commission of Oregon after 17 years with the Southern Pacific Railroad. Frank has been admitted to practice as a rate analyst before the Interstate Commerce Commission and is on the national publicity committee of Delta Nu Alpha Transportation Fraternity and president of the Salem chapter. Frank has seen TOM HUTCHINSON, who lives at Bend, Oregon, with wife and 8 children and sells heavy hardware for Moty & Van Dyke Co. It's run by GIL MOTY, '36, whose oldest of 3 girls is a senior at St. Mary's this year. Frank says KEN KIRBY, '40, buys lumber for Southern Pacific R.R. at Portland and that ED O'MEARA, grad student in '39, is city editor for the Portland, Ore., Journal. The Larwoods have a girl, 16; boy, 13, and girl, 2. Frank would like to know where his Sorin-sub roomy REDMAN DUGGAN is diplomating, also why PHIL KIRCH and TOM SHEA are no longer journalists. Probably because they can't write, as evidenced by the amount of news sent in by them to this column.

JERRY KANE still lives in Seattle, that is almost. Jerry flew around the world last year and made other flights to everywhere but South Bend. Had a letter from JOHN PLOUFF in Detroit, where he represents Sinclair as he did for two years in Milwaukee and another two in Green Bay before last fall. John ran into TOM KAVANAUGH as the landlord's attorney when he signed a lease on his new home. "I still don't know which side he represented," quipped John. John and wife were down for the Northwestern game, as were Ashtabula's most eligible bachelor, JACK MAHONEY; CHARLEY DUKE all the way from New Orleans, guest of DON FISHER; PHIL KIRSCH and Father BILL MAHONEY, whom I didn't get to interview; LEN SKOGLUND, who looked fit enough to take the field, and HANK HUMPHREY, the old Texan, now working for Globe Industries in Dayton.

Seen at the Scene: (North Carolina) JACK BOND, who is in construction biz near Cincinnati; Father JOE RACE from Milwaukee, who also made the Navy game; (Navy): FRANK DELANEY, the cookie king of Iowa; BOB McGRATH from Chicago; JOHN BUCKLEY from Midland, Tex.; Dr. JOHN RIEDER, Great Lakes, who was visiting JACK MOULDER in South Bend; DAN GIBBS, the old pole vaulter, and ED BRENNAN from Paw Paw, Mich. At the Football Banquet, watching JOE KUCHARICH do a good first-time appearance at the head table, were JOHNNY MURPHY, CHARLEY BOROWSKI, DON SMITH, DON HICKEY, CHARLEY CALLAHAN, JIM BEAUDWAY and CHUCK SWEENEY.

The South Bend chapter of the class of '38 had its annual New Year's Eve party in the Mishawaka Sewage Disposal Plant Recreation Hall. Despite the location (or maybe because of it—to prove we can go through anything for our classmates) the CHUCK SWEENEYS, ED CRONINS, NELSON VOGELS, LOUIE ANDERSONS, CHARLEY BOROWSKIS, JIM LAHEYS, DON SMITHS, ED HAGERS, DON FISHERS, JOHN MURPHYS, JIM BEAUDWAYS, CLAYTON JODONS and BURNIE BAUERS showed up.

Change of Scenery department: PHIL KIRCH from Davenport, Iowa, to 4850 James Avenue, Racine, Wis.; BRO. ELIGIUS (RUSCIK), C.S.C., from India to Archbishop Hoban H.S., Akron, O. (almost around the world); DICK SCANNELL to 159 N. Cedar, Fairfield, Conn. (almost around the corner); TONY SULEWSKI to 12 Mallard Cove, Huntington, N.Y.; LARRY LARKIN to Box 631, Red Bank, N.J.; JOHN TANGNEY to 836 N. Merrill Park Ridge, Ill.; ED HICKEY from South Bend to 4819 N. Anita, Milwaukee, Wisc.

A sad note to end on: the father of our classmate, Father THOMAS J. McDONAGH, C.S.C., died in January. Please remember him in your prayers.

Which brings up the question. Would the class of '38 like to establish a fund out of which Masses for our deceased members could be said? If so, some sort of dues or voluntary contribution ought to be set up. We have a treasurer, BILL RILEY, but no treasury. Let's put Bill to work. Send in your ideas on the subject, or coin, either to me, if the former; or to Bill at 4302 Magoun, East Chicago, Indiana, if the latter.

From the Alumni Office:

The aforementioned JIM BEAUDWAY has been named president of the South Bend Chamber of Commerce, while JIM LAHEY now heads the city's Camp Fire Girls Council.

RED SMITH, '27, used research provided by sportsflack Callahan to discuss "what becomes of old guards" in his syndicated column, a whimsical treatment of Coach JOE KUCHARICH, Stanford alumnus JOE RUETZ, G-Man HARVEY FOSTER and Father JOE RACE.

1939 James N. Motschall
Singer-Motschall Corp.
10090 West Chicago
Detroit 4, Michigan

From the Alumni Office:

Congratulations to JOHN J. GRIFFIN, JR., for his recent investiture as a Knight of the Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulchre, conferred by Bishop Gorman of Dallas-Ft. Worth at the Cathedral in Dallas, Tex. Jack, executive vice-president of the General Mortgage Co. of St. Louis and a vice-president and director of the Bank of St. Ann, has served the N. D. Foundation in eastern Missouri since 1953. The Griffins have four children.

WALTER H. JOHNSON, JR., Capital Airlines' senior vice-president for marketing, has been elected chairman of the marketing development advisory group of the Air Transport Assn. of America. A native of New York and 20-year airline veteran, Walt lives in McLean, Va.

NEAL P. COCHRAN has moved east from Colorado and now lives at 10 Mt. Olivet Blvd., Frederick, Md.

20 YEAR REUNION Class of '40 JUNE 10-11-12

1940 James G. Brown
625 Madison Ave.
New York 22, N. Y.

From the Alumni Office:

Secretary JIM BROWN hasn't forgotten the questionnaires or his pledge to keep you informed, but he's relinquished the space in this cut-down issue for a few reunion scoops.

With the local planning of Treasurer DICK BURKE and the national convivance of Brown, President JIM DONOGHUE and the vice-presidents, PHIL SANDMEIER, WALTER FLEMING, JOE THESSING and JIM METZLER, the 20th Anniversary is bound to be the biggest and liveliest yet. Burke, the University's chief accountant, is busy amassing a slush fund (or "lush" fund, if you like) for vintage and victuals and guarantees a typical "Life Begins at '40" time (i.e., convenience, conversation and conviviality at the maximum; sobriety, soul-searching and circumspection at a minimum).

A bit of a scuffle has developed with 1935's DAN YOUNGERMAN, "BISHOP" HOCHREITER et al., over the use of the Rockne Memorial Lounge as a dining facility. Both the 20- and 25-year Classes claim they got there first. ("Bon Homme" RICHARD BURKE was crafty enough to get his

request in writing — and notarized, yet!) But JIM ARMSTRONG — a Greater Compromiser than Dan'l Webster or Henry Clay ever thought about being — will arrive at some Solomon-sage decision, acceptable to both battlers, that will have the "Rock" rockin' 'round the clock.

Remember, it's June 10-11-12. Be there!

Reverend LAWRENCE IRWIN FERGUSON, rector of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, Dallas, Tex., sent in this note: "I would that I could attend the reunion this year, but I am afraid I cannot. We are in the midst of a building campaign for a new church; and, besides this, my Bishop has been urging me to go to England for a summer's study, which I shall do if the building is begun. However, I will be with the Class very much in spirit if not in body. It hardly seems possible that 20 years have sped so quickly."

"The last week in October, my Bishop sent me to a religious affairs course of the Office of Civil Defense Mobilization at the Staff College at Battle Creek, Mich. While I was there I ran into Prof. MAURICE PETTIT, who taught me many courses in political science. He is now working for the OCDM."

"I also ran across BILL CISSNE last spring. His mother became ill while traveling through Dallas, and I found her in the course of my hospital calls. Bill came down to get her, so I had a chance to see him once more."

"My Christmas card to FATHER HAVEY was returned marked "deceased." I am sorry to hear this as he was a dear friend of mine and of my family."

Back in November DOUGLAS A. BANGERT, group operations officer at the Marine Air Station in Beaufort, S.C., was a happy man as Mrs. B. (the former Dorothy Haus of N.Y.C.) helped the C.O. pin on the eagles of a full colonel. In the W.W. II battles for Guadalcanal, the Marianas and Okinawa, and later in Korea, Doug has won the D.F.C., Air Medal, Presidential Unit Citation, Asiatic Pacific with three stars, etc. The Bangerts live in Laurel Bay, S.C.

Just before Christmas SAM BOZICH, with Humble Oil's butyl plant in Baytown, Tex., was named as co-inventor in a U. S. Patent for another petrochemical process. Sam, a chem engineer and former Air Force meteorologist (weather officer, that is, students—not a meteor pilot), and Mrs. B. have been in Baytown since '46.

Pray for RICHARD J. PHILLION, who will have to skip this reunion for the millennial one later on. Dick died back in August in Madison Heights, but notice came after the last couple of issues. Sympathy to his widow.

1941 James F. Spellman
7 East 42nd St.
New York 17, N. Y.

From the Alumni Office:

JEROME J. O'DOWD took office January 1 as city attorney in Fort Wayne, Ind., heading up the legal staff of the newly-elected administration. Jerry is a thriving attorney and a former member of the Indiana Legislature. As a gunboat commanding officer in W.W. II, he was in five Pacific invasions, winning the Navy Cross, Silver Star, Presidential Unit Citation, etc. Active in various Bar Assns., vet's organizations, Church and service clubs, Jerry is an ardent Democrat, Fourth District organizer and former secretary of the Indiana Young Democrats, past city Demo chairman, club president, etc.

The ROBERT A. MEYER family, Bea, Rob and Randy, left Casper, Wyo., for Africa before Christmas. Formerly an attorney for Ohio Oil, Rob will represent the Oasis Oil Co. of Libya, P.O. Box 3 on the romantic shore of Tripoli, Libya, North Africa. (That's pretty far from the Halls of Montezuma.) It's a little late, but Rob wanted us to relay Christmas wishes to his Class and Law School buddies. He leaves a thriving N. D. Club that he helped to reorganize in Wyoming.

Washington State Refractory Superintendent ERNEST TIMPANI (a "three-time loser" at N. D., in his own alumni's parlance: LL.B. '42 and M.S. '50, on top of his A.B.) was heaped with glory in late November, according to a feature story in the Seattle, Wash., Post-Intelligencer. The State Citizen's Council, an organization connected with the National Probation & Parole Assn., with a reputation for being sharply critical of state institutions, praised Ernie's work in improving the reformatory over the past two years as "fantastic, impressive and exceptional." The chairman had been "sorely troubled by idleness in the institution" on a visit three years ago. "But the change has been fan-

tastic," he said. "We have seen an impressive program." All but a handful of nearly 600 inmates are employed in various factories and trade shops or attend school or take commercial art lessons. The barber trainees have received top grades in taking state examinations. The cells are painted and immaculate, and Ernie said that some of the cleanliness has "rubbed off" on everybody. The turnover in custodial staff has been reduced by increased morale and pay, merit system, etc. Family visits and correspondence with inmates is encouraged, and a gym is being built to boost morale even further. Ernie is struggling with other problems like low pay for highly trained counselors and the need for a permanent chapel. The end of the story is very revealing: "Timpani took the praise with humility. He said it should be shared among the 260 staff members. 'Just picture me running the place all by myself,' he said. With that he stopped to offer a light to an inmate and then opened a door for a prisoner who was carrying a tray of dishes."

1942 William M. Hickey
3333 West 47th Place
Chicago 32, Illinois

I have a nice letter from JOE HRACHOVIC (201 East Blvd. North, Rapid City, S. D.) with a very interesting recap—and notice the invitation to all of us. Joe entered the service of his Uncle Sammy two months after his bus. ad. degree and spent four years mostly overseas in England, France, Switzerland, etc. Back in the U. S. he went into business with a friend, sold out after a year and took a job as an accountant with a construction firm. Joe continues:

"On Nov. 6, 1948, I married. Then in 1951 I went into the motel business, which has proven very successful. I am sole owner of the Modern City Motel in Rapid City. . . a 'Triple A' motel. . . sole local member of the Congress Diners Club. My units are located on Highways 14 and 79, equipped with every modern facility. If you ever get out our way do drop in and let's get acquainted."

"We have two children, a son Jay (5) and a daughter (1½) whom we named Debra Kay. My wife Rose is a fine person and a great help to me in my business as well as a wonderful wife and mother."

Also I have news that J. J. McFADDEN of our class is a commissioner of the Department of Labor of the City of New York and is serving as chairman of the mayor's committee on the exploitation of workers. We are happy to see this fine appointment for Jim.

We got news of the passing of JOHN J. RIDLEY in Pennsylvania last summer, and DOUGLAS F. HALEY, JR., one of our architects, died in Gary, Ind., January 23. Father TOM O'DONNELL has celebrated special Masses for them.

From headquarters of the 334th Tactical Fighter Wing of USAF at Myrtle Beach, S. C., comes word on one of our original pre-meds, COL. FRANCIS S. "GABBY" GABRESKI. The former hedge-hopping fighter pilot is now commander of four jet squadrons at Myrtle Beach AFB. One of the all-time "aces," he has 40 "kills" to his credit in W.W. II and Korea. Frank and his wife, the former Catherine Cochran of Prairie du Chien, Wis., have nine children, pictured elsewhere, and live in both sides of a duplex on the base with a sign out front—"The 11 G's."

GEORGE J. KELLY has been named director of the American Bankers Association News Bureau in New York. He will continue his responsibilities as assistant director of the News Bureau and director of information of the Department of Government Relations at the A.B.A. Washington office. George is a former national public relations director of the American Legion.

Another Air Force man, MAJ. JOSEPH H. RAGOLIA, was awarded the Commendation Medal by the Secretary of the Air Force in December. Joe is on the inspector general's staff at headquarters of the Air Training Command, Randolph AFB, Texas. The medal was awarded for "outstanding service and devotion to duty." Joe has a master's degree in education from Rutgers. Married to the former Miss Dorothy Warner of Florence, S.C., he has four sons: James, 15; Thomas, 9; Joseph, 5, and David, 2.



G. J. Kelly

1943 Jack Wiggins
5125 Briggs Ave.
La Crescenta, Cal.

From the Alumni Office:

Secretary JACK WIGGINS, tipped off on the shortage of space in this issue and with little but Christmas cards to report on, will hoard his news until summer. Meanwhile, write!

On December 30 the Spokesman-Review of Spokane, Wash., reported that Inland Power and Light Co. had named VINCENT P. SLATT manager of the electric cooperative. A licensed professional engineer, Vince has been chairman of the Employ the Physically Handicapped program and district governor of the Toastmasters. He has received an award from the Northwest Public Power Assn. for outstanding engineering achievement.

1944 George A. Bariscillo, Jr.
515 Fifth Ave.
Bradley Beach, N. J.

This past January your class scribe attended the biennial Conference of Class Secretaries at Notre Dame in conjunction with the midwinter meeting of the Alumni Board. The three-day conference produced many interesting discussions and enabled class representatives to exchange ideas on all phases of class activities. We had an opportunity during the week end to meet with Chicago area Vice President BILLY KENNY and Class Treasurer TOM ROLFS, who flew in from Wisconsin. We had hoped to meet with Class President JOHN LYNCH, but he recently changed positions and was in the throes of moving his family from South Bend to Framingham, Mass., where John is now with the Perini Corporation as managing editor of the Perini News, house organ for the company.

We have a progress report from Lynch on the class survey which he is completing. It should be ready for distribution in the near future. John was in Boston for the Notre Dame Communion breakfast recently and ran across BILL O'BRIEN, HENRY (BERNEY) PYNE and PAUL LALLY. Before leaving for Framingham, the Lynches entertained CHUCK PATTERSON and HAL HALEY and their spouses after the Southern Cal game and had a visit from DUKE LEARY and wife, Pat, with five of their youngsters last summer when the Learys were en route through South Bend to Rice Lake, Wis.

Eastern Vice President BILL WALDRON writes that he and his spouse recently had dinner with JACK WHITELEY and his wife in New York. Jack is in the overseas operation of the Grace Steamship Lines. Bill also informs us BOB THUMM and family visited him at Bill's summer place last year in Allenhurst, N. J.

Christmas brought greetings from far-flung classmates, including the following:

BOB MARTINA, who is Project Engineer of Gillfillan Brothers, Inc., in La Habra, Calif. . . REV. MARK G. MCGRATH, C.S.C., who is with the Holy Cross Fathers at their school in Santiago, Chile. . . DICK LEON, who sends his annual greetings to the class from Mexico City. . . and faithful correspondent JOE NEUFELD, who was recently involved with the Charity Ball in Green Bay, Wis. His wife and WALLY CHRISTMAN's wife were committee chairmen.

We had an interesting letter from PAUL O'CONNELL, (Kalamazoo, Mich.) reflecting on our successful 15th reunion last June. Paul has mail regularly from DR. PHIL CLARKE in Denver, but looks for word from the likes of JOHN BRIGHT, TOM KELLY, EARL ENGLERT, JIM CONSTANTINE, PAUL MARIETTA, JOHN KUHN, etc. (aforementioned please take note and reply). The class extends deepest sorrow and prayers to Paul on the recent loss of his mother. Deepest sympathy of the class is also extended to BOB GALVIN, whose father passed away in November.

BILL KENNY had several interesting stories to relate about his experiences last summer. Seems that the Kennys, the ED DUNIGANS and JACK SEGERSONS rented a home in Long Beach, Ind., and spent a "quiet, restful" summer vacation with their 13 (count 'em) children. Bill is with Patten Tractor and Equipment Company in Hammond, Ind., and reports often seeing BOB MCBRIDE who also works out of an office in Hammond. He met MATT SULLIVAN, in from Washington, D. C., at the Northwestern game last fall. Bill passes along news that JOHNNY O'ROURKE is now head buyer for Marshall Field & Co. in Chicago and that JACK WITOUS has five young ones and a busy law practice in the Windy City.

The editor of the ALUMNUS has set the follow-

ing deadline dates for ALUMNUS copy for the balance of the year: May 15, August 25 and October 15. Numerous publication problems and complications have caused unforeseen delay in mailing recent issues of the magazine, but we were assured at the Class Secretaries Conference that every effort is being made to distribute future issues on time. To assist your class secretary in meeting the foregoing deadlines, class members are urged to have information in my hands a week in advance of each deadline. Rather than depart from tradition, may we again close this column with the usual, urgent appeal and request that you sit down today and send along a few lines of news concerning yourself and other classmates you've seen or heard from recently. It would help me considerably.

From the Alumni Office:

A "Spotlight Alumnus" three years ago, BILL LAWLESS has been so busy since then that a brief summary may be in order. On January 1 Bill became the youngest Supreme Court judge in New York State. Formerly he had been president of the Buffalo Common Council, the youngest man



W. Lawless

ever elected to the post. He was the city's youngest corporation counsel at 32 and president of the state assn. at 33; was appointed by the governor to a committee to revise the state constitution; was named the state's "Man of the Year" in '57; helped establish the Niagara Frontier Port Authority for the St. Lawrence Seaway; won tax, parking, airline and harbor improvements for Buffalo; organized a citizens committee against salacious literature, "law for laymen" and bar review courses and a program for giving university students experience in municipal departments. Bill's a Navy vet of the Guam, Saipan and Okinawa campaigns and Korean occupation. Director or member of more than a dozen organizations (civic, religious, cultural, vets and charitable), Bill has had to leave his practice as a partner in Lawless, Offermann, Fallon and Mahoney. He and wife Jeanne have eight children, evenly divided. A Democrat in predominantly Republican territory, Bill has won bi-partisan support in spite of his party and surname.

A salute also to EDWARD C. STEINER, elected president for 1960 of the Dayton Area Board of Realtors, a thousand-member professional organization with headquarters



E. C. Steiner

in a new office building of its own. After ten years in the game Ed operates his own real estate and general insurance firm, Steiner Realty Co., in his own building in downtown Dayton, Ohio. Like Bill, Ed is a U. S. Navy veteran and also, with his wife Judy, has four sons—Edward, 15; Tom, 14; Steve, 12, and Peter, 2—but he's only recently entered the daughter business with one-year-old Mary Alice. Like Lawless in Buffalo, Ed Steiner has been extremely active in the Dayton, N. D., club. Twice elected president, he is perennially (and presently) on the board of directors and was selected as Dayton's N. D. Man of the Year in 1952.

We're a little late in printing an announcement by FREDERICK A. EICHORN, JR., chief chemist at Portland Cement's Trinity Division, Dallas, Tex. On November 26 at Holy Catholic Trinity Church, Dallas, Fred was married to Miss Lucille Crummins, a local girl and a graduate of S.M.U. The Eichorns honeymooned in Florida.

15 YEAR REUNION
Class of '45
JUNE 10-11-12

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

HERE IT IS!!

This is the time for the 15-year reunion. If you

want to be part of the FUN, and part of the GANG, this is it!! June 10, 11, and 12 is just around the corner. Those who came for the 10th Reunion will all be there; if YOU missed that, you owe it to US to be there for the 15th. Approximately 90 of your class buddies will be there, so be sure to plan for it. We've put a lot of work into it and it will be packed with good times.

MY LAST COLUMN

This column, men of '45, represents my last one for the class. After 10 years of this pleasant duty, because of tremendous pressures from heavy work loads at Sperry's, at home, and at evening school where I'm working toward an advanced degree, your Secretary is refusing the nomination for five more years. Consequently, the class will have a chance to vote for a new class secretary on a slate to be presented at the reunion.

My last BIG effort will be this 15-year reunion. Come out to that affair to help us all enjoy the reunion and to help me bow out gracefully.

CLASS SECRETARIES CONFERENCE

Your class secretary was fortunate in being invited to the University for JIM ARMSTRONG's Secretaries' "Reunion". . . a function which has proved most beneficial to class columnists. Such problems as class records, gathering news, budgets, class officers programs, questionnaires, reunion planning, and a horde of administrative details are made clearer and workable by these friendly exchanges of ideas by class experts in each field. JIM ARMSTRONG, JOHN LAUGHLIN, JOHN CACKLEY, ALLAN POWERS, and several others from the University staff were on hand to help out, along with the Alumni Board.

SEASON'S ENJOYMENT

It is always a pleasant and nostalgic experience to receive the abundance of cards and letters every Christmas from points both near and far. For a few moments every year our minds run back through the years to relive the memories and friendships. Included among this year's well-wishers were: BROTHER ROBERT BELLARMINI, C.S.C.; REV. EDWIN KADZIELAWSKI, C.S.C.; REV. ED HENNESSY, C.S.C.; REV. MARK G. McGRATH, C.S.C.; REV. BILL BEVINGTON; BROTHER ISAAC JAGUES MOTZ, C.S.C.; REV. DON TRACEY, JACK BOWEN, J. D. USINA, FRED BREMER, TONY EARLY, ROBERT MARKE, ED LAROCQUES, ART EDWARDS, BILL MOORE, JIM CLYNES, JR.; BOB ERKIN, TOM MULHERN, BUD GOTTA, PHIL MARTIN, BILL SHEA, REM ROKER, LUIS BELTRANENA, JACK CALLAGHAN, TOM BERGIN, TOM MCCAUGHEY, BOB WILLIAMS, VINCE CUSHING, JOHN HOSBEIM, CHUCK WOLF, PAUL W. SMITH, GEORGE DESPOT, C. JAMES PARIS, HARRY RYAN, JIM DONNELLY, BOB GOULD, DICK SADOWSKI, JOHN MEYER, JOE WURZLER, CHUCK SARTORE, and LARRY ROMAGOSA.

DID YOU KNOW THAT. . .

DAVE CHAMPION has moved from Mexico to Cleveland. . . that Dave's new residence is between Harvard Ave. and East 108th Street, Cleveland 5, Ohio. . . that FRED BIGGS is again weathering the storm of South Bend at 2510 Simpson. . . next FRED GOEBELER will be spending the next year and a half in Atlanta in quest of a master's degree in industrial management. . . that his present address is: Stu. Det. Hq. 3rd USA (3000), Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, Ga. . . that Brother DORAN J. (JOHNROE), C.S.C., is now teaching at Archbishop Hoban High School at 400 Elbow Avenue, Akron 6, Ohio. . . that Brother THOMAS AQUINAS (KUNNA), C.S.C., has been assigned to Notre Dame High School in Sherman Oaks, California. . . that Brother's address is 13645 Riverside Drive. . . that EDGAR HENRY STROOT has moved from California to New England. . . that Edgar now resides at 1625 Main Street, Berlin, New Hampshire. . . that LEO RUOF has also moved East from Little Rock, Arkansas to 7 Claremont Avenue, Massena, New York. . . that ROBERT O'TOOLE is the Vice-President of the Pullman Trust & Savings Bank in Chicago.

LOST AND FOUND DEPARTMENT

As usual, a few changes of address did not reach the Alumni Office nor your secretary this year. We would be most grateful if you could inform us of the whereabouts of seven of the most "wanted" men from the class of '45. They are: REV. HAROLD LOUIS BRIDE, C.S.C.; JOHN ADAMS, BOB MOREL, FARRE "TEX" REQUIGNY,



As of October, 1959, the handsome family of Korea-W.W. II Ace Francis S. Gabreski, '42, was bursting the seams of a knocked-out duplex on officer's row at Myrtle Beach Air Force Base, S.C. where Frank is commanding officer. In the living room (clockwise from left) are Debbie Ann, 2; Colonel Gabreski, Djon, 13½; Donald, 11; Patsy, 6; Mrs. Gabreski (the former Kay Cochran) and Robert, 8 weeks; Francie, 8; Mary Ann, 10; Linda Kay, 4, and Jimmy, 5.

ARCADE PLANTE, MELVYN TOMBER, FRANK SMITH, and BOB SULLIVAN.

LETTERS FROM DEPARTMENT

"We get letters," and we certainly welcome them no matter how brief, especially those bearing happy messages such as "I'll be on hand for our 15th—DAVE MURPHY." Others, perhaps not as certain because of pressing obligations are nevertheless trying their best to secure a three-day pass. For example, FRANK NASH writes us: "A 'maybe' trying to make it a 'yes'."

From JIM RETTER: See you at the reunion. Saw DICK SAYER recently when he was visiting Monsanto's Springfield plant. Also had lunch with RAY BADDOUR over at MIT. We had a very pleasant holiday time. Now have a movie camera so we can record the rise of our Jim, Paul, Matt, Patty, and Susan and the decline of mother and dad as we exhaust ourselves building models and playing football and Little League baseball. Incidentally, my oldest shook hands with Joe Cronin (president of the American League) after a Communion breakfast this morning. Attended the ND Club Communion Breakfast just before Christmas and heard Cardinal Cushing—very good." From DAVE CHAMPION: "Tentatively I plan to go to our 15-year reunion but it is not definite as I have a lot of traveling and cannot anticipate some of it. Selfishly, I have another reason for wanting to be in South Bend about that time. Namely, graduation of my brother Pete—presumably that week; we will see." From JACK KINNEY: "Talked to 'MIKE' CATTIE in Philadelphia recently and he would like to join '45. His address: Jules J. Cattie, 661 Deaver Drive, Blue Bell, Pa. Also would like to see JOE LINDEN join with '45. Will see what I can do." From MIKE GARRY: "My new address is 134 Homewood Drive, Fairmont, Minn. I'll see you at the reunion."

From BROTHER FRANCIS ENGLERT, C.S.C. ('51): "As secretary of the Notre Dame Class of 1945, you may be interested in knowing about Gilmore Academy, Gates Mills, Ohio, one of the nation's leading preparatory schools conducted by the Brothers of Holy Cross. Our present enrollment includes a number of sons of Notre Dame Alumni. A substantial portion of our graduating class enrolls at Notre Dame each year." From FRED BOEBELER: "Now I know why the late Clint Castlebury of Georgia Tech ran all over N. D. back in '42. He was taking math at Tech and was used to going that fast! I'm registered here to chase a master's in industrial management. Living just outside Dr. McPherson and the school's beautiful 9-hole golf course, but too busy to get near it."

From JOE KELLY: "Can't make the reunion. Still with Motorola, Riverside. Outgrew our Yosemite address so built a house big enough for the six little Kellys (3 boys, 3 girls)." From CHUCK

POWERS: "I note in the list of those attending the reunion that my name is listed as Bowen. My bad writing has caused trouble before and I want to correct your records. I'll be there." From REV. CHARLES DELANEY, C.S.C.: "Just a few lines informing you that I have been transferred to Santiago, Chile. I will be in charge of a very poor and very large (some 10,000 people) parish. We will be fighting poverty, ignorance and Communism. Please keep us in your prayers. Keep up your good work." From BILL MacNEIL: "Hope this note finds you happy, healthy, and in the best of spirits. Have received your literature regarding the forthcoming class reunion, and as of this date I plan on attending. I have read the list of the attending class members, and I will be looking forward to visiting and seeing some of my old friends again. Hope to see you in June."

From BERNARD "BUD" GOTTA: "Congratulations and appreciation to you on the magnificent job you are doing in looking after the affairs, interests, and personalities of the class of '45. Certainly this is at a great personal sacrifice of time. As the years go on we all gain added appreciation for Notre Dame, and to a good measure your efforts contribute substantially to this affinity. This is a long way around to say that I am looking forward to and planning on the 15-year reunion next June." From BROTHER DORAN (JOHNROE) C.S.C.: "I cannot promise that I shall be at the 'Homecoming.' There is a possibility; when summer obediences come out, I shall know definitely." From JOHN DENNEN BOWEN, JR.: "In regard to the reunion this June, yes I think I can make it."

From Mrs. PAT USINA: "J.D. is presently cruising the Mediterranean, and is due back in March. He is executive officer aboard the USS William R. Rush (FPO, N.Y., N.Y.), (DDRT/14). I forwarded your last notice on the reunion for him to answer. I am almost positive he won't be able to attend the reunion, which I'm sure he will regret. The children and I are 'waiting it out' in Florida this winter. Mike, our oldest, started kindergarten at St. Joseph's Academy, his daddy's and his grandmother's alma mater, a source of family pride. No doubt you'll receive definite word from J.D. as soon as he's able to write." From DICK MARTIN: "Unfortunately, I will not be able to attend our 15-year reunion. Class news: PHIL MARTIN was recently promoted to assistant vice-president of the trust department of the 1st National Bank here in San Diego. I was married on November 28 to Ella Mae Christopher of Lena, Wis., and Long Beach, California." (Dick: Congratulations to you on a wise move. The class is happy to hear this. Best regards, Al.)

From JIM DUGAN: "I am looking forward to the reunion in June. JIM RETTER is to meet me in Cleveland so we can go to South Bend together. Last March I met DICK LEITE at the IAS pro-

pulsion meeting held here in Cleveland. Earlier this month we appeared in court for the final adoption proceedings for our 1½-year-old daughter Anne Marie." From PAUL HURD: "No news. This is just to reconfirm my intention of attending the reunion. I am sure the other members of the Class of '45 greatly appreciate, as I do, the fine job you are doing. Best wishes for a happy and successful New Year."

From JIM SCHWEICKERT: "The biggest news in our house is the birth of our third son and fourth child. Eric Jan arrived on Dec. 3 at 3:13 a.m. He weighed in at 7 lbs. 10 oz. and stretched to 20 inches. Our smallest baby. The kids have already forgotten they were hoping for a girl." From WALT McDERMOTT: "Sorry to tell you this, but I think I will be unable to make the reunion, as I have a son graduating that same week. Since I last wrote to you, I have moved to California. I have my own business in brake and front end service. I also teach this trade at El Camero College two nights a week. We are all very happy and well here in sunny California, all eight of us: three boys, three girls, my wife, and I. Best regards."

From AL WADE: "I definitely plan on attending the Class of '45 reunion in June. Sorry I haven't contacted you sooner, but we have been transferred and were a bit unsettled for a time." From RUDY ANDERSON: "A short note to reconfirm that I intend to make our reunion in June. If it is as good as our tenth, word-of-mouth should bring out everybody! About me—I've gone back to Law from Sales and will join Merck & Co., in Rahway, N. J., on January 18. The former Helen O'Donnell (DAN O'DONNELL's sister) and I have just reasonably recovered from the holidays with our one little lady and four boys."

From REV. CHARLES GILLESPIE, C.S.C.: "Received your invites for the Reunion of 1960, but, I'm afraid, even in these days of Jet travel, we won't be able to make it from Notre Dame College, Dacca, E. Pakistan. The 'we' includes two other '45ers' here with me, Fathers RICHARD TIMM and HAROLD BRIDE. We always follow the doings of our class with interest in the ALUMNUS and continue to marvel at the energy and enthusiasm of the class secretary. Congratulations, keep up the good work. How we would enjoy being there with you, but again only in spirit. Maybe one of these reunions will coincide with our sabbatical home." From MARK A. CRONIN, JR.: "HANK PAYNE, JOHN MACK, JOHN LAUREY and I have done quite a bit of pheasant hunting together." From ROBERT O'TOOLE: "I do want you to know I will be on hand, expecting to arrive early and leave late. I have been looking forward to a reunion ever since the last one."

That's the news for now, so your secretary is signing off and hanging his close on this line. . . AL

From the Alumni Office:

FATHER DELANEY, whose letter is quoted above, has been pastor of Holy Cross Church in Austin, Tex., for the past seven years. A native of Binghamton, N. Y., he's no stranger to Chile; in the January assignment is his second obedience in Santiago.

AL LESMEZ isn't the only '45 officer who's covered himself with glory in the past few months. President JAMES J. CLYNES, JR., an attorney in Ithaca, N. Y., was awarded a plaque in January naming him Ithaca's outstanding young man of the year 1959. The presentation was made at the Ithaca Jaycees' annual Distinguished Service Award dinner. The award was given for "outstanding community service . . . to the person who through loyal, faithful and unselfish efforts has made a great contribution to his community, state and nation." Jim has served on the Youth Service Committee of Kiwanis; is former vice president of the Jaycees and chairman of two junior state golf tournaments sponsored by the organization; currently serves as treasurer of his county's Bar Assn. and vice president of the New York State Young Democrats and chairman of the county group. He has worked for the United Fund, C.Y.O., and Immaculate Conception Church fund drives, etc. He is executive vice president and secretary of Radio Ithaca, Inc.; Ivy Broadcasting Co., and Ivy Advertising Co., and associated with the law firm of Treman and Clynès.

ROBERT CRONIN, a Hartford City, Ind., banker and Democrat, has been appointed by Indiana's Republican governor to the Toll Road Commission to fill the unexpired term of his father, who resigned to give more time to other duties. Bob is a private pilot and president of the Hartford City Board of Aviation Commissioners.

1946 Jack Tenge, Jr.
2025 W. Six Mile Rd.
Detroit 3, Michigan

From the Alumni Office:

On January 23 ROBERT G. BROWN, a former N.D. instructor, was given the 1960 Billy Mitchell Award for outstanding service to the Air Force at the annual award dinner of the Milwaukee chapter (Billy Mitchell Squadron) of the Air Force Association. The award is offered to the person born or employed in Wisconsin who has contributed the most to the Air Force in the past year. Bob is assistant director of Navigation and Guidance for AC Spark Plug, the electronics division of General Motors.

Bob was selected on the basis of his contributions to air power, one of the most important of which was his role in developing the all-inertial guidance system for the Thor ballistic missile, the only long-range ballistic missile in general use in the Free World. Inertial guidance is a navigation concept which makes missiles self-directing, independent of radio or radar support on the ground and almost perfectly accurate. Once launched, a missile thus guided is more difficult to detect and cannot be thrown off course by natural or man-made forces. Bob, in cooperation with top scientists at M.I.T., developed the theoretical system approach which resulted in making a successful inertial guidance system for the Thor. He has also contributed to the development of the inertial guidance system concept used on other missiles.

Born in Cicero, Ill., Bob got his B.S. and M.S. degrees in electrical engineering at Notre Dame. In 1948, after two years as an instructor, he went to the University of North Dakota for three years as an assistant professor. He joined AC in 1951, and, while developing a systems engineering department, headed the flight crew testing the first Stellar Inertial Bombing System (SIBS), forerunner of precision inertial guidance as we know it today.

An authority in the field of servomechanisms, Bob is co-author of "Servomechanism Analysis," published in 1953 and widely used as a college text, and "Analysis and Design of Feedback Controls," scheduled for publication this spring.

Bob is a veteran of three years with the U.S. Navy. He and his wife and family of eight children live in Elm Grove, Wis. He belongs to the K. of C., the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, American Rocket Society, Instrument Society of America, and he's vice-president of the National Telemetering Conference.

Some '46 men may remember a Navy V-twelve named RAY BETTS. A note from JOHN NOLAN, '42, encloses a clipping from the Chillicothe, O., newspaper announcing Ray's prospective arrival in town as an Episcopalian minister. From Xenia, O., he accepted the rectorship of the local Episcopal church, St. Paul's. Having finished at Yale and Theological college, he is now married to a Smith grad and has three children.

1947 Jack Miles
3218 Bentley Lane
South Bend, Ind.

1962 MINUS 1960 EQUALS 2

With our 15-year reunion just two years hence, your Secretary is already roughing out plans with local committeemen to make it the best ever.

Recently we attended a two-day Class Secretaries Conference on campus which proved quite fruitful and at which this writer was privileged to deliver a talk on the functions and vitality of the local reunion committee.

Later this year we are going to ask YOU for help in planning this event, and you owe it to yourselves and all your classmates to respond with the kind of opinions we need to guide us aright in making the 1962 reunion not only successful, but memorable.

TRAGIC THANKSGIVING

Our deepest sympathy is extended to HENRY KEEL, whose wife, Pat, and 3-year-old son, Michael, died from suffocation in a fire which gutted their South Miami home just four days before Thanksgiving.

Henry was at the motel he manages in nearby Hallandale when the early-morning blaze swept his home at 6330 Southwest 44th St., caused apparently by a cigarette smoldering in a stuffed sofa in the living room.

Michael we know is in Heaven, so please pray for Pat and for Henry as he faces the tough assignment of caring for the five surviving children: Henry, Jr., 12; Mary Patricia, 11; John, 9; Kathleen, 6, and Ruth, 4.

MISCELLANY

TOM SCHREIBER has returned to South Bend with his wife and four children after working the past nine years for the Newman Press in Westminster, Md. He is office manager at FR. PUTZ's Fides Press on the campus. JIM MURPHY reports he visited at the Northwestern football game this past fall with his brother-in-law, JOHN LILL, an engineer for the Fort Wayne Tool, Die, and Engineering Co., and DR. KENNETH KEHL, '45, a Chicago dentist. BROTHER PEDRO HAERING, C.S.C., has been transferred from Cathedral High School in Indianapolis to the post of principal at the Archbishop Hoban High School in Akron, O.

Influenced perhaps by the roseate hue more and more being taken on by the Castro government, LUIS BELTRANENA has fled Havana to reside in Guatemala City. BROTHER RENATUS FOLDENAUER, C.S.C., has moved downstate in New York from the Vincentian Institute in Albany to Holy Cross High School in Flushing. FATHER JOSEPH CANNON, C.S.C., has been transferred from Keenan Hall on campus to the University of Portland in Oregon. LT-COMMANDER BILL BARRY, U.S.N., is, at last report, stationed in Portsmouth, Va., after a Chicago assignment.

LEGAL NOTES

For some reason the newspapers and press releases are full of '47 men who have achieved the judiciary or new legal distinctions. We reported last fall that WILLIAM J. OBERMILLER was running for city judge in Whiting, Ind. Bill, a newcomer on the political scene but well known in Calumet civic and industrial circles, was elected and took the bench January 1. Having defeated the incumbent in the Democratic primaries in May, he beat the incumbent's father, running for judge as a Republican, in November. Bill announced that he would hold a regular night session so that defendants' families would not be deprived of their wages. He also pledged close cooperation with law enforcement agencies. A community relations representative for Standard Oil's Whiting Refinery, Bill has practiced and taught law in the Calumet Region for several years. A former Lake County deputy prosecutor, he's attorney for the Whiting School Board and a member of the County Tax Board. During W. W. II and Korea he was an intelligence agent with the U.S. Navy. He was named the Jaycees' "outstanding young man of the year" last April. A former March of Dimes chairman, he has been affiliated with more than a dozen charitable and service organizations. Bill, wife Ann and their baby daughter live in Sacred Heart Parish, Whiting.

Another new judge since last Oct. 14, is All-American FRANK SZYMANSKI, two-term Auditor General of Michigan, appointed by Gov. Williams to fill the unexpired term of a deceased Probate Court judge in Detroit. On hand at the installation in the City-County Building auditorium were the acting governor, various judges, veterans' representatives, Senator Hart, Mayor Miriani and an erstwhile classmate, REV. NORMAN VAN SILE, '43, for the invocation and blessing. JACK WIGGINS, '43 secretary, probably hasn't heard that Father Norm is now pastor of St. Clare of Montefalco Church, Grosse Pointe, Mich.

It's noted above that Guatemalan liberator LUIS BELTRANENA left his insurance business in "liberated" Havana. He's set up a law firm with his father, Beltranena & Beltranena, back in Guatemala City, where he'll deal in insurance too. Another lawyer, CHARLES G. HASSON, was recently appointed assistant district attorney in Cambria County, Pa.

MORE MISCELLANY

Thanks to Peg and BILL PECK, Doris and BOB MULCAHY, Dot and PHIL DELINCKE, Pat and PAUL LIBASSI, and BROTHER IVAN DOLAN, C.S.C., for their Christmas cards. BOB MULCAHY writes "Another year gone by without getting out that way—we'll make it one of these years. Dot Delincke says that Phil, a member of our polio fraternity, remains well and goes to work every day, and Pat Libassi jots the info that "Paul started his medical practice in July and has been busy."

Quoth BROTHER IVAN: "This is the end of the school year over here and these past few weeks have been busy ones. . . . Today I will distribute the progress reports to the 600 or so boys reading in the mission primary school; tomorrow it will be the same for the students of the high school. . . ."

"For the past few months I have been busy also building the new rectory, storerooms, and work shop for the school. In all it is costing me the grand total of about \$3,000. At N.D. I'm afraid this amount wouldn't go very far, but here

I will end up with a rather nice building, one that will last for a good many years. . . .

NEW ADDRESSES . . .

. . . are on record for DR. PAUL LIBASSI; TOM POTTER; BILL KOCH; MARVIN PROSCHE; JOHN MERRYMAN; JOHN MAHER; JIM FOLEY; JIM ABBOTT, and AL SWAN.

PREVIEW

Next issue you'll be reading about many of our classmates in Chicago, whom I'll call during my stay there for the Boat Show, and—if you'll but take a few minutes to scribble a line or two—about YOURSELF. Come on now: Ready . . . Aim . . . WRITE!

1948 John Defant c/o University Press Notre Dame, Ind.

The questionnaires keep rolling in, but we are now just about at the end of the string. They have been sent out to all of you, and it's up to you to fill them out and return them.

You will have gotten all the news in the '48 News Letter, so this column will be only a condensation of the material—or, rather, just a list of contributors.

Here are the '48ers who filled out questionnaires and returned them since those whose names appeared in the last issue: GEORGE W. BARSA, BILL BONWICH, CLARENCE J. BOURRET, JAMES I. CORCORAN, WILLIAM J. CRUMLEY, ROBERT J. DASCHBACH, M.D., FRANCIS J. DAVIS, ROBERT W. FRANZ, JOHN M. FREESE, THOMAS G. FRY, JR., WILLIAM K. FULTON, GEORGE H. GORE.

JAMES E. GORMAN, WILLIAM H. GRADY, ROBERT M. GRANT, WILLIAM J. GREELEY, THOMAS H. GREEN, JOHN B. GRIFFIN, M.D., WILLIAM FRANCIS GRIFFIN, FRANK J. GUIDO, THOMAS S. HACKMAN, JOHN L. HAFF, JOHN D. HARRINGTON, HARRY J. HATER, JR., SAMUEL J. HAZO, JEROME BYRON HAYES, V. JAMES HECK, GERARD J. HEKKER, DANIEL W. HESTER, WARREN F. KANE.

RICHARD J. KASBERG, JAMES K. KAUFMAN, RICHARD F. KAYSER, ROBERT E. KEARNEY, GEORGE J. KEENAN, TIMOTHY E. KEELEY, GERALD L. KESCHEN, ROBERT E. KETT, SAMUEL M. KITCHIN, ROBERT A. KLEIN, WILLIAM A. KORTAN, JAMES J. KRESS, ROBERT H. MACLEMALE, JOHN R. MINZING, H. DAVID MOSIER, JOHN ROBERT PADON, WILLIAM G. PALMER, JOHN A. PARKER.

JAMES P. PATTERSON, STEVE PAVELA, HAROLD PHILIP PEAR, ARNOLD A. PEDERSEN, ROBERT H. PERCIVAL, THOMAS L. PHILLIPS, ROBERT E. PIERSON, HARRY C. REICH, JOHN A. REILLY, PAUL A. REILLY, M.D., WILLIAM F. REILLY, FRED J. RENN, FRED RICKER, PAUL J. RIGALI, RAYMOND S. RISTOW.

WILLIAM F. ROBERTS, FRANCIS T. ROB-INSON, ROBERT E. ROWLING, ALBERT S. SALVI, MARIO C. SANTAROSSA, ROBERT A. SCHIRMER, PAUL O. SCHIRMER, GEORGE V. SCHMITT, D.D.S., JOHN ARNOLD SCHNEIDER, PAUL BEARMAN, RICHARD J. HERBERG, JOHN P. KANE, DON N. KERSTEN, THOMAS M. KILEY, JOHN A. MURPHY, JOHN P. O'NEILL, THOMAS D. RICHARDS, and GEORGE H. SCHILING.

All the dope on the above is listed in the News Letter, as is a lot of other news. If any of you did not receive a copy of the News Letter, I'll be glad to send you one. Remember, if there is ever any information you may want on anyone in the class, let me know and I'll do my best to try to get it for you.

In conclusion, a few tidbits forwarded by the Alumni Office:

EDWARD KENEFICK has been appointed general sales manager for WBBM-TV, CBS television outlet in Chicago. Ed came west from the account executive staff of WCBS-TV in New York. Previously he was an account executive with NBC. After graduation Ed spent a few years as head football coach at some high schools in Pennsylvania, then joined the F.B.I. for three years as a special agent before going into sales as a station representative.



E. Kenefick

JOHN E. CASSIDY, JR., partner with his father, a former Illinois attorney general, in Cassidy & Cassidy, Peoria, is entering the Democratic primary for state senator in Illinois' three-county 18th district. Currently an elected park trustee, John has been active in various civic projects. John and wife Helen have five young Cassidys. In January VINCE BORYLA left his Denver business to sign with the New York Knickerbockers basketball team as general manager for two years plus. Vince has been a player and coach for the Knicks.

Congratulations to JOHN A. O'CONNOR, who succeeded a monsignor as editor of the Monitor, newspaper of the San Francisco archdiocese, and director of public relations for the archdiocese in January. John has a master's degree in education from Stanford, resides with Mrs. O.C. and three children in San Carlos, Calif.

A special accolade to GEORGE CONNOR, who has added membership on the N.D. Alumni Board to his many enterprises. George was on campus for the January meeting. Architect JOHN M. EVANS of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., president of his county chapter of A.I.A., was a professional advisor for the Pompano Beach civic center project and recently completed a three-month course with the British Architectural Association in London, studying new ideas in tropical architecture. Jack has been a sharp critic of Florida's residential architecture, campaigning against the sameness and inappropriateness of local housing styles.

In November JAMES D. ROWLAND sent in an address correction: it's now 480 Melville, Palo Alto, Calif. Since last September LAWRENCE J. SCHUBERT, a South Bend architect, has been associated with ANTHONY PANZICA, '50. For the past 11 years Larry has been with Thomas L. Hickey, Inc., general contractor.

1949 John Walker 826 Wing St. Elgin, Ill.

From the Alumni Office:

In November the 14th annual meeting of the American Rocket Society in Washington, D. C., featured a talk on the propulsion possibilities of manned space flight by JAMES H. MADDEN, head of the engine reliability department of Aerojet-General Corp., liquid rocket plant in Sacramento, Calif., where the Air Force Titan ICBM is being produced. Jim, who stayed on for his master's at N.D., said that the possibility of partial propulsion failure in a space vehicle can be practically eliminated by using a cluster of seven to ten liquid fuel engines with massive thrust employing the principle of redundancy to compensate for partial failures. Jim's firm has had a propulsion role in the Minuteman, Polaris, Hawk, Scout, Thor-Able and Atlas-Able missiles.

JOHN F. O'DONNELL, who took a master's and doctorate in chem engineering at M.I.T., has been appointed director of commercial development for Kordite Corp., polyethylene products, Macedon, N. Y., in charge of applications research, semicommercial manufacturing, technical customer service, plant design and construction. John has been with DuPont and various branches of M.I.T. and went to France on a fellowship in 1953. The O'Donnells live in Pittsford, N. Y., with their two children, Ellen, 5, and James, 2.

News of two Ph.D.'s from the class: DR. J. P. DAILEY, former head of organic research at the Armour Pharmaceutical Co. lab in Kankakee, Ill., has been appointed director of research in charge of biochemistry, organic chemistry and pharmacology, a newly created job. DR. FRANK M. PALERMITI, former research head for R. K. Laros Co. and biochemical group leader at National Dairy Research Laboratories, has joined Borden Foods Research & Development, Syracuse, N. Y., to head a new flavor lab which will conduct study to improve existing Borden products and develop new ones.



J. F. O'Donnell



J. H. Madden

Most of the remaining news is tragic. The circumstances should enlist the continuing prayers and Masses of classmates and friends in other classes. On December 15 three members of the JOHN MEYERS ('51) family of Carroll, Ia., were killed in the collision of their car and a truck near Marshalltown, Ia. The Meyers were on their way home from Iowa City where they had gone to bring their daughter Jean, 7, a cerebral palsy patient at a state school, back to Carroll for the Christmas holidays. Jean and another daughter, Patty, 4, were injured; dead were John, his wife Dorothy and daughter Ann. Surviving besides Jean and Patty were five other Meyers children at home: Peggy, 10; David, 9; Kathy, 8; twins Mark and Steven, four months. Sympathy to the families of John and Dorothy.

Then on January 21 LOUIS E. BLACK, former president of the N.D. Club of Michigan City, died unexpectedly after a heart attack in Michigan City, Ind. Burial was on Jan. 25 at St. Joseph's Church in his native South Bend. Business manager of Doctors Hospital, Michigan City, for the past six years, Lou was certified eligible by the U. S. Civil Service Commission for a federal hospital appointment last July 20, and an appointment came through to administer a hospital in Washington, D. C., at the time of his death. Lou leaves his wife, Mary Catherine, and three children, Marilou, James and Thomas, who have Lou's classmates' profound sympathy.

To continue on a happier note, BILL BROCKHOFF of Taylorville, N. C., informed the office of a new family addition (Nancy Elizabeth, 9 lbs., 2 oz.) on December 2.

Congratulations to Philadelphia's JACK DEMPSEY who has stepped in to complete the term of the late CHUCK ROHR, '30, on the Alumni Board.

G. ROGER CAHANEY was named general manager of Sterling Movies U. S. A., Inc., effective January 15. Rog has been with the company since June, 1958, when he resigned as executive secretary of the Catholic Press Association. He will handle advertising and promotion and oversee operations of distributing public service films.

10 YEAR REUNION Class of '50 JUNE 10-11-12

1950 Richard F. Hahn 47 Emerson Rd. Glen Rock, N. J.

Reunion time is at hand. Our committee in South Bend, with BILL MEEHAN as Chairman, ably assisted by JOE HICKEY and DICK CLEARY, will be making the preparations for our party on Friday night and the Saturday activities. Have you set the dates aside on your calendar?

Have you heard DON MURPHY, still single, with Motorola in Phoenix has turned landlord and has two houses in Scottsdale, one with swimming pool? GEORGE VALENTA is with Burroughs in Paoli, Pa., working on magnetics and semiconductors. In March the Valentas are expecting their sixth and also expect to move into a new house.

The Navy Game in Philadelphia looks like a good game to arrange for an Eastern Seaboard get-together after the game. We will announce meeting place in the next issue, but in the meantime, order your tickets from Papa BOB CAHILL.

PAUL BUCHYNSKY has been named Ohio district manager for the computer division of Bendix Aviation. He's in charge of sales, service and training for the Bendix G-15 digital computer and other transistorized computer equipment, with offices in his native Cleveland. Formerly a salesman, Paul got an M.S. in engineering administration from Cleveland's Case Tech. The Buchynskys and their three children live at 11469 Deborah Drive, Parma, O.

IVO FATIGATTI reports the arrival of his third youngster last May and that number four is on the production line. He still is busy with his brick company, gift shop and helping out at the White Front Bar and Grill.



P. Buchynski

DON GROSS is now section chief in metallurgy research and development at Weston Instruments in Newark, N. J.

Local Committeeman **DICK CLEARY** is now an allied member of the New York Stock Exchange since South Bend's Albert McGann Securities Co., Inc., was elected as a member corporation.

VERNE KELLEY has been elected vice president for advertising and public relations of the Greyhound Corp. Verne, formerly an ad agency exec., has been Greyhound's advertising manager since 1957.

EDWARD J. SNYDER, JR., has been named assistant to the president of North American Car Corp., Chicago, in charge of developing and coordinating public relations and advertising. Ed, who joined the company in this position, has been an account executive with Selva & Lee, Inc., for the past four years and previously was a newspaperman.



E. J. Snyder, Jr.

W. J. WISSEL, a Law School grad, has left Grand Rapids, Mich., and now lives at 9734 Woodwind Dr., Houston 25, Tex. He's secretary-manager of the Houston Association of Credit Management, Inc. **FRANK J. FITZGERALD** has been appointed district sales manager of Monsanto Chemical's inorganic chemicals division office in Boston, Mass., after serving as assistant manager in Boston.

Christine Anne, third daughter and fourth child of Mr. and Mrs. **JAMES J. GROVES**, was born January 25. Mrs. Groves is the former Joan Gargaro.

VINCENT J. GIESE, editorial director of Fides Publishers Assn. in Chicago, got the first annual Alumni Merit award from St. Joseph College, Rensselaer, Ind., on Jan. 31, and delivered the commencement address. Vince took a master's degree with the class while working for Fides, leading apostolic publisher. A leader in C.C.D., Y.C.W. and other apostolic movements, Vince has written three books, "Apostolic Itch," "Patterns for Teenagers" and "Training for Leadership."

1951 Robert J. Klingenberg 2634 Marcy Lane Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Received Christmas cards from the following classmates: **RAY T. MILLER**, with a picture of the two boys and two girls; **CHARLES T. HELLMUTH**, '50, from Washington, D. C.; **TOM MULLEN**, 2821 N. E. 32nd St., Pompano Beach, Florida, where he is now working; **BILL COONEY**, 2936 28th Street, N. W., Washington 8, D. C.; **PAT BARRETT**, 2028 Seabury Ave., Minneapolis, Minn. Pat is interning presently and hopes to settle in Minneapolis. Also, they adopted their first child, Robert Patrick, born November 11, 1959. **HARVEY O'NEILL**, 69 Hillcrest Drive, Peru, Indiana; **STEVE MARTIN**, 1940 Washington St., No. 301, San Francisco 9, Calif., now with a law firm after concluding a one-year postgrad course in taxes at N.Y.U.; **CHARLIE LUECKE**, Freeport, Illinois; **GEORGE LARSEN**, 2436 Clarendon Avenue, Louisville 5, Kentucky, with a picture of the three girls and two boys; **BILL ANHUT**, 17350 Pennington Drive, Detroit, Mich., now with three girls and two boys.

BUD HERR, Box H, Chatsworth, Illinois; **PAT O'SULLIVAN**, 2015 Military Road, Port Huron, Michigan; **HANK MADDEN**, with a picture of one boy and two girls; **AL GUARNIERI**, now with two boys and one girl; **KEN THOREN**, 256 Central Avenue, Rye, New York, now with one girl; **JOHN K. MOORE**, without a word on it, and **DON SONDAG**, 940 Willville Drive, Decatur, Illinois, with a picture of their girl and boy. Don finishes his residency in O.B. in June '61.

JERRY HANK, 1812 37th Street Ct., Moline, Ill. Their first son was born in April. Jerry is Asst. to the President of Montgomery Elevator Company. He reports that he sees **JACK CORYN** frequently because he is with the legal firm his company deals with.

DICK MACDONALD, 1005 Highland, Lafayette, Ind.; **BOB EDMONDSON**, 65 East 96th Street, New York 28, New York, with a picture of John and Amy; **JOHN HALEY**, 7116 Penottee Drive, Fort Wayne, Ind.; **TOM LOGAN**, 1031 Kensington Blvd., Fort Wayne, Indiana; **MATTY O'DONNELL**, a Captain in the army, J. A. Section,

Hqts. VII Corps, APO 107, N.Y., N.Y. Matty is stationed in Germany with his wife and two daughters. He sends a general invitation.

ED MCCARTHY, '50, new address 5917 Rickey Street, Metairie, La. (They have one boy and one girl); Father **JIM MADDEN**, C.S.C., now in his third year in the Far East, has had a mission in the jungles of the Garo Hills, address—Catholic Church, Biroidakuni, P.O. Halaughat, Dt. Myemensingh, East Pakistan; **JIM FRICK**, who is moving into a new home in South Bend shortly.

In the last column I reported the untimely death of R. L. WARD and GENE KENNY. On December 15th, JOHN L. MEYERS, his wife and two-year-old daughter were killed in an automobile accident, leaving seven other children. **LOU BAUMAN** died in another automobile accident in September, and his father had passed away in March. Let's continue to remember them in our prayers. In my last column I asked for some small contributions to start a class fund out of which we could have Masses said for our deceased classmates. Some have responded, and I hope more will take a minute to respond. This fund I'll turn over to **JOHN WORTHINGTON**, class treasurer, and I'll report on it from time to time.

From the Alumni Office:

One of the class Ph.D.'s, Dr. **ERNEST G. BROCK**, has been made a principal scientist in the basic science laboratory of the Stromberg-Carlson division of General Dynamics Corp. He joined Stromberg-Carlson's research division in 1958 as a senior physicist and has been specializing in molecular resonance. He has been a researcher in other electronics laboratories.



Dr. E. G. Brock

BASIL V. BURKHART received an M.A. from Ohio State at the fall quarter commencement. The Cedar Rapids chapter of the National Assn. of Accountants elected **JOSEPH GREEN** a team captain for 1959-60. Joe, manager of procedures and forms control for Collins Radio Co., came from Caterpillar in Peoria and has been active with the local N. D. Club. He resides with Mrs. Green and five children at 2922 Mansfield Ave., S.E., Cedar Rapids.

JOSEPH M. DUKERT has been appointed manager of information services for the Nuclear Division of The Martin Co. in Baltimore. On the Martin info staff since 1956, Joe has managed the speaker's bureau and publicized rocket and missile work before concentrating on nuclear programs. He's been an Air Force intelligence officer in the Philippines, a Baltimore newsmen and went to Italy on a Johns Hopkins international fellowship. Lately he and his wife Virginia have been very active in Baltimore civic affairs.



J. M. Dukert

CHARLES LENZ, a constant toiler for the Saginaw Valley N. D. Club, has been busy with "God and Man," a lecture series sponsored by the Christian Family Movement in Midland, Mich., featuring distinguished university experts on science and religion.

1952 Harry L. Buch 600 Board of Trade Bldg. Wheeling, W. Va.

RICHARD E. DILLON, 2150 Ridgecliff, Columbus 21, O.; 1954-57, Ohio State (law), presently attorney, Johnson & Dillon; married May 1, 1954; has three children. **WILLIAM SHEVAN**, Route 5, Box 29, Valparaiso, Ind.; professor and chairman of the Dept. of Electrical Engineering at Valparaiso U.; married April 16, 1949; has five children. **EARL L. BEAUCHAMP**, G-3492 Branch Road, Flint, Michigan; 1957-59, 1/2 master's in education, U. of Mich.; elementary teacher, 6th grade, Buell School; married June 28, 1952; has two children.

LAURENCE E. CAROSINO, 908 N. Franklin St., Wilmington 6, Del.; M. S. Chemistry, Purdue U. 1952-55; Ph.D., Purdue 1955-57; research chemist for Hercules Powder Company; still single. **DON "BUTCH" WEILAND**, 3235 Tremont Rd., Colum-

bus 21, O.; electric typewriter salesman for IBM Corp.; married June 13, 1959; **CARL EIBERGER**, 4401 Bryant St., Denver, Colo.; law degree, Notre Dame, 1954; M.B.A., Denver U., 1959; has own law practice and is associated with Akolt, Turnquist, Shepherd & Dick serving as associate general counsel, Mountain States Telephone & Telegraph Co.; married June 14, 1958. **RICHARD S. NOVITSKY**, 762 Iona Ave., Mogadore, O.; process engineer for General Tire & Rubber Co., chemical div.; married April 26, 1956; has one son.

ROBERT MICHAEL PECKELS, 1266 Country Lane, Northbrook, Ill.; president of Midland Sales, Inc., (advertising specialties, merchandising aids, premiums); married Sept. 12, 1953; has five boys. **PHILIP B. TOOLE**, 185 Union St., Attleboro, Mass.; asst. director of advertising for 54 Sheraton hotels in the U.S.A., Canada, and Hawaii. Married Oct. 18, 1958. **GEORGE H. GROSS**, 7384 West 116th St., Parma 30, O.; presently working for master's at Western Reserve U.; elementary physical education teacher; junior high basketball, asst. varsity track coach at Cuyahoga Heights; married June 7, 1952; has four children.

DR. WILLIAM ANDREW RAGAN, Box 206, Williamsport, O.; research development supervisor for DuPont; married 1951; has four children. **EDWARD A. GOERNER**, 97 Cherry Hill Ct., Branford, Conn.; 1953-58 U. of Chicago, M.A. 1957; Ph.D. thesis in progress; instructor in political science, Yale U.; married Sept., 1955; has two children. **JACK H. WENNING**, Capt. USAF, 264 E. 216 St., Cleveland 23, O.; presently with the 509th Bomb Wing, at Pease AFB, New Hampshire, attending squadron officer school; married Nov. 26, 1955; first child born in August, 1959.

ROBERT C. (BOB) BUTLER, 30 The Fairway, Cedar Grove, N. J.; M.B.A., Wharton School of Finance, U. of Pa.; staff purchasing agent forsylvania Electric Products Inc.; married April 14, 1956; has one son. **REV. ARTHUR R. PERRY**, 1334 West 8th St., Davenport, Ia.; Ordination June 1, 1957, Sacred Heart Cathedral, Davenport; First Mass, June 2, 1957, St. Paul the Apostle Church, Davenport; English, business law and economics teacher, Assumption High School; chaplain, St. Vincent's home. **JAMES G. RICHESON**, 325 Barcia Drive, Rock Hill 19, Missouri; district sales engineer for Pangborn Corp.; married April 11, 1953; has one son.

ROBERT H. MOONEY, JR., 2329 Cumberland Rd., Lansing, Mich.; supervisor of methods engineering, Oldsmobile Div., G.M.C.; married Aug. 6, 1952; has six children. **JOHN A. COLEMAN, JR.**, 812 Park Ave., New York 21, N.Y.; member, New York stock exchange, Adler, Coleman & Co.; still single. **RALPH V. MYERS**, 1010 S. Edison Ave., South Bend, Ind.; partner with Rahn Manufacturing Co., manufacturing and distributing novelty items; married March 31, 1951; has four children.

REV. JAMES B. GILLIS, C.S.C., 249-169th St., Hammond, Ind.; assistant pastor, St. Joseph's rectory, 226 N. Hill St., South Bend, Ind.; **JOHN J. CHAVANNE**, 360 Union St., Gary, Ind.; supervisor, prod. planning dept., U. S. Steel Corp., Gary Steel Works; married June 9, 1951; has five children. **LOUIS H. RIPP**, 3366 W. Saratoga Ave., Littleton, Colo.; 1957 Colorado U.; section head on Titan ICBM, Martin-Denver; married Nov. 1952; has two children.

ROBERT A. EPPING, 1104 Union St., Apt. 2, Schenectady 8, N.Y.; mfg. engineer for Knolls Atomic Power Lab.; married June 21, 1958. **ARTHUR LEE SHERIDAN**, 202 East Main Street, Waukon, Ia.; 1952-54, Marquette Univ. LL.B.; attorney, Sheridan & Sheridan; married Sept. 4, 1954; has three children. **WILLIAM K. HAYDEN III**, 27 Graham Park Rd., Triangle, Va.; Capt. U.S.M.C., currently competing in Marine Corps rifle and pistol matches at Camp Matthews, Calif.; married June 21, 1952; has one son.

HORACE P. WOOD, 1200 Oakwood Dr., San Marino, Calif.; engineer at West King Corp., Technical Products Div., working on components for Atlas missile launching; married July 7, 1956; has one daughter. **JOHN K. GRANT**, 280 Sunshine Acres Drive, Eugene, Ore.; manager with Oregon Leather Co.; married June 15, 1954; has three daughters. **RAYMOND T. DUNCAN**, 1908 Glenisle Ave., Durango, Colo.; oil exploration; married June 24, 1953; has one son. **ROBERT (BOB) K. HUNTER, JR.**, 17757 Armita St., Reseda, Calif.; M.S., nuclear engineering, U. of Calif., 1957; research engineer, nuclear propulsion at Marquardt Corp., Astro Div.; married Oct. 2, 1954; has two children.

CONRAD TETRAULT, 2706 Larmon Drive, Nashville 4, Tenn.; sales rep. covering Tenn., Ala., Ark., Miss., and La. for General Electric Co.; married May 7, 1955; has one son. **THOMAS J. BLAKELY** Catholic Service Bureau, Lyman Bldg.,

Muskegon, Mich.; 1954-56, U. of Mich.; Master of Social Work; social worker, field supervisor for family care program for mental patients; marital counseling program; married April 11, 1953; has four children. **THOMAS H. OBRECHT**, 1791, Apt. D., Louisa Vista, Riverside, Calif.; 1952-53; U. of Mich., 1956-57, Mich. State U. M.A.; teacher at Riverside City Schools; married Dec. 1958.

EUGENE J. MARKHAM, 1466 Hunter Lane, Clearwater, Fla.; senior engineer for Sperry Micro-wave Electronics Co.; married Oct. 25, 1952; has three children. **LEO M. STEPANIAN**, 328 Liberty St., Butler, Pa.; 1952-55 LL.B., U. of Pittsburgh law school; attorney; married Dec. 26, 1953; has two children. **DENNIS B. DELANEY**, 2693 Pinehurst Road, Muskegon, Mich.; business college instructor; married April 6, 1953; has three children. **WILLIAM B. NORMAN, JR.**, 530 E. 88th St., New York 28, N.Y.; asst. to sales mgr. accounting machine sales for National Cash Register Co.; married Sept. 6, 1958. **JOHN R. MORAN, JR.**, 2504 Elm St., Denver 7, Colo.; 1952-55 U. of Denver, LL.B.; attorney, associate member, Moran, Reidy & Voorhees; married Aug. 8, 1953; has four children.

DANA FITZPATRICK, Ellicottville, N.Y.; part owner and mgr., Fitzpatrick & Weller, Inc., mfg. bowling pins and shoe last; married Dec. 28, 1955; has two children. **G. G. (GERRY) MEISELS**, Union Carbide Nuclear Co., Sterling Forest Research Center, Tuxedo, N.Y.; 1951-52, M.S. chem.; 1953-55, Ph.D. chem.; 1955-56, postdoctorate; research chemist, radiation chem. and mass spectrometry for nuclear reactor constr.; married June 28, 1958. **JOSEPH A. BAUTERS**, 3420 Kent Lane, South Bend, Ind.; partner, Crowe, Chizek & Co., C.P.A.s; married Aug. 25, 1951; has four children.

JOSEPH D. LAUFERSWEILER, 1383 Neil Ave., Columbus 1, O.; M.S., Ohio State U., 1952-54; 1956 to present Ohio State Grad. School; graduate student and assistant in botany and plant pathology; married Sept. 5, 1959. **HARRY HEPPEXHEIMER**, 1737 North Adams St., So. Bend, Ind.; attorney and C.P.A., special lecturer Indiana U. Extension; married June 16, 1946; has three children. **WILLIAM D. FOTE, JR.**, 729 N. Union St.; Olean, N.Y.; partner, Fote Construction Co., general contracting; still single. **LEE DONDANVILLE**, 850 So. State St., Springfield, Ill.; 1952-54 U. of Ill., M.S.; civil eng. for consulting structural engineering firm, Hanson, Collins & Rice, Inc.; married June 7, 1952; has three children.

CHARLES V. EDWARDS, JR., M.D.; 465 Forest Dr., Council Bluffs, Ia.; 1951-55, Creighton U. School of Medicine, M.D.; general practice with 12-man group, Cogley Clinic; married Aug. 8, 1953; has three children. **DOUGLAS D. ROBERTSON**, 108 Garfield Ave., Hyde Park 36, Mass.; LL.B. N.D.; 1955, Internal Rev. Serv. attorney; married Dec. 23, 1950; has two children. **RICHARD J. WOLLENSAK**, 1571 Culver Rd., Rochester, N.Y.; 1958 M.I.T.; project engineer, optical instrumentation, Wollensak Optical Co.; married Oct. 4, 1958.

ROBERT A. STEWART, 9509 45th N. E., Seattle 15, Wash.; attorney, Bogle, Bogle & Gates; married July 25, 1953; has one child. **JOHN E. RICHARD**, 2128 Clinton Place West; Owensboro, Ky.; owner brick company (Owensboro Brick & Tile Co.); married Jan. 27, 1951; has three children.

REV. HERMAN A. PORTER, S.C.J., 1950-52 M.A., English, N. D.; (Sacred Heart Fathers, home and foreign missions); Dean of Studies, Divine Heart Seminary, Donaldson, Ind. **MICHAEL C. DIONISE**, 26 S. Main St., Lapeer, Mich.; general practice and prosecuting atty., Lapeer County; still single. **FATHER GERALD L. POTTER**, Box MM, University Station, Grand Forks, N. D.; '48-'52, B.A., St. John's U. Collegeville, Minn.; M.A. N.D. '52; chaplain, Catholic Student Center, and prof. of religion, Newman Foundation, U. of North Dak.

WILLIAM E. SEIDLER, 4817 California St., Omaha, Neb.; 1954-57 Creighton U. LL.B.; attorney with Fitzgerald, Hamer, Brown & Leahy; married June 5, 1952; has four children. **JIM O'DAY**, 801 Grant St., Wausau, Wis.; St. John's U., Collegeville, Minn.; 1953-54; partner printing firm; married June 2, 1952; has five children. **JOHN J. LABOE**, 226 Colonial Dr., Monroe, Mich.; Loyola U. School of Dentistry 1951-55; D.D.S.; general dentistry; married Dec. 15, 1956; has one daughter.

JAMES DONALD REID, M.D., 440 North Winona St., Apt. 414, Indianapolis, Ind.; Indiana U. School of Medicine, 1952-56; resident in ophthalmology, Ind. U. Med. Center; married May 18, 1957; has one daughter. **JOHN C. NOYES**, 5046 42d SW, Seattle, Wash.; physicist mgr. space physics, Boeing Airplane Co.; married Sept. 5, 1953; has three daughters. **MALHAM M. WATKIN**, 93 River St., Oneonta, N.Y.; U. of State of N.Y. at Albany, M.A. 1953; U. of So. Calif., Ph.D., 1959; 1st Lt. USAF; instructor in philosophy, U.S. Air

Force Academy; also rated navigator in USAF; assumed duties at AF Academy last summer; married Dec. 26, 1954; has two daughters.

CAPTAIN GEORGE E. OTTOTT, Junior Officers School, Quantico, Va.; served in U.S.M.C. thirteen years; married Nov. 3, 1951; has four children. **WILLIAM A. SANTINI, JR.**, 3428 Hilton Drive, Mesquite, Tex.; M. Ch.E. from N.Y.U. 1956 and 2 years at Carnegie Tech.; member of technical staff, Research Div., Texas Instruments, Inc.; married Aug. 27, 1955; has four children. **HENRY J. BALLING, JR.**, 166 Walter Ave., Tonawanda, N.Y.; U. of Buffalo 1955, no degree; secretary-treasurer of his own construction firm; married Sept. 17, 1953; has two children.

JOHN D. ENGELS, 1231 George St., DePere, Wis.; Univ. College, Dublin '55-'56; State U. of Iowa; (M.F.A.) '56-'57; instructor in English at St. Norbert College, Wis.; married Feb. 1957; has one daughter. **JOHN C. DOIRON, JR.**, M.D., 46 Rosemont St., Dorchester, Mass.; 1951-55; Georgetown U. Med. School; resident physician, general surgery at V.A. Hospital, Boston, Mass.; married 1956; has two sons. **WALTER JOSEPH FIMIAN, JR.**, 53 Hillside St., Watertown 72, Mass.; M.S., N. D. 1952; Ph.D., N. D., 1955; assistant prof. of biology, Boston College; married June 1950; has two children.

HARRY W. MILTON, JR., 2105 E. 25th St., Tulsa, Okla.; U. of Tulsa 1957-59, M.S. in petroleum engineering; married Feb. 12, 1955; has two children. **ROBERT M. CROWE**, 6914 White Oak Ave., Van Nuys, Calif., company representative, Aero Equipment Co. of Calif. (oxygen equip. for high altitude aircraft, etc.) married April 14, 1956; has two children, probably three by now. **JACK J. MAYL**, 932 23d St., NW, Washington 7, D.C.; 1958 LL.B., Georgetown Law; asst. to vice pres. at Atlantic Research Corp. (research and development in rockets, missiles, etc.); still single.

MAURICE JOSEPH BATES, 121 Beech Ave., Fanwood, N. J.; 1955-57; Georgetown Law, LL.B.; contract attorney, Esso Research & Engineering Co.; married Dec. 27, 1952; has three children. **ANGELO J. "TEX" CARUBBI**, 1908 North Dwight, Pampa, Tex.; U. of Texas, 1954-58; LL.B.; associate with Gordon, Gordon & Bussard; civil, estate and tax work; married May 11, 1957; has one daughter.

FRED H. FRANCKE, 716 Jefferson, Grants, N. Mex.; senior accountant for Homestake-Sapin Partners; operating uranium processing mill and uranium mines; married Feb. 7, 1953 at the Log Chapel; has three children. **JOEL F. WELLS**, 827 Colfax Ave., Evanston, Ill.; advertising and promotion mgr., book club, magazine, book store; magazine writing on assignment and freelance, Thomas More Assn.; married June, 1952; has three children. **JAMES O. HERRIGAN**, 109 Fir, Park Forest, Ill., U. of Chicago, '56; M.B.A.; 1958 to date. Ph.D. program, business school; asst. prof., College of Commerce, Notre Dame (accounting and finance); married Nov. 25, 1953; has two children; (Jim's on leave from N.D., working on doctorate).

JIM LUND, 1638 Oaklawn Place, Biloxi, Miss.; general news reporter, The Daily Herald, past 4 1/2 years; married early 1958; son Thomas Patrick, born prematurely, died Oct. 10, 1958. **OSCAR FRANCIS BEUMEL, JR.**, 8 Madbury Court, Durham, N. H.; U. of New Hampshire, 1955 to present, working for degree in organic chemistry; accepted a position as research chemist with Foote Mineral Co. in Beryon, Pa.; married June 30, 1956; has three children. (FRANCIS H.) **HANK PHELAN**, 4440 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis 8, Mo.; commercial loan officer, Bank of St. Louis; married Sept. 26, 1959.

From the Alumni Office:

(Ed Note: If you've filled out a questionnaire and don't appear above, please don't despair. Secretary **HARRY BUCH**, who missed the Class Secretaries Conference because of a prior commitment with the West Virginia legislature, submitted news about everybody in January for this abbreviated issue. Risking a certain amount of staleness, we've saved a dozen pages of that material for the next issue and continue with spot news items below. J. L.)

Geologist **ROBERT T. CARVILLE** of Houston, Tex., son of the late E. P. CARVILLE, '09, was killed in an auto accident on New Year's Day. Profound sympathy to Bob's wife Yvonne, who survives with four children. Your prayers are requested for Bob and for the father of **BOB MAZAR**, Oil City, Pa., who was reported to be seriously ill.

Late in January defensive end **CHET OSTROWSKI** announced his plans to retire from professional

football after six seasons with the Washington Redskins. Chet, a Chicagoan, hopes to get into coaching. **FRANK GRUESSEN** announced that he and his spouse had been blessed with a daughter last Nov. 10. **JIM ETTLING**, the Hammond, Ind., C.P.A., bemoaned the lack of class news in December, unaware of the secretary's labors. Jim has four kids and a new home.

JAMES B. POWERS, Mt. Vernon, N.Y., has been appointed to the home office (Madison Ave.) sales staff at Parade, the Sunday newspaper magazine, after two years as Eastern marketing manager. Jim has worked for Procter & Gamble in New York and American Thread Co. in Connecticut. He married Pat Byrne in 1958, and they now have a daughter, Susan. **ERNEST J. KNAPIK** recently joined the cost accounting staff at C. P. Clare & Co. in Chicago. Ernie lives at 4814 W. Augusta Blvd. in Chicago with his wife Carole and two sons, Glenn and Gary.

TED HINCHMAN has been named district sales representative for Cedar Rapids' Link-Belt Speeder Corp. in Texas, Oklahoma and part of Mexico. The Hinchmans live near Dallas with their children, Joann, Ted, Jr., and Sueann.

1953 Thomas W. Reedy
337 Wagner Rd.
Northfield, Ill.

From the Alumni Office:

Sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. **TOM ECKLAND** of Peoria, Ill., on the loss of their three-month-old daughter Mary Brigid through a sudden illness on Feb. 2. There is consolation in the fact that the class has someone to pray to, rather than for.

Congratulations to **JOHN T. HASTINGS**, promoted to assistant to the manager of the industrial sales division of The Dobeckum Co. in Cleveland,

O., a division of The Dow Chemical Co. A former marine officer, John has been with Dobeckum and Dow for the past five years in Chicago and New York, most recently as a supervisor of sales for the textile fibers department. He'll reside at 1598 Northland Ave., Lakewood, O., with wife Suzanne and three boys, Kevin, 6; Brian, 4, and Daniel, 1.

THOMAS NELSON was recently appointed solicitor for the Cambria County, Pa., Institution District. **JACK FINK** was given the Huntington, Ind., Jaycees' Distinguished Service Award on Jan. 26 for outstanding community service. Editor of Family Digest magazine and associate editor of Our Sunday Visitor, Jack has been United Fund and Chamber of Commerce publicity chairman, Republican city chairman, a director of the Community Nativity Festivals and Civic Music Assn., president of his parish CCD and the LaFontaine Country Club, member of Rotary, Catholic Press Assn., Magazine Publishers Assn., K. of C., etc. Jack and his wife Marie have three children, two girls and a boy.

On Dec. 28, 1959, **HAROLD SWEET** was married to Miss Catherine O'Hearn in Buffalo, N.Y. Catherine, a Michigan State grad, has been one of Betty Crocker's home economists in Minneapolis. Harold has been working for Prudential in Minneapolis while attending law school. **WALTER SWIFT** was the best man.

JOSEPH A. CZERWINSKY is moving to St. Louis as a sales engineer for Antara Chemicals, dyestuff and chemical sales for General Aniline & Film Corp. Formerly a chemist for Interchemical Corp., Joe joined Antara in 1957 as a sales trainee, was moved to Chicago last year as a sales correspondent.

Here's some news about 1953's advanced degree contingent:

DR. HUNG HAN YANG, better known to the

chemical engineers with whom he got his master's as **HARRY YANG**, is now the father of Stephen Clyde Yang, born last fall. Harry got his doctorate at Michigan and was married in 1938.

DR. PANOS D. BARDIS, sociologist-novelist-poet-mathematician-anthropologist-journalist-statistician-educator-short story writer and specialist in several other things that only the Greeks could have words for, has added an editor's eyeshade to his hat collection. Dr. Bardis, who got his master's with the class in sociology and is now an associate professor at the University of Toledo, became editor of Social Science, quarterly journal of Pi Gamma Mu social science honorary, last summer. Other publications last year included an article on his specialty, "A Familism Scale," in Marriage and Family Living and a bit of doggerel verse in the Assn. of American Colleges Bulletin in which Panos kidded the hidebound profs who give the same exams to three or four generations of students. Panos lives at Toledo's faculty apartments with wife Carole Elaine, whom he met while at N.D.

DR. FRANCIS BALDWIN, who earned his doctorate in physical chemistry as a teaching fellow in physics, is now a research associate in the chemicals division of Esso Research & Engineering Co. The title is a recognition of Frank's proficiency in polymer research; he has written eight papers in the field and has been awarded 19 patents.

1954 George A. Pflaum, Jr.
1705 Harvard Blvd.
Dayton 6, Ohio

After five years, news of the class is quite hard to come by. However, as I face this deadline I am fortunate in having a bit of very startling news. The impossible has happened, the sky has fallen, the seas have parted — **JAKE NOONAN** is getting married. Details on this are drifting slowly out of Sioux City, so the only thing I have definitely at this writing is that his intended is a charming young lady from Springfield, Ill. I can't help but wish her best of luck and lengthy patience as she assumes the roommate headache that plagued me for three years. Details regarding this event are scarce but it is safe to assume that after all the festivities surrounding this marriage are over, it will make the recent Ford Debutante Party seem like just a neighborhood gathering.

Another bit of startling news was received in handsome engraving and read as follows: "Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Lennox request the honour of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Margaret Louise, to Mr. **EUGENE WILLIAM HOWLEY** on Saturday, the second of January, One thousand nine hundred and sixty at half after eleven o'clock, Saints Faith, Hope and Charity Church, Winnetka, Illinois."

BILL GUILFOILE passed on some news from New York after having visited there with his wife over Christmas. He sends the following: **PHIL BOLIN** is still with Young & Rubicam Advertising handling some television accounts. **JOE IMBRIACO** has passed both the New York and New Jersey bar exams and is working with the Harrison Durant law firm in Newark. **DAVE GILSDORF** has accepted a fellowship to teach engineering at Montana State College. **BOB WALLACE** was married December 26 to Miss Mildred Murphy in Moorestown, N. J. **TOM PARSLEY** has accepted head football coach position at Crystal Lake High School in Crystal Lake, Ill. **PAT GARRICO** is a reporter for the Denver Post where he is assigned to the city news desk. **BOB ZEIS** is an advertising salesman for the same paper. Thanks, Bill, you continue to serve as a good example of the type of correspondent this column needs.

Alice and GENE HENRY are living at 10223 Prado Vista Drive, Cupertino, Calif. Their second child and first son, Theron Joseph, was born on December 24. Gene is working on a Ph.D. in electrical engineering at Stanford University and hopes to graduate in June.

RICH HOHMAN and family are still in Hawaii with the Marines. Rich reports that last fall **BILL MORLEY** and his wife spent some time with them while they were honeymooning on the Islands. Rich's address is 1345 Akiki, Kailua Heights, Oahu, Hawaii. From even further west than there, I had a nice note at Christmas from **LARRY GOTUACO**. Larry sent along an attractive picture of his wife, Patricia, and his two children, Andrew and Melanie. They live at P. O. Box 1254, Manila, Philippine Islands. I thought I started early in promoting our last reunion a year ahead of time, but Larry indicates that he has every intention of making our 20-year reunion.

BOB MCGLYNN dropped a note at Christmas from his home at 2002 Monroe, Pullman,

Washington. Bob is serving as administrator of Memorial Hospital in that city.

I received a few other interesting cards at Christmas and for the benefit of your own records, I am passing along the addresses that were contained on them. Mr. and Mrs. **W. D. REYNOLDS**, 7340 N. Ridge Avenue, Chicago 45, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. **LEROY BAZANY**, 1458 Michele, Palatine, Ill.; **CHARLES R. TILLEY, JR.**, 838 Third Street, Oxnard, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. **JACK F. PITTAS**, 4419 Medford Drive, Annandale, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. **ROCKNE MORRISSEY**, 6306 Fairhurst, Cincinnati 13, Ohio; and Mr. and Mrs. **BILL MORLEY**, 7348 Ridge Avenue—15C, Chicago 43, Ill.

Another piece of engraved stationery bears the following news: "Colonel and Mrs. Harry Ward George Vadnaiss announce the marriage of their daughter, Sally Marie, to **JOHN JEFFREY KEENAN**, Captain, U.S.M.C., on Saturday, the 28th of November, nineteen hundred and fifty-nine, Camp Lejeune, North Carolina."

I also received a note that I prefer to repeat below in full:

"**JOE ORDER No. 1. Production Specification**
Schedule: Name of Customer(s): Anne and **BILL MEYER**. Address: 431 Browns Lane Apt. 208, Pittsburgh 37, Pennsylvania. Nature of Business: Family Building (Small). Article: Baby Boy. Quantity: One. Size: 5 lb. 12 oz. Title: William John (Billy). Description: Blond Hair, Blue Eyes, Loud Voice, Big Appetite. Art Furnished by: Mother. Stock furnished by: Father. Delivery Date: Promised 10-17-59, Actual 9-30-59. We beat that deadline! Composition: Very masculine—you know the type! Presswork: For details contact Mother. Bindery & Finishing: Expertly done; completely self-covered; several small perforations; complex folding. Special Wrapping: Moisture proof re-wrap required frequently; some leakage unavoidable. Shipping: Special Handling; very fragile. Production Supervisor: Dr. John M. Sadler. Office Information: Reprint likely? Possibly. How Soon? Customers avoided direct answer. Should Plates Be Saved? No—customers prefer to produce each job completely from scratch."

Additional contributors to the population explosion in recent months were **DAVE MEAGHER** and wife who welcomed Patrick Louis last fall. **JOHN** and **MARGO GROSSPIETSCH** welcomed Thomas Edward about the same time.

JOHN G. SETTER, M.D. of 2012 N. Daniel St., Arlington 1, Va., sent the following: "My wife and I would like to announce the birth of a son, John George Setter, Jr., on October 10 in Washington, D.C."

"I was graduated from the Medical College of South Carolina in June of this year. My wife (the former Gail Sloan of Aiken, S. C.) and I moved to Washington in July so that I could begin a year of internship at Georgetown University Hospital."

That wraps up this report. The next one could be longer if you'd take some time tonight to drop me a note.

5 YEAR REUNION Class of '55 JUNE 10-11-12

1955 Thomas F. O'Malley
6738 Kenwood
Kansas City, Mo.

Well, Gentlemen, greetings again from this side of the Mississippi. Sending another note your way gives me the opportunity of mentioning the reunion again. If you don't know by now, the dates are June 10, 11, and 12, on the campus. This is the big one for us because the attendance at this one sets the pattern for the years to follow. They say that if you start from the beginning, it gets in your blood and you don't miss many after that. Needless to say, a big time is going to be had by all and it would be a shame to miss it. Start saving your sick leave now so you can have the reunion fever in June.

I've got some news to report so I'll get off the subject for a time. You can bet that I'll wander back to it shortly. **LOU CENTILVRE** is a reunion registrant for sure and wrote to fill me in on the news in the Fort Wayne area. Lou is working for the Bonisb Advertising Agency and he and his wife, Gayle, were expecting a child type one in Novem-

ber. I haven't heard any news on this yet. Lou passes along the news to follow.

BOB HUNECK was married September 15 in Marion, Ind. Congratulations. Lou was the best man and I'm sure that he saw to it that Bob was married in fine style. Before closing his letter, Lou mentioned that he was anxious to hear from **DONN DUFFY** who had signed a correspondence pledge in blood with him at the Colfax Bar and Friendly House. Get one in the mail soon, Donn.

DICK SCHEIBELHUT sent in a welcome contribution to the column and reports that he is working at the Ford Motor Co. assembly plant in Chicago. Before going with Ford, Dick had spent two years in the Navy and then some time with the Bendix Missile plant in Mishawaka. Dick brought me up to date on the names to follow. **JOE SHILTS** spent two years with the Army in Korea and then returned to get his master's in civil engineering at N.D. **DON KISKA** also spent two years in the Navy after graduation and is currently working in South Bend for an accounting firm. Wilson, N.C., still has a hold on **FRED MAROON**, and he is working there as a zone manager for Investors Diversified. During the past summer he was kept quite busy assisting in the Miss North Carolina contest and managed a few trips to South Bend. **TOM POZZI** is working for the Bendix Missile plant in South Bend. These boys certainly won't have far to travel for the reunion and should be a great help to the other grads who have forgotten their way around the town. Word has it that the Philadelphia hasn't changed a bit. Joe's is worried about the competition on reunion weekend.

Good to get a letter from **PETE RITTEN** and welcome it was since I had lost track of my old soccer buddy. As you all know from past columns, Pete was stationed with the Army in Paris and he was certainly relieved when his time was up. Something like that could get boring in a short time. Since he was released from the Army, Pete has been with the Louis N. Ritten Co. as a commodity broker. He has been an active trader for over a year at the Minneapolis Grain Exchange, dealing in grain futures. He married Miss Mary McFarland last June and quite a few of the old timers attended. Seen in the group were **JIM BARRY** who is dealing in industrial real estate; **GEORGE KLUEGEL** who is now selling fire insurance; **ED STENGER**, now with IBM; **CHRIS FLYNN**, selling cars for a Cadillac agency; **BUCKY JANSSEN**, now with the advertising department of Hamm's Brewery, and **ART SULLIVAN**, who is selling life insurance. In closing his letter, Pete Ritten lists himself as a sure bet to attend the reunion.

PAUL FULLMER checked in just as regular as clockwork and did his usual fine job of adding to the column. Paul is still in public relations work in Chicago and has been kept quite busy with his duties as a member of the board of governors for the Notre Dame Club of Chicago. The news to follow is from Paul's letter. **GEORGE RIORDAN** is with the traffic dept. of the Brach's Candy Co. **TOM HAYES** is still on the go selling commercial paper for Knox & Schneider. **DICK BEEMAN** hasn't gotten too far away from radio work since N.D. and is now a time salesman for station WBBM in Chicago. **JIM GRIFFIN** is attending Loyola Law School and is working in the accounting dept. of the Continental Illinois National Bank. **MIKE WARD** is a reporter for Life Newspapers in LaGrange. **JIM EHRET** is back in Chicago after serving some time in the Navy. The Chicago Club had a golf outing, and **JERRY PRASSAS** finished low with a 79. Also on the course that day—but no mention made of the scores—were **TOM DRISCOLL**, **RICK HICKS**, **PAUL PFOHL**, **ED SCHNEIDER**, **LOU ZEPHAN**, and **FRANK MAIER**.

LARRY BREHL checked in with some real good news and reported that he and his wife, Dot, are now the parents of a son, David Edward. Congratulations to them both. Larry mentions that **BOB MOORE** spent some time with DuPont in Texas but is now with the Bettis Atomic Power Laboratory just outside Pittsburgh. He and his wife and two children have purchased a home in Canonsburg, Pa. **CHUCK DOHERTY** is out of the Navy and is working for an accounting firm in Pittsburgh. **JIM COPPERSMITH** sends greetings from Milwaukee, Wis., and I have to thank you for writing again, Jim, after not having your letter mentioned two years ago. I don't have any idea how it happened but one of these days I'll be cleaning out my desk drawers and find your note. Rather than wait until then, I'll mention that Jim is now an attorney in Milwaukee and from the tone of his letter, is keeping quite busy. Being a lawyer, Jim, maybe you can tell me why Perry

Mason never lost a case. Is this another one of those TV fixes? Jim and his wife now have two daughters, and he mentions that WALT McKENNA did it the easy way as he and his wife are the parents of twins. Walt is with the Price-Waterhouse Co. Jim also sees MIKE FILLICCHIO occasionally when he comes in town on business. Mike is with Commercial Credit Corp.

From up north, something besides cold weather took shape in the form of a letter from DICK CALLAHAN, who is now living in Winnipeg, Canada. Dick spent some time in the Navy and went to work for Sears & Roebuck when he was released. He then went to Winnipeg to marry Miss Elaine Stevenson and now works as an account executive for Cockfield, Brown & Co., Ltd., an advertising agency in the area. The items to follow are from Dick's letter. DAN McCULLOUGH is living in Calgary and is sales manager of the family's Ford agency there. BERNIE SMYTH married Dan's sister and is working for the FBI in Chicago. DAN WILSON and his wife now have four children, and he is working for the Wilson Dairy Co. in Atlantic City. FRANK OLAZABAL was married last June and is still studying medicine at Johns Hopkins U. BILL O'TOOLE, another Johns Hopkins med student, was involved in research work at Oak Ridge, Tenn., last spring.

WHATEVER HAPPENED TO . . . RON AUER, JOHN CASEY, TONY PASQUESI, BOB KOONS, DICK NEIDERITTER, BOB KUNZE, WALT ZOTTER, JOHN MURRAY, JOE DALEY, GENE MARQUETTE, TUCK MCCOY, WALT MAKUCK, and TOM GALLAGHER?

JOHN RUSSO dropped me a line and mentioned that he is working as a law secretary to Justice C. Thomas Schettino of the New Jersey Supreme Court. John had previously graduated from Columbia Law School, and he and his wife have a daughter, Kathleen Mary, and another one due around reunion time. Newborns permitting, John is planning on making the reunion and is looking forward to swapping baby pictures with the other "pops." The class of '55 can certainly boast its share of the attorney population; another member of the club is RON SMYTH, who is now with the firm of Stearns and Kampmeyer in Saint Paul. Ron and Miss Mary Kathryn Joyce were married last June, and there was quite a Notre Dame turnout at the affair. By the way, belated congratulations and best wishes to you both. Ron reports the news to follow. HARRY EDELSTEIN and his wife, Ree, just added another daughter, Laurie May, to the family. Congratulations. Harry is selling stock for Merrill, Lynch, etc., etc., etc. ED FOX served a little time with the Army and is now working for the Internal Revenue Service. That, boys, is where my money goes. JOHN ROGERS is with the Marines, and he and his wife are stationed at the Marine base in San Diego, Calif. JIM WILSON and his wife, Terry, are now well settled in their new home in St. Paul, where Jim works for the advertising department of radio station WCCO. They have three children. From way, way out West I received a free package of Gillette Blue Blades and a bottle of Thorazin Cough Medicine with no return address, but it could only be from one person, JACK SORANNO. For that plug, Chunk, I'll expect a year's supply of both. Jack is working for the Gillette Company and he and his wife, Arlene, are living in Sherman Oaks, Calif., which is a suburb of Los Angeles. Have faith, Jack, that letter is practically on its way, almost.

Items via the Alumni Office: Apologies to JOHN HUGHES, whose name was inadvertently omitted from the reunion roster, who now has a new address (2834 S.W. Patton Rd., Portland 1, Ore.), and who was married to Sally Farlow of Tacoma, Wash., last Oct. 3. Congrats, J. E. LT. JG. FREDERICK C. ECKHART, JR., has moved to 2076 Betsy Dr., Jacksonville 10, Fla. Fred is head of officer programs at Jacksonville Navy Recruiting Station; he married Miss Sarah Jane Pasch of Honolulu last Aug. 1 at the Catholic Chapel, Pearl Harbor. JIM STEVENS, with Massachusetts Mutual in Detroit, took an underwriter's course recently at the home office in Springfield, Mass. Criminologist RAY GALVIN, presently a research librarian at Provost Marshal General School, Fort Gordon, Ga., discussed "Problems in Police Administration" at December's annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in Chicago, a hot topic for that town. Before becoming an M.P. he was a police administration consultant. BERNIE SMITH was transferred from Chicago to the Spokane Office of Continental Baking as personnel mgr. and has become an active member of the N.D. Club of Spokane, Wash. Air Force lawyer VINCENT J. RAYMOND, now a captain with the

Judge Advocate General's office in Paris, France, expects to see some buddies on the N.D. European Pilgrimage this spring and may form an N.D. Club of Paris with U.S. Embassy Aide MARTIN McLAUGHLIN, '41. Vince and Mary Ann are expecting a third addition. They met VINCE McALOON, '34, in Rome last spring. Capt. Raymond's office is at 22 rue de la Tremoille, Paris 8—telephone BALZAC 5400, ext. 386. One of class Ph.D.'s, EMIL BANAS, is a Standard Oil project chemist in Whiting, Ind. Emil recently reported on a new nuclear method of analyzing petroleum.

This just about wraps up the column for this time, fellow reunitioners, but I'll be looking for news from you to fill the next one. Again I'll mention, although you've probably gotten the idea by now, that the reunion will be here very soon and the time to decide to go is now. Make your plans, contact your cronies, reserve a stool in Joer's, and pack your bag. Let's not have it said about you, "Whatever happened to . . ." Adios.

1956 John P. Deasy
5697 N. Lincoln Ave.
Chicago 45, Illinois

From the Alumni Office:

Pressed with law exams and hogtied by the brevity of this issue, Secretary JOHN DEASY has bypassed this issue to conserve enough material for the next, around July. Meanwhile he awaits some word from YOU.

A couple of spot news items follow:

LT. JG. BILL BRENNAN has been released from the Navy after three years of service. With his wife, Barbara Schettig Brennan (St. Mary's, '56), and two sons, John and Michael, Bill has moved from San Francisco to Royal Oak, Mich., where he's employed by Michigan Bell Telephone. John and Mike, by the way, will be third generation Notre Damers as grandsons of JOHN BRENNAN, '27, and DON SCHEITIG, '30.

Some classmates should remember BILL McMANUS, who started chem engineering in '32 and now turns up as a production trainee with U.S. Gypsum in Clark, N.J. Recently married, Bill and his wife Elaine set up housekeeping in Garwood, N.J.

The organization of the South Bend law firm of Butler & O'Malley was announced last fall by J. PATRICK O'MALLEY of the Law Class, and PAUL BUTLER, '27, a lawyer for 33 years, known to all as chairman of the Democratic National Committee. Pat, until recently an officer on duty with the Marines, is married to the former Miss Maureen Butler, daughter of his senior partner in the general practice of law.

1957 Jack Casey
5918 N. Rockwell
Chicago, Illinois

Don Barr
5725 N. East Circle Avenue
Chicago 31, Illinois

Winter snows in the Midwest seem to have driven some of our fellow grads to the far West. To mention a few, PAT CONWAY has finished Stanford's Graduate School and is now working in Garden Grove, Calif. DON RENIER is working in Los Angeles for an Insurance firm. JIM KIWUS is stationed at Edwards Air Force Base. JIM O'NEILL, another Minnesota man, is now married and working in Albuquerque, N. Mex. The O'Neills are expecting their third child shortly, and this should put them close to the lead in that department.

BOB MAY stopped in Chicago recently on his way to Rochester, Minn., after his release from Ft. Meade, Md., and the U.S. Army. Other Rochester friends of ours who have been heard from are JIM KENNEDY at St. Louis U. Med. School and ROGER DALY, who is married now and working in Rochester.

JACK MOYNAHAN was married last September and it was a chance for a few of the boys to get together and hoist a few (quite a few; ask Jack's father-in-law, who got stuck with the bill). Anyway, those in attendance included SKIP JOHNSON (Northwestern Med. School) and JOHN SLEVIN (N.D. Law School). They were Jack's immediate support. In the unreserved cheering section we found CHUCK GRACE, JOHN "DEALS" McMEEL, JACK CASEY, GEORGE HANDLEY, and DON BARR. Incidentally, CHUCK GRACE and JOHN SLEVIN are proud fathers of a boy and

girl respectively. Sounds like a good combination. Our skies are being patrolled by a few of our men. TOM BRENNAN is flying for the Air Force and AL DANT is on the Navy payroll. AL and DICK SWIFT flew out to South Bend for the Southern Cal game. Dick is stationed out East in the boon-docks with the U.S.M.C. FRANK HENNESSEY is doing intelligence work in the Air Force.

We are being equally well protected on land and sea by U.S. Marines CONNIE LANE, FRANK BROPHY, and PAT WILLIAMSON. Virginia beach has some notables like JOE REICH and DIXIE LEWIS. JACK CROWLEY is aboard the U.S.S. Ranger, a carrier in the Pacific, and K. J. PHELAN is down in Athens, Ga., in Supply School. PAT SHERRIN and BILL (RED) RYDER have recently joined Uncle Sam's group down at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

Down Indianapolis way we find JERRY MURPHY stationed at the Navy Ord. Plant. DON McMANA is finishing his first year of law school. JERRY BECKERT and JAKE KIEFER are selling steel (when they have it to sell). BILL MOONEY recently opened a ski shop. BILL McGOWAN is working very hard at the insurance game these days. JIM GORMLEY was recently married and is now working in Washington, D.C. DON STUHLDRER has moved to Columbus, Indiana. BILL HOLLAND and JIM NORTON both left the ranks and got married this past year. Some of the other married men include such notables as TOM SHEEHAN, TOM (TIGER) MULCAHEY, TOM DOYLE, TOM HALEY, JOE RINK, TOM O'BRYAN, ED MURPHY, JIM O'SULLIVAN, FRANK REILLY, PAT CONWAY, and JIM DRISCOLL.

Our most respected classmate, JOHN SMYTH, has been studying for the priesthood. GEORGE STRAKE has joined BUD MALLOY at Harvard Business School. George is now the proud father of a 7 pound, 11-ounce fullback.

Still checking in nightly at N.D. for law work are, JOHN BEGGAN and BOB BLAKEY. MILT MONK graduated last June. I. U. has some of our boys downstate Indiana way. JACK O'DROBINAK and BILL WADDICK. Other law men are GUS LUEPKE at St. Louis U.; JOHN CUSAK, Michigan; ED DEAN, Fordham; CARROL DOYLE, Columbia; JIM FITZGERALD, Detroit; TOM O'BRYAN, Loyola, and GEORGE GROBLE. CHARLIE O'CONNELL was recently spotted in Chicago on his way to St. Paul, Minn., to work with an insurance firm there. Hal Blakeslee is out of the navy now and working for Johnson Motors.

Help. . . Help. . . Help. . . This column depends upon you supplying the information and let's try and make it the most informing column in the book. Please write a note to either Jack Casey or Don Barr in Chicago telling us about yourself and all the guys you have been in touch with,—we would appreciate it.

From the Alumni Office:

JOHN T. CUSACK, taking law at Michigan as mentioned above, noticed the apparent unavailability of Secretary PAT WILLIAMSON and volunteered some notes about himself and others from the class who are seniors at U. of Michigan Law School. JOHN BURE represented Michigan in the national Moot Court Competition. TOM HILLIGAN is treasurer of the Delta Theta Phi legal fraternity. Cusack himself is a member of the executive council of the Lawyer's Club, residence for Michigan law students. Thanks, John. Also at Michigan as a grad student is THOMAS J. SCHREIBER, probably the most learned member of the class. Tom already has two master's degrees from Michigan, an M.S. in chem. engineering and an M.A. in math; now he is working for his Ph.D., sponsored for the third consecutive year by N.S.F. predoctoral grants.

WILLIAM C. WATSON has joined TV Guide Magazine as a promotion representative with the Indiana edition. Bill lives in Indianapolis and has worked for College Life Insurance and Capital Paper Co. WILLIAM R. JEHL recently joined the engineering staff of Tonawanda Laboratories of the Linde Co. division of Union Carbide, Tonawanda, N.Y. He has been an army lieutenant and a field engineer for the Fluor Corp., Ltd.

From the Services: LT. JOHN STEVENSON has completed a tour with the Army Signal Supply Agency in Philadelphia and gone back to management training with American Tel and Tel in Cleveland, to wife Maureen and 18-month-old son John. EDWARD CHOTT is with the Fifth Destroyer Squadron, now at Coronado, as staff commander and aide to the commodore in charge of communit-

cations. Last Sept. 26 he married Maureen Herbst, whose dad is an alumnus. **THOMAS P. BERG** is a second lieutenant assigned to the Air Force Ballistic Missile Division in California, working on the Thor, Atlas, Titan and Minuteman missiles. Tom was formerly an aeronautical engineer with Bendix in South Bend. **LT. THOMAS E. KANE** is in flight training at Pensacola, having soloed recently.

1958 Arthur L. Roule, Jr.
1709 Indiana Avenue
LaPorte, Indiana

Time rolls on and so must this column, so here is your secretary's latest attempt at compiling and disseminating as much of the news of the last few months as has reached his eager ears. As the first matter of business let me say "thanks" to those of you who sent me Christmas cards, many of which contained notes of interest concerning the senders. Among those sending their greetings were **DICK KVAK, JOHN HIRSCHFELD, DON CORBETT, DON ANDRYSIAK** and family, **DICK KOHLER, DAVE HOLTHOUSE** and family, **HARRY WASOFF, HOOT WALSH, BILL STURGIS, HANK ZANG, JIM POLEY, BILL CAHILL, and DON RONEY.**

Some sad news has reached us during the past months too, namely the deaths of the fathers of **JOE RICH** and **DAVE MICHAUX**. Masses were offered at the request of the class and I know I can speak for the class in assuring the families of our prayers.

DON RONEY wrote some months ago about his postservice life in Salt Lake City. He has landed a job with a large insurance company which does a large amount of business in the western states and with which he is very lopy. It seems that he is in some sort of training program. Don reported on his trip to New Jersey last September with **DREW AMAN** for the nuptials of **DON BAIER**. Don married Audma Costello of East Orange, N. J. Best man was **BOB BAIER, '54**; Messrs. Roney, Aman, and **RUSS HOPKINS** served as ushers for the affair.

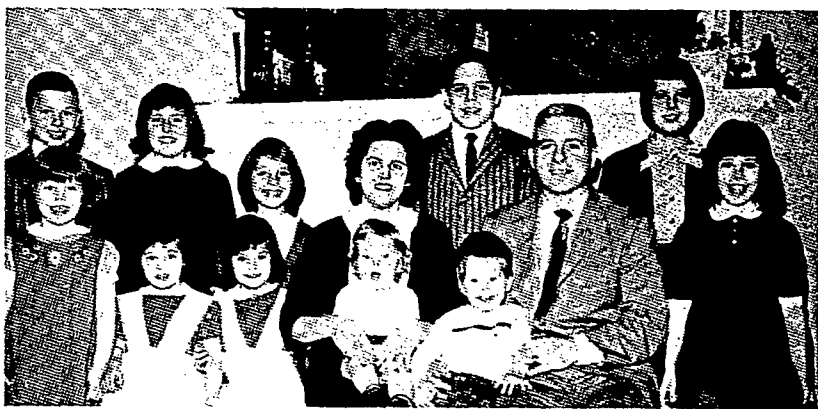
Other news from Mr. Roney was to the effect that **JOHN BENVENIGNU**, also from Salt Lake, was married last September to Miss Bernadette Walz; and that **AL FLORIN** was (as of early fall) finishing his six-month program of higher education at Fort Sill.

After much delay I am happy to be able to insert some news from **HANK ZANG** from whom I have heard twice since the last edition of this column. At his first writing Hank was still stationed at "Fort Lost in the Woods, Misery," as he so imaginatively puts it. He had gone through basic with **DON LOPEZ** and **JERRY HIPSKIND**. Jerry had, however, retired from the Army before Mr. Zang and his fellow militarists **TERRY WARD, DUANE SALKELD, and BOB FORSBURG**. October 24 brought release and a happy return to civilian life to this not-overly-warlike group. Hank's tour of duty was not without reward, I am happy to say. He was taught to be a truck driver and graduated as valedictorian of his class.

Hank also sent along some bits of news of other classmates. **JOE FOREMAN** is working as a public relations and sales promotion man for a Canadian brewery. **TOM GOZDECKI** married a hometown girl last October (sorry I can't report more specific details, but I have none). **CHARLEY KILB** is stationed in North Africa with the Air Force, and his old roommate **ANDY CLARK** took some time out from his graduate studies at Illinois to earn cooking at Fort Wood. **DON FOLEY** has completed his graduate schooling and has a position on the faculty at East Moline (Illinois) High School. And **LEE HINDERSCHIED**, according to Hank is wasting fat while awaiting the arrival of a second child. Many thanks Hank for the abundant news. I could use some more reporters of your caliber. . . (I almost neglected to mention that Hank is currently working for Radio Station WKFI in Kewanee, Illinois, as program director.)

A note on the Christmas card from Carol and **DAVE HOLTHOUSE** brings the news that the Holthouses are expecting a daughter in May who will expand the family to four. Son Joe arrived in December of 1958.

BILL STURGIS, another Christmas card correspondent reported from Fort Greeley, Alaska, that he was feeling very much at home in the Far North. The foot-deep snow and -30° temperature reminded him of his winters under the Golden Dome.



Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Ryan, '41, have a novel way of recording the growth of their eleven children. Their Christmas cards depict a baker's dozen of Ryans in a similar pose from year to year, so that friends can note the annual development of the Ryan household in Hamilton, Ohio.

I was happy to receive the news from **BILL HOHMANN**'s mother concerning Bill's activities since graduation. He received an assignment on the U.S.S. Helena soon after graduation and left in July for Japan. On the 29th of May, 1959, Bill was married to Miss Veronica Marie Johnson, in San Diego. The Hohmann's address is now 5441 Sorrento Drive, Long Beach 3, California.

TIM RICE sent a short note informing us that he was married in August of 1959 to Miss Roslyn Smith, a graduate of Endicott College for Women in Beverly, Mass. Their address is 58 Park Place, Geneva, N.Y.

More family-type news comes from Lynn and **JIM McNAMARA** who became the proud parents on November 30, 1959 of James Joseph, a new 7 lb., 7 oz. Chicagoan. Matrimonial news from Lt. Jg. **BILL DOTTERWEICH** reveals that he was married on May 30, 1959, to Miss Margaret Ann Hendrick at Queen of Miraculous Medal Church, Jackson, Mich. Bill is serving on the U.S.S. Marshall, a destroyer, in the Pacific.

Alice and **BOB WOJCIK** are also among those blessed with an addition to their family. On November 15, David Robert entered the world at the weight of 8 lbs., 6 ozs. **GENE SALEM** reported personally (he is finishing up his senior year at N.D. Law School) that he and his wife, Shirley, became the parents of a daughter last June 8—Sheryl Ann.

RICK DI CAMILLO wrote in November that he was working with the Division of Employment in New York. He was married on February 7, 1959, to Miss Joyce Carhidi of Schenectady, N.Y. After brief periods at Lackland A.F.B. and Spence A.F.B. Rick was sent to Webb A.F.B., Texas, for basic pilot training. Rick related that he had heard from **CHUCK SYMEON** last summer when he had been playing ball for the Vancouver Mounties, in the Pacific Coast League. Rick also reported that the last he knew, **BILL GRIFFIN**, and **JOE GO-LONKA** were in Syracuse Med. School, **FRANK DOYLE** was in the Army, and **BILL NEWELL** was working for General Electric.

JOHN DUNN was the source of the news that **DICK CARNEY** had entered the married state. His bride was the former Trenna Kaye Tate of Muskogee, Okla. Dick is with Phillips Petroleum in Research and Development, in Bartlesville, Okla.

BILL BRADISH and his wife Barbara became parents of a son, Christopher Jude, on May 11, 1959, in Veville. Upon completion of his master's work in chemical engineering Bill and family left for California in a two-car caravan with the family of **MARK RERRICK**. Mark is presently doing his second year of postdoctoral research at Cal Tech. Bill is with the Shell Chemical Co.

Other news from Bill Bradish: **CARL HEBERT** and wife are back in Lafayette, La. Carl, too, has received his master's degree in chemical engineering. **ED CUDDIHY** and family are in Altadena, Calif., where Ed is in research at the Jet Propulsion Lab. Ed received his M.S. in August of '59. **JIM VOIT**

is married and in his second year of graduate work at N.D. **BOB FUREY** is a shift foreman at Kaiser Steel in Fontana, Calif., while studying for a law degree at night at the Loyola Law School.

Here is a run-down on the doings of **JIM SMITH** over the last year or so. Jim, as reported earlier, was married in June of 1958, to Miss Virginia Schoen in Cleveland. He acquired an M.B.A. at Michigan State in July of '59 and is now with the advertising firm of J. Walter Thompson Co. in New York. Jim has been assigned to international market research. As for their family, Jim and Virginia have one daughter, born July 9, 1959.

BOB WATERS, also married, is stationed at Selfridge A.F.B. as an intelligence officer. His wife is the former Nancy Smith, sister of **WALT SMITHE**. Walt is married to Florence Flynn, and they have a son, born in July of 1959, named Walter III. Walt is stationed at Fort Harrison, Ind., instructing fellow officers on the workings of IBM computers. This news was sent by Mr. Waters, but Mr. Smithe also wrote, giving some of the same news but including additional items of note. Walt encountered **BILL SIGLER** as one of his prospective students at Fort Harrison. Bill is enrolled in the Adjutant General's Officer basic course after being with the Department of the Army in Washington.

BOB THOMPSON is a second lieutenant at Fort Benning. He and wife Dottie and son Bob, Jr., are spending six months there. **DICK KOHLER** is out of the Army and is with G. E. in Schenectady. Dick is being married next summer to Miss Lynn Roberts in Detroit. **GERRY GENOVESE** was at Fort Harrison for a term of study under Prof. Smithe and was stationed at Fort Sheridan, Ill. **PACKY WHELAN** is undergoing special training in the Air Force. **JOHN DEWES** and **GERRY FISHER** are still roommates—in Korea, according to best reports. **DICK PHELAN** is at Georgetown Law School. I guess that takes care of all the news from Messrs. Waters and Smithe, two brothers-in-law who have my sincere thanks for their reporting efforts.

I also have received word that **ED LINN** has a position with the Linn Motor Company (sales manager) and is considering flying for the Coast Guard. **FRANK MURPHY** is a Lt. j.g. on a destroyer in the Pacific, and is pretty happy with the Navy.

Some time ago I received a very newsy letter from **MIKE BENCHOFF**. Mike is in the Columbia Law School and spent last summer working in a law office in Salem, Ill. He wants it known that he would like to see any classmates who get to New York,—he can be reached at the law school. Mike reported that **JACK HOUGH, PAT HEFFERNAN, and REMY FRANSEN** all enrolled at the Harvard Law School; and **JOHN CALLAHAN** is at the Boston College Law School. **JOHN BURNS** is attending Georgetown Law and working part time for Sen. Neuberger of Oregon. Among those whom Mike has run into during his first year at Columbia were **TOM MARTIN, DON and KEVIN REILLY, JOHN GLAVIN, BILL BOURNE, TIM HARIGAN, ED HOURIGAN, JIM Mc-**

LAUGHLIN, TOM FARRELL, BOB LANDRY, AL FLORIN, DICK THOMAS, BOB QUINN, DAVE SHANAHAN, DAVE McMAHON, JOHN RUSSO, PETE DEVITO, KEVIN SMITH, JACK CARPENTER, TOM COOK, CHARLEY SUSANO, CLARK REARDON and probably innumerable others. Evidently the place to encounter classmates is New York City; at least Mike has found this to be the case.

JOHN SAXER writes from Santa Ana, Calif., that he and his wife, Mary Ann, are the very proud parents of a son born last June—John Jacob Saxer III. John II is still with the Navy.

Another proud papa is BILL ROBI. Bill, who is married to the former Helen Thomas, writes that their first son was born in October, and christened William Michael. Bill is with the Crocker Anglo National Bank, Credit Department. He mentioned that he occasionally hears from BILL REISERT, U.S.M.C. DICK MERCY, Bill's former roommate is in a Jesuit seminary, St. Frances Xavier, Sheridan, Ore. Bill also mentioned that MIKE HERB is at Georgetown Law School, and that he (Bill) would like to hear from JOHN RUSSO (so would I), JOE FISCHER, BILL KANTOR, and the REILLY TWINS. The Robi's address is: 427 Font Blvd., San Francisco 27, California.

That takes care of all the correspondence for this time, but I have a few items picked up in personal encounters in the vicinity of N.D. (football week ends and what-not). DAVE LINK and wife became parents of a son, David Christopher, on August 8. GERRY PASTULA is with the Army at Fifth Army Hq. in Chicago, and is on the faculty at Morgan Park Military Academy.

Random notes via the Alumni Office: Father BRIAN EGAN, O.S.B., president of St. Bernard's College, Cullman, Ala., was named one of Alabama's four "Outstanding Young Men of 1959" by the State Jaycees and was also a candidate for the national award as one of the ten "Outstanding Young Men in the U.S." Father Brian, who took his master's with the class, is the first Catholic priest thus honored by a secular organization in the South. ROBERT P. PARNELL joined Sperry Gyroscope as an assistant engineer last October. ROBERT E. BYRNES III recently soloed as a second lieutenant in flight training at Pensacola. Lieut. (Jg.) JAMES H. DAILEY is now located at Dahrhan, Saudi Arabia, and recently visited the Holy Land. JAMES J. CORRIGAN is a graduate fellow in industrial administration at Carnegie Tech. ROBERT J. DUNHAM, whose brother Bill, '53, was married in November, is a Marine lieutenant in flight training at Pensacola. MICHAEL HERB, at Georgetown U. Law Center, recently wrote in about contacting DR. TOM DOOLEY, '48, concerning possible help for his medical movement in Laos.

HUGH PLUNKETT is engaged in the retail furniture business in the family firm at Madison and Oak Park Aves. in Chicago. In a careless moment he mentioned a discount to all N.D. grads but he may have become more reserved since then. I must admit that Hugh and BILL O'BRYAN were especially helpful news sources when I ran into them at the Oliver on one of last fall's football weekends. BILL CAHILL must have some of that credit too, since he too was in attendance and full of gab. Among the items reported by this distinguished trio were the following: BOB SPAHN and PAUL BOURJAILY were in the six-month training program at Boston Radar School. Bob is engaged to Nancy Kearsse from DePaul. JACK CRILLY, BILL O'BRYAN, TIM SULLIVAN, FRANK GIBBONS, and ED BUCKLEY are all at DePaul Law School. Buckley, by the way, is engaged to a fellow law student, Judy McDonald. JACK ARMSTRONG was married October 12 to Peggy Turner of Detroit. PHIL CONWAY and BILL O'BRYAN supplied cars for the wedding party. JAY SENNOTT is reportedly completely wrapped up in his studies at the University of Chicago where he is taking a business course. PHIL PRASSAS is engaged to Marian Carter; both are enrolled at Northwestern—no date has been set.

Also encountered at a postgame get-together in South Bend, was BOB HUETZ, who is an assistant market research analyst with the Metropolitan Insurance Company of New York.

Well, that takes care of another column. Thanks to the many of you who supplied this wealth of information. It is greatly appreciated. If a continued bountiful supply of news is available to your secretary, a device may be worked out by which we can avoid the unfortunate delays in transmitting this information. I would like to beg your patience with regard to the often-retarded publication schedule of the ALUMNUS. These difficulties are due

to some rather monumental technical problems the solutions to which do not seem to be in the immediate offing. If the inflow of news continues to be substantial your secretary might be able to publish periodic supplemental newsletters, separate from the magazine. So, keep those cards and letters coming. And, if you come across some newspaper articles concerning classmates, clip them out and send them on to me—we may be able to reproduce them to live up on our news presentation.

That's it—so long for now—and WRITE, RIGHT NOW!

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The class of '59 is now ten months old as alumni and no doubt our bachelor percentage is decreasing fast. I have heard from some members of the class but I would enjoy hearing from more of you. What would be desirable in this column is to write about a cross-section of the class each time thus giving everyone a general idea as to what their friends are up to. So again I would ask you to drop a short line to me when you have time because your class wants to know what you are doing. The following news is pieces of information that was picked up through the football games this past fall:

Notre Dame can be proud of JAMES C. LANE, who recently graduated number one out of a class of 42 in his Artillery Basic Officer course at Fort Bliss, Texas. Jack's average was 98.57 for a period of twelve weeks and this was one of the highest averages maintained in the history of the school.

I recently received a letter from JACK DOLAN who is now employed by Yale University. He is doing sports publicity work for them and is the assistant director of sports information. GENE DUFFY was down in Florida for winter baseball but because of an accident will wait until spring to return to the baseball wars. He is now home in Davenport, Iowa, where he is working with the Insured Saving Dept. of Franklin Life Insurance Co.

STEVE DORNBACH and DICK DONOVAN are both in grad school at N.D. JOHN FOGERTY is an account adjuster with the First National Bank in Elkhart, Ind. LOU KIGIN is now with Haskins & Sells accounting firm in New York City. BILL CASEY is teaching biology at Notre Dame High school in Niles, Ill. RON DURANT is now a grad student at Rutgers University.

MIKE KIEWAL and his wife Louise Grescyk Kiewal of South Bend are now living in San Diego, Calif., where Mike is working for Convair Astronautics. Sgt. First Class Owen Slein (of Army ROTC fame) has informed me that JAMES ANTHONY JUST of all people has decided to go Regular Army. I think Jim went to one drill in four years.

WILLIAM ABRAMS, recently married this past summer to Miss Sharon Bailey, is residing in Appleton, Wis., where he is attending the Institute of Paper Chemistry. JOHN BELLAS married Miss Jacqueline Timchick this past August and is employed with the Republic Steel Corporation in Cleveland, Ohio. CHARLES FREDRICK and DON COSTA are teaching and coaching at Weber Catholic High School in Chicago, Ill.

STEVE BOLANDER is an engineer with the Eric Bolander Construction Co. in Libertyville, Ill., and is also studying business at the U. of Illinois. CHARLES MAXWELL BROWN is studying medicine at St. Louis University and later plans to take a job in Fort Wayne, Ind., as a tennis professional. JOHN PAUL CANNON is playing Ronnie Joer (bartender) some place in Florida but plans to take up Hotel Management at Cornell University.

ROBERT DEMPSEY, our '59 Debate Team president and winner of a Woodrow Wilson Fellowship, is studying at the U. of Chicago. MARTY DEIGNON is teaching and coaching at Monroe Public High School in Monroe, Wis.; he plans to wed Miss Mary Solheim in June. PETE FURNARI was married to Miss Ann Marie Feeney this past August and is studying Dentistry at New York U.

FRANK GEREMIA is employed with F. Geremia and Sons Construction in Sacramento, Calif. RON HAMMOND, recently married to Miss Carole Kerske, is studying medicine at Loyola Med. School. DICK KENVILLE is employed as an engineer with RCA and is also working for his master's in electrical engineering at the U. of Pennsylvania.

JOHN LUKES married Miss Sharon Walker on September 19 and is stationed at Fort Benjamin Harrison in the Adj. Gen. Corps. DAVE MILLER is in the Air Force (where stationed I do not

know). He wants to study engineering science at Purdue U. when he gets finished with the service. JOHN PETER MORAN is presently stationed at Haloberg, Md., with Army Intelligence and will attend law school at Virginia or Georgetown when he gets out.

HARRY MCKEE was married to Miss Sue Wedemeyer on September 5 and has returned to Notre Dame to complete his 5th year of the combination engineering course. TOMMY MARQUEZ is attending Southern Methodist, where he is working for his master's in business administration. I would imagine that Tom is having a tough time keeping his mind where it belongs because this is quite a switch from South Bend.

NORMAN ANTHONY ODYNEC has given up many offers for a football career and is studying medicine at Georgetown U. PAUL QUINN married Miss Marie O'Dea in September 12 and is now employed with the Firestone Co., Hartford, Conn. CHUCK QUEENAN is doing accounting work with Haskins and Sells in Cleveland, O. Chuck misses those Sunday drives into Berra College, but I know that he is still making contact there.

JAMES RHADIGAN, married to Miss Mary Winn Putts this summer, is after his master's at Michigan State. Seems to me we have been losing a little too much to the Spartans lately but I don't think it will be long before the tide turns. DAVID SHANNON SMITH is stationed at Columbus, O., in the Air Force. Since Cincinnati is his former home, Sam frequently drops into Cincy to resume acquaintance with some of his friends, but more important, to taste that golden Hudepohl beer.

LOUIS VON HAGEN is presently employed with Price Waterhouse and Company in Cleveland, O., but soon will start his basic officer course at Fort Sill, Okla. WILLIAM M. SACKINGER is employed with Westinghouse at Elmira, N.Y., and plans to further study electrical engineering at Cornell University.

BOB SEDLACK is studying English at Harvard on his Woodrow Wilson scholarship. JOHN SULIVAN and TOM JOSEPH are attending law school with MARK SHIELDS at Boston College. After hours find these three at the Oxford Grille in Cambridge, Mass. CHARLEY BOWEN was last seen at a party in Weymouth, Mass., at the home of our vice president where he entertained the crowd with his famous Wednesday night Frankie's Kingston Trio music.

BILL HICKMAN is going to law school at Chicago U. among his many other activities, like skiing on the week ends. T. Y. HAYES was last seen on the Notre Dame bench at the Cal game this year with a bottle of rum to keep him warm. At the dance after the game the big fellow played Charlie Neal and slid into second in the hotel lobby while also managing to hang from the balcony.

LOU STETLER is on a fellowship at Purdue U. at present but plans to join Bob Sedlack at Harvard next fall. TIM MAHONEY, Jersey's shore hero this past summer, is now climbing telephone poles at Fort Dix, where he is going through his six months' service. PAUL GRUBER was not with us during our senior year but is to be graduated in June and will be kept on the Class of 1959 roster.

KEVIN HALLIGAN, former Met Club president, is now living in a pup tent in the fields of Korea but plans to be back in the States within nine months. GENE SAXON has completed OCS school now, and BUCKY O'CONNOR is teaching school somewhere close to his home town. TERRY BERNARD sent a very nice letter, and all seems to be well in Celina, O., where wedding bells should soon ring. MARK WALSH was recently married in California to Joyce La Rec.

From the Alumni Office:

JOE FITZGIBBONS wrote in to let us know he has been working for Plastoid Corp., Hamburg, N. J., since graduation. It's a couple of miles from Joe's new address, 19 Fowler St., Franklin, N. J. He is assistant to Plastoid's controller, doing accounting and cost estimating. ANDREW R. SISON is a brokerage consultant for the Chicago branch of Connecticut General Life, advising general agents and clients on policy provisions. Marine BOB DUNHAM, now a second lieutenant in flight training at Pensacola, recently made his first solo flight.

NICK PIETROSANTE easily captured the National Football League Rookie-of-the-Year honors for his performance with the Detroit Lions. And from Hamilton, Ont., BRONKO NAGURSJK, JR., rookie tackle with the Hamilton Tiger-Cats, reported that he'll take his six months' army training now and report back in the fall.

THE CLASS REUNIONS . . . June 10, 11, 12, 1960

ALUMNI SURVEY, ALUMNI BOARD, CLASS SECRETARIES

ENTER INTO SHAPING UP OUTSTANDING PROGRAMS FOR

FRIDAY, SATURDAY, SUNDAY OF SECOND WEEK IN JUNE

ATTENDANCE. It is generally agreed that the primary reason for the success of a Reunion is good attendance. You come back to see your Classmates. Efforts already well under way assure a good year under this heading.

HALLS. Maintenance problems have to be considered in assigning Halls for the Reunions, but this year the University has allocated Alumni, Dillon, Howard, Morrissey and Lyons Halls, for what should be an adequate and pleasant week end. Tentative Class assignments are the 50-Year Class, 1915, 1920 and 1925 in Howard; 1930 in Lyons; 1935 in Dillon, and 1945 in the same Hall; 1940 in Morrissey, with 1950 in the same Hall; and 1955 in Alumni Hall. (Alumni Hall will also be used for the Monogram alumni who come back on Thursday, June 9, for the annual meeting.)

FEES. The Alumni Association intends in 1960 to hold to the \$20 basic fee for the week end, which includes registration, rooms, insignia, help, Class dinner up to \$4 per capita, Alumni Banquet, box lunch on Saturday, and refreshments. Classes which desire a more elaborate Class dinner, a variety of refreshments, or augmented insignia, sometimes charge an additional fee, but the Board recommends that it be as low as possible, and that no solicitation for funds be made a part of the Reunion Week End. This is to insure the purpose of the below-cost general fee, which is to bring as many alumni back for their Reunions as possible, with minimum sacrifice, and to prevent any embarrassment because of cost. The Secretaries agree with this. It does not preclude special Class effort in a Reunion year to increase its gift to the University, or other special project—but simply keeps it from being an unexpected and unwelcome assessment on the Reunion Week End itself.

PROGRAMS. Read this carefully. Early and informal reports from the Alumni Survey indicate that the young-

er Classes want a more formal Reunion program, with more substance. The Alumni Board has been conscious for some years of a growing need to make the Reunion Week End something other than complete relaxation.

It has felt that with the Class Dinner, the Class Mass, the Golf Tournament, the Alumni Banquet, the Alumni Mass on Sunday, and annual opportunities for the alumni of each College to meet with the faculty and administration of those Colleges, it has packed the limited period from Friday afternoon to Sunday noon with a fair cross section of constructive programs.

The Alumni Office has advised caution in reshaping the Reunions into either Retreats or Seminars, both of which have merit but separate identities.

The result is an agreement by the Office, the Board, and the Class Secretaries, to try to work with each Class to derive the maximum benefits from its Reunion, with the basic programs being augmented by speakers, etc., as the Class officers and committees see fit.

DRINKING. This is a relatively simple area of agreement, though not necessarily a simple problem. One of the first and more enjoyable features of a Notre Dame Reunion is the shaking off of the years in the company of those who shared our campus experiences with us. And the mellowing influence and the acceleration as well as exhilaration of suitable beverages is not seriously questioned. But all the studying groups—the Office, the Board, and the Class Secretaries—recommend that moderation be encouraged, in the individual, in the supply, in the hours available, and in the increase of programming to lessen the mellow hours. This, in reason, and without defeating our purpose and destroying our traditions, we hope to continue to work toward in 1960. It needs cooperation.

RESERVATIONS. We are reluctant to demand advance firm reserva-

tions, but with upward of a thousand alumni involved for housing and food planning, you see how essential it is to indicate your attendance when you are asked. Thanks.

FAMILIES. The nature of the Notre Dame Reunion Week End and the tradition of the campus, together with the fact that families, especially wives, do not always share enough background to enjoy such a week end, have eliminated either facilities or program for wives and families in the past.

Today, with vacation trips, convenient highways, more family activity in Notre Dame Clubs, etc., there is more interest in family participation in the Reunion Week End.

Careful study, however, reveals in the Board, in the Class Secretaries, and in the Alumni Office a conviction that we are still removed substantially from the demand or the facilities to include this new and very different program.

As a result, in 1960, several Class inquiries have been modified to suggest that a number of new and attractive motels near the campus provide an inviting spot for the families who may be accompanying a Reunion member on his trip. But, the recommendation is that no program for families be attempted, and that the families be made aware that the Reunion Week End should have the full and free attention of the alumnus, if he is to enjoy it thoroughly.

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These are the highlights of discussions since the 1959 Reunions. In 1960, the slogan is still the simple "Plan to Be Here With Your Class." We feel sure that many good things will follow. We will appreciate your study of the week-end program, and your cooperation in advancing those developments which can enrich our individual and total Reunion experience.

James E. Armstrong, '25

(I'm planning on being here for mine.)



Office of the President

The University of Notre Dame **Alumni Association**

January 31, 1960

Fellow Alumni:

At the very outset I should like to express my deep gratitude to each of you for electing me the President of the Alumni Association for the year of 1960. I follow in the wake of many capable and deserving Presidents, most recently Bill Cotter, who just completed a most outstanding year at the helm. Much credit must also be given to Honorary President Mike Layden and the other Board officers Jules de la Vergne, Ray Durst, and Leo Vogel and our inexhaustible Alumni Secretary Jim Armstrong, whose efforts and guidance and sincere dedication to Notre Dame are priceless.

We welcome the new members of the Board, Harry Mehre, George Connor, Bill Mahoney and Maurice Carroll whom you elected in a nation-wide vote. You may be sure that they will make a valuable contribution to the Alumni program during the next three years, as will John Dempsey who fills out the time of the late Charles Rohr.

It is my fervent desire that during this year your Alumni Board, acting in your behalf, can accomplish something of large or small significance in the service of Notre Dame. Reflecting for a moment on the existence and purpose of the Alumni Association, it carries on year after year with ever increasing strength because all of its members are dedicated to the laudable purpose of making Notre Dame a stronger and greater university. It is with this objective in mind that your Alumni Board functions during the year. It is quite true that the Board meetings afford us an intimate association with our fellow Board members and with the administration and the faculty which is a most pleasant reward. But I should like to impress you with the fact that the entire Board is quite serious in its determination to do all that is possible not only for the betterment of Notre Dame but also to serve the members of the Alumni Association. The Board welcomes your suggestions and your criticism.

The Board members were privileged to observe and participate in the Class Secretaries' Conference held at the University on January 15th and 16th. We were most impressed with the zeal and loyalty of these class secretaries who spent two days in long sessions trading ideas and programs for the purpose of stimulating a greater interest in Notre Dame among the alumni in each of their classes. The splendid work being done by such successful class secretaries as Louis Bruggner '23, Louis Buckley '28, Frank Hochreiter '35, Al Lesmez '45, and many others deserves the admiration and respect of all of us. It became very apparent during the Class Secretaries' meetings that the function of the class secretaries in the over-all Alumni program is of the highest importance. Judging from the reports of the class secretaries it would be my judgment that the active Alumni interest and the participation in the Foundation of the alumni in each class each year is in direct proportion to the efforts of the class secretary in keeping interest alive among his class members.

1960 is a year of challenge to all Notre Dame Alumni. It concerns a great and urgent need of the University. We all want Notre Dame to continue to progress, to year by year achieve a greater scholastic excellence and reputation. Notre Dame however must keep abreast of the educational needs of a university. I refer of course to the projected new Library. Our present library was quite suitable 40 years ago when our enrollment was smaller and our faculty members were few. Today it is completely inadequate. The mark of the great educational institutions of the world is the library. Certainly we must all admit that this library, for which construction will soon begin, has a universal appeal. Father Hesburgh recently announced that the Library will cost in excess of \$6,000,000; that he hopes to receive half of this amount from special benefactors. He is depending on the Notre Dame Alumni for the other \$3,000,000 in the next three years. The Alumni contributions over a 10-year period have been totalling approximately \$500,000 annually. This means that Father Hesburgh is placing his faith in the Alumni to double their total gifts for the next three years.

Many alumni in the past have indicated that their contributions to the Foundation would be increased each year if there were a definite goal or objective for such annual gifts. Suffice it to say that the goal is now before us — a great Library — in keeping with the great university that is Notre Dame.

This is an excellent opportunity to prove our loyalty to Notre Dame,

Sincerely,

JOHN C. O'CONNOR, '38, *President*