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Frank C. Walker, '09, Becomes Cabinet Member

Francis Comerford Walker, LL.B., '09, LL.D., '34, on September 11, 1940, became the first Notre Dame alumnus, in course, to hold a portfolio in the Cabinet of the President of the United States, succeeding James A. Farley as Postmaster General. In the picture above Mr. Walker is shown receiving his commission from President Franklin D. Roosevelt, LL.D., '35.

Frank Walker's career has risen to its present merited peak through steps familiar to the alumni of Notre Dame: practicing lawyer in his boyhood state, Montana; assistant district attorney and legislator in his districts; first lieutenant in the World War; association with the theatrical enterprise in the East which he has recently headed, a chain of 180 theaters; enlistment through friendship with Franklin D. Roosevelt as treasurer of the Democratic National Committee in 1932; director of the first great New Deal spending agency, the National Emergency Council, in 1935; Commencement speaker and recipient of the Doctorate of Laws at Notre Dame's 1934 Commencement; member of the Board of Lay Trustees of the University.

So it is that Notre Dame men herald the recognition of Frank C. Walker to the high post in the United States Government. Coming to a vital office during a period bordering on national crisis, his fellow alumni borrow advice and look at the record, and are confident that Notre Dame, as well as the people of America, are well represented by this new Cabinet member.

Their prayers join their best personal wishes for his success, and the success of the small group to which he now belongs, in the happy solution of the great problems which rest upon them.
Notre Dame Begins 99th Scholastic Year

Father O'Donnell Retained as President; Two Colleges With New Deans; 3,252 Enrollment; Faculty Additions; Increase in Class and Laboratory Facilities.

The summer of 1940 found Notre Dame going through again that process which permits drastic change in plant and personnel without interfering with the great purpose which motivated the founder, or the great spirit which, through the years since 1842, has been the common denominator of the processes serving that purpose.

The Provincial Chapter of the Congregation of Holy Cross, meeting the increasing demands of the many functions of the Congregation without as well as within the University, met during the summer and its deliberations affected the personnel of the Notre Dame family extensively.

Happily, and as anticipated, Rev. J. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., '16, acting president of the University following the consecration of the Most Rev. John F. O'Hara, C.S.C., D.D., in January, was named as president of the University for the ensuing full term of office. Rev. John Cavanaugh, C.S.C., '23, was also confirmed as vice-president to continue in that office under Father O'Donnell.

A major change of interest to alumni was the appointment of Rev. Charles C. Miltner, C.S.C., '11, as president of the University of Portland. For many years Dean of the College of Arts and Letters, and one of America's leading Catholic philosophers, Father Miltner now adds to his academic and cultural richness executive experience in one of the growing colleges of the Congregation.

Succeeding Father Miltner as dean of the College of Arts and Letters at Notre Dame is the Rev. Francis J. Boland, C.S.C., Ph.D., '18, formerly head of the Department of Politics. Father Boland has served in many executive capacities, including the vice-presidency of St. Edward's University, the prefect of discipline's post at Notre Dame, and the directing head of the recently instituted department of politics at Notre Dame. Father Boland received his Ph.D. from Catholic University, and has taken special work several summers at Columbia University.

With the opening of the scholastic year, Mr. Henry B. Froning was named officially as dean of the College of Science, succeeding the late Rev. Francis Wenninger, C.S.C., '11. Prof. Froning, for many years head of both the Department of Chemistry and the Department of Chemical Engineering, retains those posts. Prof. Froning begins this fall his 21st year at Notre Dame. He received his A.B. from St. Joseph's College in 1908, and his A.M. from Ohio State in 1912. He is a member of Sigma Xi, the Phi Lambda Upsilon, the American Chemical Society, the Deutsche Chemische Gesellschaft, and fellow of the British Chemical Society, the American Institute of Chemistry, and the Indiana Academy of Science.

Major plant change is not the presence of a new building, but the absence of an old one. Freshman Hall, nee Sophomore, the stucco residence hall adjoining Eddy Street, erected in 1923 as a temporary appearance of campus residence demands of that crowded era, was demolished this summer. The result is an east campus to which the Biology Building, the Infirmary, the three residence halls, Breen-Phillips, Cavanaugh, and Zahm, and a popular-fronted Gymnasium contribute beauty and impressive scope.

A much needed expansion of Chemistry Hall is being provided by a wing to the east of the present main structure. The new wing, together with the old postoffice building that now serves as the chemistry library, will give the department substantial and essential laboratory and classroom space.

In back of Science Hall, a modest addition for the project involved, the Physics Department has walled in the major equipment for its new generator (cf. Prof. Collins' article in this issue.)

And of no small interest is the laying of much sidewalk during the summer, a challenge to the statisticians re: the savings in socks and shoe-leather as against the long-familiar cinders.

Rev. Patrick J. Haggerty, C.S.C., '16, retired as president of St. Edward's University in Austin, Texas, and has returned to Watertown, Wis. Succeeding him as president of St. Edward's is the Rev. Stanislaus Lisewski, C.S.C., '20. Father Lisewski, who was assistant professor of Polish at Notre Dame from 1936, received his Ph.D. from Gregorian University in Rome, his S.T.D. from the same university, and later studied Slavonic languages at the University of Krakow, in Poland, for two years.
Rev. James French, C.S.C., for many years a member of the faculty and administration of the University, later a founding father of the Mission Band of the Congregation of Holy Cross, retired from his post as chaplain of St. Joseph’s Hospital, in South Bend, and was succeeded in that post by another beloved veteran of the Congregation, Rev. John F. De Groote, C.S.C. Father French is living in the Community Infirmary at Notre Dame.

Rev. Joseph Maguire, C.S.C., ’96, one-time faculty member, later president of St. Edward’s, and most recently pastor of St. Patrick’s parish, South Bend, has become superior of the Community House on the Notre Dame campus. He has been succeeded at St. Patrick’s by the popular Rev. Patrick Dolan, C.S.C., ’15, formerly head of the Mission Band.

Illness retired Father William J. Burke, C.S.C., ’13, from the pastorate of Christ the King church on the Niles road north of Notre Dame, and he has been succeeded there by the Rev. James Galligan, C.S.C., ’06, last year rector of Walsh and professor of politics, long known, as rector of various halls at Notre Dame, to a host of alumni.

Rev. John M. Ryan, C.S.C., ’06, after a year in New Orleans, returns to Notre Dame as professor of history and rector of Walsh Hall.

Rev. William A. Bolger, C.S.C., ’07, famed Notre Dame economist, returns to the faculty of the University after several years’ absence as an administrator at the College of St. Thomas and later as a member of the Mission Band.

Rev. Joseph H. Burke, C.S.C., ’04, one-time director of studies at Notre Dame, most recently pastor at Watertown, Wis., has become superior and pastor of Sacred Heart Church, New Orleans.

Succeeding Father Dolan as superior of the Mission Band at Notre Dame is Rev. Richard Collentine, C.S.C., ’09, former mission priest, most recently superior of the Community House, Notre Dame.


Rev. Michael J. Early, C.S.C., ’17, former president of the University of Portland, has become the superior of the Holy Cross Foreign Mission Seminary, Washington, D. C.


Rev. Thomas Hewitt, C.S.C., ’35, assistant pastor of St. Patrick’s, South Bend, last year, has been transferred to the Notre Dame Mission Band.

The ALUMNUS regrets that the above mentions of personal changes are far from comprehensive. We have tried to bring to alumni those men whose present posts or whose past associations have particular alumni significance.

The Chapter obediences were given to 278 priests and 374 brothers, and even a condensed version that would be comprehensive assumes epic proportions. Present addresses of any member of the Congregation will gladly be furnished to alumni on request.

Outstanding among new faculty members from outside the Notre Dame family is Rev. John A. O’Brien, Ph.D., former head of the Newman Foundation of the University of Illinois, and a distinguished figure in most of the forms of contemporary Catholic writing. Father O’Brien, adding a year’s study and travel in Europe to his rich background at Illinois, joins the faculty of apologetics at Notre Dame.

New head of the department of speech is a Notre Dame alumnus, Cecil Birder, LL.B. ’14, former member of the Speech Department of the U. of Minnesota and active on the speech and music faculties of the Colleges of St. Thomas and St. Catherine. Prof. Birder is remembered by the Notre Dame men of his era as one of the outstanding figures in Notre Dame dramatics, which were then enjoying a golden era.

Another Notre Dame degree holder, John McClurg, M.A. ’38, joins the faculty as field worker for the department of social work, after experience in public welfare in Washington, D. C.

William W. Arbuckle, who taught last year at New Mexico State Teachers College, joins the faculty of the Music Department.

Francis Lee Benton, Ph.D., comes from (Continued on Page 39)
Alumni Board Holds Summer Meeting

U. N. D. Night Set for April 21, 1941; Nominal Assessment for Alumni at Commencement Discussed; Charters for Clubs Agreed Upon; National Directory Proposed; Members Attend Retreat

One of the most successful meetings of the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association yet to be held, took place on August 3.

President Ray J. Eichenlaub, '15, Columbus, Ohio; William J. Mooney, Jr., '15, Indianapolis; John T. Higgins, '22, Detroit; Thomas F. Byrne, '28, Cleveland, and Daniel E. Hilgartner, Jr., '17, Chicago, brought long personal records of alumni interest and achievement, together with the direct experiences of five major Local Clubs, and joined the Alumni Office representatives, James E. Armstrong, '25, and William R. Dooley, '26, in a discussion of the various phases of alumni work, all of growing significance and complexity.

The Board was entertained at dinner and an ensuing meeting as guests of Rev. J. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., '16, president of the University, and Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., '23, vice-president of the University, both of whom are well acquainted with and vitally interested in the development of the alumni program.

General results of the meeting were a crystallization of policy within the Board identifying the Association as a major and a challenging opportunity for alumni initiative, which needs increased attention and some new regulations to protect and promote progress already made; and the identification of the Association as an integral and vital part of the Greater Notre Dame which must work closely and in complete harmony with the University to bring to the alumni the full measure of benefit attached to the progress of the University, and to the University the full measure of alumni appreciation of this progress and the necessity for its perpetuation.

Club Charters

Ninety-two Local Alumni Clubs exist. They present a record of loyalty and progress. And they present an organization in themselves of immeasurable value to alumni and to the University, and are of course pillars of the Association.

By the same token, the development has been so rapid, and the scope is now so vast, that the Clubs begin to present opportunities for difficulties, which might conceivably cause embarrassment to the agencies they now serve so well.

Consequently the Board has instructed the Alumni Office to develop a Charter, to be awarded to existing and to new Clubs upon the fulfillment of certain moderate limitations, so that this large and important body of parts of the Notre Dame family may be properly coordinat-

President Eichenlaub, '15

ed for more effective operation. Further announcement of the Charter program will be made at an early date.

Universal Notre Dame Night

Monday night, April 21, 1941, was set by the Board as the date of the 18th Annual Universal Notre Dame Night.

So large has the Night become, both in its extent and in its importance as an annual feature of both alumni and University programs, that the date is set early to permit more intensive preparation. Several Clubs are already asking for the privilege of playing host to the national broadcast of the Night, held last year in Detroit.

Late Easter and early Commencement make the date set practically the only logical date in conformity with the tradition of the Night, which was established in 1924 as the annual, universal tribute by Notre Dame men everywhere to their alma mater.

Commencement Charge

Bringing to a head the long-felt need of some modest assessment at Commencement for the defraying of the rapidly mounting and already substantial cost of housing and banqueting and entertaining alumni who now number 1,000 and will hardly number less in the years ahead, the Board discussed a plan for fixing a scale of costs which will not work a hardship upon anyone attending, and which will do no more than cover the physical cost of Commencement services to alumni. A system of tickets was proposed as the most feasible plan, to cover only housing and the alumni banquet. Total cost will probably not exceed $3, as against the high cost of alumni week-ends elsewhere. The University is not interested in making a profit on this traditional return of alumni, but the item has loomed larger and larger in the Commencement budget to a point where the Alumni Board expressed embarrassment, previously voiced by many alumni each June, at the continued acceptance of this generosity from a University already financially handicapped in its development program.

Placement

William R. Dooley made an excellent report on the progress of the placement program of the Association, which he has directed.

Basically, the policy adopted fairly early seems sound with experience, namely the assistance of the Alumni Office extended to new graduates, — the Senior Class, — and the enlistment of the Alumni Clubs in the solution of older alumni placement through activity within the several communities.

A substantial program, with recommendation directed at the promotion of these objectives, and calling for the cooperation of the University in intensify-
ing the placement guidance of the undergraduate, is now in the hands of the University administration, and the Association program will undoubtedly be speeded up with the favorable action of the University on the above recommendations.

The work of Director Edward F. O'Toole, '25, and the placement committees found in the leading Clubs has been, at this pioneering stage of the program, most encouraging, despite proved and regretted limitations all around.

Promotion

Several years of capacity enrollment has tended to cloud the issue involved in promotion work as it concerns the alumni. Alumni activity is not essentially affected by numbers of students, whether Notre Dame is half-filled or overflowing. Our part is the contacting of the schools and the students in each community who are interested in Notre Dame, and the informing of these as to current developments, and the emphasis on the merits of Notre Dame, so that we get not five students from a given city, but the five students from that city who will make the best Notre Dame men. The selective process of cultivation employed by so many major institutions is a source of competition which it is our privilege to meet, and is not based at all upon whether Princeton, or Dartmouth, or Cornell, or Northwestern may need students to complete enrollment. The Alumni Office hopes to develop a more active program in this direction during the months immediately ahead.

Nominating Committees

As a technicality of election procedure, President Eichenlaub and the Board agreed to instruct the 1940 Nominating Committees to secure from each candidate his consent to nomination before such nomination will appear on the ballot. The Board feels that no interested alumni will refuse a nomination without exceptional reason.

Alumni Directory

A national alumni directory was discussed. In principle it met with the favor of the entire Board. But in practice the Alumni Office, bulwarked by vice-president Byrne, and his telephone directory experience, advanced important arguments against a hasty attempt to realize the project. The consensus of the Board was that the present effort to cooperate on accurate Club and Class lists be continued, with the general Directory of Notre Dame Men studied as a probable Association project in conjunction with the University Centennial two years hence.

The Centennial

The Board was apprised by President O'Donnell that the University is considering the imminent launching of a general program for the Centennial, which will enlist so much alumni interest and cooperation, that the Board left its own program largely open pending the opportunities for service which the presentation of the University program will bring.

Financial

The financial report of the Secretary-Treasurer indicated a slow response to the program of voluntary contributions designed to accommodate the varying conditions in which all alumni, particularly the younger men, have found themselves. It was the hope of the Board that the year would find an increasing cooperation, justifying this effort of the Association to meet the member more than half way. Obviously, no plans of the Board, under Ray Eichenlaub or any other president, can go far beyond the bounds set by the support of the alumni as interpreted in their contributions to the financing of the Association program.

The Lay Retreat

The Alumni Association has always accorded its heartiest moral support to the annual Laymen's Retreat held on the Notre Dame campus, and has urged Clubs and individuals, particularly those in this area, to participate. The list this year denotes progress in this participation. And it was a happy circumstance which brought the Board meeting to the campus on the week-end of the Retreat so that the members of the Board were enabled to join the 1,400 laymen, including many alumni, in the major events of the Retreat — the candlelight procession on Saturday night, and the Communion Breakfast on Sunday morning.

O'MALLEY WITH CASSIDY

Edward F. O'Malley, B.C.S. '32, LL.B. '39, who spent the long years in between preparing for a legal career and acting as secretary to the president of the University, is now Assistant Attorney General of the State of Illinois, with offices at 160 N. LaSalle St., Chicago. Those in the Middle West who are familiar with the aggressive regime of John E. Cassidy, '17, as Attorney General of Illinois, will readily see the opportunity for his new assistant to catch up on a lot of law practice. Ed had previously passed both the Illinois and Indiana bars.

Assistant General Chosen

Father W. J. Doheny Is Appointed to Post

Rev. William J. Doheny, C.S.C., president and superior of Holy Cross College, Washington, D. C., was on September 13 named assistant superior general of the Congregation of Holy Cross. The announcement was made by the Very Rev. Albert F. Cousineau, C.S.C., superior general of the order, which has its headquarters at the University.

Father Doheny succeeds the late Very Rev. James A. Burns, C.S.C. A canonist of note, Father Doheny is a procurator and advocate of the Sacred Roman Rota and is authorized to plead in all ecclesiastical and diocesan tribunals throughout the world.

He was born May 30, 1898, at Merrill, Wis., and graduated from St. Norbert College in 1919. He entered the novitiate of the Congregation of Holy Cross on Oct. 14, 1919, and was ordained a priest on June 7, 1924. He subsequently received a J.U.D. degree from Catholic University of America and studied at the Vatican in Rome as well as in other seats of European learning from 1929 to 1934. During this same period he was superior of Holy Cross International College at Rome.

Between 1934 and 1937 Father Doheny's time was divided between the Seminary of Our Lady of Holy Cross at North Dartmouth, Mass., and the seminary of the order at North Easton, Mass. Since 1937 he has been president and superior of Holy Cross College, Washington.

Titles of Father Doheny's books on canonical matters include: Church Property — Modes of Acquisition, (1927); Canonical Procedure in Matrimonial Cases, (1937). He was also a contributor to the American Ecclesiastical Review.

Friends at Notre Dame recall that Father Doheny was active in athletics, particularly in football, while at St. Norbert's College, and those who studied with him pay tribute to his genial and diplomatic personality. During recent years Father Doheny has been in great demand as a retreat master for religious communities.

No successor to Father Doheney at Washington has been appointed as yet.
Atom Smashing at Notre Dame

The Department of Physics is Constructing a 7,000,000-Volt Generator

By GEORGE B. COLLINS, Ph. D.
Associate Professor of Physics

(Ed. Note: Prof Collins, a member of the faculty since 1933, after receiving his Ph.D. from Johns Hopkins and serving on the faculty there, has been a leader in the remarkable development of the Department of Physics at Notre Dame, which has attracted nation-wide attention and commendation.

Lacking funds to purchase a generator for their experiments, Prof. Collins, Edward Coomes, E.E. '31, M.S. '33, who later received an Sc.D. from M.I.T.; Edward Kenefake, E.E. '34, M.S. '36; Alfred Hiegel, E.E. '34, M.S. '36; Richard Schager, E.E. '35, M.S. '37; and Alfred Vitter, E.E. '35, M.S. '37, set about the construction of the generator. Prof. Collins, and Prof. Coomes, then a graduate student, sold the idea to Rev. Thomas Steiner, C.S.C., then dean of the College of Engineering.

The ball was constructed entirely by hand by Coomes, Kenefake, Hiegel and Prof. Collins. It consists of a wooden framework over which are nailed sheets of copper. These sheets it was found had to be pounded so that they assumed naturally a spherical shape. This terrific job was successfully accomplished largely by Ed Coomes. The accelerating tube was a more ticklish proposition and took about two years to perfect. Schager, Vitter, and Alex Petrauskas, E.E. '31, M.S. '38, deserve credit for their persistence in connection with this job.

The work of the Department, under the direction of Rev. Henry J. Bolger, C.S.C., A.B. '24, A.M. '29, who studied for four years at the California Institute of Technology, is progressing as rapidly as resources permit. Funds are needed to expand the equipment for further development, the work so far having gone to its present high degree through the economy and initiative of the members of the faculty and the graduate students.

The new generator, which will step up experiments greatly, is the result of local design, worked out by the Department under the leadership of Prof. Collins, and Bernard Waldman, Ph.D., Fellow in Physics, who joined the Notre Dame group last year after receiving his Ph.D. from New York U.)

For the past three years the Department of Physics at Notre Dame has been conducting research in atomic disintegration, the technical term for what is popularly known as atom smashing. A 1,800,000 volt generator has been used for these experiments and especial attention has been given to the effects of powerful X-rays and electrons on atoms. The result of this work has been to open up a new field of research of such promise that the department is now constructing a new generator of the same type which will produce about 7,000,000 volts.

All this is going on because atomic disintegration is at present one of the most important branches of physics and one which will certainly find many practical applications in the near future. The fact that these rather expensive experiments are being carried on also shows that the administration believes that scientific research should be carried on here.

Before proceeding further, it may be well to answer a question which is frequently asked of scientists by laymen, concerning the practical importance of pure scientific research. The question frequently takes the form: What is research good for? The best way to answer this question is to tell a classical story about Michael Faraday. This famous English physicist in his laboratory one day was performing some apparently trivial experiments with some small batteries, coils of wire, and electric meters, when a visitor asked this same question, “What good is research?” Faraday’s answer was: “What good is a baby?” This story is particularly significant since the experiments he was performing were the beginning of all our present day electric power systems and radios.

The science of atom smashing will follow a similar course. At present, physicists are learning how atoms are put together, and, as soon as this is well understood, practical applications will follow. Indeed, several practical applications have already been made. Radioactive phosphorous made by atom smashing machines is already being used to cure cancer of the blood, and other radioactive substances are being used to aid biologists in their study of life processes. On the offing there is also the much discussed Uranium 235 with its promise of
new sources of energy. But even if no practical applications develop, most of us believe that to find out how atoms are put together is sufficient justification for the expense and work connected with these experiments.

Atoms are smashed, as might be supposed, by hitting them with high speed projectiles. The projectiles in our case are electrons, and to speed them up, it is necessary to have a very high voltage. That is where the generator pictured on this page comes in. This generator is charged by two endless belts and after it is charged, electrons liberated in the big ball are driven down the long tube which in the picture is seen surrounded by numerous hoops. This tube extends into the adjacent room, where the electrons then strike whatever material has been selected for the experiment.

**Changed Into Helium Gas**

In a recent experiment, the substance bombarded by the electrons was the little-used metal, beryllium. In this case a little of the beryllium was changed into helium gas. The importance of these experiments lies in the fact that for the first time it was demonstrated that electrons can disintegrate atoms and this fact is then the basis for a better understanding of both atoms and electrons.

Now atoms are small entities and so are the electrons which constitute the projectiles, and this means there are a lot of misses for each effective hit. The amount of beryllium changed into helium gas was thus unbelievably small. Even under the most favorable conditions, when big atom cores are used as projectiles, there are ten million misses for one effective hit. As more and more electric charges are carried up the voltage of the generator becomes higher and higher and at its maximum voltage, load sparks leap down the insulating legs to the floor. Before experimenting began, however, a steady voltage was obtained by lowering the voltage until all sparking ceased. Then, by means of strings of fish cord a device inside the ball was made to liberate a stream of electrons. These electrons as they passed down the tube were speeded up by the electrical forces produced by the high voltage until at the bottom they were traveling with a velocity nearly equal to that of light. At this point they struck the indium sheet.

**Protecting the Experiments**

Before bombarding the indium with these electrons, blocks of solid leads, the size of building bricks had been piled around the indium. This was done to protect the experimenters from the very intense and penetrating X-rays which are produced when the fast electrons are stopped. These X-rays are so intense the generator must be operated by remote control from a distance of 50 feet. The extreme intensity of the rays emitted by this generator may be appreciated by comparing it with radium. Eight grams is about the largest quantity of radium used in any one hospital, but the generator when operating at full capacity is equivalent to about 200 grams of radium.

The indium foil was bombarded with the fast electrons for perhaps 15 minutes and then the generator was turned off. The indium foil was then removed and placed next to the Geiger tube to see if the bombardment had produced any effect. To our delight the loud speaker connected to the Geiger tube began to click away, indicating that the atoms of indium were emitting rays. This meant, of course, that the fast electrons from the generator had produced changes in some of the indium atoms.

Further experiments here and at other universities have proved that the radioactive indium atoms, that is to say the ones which received a direct hit by the fast electrons, emit X-rays which correspond to those produced by a 350,000-volt X-ray machine. The radioactive indium atoms emit these X-rays not all at once, but slowly so that in four hours the intensity is reduced to one-half.

Other elements were tested in a similar manner to see if they also could be made radioactive. Most of them gave negative results, except in the case of lead where a very short-lived radioactivity of about 90 seconds half life was discovered. With higher energy particles which will be available from the new generator it is probable that many more elements can be made radioactive.

What will all this lead to? No one experiment is, of course, likely to be of great utilitarian value, but the cumulative results of all the experiments in atomic disintegration being performed by physicists will certainly soon be put to practical use by biologists, chemists, geologists, and engineers.

**C. S. C. ORDINATIONS**

Holy Orders were conferred upon 14 clerics of the Congregation of Holy Cross on June 24, in Sacred Heart Church on the campus.

Most Rev. John F. O'Hara, C.S.C., D.D., former president of Notre Dame and now auxiliary bishop of the Army and Navy diocese, officiated at the ordination ceremonies. The young priests had just completed their theological studies at Holy Cross College, Brookland, D.C. They were the following:

UNIVERSITY AFFAIRS . . . .

MAHONEY, TRACK COACH

William P. Mahoney, Phoenix, Ariz., was appointed successor to the late John P. Nicholson as Notre Dame track coach on July 11 by Rev. J. Hugh O’Donnell, C.S.C., president of the University.

In making the announcement, Father O’Donnell said, "Mr. Mahoney, assistant to the beloved John Nicholson of happy memory, is appointed coach of the track team for 1940-41. In this appointment the administration feels that the splendid record established by Mr. Nicholson will be maintained and the fine traditions of our varsity track team preserved."

Mahoney was graduated, cum laude, from the Notre Dame College of Law last June. He had captained the track team in 1938, and had served as Mr. Nicholson’s assistant until the latter’s death last April 2. He also was prominent in campus activities.

Mahoney showed great promise as a hurdler as a sophomore in 1936. He won monograms in 1936, 1937 and 1938, but a pulled tendon in his sophomore year ended his hurdling career. He shifted to the 440-yard run, and he ran with the 40-yard relay team which set an all-time Notre Dame outdoor record of three minutes, 11.5 seconds in 1938. John Francis, Joe Halpin and Pete Sheehan were other members of that quartet.

He was graduated from the College of Arts and Letters, magna cum laude, in 1939, having maintained an average of 92. He was president of the Wran-glers’ Club, campus debating organization; and he was active in the Monogram Club.

His work with the late Coach Nicholson consisted mainly of developing the freshman squad, and Nicholson said that the frosh squad of the last season was probably the strongest in Notre Dame history.

Upon Nicholson’s death, Mahoney took over much of the technical side of the coaching of the track team, under the direction of older members of the athletic department staff.

The Irish, with the worst prospects in several years, defeated Illinois, 71 to 60, for the first time in Notre Dame outdoor history, and defeated Michigan State, 79 to 52. Wisconsin won a triangular meet in which Northwestern and Notre Dame figured, the Irish taking second. Notre Dame held undefeated Marquette to a 71 to 60 victory. The Hilltoppers had the strongest team in their history.

Biggest surprise of the Notre Dame season was victory in the Indiana State meet, however. The Irish collected 63⅔ points. Indiana, favored to win, was second with 46⅔ points, and Purdue was third with 31.

SUMMER SCHOOL

The highest Summer School enrollment ever attained by the University was set as a new mark last June as 1,167 priests, sisters and laymen pursued studies during the 22nd annual summer session.

This number eclipses the former record of 1,132, set in 1929. Registration represented an advance of 81 students over the enrollment of 1,086 a year ago.

A total of 87 students received degrees at the end of the session, 41 being conferred by the graduate school and the remaining 46 representing degrees from all other departments.

A staff of 112 faculty members and 20 visiting teachers served as instructors. The Commencement address was delivered by Rev. Francis P. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., Ph.D.

“Twelfth Night,” one of the better known of the long list of comedies turned out by William Shakespeare, was enthusiastically received in a three-night run as a highlight of the Notre Dame Summer Theater group on the evenings of July 21, 22, and 23. The production was staged on the campus plaza before the Commerce Building by Summer School students in collaboration with a few members of the South Bend Community theater.

Capably directed by Robert Speaight, a faculty member and a prominent English actor, who inaugurated the drama project at the beginning of the Summer School session, the cast presented the rib-tickling romantic comedy without the aid of stage scenery. A few props, contrasting colored lights and lavishly constructed costumes all lent an unusually dramatic atmosphere to the production.

Raymond Wilmer, of Toledo, Ohio, sophomore in the Art Department, designed all costumes. Music of the 16th and 17th centuries was provided by an orchestra under the direction of Daniel H. Pedtke, head of the Department of Music. Joseph Stephen, a student from Longmont, Colo., was stage manager.

NEW MATHEMATICAL COURSE

Mathematics at Notre Dame, particularly in the graduate field, has taken on a widely heralded impetus with the leadership of Prof. Karl Menger, head of the Department, and the addition of several nationally known scholars in the last few years. Three new Ph.Ds join the Department this fall, Dr. J. L. Kelley, of the U. of Virginia; Dr. J. P. Nash of the Rice Institute, and Dr. Charles V. Robinson of the U. of Missouri.

Dr. Menger is teaching this year for the first time a course in mathematical economics, which is attended by students of economics and students of mathematics. Last year Dr. Menger gave a series of bi-weekly lectures in this field at the Armour Institute in Chicago.

Students in mathematics last spring organized a group, graduate and undergraduate, which meets to permit presentation of student papers in mathematics twice monthly.

Two members of the Department have been promoted to assistant professorships, Dr. A. N. Milgram and Dr. P. M. Pepper. Prof. Pepper was invited to lecture before the mathematical biology group of the U. of Chicago.

Henry Heintzberger, who received his Master’s degree in mathematics at De Paul U., in Chicago.
STUDENT NOTES

(George L. Haithcock, Nashville, Tenn., the conductor of this department in this issue and in future issues of 1940-41, received his A.B. in 1939 as a philosophy major. He is now seeking his Master's and will have completed his work for it, he hopes, by next February. Meanwhile, he continues his labors in the University's Publicity Department, where he has been stationed as an assistant to Tom Barry, '25, since 1935. That publicity background, coupled with three years on the "Scholastic," give him just the right material and "touch" for the benefit of "Alumnus" readers.)

GOING UP

This freshman was tired and weary, as all freshmen are after having gone through the rigmarole of registration—unpacking, getting laundry numbers, dining hall cards, athletic books, class cards—all in one day. He lived on the fourth floor of Cavanaugh. He entered by the side door to retire to his room. Judging from the present what the future might hold for him at Notre Dame he looked downcast.

On the wall next to the chapel entrance is a sign which reads, "Push the buzzer, save your steps." (This device is especially for those escapists who signal the priest in the outer office, dart through the side door, and arrive in the confessional before the confessor enters from across the hall.) To the sad freshman it meant something else.

He buzzed the button. Nothing happened. Again, and still nothing happened. Somewhat astonished he hailed an approaching senior,

"Where's the priest who runs the elevator?"

FLYING HIGH

Seventy Notre Dame students will receive flying instructions under the Civil Aeronautics Board program which is to begin about Oct. 1. Fifty will be primary students who will receive preliminary training preparing them for a private pilot's license; the remaining 20 students will be offered a course open only to those who took preliminary instruction the past summer. The student must be at least 19 but not 26, and must have completed at least one year of college work.

RIGHTING THE PRESS

The American press is a sick entity. It has been ailing for some time and few of its self-applied remedies have produced any favorable results. Believing that worthwhile suggestions from the college student would be of great assistance, Richard Reid, editor of the New York Catholic News and former Laetare Medalist, established awards to be given annually to the students writing the best letters of commendation or criticism to any newspaper or magazine in the country. Last year's winners who have just been announced are: José Villo Panganiban, Batangas, Philippine Islands, first prize, other awards going to John W. Patterson, Pittsburgh, Pa., and William McGowan, Oakville, Conn.

WELCOME, LADIES

Ladies at last! They weren't first. A University tradition, 99 year old, will be broken when women-folk attend the Rockne banquet, one of the features of Rockne week, Sept. 29-Oct. 5, to be held in the University dining hall. In its entire history the University has never admitted women to public banquets on the campus. Women have been admitted to the University cafeteria and women's groups have held private parties on the campus grounds, but never has a women member of the University been admitted to a banquet sponsored publicly by the University or given with its cooperation. Total attendance, the fairer sex included, has been limited to 1,000 persons.

THE KNIGHTS

Knights of Columbus began their 31st year of campus activities with a head start, as usual, with installation of officers the first week in the council chambers in Walsh hall . . . Robert E. Sullivan, Helena, Mont., is grand knight; John F. O’Loughlin, Bangor, Me., deputy grand knight; Raymond J. Kelly, Detroit, Mich., chancellor; Edward F. Reidy, Lorain, Ohio, recorder; William D. Gagan, Seattle, Wash., treasurer; Robert J. Doran, Danbury, Conn., wardens; William O. Regan, Wharton, N. J., advocate; Louis F. Buckley, "25, Notre Dame, trustee; James C. Brutz, Warren, Ohio, and E. Doyle, Morristown, N. J., guards; Ralph A. Gerra, Brooklyn, N. Y., lecturer. . . . J. J. Tushaus, special agent of the supreme council, was honor guest at a later meeting.

HERE AND THERE

Sorin hallers are enjoying a diversion from fixed dining hall menus with preference to use Caf books . . . Alumni boys are eating in the former faculty dining room upstairs . . . Because of the infantile paralysis epidemic in South Bend the "no swimming" poster was displayed on St. Joe lake pier during a recent warm spell . . . Brother Coleman, C.S.C., is still very much on duty to see there's no breaking the law . . . The Notre Dame Modernaires, campus dance band, are back again under the baton of Bob Richardson, Ottawa, Ill. . . . The music makers, all Notre Dame students, played last year at the football victory hops as well as some club shindigs . . . They also saw action this past summer at New York's Glen Island Casino, Hotel Statler, and several Illinois beach resorts.

Student missions were conducted by Rev. Eugene Burke, C.S.C., known by oldsters and youngsters alike as one of the most popular priests about the campus, and Rev. Daniel A. Lord, S.J., outstanding promoter in the field of Catholic Youth Action . . . Rev. William A. Bolger, C.S.C., former head of the Economics Department and more recently a member of the Mission Band, has returned to the University to conduct classes and directed the third annual mission for the lay faculty, Sept. 28-28.

MORE OF THE SAME

Band Director Joe Casasanta is cheerful these days and sees a successful year ahead for his organization . . . More than 100 ambitious horn-blowers answered his first call . . . Rehearsals of drills and formations are held daily on the field just south of the gym . . . Blitzkrieg tactics were brought home to a foursome on the golf course recently when a bolt of lightning struck a fence on the fairway and knocked the golfers for a loop . . . Nobody was hurt but the scores which would have soared anyway . . . The Scholastic made its first appearance of the year on Sept. 20 under the editorship of William McGowan, Oakville, Conn . . . This is its 74th year of publication, the first issue being put out in 1867 . . . New cement walks have replaced the cinder paths or old concrete in front of Howard, the Library . . . from the Postoffice to Sacred Heart Church . . . in front of the Architecture building and from Breen-Phillips to Science Hall . . . Shed a tear for the storied days of Notre Dame street cars. They, and all other South Bend street cars, have disappeared. Instead we have shiny new buses that zoom down Notre Dame Avenue and turn around at the main entrance to the campus. Tempus, as the man said, fugit.
NEW PRINTING PLANT
BEGUN

"Ave Maria" REPLACES 75-YEAR-OLD STRUCTURE

Ground was broken on July 24 for foundations of a new Ave Maria printing plant, operated at the University by the priests and brothers of the Congregation of Holy Cross.

The modern daylighted structure will replace the 75-year-old building erected by Very Rev. Edward Sorin, C.S.C., in 1865 with bricks made by brothers of the community.

Present plans call for a one-story building 170 feet long and 140 feet wide to be located immediately north of the University heating plant, along the Eddy St. road. It will be equipped with modern presses and laid out in a manner which will permit a streamlining of most printing operations.

The first shovel used on the excavation was wielded by Rev. Patrick J. Carroll, C.S.C., editor of the magazine since 1934. Giving directions was Thomas L. Hickey, the building contractor, who learned the printing trade in the old Ave Maria plant shortly after the turn of the century and is still remembered in that profession as the first monotype operator in Indiana.

The Ave Maria is the oldest Catholic magazine of its kind in the United States and was established to promote the cause of religion by special devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Father Sorin himself acted as first editor and then turned the editorship over to Rev. Neil Gillespie, C.S.C., who served for nine years.

In 1875 Rev. Daniel E. Hudson, C.S.C., took over the helm to begin a career unparalleled in American journalism. Under his brilliant guidance, which lasted for 54 years, The Ave Maria attained world-wide prestige.

At the time Father Hudson took over the editorship his offices looked out upon an Indian village and the redskins often came to watch him at his work.

Rev. Eugene Burke, C.S.C., professor of English, succeeded Father Hudson as editor in 1929 when the latter was forced to resign his journalistic duties because of age and ill health.

In 1934 Father Carroll, writer and poet, became editor and today The Ave Maria has a weekly circulation of more than 30,000.

NEW SERVICE FOR ALUMNI

Most Catholics need, for themselves or their friends, good, brief answers to the major problems of the Church or the practice of the Faith.

They are, unfortunately, not always easy to get.

Pamphlets have been increasing in number, and many of them are excellent. But the field is crowded with them in some directions, almost barren in others.

Notre Dame students, who wrote a pamphlet "No Smut" and have seen it go to a 6th printing, with a distribution of 125,000, have expanded their work.

Invited to become members of the new National Federation of Catholic College Students, and to hold the chairmanship of a National Commission on Decent Literature, the students are launching on the campus the elaboration of this program.

As a part of it, Notre Dame alumni who wish pamphlets in the major field of Catholic doctrine or thought—What Catholics Believe, The Divinity of Christ, The Doctrine of Indulgences, Faith and Science, Papal Infallibility, children's pamphlets, Capital and Labor, Birth Control, vest pocket prayerbooks, and hundreds of others from the active presses of the Paulists, the Ave Maria, Queen's Work, St. Anthony's Guild, etc.—may secure these by writing to: The Notre Dame Student Commission on Decent Literature, Notre Dame, Indiana.

Students will contribute all the work of selection and distribution. It is hoped that requests will be accompanied by the money or stamps necessary to cover the actual cost of the pamphlets, which usually cost ten cents for a single copy postpaid.

Here is opportunity to continue that spiritual informing, wherever you are, which was so vital a part of the training for life, while you were on the campus.

OLD-TIMERS REUNION

Monogram winners of the years 1918 and 1919, in all sports, have been invited by the Athletic Association to attend the Georgia Tech-Notre Dame game. The monogram men will be guests at a banquet on Friday night at the University, following the student pep meeting, and will also be guests of the Notre Dame Club of the St. Joseph Valley at the smoker Friday night. Invitations were sent to all men of these years for whom the Alumni Office has current mailing addresses.

GIFTS

The University acknowledges with deep gratitude the following gifts:

From the Aluminum Company of America, New Kensington, for the department of Metallurgy. An experimental rolling mill of laboratory type $1000.00

From Hon. Edward P. Carville, '09, Governor of Nevada, for student welfare 50.00

From Jack Bailey, Benton Harbor, Michigan, for the College of Commerce. Personal library of advertising.


From Mr. John M. Duncan, Chicago, Illinois, for the University museum, in accordance with the wish of his deceased brother, Mark Duncan, '15. A ballot box used in the election of Abraham Lincoln.

For the Rockne Memorial

The Frances Shop, Inc., South Bend, Ind. 50.

J. A. Kennedy, Valparaiso, Ind. $ 25.

William F. Lomasney, Oklahoma City, Okla. 5.


John A. Gonye, Benton, N. J. 5.

John F. Burns, San Francisco 5.

William J. Cahill, San Francisco 1.

James F. Cost, Orange, N. J. 1.

Football Ticket Committee, Notre Dame, Ind. 8.90

Total $239.92

Previous Total $261,876.65

Grand Total $262,116.58

(Sig.) J. HUGH O'DONNELL, C.S.C., President.
"We won't know what we have until we've played three games." This is Coach Elmer Layden's opinion on 1940 football prospects. Layden readily admits that the first three games will give the Irish an ideal test.

"Coach A. A. Stagg of Pacific uses a lot of formations. Our kids will have to learn to shift fast to meet these varying offensive designs," says Layden. "Georgia Tech uses trick stuff and fills the air with passes. Carnegie Tech is famous for a bruising power attack, and that will test our land defenses. The only catch is that by the time we master this three-way defense we may have lost three ball games."

The Notre Dame Thin Man, who rode to glory at fullback with the 1924 Four Horsemen, a unit that combined speed, cleverness, passing and running to top offensive advantage, allows that the Irish passing attack may be more prominent this year than last.

"We have better passers, so we'll pass more," he promises. "But that doesn't mean we won't work on running. We're still a blocking and tackling team. A passing offense requires the balance of a sound running game, and vice versa."

According to the experts, the Irish are headed for a great season. Layden is justified in being somewhat more conservative. There are, as usual, question marks galore on the scene. But there are other spots Layden and his assistants can practically forget about.

Ten of last year's starters are gone. No letterman is available at left end or center. Replacements are needed at right end, quarterback, left half, and fullback.

Tom Gallagher, only returning regular, heads a group of tackles unequaled—as a group—since the days of Kurth, Krause, Kozak & Company. Under him come Jim Brutz, junior letterman, and Lou Rymkus, giant sophomore who rated No. 1 ranking for a while this Fall. At right tackle are Junior Lettermen Paul Lillis and Cliff Brosey, plus two husky sophomores—Walt Ziemba and Bob Neff.

Capt. Milt (Moose) Piepul played considerably with the first team last year, under Joe Thesing, three-year regular, putting in almost as much total playing time as Joe. He led the team in scoring and total yards gained. His average of five-plus yards was second only to Benny Sheridan's. But the drop-off below Piepul is so marked that Bernie Crimmins, Louisville junior who won his sweater under Lou Zontini at right half in '39, is getting a trial at fullback. Al Lee and Bob Leonard are senior reserves with possibilities, and Harry Wright appears to have the edge on the other sophomores.

Bob Saggau, who started about half of the 1939 games, would have been the starter at left halfback last Fall but for a series of minor injuries which kept him below peak efficiency. Early drills indicated that he has his old vim and vigor back again, plus two years of valuable experience. Harry Stevenson, Jr., and Ben Sheridan will be missed. A great year for Saggau might mean a great year for the Irish. Owen (Dippy) Evans, South Bend soph, is right on Saggau's heels at this writing. He's a three-way threat, and he and Saggau stand alone among their rivals on the basis of speed. Bill McGannon, senior reserve, Don Hogan, junior reserve, and Sophomores John Warner and John Peasenelli round out the list at this post.

Right halfback prospects have engendered such a feeling of security that when Crimmins was shifted to fullback, Tom Miller, best sophomore righ half, was moved to right end (later to left end) to bolster graduation-riddled spots. That leaves Steve Bagarus and Steve Juzwik in a lively scramble for the starting post, with both likely to see action. Crimmins can come back if needed. Joe Prokop, junior reserve, should go places once he untracks himself, as he did last spring. Dick Creevy and Bill Earley, sophs; and Thad Cassidy, senior reserve, are other likely prospects. Juzwik came fast as a runner last fall, and Bagarus is established as a runner, passer, and receiver.

Moving to quarterback, the graduation of Steve Sitko may prove to be the most damaging single loss of all. Bob Hargrave, brilliant '39 sophomore, may equal or surpass the deeds of Sitko, but the team won't be as strong with only half of this sharp-blocking parley on hand. Tony Girolami, sophomore who is crowding 200 pounds; Jackie Hayes, Walt O'Meara, Bob Koch, Patten, and Frank Doody all have a chance, with Hayes having shown the most early improvement.

A backfield composed of Hargrave, daring, intelligent, inspiring leader; Saggau, a triple-threat phantom; Bagarus or Juzwik, with speed and passing ability; and Capt. Piepul, probably the best all-around fullback in the nation, including John Kimbrough of Texas A. & M., seems to have everything. One injury, however, might smear the whole beautiful picture. That's why the Thin Man stays off the limb.

Returning to the line, Joe Boland has a wealth of adequate guards. There's
Pete Kelly at left guard to carry on for Joe DeFranco. Under him come Bob Maddock, Ed Sullivan, and Henry Schrenker, husky reserves. Kelly is an inconspicuous—but efficient—ball player's ball player.

Let's talk about right guard, and Johnny Gubanich, 160 pounds of all-American timber, backed up by 170-pound Joe Laiber, and husker Herb Beresolos and Howard Korth. Gubanich and Laiber will give away from 20 to 60 pounds a game, but they'll do all right. Johnny has won two monograms in two years, a better record than any other lineman his size in Notre Dame history. Even 154-pound Bert Metzger didn't make it until his last two years, and, with all credit to a great all-American, Bert was here five years. Gubanich and Laiber have Metzger's same qualities of smartness, speed, and courage. Now they have the experience they need, and they should have a great season.

At the ends and center, Johnny O'Brien, right end, is the sole letterman returning out of eight men who won sweaters. Bud Kerr and Frank Biagi graduated, and inflammatory rheumatism laid Pete Arboit low during the summer, riddling the left end post. Capt. Johnny Kelly was graduated, and Howard Peteschel, fine reserve sophomore of last year, joined the Flying Corps, so right end has been weakened. John McIntyre, Jack Finneran, and Al Mooney, last year's three monogram winning centers, were graduated.

But is Layden blue? He says, "Don't sell those ends and centers short. We haven't seen them under fire, and the chances are they'll make some mistakes at the start. But watch them develop. There's great spirit all through the squad, a willingness to take the bumps and to learn. No, sir, don't ever give up on those boys."

Bob (Big Stoop) Osterman, Detroit student, senior, lacked only experience last year, and he's going to get that, probably at the No. 1 ball-snapping post this fall. John McHale, Detroit soph, came up from the fifth to the first team (while Osterman was hurt) in his first scrimmage. Martin O'Reilly, Chicago junior, has a little trouble with his passing, but he appears to have the makings. Tom Brock, sophomore, brother of Nebraska's Charlie Brock, has shown considerable promise. Jim Ford and John Mortell, '39, reserves, also bolster this position.

George Rassas, senior reserve left end, managed to get hurt the first days of contact work, but should be in good repair by the time this is printed. Meanwhile, Bob Dove, Youngstown sophomore, drove up to the first team, just ahead of Phil Sheridan, senior reserve. Roy (Lil') Abner) Ebli, junior reserve, and Tom Miller, the former right halfback mentioned near the beginning, also show promise. Miller is the son of M. Harry (Red) Miller, '10, captain of the 1939 conquerors of Michigan, and a nephew of Don, Walter, Jerry, and Ray. He's the first of the clan to play in the line—but being a wingman wasn't his idea.

Johnny Kovatch is the only experienced right end on hand besides Johnny O'Brien. George Murphy, brother of 1937 letterman Johnny; Norman Barry, Jr., whose dad was a baseball and football star two decades ago; and Dick O'Brien, no relation of John's, are all sophomores.

If Capt. Milt has any influence with his mates, as he undoubtedly has, it may become a memorable season. He says, "I never saw a better bunch to work with. There will be plenty of spirit on the club. I only hope the boys don't get overconfident because I know we have a tough one every week." With that sort of an attitude, the Irish may roll.

1940 Notre Dame Varsity Football Roster
JOHN C. BURKE, warden of the Wisconsin State Prison, Waupun, Wis., is one of the country's foremost executives in his field. Young in years—he was 36 on July 9—he has already initiated administrative policies and methods at Waupun which are widely admired and studied elsewhere.

John attended Marquette University, Milwaukee, and the River Falls, Wis., State Teachers College, where he received his bachelor's degree, and taught high school for three years before he came to Notre Dame in 1930 as a member of the class in Boy Guidance. Here he was president of the Boy Guidance class and a member of the debating team.

In 1931, John was appointed, after a civil service examination, to the position of a state probation and parole officer in Wisconsin. Sent first to the Ashland-Superior district of the state, he worked there until March, 1934, when he was assigned to the parole office at the Waupun prison. He was chosen as acting warden of the prison in March, 1938, and as warden in February, 1939. Both appointments were under civil service regulations.

John is a fourth degree member of the Knights of Columbus, a member of the Notre Dame Club of Milwaukee, the Catholic Order of Foresters, Holy Name Society, Rotary Club and of numerous professional groups in his field. He is vice-president of the Central States Probation and Parole Conference. He is married and has a son now seven years old.

THE CONSTRUCTION of the new fifteen million dollar dry dock at the Navy Yard, Philadelphia—one of the major projects of the National Defense Program—is under the direction of a Notre Dame man.

Well known as the popular personnel adjutant of the Student Army Training Corps at Notre Dame during the fall of 1918, Daniel H. Young, C.E. '22, is project manager of this gigantic undertaking that will employ 1,500 men at an estimated weekly payroll of $50,000. This work is being done by Dry Dock Associates, of which Dan's firm, Foley Brothers Construction Company, is a member.

The responsibility involved in this operation is not new to Dan, as he, as a partner of Foley Brothers Construction Company of Pleasantville, N. Y., supervised the construction of Pier No. 9, the Jersey City protection for the Holland Tunnel, and the excavation and anchorage work for the George Washington Bridge.

His company constructed 26,000 miles of railroad for the Canadian Northern, Canadian Pacific, and Grand Trunk railroads, and in recent years completed a 250-mile railroad, including bridges and stations, across the state of Florida, for the Seaboard Airlines.

Foley Brothers is now building the tunnel under the Hudson River to bring additional water to the City of New York. Dan worked on the Shasta Dam and the San Gabriel Dam in California, and made the estimates for the Dry Docks No. 2, and No. 3 at Honolulu, Hawaii.

Born in St. Paul, Minnesota, in 1897, Dan was graduated from the Cretin High School, attended St. Thomas College, and completed a year in Civil Engineering at the University of Minnesota. He was called to Camp Meade, near Baltimore, during the World War, to be in charge of concrete construction, and after a short stay there enlisted in the United States Army at Fort Sheridan, Ill.

As personnel adjutant, Second Lieutenant Young was assigned to the University of Notre Dame, taking up the duties there on September 26, 1918, and continuing at that post until his honorable discharge in January of 1919, at which time he enrolled as student at the University.

The day after his graduation in June of 1922, Dan became an inspecting engineer for the city of St. Paul and a year later joined Foley Construction Company, of which he is now a partner. Dan is also treasurer of the Cornwall Sand and Gravel Corporation, Newburgh, N. Y.

Dan married Loretta Rafter, who was a fellow student of his at the Mechanics Art School in St. Paul. With their children, Mary, Daniel and Elizabeth, they are now living at 346 Wnydemere Ave., Drexel Hill, Pa.

FRANCIS J. CLOHESSEY, LL.B '20, Waverly, N. Y., is the latest Notre Dame alumnus to achieve exceptional distinction and honor as the leader of a national fraternal group. He was, on July 2, elected supreme governor of the
Loyal Order of Moose, the highest elective office in the order.

Frank was born in Waverly, N. Y., and received his elementary education there. He studied law and journalism at Notre Dame. Later, for several years he was employed in the editorial departments of Elmira, N. Y., newspapers.

Returning to his home town, he became attorney for the village of Waverly and held that office for 15 years. He is now serving his second three-year term as district attorney of Tioga County. He is also a past president of the Tioga County Bar Association.

Frank is a World War veteran, having served nearly two years through enlistment. He is a past commander of the American Legion post in Waverly, past president of the Waverly Board of Trade, and past president of the Waverly Rotary Club. He is a member of the Sayre, Pa., Lodge of Elks, the Waverly Fire Department, and the Waverly Sportsmen Club.

His interest in the Moose was a natural one, since he was a son of the late Frank P. Clohessy, charter member of the Waverly Lodge. Like his father, Frank Clohessy is also a past governor of the lodge. He has served as chairman of the membership drive and on other committees of the lodge and was in charge of the legal work in connection with the erection of the $150,000 Moose home in Waverly. In the Supreme Lodge he has served on the judiciary committee, as chief justice of the supreme forum, supreme councilman, supreme prelate, and supreme junior governor.

The 23rd Annual Laymen's Retreat, held on the campus August 1 to 4, broke several records. Total attendance, 1400, was top figure for the general Retreat in the 22 years of its history. The second, closed Retreat, Aug. 4 to 6, attracted a larger group than a year ago, though much smaller in scope than the initial Retreat, 200 participating. Alumni participation, including the Board of Directors (cf. Board story this issue), was higher than any previous year.


Following is a list of the alumni attending one or the other Retreat, as they indicated their attendance on cards placed in the halls by the Alumni Association:

Joseph Argus, Indianapolis; James E. Armstrong, Notre Dame; Gerald "Kid" Ashe, Rochester, N. Y.; John Bergan, South Bend; Andrew Bernoni, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Leo Bever, Somerset, O.; Louis V. Bruggner, South Bend; Thomas F. Byrne, Cleveland; J. Patrick Canny, Cleveland; Maurice P. Conroy, Logansport, Ind.; Edw. F. Conroy, Winamac, Ind.; Byrne Daly, Jackson, Mich.; F. J. Delaney, Jr., Burlington, Iowa; William R. Dooley, Notre Dame; Ray J. Eichenlaub, Columbus, O.


William M. Kervin, Jr., Jackson, Mich.; James T. Kirby, Indianapolis; William L. Lepper, Indianapolis; Dr. E. M. Lipetskia, South Bend; Bernard T. Loeffler, Indianapolis; Daniel L. Madden, Chicago; W. Joseph Maloney, Chicago; Paul Manoski, Huntington, Ind.; William Martin, Jackson, Mich.; Eugene Mayl, Dayton, Ohio; Frank "Spike" McAdams, Chicago; Gladstone McDermott, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Fred C. Miller, Milwaukee, Wis.; William J. Mooney, Jr., Indianapolis.

BUFFALO
Lionel V. O. Smith, '33, 424 Main St, President; John H. Travers, Jr., '33, 191 North St., Secretary.

Well, our summer slipped by before we realized that our club was about ready to settle down to the pleasant task of monthly meetings, luncheons, movies, etc.

Ron Zudeck, '30, went to Hawaii for a pleasant trip and came back with enough sarongs to cover a football field. He says the natives down there are lovely and the scenery is "Oh well, the natives are lovely."

Frank Cass, our genial vice-president, '32, was married to June Meyers and spent his honeymoon traveling through the South. Smiling Jack McHendry, our conscientious treasurer, was married to Grace Maher. They honeymooned in New York City.

Li Smith, our proxy, toured the country on his vacation and spent most of his time in California with the glamour girls from Hollywood. Reports were circulating about that Zaneck wanted him as a stand-in for Jeffrey Lyon. Oh well Li, we are glad you came back even though you are a punk sailor. Frank Reppenhafen and his brother won refreshments. In the evening everybody ad-
ting back to New Jersey on week-ends.

A few of us had the privilege of attending a preview of the movie "Knute Rockne, All-American" at Albany on Sept. 9 through the courtesy of Warner Bros. The purpose of the preview was for the initiation of plans for an event to take place here at the time of the premiere in South Bend. The picture held us all spellbound from beginning to end. Those of the club attending were: Mike Leding, Bill Casaza, John Campbell, Jack Hustler, Larry O'Neill and Ed Keneke.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Michael Leding, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dollard, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nardone, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Casaza, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hills, Mr. and Mrs. Deveraux, and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Kenefake. Also Anthony Rinella, Jr., George Bittner, Larry O'Neill, John Peter, Robert McPadden, James Gallagher, Elmo Meyer, Joseph Madigan, Harold Rhodes, Nicholas Amorosa, Frank Kelly, Harold Rodgers, Eddie Eckert, and Jerry Kline.

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The annual golf tournament was held at Bunker Hill on July 25. It was a grand success. Over 50 prizes were awarded. Harry Baldwin successfully defended his championship with a score of 79, and thus retained the Knickerbocker Trophy. Ned Kelly was the runner up. The committee who conducted the successful tournament was composed of Chairman Ed Melchion, '32, Bill Steinemper, '37, Fran Oelerich, '32, and John Dorgan, '29.

The Army football dance will be held on Nov. 2. Jack Clark, '35 and Art Conrad, '35, the chairman, promise to produce a super supper dance. This affair will be one of the high spots of the fall season. Don't miss it.

Our club is very sorry to report the death of two great alumni, Mark L. Duncan, '15, and Joseph S. Pliska, '15. Mark was an officer of the club some years back. Joe Pliska, as you all remember, was a great halfback, and teammate of Knute Rockne. The club has arranged with the University to have Masses said for the repose of their souls.

John H. Travers, Jr.

CAPITAL DISTRICT (New York)
Michael J. Leding, '33, 1047 Gillespie St, Schenectady, President; Edwin W. Kenefake, '34, 401 Union St, Schenectady, Secretary.

The club had its annual outing with a sizeable group attending, on August 24. The event was of special note since the old tradition of "no women at our club functions" was broken, and it looks just like a boat should be sailed.

Ralph Elser has been a frequent visitor this summer and reports that all is going well with his government job in Auburn. Russ W. King, of Worthington Pump, has been transferred to Buffalo. We welcome him to our club and hope he will spend more time with us and less time traveling back to New Jersey on week-ends.

Yours truly has been promoted from the auditing department to the sales department for the William Simon Co. and now bumps into quite a few of the lads also doing outside work.

We are all working hard on our exursion to the Notre Dame-Army game, Nov. 2. Looks as though we are going to have a sell-out crowd from here.

John H. Travers, Jr.

CHICAGO
Thomas C. Donovan, '24, 124 S. LaSalle St, President; J. Barry O'Keefe, '32, 111 W. Washington, Secretary.

The annual golf tournament was held at Bunker Hill on July 25. It was a grand success. Over 50 prizes were awarded. Harry Baldwin successfully defended his championship with a score of 79, and thus retained the Knickerbocker Trophy. Ned Kelly was the runner up. The committee who conducted the successful tournament was composed of Chairman Ed Melchion, '32, Bill Steinemper, '37, Fran Oelerich, '32, and John Dorgan, '29.

The Army football dance will be held on Nov. 2. Jack Clark, '35 and Art Conrad, '35, the chairman, promise to produce a super supper dance. This affair will be one of the high spots of the fall season. Don't miss it.

Our club is very sorry to report the death of two great alumni, Mark L. Duncan, '15, and Joseph S. Pliska, '15. Mark was an officer of the club some years back. Joe Pliska, as you all remember, was a great halfback, and teammate of Knute Rockne. The club has arranged with the University to have Masses said for the repose of their souls.

John H. Travers, Jr.
interested in major league baseball, particularly the Cleveland Notre Dame fan, is rooting for Bill, pennant or not.

Otis Winchester, '29, and George Belting, '33, enter Our Lady of the Lake Seminary this month—two good and loyal alumni, soon to return to us with renewed interest in Notre Dame activity in Cleveland.

And so we drive into the next event, the Football Rally, interest in which is already being promoted by Joe Sweeney, Jack Reydi, and Clayton Leroex.

"Grow with us in the Lay Retreat Movement."

Mike Crawford

SOUTHWESTERN CONNECTICUT

Francis J. Rooney, '28, 81 Pierce Ave., Bridgeport, President; Edward F. Monihan, '24, 334 Beechmont Ave., Bridgeport, Secretary.

On June 4 we elected a new staff of officers for 1940-41. Frank Rooney is president, William O'Brien is secretary, and Bud Murphy is treasurer. Upon me, once again, has devolved the position of secretary. Retiring from office were Attorney Robert Devine, president; John Malley, vice-president; Louis W. Tucker, secretary, and William Malrenna, treasurer. Thanks to these men for their parts in conducting the activities of the past year.

On June 22 we held our fourth annual Notre Dame outing, a sheep roast, with softball games, horse races, and other activities. The outing was both a fraternal and financial success and this outing is becoming a tradition in Bridgeport.

We welcomed two new men in to our "gang," Elwood Lavery, '40 and Robert Bertany, 40. Lavery may be at Georgetown Law School. Wherever he may be for the next three years, we want him to return as an active member upon completion of his studies. Bertany has not yet come to a decision on future plans but to him, also, goes the sincere invitation to "drop around" again.

Of news in general at this time. Fran Herb is in Chicago where he is under a course of training with Comptometer, whom he represents in this area. Bob Windrim is doing as well as an attorney in Berlin, Pennsylvania. We have never seen much of the O'Mahoneys in New Jersey, in the accounting prominently mentioned for a Federal judgeship. Norwalk and Attorney Jim Murphy has been lucrative private practice. Dr. Louis Gostaldo, gets rector and is kept "on the go" attending to the professional group Dr. Tom Tarosovic is kept pretty busy working in the City Dispensary, on "extra curricular* assignments as an Army physi­

The recreation ball game between the teams led by captains Jack Golden and Chet Rice was a real contest for the first three innings. In the fourth inning Ray Eichenlanb, who had been umpiring, came into play for Jack Geddes "Blue" team, whereupon Chet Rice's "Gold" team scored 14 runs. Both teams retired for refreshments, declar­

The Central Ohio Club is attempting to revise the list of members in various central Ohio towns and would greatly appreciate hearing from any of the alumni in this territory.

Bad Murphy

DENVER

Charles A. M. Haskell, '29, 667 Birch St., President; Edward F. Mansfield, '34, 1932 Broadway, Secretary.

Ed's note: Remember that Ed Mansfield sent us the following on June 19—just too late for the June issue—and then read ahead:

Jack Sheehan, '36, and Miss Teresa Guilfoyle

WARNING!

Notre Dame individuals and clubs everywhere are warned to be on the look-out for one "William F. Brownstein" who represents himself as a Notre Dame man and who is, from his conversation, fa­

miliar with campus places and per­

sonages. Mr. "Brownstein" resided for some months in Vincennes, Ind., but left suddenly, supposedly for his home in Albany, N. Y. He has not been heard from since.

should be listed in the smitten column officially, after a year and a half of keeping us guessing—a la Notre Dame's famous Jack O'Flaherty. Jack is chang­ing customers relentlessly for Crane-O'Flaherty here. City salesmen now.

Bart O'Hara, '32, last fall's football train chair­man, and Elisabeth Ryan will become Mr. and Mrs. O'Hara, June 25, at St. Philomena's here.

Gene Blake, '34, is back with Colorado Milling and Elevator, after a couple of years with layout pad, paste, and scissors. (That metaphorical mess is supposed to convey an impression of adver­

sing.)

Floyd Grauel, ex-37, left this month, after a couple of years at Colorado Mines, to work in the fingerprint bureau of the F.B.I. in Washington.

Al O'Meara, Jr., Jack Aikin, and Tom Tierney have been at Denver University completing work on their degrees. Aikin and Tierney are in law school.

John Falkenberg, who engineered at N.D. and M.I.T., came here from Kansas City to continue construction business in a new field, and has been a regular attendant at all our sessions.

Bob Windrim, far-from-home cousin of the late Noble King, has one of Denver's finest drug stores.

Prexy Charlie Haskell was re-named advocate by the local K. of C. council this month.

Joe Ryan, '40, is our most recent sheepskin bound to seek his fortune in the West, hide from fame and seek fortune. We need 'em, and we're glad to see Joe officially off this month.

And Ed Wurtz can of Denver pulled a speedy by moving right into the president's office at N. D. when he wound up that M.A. work in Apologyges.

Mansfield, in his June 19 saga, had numerous other pieces of club news. As changed by the passing of three months, additional information meanwhile and the editor's typewriter they were substantially as follows:

Carrying on its tradition of super successful excursions to Notre Dame football games, the Denver Club will this year join a trip to the Southern Cal game at Los Angeles. At this writing the promotion for the journey is well under way in the whole Colorado area, directed by John Mansfield, as chairman with Tom Monihan, Bud Murphy, Joy Fairall, Jr., Bob Dick, Bart O'Hara and Ed Mansfield.

The club's annual scholarship dance was to be held on June 21, and, in the absence of a report to the contrary, probably was. The Broadmoor Country Club was the scene and Arthur L. Anderson, Jr., Ault, Colo., winner of the club's first scholarship to Notre Dame, was the guest of honor. Art is now a freshman in the College of Engineering. The club scholarship committee composed of Fred Gashurst, chairman, Charlie Haskell, Al Deeds and Bart O'Hara, did a grand job of selecting an outstanding boy.

The Catholic Action committee, composed of Gene Blakely, chairman, Jack Sheehan, Ed Oveme, Al Frantz and Al O'Meara, was trying to line up a Retreat for a N.D. group at Regis college, Denver. No report on that objective.

Bob Windrim, '40, is head coach at Abbey School, Canon City, Colo. George Chris, graduate student on the boxing team in the summer at a Denver community center.

DETROIT

Howard F. Buss, ex-36, 1120 Union Insurance Bldg., President; Malcolm F. Knapp, 24, 423 Curtis Bldg., Secretary.

In spite of short notice a well run outing dinner meeting of the new season at the Inter­

college Alumni Club Monday night, Sept. 16. Particularly heart warming was the appearance of so many 1940 graduates, namely, Jim Moore,
Bill McKenna, Jim Cleary, Larry Barrett, Bernie Murray, Al Koss and Jack Carran. We'll make every effort to hold their interest and induce regular attendance.

We have a few other newcomers to Detroit: Vic Schaeffer has moved here from New York City; Bert Bauer is here from Chicago and staying at the Royal Palms Hotel; Billy Sullivan, catcher for the Detroit Tigers, is here for what we all hope to be a long stay. Bill, when called upon, gave his usual frank answer. He said unmistakably that he wouldn't be able to see the opening football game, Oct. 5, because he expected to be playing in the World Series.

Ed Maheux, whose Top-in-a-Bee Inn at Mullet Lake is a noted vacation spot, attended with Howard Ellis. Ted Feldman wasn't feeling very well and left early. Larry Gerson lost at least 50 pounds, besides his appendix, this summer: all under the watchful eye of Dr. Neil Whalen. Art Crenin has shrunk to a mere 250 pounds.

Van Wallace and his father and Morrie Leahy were in from St. Clemens.

Friends of Dr. Harvey F. Brown will be glad to know that a new model, Sept. 12, named Dennis Michael. Our president, Howard Beeckman, is busy at work on trips and special trains and new plans for the immediate future. He has lots of ideas to turn over to the incoming officers. Frank McGinnis will be very glad to relinquish his post of vice-president so he can become acquainted with his family again which, incidentally, has grown to the respectable size of four daughters and four sons.

Jack Higgins, our able attorney, who did so much in guiding our Detroit club in its early youth, and who is now lending his experience as director of the Alumni Association, spoke in relation to our placement activity. Orchids to Johnny Brennan, our placement chairman, for his splendid, vigorous, successful work in finding jobs for our new crop of grads. He spoke highly of the state of employment for graduates, the satisfactory condition of the city, the growing opportunities for our Notre Dame men.

Jay "Biffy" Lee, whose outstanding work had so much to do with the success of Universal Notre Dame days, is impressively tall. He had a real message to give the men starting out in their network—advice based on his own wide experience.

Malcolm F. Knaas

GRAND RAPIDS

The Notre Dame Club of Grand Rapids held its first meeting this fall on Sept. 4 in the Pantlind Hotel with 30 present. The issuing of tickets for the Iowa game event was the principal business. The Rockne Memorial Fund will profit from the sale of tickets. We met many new men at the first meeting and hope to see them every month from now on.

We found that our president, Joe Boyland, is still selling insurance and is doing very well. Dan Lavin, who is one of the hardest working boys for the club, is still with the Allina Life Insurance Company and is also doing very well. Jay Dutmers is with the Arctic Ice Cream Company in Grand Rapids, in the sales department. He is selling more ice cream than the caf back at school. Joe Moore, a new member last fall, formerly of Detroit, is with the Detroit Ball Bearing Company.

Joe says that business is fine: he even has to work nights getting out all of his orders.

Arnold Lavandoski, a graduate of Notre Dame's Law School, is still one of the assistant prosecuting

ors and has been handling a number of cases in the prosecutor's office.

Bob Linsey

GREATER LOUISVILLE (Kentucky)
Louis J. Hollenbach, ex. '37, Glennie Distillery, Louisville, President; David W. Baird, ex. '37, 517 Cherokee Parkway, Louisville, Secretary.

The Notre Dame Club of Greater Louisville sponsored a dance on August 31 at the Gypsy Village and the turnout was very gratifying.

Some of the present students at the University attended, along with the club members and their guests.

The club is organizing a bowling league, composed of members only, consisting of six teams and bowling every Tuesday night from October until March. The club feels that only with this league provide healthful exercise for the members, but that they will come to know each other better.

David W. Baird

New in Notre Dame club activity, and most laudable, is the accomplishment of the Greater Louisville Club in supplying the entire membership of a conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

The formation of a St. Vincent de Paul conference in several parishes of a city is a new development in the United States. Conferences are usually parish units and usually confine their work to parish boundaries. In the case of St. Mary Magdalen's parish in Louisville, however, it was felt that, because of special financial problems, only a city-wide organization would suffice. The Notre Dame Club responded.

The St. Mary Magdalen conference is unique, it is believed, in having its entire membership drawn from a single organization. William A. Reisert, Jr. is president of the conference. Robert E. Wilke is vice-president, Marns J. Pope, secretary and Louis J. Hollenbach, Jr. is treasurer.

HARRISBURG, PA.
Joseph L. Rafter, '30, 508 Brooks Bldg., Scranton, Pa., President; John J. McNell, '23, 2329 Chestnut St., Secretary.

Things during the summer have been generally quiet since our club has adopted the policy of no meetings from June to September. But here's the word from Joe that there have been about the boys around here. Joseph L. Rafter, J.D., '30, resigned from his position as director of the State Library and Museum, State of Pennsylvania, so all the boys got together with the Villanova Club of which Doctor Rafter was also president and had a small testimonial dinner for him. We are all sorry to see him leave Harrisburg because without a doubt he was one of the most energetic workers who ever had built our organization to its present place in the group of alumni clubs in Pennsylvania.

The Notre Dame group had a small private meeting before the dinner and we discussed Bill Dooley's plans for student employment, all endorsing the idea roundly... and to top it off the next day, Ed Smith, '02, phoned that he had a job waiting for a graduate in his division of Harrisburg Steel, so Bob Klaiber, '35 left the ranks of unemployed graduates... We sincerely hope that we can do the same for each new graduate in this area.

Walter Lutz, ex. '33, Joe Farrell, '15, and the writer have again begun work on the Catholic Forum for the 1940-41 season and among the speakers already chosen to appear are Monsignor

Fulton Sheen, Malise Ward, Frank Sheed, Father Daniel Lord and two other prominent speakers yet to be chosen... We tried to get our Bishop O'Hara to appear but his new duties have been so pressing that he had to tend his regrets.

A new personnel list for the Harrisburg Club has just been completed and is in the mails to all men in this area... should any man reading this fall to receive a copy please contact us and wait with his oblige.

The theatre party will probably be held Oct. 11, a week after the original opening of the film in Scranton. Seconded press, is trying to get Ronald Reagan, who plays the part of George Gipp in the picture, for a personal appearance here for the occasion. Gus played football with Regan in high school in Dixon, III.

INDIANAPOLIS

Indianapolis Club plans for the fall include a theater party and dance in connection with the local showing of the Rockne film and a special train to the Iowa football game.

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A committee has been named to handle arrangements for the Iowa game, special, consisting of Harry Scott, Joe Aran, Alta, Bob Kirke, Tom Maheux, Fox Marx, Larry Sexton, George Biscus, Bill Fox, Jr., Curley Ash, Pat Fisher and Al Smith.

The special will leave Indianapolis via the New York Central at 8 a.m. the morning of the game and arrive in Sewickley, Pa., at 12 noon. It will leave Sewickley at 6 p.m. arriving back here at 10:30. The fee, $5.50, includes bus transportation to and from the stadium to the depot, ticket to the game, train fare and lunch.

Nestor Spencer has been named chairman of publicity for all Indianapolis club activities.

El Maheux

JOLIET, ILLINOIS
Clarence W. Wilhelmi, ex. '21, 509 Oneida St., Joliet. John J. McNell, Special, 301 Ruby St., Secretary.

A very successful picnic was held on June 24. About 40 members turned out.

Jimmy Martin of Collinsville, III., spent a week at home. Packey McFarland is now connected with the Bethlehem Steel Co., in Quinley, Mass.

Joe Adler and family had a very enjoyable trip on the Great Lakes last week of August. Clarence Wilhelmi and family spent Labor Day at the Canadian Soo. Joe Silk held a very pleasant vacation down in Quebec and Eastern Canada.

We welcome to our club Frank Gaglione, who is the new coach for basketball at Joliet Catholic High. Every success to him. Doc Mayer spent Labor Day down in Tinley Park. We extend our sympathy to Tom Feeley on the death of his mother.

Ed King

KANSAS CITY, (Missouri-Kansas)
John J. O'Connor, '34, 4133 Merriweather St., Kansas City, Mo., President; Norman M. Bures, '31, 33 North Rockwell Rd., Kansas City, Mo., Secretary.

Sept. 12, marked the first of the weekly lunches on Engleman's Balcony for the Fall season. The presence of a dozen members lent an encouraging note to the program.

Jim Murray, Joe Stewart, and Bob Tyler have been tearing up the back nine of the local golf course this summer. Rumor has it that Tyler is about to give up golf, pool, pitch, and bowling—
Pete Hess, '34, the old bandman, was here last spring at the convention of the National Catholic Education Association, representing one of the better book firms. Prof. Pat Manion of the College of Law, delivered the highlight speech of the convention.

Tom Moyhan, '21, was in those parts briefly in August, headed for Denver. Joe Holbach, '32, transferred here from Jersey City, is with the Air Reduction Co. Joe Beckman and Lou Alanem are now up in Iowa and Minnesota with Hall Brothers. Frank Been, '32, spent part of the summer down in Florida. No word has been received from John McGrath, '34, the Sedalia Boone, since that Ozark squirrel squealed.

Joe Waller, '35, formerly of Kansas City, is said to be on the Pacific coast with some aircraft firm. Hal Quinlan, '36, has been transferred to the Providence offices of the Employers' Liability Co. He will be missed here. Ed "Silent Smith" Manfield, the Rocky Mountain Tarheel, took in a ball game here in June with us, and spent eight innings explaining how 90 per cent of the learning comes from the Deep South. As he left town, he was conjuring up a plan to draw the DiMaggios from the Golden Gate to the bayous of Louisiana.

Charley Higgins, '34, like another Ashurst facing the future with some disinclination, by his primary desire to "a forsaken combination of Tories, open-range cattle interests, the beet sugar trust, and the Jim Crow issue." It would seem that we have a likely protege for Charley Michaelson.

Norman M. Bowes

LOS ANGELES

Charles S. Gas, '39, 1225 Citlana Nat'l Bank Bldg., Los Angeles, President; Martin Chelton, 2020 Demens Ave., W. Los Angeles, Secretary.

There was no meeting for June but our July meeting, held August 1, was very successful. Larry Moore was chairman. The arrangements were made for the party through Bill Cook and Joe Gallagher. We had about 100 members present. Fred Schulte, '97, represented the oldest class, but nearly all the years from then on were there. James H. Garvin and Joe Gallagher, '39, were re-elected for three years. Also on hand was Ed O'Toole from Chicago, who gives us lessons on placement. All three traveled from the Windy City to Milwaukee on the same ear of the train, and unconscious of it till they reached Milwaukee.

The atmosphere on the golf course was typically Notre Dame. Whops across the "mountain-high" hills indicated a birdie, a clean miss of the ball, or direct hit on another player. Foursomest joined togethe and whooped it up some. Charlie O'Neill, local director of placement, "plays better when thirsty" and came within the bogey limit by dint of hints from the club director of Chicago.

Lots of noise was heard when Gene Galahar's "Eagle" tried to hit the head and Harold W., recently married, was a winner in the private putting contest. Not all the noise came from bystanders when Jim Wheeler hit the pill. The ball, too, whistled. Low scores were on hand, but most of them went to men who were elected officers. Blind bogey winners were Bill Collins, Bill McCormick and the appointed scribe, yours truly.

The school spirit was highly evident at the dinner call. By this time the crowd had increased and two large tables hardly held the boys. United in song, something more than a00 of "Old Notre Dame" was recited, Bill Collins, class secretary, no free steaks went on the books. Non-political were the appearances of Attorney General John Martin, piloted for the night by John Roach. Rev. Earl O'Brien, a candidate for a county office.

Non-political, too, were the elections for club officers. Past president John Burke handled the club well during the year, adding a good deal of personal initiative. Declaring a third term, he saw "Sol" McCarron, a fullg rowm, nominated and unanimously elected. Bill Collins went in the old way, with two ballots per voter. John Clauder, perennial secretary and treasurer, was kept on till next year. Harvey Roache was re-elected as 40th class secretary, no free steaks went on the books. Non-political were the appearances of Attorney General John Martin, piloted for the night by John Roach. Rev. Earl O'Brien, a candidate for a county office.

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Our president, Harvey Rockwell, is that up-and-coming gentleman who did such a good job as secretary last year. He heads the photographic sales division of the Weston Electrical Instrument Corp. Judging by his enthusiastic work as secretary, we can expect him to make New Jersey thoroughly Notre Dame conscious during the next year.

George Wex, vice-president, hail's from Hauge- town. Has always been active in club affairs. Promises to break all precedents by being vice-president and not being the forgotten man.

Tom Tracey, treasurer, is the first officer in recent years to be re-elected. That fact speaks for itself. Tom promises that he will draw the purse-strings even tighter than they were last year. His June report showed a substantial betterment of club finances during his first term.

Past activities: The second annual day at the shore outing was held at the West End Casino, Asbury Park, on Saturday, June 23. Phil Hanke was chairman of the affair, and turned in a fine performance. About 150 couples were present, and no long faces were to be found in the crowd.

The 1940-41 season started off with a bang on Sept. 4, when we held our annual Freshman Welcome party at the Robert Treat. Commissioner Ralph Clark was there and gave us the things moving at a lively pace. Harvey Rockwell introduced each new student to the alumni and upperclassmen. He also devoted a few moments to an outline of plans for the year's activities. The campus club president gave the Freshmen a few words of fatherly advice regarding radiator rent, etc. We were fortunate in having two representatives of Notre Dame present, Father Gallagher, who analyzed Notre Dame campus life and offered advice on how to get the most out of it. The principal speaker was Bishop O'Hara, who took time from his ever increasing duties as spiritual director of Notre Dame men on the road to the real Notre Dame life. The club certainly owes a vote of thanks to Chairman Joe McGee for the thought of asking Bishop O'Hara to attend this
affair and to Bishop O'Hara himself for his inspiring talk.

Future: Plans are practically completed for the annual hard time dance, which will be held on October 26. At that time Pete Quinn's perennial job as chairman of the football ticket committee will be brought to a grand close for this year. President Rockwell has named committee chairmen for all the club activities scheduled for the year. These will be published in the first issue of the "Echo." Present plans are that as much as possible of the routine work of the club will be transferred onto committee sessions, with only final approval by the club will be necessary at the monthly meetings. This will allow the meetings themselves to be devoted more to ball-sessions than to business routine.

Bishop O'Hara has expressed his willingness to be our guest at another meeting some time in the future. This will give the many alumni who missed the freshman welcome a chance to renew their acquaintance with an old friend. Thanks, Bishop. We'll hold you to that promise some time.

The grapevine news service has had its lines of communications cut by vacations, and has little to report.

John Blanda is running for a seat in the assembly from Passaic county. Harry Gratton reports the jewelry business will probably keep busy for the "war" to get a chance to see any of them. Chairman Dan O'Neill and his constitution committee have held several sessions. Much twitching of the grapevine indicates that they have been hard at work. They promise to submit their results at a meeting soon.

Andy O'Keefe

NEW ORLEANS

Charles de la Vergne, '25, 1102 Maritime St., Secretary. 

October and the film life of Knute Rockne brought the club out of a long summer lull, with a dinner and a visit to the Saenger theater opening fall-winter activities. President Charles de la Vergne arranged the affair, and Vice President Val Le Blanc, a teammate of Rockne's in 1912, had a prominent part in it.

Nobody had much to report from the summer. Only Joe Drolla concentrated on fishing. Emil Telfel made a trip to his native Newark. Bill Dreux searched the local press in September with letter bemoaning the undue amount of publicity given Tulane football here.

Bill began, "The amount of eyewash and blarney which appears on the sports pages of "The Times-Picayune" during the football season is nothing short of stupendous. In comparison, Herr Goebbels' press conferences are pure reflections of the eternal truth." He then referred to a picture of a 177-pound Tulane guard with the caption, "another Metzger?" and noted that Bert Metzger never wore makeup while playing for Notre Dame. Mr. Dreux wound up, "We unfortunates in New Orleans who attended other universities go through harrowing days in the fall."

Bill was feeling all right, however, when last seen, reporting with Jules de la Vergne, Jack McCarthy and "里程碑" Sport nothing more harrowing than working for a living.

The club resumed its monthly luncheons on the first Mondays. 

Austin Boyle

NEW YORK CITY

Robert A. Hamilton, '28, 63 Wall St., President; Paul Mahaffie, ex. '35, C.Y.D., 455 So. Fourth Ave., Secretary.

FUTURE: The annual Army-Notre Dame Reunion and Rally on Friday night, Nov. 1, at 8 o'clock in the Commodore Hotel, which is next to the Grand Central Terminal. The grand ballroom will be used as a dozen adjacent rooms for individual class get-togethers. Dick Donohue is the general chairman.

Tickets, at $1.50 each, must be reserved in advance. Reservations, accompanied by remittances, are to be sent to Joseph G. Friel, Commodore Hotel, New York City. The $1.50 will pay for refreshments, entertainment and a dance.

The club will run a special train to Baltimore on Nov. 9 for the Navy game. A payment of $10 will include the round trip on a deluxe Pennsylvania train, as well as a ticket to the game. Reservations are to be made with Warren Vogel, Commodore Hotel. Railroad tickets good until Sunday night, Nov. 10.

The regular meeting on Oct. 27 will feature by the drawing of the Army ticket prizes—20 of them this year.

PAST: The freshmen send-off party on Sept. 5 in the Centre was a large success, according to Pres. Hamilton's note. More than 200 were present. Doug Bangert, '29 was chairman.

Forty-five, 20 more than last year, attended the club Retreat at Bishop Malloy Retreat House, Jamaica Estates. L. I. Rev. Cosmos Shaugnessy again conducted it, with Bishop O'Hara "sitting in." Bill Daunt did another fine job as chairman.

OREGON

Natt McDougall, Jr., '23, 45 S.W. First Ave., Portland, President; Edward J. Senger, '39, 8 N.E. Portland Blvd., Portland, Secretary.

New officers for the Notre Dame club of Oregon were named at a late-spring meeting held at the campus commons of University of Portland.

Natt McDougall, '24, one of the spring new-veds of 1940, was named president for 1940-41. Lee Shannon, '15, last year's secretary-treasurer, was chosen vice-president, and Ed Sandstrom, '39, was picked to fill the secretary-treasurer post.

Pictures of the 1929 Notre Dame grid season games were shown at the club session. Rev. John B. Delaney, C.S.C., of the University of Portland faculty, who had just returned from a trip east during which he stopped over at Notre Dame, gave a talk on new developments on the South Bend scene, bringing up to date some of the impressions harbored by old grinds who haven't been back there for a decade or two.

Harold Harrisick, last year's club president, was introduced this summer to Long Beach, Calif., where he becomes sales manager of the southern California branch of Foster and Kleiser, coast-wide advertising concern. Dom Cal- neur, Notre Dame athlete and producer of the 1922 film that continues to hold forth as one of the headmen of the local (Portland) Foster and Kleiser outfit.

Oregon club members are preparing to greet Rev. Charles Miltner, C.S.C., as incoming president of the University of Portland.

Art Estanovic, and Ed Sandstrom, both '39, are starting their second year on the Portland faculty in the biology department, respectively. Martin McLaughlin, who has now returned to Notre Dame to complete his two-year postgraduate course, spent the summer here teaching English in the school of nursing of University of Portland.

Robert Lee ("Matty") Mathews, '15, is starting his fourth season as head coach at University of Portland. Also playing a part in connection with the local school is Ed O'Meara, who received his master's degree from N.D. last June. He was elected president of Portland's alumni association last year, and is presently managing editor of the McNamnville "Telephone Register." Ed Sandstrom will double as secretary-treasurer this year, having been named to that post by the Portland alumni as well as the local N.D. grads.

Another newspaperman is Frank Lacwood, '38, who took over as present of news editor of the Newberg "Graphic" during the summer.

Carl Travers, '29, of Los Angeles, has been spending considerable time in the Portland vicinity lately, supervising the raising of the Bridge of the Gods across the Columbia river near Bonneville dam.

Ed Sandstrom

OKLAHOMA

Joseph A. LaFortune, ex. '18, Nat'l Bank of Tulsa Bldg., Tulsa, President; Carl J. Senger, '37, 1104 S. Cheyenne, Tulsa, Secretary.

Our president, Joseph A. LaFortune, and his wife, took a summer trip through the northern country. Leaving Tulsa on July 6, they visited such places as Seattle, Victoria, Vancouver, Princess Charlotte and Skagway, Alaska.

Marion J. Blake, vice-president of the club, was elected grand knight of the Knights of Columbus.

James M. Reidy, '32, married Margaret L. Flanagan on Sept. 7, in Chipp the Kinch champion, Tulsa. Jim and his bride honeymooned in New Orleans and at points along the Gulf of Mexico. Jim is employed by the Warren Petroleum corporation. His fellow employes gave him a grand start at the Tulsa Hotel a few days before the big event. Congratulations, Jim!

Bits from some of the members:

Frank Reidy, '37, spent his vacation at Lake Taneycomo in Missouri. Bill Conn, '37, is associated with Stanolind Oil and Gas company. Charles McNamara, '38, is associated with the Charles McNamara Boiler Works. John O'Herron, '37, is working for the Larkin Torpedo company, has been transferred to Midland, Texas—for a short time only, we hope. Lloyd Ward, '39, is in the oil business with his father and has turned out to be an oil scout of some note. Jim "Ollie" Powers, '32, roommate of Jim Reidy, '32, in Sorin Hall, visited in Tulsa this summer. Robert "Bob" Bodie, '37, travelling for the Bodie-Booer Oil company, has visited Tulsa several times this summer.

James W. Sherry, class of '14, has spent considerable time in the Dakotas. Joe McNulty, '37, won the Catholic Activities tennis tournament. Clay McMurray, '37, now a member of the Marines, spent a few days in Tulsa visiting his folks. Carl J. Senger, '37, was elected treasurer of the Knights of Columbus Council No. 1104.

Carl J. Senger

PEORIA

Robert E. Johnston, ex. '30, 400 N. University St., President; Harry M. Weakley, '37, 700 Smith St., Secretary.

At a dinner meeting held in the Peoria Notre Dame Club, held in May, the following members were elected: Ralph Johnsen, president; Vincent Riecke, vice-president; Harry M. Weakley, secretary and treasurer.

The club held its annual picnic at Dr. Ward's farm, Sunday, June 16, at which there was a good attendance. Those in charge of this affair were Carl Howry, chairman, assisted by John Carmody and Vincent Riecke.

At a dinner meeting held August 16 at the Endres Hotel, members of the club made plans to sponsor the Notre Dame-Illini special train from Peoria to Champaign for the Notre Dame-Illinois game, which is to be played at Champaign, Oct. 26. Don O'Meara is chairman for reservations for
this special and is being assisted by Ralph Johnat. Both are receiving splendid cooperation from the city officials and the Illini Club and the Notre Dame Club of Peoria. The fare is $5 and entitles one to a round trip and a good football ticket. We hope to sell about 400 railroad and football tickets.

At the same meeting in August, captains were appointed, and teams were formed, for the annual “ticket activity” sponsored each year by the club, the purpose of which is to help defray expenses arising from the establishment of a scholarship to Notre Dame. Each year the club sends from Peoria a boy or is thought worthy of receiving an education at Notre Dame. Our president has placed this year’s “ticket activity” on a much larger scale than in the past, and the members are expecting a considerable increase in returns.

Three new members, in the persons of John Brennan, Jim Variga, ’40, and John Hicinbothem, ’40, have made their appearance before the club. Brennan is living at 1175 Columbia Terrace, and is in charge of the local office of the Chicago-St. Louis Transfer Company, Jim Variga, 107 N. Glenwood, and John Hicinbothem, 108 N. Glenwood, are employed at the Caterpillar Tractor Company.

Among those receiving new positions are: Paul Winower, ’37, recently appointed city salesman for the Standard Oil Company in Peoria; and Jack King, ’37, who is now working here for the American Tobacco Company.

The local organization was deeply grieved at the death of Robert Rainey’s father and Vincent Rickey’s father.

On June 16, Robert Ward, of Chiliheothe, and Miss Elizabeth Hanes were married at the Log Chapel. Bob is now assistant state supervisor of the commodity program in Illinois, with headquarters in Chicago.

July 22, saw the marriage of Joe Timmerman, ’38, and Miss Genevieve Lane, in St. Bernard’s Church, Peoria. They are living at 917 Ellis street, Peoria. Incidentally, Joe is making great progress at his position in the office of the Keystone Steel and Wire Company.

We hope to see all members of the alumni, living in the vicinity of Peoria, on the Notre Dame-Illini special train, Oct. 26.

Harry M. Weakley

PHILADELPHIA

William A. A. Castellini, ’22, Franklin Institute, Parkway at 20th, President; E. Bradley Bailey, ex-’23, 260 S. Broad St., Secretary.

While pinch-hitting for that ball-of-fire scribe Ed Bailey, who has been laid low for the past few months (the hardships of the civilian City and good food) I stumbled on a few items, to wit:

Our precy, Bill Castellini, started the summer over for most of us with a trip that far exceeded the ambitions of all and sundry when he took us to the moon via the Franklin Institute planetarium.

Dutch Ridley jumped off the deep end a few weeks past and since then has been kept busy lining up guns to attend places and then fanning to show up himself. Ah! L’Amour, l’Amour!

We Farrington came down from Flessanville with Foler Bros. as engineer on the job at the local Navy Yard. Any mail may be sent him to the Walnut Park Plaza, 63rd and Walnut Sts. (Creditors, take notice.)

All of us mourn the death of John T. Neeson who passed away shortly over a week ago. John had been in ill health, after a breakdown, for over a year. Despite his handicap he seldom missed a meeting and his cheerfulness and spirit was a source of inspiration to us all. I’m sure that those who had the pleasure of his friendship will join with me in saying that his loss is irreparable.

Has anybody here seen Riley? Best of negative wishes for him from Joe Mahoney.

They tell me that Bill Nolan is mixing propaganda analyses with his chemicals.

Cliff Frodeli

Unemployment—as far as we can learn all Notre Dame men in this area walk up to the pay window every week—the total income may not be great but they are on their way. One big reason for this has been—Dan H. Young, ’22, (Remember Lieut. Dan, the S.A.T.C. days)—well, anyway—Dan is project manager of a $15,000,000. (Yes, six ciphers in that number) construction job for the Dry Docks Associates—who are building a dry dock (maybe its plural docks) at the Philadelphia Navy Yard ... same name as Cliff Frodeli—(chain letter Cliff) Walt Phillips and some others (names on request) are in key posts on the project.

Director of Public Works John H. Neesen has recently (again) been congratulated on the splendid work he has done by making the landing lanes of The Phila Airport equal to none other in the country.... so drop in and see us some time.

Good Pres. of our club Bill Castellini—we are told he was back on the campus this summer. not bad being public relations director of the famous Franklin Institute when they go away for a month just to see things—well that’s our Bill.

Clipper Smith of Villanova—president of the Monogram Club, too—he and Vince McNally have about as sweet a football club as there is in the East.

Joe Wackerman—has just landed a fine position with the Atlantic Refining Company (plug for a client). If I had space I’d like to tell you the fine things about Jim O’Donnell—Jim is with the Conn. General Life Ins. Co.—he’s doing a grand job—Jim was out at N.D. in ’13—played on the line.

Kel (Dr. Knaper) is one of our leading nose and throat men—the boys on the first floor of Badin back in ’22 and ’23 will remember Kel—how he used to roll ’em out.

The club’s looking forward to welcoming the lads who are coming to U. of P. Medical & Law or Jefferson Medical. under the leadership of Johnnie Kellerher, ’40, they should go somewhere. Did his dad and Mal Ely, ever get that discussion about the Purdue ’29 gift fund settled..... you know they took it up at the Monogram meeting in June.

Ed Bailey

ROCK RIVER VALLEY (Illinois)

John H. Cahill, ’33, 618 S. Galena Ave, Dixon, President; James E. Bailey, ’37, 915 W. Second St., Dixon, Secretary.

Club activities were suspended during the summer. We are those who had the opportunity of writing a few notes concerning the activities and accomplishments of the individual members of our club. As our space is limited we will endeavor to recognize all of our members throughout the year. This month Dixon takes the spotlight.

John Cahill, president of the Rock River Valley Club, spent a restless summer awaiting the day he became the father of a son, William Joseph, named after his grandfather “Bill,” a Notre Dame booster and for many years an honorary F.B.I.—John LctdMr. John Doemer and Bemie of the Class of ’40 have landed jobs with the Democratic County Central Committee, assistant chairman of the State Democratic Committee, and has recently been accorded the military honor of being appointed lieutenant colonel. He may be Texas bound this winter.

Next month our spotlight will shine on other cities.

James E. Bales

WASHINGTON, D. C.

William E. Jones, ’25, Dept.of Justice, Room 2242, Washington, President; Andrew A. White, ’24, 485 Sixth St., S.W., Washington, Secretary.

This being the last time for yours truly to send copy to the Alumni, I have decided to make it short and let the new incoming secretary tell you the gossip and all the doings of us Washingtonians. As far as I could learn three of the boys of the Class of ’40 have landed jobs with the F.B.I.—Jim Letcher, John Doemer and Bernie Swanson.

Our beloved president, Bill Jones, became a proud papa August 23—her name is Barbara. Bill decided to be different from most fathers and instead of just visiting his wife and taking care of the many things that one must do—with the wife in the hospital—he had to be rushed to the hospital, same one as his wife—for an appendicectomy. I think, being thrilled with the “little one,” he didn’t mind a bit sitting in the hospital.

In closing I would like to say that every member of the D.C. Club and many, many others were very sorry to hear of the sickness of Annrose O’Connell, and I am sure that all wish him a
Funa. At the meeting. "Warner Brothers had the proceeds of the show are for the Scholarsfiip picture and all expressed tbdr approval and supplied several still shots from scenes of the Pittsburgh preview of the Rockne picture and plans were announced by Al Diebold with regard down of formal club activities. But on lliursday, gratulations to all! Bin Andres has left Pitts­ and Bob ETmtaak, '39, all having joined the ranks anticipation for the picture itself.

Stanley Theatre in Pittsburgh. Hie feature is the new students and welcomed them into the N. D. About 38 were present and 12 new students were treasurer, made all plans and arrangements. Arrangements handled by Al Diebold. Jr., -Turk netted a nice amount for the Scholarship Fund. Plenty of food, etc, A splendid turnover enjoyed the customary hos­ pitality of the Diebolds. Plenty of food, etc, amusement and recreation for all. The assessment netted a nice amount for the Scholarship Fund. Arrangements handled by Al Diebold, Jr., -Turk Meier, Jack Monteverde and Tom Cronin.

July and August brought the customary let­down of formal club activities. But on Thursday, Sept. 5, in the P. A. A., a dinner was held to greet the new students leaving for Notre Dame. George Schill, president and Jack Monteverde, treasurer, made all plans and arrangements. About 38 were present and 12 new students were the guests of the club. The "pres" greeted the new students and welcomed them into the N. D. family.

A business meeting of the club followed and plans were announced by Al Diebold with regard to the benefit movie to be held Oct. 10 at the Stanley Theatre in Pittsburgh. The feature is the Pittsburgh preview of the Rokcme picture and the proceeds of the show are for the Scholarship FuGi. At the meeting, Warner Brothers had supplied several still shots from scenes of the picture and all expressed their approval and anticipation for the picture itself.

Just a few personals: Dan Cupid has been fairly active in the local alumni ranks—John B. Beardon, '22, Don Martin, '33, Ed Cosgrove, '34, and Bob Kratta4, '29, all having joined the ranks of the married during the past summer. Con­ gratulations to all! Bill Andres has left Pitts- burgh and is now in Morris, N. Y. where he has a position with the Lima Truck and Machine Co. Fred Freese, '40, is working in the chemical research department of the Allegheny­ Ludlum Steel Corp. in Brackenridge, Pa.

Your truly is still here in Tarentum and last week, Sept. 12, gave the Commencement Address to the graduating class of nurses at the Allegheny Valley hospital. I was talking to Gene Edwards, '27, recently. He is starting his ninth year as head coach at St. Vincent College. Latrobe, Pa. Gene, incidentally, received a very laudatory write-up recently in the Pittsburgh "Sun-Tele­ graph," in which he was being devoted to his accomplishments as head coach at St. Vincent's. Father Vince Brennan

GRADUATE NEWS
Robert J. Thomas, M.S., '37, Ph.D., '40, 231 W. 14th St., Wilmington, Del. has generously volun­teered to write for each issue personal news of those men who received at Notre Dame advanced degrees in any field He will welcome contributions of material. Bob says:

The Notre Dame men here in town are all looking forward to the coming football season. Annually a group of research men from the du Pont Company attended one of the leading football games in the East. This year the boys got busy and sold them on the Notre Dame-Navy game at Baltimore. There will be 159 rooters in the crowd. A good many of the boys are also planning on taking in the Army game at New York.

Recent additions to the Notre Dame group in Wilmington are Fcn Freening and Will Anzilotti, both of whom went to Jackson Labor­ tory. Dr. and Mrs. Freening are residing at 1504 Delaware Avenue, while Dr. and Mrs. Anzilotti are next door, at 1506. We understand that Dr. and Mrs. Anzilotti is co-author, with Brother Columba Curran, of a paper which is being presented at the Detroit meeting of the American Chemical Society this month.

It gives us great pleasure to report that Norbert F. Toussaint (B.S., '35, Ph.D., '40) and Mary L. Malley (Cornell '33) were married in August at the Notre Dame Chapel in Berkeley. The attendants were Joseph A. Toussaint, '32, of Evanston, Ill. (2204 Sherman Avenue) and Miss Anne O'Brien of State College. Norb and Mary are now at home at 1318 12th Street, Wilmington.

Rumor has penetrated along the grapevine that Jim McKenna (B.S., '36, Ph.D., '39) of Sharples Solvents Company, Wyndotte, Mich. was also married recently, but we have received no details.

Art Haus (Ph.D., '39) is now very much up in the air. It seems that he has become an aviation enthusiast and has several solo hours credited toward his private pilot's license. John Verbanc (Ph.D., '38) is sharing an apartment with Art and seems to be thriving on their home-cooking. John kept the waist line close to normal by playing a lot of softball for a local team this past summer.

The reputation for being the local authority on the war, the political situation, and the percentage of butter fat in the cream served by the various restaurants in town is enjoyed by Bert Young (Ph.D., '36). Bert is now one of du Pont's specialists in the anthraquinone field. Incidentally, he narrowly escaped serious injury when his car collided recently with another as he was returning from his vacation.

What's behind the story about Jack Lorites (Ph.D., '39) doing so much travelling between Philadelphia and South Bend. Jack is affiliated with the Resinous Products Company in Philly. Al Kolka (Ph.D., '39) and Charlie O'Boyle (Ph.D., '39) are with National Aniline in Buffalo. It is reported here in Wilmington that Al has fallen under the spell of Niagara Falls. Ed Bried (Ph.D., '38) is now in Wilmington with the Hercules Powder Co.

ANOTHER YEAR, MAYBE
Notre Dame students, as all college men are doing, view with much interest that section of the Burke-Wadsworth Selective Service Act which defers the conscription of collegians until next summer. At his own request, the student who has entered a regular course for the 1940 schoolyear, may postpone enlisting for compulsory service until July 1, 1941, or until the end of the present academic year. President Roosevelt has advised that it is the students' patriotic duty "to continue the normal course of their education, unless and until they are called . . ."

ARMY- NOTRE DAME REUNION AND RALLY
sponsored by the Notre Dame Club of New York City in the Commodore Hotel 42nd Street and Lexington Avenue (Next to Grand Central Terminal)
on Friday, November 1, at 8 P. M.
The Grand Ballroom and entire Grand Ballroom floor will be used. Classes will have their reunions in separate rooms as follows:
Parlor B — Classes up to 1920 Parlor E — 1933 - 1936
" C — 1921 - 1926 " F — 1937 - 1939
" D — 1927 - 1932 " G — 1940 and undergraduates
Tickets, $1.50 per person (to include entertainment, refreshments and dancing). Tickets available only by reservation in advance. Send application, with remittances, to Joseph G. Friel, '29, Commodore Hotel, New York City.
(This sermon is printed here, not only because of its own high worth and its tribute to a distinctively devoted Notre Dame man, but as a significant, if unintended, commentary on the lives of other devoted Notre Dame men who have gone to death in the past three months. Perhaps no other such brief period in Notre Dame history has taken from her so many men who lived for her and with her. Father Hammer, administrator of St. Catherine’s Church, Pelham, N. Y., close friend of Father Shea, is a brother of Justice Ernest E. L. Hammer, ‘04, and Thomas A. Hammer, ‘06, both of New York City.—Eds.)

He wrote a Victory March—this cherished priest friend of ours, out of affection for whom we are gathered here before God’s altar to offer up the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass and our prayers for the eternal repose of his soul. It was a long time ago as human time is reckoned, back at the turn of the century when a great Catholic midwestern university was in the initial stages of a most remarkable period of expansion and turning its face towards new heights of educational progress and prestige. Michael John Shea, a youth from Holyoke, Massachusetts, was a student in the Department of Arts at the University of Notre Dame. He was one of a group of five hundred, but was distinguished among that group for his piety, his high intellectual gifts, his attractive personality, and his ardent love of music.

Something of the Dreamer

There was something of the dreamer and the mystic about this round-faced, deep-eyed youth who was seen so often seeking the solitude of the sunny lakeside or the quiet of the chapel or browsing among the books in the college library or letting his fingers idly glide over the keys of the organ in the loft above, where the students’ choir sang. In a sense Mike Shea was a strange youth—but strange only because the exceptional spiritual gifts of his make-up placed him upon an eminence a little higher than that of the young men who surrounded him. Whatever he did, he did exceptionally well. In the lecture hall, in the classroom, on the athletic field, in the forum of debate, in the music room, on the campus, he was a leader of his fellows. He, more than any other student of his time, caught in his soul that indefinable, but inspirational something which has become celebrated all throughout the nation and euphoniously characterized as “The Spirit of Notre Dame.” And to him it was given to interpret in musical language, that will live as long as America lives and the golden dome of the great University stands, the courage and intrepidity of the University’s founders, the struggle, sacrifices and determination of its past, the forward marching of its present, the glory of its yet more glorious future. He wrote the music of the famed Notre Dame Victory March.

And now by appropriate thought of the faculty of the University, when this funeral Mass is finished, they will reverently carry his body back and bury it on the campus in the shadow of the dome which he loved so well as a student, and to which he has been devoted throughout all the days of his priesthood.

Keynote of His Life

It may seem strange to some that on this occasion, when a very distinguished priest of the Archdiocése, a man whose priesthood and priestly labor are an inspiration for all who glory in the spiritual preeminence of the Church of Christ, lies dead—that in bidding farewell to him and paying a verbal tribute of respect to his memory, we should single out an incident of his far away student days at college and direct so much attention to it. But strange as it may seem, that incident of his college days is the very keynote of the entire life of one of New York’s most distinguished priests. The life of man from cradle to grave is a march. And as he lived his life—a life dedicated to service to his fellow-man and consecrated to the glory of his God—he wrote, a victory march.

There is victory—is there not?—in this humanly untimely death of his. Humanly speaking the span of man’s earthly life is three score years and ten. Death has struck him down at the comparatively early age of 55, after only two years of labor as pastor of this splendid parish, which he loved so dearly and which was just beginning to reap the fruits of his industry and spiritual enterprise. But I speak truthfully when I say that, though his early and sudden death is a shock, it can, in no sense of the word, be regarded as a tragedy. Death is a tragedy only when they die who have not lived well. For the priest of God, whether he views the imminence of his own death or the passing from life of one who shared with him the office of the Eternal Priest—the word death has only one meaning. It means victory, and if death comes soon, it is quick earned victory. To use the words of one of our poet priests, “It is stolen ecstasy.”

The dirge of the organ at a funeral Mass is earth’s faint echo of that hymn of triumph which the angels are chanting before the throne of the great High Priest. And the tolling of the church bells proclaims the triumphant entry of a new soul in Heaven’s court of victory. Was it not impressed with such thoughts that the Great Apostle Paul cried out, “O, death where is thy victory.” Death has no victory. The triumph is not the triumph of death—it is the triumph of the dead. It is the victory of the man who dies. For while we live here we never achieve complete victory. There are little successes along the road, achievements that win the plaudits of men and the approval, at times, of the all-perfect God. But the innermost recesses of the bosom of God is our objective. Only when we reach there will His Arms embrace us and His Hands press upon our brows the laurel wreath indicative of true victory.

Grief and Sadness

We know that the passing of our friends and loved ones from this world, whether they be priests or lay persons, occasions natural grief and sadness. There is always loneliness and desolation in our heart as we miss the familiar goodness of their presence, the warmth and affection of their smiles; but our consolation is always the thought of their everlasting security, the surrenders of their unqualified victory. Father Shea in Heaven with God today has written a new victory march, the story of his own sacerdotal triumph. And we can well imagine that, in that glorious abode...
where *Te Deums* are the angelic exclama-
tions of the seraphs and where music is
the language of the blessed, this choir-
master priest of ours is supremely at
home, his soul attuned to the crescendos
of that mighty organ which is ceaselessly
pealing forth the victory march of the
elect of Jesus Christ.

Father Shea's life was a victory
march. You will pardon me, I am sure,
for injecting a personal note on this
occasion. I knew him well over a long
period of years. I first met him during
his student days at Notre Dame, where
he was a classmate of my brother and
a frequent visitor at my father's home.
His genial smile radiated friendliness.
Later we were Seminarians together at
Dunwoodie where I was honored with
his friendship.

I stood near him on that June day in
1912 when he was raised to the dignity
of the Holy Priesthood before the high
altar of St. Patrick's Cathedral, where
afterwards he was to serve as an assis-
ant to the revered and lamented Mon-
signor Lavelle through a year of dis-
tinguished and zealous parochial service.
Prepared by the study of music in Rome
and by a visit to the Monastery of the
Monks of St. Pierre Solemes, he was in
a very special manner qualified to assume
the duties also of assistant organist and
choir director at the Cathedral until his
late Eminence, Cardinal Farley, recog-
nizing his great musical talent, appoint-
ted him to direct the choral work at St.
Joseph's Seminary and to assume the
important tasks of training the Semin-
arians in ecclesiastical chant.

**Composer of Music**

During 24 years of zealous professor-
ial labor at the the Seminary, though he
taught successively, apologetics, dogmatic
theology and music, he found time to compose
many Masses, motets and hymns, the best known of which the
"Hymn to the Blessed Sacrament," is
used at Benediction service in many of
our parish churches and religious houses.

Father Shea's salutary influence on
the young men preparing for their Holy
Priesthood is one of the brightest tra-
ditions in the annals of Dunwoodie.
Genial, always approachable, spiritual to
an eminent degree, gifted with super-
latively prudence and a keen sense of
humor, and intensely devoted to the high-
est ideals of priestly vocation, he was
spiritual father, guide, and mentor to
hundreds of seminarians and young
priests. The friendships he made at the
seminary were lasting as they were help-
ful. Many of the younger priests of the
diocese sought him out during the early
and trying days of their priesthood to
obtain from him never-failing encour-
gement inspiration, and advice. Only last
May at a Confirmation service held in
his parish church, the first confirmation
held under the pastorate of Father Shea,
it was widely remarked that the visiting
priests on the occasion were mostly of
the junior clergy, a circumstance which
he, himself, noted as with a voice that
choked with emotion and gratitude he
thanked them for their devotion to him.

**Ambition to Be a Pastor**

Father Shea's long ambition to become
a pastor, in order that he might more
directly come in contact with God's peo-
ple and share with them the goodness
of his great human heart and the spiritu-
ral gifts of his priesthood, was after
more than 20 years of devoted and ef-
fective seminary work at last realized.
Two short years ago, in the springtime
of the year 1938, he left Dunwoodie to
assume parochial charge of this beauti-
ful parish of St. Augustine at Ossining.
The last phase of his victory march had
begun. You people of this parish whose
heavy hearts beat in saddened tempo
today as you kneel to say your prayers
at this funeral Mass, your hearts can
tell, far more eloquently than my poor
words can describe, how bravely, how
affectionately, how splendidly he entered
upon it.

He was a very sick man when he came
here. The beginnings of his fatal illness
were upon him. Yet, how valiantly he
labored for you and the interests of your
souls. Work which even a well man might
have hesitated to begin he fearlessly
undertook. Organizing, directing, daily
administering the material interests of
the parish, offering Holy Mass, giving
the Sacraments, visiting the sick, con-
soling the afflicted, looking after the
wants of the poor, instructing the chil-
dren—a Good Shepherd, indeed, whose
only interest was the care of you, his
flock.

How proud of you he was and of your
children! I can see him now, as so
recently he stood before me, his face all
wreathed in a lovely benedict smile, and
he told me of your wonderful dedica-
tion to the Sacred Heart, the vast num-
ber of your first Friday Communions,
your frequent visits to the Blessed
Sacrament. This was his favorite devo-
tion—devotion to the Blessed Sacrament.
For his greatest love was Christ and, I
dare say, the greatest consolation of his
priestly life was the response which you,
his children, gave to his teaching that
Christ should be your greatest love also
and that you should manifest it by your
devotion to Him in the Sacrament of his
love.

So the victory march of this beloved
priest of ours is ended. He has gone to
God to receive the well-earned fruits of
it. "Too soon for him to go," some will
say, who think of his comparative youth,
his remarkable talents, and their own
expectations of him. But not, surely not
too soon for him to go who hears God's
voice calling his name, and, looking up
to heaven, sees God's angels awaiting his coming. Was it not
during the octave of the feast of the
death and glorious Assumption into
Heaven of Christ's own mother that he
died? How fortunate that he of the
"Victory March" should go then, go on
to God, his hand in hers, who is the
indomitable Lady of Victory.

A short while now and the warmth of
our August days will give place to the
cool, fresh winds of late September, and
brown leaves will fall unchecked from
many of the trees through the months of
October and early November. Autumn
will be our brief guest before the snows
of winter fall. Thunderous crowds will
gather in great stadia through the na-
tion to attend the intercollegiate football
contests. Bands will play and pennants
wave and through the radios in many of
your homes will come the triumphant
strains of a long familiar tune. You will
pause and listen and say, "It is the
'Victory March.' It is Father Shea's
'Victory March.' May it remind you then
to pray for the soul of him whose
memory shall forever be held in
remembrance. May it ever remind you for your edification
how well he lived his Christian life
and so marched on to eternal victory.

**Deaths**

*Dr. Rudolph J. Mass, Houghton, Mich., a student at Notre Dame in 1874-76, is apparently dead, according to a recent postoffice notification.*

*John T. Neesen, Philadelphia, a Notre Dame student in 1863-64, died in early September. In all health for more than a year, Mr. Neesen con-
cluded nevertheless his regular attendance at the
functions of the Notre Dame Club of Philadelphia.
He was one of the most faithful members of that
faithful group.*

*Very Rev. James A. Burns, C.S.C., assistant
superior general of the Congregation of Holy
Cross and president of the University from 1919
to 1922, died in St. Joseph's hospital, South Bend,
on Sept. 9. He was 73.*

Father Burns is survived by a brother, William F. Burns, of Michigan City, father of Hugh Burns,
179.

*Father Burns was buried on Sept. 12 at Notre
Dame. The opening of classes, scheduled for Sept.
12, was postponed one day out of respect to him.*

*The solemn requiem Mass in Sacred Heart
Church was chanted by Very Rev. Albert F.
Cousineau, C.S.C., of Notre Dame, superior gen-
eral of the Congregation of Holy Cross, with two
provincials of the order, Rev. Thomas A. Stein-
er, C.S.C., and Rev. Jules Poitras, C.S.C., of Mon-
treal, Canada, serving as deacon and subdeacon.
Rev. William R. Conner, C.S.C., was master of
ceremonies. In the sanctuary were members of
the hierarchy and clergy who had come from all
parts of the United States.*


A group of the brothers of the Congregation of Holy Cross were seated in Sacred Heart church to pay final respect to their former superior. Members of the University Board of Lay Trustees present for the funeral were Byron V. Kanasek, of Chicago; C. Roy McCanna, Burlington, Wis.; Edward J. Doyle, Chicago, and Frank E. Berling, South Bend. Faculty members, students, many alumni and friends of Father Burns crowded the church.


Rev. Patrick J. Carroll, C.S.C., editor of "The Ave Maria," in his eulogy recounted the accomplishments of Father Burns as a priest, as president of the University, as provincial of the order, and as its assistant superior general.

"He was a priest by calling and a priest by essence," he said. "He thought, spoke, and lived the priestly life. He was interested in the things in religion and in education, and he considered education as a means of culture. Father Burns' organization of the Catholic Educational association was not only daring but heroic. He always bore himself in an even temper whatever the problems."

Father Carroll spoke of the sympathy and understanding of Father Burns and said:

"He brought a fine understanding to his every friendship; he was a great friend when a friend was needed."

Bishop Noll administered the final blessing in the church, assisted by Rev. J. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., president of the University, and Rev. Kermit H. Kellogg, C.S.C., first assistant provincial of the Congregation of Holy Cross. The body was borne to the Community cemetery where it was laid to rest, Rev. Thomas A. Steiner, C.S.C., United States provincial of the order, read prayers at the grave.

A native of Indiana, Father Burns was born in Michigan City, Feb. 13, 1867, of Irish stock. He entered Notre Dame as a student in 1884 and was made a member of the four years' course there. He graduated in 1888 with a bachelor of arts degree and immediately entered Holy Cross seminary to prepare for the priesthood.

The University awarded Father Burns a master of arts degree in 1894. He was graduated from Catholic university in Washington, D. C., in 1897, with a Ph.D. degree, and in 1917 Notre Dame awarded him an L.L.D. degree. After making his novitiate, served two years as prefect and four years as rector of Sorin hall.

In 1898 he was named superior of the Community House at Notre Dame, and two years later was made superior and president of Holy Cross college at Washington, D. C. He served there until 1927 when he was recalled here to become president of Notre Dame. He held that position until 1922.

For five years following 1922 Father Burns, while teaching at Holy Cross college, was director of the Notre Dame expansion and endowment program. Life was a powerful influence in shaping plans for the "greater Notre Dame."

In May, 1927, Father Burns was appointed provincial of the Holy Cross order in the United States, which gave him jurisdiction over all members of the order in this country. In 1932 he was reappointed superior of the Holy Cross order.

Rev. James A. Burns, C.S.C., '88, when the international general chapter of the congregation met at Notre Dame. In 1938 he was made assistant superior general of the order.

Father Burns had been vice-president of the Catholic Educational association since its founding in 1894, and was influential in moulding educational methods in Catholic colleges and schools. He was the author of several books of an educational character. His first, written in 1908, was "Principles, Origin and Establishment of the Catholic School System." In 1912 he wrote "Growth and Development of the Catholic School System," and in 1917 "Catholic Education—a Study of Conditions."

One of the most beloved and most widely known members of the Congregation of Holy Cross, Father Burns was bound by more intimate ties to several generations of students and alumni of the University. His death, although it followed a long illness, was a decided shock to thousands, and shortly after announcement of his passing messages of sorrow began pouring into the University offices.

To incoming students who saw the campus flag at half mast as they arrived, the word of Father Burns' death dimmed the picture of the beginning of another school year.

To older graduates he is remembered as one of the University's outstanding baseball players. In the years 1896 to 1898 he was catcher for the varsity team in the days when gloves, masks and chest protectors were not considered "manly."

With the passing years his interest in sports did not diminish, and for the last 20 years Father Burns attended baseball and football games on the campus whenever possible. In late years he was always assigned a seat in the press box of the football stadium where he would be protected from the weather and could converse with experts concerning the games.

While playing with the varsity baseball team, Father Burns frequently accepted invitations to play with the old South Bend Green Stockings professional baseball team. It has been explained in that connection that his years with Notre Dame sports were before the era of rigid regulation of collegiate athletics.

Father Burns was an inveterate walker, and his slim and stately figure was familiar to students and faculty as he moved along the shaded paths of the campus. During those walks it was a favorable diversion with him to draw undergraduate students into conversation. Frequently he directed them toward athletic practice fields where he listened attentively while they "explained" to him the games with which he was already so familiar.

Rev. J. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., president, paid eloquent tribute to the work of Father Burns as priest, educator and administrator. Father O'Donnell's statement follows:

"Death has taken from the ranks of the Congregation of Holy Cross another distinguished member in the person of Father James A. Burns, priestly priest and eminent churchman."

"In a quiet, self-effacing manner he contributed much to the development of both the Congregation and Notre Dame. As president he exercised a profound influence on the academic life of the University in the organization of the division of graduate studies and their subsequent scholarly research. The direction of the endowment campaign and the formation of the associate Board of Lay trustees were due to the vision and the assistance he rendered the administration. Even later at provincial, he still retained an interest in all activities of the University."

"He was a charter member of the National Catholic Educational association, and helped materially in making it an influential factor in the various positions he held, was always ready to lend support to patriotic movements. Moreover, his friends in South Bend will remember him for his participation in civic affairs and for his generous contribution in maintaining friendly relations between the city and University."

"The campus will miss his gracious personality, as will the host of alumni and students who had known and revered him for his deep spirituality, his scholarly attainments and his abiding love for fellowman."

"May he rest in peace after a full life of service to God and country!"

Thomas A. McKey, A.B., '08, LL.B., '00, died on August 20 in Owensboro, Ky. A note from his family on August 21 brought brief word of his death.

An "Alumnus" returned with a "deceased" notification in the Alumni Office's only information on the death of William J. McNichols, Chicago, a student in 1899.

Also from the postoffice comes word of the death of Dr. L. R. Van Saat, of Pooria, Ill., a student within the 1895-1901 period.

William J. O'Connor, A.B., '01, Louisville, is also dead. Details of his death are unfortunately missing in the Alumni Office.

Arthur C. Best, Milwaukee, a student in 1901-08, president of A.C. Best & Company investment securities firm in Milwaukee, died unexpectedly on July 22. Mr. Best was a leader in Milwaukee financial and social circles and a prominent clubman. His wife, four daughters and two sons, as well as his mother and a brother, survive.

The Rev. Michael J. Shea, '04, pastor of St. Augustine's Church, Oslingan, N. Y., and author of the music of Notre Dame's famous "Victory March," died of a heart attack at the St. Augustine's rectory on Aug. 19. He was 55 years old.
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Father Shea, who was a member of the faculty of St. Joseph's Seminary, Dunwoodie, N. Y., for 22 years prior to his appointment to the pastorate of St. Augustine's, taught at Notre Dame for five years following his graduation. He resigned his position here in 1909 to study for the priesthood at St. Joseph's Seminary, and was ordained June 1, 1912.

He served as an assistant at St. Patrick's Cathedral, New York City, for a year and a half after his ordination, and then took special courses in plainsong chant under the Benedictines on the Isle of Wight and at the Pontifical School of

Plain Chant in Rome. Returning to New York in the summer of 1915, he was appointed to teach junior philosophy and to direct the plainsong chant at Dunwoodie. Later he was professor of dogmatic theology at the seminary, and at the time of his appointment to the pastorate of St. Augustine's Church on June 4, 1928, was head of the archbishop's commission of Church Music.

Funeral services for Father Shea were conducted at the Church of St. Augustine, on Aug. 21 and 22. The Divine Office was chanted at 8 o'clock on Wednesday evening, and a Solemn Mass of Requiem, at which His Excellency the Most Rev. Francis J. Spellman, Archbishop of New York, presided, was celebrated by the Rev. Ereclo J. Rosati, pastor of St. Patrick's Old Cathedral, Manhattan, on Thursday morning at 11 o'clock.

Assisting Father Rosati at the Mass were the Very Rev. James M. Drought, M. M., treasurer, Catholic Foreign Mission Society of America, Maryknoll, as deacon, and the Rev. Daniel F. O'Sullivan, assistant at the Church of the Incarnation, Manhattan, as sub-deacon. The Rev. Henry F. Hamer, administrator of St. Catherine's Church, Pella, delivered the eulogy, which is printed in this issue of the "Alumnus." Representing Notre Dame at the Mass were the following priests of the Congregation of Holy Cross: Rev. George Marr, Rev. James Gallagan, Rev. Thomas P. Irving, C.S.C., of Notre Dame, assisting. Burial was in the community cemetery on the campus. An honorary guard of honor, accompanying the body from the train to the church and to the cemetery, was composed of members of the St. Joseph Valley Notre Dame Club.

Special permission was received from the Rev. Thomas A. Steiner, C.S.C., Provincial of the Congregation of Holy Cross, for burial of Father Shea at the University.

Funeral rites were conducted in Sacred Heart church on the campus on Aug. 25.

On its arrival in South Bend the casket was draped with a Notre Dame monogram blanket, signifying Father Shea's membership in the Monogram Club, an honor awarded in 1935 in tribute to his authorship of the battle song of the Fighting Irish. Flags on the campus were at half staff until after the funeral ceremonies.

The services were conducted by Most Rev. John F. O'Hara, C.S.C., D.D., with Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., president of the University, and Rev. Thomas P. Irving, C.S.C., of Notre Dame, assisting. Burial was in the community cemetery on the campus. An honorary guard of honor, accompanying the body from the train to the church and to the cemetery, was composed of members of the St. Joseph Valley Notre Dame Club.

Oscar A. Fox, LL.B., '07, for many years one of the most prominent citizens of Fort Wayne, Ind., and a brother of Robert L. Fox, '01, of Denver, died in Fort Wayne on Sept. 13 after an illness dating back to last March, when he was stricken in Buenos Aires, Brazil.

Mr. Fox was president and manager of the Kunkel Valve Company, Fort Wayne, and he participated actively in the affairs of many other business organizations in the city. A fourth degree member of the Knights of Columbus, he was a leader in the campaign which resulted in the city's magnificent Catholic Community Center. He was a charter member of St. John the Baptised Church, from which he was buried on Sept. 16.

Surviving Mr. Fox in his immediate family are his wife, two daughters and two sons. The late Mrs. Charles M. Niezer, wife of Charles Niezer, '97, was his sister.

William Anthony McGaur, Beverly Hills, Calif., a student at Notre Dame in 1909-10, died on Sept. 16 of a kidney ailment. The writer of several of the stage musicals which brought fame to Flo Ziegfeld, Mr. McGaur was also noted as a scenario writer. His "I, Great Ziegfeld" won the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences award for 1936 and his "I'llian Russell" was later favorably received.

A native of Chicago, Mr. McGaur was buried there. His wife, three sisters and a brother survive him.

William M. Donahue, M.E., '14, died in St. Vincent's hospital, Indianapolis, in June. Mr. Donahue was connected with the Ford Roofing Products Company of Chicago and lived at 4625 Boudinol Place, Indianapolis. He was ill but a few days and was operated on shortly before his death.

Theodore F. MacManus, L.L.D., '17, former governor of Indiana and founder of the Goodrich-Cavanaugh Foundation at Notre Dame, died on August 15 in Winchester, Ind., after a brief illness. He was 76 years old.

Mr. MacManus was governor from 1917 to 1921, within the period of the first World War. Father John W. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., president of Notre Dame until 1919, was a member of the extraordinary commission organized within the state during the War to deal with emergency measures. A fast friendship developed between the two men and, in admiration of Father Cavanaugh's principles of Americanism and his gift of oratory, Mr. MacManus established at the University in 1925, a Foundation.

For the present, the Foundation, capitalized a year ago at $5,046, will provide prizes for an oratorical contest to be held each year among the students on the fundamentals of American government. Later, when the principal of the
fund has doubled, the nature of the incentive may be changed, but the objects of Americanism and oratory must remain.

Although he retained an active interest in Republican politics and was a delegate to the Republican National Convention in 1916, Mr. Lindeman devoted most of his later years to philanthropy. He went to Russia in 1921 as a member of the relief commission headed by former President Herbert Hoover.

Dr. William A. O'Brien, Jr., A.B. '28, of Passaic, N.J., died on July 12 after a seven weeks' illness with a blood stream infection. Surviving him are his wife and two daughters.

After leaving Notre Dame in '28, Bill took a two-year pre-med course at Columbia before entering the University of Maryland Medical School. He received his M.D. in 1936 and followed with two years of internship and six months as a resident hospital physician. For the past two years Bill had been the associate of Dr. Eloy W. Smith in skin and urological work.

Rev. William B. Martin, LL.D., '28, pastor of Holy Family Church, New Rochelle, N.Y., long a devoted and enthusiastic friend of Notre Dame and of innumerable Notre Dame men, died in Boston on July 3. Father Martin was 63 years old and had been 39 years a priest.

Brother Terence, C.S.C., B.S., '35, M.S., '37, teacher of mathematics and science in Holy Trinity High school, Chicago, died suddenly on July 13 at Notre Dame, Born in New York City on Jan. 3, 1907 as John Smith, Brother Terence entered the Congregation of Holy Cross in 1928 and was professed four years later. He taught for a year in Central Catholic High school, South Bend, before his transfer to Chicago in 1938.

Richard F. Lesby, B.C.S., '33, of Minneapolis, was killed on August 3 in an auto accident while he was on a route to Yellowcreek Park. Details of Dick's tragic accident are unfortunately missing in the Alumni Office.


John J. Kohn, A.B. '39, New York City, died on June 15. Only meager information, in addition to the date of his death, has reached the Alumni Office concerning him. Vincent DeCourtye, secretary of the class of '39, reports that John had been ill much of last winter and spring, that his heart had been affected in consequence and that an attack of pneumonia had been too much at the end.

Brother Sabina, C.S.C. and Brother Casair, C.S.C., were killed and three other C.S.C. brothers were seriously injured on August 24 when the delivery truck in which they were riding collided with another truck loaded with sheep. The accident occurred six miles north of Marcellus, Mich. as the brothers were delivering supplies to the Congregation's camp at Bankson Lake, Lawton, Mich.

The brothers injured were Brother Ladislaus, Brother Eustace and Brother Valerio. Brother Ladislaus was for a time in a critical condition, but is now apparently recovering.

* The deceased brothers were buried in a double funeral ceremony in Sacred Heart Church on the campus on August 27.

Michael F. Gerten, former Municipal Court judge and Austrian consul general in Chicago, died there on July 26 after collapsing while walking in the central business district. He was unmarried. He had for many years been a faithful member of the Alumni Association.

Burton Scheib, '57, for several years a teacher of agricultural subjects in the University, died on July 29 in South Bend. For the past 18 years, Mr. Schelb had been a representative in the South Bend area of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York.

The "Alumni" extends sincere sympathy to John L. Heineinan, '48, L.L.D., '33, upon the death of his wife and to C. William, '29, and George A. Heineinan, '30, upon the death of their mother; John W., '12, Edward W., ex. '10, and Dr. Joseph Costello, '12, upon the death of their father; Arthur R., '15, Frederick L., '32, James E., '23, and Michael Carmody, '15, upon the death of their mother; Louis F. Keifer, '15, upon the death of his father; John Welsend, ex. '23, upon the death of his father; John G. Adams, '26, upon the death of his father; Robert A. Hamilton, '23, upon the death of his father; Terence J. Dillon, '23, upon the death of his mother; William W. Leslie, '26, and Edward D. Raddatz, '25, upon the death of their father; Philip H. Kirby, '35, upon the death of his father; Thomas F. Gorman, '36, upon the death of his father; Charles S. Fittsimeas, '28, upon the death of his mother; Frank Ganter, '40, upon the death of his mother.

Engagements

Miss Genevieve Foeney and James E. Fagan, '34, of Newark, N.J.

Miss Marion Frances McRedmond and J. Walter Kennedy, '34, of New York City.

Miss Germaine Thilman and Henry E. Dender, '35, of Philadelphia.

Miss Mary Dugan and Frederick C. Gast, '37, of Grand Rapids, Mich.

Miss Ellen Jean Groth and John D. Thomas, '38, of Chicago.

Miss Leah Mae White and Robert J. Gallagher, '39, of Coraopolis, Pa.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mahafer, '17, announce the birth of a son, Frederic Thomas, on July 28, in Indianapolis.

A son, James Edward, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Theodore J. Barry, '25, on August 27, in South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Don G. Miller, '25, announce the birth of a daughter, on August 28, in Cleveland.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. William F. Schenck, '25, on August 7, in South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Probst, '26, announce the birth of a son, on June 5, in South Bend.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Byrne, '28, of Shaker Heights, Ohio.

A son Eugene Francis, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Francis F. Seawey, '30, on August 14, in Upper Darby, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin W. Downey, '31, announce the birth of a son, Martin James, on July 12, in Chicago.

Dr. and Mrs. Theodore C. Gratzewsky, '21, announce the birth of a daughter, on August 11, in South Bend.

A son was born to Dr. and Mrs. Myron E. Crawford, '32, on July 28, in Lakewood, Ohio.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fabrycki, '32, on July 12, in South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis M. Marley, '22, announce the birth of a son, William Edward, on August 6, in Fort Ostita, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee V. McLanahan, '32, announce the birth of a son, Dennis John, on August 17, in New York City.

A daughter, Karen, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Spenenberg, '23, on Sept. 15, in St. Joseph, Mich.

A son, Michael Francis, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul F. Recks, '33, on August 31, in South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Hafren, Jr., '33, announce the birth of a son, Charles Frederick, III, on August 3, in South Bend.

A daughter, Margaret Therese, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John J. McNeil, '33, on August 2, in Harrisburg, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Edward Trevy, '33, announce the birth of a daughter, on August 23, in Whiting, Ind.

A son, Lawrence Edward, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Alexander, ex. '34, on July 24, in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Beiler, '38, announce the birth of a daughter, Mary Elizabeth, on June 27, in Cleveland.

A daughter, Jeanne Marie, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Casserette, '34, on July 9, in Rochester, N.Y.

A daughter, Mary Theresa, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Green, '34, on May 15, in Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Krause, '34, announce the birth of a son, on Sept. 12, in Wescott, Mass.

A daughter, Jeanne Frances, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jerome J. Canning, '33, on May 22, in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph V. MacDonald, '36, announce the birth of a son, Joseph Vincent, Jr., on Sept. 3, in New York City.

A son, Daniel, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Pierles, '36, on May 24, in Muncie, Ind.

A daughter, Jeanne Mae, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Pillette, '38, on August 1, in Finckesville, Ill.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hickey, '37, on August 29, in South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Levicki, '27, announce the birth of a son, John Sullivan, on March 9, in Fort Wayne, Ind.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. William G. Scherak, Jr., '23, in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Boyle, '38, announce the birth of a son, Edward L., III, on August 13, in Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Sweeney, '30, announce the birth of twin daughters, Beverly Jean and Barbara Ann, on July 24, in South Bend.

Twin daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. Dennis L. Diseas, '39, on June 26, in Passaic, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. "Sparks" Meadham, '25, on
Marriages

The marriage of Miss Helen B. Groff and Gerald J. Holland, '28, took place, June 22, in the Log Chapel, Notre Dame.

Miss Jeannette Willk and Dr. John W. Viktorny, '28, were married, Sept., 19, in Medina, N. Y.

Miss Catherine Anne Delaney and Vincent T. Walsh, '28, were married, June 22, in Beloit, Wis.

Miss Geraldine Graves and Kenneth H. Cassidy, '30, were married, July 8, in Tell City, Ind.

The marriage of Miss Marie Skinner and Edward Coomes, '31, took place, August 7, in South Bend.

The marriage of Miss Helen Loretta Sneeven and Maurice D. Musrey, '31, took place, August 7, in Indianapolis.

Miss Eileen Mary Condon and Charles R. Slack, '31, were married, August 22, in Medina, N. Y.

Miss Elizabeth A. Ryan and Burt W. O'Hara, '32, were married, June 22, in Denver, Colo. John E. Humphreys, '32, was best man.

The marriage of Miss Mary Elizabeth Mulligan and John M. Scanlon, '32, took place, June 1, in Oak Park, Ill.

The marriage of Miss Rita Cunningham and Philip J. Feherty, Jr., '32, took place, Oct. 7, 1939, in Trenton, N. J.

Miss Virginia M. Nurre and Martin L. Hughes, ex. '33, were married, June 12, in St. Louis.

The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Deubek and Walter J. Keckich, '33, took place, July 17, in the Log Chapel, Notre Dame.

Miss Dorothy Helen Blum and Dr. Henry T. Gannon, '34, were married, July 6, in Urbana, Ill.

Miss Mary Virginia Burson and Elmer Gary, ex. '34, were married, August 3, in the Log Chapel, Notre Dame.

The marriage of Miss Geraldine J. Kincard and George W. Kohn, '34, took place, Sept. 7, in Detroit.

Miss Marie Drogos and Julian J. Podrara, '34, were married, August 24, in Chicago.

The marriage of Miss Alice P. Baloguzak and Carl E. Zimmerer, '34, took place, August 26, in South Bend.

Miss Cecelia Mary Reilly and William M. Coen, '35, were married, June 15, in Tucson, Ariz.

Miss Emma Therese Hertl and Arthur L. Kranzfelder, '35, were married, June 22, in the Log Chapel, Notre Dame.

Miss Dorothy Alberts and Thomas K. LaLonde, '35, were married, August 4, in the Log Chapel, Notre Dame.

The marriage of Miss Katherine Keleher and Frank W. Matthes, '35, took place, June 15, in the Log Chapel, Notre Dame.

The marriage of Miss Katherine Hock and Robert L. Morrison, ex. '35, took place, Sept. 3, in Cleveland.

Miss Marion O'Reilly and Francis J. Weldon, '35 were married June 29, James H. Sheils, '35, and Eugene J. O'Reilly, '35, were among the attendants.

Miss Edna Moore and E. Spencer Walton, '35, were married, June 22, in South Bend.

The marriage of Miss Lorene Brown and John V. Coyne, '36, took place, August 10, in Van Nuys, Calif.

The marriage of Miss Paula Dillon and Robert F. Ervin, '36, took place, August 10, at Notre Dame.

Miss Bernice Tharp and Charles S. Fitzsimmons, '36, were married, Dec. 2, in the Log Chapel, Notre Dame.

Miss Irene May O'Connor and William L. Jacobs, Jr., '36, were married, August 10, in Lakeview, Ohio.

Miss Josephine Ann Roach and Norman L. Johnson, '36, were married, August 26, in South Bend.

The marriage of Miss Irene Smith and Robert A. McAuliffe, '36, took place, May 6, in Ashland, Wis.

Miss Edythe Claire Williams and Edward T. McNally, '36, were married, May 30, in Chicago.

Miss Evadna Shumaker and Jerome C. Caley, Jr., '37, were married, July 6, at Notre Dame. Among the attendants were Joseph Quint, '37, and Gordon Murphy, '37.

Miss Mary Dunsmore and Harry J. Cozad, '37, were married, August 27, in Rock Island, Ill.

The marriage of Miss Jane Leach, daughter of Leroy J. Leach, '08, and Richard H. Delaney, '37, took place, August 21, in Indianapolis.

Miss Virginia Rose Corcoran and Thomas M. Pendergrass, '37, were married, August 24, in Chicago.

Miss Patricia Loveland and Harry E. Poulin, Jr., '37, were married, July 29, in South Bend.

Miss Lena Grillo and John J. DiMatteo, '38, were married, July 29, in South Bend.

Miss Helen O'Connor and Robert F. Doyle, ex. '38, were married, July 3, in North Platte, Nebr.

The marriage of Miss Lucille Schnell and William Redman Duggan, '38, took place, August 9, in Edgewater, Colo.

Miss Helen Clune and Vincent W. DeCourney, '39, were married, June 26, in Kansas City, Kan.

Miss Rita Cahill and Edward J. Fanning, Jr., '39, were married, August 3, at Notre Dame.

The marriage of Miss Harriet M. Roe and Francis J. Gaglione, '39, took place, Sept. 7, in Pittsfield, Ill.

Miss Eleanor Keb and Edward K. Grimes, '39, were married, July 17, in Dayton, Ohio.

The marriage of Miss Mary Catherine Galvin and Jerome Kane, '39, took place, July 17, in Gatun, Panama. Joseph Harrington, '39, of Cristo-bal, was an attendant.

Miss Mary Jane Kauth and Louis S. Ottmer, '39, were married, July 3, at Notre Dame. Roland A. Martin, '39, was best man.

Miss Helen Mary Ryan and John C. Hynes, '39, were married, Sept. 7, in the Log Chapel, Notre Dame.

The marriage of Miss Rosemary O'Donnell and John Kellacher, '40, took place, Sept. 11, in Elyria, Ohio.

Miss Helen Paris and Fred E. Miholic, Jr., '40, were married, June 29, at Notre Dame.

Miss Phyllis B. Lukaslik and Gerald E. Marrissey, '40, were married, August 31, in South Bend.

The marriage of Miss Mary Grace Biggs and Christian F. Risser, '40, took place, August 31, in South Bend. Among the attendants were Robert Robinson, '40, and Robert Hoofstetter, '40.

Miss Janet Hoglund and Robert E. Shoemaker, '46, were married, August 31, in the Log Chapel, Notre Dame.

Persons

Before 1890


1890-99

Rev. J. A. MacNamara, '97, S. J., St. Martin's Seminary, Mount Clemens, Michigan.

A letter from Father John A. MacNamara pleads for information concerning the graduates of the '90's. Father MacNamara says that the most arduous battles with the Army and Navy will again entice him eastward this fall, but he still will have plenty of time to receive the news.

William A. Walsh, former mayor of Yonkers, N. Y., recently represented the William A. Damt Corporation of Long Island City in its complaint to the Federal Bureau of Investigation that the specifications for supplying Yonkers with street lighting equipment were so worded as to restrict bidding to one firm.

1900-04


1905-09


1910

Rev. M. L. Morlarity, 1910 Euclid Ave., Cleveland, Ohio.

1911


Fifty thousand Catholic workmen gathered at Mount Royal in the shadow of the Oratory of St. Joseph near Montreal to hear the Labor Day address of Rev. Patrick J. Carroll, C.S.C., editor of "The Ave Maria." The airplanes carried throughout the United States and South America Father Carroll's inspiring reminder of the mutual obligations of capital and labor.

Most Rev. John F. O'Hara, C.S.C., B.D., military delegate, presided over a solemn military field mass at the Lawrence University stadium, Appleton, Wis., recently represented the American's happiest father and mother title recently.

Their daughter, from whom they had had no direct communication for many weeks, returned to the United States from Holland, where she was a student, on the Quanza, Portuguese freighter.

1912

E. T. Finney, 244 Fourth St, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

1913

Paul F. Byrne, University Library, Notre Dame, Indiana.

1914

Frank F. Healy, 621 Third Ave., Dallas, Texas, California.
business this summer Slip, with his charming family, stopped off at Notre Dame and South Bend for a chat.

From Leo Ward:

Mea culpa, mea culpa, mea maxima culpa! In the June "Alumnus" I conferred on Oscar Sidenfaden the honors which Notre Dame conferred on Tom Tobin, now the Rev. Tom Tobin, chancellor of the archdiocese of Portland, Ore. In other words, I wrote that Oscar Sidenfaden was the valedictorian of the 1920 graduating class when, as a matter of fact, Tom Tobin received those honors and so honored the class. Oscar was the recipient of the Joe Capareo medal for excelling in the four-year course in electrical engineering.

I have made my peace with Father Tom and my apology has been graciously accepted. I am sure, however, that such of the class as Tom Beacons, Johnny Powers and Paul Conaghan and others noticed the error and very courteously refrained from heaping coals upon my head. Oscar Sidenfaden noted the error and called me. I also received a letter from Cleveland noting my error. I assure you that it will not happen again.

I received a call from Gene Heidelman who, as you recall, started out in the class of 1920 but stayed over a couple of years and graduated in '22 having changed courses. I was also fortunate in seeing Fr. John O'Connor who was here recently to preview Warner Bros.' "Rockne, All-American." We were able to assist the studio somewhat in digging up some old "Demes" and Rockne correspondences.

In our recent local political campaign Notre Dame was well represented. In the district attorney's race, John Dockweiler, who had four brothers attend Notre Dame, was runner-up in the primaries. Bill Cook and Joe Gallagher, both former Notre Dame students, managed the campaign for the party who placed third in the race and Norbert Savay, who attended Notre Dame, was also in the race for district attorney.

Through the kindness of Bill Cook, a supper was served at one of the local establishments at which a number of the fellows who attended Notre Dame around the period from 1918 to 1922 showed up, among whom were Joe Stutler, deputy commissioner 5th Division in Los Angeles; Gene Kennedy and Thad Walsh, who is no longer associated with J. F. T. O'Connor of Roosevelt fame. Thad is now business agent for a large creamery on the Pacific Coast. Also present were Ed Ashe, Jimmy McCabe, Oscar Sidenfaden, Arnold McGrath, Larry Ott and Vincent "Slim" O'Connor.

Incidentally, Vince O'Connor was one of the engineers who designed and supervised the structural work of the 200-inch telescope on Palomar Mountain, near San Diego, which is the largest telescope in the world. At the present time Vince is at the California Institute of Technology supervising the construction of the world's largest camera, which is some 95 feet long and will utilize a plate 45 inches square. The camera will be a part of the telescope.

Slim has been working about a year on the camera and expects to be finished in another year. He described himself as one of the hired help and says that his part is only incidental; the hard work is really grinding the lens.

I see Joseph Ingersoll Kane of Pontiac quite often. He has returned from New York and is an engineer with the ERPI division of A. T. & T. in charge of recording voice sound trucks.

Henry "Hank" Symonds, who attended Notre Dame at the time Allan Dwan was around, and who is now a writer in the moving picture industry, lost his daughter by drowning in a private reservoir near their home in San Fernando Valley. The daughter was about nine years old and was wading in this private reservoir and suddenly stepped off beyond her depth. Also, Gene Heidelman lost his mother, Mrs. Rose Heidelman, on July 21.

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Dana W. Dufty, 1600 Terminal Tower, Cleveland, Ohio.

Bernie McCaffrey, South Bend postmaster, received a new commission from President Franklin D. Roosevelt and was appointed General James A. Farley to serve as South Bend postmaster without term. The life term (sounds like a prison sentence) took effect as of June 25 and is subject only to civil service provisions.

Notre Dame was represented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Promotion of Engineering Education at the_signatory to the June 24th at the University of California, by Prof. Walter Skilton, assistant dean of engineering. Walter was absent for three weeks, using the time after the meeting to visit West Coast schools.

From Ed Ashe:

Last June, "Rodge" Kiley was appointed to fill a judgeship vacancy in Chicago. We do not know the court Judge will preside over but we are sure he will be a credit to the office.

Eddie Anderson received highest national honors among 1959 football coaches by his victory in a national poll of gridiron fans, which earned for him the right to be head coach of the collegiate All-Star team who opposed the professional Green Bay Packers in Soldiers' Field, Chicago, in late August. Back Shaw also received high honors in being appointed assistant to Eddie, by selective vote. The fact that the collegiate All-Stars lost the game is no discredit to Eddie and Back.

Dan Young, adjutant of the S.A.T.O. at N.D. in 1923, is a member of Dry Dock Associates is directing the expenditure of some $15,000,000 in constructing a dry dock at the Philadelphia Navy Yard.

A cure at St. Anne's Shrine in Quebec which will rate as a miracle, if official ecclesiastical sanction is obtained, was witnessed by James Dixon and his wife on the Feast of St. Anne. Enroute home the Dixons were welcomed at Detroit by Jack Higgins. Jack is a member of the law firm of Worsor and Higgins, Buhl Bldg., Detroit.

Jim Fena is with the H.O.L.C. in Detroit.

Denver's see radio broadcaster Matt McNauley, recently enough to take a motor vacation tour to Ohio. He expected to see Jerry Barrett in Omaha and John Hart in Cincinnati among others.

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William Fitzgerald, North Vernon, Ind., is a candidate on the democratic slate for election to the state supreme court in the Nov. 5 election. Bill began his law practice in 1927. He is held the state senatorship and was appointed Jennings-Scott circuit court judge in '37.

Ben Conner, former football coach at De Paul University, Chicago, is the proprietor of a combination filling station-roadside restaurant located at McHenry, Ill., just two miles toward Lake Geneva. (Summer tourist attraction.)

Leslie Brugger, president of the Notre Dame club of St. Joseph Valley, has opened Brugger's Cigar Store in the J.M.S. building, South Bend, just across from the olive hotel. Another Brugger venture is the Brugger News Corner, at Main and Jefferson in the Bend.
1924  J. E. Hayes, 393 7th Ave., Room 1515, New York City.

A face to be recognized as that of Architect Cliff Noonan appeared this summer in "P.M.," the new newspaper, in New York. Cliff is shown examining a blueprint of seating arrangements of Chicago Stadium for the democratic national convention. He is L. W. Robert, Jr., secretary of the convention, and James A. Fairley, he formed the committee in charge of altering the Stadium.

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1925  John P. Harley, 205 Brookdale Road, Toledo, Ohio.

From John Harley:

"Here's that man again!" Yes, it's fall and football talk is in the air. Before we get too far into that season let's hear what you did this summer and what games you intend to see. Maybe one of your pals might team up with you.

Paul Dufand, 1911 East Second St., Tucson, Ariz., sent the only note that I received during the summer.

He thanked the class and myself for thinking of him at our reunion with our "round robin autograph letter" wishing him a speedy recovery. Just the receiving of it made him feel better and I hope he has continued to improve.

Met Walter Miller at church last Sunday and he told me his brother Dan really has completed that backfield for St. Mary's.

Bernard Kesting, of Toledo, is busy these days taking in picnics and clambakes. Ben is running for a third term as county engineer. He has done a swell job. He was sending one of his boys to our reunion with our "round robin autograph letter." He is sending one of his boys to the University since his graduation.

At the All-Star game, Joe Dooley, the pride of the "26, was on hand to supply the makings for a Ball Session."* As you can see from this 26 news, Jim R.

Danny Niggartner thoughtfully mailed your secretary clippings from the "Chicago Tribune" on the passing of Noble Kizer. Noble was everything his name connotes and, when you're back for one of the games, don't forget to light a candle for the first of the "watch charm" linenmen, who would have done the same for you in his own way.

One of the famous "Four Horsemen" now is the proud father of a "Pony." Jim Crowley, Fordham's head football coach, and Mrs. Crowley have adopted a 17-month old baby and named him Patrick Joseph.

J. Clifford Potts, former St. Joseph county attorney, was named president of the newly incorporated Family Welfare Society, Inc., at the convention of the organization, and James A. Fairley, he formed the committee in charge of altering the Stadium.

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1926  James A. Rouan, 177 Dearborn St., Chicago, Illinois.

Tom Farrell, accompanied by Mr. Farrell, trekked in from East Orange, N. J. to visit the campus last July 5.

From Jim Rouan:

Mr. Dooley:

A few years back someone labeled a current best-seller "When Winter Comes," and then went on to philosophize that when Winter came, Spring could not be far behind. "So what?" says you, Dooley! "So this," says I—that's how we are in the Fall of 1940, before many more weeks we'll be digging among the moth balls for the ear-muffs, and then before we know it, we'll have the Spring of 1941. And just in case you've forgotten, Dooley, 1941 marks the fifteenth anniversary of the graduation of the famed Class of 1926.

But I know you haven't forgotten, for it's you who have been reminding me of the fact ever since we sat in with the boys of "1925" at that do, luxe, streamlined reunion they staged last June. Then they went to the attention of the "26ers right now, so they can't say we didn't warn 'em far enough ahead. Our representatives in Washington were kind enough to lower the draft age limit to 25, so most of us (excluding the child prodigies, of course) will still be in civilian clothes come June 1, 1941.

Not much news at hand. On a quick trip to Indianapolis last month I had the good fortune to meet Mike Reddington and Joe Sexton. Mike is gaining fame as city attorney in the Indiana capital city, and Joe is doing a fine job of representing his constituents in the state legislature.

Who's going to help promote this fifteen-year reunion? We need some volunteer workers. Come out! Write or wire your reservations and tell us how you like your steak—rare or medium.

Joseph M. Boland, Athletic Office, Notre Dame, Indiana.

From Joe Boland:

Sailing the "passing moment"—all that's available to the sec. in the hustle of early-season football—let's record the presence on the campus during the summer of these gentlemen:

Pat Casey, who spent his vacation time making the Lay Retreat and playing golf here; a prizewinner that he recommends strongly for others of our time. Then there was John Wallace, who took time out from his job of being judge of municipal courts in Cook County, Ill., to make his regular appearance at the Retreat. Maurice "Pat" Cohen made his regular summer visit to South Bend, from his teaching job at Taunton, Mass., and managed to pop up before your sec. as a customer of "Main Ave. A" and then over on to South Bend "Tribune's" radio station, WSBT, for which your sec. labors in the off-season.

Jack Howard reported by telephone on the occasion of a campus visit, but particulars are lacking about him since we counted on a face-to-face visit to supply them, and Jack had to get back to New York. Joe Maxwell dropped in for a week-end visit before he started work with the linenmen at Cincinnati University, where he's helping Joe "Chief" Myer, another ex-Notre Damer.

Then, with the start of the school year, Ed Mandeville popped in, as he returned to get a cousin started in the seminary here again. Then the rush started, so I can assure you that Ed is his smiling, friendly self. L. William Fury, Boys Guidance, '27, checked in by mail from his job with the Chamberlain Weather-strip Co., in Detroit, where he's doing promotion work.

At the All-Star game, Joe Benda and your sec. ran smack-dab into Don Wilkins, who told us that he and Ab Henry had just completed a highly satisfactory vacation in Michigan. The Wilkins lad looked it; when seen, he was spritning easily for a choice season of the spectacle.

Tom Hogan, who is with Swift & Co., was also met with for just a moment in advance of the game, but long enough to assure us and one and all that he's doing all right in the meat business.

And that's the dope, scanty as it is. Remember that the Army game is sold out, that tickets for the other games are still available—but go get those applications in early. (adv.) And, at the games, drop in to the Athletic Office in Breen-Phillips hall, or look us up out of town, to check in on affairs, "21. Adios, my friends.

John B. Sullivan reports a change of address, now residing at the Congress Square Hotel in Portland, Me. John is an insurance analyst.

Wilbert McMenemy announced the removal of his law office from 129 15th St., N.W., to Heurich Bldg., 1267 K St., N.W., in Washington, D.C. He will continue the general practice of law.

1928  Louis F. Buckley, Box 124, Notre Dame, Ind.

From Lou Buckley:

Upon arriving on the campus after another summer in Washington, D.C., I was greeted, as per usual, by a request from Bill Dooley for copy for the October ALUMNUS. Bill included in his letter this time two pages of suggestions regarding class notes. He gave the class secretaries some fine advice on how to write the notes, but I am still looking for an answer to our most serious problem—how are we going to get the news from the fellows? Something to write about is prayer of every class secretary. It will cost you "25ers only five minutes of your time to answer this prayer. The guest writers seem to be in the same position with respect to news as our old friend and guest writer for this month, Henry Davis, testifies in the following letter:

"You should telegraph your punches my lad. Your letter gave me not only a start, but a checkful of confirmations as well. You see, Louis, I don't always see the ALUMNUS, as it is mailed to my old address at Sistersville, and Paul Shiben, a member of the legal fraternity at New Martinsville, W. Va., I haven't seen an ND man for months and months. That is a very sad state of affairs I assure you.

"Surprisingly perhaps, I haven't a great deal to say concerning myself.

"For the past ten years or so I have been with the Quaker State Oil Refining Corp., and for the last nine of those years I have been their division auditor here at St. Mary's.

"I enjoy my work very much, Buck, and have been able to add a pound or so at the proper places. This, by the way, is a great source of amusement for the lady of the house. I am not as roly-poly, I don't imagine, 'as Mad Ludwig,' though perhaps I could loan an ounce or two to 'Put-Put.'"

"By the way, we built ourselves a new home last year and you may be sure the latch string is handy for any of the boys who might brave these mountains. Wine is plentiful, and I know where I can buy a good cheese, so if you can induce a good companion or two to drop in, I'll supply the makings for a Ball Session."

Thanks, Henry, for the cooperation. No one
appreciates your position with respect to news better than I do. One compensating feature of the guest writer plan is that it gives me an opportunity to put another '29 man in the same spot that I once occupied on the 15th of each month. I thought possibly you would be able to give me some information, Henry, on our friend Jim Sexton, or is the old feud of Freshman Hall days still being fought in 'them thar mountains?'

I stopped off in Akron, Ohio, this summer on my way to Washington, D.C. and visited Art Gleason, the horticulturist extraordinaire. There was time to drop by the Gleasons—two boys and two girls. Art has a country place near Akron—the address is 600 Hudson Road, R.F.D. 3, Kent, Ohio. He is still with Goodrich, but also practices law and, in his spare time, enjoys farming. My little girl was so impressed with farm life at the Gleasons that it looks like I will have to get back to the soil myself to keep peace in our family. Art's legal address is Box 31, Stow, Ohio.

Art tells me he hears from John Herbert occasionally. John, as you know, is married and living, I believe, in Philadelphia. He is with the William Baumer Co., a church goods concern. Art also mentioned that Charles McGuirk was an old neighbor of his in Akron. Charles is married and living in Ohio where he is in the furniture business.

Vince Walsh was married this summer. I stopped to see him at Monticello, Ill. in June and found him and his wife quite happy. They have a little farm near Great Barrington.

Frances J. Buckley is office manager of the Frank J. Donovan Co., wholesale druggists, with offices at 310 W. Polk St., Chicago.

If I make this column much longer, I fear you might be left with the impression that I should do this well each month. Just remember that my traveling days are over for nine months at least, so news for the future columns will have to come from you. I am selecting Martin Ryan of 21 Oralond Place, R. F. D. 1, Canton, Mass., and 5941 McPherson Ave., St. Louis, Mo., as guest writers for next month. The deadline is October 15. Using the words of Henry Davis, I implore you to give them your cooperation by writing at once.

My first visit back to the campus in 12 years was made by Johnny Howard and his wife on July 5. The many revisions and additions on the grounds greatly surprised the visitors.


From Joe McNamara:

And Now to Continue the National Round Up: In Pennsylvania.

After graduating in 1929 Albin M. Griffin became a member of the legal department of the Central West Casualty Company. In 1934, he left this company to take a position with the Bethlehem Steel Company, where he now holds the position of patent attorney. Al is married and has one child. He lives at 316 East Market Street, Bethlehem, Pa. Thad Heinlein is holding the position of engineer with the Erie County Electric Company (U.S. System). He is married and has no children. He is living at 519 W. 8th St. Erie, Penna.

In addition to having a very fine law practice of his own Gerard P. O'Conner is also professor of Business Law, Villia Maria College and at Catholic University. He is also still doing business with Bill Dooley in alumni placement work. Herb Jones told me the other day that he heard that Bill had had an appendectomy recently. That no doubt accounts for the late hour at which this month's information I have been expecting this month for the birth column.

Being in Washington this summer also gave me the opportunity of seeing our Congressman Bob Grant and his wife. Bob has promised to be a guest writer later this year, after the campaign is over, if he manages to get some news from the "Sers. How about dropping him a note so he will be able to write a column which will be as long as some of his fine campaign speeches? Bob is, in my opinion, one of the most efficient Congressmen in Washington today.

One of my students told me that Tom Nowak visited the campus in May. Tom arrived in a pursuit bomber plane. I understand he is a captain in the Marine Reserves and is located at Floyd Bennett Field, Long Island. N. Y. Tom is married and has two children.

Rev. James Gallagan, C.S.C., informed me some time ago that Connie Ochoa's parents celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary this year. Many of you will be interested in knowing that Father Gallagan is now pastor at the King Church on the Niles highway near Roseland. I am sure you will want to drop in to see him when you return to N. D. and talk over Sophomore Hall days. By the way, old Sophomore Hall has been removed at last. Freshman Hall, as you know, was torn down some time ago.

I visited Frank Donovan and his family in Chicago. Frank is kept busy as head of the Frank J. Donovan Co., wholesale druggists, with offices at 310 W. Polk St., Chicago.

In Oregon:

Rev. John W. Scherbek, C.S.C., may be found at the University of Portland, where he is head of the English department as well as chairman of the English department and Language and Literature. From the years 1929-1932, Mr. Scherbek was at Dartmouth College in the Department of Philosophy and was also a member of the faculty at the University of Oregon, 1932-1933. During these years he was in charge of the Portland Civic Theatre. Edward Lawrence Barrett is the manager of Barrett Brothers, farm equipment and machinery. Ed has been with this firm continuously since graduating in 1929. In addition to receiving his A.B. degree Ed is sporting a J.D. degree. He also finds time to execute his duties as president of the Valley Farm Equipment Club very successfully. Ed has also been grand knight, captain of football and baseball, and is a member of the Knights of Columbus, in Albany, Ore. He is married and has two children. He lives at 710 W. 5th street. Rev. William J. Doughin, C.S.C., is still teaching at the Portland Catholic College. In 1929, he received his M.S. degree from Catholic University and is head of the Department of Chemistry at California. Tom received his M.S. degree at Catholic University in 1934 and took special training at Notre Dame during the summers of 1937, 1938 and 1939. Rev. George Lyman Dean, C.S.C., is also at Pennsylvania University. He is also assistant to the chaplain at Newman Hall. After receiving his B.A. degree from Notre Dame in '29, he received an M.S. degree from Catholic University in '38 and he spent the summers of '38 to '39 with the U.S. Department of Labor, Woods Hole, Mass. He was prefect in Freshman Hall at Notre Dame from '34-'37; rector of Zahm Hall at Notre Dame '37-'39 and instructor in Biology. From 1940-'42, Deacon also was moderator of Catholic Student Mission Crusade at Notre Dame in '36-'37.

Cyril A. Jones is with the Department of Public Assistance in Reading, Pa., as a supervisor. Before becoming associated with the Department of Public Assistance, Cyril was a bookkeeper at the Berks County Mutual Co., Reading, Pa., and a teacher in Junior High school. In addition to receiving his A.B. degree from Notre Dame he took a year of Social Work at the University of Pittsburgh. Cyril lives at 72 Hungerford Street, Burlington, Vt. He is married and has one child—a fine son. He and his family live at 324 West Oak St.

In Ohio:

Marlitz A. Dieter is a draftsman with the War Department, U. S. Engineers. Before taking this position Morrie was a surveyor for the Michigan State Highway department, interviewer for the National Reemployment Service and a salesman for the Ohio Tire and Supply Company. He is married and has two children. He lives at 911 Webster, Woodward, Ohio.

In Vermont:

John F. Mitigary is secretary of the Burlington Drug Company, Burlington, Vt. John has been with this company ever since graduating in 1929. He is also vice-president of New England Wholesale Drug Exchange and secretary of the Vermont Traveling Men's Auxiliary of the Vermont Pharmaceutical Association. John lives at 72 Hungerford Street, Burlington, Vt. He is married and has no children.

This concludes the National Round Up! Hope to hear from you again soon.
representing the University of Portland. He is instructor in philosophy and supervisor of choral music. George was ordained in June 1933 at Notre Dame and received his M.A. in philosophy in Notre Dame in 1934. He was instructor in religion at Notre Dame in 1933-34 and instructor in philosophy at the University of Portland, 1934. He is also director of the student division of the Oregon Federation of Music Clubs.

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thereof) and mail it to the Contest Editor on February 31 of any year. The thing pictured above is:

A new white hope
A Porpoise
The Empire State Building
Pithecanthropus Erectus

Now here's the best part of it, fellows. This (refer to your selection above) will be on the Notre Dame campus Commencement week of 1942. You can actually see him walking around the campus! He will not be placed in a case and his redheaded knapper will not be with him. Furthermore, you can feed him peanuts. So right now—start putting those dimes way so you can be on hand in 1942 to see this "Eighth Wonder of the World." This attraction will be free absolutely free!

All kidding aside, do you recognize this member of our class?

Jim O'Brien is now in the comptroller's office in the state of New York.

George Boden is a representative of a refrigerator company in New York. Jack Hoyt, that bright redheaded fellow, will soon be married to a girl in Albany. Clay (Stormy) Duerr is vicer-president of Liggett's Drug Company with headquarters in Dallas, Texas.

Recent babies of 1932ers: Jack Lynch, Neil Tauber, and weigh scale station on Pennsylvania and a restaurant and weigh scale station on Pennsylvania. They spent two years at Notre Dame in pre-med.

Fred LaGuna, Grosse Pointe, Mich., was married on June 29 by Father Charles L. Donovan, O.F.M.

Through the efforts of the Placement Bureau, Bob Brucker, South Bend, recently stepped into the office management of the Pearl Packing Co., Inc., Madison, Ind.

Michael J. Hasso is Springfield, III.'s, construction engineer, having moved there from Carlinville, III.

Press time note: See Cabill was too busy trying to peddle Army tickets. He promises to break forth in November with a volume of '44 stuff.

Bill Sheridan sailed from New York on the first of August for the Canal Zone where the La Boca Commissary, located on the Pacific side of the Isthmus, now claims his services. His wife, the former Pat Marron, will join him in a few months. Bill III. was born to the Sheridan's in South Bend in 1938. Bill reports that he met a close friend of Hughie Wall, '36, on the voyage and the friend turned out to be one of the multimillionaires of New York, Ohio. Bill returned to the Notre Dame Law School in February, '36, receiving his degree in '38.

Edwin J. Holman, Lewenworth, Kans., was re-elected a state representative in Kansas.

Frankly C. Hochreiter, 340 Rosedale Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

From Hoch:

Well, gang, here we are again! This will start our sixth year of "tattling" and we want to make it the best ever. The way to be sure, so you have only this bit of news to pass on to you, Frettie Tom Proctor is now a daddy! He will be in a few days. He is a coach and teacher in the South Bend in 1938. Bill reports that he met a close friend of Hughie Wall, '36, on the voyage and the friend turned out to be one of the multimillionaires of New York, Ohio. Bill returned to the Notre Dame Law School in February, '36, receiving his degree in '38.

Our column this year comes from another point on the map. Six years and six different localities have been the focal spot for '35 info. This time it is St. Louis. The first of August we accepted a position on the faculty of the School of Social Service of St. Louis University. In addition to supervising the division of Probation and Parole and teaching all aspects of the field, we shall also teach Community Organization and Law and Social Work. When you are in the city and can't find us at the apartment (address at the head of column) try us at the University at 221 North Grand Blvd.

Only one bit of news came through during the summer, so you have only this bit of news to pass on to you. Frettie Tom Proctor is now a daddy! He will be in a few days. We anticipate a slow start for this year after the long over, so we have the cards you returned to us to use for copy. We are listing below the names of the registrants and their positions, as of last May. If there are changes since then, please notify us. And for the rest of the gang—how about dropping us a card on what you are doing? Let's keep up contact with each other!

Ben Byrer is a probation officer in the St. Joseph County Juvenile Court in Mishawaka. Gene O'Brien is in the sales department of the O'Brien Varnish Company in South Bend. Tom Kubaie, another probation officer, is in the city court of South Bend. Frank Maxwell was director of physical education at Nazareth Hall Military School in Grand Rapids, Ohio, but he has moved to a coaching job at Livonia High School, Livonia, N. Y.

Bill Kennedy is reporting for the Nashua "Daily Review-Star" in Nashua County, Long Island. Al Vitter is a physicist in the Louisiana department of conservation in the division of Petroleum Technology, New Orleans, La. John Flanigan is in the family corporation—C. C. Flanigan Company, Inc., plumbing contracting in Chicago. Adrian Wackerman carries on as an architectural draftsman with Henry M. Ludorf of New Britain, Conn.

Bill O'Connor is an attorney with the Wisconsin department of taxation in Madison. Pat Fitzpatrick, is with the Research Foundation of Armour Institute of Technology as a chemical engineer in the experimental engineering division. All this in Cal Quinlan is an undertaker in the Employer's Group of Kansas City, Mo. Charlie Montgomery is a research chemist with Koppers Company, chemical division, in Pittsburgh.

Josh D'Alma was among the unemployed at the moment, but we feel he has promoted something by this writing. Bob Maher is interning at Mercy Hospital in Pittsburgh. At this time he may be finished. Mitch Saleh continues with the Houston Lighting and Power Company as a design engineer. Charlie Fehr is a construction foreman in the Charles Fehr and Son store in Spring Valley, Ill. J. P. Barns is in Chattanooga, Tenn., and appears to have a business address in the Federal Building, but what he is actually doing he did not say.

John J. Ryan is a salesman in the Chicago office of the Standard Register Company of Dayton, Ohio.

Tom Stringer is in the accounting division of the Peerless Cement Corporation of Detroit. Fred Weaver is in the assistant printing buyer of Sears Roebuck's small order advertising department in Chicago. Jim Seymour is a chemist for the Hooker Electrochemical Co. in Niagara Falls. Jack Matthews, our G-Man was working out of the Hamilton, N. Y., office. William Anthony, now as just before the West Virginia move he was working in New Orleans. Vic Weigand is with his father in the Buick agency of Barberton, Ohio. George McGrath is a coach and teacher in the Ware High school, out Massachusetts way.

Don Felix is assistant credit man for the Indian Refining Co. (Texaco) in Indianapolis. Ray Oakes is sales representative for Bird and Son, Inc., roofing manufacturers, in Kalamazoo, Mich. Bill Matthews has moved up to head of the history department of Williamsville High school, outside of Buffalo. Al Raravino is selling for Ravarino-Freschi, Inc. manufacturers of manure products right now in St. Louis. (Give us a ring some time, Al Mrs. Smith and I would like to get in touch with you.) Melvin See is a research chemist for Standard Oil of Indiana, working in Chicago. Jim Hamilton continues as purchasing agent for the Dumore Company of Racine, Wis. Karl Johnson is president of the Engineers Construction Co. of Chicago. That's hitting the top.

Bill Burkhardt is another "big executive" as vice-president of the Burkhardt Brewing Co. of native Akron, Ohio. Bob Byrne is a salesman for Quill and Company of Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Ed Simpson is a sales engineer for Illinois Bell Telephone Co. in Chicago. Gene Witchger carries on
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The Notre Dame Alumni is still in the Green Shoe Manufacturing Co., of Boston and is working in the sales division of the midwestern territory, out of Chi. He was married this summer. Mike Sheedy is a Latin American traveler, selling sugar machinery for the Georgia Sugar Manufacturing Co. of Buffalo. Jim Hill is area supervisor 15 counties in Missouri for the National Youth Administration. North Hart is in the insurance game for the Employers Liability Assurance Corp. Ltd., of Philadelphia. Bill LaRonda, manager of the Iowa Farm Equipment Co. of Des Moines, Jim MacDavitt is a public accountant for J. C. MacDavitt, Jr. and Company, of New York City. In other words, Jim is in business for himself. Ralph O’Malley is doing merchandising for the U. S. Rubber Co. in Mishawaka. Bob Rogers is in the hotel business, working for the family company in Lockwood, Long Island. John Porco is selling typewriters in the Midwest, and working out of Winnebago, Minn. Claude Teurek is assistant to the president of the Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Chi. Luke Kelly is a sales manager for Remington-Rand Inc. in the supplies division in Albany, N. Y. Harry Gafney is with McGrath as a teacher and coach in the Wase High school.

Joe Wascho is an advanced clerk for Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, department of public assistance in Harrisburg. Matt Kalkaska is teaching and coaching in Swannana High school of Floral Park, Long Island. John Slattery is a security analyst for Leonard Fertig and Co. of Ft. Wayne, Ind. Bill Ladd is plant engineer with the State of Ohio department of highways. Bob Carter is director of athletics for Amariello High school in Amarillo, Texas. Leo Dillon is in the claim department of the Reliance Life Insurance Co. of Pittsburgh.

Ed O’Hara is instructor in physical education at the Hammondsport High school in Hammondsport, N. Y. Ray Scholz on July 1 became assistant resident physician of John Hopkins hospital of Baltimore. George Foss is researcher engineer in mechanical engineering at the University of Chicago. Matt Remeske is football and track coach for Frankfort High school in Frankfort, Ind.

Carl Weber is doing accounting for General Mills Inc. in Chicago. Gunner McGrath is the “big banker” for the Sedalia Bank and Trust Co. of Sedalia, Mo. (How about looking us up when you are in St. Louis, Gunner?) George Demetrio is superintendent of service for the Palmer House in Chi. Russell O’Shea is local representative in Cairo, III., for the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Co. Frank Koppelfiger is office manager for the Bay Manufacturing Division of Electric Auto-Lite Co. in Bay City, Mich. Tony Dunning is in business for himself—Insurance Broker, Anthony F. Dunning and Co., Chi.

Tom Leonard is a salesman for daPont-Gressel Chemical Co. in Chicago. Jim Pick is a research fellow in anatomy and ology in Northwestern University Medical School. Tony Crowley is district manager for McNamara Boller and Tank Manufacturing Co. of Buffalo. Bill LaRonda is practicing law in St. Mary’s, Ohio. John Annas is selling for Annas Company of Detroit. Walt Ryan is assembly supervisor for the American Laundry Machinery Co. of Rochester, N. Y. Cliff Dudley is manager in his dad in the Dudley Dairy of Paducah, Ky.

Frank Vukovich is office manager for Gogebic Auto Co. Inc. of Ironwood, Mich. Bob Donahue is a salesman for the Wabash Screen Door Co. of Chicago. Tom Campbell is doing accounting for Seldman and Seldman—certified public accountants, in Grand Rapids. Jim Reville is in business for himself in New York—drafting engineer. Jack Lively is assistant analyst for Equity Corporation (holding corp.) in New York City, Vince Hogan is a salesman for Remington-Rand Inc. in New York.

Jim Neeson is a law clerk with Saul, Ewing, Remick and Saul in Philadelphia. Walt Sherman is a sales manager for the Shanesian Lingerie Co. of Lowell, Mass. Vic Karrwitz is a lawyer in nation Fqauime, La. (Sorry we couldn’t get over before your wedding, Joe.) Bob Shaanan is floorman for S. S. Kresge in Rochester, N. Y. Aaron Hamm is superintendent of construction for the Federal Works Agency in Ithaca, N. Y.

That covers about half of the cards as they run gang. We’ll save the rest til next time, so if you returned your card last May and have not read your name among the above, don’t fret—you will read about yourself next time.

There is one other item that we want to take up. Remember that perpetual Mass Fund we started at the reunion? We explained all the details in the June issue of our rag. At that time we had an initial goal of $70,000 which remains the same with the Prefect of Religion. Our goal was a Mass a week for the next five years which would mean $260. We appealed to you to send in your dollar to the Prefect of Religion, during 1935. If one has not done so yet, suppose we set as our goal a Mass a month for the next five years. That would mean $60. Now anything over and above that will be applied toward the larger goal and therefore will not go amiss.

How about it? Surely there are 14 among you who have the interest of the class and yourself at heart who will cooperate with us and will join the 46 souls who have already subscribed to this appeal. We ask you, please, to keep track of your names, and the amount of your subscription. We will print the names along with those we mentioned in June.

This is all for now, gang. For those of you around these parts—drop in on us either at the apartment or the school, or give us a buzz. Send in your card, even if it is only a card so that we can keep this column fresh and vital. Here is for a big year, for everyone.

Jerome M. Boyle, Gary, Ind., was invested with the habit of the Congregation of Holy Cross in July at St. Joseph’s Novitiate, Rolling Prairie, Ind., and will spend the coming year there.


From John Moran:

With this first column of the current academic year, we are beginning to beat the drums for the best five year reunion Notre Dame has ever had. Whose? Your secretary will give you one little guess.... and enough to give you all 400-odd graduates you need to know. More will follow out, nice and loud, “WHY OURS, OF COURSE.”

We talked to some of the ’35 gang after they returned to town last June. After listening to their glowing accounts of their reunion, we feel that Hoch Hochreiter is in line for congratulations on a swell job in 1935. Meanwhile your secretary is laying plans for the gathering of the 1936 clan. Next issue we will have completed enough of the ground-work to have a lineup on the committees. Prepare now to attend! Remember, it’s only two weeks—May 26 and May 27—and there is no Sunday on that day—the date is natural.... and naturally, you’re expected to be there!

So much for the reunion. The summer, as usual, provided few letters and therefore, little news. The mail-bag came up with an extremely clever announcement that the demon “Scholastic” professional and medical stocks. The gentleman had been a proud father of a husky younger, John Albert Junior, on May 22, at 2:16 a.m. Congratulations Poppa! Al can be reached at 504 N. Lafayette Park Place, Los Angeles.

Jim Kirby, vacationing from his accounting work in New York, sent along a card from Mt. Powell, N. Y. He is now handling the advertising and publicity for the Ross Opticians, an optical chain having branches in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and several other states. The company is associated with the Smoky City at P. O. Box 1004, c-o Ross Opticians.

Father Dan Gleason, who was ordained at Notre Dame on June 24, celebrated his first Mass in St. Patrick’s Cathedral, New York, on June 30. In attendance were more than 3,500 of “New York’s finest” in order to honor the first member of the N. Y. Police department to be ordained.

Following the Mass, Father Gleason was guest of honor at a luncheon and many notablesto in the city administration and members of the hierarchy. Father Dan was presented with a chalice, the gift of the police force, by Commissioner Lois Levitt. From the base of the chalice was a facsimile of a police shield with the number 1925 which Dan carried during his eight years of service on the force. Via Joe Schmidt, the N. Y. Sun advertising tycoon, comes word that Father Gleason will be attached to the Mission Band in Massachusetts.

Father Gleason dropped us a line from Holy Cross College, Brookland, D. C. in June and passed along the good news that the following members of the Class were to be ordained and ever to say their first solemn masses on June 30: Elenor Gross, Bernard McCaffery, Roman Ledowski, John Markov, John Burke, John Magee, Alfred Neff, Robert McKee, Charles Mahoney, Henry Heintzall, and Roland Simonsich. Congratulations and a long and fruitful ministry from the rest of the class of 1936.

Jim Reilly, who is out to set new sales records for Wilson Brothers sporting goods here in N. Y., married Marie Niesengen Sept. 7. A Notre Dame touch was lent to the affair by the presence of Jim MacDavitt, ’35, who served as best man, Andy Hafeng and several others. Congratulations and best wishes, Jim and Marie.

At the N. Y. Club’s annual party on Sept. 5 for the undergraduate students returning to school we saw Phil Clark, Bill Walsh, Joe Schmidt and one or two more, Phil, who has been in hiding for quite a while, has been working for the J. Walter Thompson Advertising Agency in New York since graduation. He promised faithfully to get around to more club meetings, so you’ll be hearing more about him in the future. Phil can be reached at 1200 Walton Ave., N. Y. C. 2.

John Regan is currently selling insurance with the John T. Balle, ’28, Company at 60 East 42nd St. Joe Schmidt was receiving congratulations from the boys on his recent elevation to the post of field officer in charge of the naval aviation school in Columbus in the Bronx. Joe is now the youngest member holding this office throughout the United States.

Bill Walsh, who has been active on the club’s Retreat program, informed us that John Prentice, the Milwaukee banker, married Catherine Dobert on Arte 24, while Ed McNally and Edythe Williams also marched up the aisle this summer. Ed’s wedding was announced in the last issue.
Anyway, congratulations to both you boys and to the new Mrs. Prentiss and Mrs. McNelly.

Your secretary bumped into Homer Stricker, the ex-HEC, on a grand job recruiting New York for the "Sun." Homer, by the way, just celebrated his first anniversary, so congratulations to you and Mrs. Stricker.

And that winds up the column for this month. In the next six issues you are going to hear a lot about our five-year reunion. . . . so better make up your mind to attend! In the meantime, we will still be billing out this monthly stint from the same address, unless Uncle Sam and the draft board decide otherwise. So let's have your letters, your suggestions, and your criticisms (We were only fooling on that last one).

Lient. William V. Ellis, flight instructor in the Army at Randolph Field, San Antonio, Texas, spent part of his leave back on the campus, in mid-June.

1937 Paul Foley, 18226 Schoenherr Road, Detroit, Michigan.

A "quith" from Harrison J. Pierce, out of Garden City, L. I., N. Y., reveals: "While working in Bennington, Vt., I talked to three or four families that seemed to know Clarence E. "Jake" Kline, C.E., '21, very well because of his baseball work up in Vermont and especially because of the fine way he represented Notre Dame by receiving Communion every morning during the summer." A fine tribute to Jake and Notre Dame.

Glen W. Richardson is back at Notre Dame for more courses.

Luke J. Tieman's business card says that he is working in the electric accounting machine division of the International Business Machines Corp., out of the Chicago branch.

Joe McMahon, A.B., '27, L.L.B., '38, of Chicago, is now with the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

St. John's college, Collegeville, Minn., has a busy young man on its scholastic staff in Tom Cassard, S.J., at the time a student at Notre Dame on the way from his Long Island home to Minnesota, is teaching English and journalism at St. John's while holding down the position of director of student publications and publicity.

George N. Bates, one of our "hard luck" brethren, writes that illness caught up with him last February when he was two-thirds of the way through his medical course at McGill university, Montreal. He hopes to be back at work by next spring.

A report from William J. Kennedy indicates that, after four months of unemployment, he has again returned to the firm and is now in a position which is definitely in his field of work. Wish you'd give us more information, Bill.

Nick Salerno is now using the letterheads of the Nazareth Hall Military school, Grand Rapids, O., where he is director of physical education. On Sept. 1 he succeeded Frank Maxwell, '35, who received his appointment as director of physical education at Livonia High School, Livonia, N. Y.

The following notes were penned by Bob Thomas of Wilmington, Del.: "A frequent visitor in Wilmington is Michael C. Rooney, '38, Mickey returned from South America last fall and is now engaged as an engineer at the duPont acetate rayon plant in Waynesboro, Pa. This is new work for him and he has returned to the residents of Portland Avenue near the old home. Mickey is with the Industrial Engineering division of duPont here in Wilmington, George and Miss Marlon Sheehan of Erie, Pa., were married Oct. 2. Details in regard to the wedding will be forthcoming later."

Bob Lechner, Cleveland, entered the G.S.O.'s in July and will spend the next year at St. Joseph's Novitiate, Rolling Prairie, Ind.

John C. Marchesa recently passed his bar exam and is working in the law offices of Dempsey, McClelland & Croake in White Plains, N. Y. Fellow graduates of Harvard Law School included Harry Baldwin, George Lans and Phil Welsh.

1938 Harold A. Williams, 308 East Lake Ave., Baltimore, Md.

From Hal Williams:

Well, sir, here we are again, the boys of the '38 class—a little older, a little wiser, and a little less garrulous. A majority are now married or engaged. So much for our children who spend their time boring bystanders about the excellent prospects for Notre Dame football in 1960 when their sons Sammy or Herbert will be the stars of the team. Some, who have already made fortunes, are thinking of returning to chicken farms in Ohio. And it just seems like yesterday that we leaned on the lamp post in front of Walgreen's and watched the Mishawaka belles strut up and down Michigan Avenue in their flirey and feathers, Ah well! We'll chronicle the news of our increasing respectability and then move over so the youngsters can have plenty of space to bring about their fifteen dollar a week jobs, their girl friends who are beautiful and clever enough to be in Hollywood, and their visits to the Stork Club or the Prairie Steak House.

Latest wedding announcement comes from John J. DiMatteo, Jr. On Sept. 2 he and Lena Grillo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Grillo, were married in South Bend. Their new address is 17 West Central Avenue, Miamisburg, Ohio, John's hometown.

Sudden news to pass along concerns Bud Sherwood who was married in May. Bud was working for Chevrolet in Tarrytown, N. Y. in the accounting department. Along in July he was taken ill with pneumonia and a strep infection. He was in bed but on his feet within three weeks and was then moved to the Tarrytown Hospital. The doctors advised him to go back to Flint and take a complete rest for at least six months. Chevrolet is giving him a leave of absence for a job in Tarrytown or Flint when he gets better. In case anyone wants to write him a letter his address in Flint is: 120 East Hamilton Avenue.

Jack Cleary stopped in to see the Sherwoods at Tarrytown on his way home from a World's Fair vacation but found they had pulled out for Flint. While in New York Jack had a short visit with Charlie Callahan.

Says Jack: "Things remain about the same with me, still working with Reed & Barrett Silver Company—if any ND men are getting married don't forget to mention Reed & Barrett Silver—the Standard of the silver world. The girls of the company are very good from ND for over 6,000 pieces. . . . [Editor's note advertising rates upon request.]

"Jim Mulcahy is not going back to Coyle High (Tuonist, Mass.) to teach, reason unknown. Pete Gay has opened a law office, Art Selna must have turned over her chores and is no longer with us. Too bad, same for Tom Shields and Jack Simon." [Secretary's note—they don't write—at least we have never been able to get a rise out of them.]

Charlie Callahan dropped a line of news along the latter part of July. Said he, after rumbling around a few places and this and that, "Father Carey—(Pater's brother) expects to visit me sometime in August and I imagine I'll get a gang together. Outside from the fact that I met Cliff Talbott at the Fair (forget what he's doing), Bill Gallin on 42nd street (putting married in fall), Bill Marguet (occasionally) at the 'News' and Ed Bartlett (even less) at the All the News That's Fit to Print shop, I have no ND news aside from the fact that I'm wondering where in the devil I'm going to get nine bucks for two Army game seats..."}

Brother Bertrand (Bill) Mahoney, O.P., wrote a letter to the column while he was spending the summer at the Dominican College in Nomnomich, Mich. He says that George Kennan is a faithful correspondent and that he has a card now and again from Gus Sidler. "The rest are vailed, for the most part in front of the column," he concludes. Let the wife do the dishes tonight, fellows, and drop Bill a line—he'd like to hear from you.

Aside to Bob Mullen: Bill said that his faith in human nature is sadly shaken because the two of us have neglected to keep up our end of the correspondence. I dashed off a long letter to Bill recently so now it is up to you to restore faith in human nature. Incidentally, how about a letter this way?

Paul "Andy" Anderson-6349 Walnut Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.—wrote this letter that arrived two days ago that had me in a daze for the June issue. "I obtained my M.A. last year and have decided to work on my Ph.D. at N.D. in politics. This past year I taught History (the old survey course in the S's) that is definitely in the boys' blash.. During the course of last year I saw Pat McCarthy who is coaching at Ursuline Academy in Youngstown, Ohio. Pat did very well and he is as big and husky as ever. Bill Costello was downtown for a few days (perhaps they ever keep away from there?). He is attending Fordham law school. Bill looks much heavier but very well.

"In my talk with Pat, he told me of Ennio Arboit's success at a high school in Illinois. I believe Ennio has an addition to the family. I know Pat does."

"Don Domench, John Plefle and Charlie Duke run around together in the Bend. John, who is still working in the Maintenance Department at school was in exp and given for a picture of Rocoll's graduation along with Pat O'Brien. Watch for him in the movies! Jack O'Donnell came back June for graduate work in English. I believe he is after his M.A."

"Many of the old gang went up on the platform yesterday for their law degrees. Included in the pack were John Donnelly, Art Seina, Bob Derengski, Chuck Daly, Leo Lancaster, Joe Nigro, Johnny O'Connor, Ed Landwehr, Frank Bright, Lou DaPrA and Jack Deane.

"Saw ole Paduch, Louie Anderson, about a week ago. He has a charming wife and still ribs me about which Anderson was the 'lady's man.' Now we know! Lou is working on the Railroad in Kentucky. His brother is working at Bendix in the Bend... Glad to read Tom Healy's letter and hear of Mike Ackroyd and Jerry Battles... Is Ed Mattley playing any golf?... This summer I expect to work on playground in Pittsburgh, and Pat O'Brien in N.Y."

Andy wants to know is Ed Mattiely playing golf? I should say so. On June 20 I saw a clipping from a Cumberland (Md.) paper which stated in war headlines that Ed had captured the men's spring golf championship at the Cumberland Country Club, six up and five to go, in a 3-hole match.

Hickey, the Hamburger man, writes this—"I'm writing this letter from 'Don's Fiesta' (Hick's Hamburger House). We're going on our seventh week of business and I might say doing pretty fair. We've been open every day since I was tied down. Commencement week-end but we had a little '38 reunion down here at the Fiesta—Jimmie Carson, O'Connor, Wilson, Dracmon Anton, Scott Beardon, Joe Moore, Art Plen, Bob Doman, Plefle, and the local 'hot dogs,' Plefle and Duke. I got a big thrill out of it, waiting on the boys and taking all their guff.

Anyway, congratulations to both you boys and to the new Mrs. Prentiss and Mrs. McNelly.
"I'm really putting in my time, Hal, averaging 15 to 18 hours a day. The first week I put in 20 hours and lost 20 pounds, so I cut myself down."

Reminds me of the days when Hick used to spend that much time studying.

From Nick Lambert, now foot-loose and fancy free, "Am enclosing a clipping from the Chicago 'Herald-American' of June 29, re one John Bourke, former classmate, who seems to have found his way past the plash rope and now sits in the middle of a New York cathedral, away from us plebeians and deadheads who occupy the aisle seats.

"Also wanted you to know that I quit my job (July 15) and can now devote my services exclusively to any paper within bidding range—coffee, doughnuts, cigs, pencil stubs, pepper and butter hat. You might think I'm nuts tossing away a swell job for newspaper work but that's the field I'm interested in.... If you hear of any openings let me know...."

Any reader whose father owns a string of paper and needs a good star reporter or managing editor contact Lambert at 1832 Highland Ave., Chicago.

The clipping from the Chicago paper: "Ed Prendergast, one of the town's most confirmed bachelors, had a strenuous middle-aisle rehearsal at Holy Name Cathedral yesterday afternoon, which, he maintains, is as close as he ever got to holy matrimony. He had this morning's ceremony at which he gave his niece, Winifred Prendergast, in marriage to John Taylor Bourke, of Utica, N. Y. .... Richard Halpin, a Notre Dame classmate of the bridegroom, was best man.... After a wedding breakfast at the Drake, the newlyweds left for a cruise to Georgian Bay and other lake ports, after which they will make their residence in the home city of the National league champions.

Clark L. Reynolds was an Alumni Office visitor June 17. He finished Harvard Business School and is working for the Union Bag & Paper Company, Wollworth Bldg., New York City. He brought the information that Francis H. May and Lee F. Welch, Jr., also finished Harvard Business School. Leo is working for his father in Indianapolis and Frank is working for the Owens-Illinois Glass Co., in Streator, Ill.

Frank Crosier, who spent two years with the class, resides now with his wife and son at 517 N. Walnut street, South Bend, and is working in the Bendix plant.

Ex-musician and Glee Club star Frank X. Schafer, class of '38, of South Bend is working for the American Foundry Equipment Co., in Mishawaka.

1939 Vincent DeCoursey, 25 Brush Creek, Kansas City, Mo.

From Vince DeCoursey:

If England had been prepared for Merry Adolp as well as this column was prepared for the first Little Yellow Card, Doctor Gurian's classes would no longer have to worry about the composition of the House of Commons. Digging frantically into the files, this little girl found a couple of huts, a couple of huts of huts of huts, the most amazing summer spoils of three letters and two cards came to light as all the possible source for pages and pages of material.

But of course, being a believer in the inspiration that comes only at the very last minute, we waited until came that and dawn were rewarded for our procrastination with a double o Surprised, quite a bit of information too.

To begin the new year, the new collector and custodian of material for this column and I sailed out of New Orleans late in June looking for submarines, and found Joe Harrington waiting on the dock in Panama. He was very kind to us, and to help anyone going there, if you can get in touch with him, it would be well to do so— we saw sights that most one-day visitors can't see. Only, if you don't like soldiers, sailors, and tough construction men don't go to Panama. But to make a very long story very short, after leaving Joe and returning to the stations, missing Jerry Kane, who came in from Peru to be married in Panama, and Jim Easby, who came in from the States, we dropped in on Fred Bigley in New York. Fred had just returned from a trip on the Gulf Coast the day we arrived and even under hardcaps showed us a wonderful time. He is working in the advertisement department of a certain newspaper in New Orleans.

Then back home and have had very little to do since. Whoever said that brokerage was a business, lied. But enough of woe. Cause for rejoicing was a pleasant and totally unexpected surprise—Frank Cusentino wrote saying that he was not going back to Harvard but was instead entering the Dominion Novitiate in, I believe, Biver Forest, Ill. Frank already has a younger brother, Donald, in the seminary and a third brother, Thomas, more, intelligent than Frank, and a better pair of priests it would be hard to imagine.

Dick Antes, being in town for the wedding, a very welcome and very surprising guest, said that he was still with the Drover's National Bank; that Ed was working at Fish and was doing some sort of tax work and had become real domestic. Charley Nelson almost came with Dick, but at the last minute couldn't. In that case a letter from Charley is almost certainly called for.

The saddest news that I received in the course of the entire period since graduation came in a card from New York saying that John Keen had died on June 18, and his funeral was to take place the following Friday. Pleading together stories that we have heard, John was sick quite a bit this winter and spring and the constant struggle affected his heart and the strain of fighting off a serious siege of pneumonia was too much. Those who knew John at school, the work that he did in the journal, and the name "the Scholastic," the Patricians and many other less well known activities, respected him because he was always putting himself out in his attempt to do some good with any knowledge. He is the first of the class to go since graduation and certainly God could not have a finer servant before Him.

Jim Gorman, terror of third floor Lyons, who dropped out before graduating (but not before making a lasting and very happy impression) dropped a wedding announcement my way last week. He was married on August 13 to Miss Ruth Hamacheck of Sheboygan, Wis. Unless memory is completely failing, Jim is an ex-Notre Dame basketball star, committed to my source of information, doing very well at it.

Denny Disein, the original mad scientist, wrote shortly after our return saying that on the day of our wedding, June 26, he became the proud father of twin girls. He was married last fall to a Miss Laura Graf, the home town girl, and he is presently working a semester in the factory of the U. S. Rubber Co., being connected with the research laboratory there. The address all which he can be reached is 260 Gregory Ave. in Fort Wayne.

Earlier in this column I forgot to mention that on returning home we missed Frank Cloh with the station by about ten minutes because our train was late. He was in town for about a week on business and he and the Bears had quite a time. Speaking of the Bearman family, on Sept. 7 they became a trio, a beautiful little girl being the addition. Mother, baby, Tom doing well.

And as long as this looks like a list of vital statistics, grab hold of something solid; Frank Gagliano was married Sept. 7 to Miss Harriet Finkbeiner in Pickering, Ill. Frank is the new basketball coach at the Greendale High school in Joliet, Ill., 40 miles outside Chicago.

The windsip of this rather short month, which really is about a quarter of a year, came in two unexpected and delightful surprises. First of all a call while I was hard at work at the office (never did take that what a man is called a "diving bird" and ending in "d") was the phone boxed and after a few minutes of more or less confused stammering around found that the person on the other end said that he was in the wagon. Having been fooled once before by a card from Be, that Joe was in Minnesota selling hybrid corn and I wish that I knew who wrote that card knew better than to believe it. But this time it was true and Joe was just pulling out, enroute for a visit in Iowa. Returning, though, we had quite a time one Friday night. As it turned
out, in addition to everything else, Joe was a mass of information on the class. Unfortunately some of the things he told me are not quite clear enough to write. Subject to confirmation this is some of it: Jade Sullivan has started up in the insurance racket in Chicago in partnership with Tom Floty. Frank Kelly is married and living in St. Augustine (I think), working in a lumber yard in Seashore. Rascoe has a splendid position with the Grace Line in Peru, and according to Jerry Kane, via Joe, should be an important person in the Grace organization one of these days. Joe had quite a bit of other information but would prefer to wait for confirmation on most of it before printing—this is a new policy, inaugurated this month and good till further notice at least one month in advance.

Just before sitting down to write the column the postman dropped a letter on my lap that was doubly welcome. Before going any further, any person in the world who has information on anyone in this class is perfectly welcome to send in letters, clippings, miscellaneous information, or what have you, at any time. So if someone outside in Seashore who might have any idea on some of the boys and is holding back because of some question of the propriety of it all, let him or her hold back no longer. This particularly chose individual who might have a letter full of news about Wisconsin folk mostly, and if Frank Parks can do as well, we'll forgive him, or do we have things backwards? Frank and Dick Berger are roommates in second year law at Wisconsin and told me (if I had their address) they'd get a letter. The O'Melias are both at Marquette and also in law.

Adolph "Butch" Kamm was married August 13 to Miss Mary Coury of St. Mary's and Santa Rosa, N. Y. They are living temporarily at 902 N. Leland St., South Bend. Butch is still with the newspaper of the same name. While on his way to the ceremony in New Mexico, Butch stopped off in Rocky Ford, Colo., to say hello to Joe Dunn and found him hard at work and quite happy. Jim Petillo (now where have I heard that name mentioned?) was married in June, but the bride's name is unknown and information would be appreciated.

And that seems to be about all for the first month of the second year of this class's notes. Next time, better—we hope. Would particularly like to hear from Dick Anton, Carl Nelson, Carl Frick, Tom Cremin, Charley Bennett, Jim Walsh, Hugh Garvey, and Bob Hoag before the snow falls; and from Julie Kristen (denying or confirming above) and Ed O'Connor sometime before Christmas. The new address is 295 Brush Creek (and no cracks!) Kansas City, Mo.

After holding down several temporary jobs and a year of trying to crash the aviation field, Norman made the grade and is now working in the payroll department of the Wright Aeronautical Corp., in Paterson, N. J.

Harvey Foster, LL.B., '39, who is with the F.B.I., stopped in the Alumni sanctum santorum August 12 on his way to Puerto Rico. Harvey reported that his wife had suffered an appendicitis operation in South Bend.

All Alumni who feel somewhat, proud of their prowess on the links will undoubtedly feel the pang of jealousy in noting the progress of Fred B. Govern, who carried an M.A. from the campus in '39. Fred swung around the Syracuse course in 81-78 to gain third place in the Central New York Open. At Rochester, in the Lake Shore Open, he bagged out a 76-78 for seventh amateur place in a field of 30 hopefuls. Fred collected plenty of prizes for winning the Catskill Mountain Invitational tourney in Stamford to conclude his golfing exhibitions.

Frank Bright (Law '40), of all people, was war-ried about passing the New Jersey bar exam. Frank said that Dave Gelber had gone through the exam with flying colors.

With the aid of the Placement Bureau and outside aid, the following 38ers have stepped into the employed class: Charles S. Reddy (Law '40) in Washington, D.C.; F. C. Toovey; Earl Winterrowd (Law '40) is one of J. Edgar Hoover's F.B.I. agents; Bob Wilson is working for Olive Farm Equipment, South Bend; John C. Byars (Law '40) is doing legal work for Travelers Insurance, South Bend; Augie Rossa, former football goalie, will head the coaching staff at Chaminade High School, Mineola, L. I., N. Y.

Jim McGeddieck, former captain and guard, is returning to Notre Dame for law and freshman coaching.

Louis Ottnner is traveling for the Gehr Bros. Milling of Watertown, Wis. Lou was married July 2 here at N. D.

Michael McGiire, who annanced an M.S. in '39 to go along with his B.S. in '39, is a chemist at Bell Band, Mishawaka, Ind., through the efforts of the Placement Bureau.

General Electric Contract Corp. boasts the presence of Fred Simon, of Waoo, Texas, in its organization in Memphis. Fred spent last year in the University of Texas Law School.

Four of "our Irish" with the Marine Corps stationed at Quantico, Va., are Fenton J. Mo, (Law '40), Louis Mo, (Law '40), Benjamin Kennedy, M.A., '40, and George H. Haggerty, '40.

Louis F. McNear, Alexandria, La., took his temporary C.S.C. vows, after completing his novitiate, among a group of seminarians at St. Joseph's Novitiate, Rollins Prairie, Ind., in July.

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Robert G. Sanford, 3554 N. Maryland Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.

Joe Mulqueen, Council Bluffs, Iowa, is back at Notre Dame for graduate courses in the Department of Social Work, was elected by the class in the summer's mail ballot as a director of the Alumni Association for 1941-42.

Bob Sanford gets away to this elegant start: My bright outlook for the news of the class of '40 is already well overshadowed by dark clouds of little news. Bill Dooley told me that I was very optimistic in my expectations of quick replies to my numerous letters, but he soothed my bitter feelings by sending me enough news to take care of the first publication. However, in the following issues I will be counting on each one of you to make this class news the greatest of all by letting me know all about your activities.

A few very informative letters were received during the summer months and it really is a great pleasure to have a few regular contributors who will come through every month. Dave Spraker, the secretary of the engineers of Mo, seemed to have finished his first leg of his student life and thus far has consisted in checking and computing the salaries from the time cards. He works hard and very seldom goes out during the week. Just like Notre Dame, isn't it? I have no information on members of the class of '40 having invaded Milwaukee and are doing well in their work. Floyd Sullivan is in the Pfleugard General Electric Co. selling air-conditioning and heating units. From all I have seen, he is very prosperous and has little trouble in making himself at home in Milwaukee. Joe Schmidt came to the home town after spending a couple of months in Wausau in a training course. He is working in the advertising department of the Employers Mutual Insurance Company.

I drove to West Bend to see what Matt Goring was doing, but, instead of seeing him, I spent an interesting hour or two with his father. Matt is working for the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. He lives in Chicago now, but is now up in Minneapolis, and in the time this is published he may be some place else. His Minneapolis address is: 527 14th Ave. S.E., Minneapolis, Minn.

Three great personalities are living together in Chicago now. "Big Jim" Donovan, Jerry Dono­van, and John Garvan are living in Chicago and managing to see each other. Jim and Jerry are working with Kemper Insurance, and Johnny is working for Morton Salt Co. I've tried to get hold of these boys when I was in Chicago, but they never seem to be home. Their address is 936 Gunston St., Chicago.

Received two cards in the mail last week, one from John Roadner in Genoa, Ohio, and...
the other from Jim Sullivan in Hamburgh, N. Y. John was going for graduate work in chemistry. Bob was returning for graduate work in physics. Wally Babcock has taken some extra work on the campus. Ed Keen is following graduate work in aeronautics. Bernie Sullivan is taking Mechanical Engineering at N.D. John Reddy and John Reed are back for further work in graduate studies. Bob Sullivan, grand knight of the Knights of Columbus on the campus, is in the Law School and teaching freshman football. Gene Kiler is following graduate work in Metalsurgy. Others of our class are taking graduate work at other schools. The following will be at the Harvard Law School, if expectations and reports prove: Paul Henan, Joe Han- nan, Tom Hackett, Tom Ford, John Dillon, Bill Doughtery, Edlwood Lavery, and John Meaney.

Harry Boisvert has a law scholarship at Catholic University. Bob Windheim is coach at Abbey School, Canon City, Colo. Johnny McIntyre is coach at Crystal Lake, Ill., High School. Steve Sitko is with the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. in Jackson, Mich. Joe O'Connell is going to George Washington University. Steve Miller is at M.I.T. for graduate work. Mike Corran is coaching and teaching at St. Johns, Mich. Tommy Fitzpatrick is a physical education teacher and coach in the Oakland Public Schools in California. He is going to Albany Law School, Albany, N. Y. Pete Kelly is at Fordham Law School. Bill Kerr is coaching at the high school in Goshen, Ind. Ben Sheridan is coaching at the John Adams High School, South Bend.

Chuck Riddle is coaching at the Vincentian Institute (C.S.C. school), Albany, N. Y. Cap Johnny Kelly is coaching at the Canterbury School, New Milford, Conn. Lou Zontini is in the professional football league with the Chicago Cardinals. Jack Thesing, after being elected the only Notre Dame man on the starting All-Star team, is athletic director at the Fenwick Club in Cincinnati. Nate Bond is coaching at the high school in Greenville, Ohio. Rex Ellis is playing football with the Cincinnati Reds. Ted Leonas is working for his Master's at Chicago Normal. Bob Lawrence is coach at the high school in Peabody, Kansas. Bob McLeod and Ben Harrington both attended the Republican Convention in Philadelphia.

Bill Fay, editor of the "Scholastic," is continuing his journalism work as a reporter for the "Post Gazette" in Pittsburgh. Wern from St. Mary's that Joe Mulqueen is back at school, working toward his Master's. Joe Sotak has picked the University of Michigan for graduate work. Frank Guindon is continuing his study in journalism at Bridgewater State Teacher's College, Bridgewater, Mass. Bill Joyce wrote a short note saying that he is working in the insurance business with his brother in Tempe, Ariz. Hank Engel is working in Chicago at the Providence Washington Insurance Co. Just heard that Jack Deane, lawyer, is assistant football coach at Marquette High School in Milwaukee.

The news in this issue is rather limited, but as soon as everyone is back at work we will have a much better column. It's more interesting to have a few long items about a number of the fellows than these short notices that are not very interesting. Before the next issue we would like to hear from all of you, both those that were mentioned and especially those who have gone into hiding since June. Be assured that all letters will be answered as soon as possible and that there is an open invitation to one and all, at all times, to submit letters.

Last minute adds from the Placentem Bureau: Rex Ellis is athletic director and basketball coach at Ryder College, Trenton, N. J. Elmer Chaput is back at N. D. for graduate work in chemistry. Fred Wulf is in the industrial relations department of the Oliver Iron Mining Company, Duluth, a U. S. Steel subsidiary. Joe Gaccione is with Young, Fitzgerald & Co., public accountants, at 141 West Jackson Blvd., Chicago. John Wolf, Mistawaka, is, for the first semester, teaching accounting in the College of Commerce in the place of Professor Watson, who is on leave for the semester.

**NEW YEAR BEGINS**

(Continued from Page 4) Ohio State University to the organic research division of the Department of Chemistry, as an instructor.

Electrical engineering adds as instructor Harold E. Ellithorn and P. A. Guarino, both formerly connected with the Hygrade Sylvania Corp., Salem, Mass.

The Department of Mathematics adds an assistant professor, an instructor, and a teaching fellow in the persons, respectively, of J. J. Kelly, Ph.D., formerly on the staff of Johns Hopkins University; John P. Nash, Ph.D., formerly of Rice Institute, and Charles V. Robinson, Ph.D., formerly on the faculty of the U. of Missouri.

The department of zoology adds John Mizelle, Ph.D., as an instructor, formerly of Oklahoma A. and M.

**Mass Opens Year Officially**

On September 15, speaking to the student body at the St. John's High School marking the opening of the 1938-39 academic year, Rev. J. Hugh O'Donnell, president of the University, embodied in his sermon the deep underlying faith present on Nov. 26, 1842, when Father Sorin first set foot on the campus of the University he was to found.

"Today, as we gather here in solemn service to ask God's blessing on another academic year, the international horizon is dark with the grim spectre of war. Our national outlook is bedimmed with the grim spectre of war. Our national outlook is bedimmed with..."
The University of Notre Dame du Lac  
Notre Dame, Indiana, U. S. A.

Colleges and Departments

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND LETTERS  
Department of Religion  
Department of Philosophy  
Department of English  
Department of Classics  
Department of Modern Language  
Department of History  
Department of Economics  
Department of Politics  

Department of Sociology  
Department of Social Work  
Department of Education  
Department of Physical Education  
Department of Art  
Department of Music  
Department of Speech  
Department of Journalism  

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE  
Department of Biology  
Department of Chemistry  
Department of Mathematics  
(Special programs for pre-medical and for pre-dental students)

Department of Physics

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING  
Department of Civil Engineering  
Department of Mechanical Engineering  
Department of Electrical Engineering  
Department of Architecture  

Department of Mining Engineering  
Department of Chemical Engineering  
Department of Metallurgy  
Department of Aeronautical Engineering

Department of Engineering Drawing

COLLEGE OF LAW

COLLEGE OF COMMERCE  
Department of Finance  
Department of Business Administration

Department of Foreign Commerce  
Department of Accounting

GRADUATE SCHOOL  
Philosophy  
History  
Politics  

Biology  
Chemistry  
Mathematics

English  
Economics  
Sociology  
Social Work

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS

Notre Dame

GROUP I—Nine Required (Ten in Science and Engineering)  
English (all Colleges)………………………………………... 1 unit  
History (all Colleges)………………………………………1 unit  
Algebra (all Colleges)………………………………………1 unit  
Geometry (all Colleges)……………………………………1 unit  
Science (Eng. and Sci. - Physics required)…………………1 unit  
Language (all Colleges)……………………………………2 units  

Science (except for pre-medical course) and Engineering  
require ½ unit each of Int. or Adv. Algebra, and  
Solid Geometry.

GROUP II  
English, 4th year………………………………………………1 unit  
Latin………………………………………………………...2 to 4 units  
Greek………………………………………………………...2 or 3 units  
French………………………………………………………2 to 4 units  
German………………………………………………………2 to 4 units  
Spanish………………………………………………………2 to 4 units  
History………………………………………………………2 units  

Algebra (Int. or Adv.)…………………………………………….½ unit  

Solid Geometry………………………………………………½ unit  

Trigonometry…………………………………………………½ unit  

Physiology……………………………………………………½ unit  

Astronomy……………………………………………………½ unit  

Botany…………………………………………………………½ unit  

Zoology…………………………………………………………½ unit  

Chemistry…………………………………………………..……1 unit  

Physics…………………………………………………………1 unit

GROUP III—(Not more than Three counted)  
Electives—Any subjects which High School accredits.

MINIMUM TOTAL REQUIRED…………………………...15 units

NOTE TO ALUMNI

Please urge early registration, preferably  
first semester of the senior high school year  
or earlier, for relatives or friends. Three  
advantages accrue:

1. The applicant is sure of coming within  
the quota of the College of the University  
he chooses, if accepted.

2. The applicant is sure of securing a  
room on the campus, if accepted.

3. The applicant learns upon application  
of any deficiencies in entrance requirements,  
before completing high school.

Action on the above suggestions will pre­ 
vant many of the disappointments to alumni  
and friends which occurred this year in con­ 
junction with a capacity enrollment well  
ahead of the opening of school.