Afternoon Mass in Dillon Hall with Father Gerald McMahon as Celebrant
SIN OR "SCIENCE"

A month or so ago, this column pointed out the stupidity of those modern writers who approve sex irregularities under an alleged "new scientific, progressive" attitude.

One of the reviewers of the New York Times book section hailed a recent novel dealing with incest. She blurbs approvingly: "Incest has been here examined.... with none of the sinister hocus-pocus by which a creaking morality is usually substituted for understanding." And this lack of understanding, she says, is due to "the incorrigible moralism of our culture" and "our incomplete transition from sin to science."

A typical example of a broad-minded intellectual being just flat-headed and dumb. If she read any history, she would know that just before Rome's fall, many of the degraded Romans "understood" and approved the beast in man—and practiced all the sex irregularities of our day, including incest.

And, while they understood and approved, they didn't excuse it by calling it a "scientific" attitude.

A NATION OF OLD PEOPLE

Medical schools preparing their students for the future are stressing geriatrics—the study and treatment of diseases of old age. Geriatrics is beginning to rival and supplant pediatrics, or the care of children.

Medical progress has lengthened the average life span or expectancy, and with more people living longer, the treatment of diseases of old age is becoming a specialty.

The doctors also see that our birth-rate has been falling steadily (except for the temporary flurry caused by war marriages, etc.) and that we are destined to become a nation of old people, with old people far outnumbering youth. The effect of this on industry, homes and reconstruction work, taxes, education and our Army and Navy—if another war come, which God forbid—will be disas-

trous even if not clearly appreciated yet.

Responsibility can be laid fully at the door of that "scientific" birth-control, preached by Mrs. Sanger and adopted by our "scientific" educators, sociologists and writers.

Within our time, conditions will force an about-face and it will become not only moral but patriotic to have larger families.

"THERE'LL ALWAYS BE AN ENGLAND"

The English have awakened and tossed "scientific" limitation of families out the window as phoney "science" and harmful to the welfare of the country.

The authors of the English Beveridge Plan, providing for post-war social security, are honest and really scientific when they state that the English race is headed for extinction if the birth-rate continues to decline. The authors state flatly and clearly that one of the main aims of the whole plan is to raise the birth-rate. To accomplish that they provide cash maternity benefits and weekly cash allowances to parents for children under 15 years, whether the parent is employed or unemployed.

Consider now the widely-hailed plan of our National Resources Planning Board. Undoubtedly infected by the "scientific" teaching of Mrs. Sanger and her affiliated group, our Planning Board was utterly—and dishonestly—silent about our falling birth-rate and its direful effect on the country. It therefore made no mention of maternity benefits or payment to aid in the rearing of children.

It did, however, propose to give educational aid to children over the compulsory school age. Probably it intends to send them all to college!

If all of the Plan was as unscientific—and dishonest—as its silence on our falling birth-rate indicates, no wonder it met such a flat reception in the United States—and rejection by Congress.

SCIENCE AND PRAYER

Medical men are also emphasizing more and more the mental and spiritual elements in treating certain ailments. Increasingly, medical authorities admit the limitations of science alone and are realizing the truth of the late Dr. Charles Mayo's statement that "The mental and spiritual factor in disease varies from 65 to 75 percent."

Medical research continues to disclose the prominent part that anxiety, fear and worry play as a cause in many ailments, particularly many types of ulcers, of heart disease and of break-downs, the number of which are increasing at an alarming rate. This growth is due to the stepped-up tempo of our life, increasing burdens and decreasing trust and confidence in God and His Providence, or loving care for us.

We know many priests and Catholic doctors who are recommending prayer, particularly the rosary, in periods of stress and anxiety.

OUR LADY—HEALTH OF THE SICK

One young N. D. graduate relates how he was told that his ulcer was so advanced and hopeless that he could expect at best a life of invalidism, if not actual confinement to a bed. He started the rosary cure, grabbing it at every attack of jitters. Today, four months later, he is pronounced almost completely cured and is returning to work—and the doctor humbly disclaims credit.

Another person paid $1,200 to a psychiatrist without any help or relief from severe jitters and hysteria. Relief came by following the advice of a wise old parish priest in confession, who said: "Listen, when you feel one of these attacks coming, just grab your Rosary, say two or three Hail Marys to Our Lady for the grace to laugh at yourself, not to take yourself too seriously."

Using the Rosary can bring back some of the peace and tranquility that is used to be given us at the Grotto by Our Lady.

October is the month of the rosary, a proper time to turn back to the rosary and to the Queen of Peace, whether our anxiety is born on the battlefield, in the office or at home.

48 - 18

That isn't a football score. It represents the fact that the human being has to use 48 muscles all over his puss in a scowl or frown, only 18 in a smile.

God evidently intended that we smile more than frown. At least, he made smiling a lot easier.

We can smile more easily and more often if we have the peace of God in our hearts, "that peace which the world cannot give."

That peace in the face of increased burdens and sorrows must be grounded on the realization that, in the state of grace we are Sons of God destined for an eternal home of happiness, earned for us by our elder Brother, Christ, through suffering.

Our sufferings can be made to pay off if we accept them and offer them up in union with Christ, through the Mass especially.
Universal Communion Sunday Dec. 5

Program Begun by New York City Club in 1938
Should Find Real Response From All Other Clubs
This Year; Idea is Most Perfect Form for N.D. Unity

In 1938, the Notre Dame Club of New York City, under the leadership of Daniel J. O'Neil, president, launched the idea of a Universal Notre Dame Communion Sunday, to be held nearest the feast of the Immaculate Conception.

Immediate and favorable response from the Club made that first event outstanding. Postmaster General Frank C. Walker was the toastmaster. Monsignor Fulton Sheen was the speaker. Bishop John F. O'Hara, C.S.C., then president of Notre Dame, broadcast from South America during the breakfast which followed the Mass in St. Patrick's Cathedral, celebrated by the late Msgr. Lalvelle.

Twelve other Notre Dame Clubs accepted the New York Club's invitation to join in this significant and appropriate annual observation of the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, so close to the heart of Notre Dame and Notre Dame men.

The ensuing years have found varying response. The upheaval of the war in Europe and the increasing tempo of our own preparation for almost inevitable involvement was climaxed most tragically on Dec. 7, 1941, and the declaration of war on the following day, the Feast of the Immaculate Conception.

But for Notre Dame men this only doubles the significance of the Universal Communion Sunday created to honor Our Lady on this occasion. All of the love, all of the prayers of peace time remain, and added now are the prayers for the 3,700 Notre Dame men already in the armed forces, the 61 Notre Dame men who have given their lives. No form of prayer could be more effective in achieving peace and the happier hopes of the world than this honoring of the Mother of God through Mass and Communion.

Few of the restrictions that interfere with Club meetings of other types apply to this form of observance.

The absence of Club members in the service should be just an added incentive for those who remain to take part.

This is an occasion on which the Club members can include their families, as all who are in the Notre Dame family in its largest sense share the motives and the benefits.

The Alumni Board would like to see this Universal Communion Sunday of 1943, one of the most critical years in the world's history, made the occasion on Dec. 5 for a real observance by every Local Club. The reasons are as obvious as they are numerous. Many Clubs number gold stars on their membership roll. All Club number service stars. Every Notre Dame man and his family have a deep stake in the war and in the peace to come. Where better to turn than to Notre Dame, Virgin most powerful, Comforter of the afflicted.

Governor Kelly Commencement Speaker

Notre Dame's 100th Commencement, long awaited and long planned, was announced by Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., president, to be held on Friday, Oct. 29.

War has modified its original scope severely, but in its present plans are the symbol and the implications that were to mark the formal closing of the University's centenary year.

This 100th Commencement will be the last formal commencement for the duration. Those coming after this Class of 1944, — which numbers 209 on the program but an indefinitely smaller group in those who will be present to receive their degrees — will be awarded degrees in convocations at the close of each of the three war-year semesters now embodied in the calendar year.

Hon. Harry F. Kelly, '17, governor of Michigan, veteran of World War I, former president of the Notre Dame Alumni Association, will deliver the Commencement address at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon, in Washington Hall.

The baccalaureate Mass will be celebrated in Sacred Heart Church at 9 o'clock on Friday morning.

Most Rev. William P. O'Connor, D.D., Ph.D., bishop of Superior, Wis., will preach the baccalaureate sermon. Bishop O'Connor, consecrated in 1942, is a veteran-chaplain of World War I, and a former president of the American Catholic Philosophical Association. He was a member of the faculty of St. Francis Seminary, Milwaukee, for many years.

The Mass will be celebrated by Most Rev. John F. Noll, D.D., LL.D., bishop of Fort Wayne. The flag presented to the University by the Class of 1944 will be blessed at the Mass.

A special feature of this historic commencement, echoing its original scope, will be the reading of a letter from His Holiness, Pope Pius XII, to the University on the occasion of its centenary. Notre Dame was one of the stops made by the present pope when he visited this country as Cardinal Pacelli, and it has remained close to his heart.

Leo T. Crowley, recently appointed as foreign economic administrator after a brilliant record in business and public affairs, will be among those to be

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Notre Dame—What’s It Like Now?

Much Remains the Same but There Are Many Changes;
Only Some 600 Civilian Students Out of 2,500 Total.

(See Pictures on Pages 16 and 17)

Notre Dame—what’s it like now?

Well, as we’ve said in earlier issues, it’s still Notre Dame. Father O’Donnell and Father Cavanaugh still run the school from the front end of the Main Building, second floor. Father John Burke is still in charge of discipline. Brother Angelus is still the guestmaster, Brother Boniface is still the c.o. of the servers, and you still buy your books from Brother Meinrad and his associates.

Doctor Cooney still commands the northwest sector of the library, ground floor. Professor Fenlon still lives in Sorin and Dean McCarthy still presides in the Commerce precincts. Mr. Connolly is the Eisenhower of the Dining Hall, and Mr. Hoar is the MacArthur of the Laundry. Bill Roach rules the barber shop brigade (increased to eight chairs of late).

There’s football practice, and we’re having home games. The Scholastic comes out nearly every Friday. The familiar fall chill is in the air.

And, above all, the Lady on the Dome still holds her sway.

Notre Dame, at bottom and at the top, is still very decidedly Notre Dame. But there are vast differences.

The atmosphere of the campus is warlike. With only some 600 civilian students out of a total of 2,500, it could hardly be otherwise. Add to the 1,900 naval students the 1,200 midshipmen who are on the campus but who are not Notre Dame students, and you have a pretty large naval establishment. Then mix in a large quota of naval administrative personnel and teaching personnel and you can see the result.

Is it any wonder that anywhere on the campus, practically any time of the day, you have to wait for a line of marching feet to pass? Or that sometimes there’s scarcely a civilian in the Caf?

There would be no point in claiming that the beginnings of the Navy’s V-12 program at Notre Dame in July were all serene. They weren’t. Beginnings of anything so huge and so different seldom are. For instance, many of the V-12s had been to other colleges and universi-
Father Sorin's Notre Dame

In Which the Rich Traditions of a Christian Culture Are Rooted in the Rugged Manual Demands of a School on America's Frontier

By Rev. Thomas T. McAvoy, C.S.C., '25, University Archivist

(Ed. Note: Under the guidance of Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., president of Notre Dame, the University has stood forth in this war era with a dual record of achievement, full cooperation with the government in its war effort, and at the same time a preservation of the traditions of the liberal arts as embodied in the history of the University. How deep-rooted these traditions are, and how carefully they have been nourished through other periods of adversity, is shown in the following article for which the ALUMNUS is indebted to Rev. Thomas T. McAvoy, C.S.C., '25, whose work in the rich archives of the University brings here another chapter of detail. Much of this was impossible to embody in the compact yet comprehensive history which

Rev. Arthur J. Hope, C.S.C., '20, so ably prepared for the Centenary.)

Had Montalembert added a new chapter to his Monks of the West, this chapter might well have told the story of Father Edward Sorin's frontier school in the wilderness of northern Indiana. Before Sorin, the patriarch of the western missions, Stephen Theodore Badin, had chosen the site—a small clearing overlooking Lake St. Mary—but only a builder like Sorin could have foretold, as he did on that cold Nov. 26, 1842, of the future of this log cabin school.

The Brothers who rejoiced to share his physical sufferings from cold and hunger, the South Bend fur trader Coquillard, the friendly neighbors who helped him construct the new log chapel, all saw in this tall strong Frenchman the pioneering spirit of Western monasticism. His piercing eye and his firm set chin spoke much more clearly than his meager English of the college of Notre Dame he intended to build. Within a year the miracle began to unfold. Students began to arrive from distant families and a brick building arose within the increased clearing. The bricks of the new building were made by the Brothers, who made other bricks for sale and tended the growing farm.

Additional priests and Brothers and Sisters of Holy Cross came to fill out the outlines of this school in the wilderness. Before the brick building had been occupied, in January, 1844, the State of Indiana granted a charter to this new University of Notre Dame.

Sorin and his companions would have resented the suggestion that this was not Our Lady's school, but to the bishops of the United States, to Purcell, Spalding, and Hughes and to all who knew, this was Sorin's school as well as Notre Dame's. Sorin was the product of post-revolutionary French Catholicism and his community belonged to that revived Catholicism. Certainly his college must teach Latin and Greek, mathematics and philosophy, just as the French colleges did, when suitable students could be found; but for the present wilderness, manual trades and more practical learning were needed in this frontier environment. Thus was begun the first of Sorin's battles, that for the very survival of his school, a battle that lasted nearly the whole of his 50 years at Notre Dame.

Notre Dame of the 1840's was a monastery school on the frontier with but a hope for a college; but, while the apprentices learned their trades and the priests spent their free time visiting the Catholics of the neighboring towns, serious efforts were made to teach the arts. Father Michael Shawe was brought to the college to teach the higher forms of English poetry and prose. Newly arrived French clergymen, while acting as missionaries to the other settlements, taught

Very Rev. Edward Sorin, C.S.C.
Latin and Greek and French. A layman, Max Girac, was hired to teach music. Oratory of a flowery sort and declamations were insisted upon. How these priests must have smiled at these earnest efforts when they remembered their own seminary training in France!

Yet, in Indiana of that day these accomplishments were not small. Sorin, his companions, Fathers Alexis Granger and Francis Cointet, Brothers Vincent, Gaten and Lawrence, and the laymen, Girac and Joseph Lyons, had the aggressiveness of the typical American frontiersmen, sanctified by the religious spirit of mediaeval Europe. They had also that mediaeval devotion to the Blessed Virgin which Henry Adams saw as the dynamo in the building of Europe’s great cathedrals. Here was the spirit of Catholic France on the American frontier. Others, typical of the Catholic immigrants of the day, came to work in this monastic school, such as the Fathers James and Patrick Dillon, William Corby, Paul Gillen and Peter Paul Cooney. But the frontier fight for subsistence was not easily won.

Sometimes poverty seemed victorious, as when the horses were unhitched from the plow to prevent the foreclosure of a mortgage; and more than once cholera devastated the ranks of faculty and students alike. Yet, when the Civil War came, a growing Notre Dame sent eight priests as chaplains and many students as soldiers in the service of the Union. And when the war was over prosperity required a newer and better college building. Archbishop John Martin Spalding came from Baltimore in 1866 to attend the unveiling of the statue of Our Lady above the new Notre Dame whose students came from all sections of American Catholicism.

Sorin had that ruggedness and courage with which the American pioneer conquered the wilderness and went on to create new standards. He established the first free school for manual training in the West. He was one of the first to install steam heat in his new building. He established the first Catholic law school and the first Catholic school of engineering in the country. He began publishing The Ave Maria in 1855 and planned a shrine for Our Lady. But suddenly when the wilderness college seemed to be attaining maturity, on April 23, 1879, a devastating fire reduced Sorin’s college to ashes—consisting of brick and stone but really built of the faith, the zeal and spirit of Edward Sorin. About him labored others, such as Father Alexis Granger, the Saint of the campus; Father Thomas Walsh, the brilliant orator; Father William Corby, the builder; Father Joseph Carrier, the scientist; and Father August Lemonnier, the student. But when Notre Dame celebrated Sorin’s golden jubilee in 1888, Cardinal James Gibbons, Archbishop John Ireland and other leaders of the church came to the monastic town to celebrate the handiwork and the life of Edward Sorin. Death soon closed his long career. Soon after Sorin, Granger, Walsh and Corby followed him to their reward.

Within a few months the new and greater Notre Dame arose from these ashes—consisting of brick and stone but really built of the faith, the zeal and spirit of Edward Sorin. About him labored others, such as Father Alexis Granger, the Saint of the campus; Father Thomas Walsh, the brilliant orator; Father William Corby, the builder; Father Joseph Carrier, the scientist; and Father August Lemonnier, the student. But when Notre Dame celebrated Sorin’s golden jubilee in 1888, Cardinal James Gibbons, Archbishop John Ireland and other leaders of the church came to the monastic town to celebrate the handiwork and the life of Edward Sorin. Death soon closed his long career. Soon after Sorin, Granger, Walsh and Corby followed him to their reward.

The second generation of Notre Dame possessed no second Sorin, but the age of the frontiersman had passed. America’s pioneer was no longer the trapper and the hunter but the pioneer of the nineteenth century science. Notre Dame continued to have monastic scholars, Fathers John Scheier, Stanislaus Fitté and Nicholas Stoffel and William Hoynes and James Edwards who labored in the classrooms to improve the standards in the teaching of the arts.

But in the spirit of the time it was a young favorite of Father Sorin, Father John Augustine Zahm, who carried on his work in building the greater Notre Dame. Ordained in 1876 with the gentle Father Daniel Hudson, who achieved his own success in the field of religious journalism as editor of The Ave Maria, Zahm was made almost at once vice-president and head of the department of science.

Associated with him were Fathers Alexander and Joseph Kirsch and his brother, Albert Zahm, the studious pioneer in aerial navigation. Science Hall soon boasted of all the equipment that limited resources could obtain and investigations were encouraged in line with the expanding physical sciences of the turn of the century. Although never destined to be actually the president of Notre Dame, Zahm as Provincial Superior, became the second founder of the college by making the first great improvement on the plan of Father Sorin. He himself wrote on the physics of sound and music, and, after the opening attacks of Darwinians on religion, he prepared lectures and learned treatises to deny the pretended conflict between science and religion. He gave to the younger men of Holy Cross opportunities for study and made Notre Dame’s scientific leadership real not only by his writings and by his activities in the new Summer Schools but also by active participation in international scientific congresses.

Zahm anticipated by a generation our recent interest in Latin America. And, when retired from his leadership at Notre Dame, he headed scientific expeditions to Mexico and South America, one of which was with ex-President Theodore Roosevelt, and he wrote captivating books of travel and description based upon those explorations. To his contributions to science and Pan-America at Notre Dame he added also one of the finest Dante collections in the new world. Zahm had the zeal of the empire builders of the growing America and while he was checked so often by the limited resources at his command he gave a forward impetus to the college that carried Notre Dame to accomplishments beyond its meager physical assets.

Zahm’s years of active leadership lasted only about a decade after Sorin, and one of his final acts as Provincial Superior was the appointment of the brilliant orator and scholar, Father John W. Cavanaugh, as president of Sorin’s Notre Dame. Father Cavanaugh’s voice possesses the mellow tones suited to the Ruskin-like imagery of his speech. His defense of classical education came from his personal yearnings after deeper culture. Although most of his higher education came through hard study while he preferred the student halls of Notre Dame, he could read with pleasure the classic lines of Virgil and the other Latin poets, knew the literary masterpieces of the Western world and had filled his mind with the finest of English poetry and prose. Taken from the quiet of the cloister to guide the destinies of the young college of Notre Dame, he formed living youths instead of writing books. His admirers were legion and for them Notre Dame meant the president of Notre Dame, the charming talker, the inspirer.

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STUDENT NOTES

If we can pull our eyes away from Ann Arbor — this is the week before the Michigan game — we'll tell you about —

The Georgia Tech week-end: it was made permanently notable, doubtless, by that 55-13 score, when all the campus had been hoping for victory by one touchdown or less; but the Engineers Ball and the N.R.O.T.C. Ball, both on Friday night, added color and zest to the week-end. A dance in the Navy's campus drill hall on Saturday night was an innovation of the week-end, and a remarkably successful one. Oh yes, — the weather was perfect — nothing less!

The band, about half Navy and Marine (wearing their regular uniforms), and half civilian, did a magnificent job between the halves. H. Lee Hope, its director, has his troubles all week too, what with practices at 6 P.M. on Carrier Field every night. The majority can't get there earlier.

Clashmore Mike, the team mascot for these many years, reappeared in time for the game after being lost for several days. He was found in the northwest end of South Bend by certain young sons of certain suspicious characters. There was talk that it was all a publicity stunt. For further information, see the academic publicity director of the University.

The University of Notre Dame lost a distinguished friend, honorary alumnus, and benefactor, when Martin J. Gillen, lawyer-economist, died on Sept. 22 in the beautiful surroundings of Land-O'Lakes, Wis., which through his generosity had already become the property of Notre Dame.

Mr. Gillen was buried on Sept. 25 from St. Patrick's Church, Racine, Wis., where a parochial school was built by him as a memorial to his mother. Most Rev. John F. O'Hara, C.S.C., D.D., celebrated the Requiem Mass. Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., president of Notre Dame, represented the University, as did Revs. Patrick Haggerty, C.S.C., and John Devers, C.S.C., of Watertown, Wis., and Rev. Edward Keller, C.S.C.

Mr. Gillen had a rich background of legal practice, which he broadened with business administration and an intensive study of economics. He became the friend of several presidents, many senators and governors. Bernard Baruch, Joseph Tumulty and many high figures in public life extended their condolences at the time of his death.

In 1915 Martin Gillen drew up a plan for industrial mobilization, and in 1917 a plan for municipal mobilization, both of which caused his call to Washington in World War I as a $1-a-year economic advisor. Another of his great contributions to economics was his "international balance sheet" between the U.S. and the world, drawn up in 1922. He helped evolve a plan of gathering farm data which is still in use.

His gift of some 6,000 acres of land surrounding his summer home in Land-O'Lakes, on the Wisconsin-Michigan border, gives Notre Dame a magnificent tract which tentatively is to be developed for scientific research, with the possibility of a boys camp and other academic development.

Mr. Gillen, an honorary LL.D. in 1935, is survived by his brother, Edward, of Milwaukee, and a sister, Mrs. Kenneth Higby, Ripon, Wis.
FOOTBALL

Faced with a ten-game schedule every bit as tough as the 1942 grind, the Fighting Irish of 1943 got off to a flying start with a 41-0 win over a weak Pitt eleven on Sept. 25.

Despite the overwhelming score, the largest in the Notre Dame-Pittsburgh series since its inception in 1909, the coaching staff emphasizes the need for plenty of hard fundamental drills before plunging in to the remainder of the schedule. Pittsburgh was a woefully weak machine, hardly better than a good high school eleven. Although in streaks the Irish looked exceptionally polished during the opener, poor ball handling and timing of backs made it apparent that the boys still need a lot of hard work to strengthen this phase of the team's attack.

After a month of fall practice and a little game experience under their belts, it has become fairly evident that Notre Dame will have a good first team, but will be sadly lacking in reserve strength. The decline in the caliber of talent between first and second teams leaves no doubt that Coach Frank Leahy will be forced to utilize many 60-minute ball players during the campaign.

Notre Dame, although inaccurately heralded as one of the fortunate universities that has "thousands" of naval trainees from whom to choose its football team, failed to inherit much actual talent from other schools in the Navy V-12 program. As a matter of cold fact less than 1,900 V-12 trainees are studying on the Notre Dame campus. And at this writing it appears that only six have shown sufficient ability to be carried on the traveling squad.

Julius Rykovich, a fine running back, is a Marine transfer from the University of Illinois where he was a standout freshman candidate last year; John Perko, second string right guard, is a Marine transfer from the University of Minnesota, as is Vic Kubitski, at present holding down the second string fullback spot. Ray Davis, second string right halfback, is a Marine transfer from the University of Idaho. Ray Kuffel, a Marine transfer from Marquette, is playing left end on the second team, while Mike Todorovich, a Marine transfer from Washington university in St. Louis, is alternating with Notre Dame's own Jack Zilly as right end on the second team.

Angelo Bertelli, whose uncanny accuracy with his passes has pulled many a game out of the fire for Notre Dame, is proving to be a calm, efficient field general for the Irish this year in his quarter-back spot. He will be available for only the first six games, as will Capt. Pat Filley, who is, as last year, an iron man in the line. After the Navy game these two stalwarts, attending Notre Dame under the Marine V-12 program, will be sent to Parris Island, S. C., for advanced training, as will all other seniors under the Marine program. Johnny Lujack, sophomore passing sensation from Connellsville, Pa., will probably be shifted to succeed Bert. Either Perko or Meter will probably be moved up to fill Pat Filley's position.

At this writing, except for Julius Rykovich, the first team is composed of men who played for Notre Dame in 1942. Paul Limont, Hyannis, Mass., gives promise of capably filling All-American Bob Dove's shoes at left end, pressed close by Ray Kuffel, and Mike Todorovich. At left tackle, Jim White, Edge-water, N. J., second string tackle last fall, has top hand, followed by Pete Berezney, Jersey City, N. J., and George Sullivan, Walpole, Mass. Behind Capt. Pat Filley at left guard is John Perko. Three lads, Herb Coleman, last year's monogram winner from Chester, W. Va., Frank Szymonak, a converted tackle from Detroit, and Art Statero, Sangus, Mass., rank in that order for the center post. Sophomore Joe Signaigo, Memphis, Tenn., is the starter at right guard, followed by Bernie Meter, Cleveland, O., and Gaspar Urban, Lynn, Mass. Ziggy Czarobski, Chicago, has won his spurs at right tackle, pressed by John Adams, Charlestown, Ark. John Yonakor, Dorchester, Mass., holds a slight edge over Jack Zilly, Southington, Conn., with Jim Flanagan, West Roxbury, Mass., running third.

Ranking behind Bertelli in the quarter-back post are Johnny Lujack, who alternates between left halfback and quarterback, and Frank Dancewicz, Lynn, Mass. The left halfback job is divided between Lujack and reliable Creighton Miller, Wilmington, Del., followed by Ray Davis, while the aforementioned Rykovich holds down the right halfback spot, followed by Bob Kelly, Chicago, and Bob Palladino, Nat-ick, Mass., Jim Mello, West Warwick, R. I., a letter winner last year, appears to have the fullback situation well in hand, with Bob Hanlon, Chicago, and Vic Kubitski, Marine transfer from Minnesota, vying for second team honors.

This is the group of iron men who must necessarily take most of the responsibility for carrying the Irish through a suicide schedule. After tangling with Georgia Tech, rated the strongest team in the South, and Michigan, rated even stronger than last year (remember?), the Blue and Gold faces a dangerous Wisconsin team; an Illinois squad that scored 13 points on the Iowa Seabawks a few weeks ago; a Navy team reported to be the best in recent years; an Army squad touted as the powerhouse of the East; a Northwestern squad always dangerous under Coach Lynn Waldorf and this year three-deep in veteran material; an Iowa Pre-Flight team that at this writing has overwhelmed Illinois and Ohio State; and a Great Lakes team that last year was noted for becoming tougher as the season progressed. The Sailors, by the way, this year have Steve Juzwik, the Notre Dame backfield ace of a few seasons back, and last year's N.D. freshman, Emil Sitko, cousin of former Irish star Steve Sitko, with whom to bolster their backfield.

Wally Ziemba, '43, Hammond, Ind., who was made over by the coaching staff from a good tackle to an outstanding center while at Notre Dame, has returned to serve as assistant line coach for the 1943 campaign. A member of the Marine Reserves while at Notre Dame, Ziemba was called into service shortly after graduation, but was given an honorable discharge because of a bad knee. He joins Hugh Devore, end coach, Ed McKeever, backfield coach, and Ed (Moose) Krause, line coach, to assist head coach Frank Leahy in developing the 1943 eleven.

The predominant opinion around Notre Dame regarding chances of the Irish for a successful season this fall is that with a definite lack of reserves, uncertainty of the military status of several of the
personnel and one of the toughest schedules ever faced by a Notre Dame team, the boys will do well to break even in their ten-game schedule.

**Tennis**

The Notre Dame tennis team, under the tutelage of Coach Walter Langford, swept through a three-game summer schedule undefeated.

Led by Apprentice Seaman Charles Samson, Wichita, Kan., V-12 trainee and former Ohio State star, and Notre Dame’s own Apprentice Seaman Bob Faught, Cleveland Heights, O., of basketball fame, the netmen breezed through two matches with Western Michigan’s Bronchos and a match with the Notre Dame midshipmen unscathed.

Other stalwarts on the summer net team were Ed Caparo, N.R.O.T.C., South Bend hold-over from the spring squad, Marine Private Bob Paddock, Indianapolis, Apprentice Seaman Jim Griffin, Evanston, Ill., and Apprentice Seaman Tom Herbert, of Auburn, N. Y.

**Baseball**

Employing a team composed entirely of V-12 trainees, Coach Jake Kline piloted the Irish nine to seven victories in 12 games against some of the Midwest’s toughest teams this summer.

After copping three straight games against Bunker Hill Naval Station in Peru, Ind., Camp Custer, and the Knights of Pythias, one of South Bend’s stronger independent teams, the Irish met their first defeat at the hands of the Indiana State Prison and their second against the Hammond (Ind.) All-Stars, before bouncing back on the victory trail. Rounding out the season, the Irish defeated Bunker Hill and Camp Custer again and routed Freeman Field, while sweeping through a three-game summer series with Western Michigan’s Bronchos and a match with the Notre Dame midshipmen.

**General Drum to New Post**

Lt. Gen. Hugh A. Drum, Laetare Medalist of 1940, has been assigned as chairman of the Inter-American Defense Board with temporary duty in Washington, D. C. The board is a permanent organization of Army, Navy and aviation technical experts appointed by the governments of 21 American republics. It is charged with studying and recommending measures for the defense of the hemisphere.

General Drum had been commander of the Eastern Defense Command and the First Army with headquarters in New York City.

**Msgr. Sheen Speaks at N.D.**

Rt. Rev. Msgr. Fulton J. Sheen, nationally known to untold thousands through his association with the radio and television programs, returned to Notre Dame on Sept. 9 and 10 for two addresses. He spoke each night in the Navy Drill Hall to an audience of approximately 1,500 composed of civilian students, military students, midshipmen and South Bend residents.

**1943 Football Roster**

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WHATS IT LIKE NOW
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12s doesn't leave much extra time. In all of the V-12 halls, therefore, there are afternoon Masses at 5 o'clock, and one of the V-12 halls has an additional Mass at 6:45 P.M.

The V-12 isn't permitted to cut a class (except for reasons of illness and emergency). He can't leave the campus, unless he has special permission, except on week-ends. Every night except Saturday he is in bed by 10 P.M. — and that means in bed.

He has at least one hour of military drill per week in addition to the drilling and inspection incidental to marching to meals, and often there is extra drilling. He has that fierce obstacle course — (across the road from the Biology Building and the heating plant) to conquer in his phy ed classes.

Always and forever there are demerits for the V-12, a specified number for specified infractions of the rules, and the list of infractions is practically endless. Any Saturday afternoon, when most of the boys are downtown, you can see a sizable quota of the lads, rifles on shoulders, walking off their demerits, over south of the tennis courts at the south end of the campus.

Discipline for the V-12 is administered directly by the naval authorities. But all religious personnel and lay personnel who deal with V-12 students have the right and invitation to report lapses of whatever nature, academic or otherwise, and the cooperation between the naval and the non-naval in this regard has produced remarkable results in view of the obvious difficulties involved.

It need hardly be added that the V-12s work hard at their studies. They have to. A below-par record in even one class for a short period — not a semester — keeps a V-12 out of varsity football, for instance, and that means that he's out of practice as well as out of competition. A flunking record may send a man out of the V-12 into the routine Navy or Marine training program — the same program he'd be in if he wasn't working for a commission.

And the V-12s work hard at having a good record all around. Again, they have to because they rise or fall on their records, now and later, and their records are meticulously kept, even down to the last demerit last Friday.

Downtown on week-ends the V-12, like the midshipman, makes the best use of the Service Men's Center, recently moved into its splendid new location in the former Palais Royale. And, like the midshipman and the civilian he "gets around," meets some of the town's nicest girls and gets invited out to Sunday dinner sometimes.

Notre Dame is still Notre Dame but the United States Navy is part of Notre Dame too.

NEW DEFENSE CLASSES START

Fall night classes of the Engineering Science, and Management War Training program opened at Notre Dame with a large enrollment from Indiana and nearby Michigan. New courses were offered in office supervision, industrial psychology, applied descriptive geometry, and basic engineering design.

While there is no university credit attached to these classes, they are taught in the main by members of the Notre Dame faculty. On completion of the course certificates are given to those who attended the classes regularly and completed the classroom assignments satisfactorily.

The courses, sponsored by the War Man Power Commission, through the U. S. Office of Education and Notre Dame, have trained hundreds of defense workers in the South Bend area for better jobs. Rev. James D. Trahey, C.S.C., is in charge of the program at Notre Dame, one of the 79 colleges and universities throughout the country participating in the plan.

VAUDEVILLE GOES ON

Ted Smirnoff, sensational baton twirling artist hailing from Sodus, Mich., won first prize on Sept. 17 as the Notre Dame Council, Knights of Columbus, sponsored another campus vaudeville show in Washington Hall before an audience that had jammed the venerable auditorium 45 minutes before curtain time. (Ted is appearing through the season with the Notre Dame band.) A total of 13 acts took to the boards.

Tom Butler, Elkhart, Ind., and his drums took second place in the show. Vic Kubitski, football-playing Marine transfer from Minnesota, and Larry Lynch, a Marine from Kansas City, Mo., won third honors with a combination accordion and skating act. Marine Dave Curtin, Rochester, N. Y., was master of ceremonies.
A MILDEW-PROOFING process which holds exciting promise of development — especially in the days of peace — is the result of the high chemical skill of 37-year-old Frank J. Sowa, B.S. '30, M.S. '31, Ph.D. '33, of the Sowa Chemical Co., New York City, a former member of the Notre Dame faculty.

Known as the "Puratized Process," the new process imparts lasting bacteria and fungi resistance to rayon and all textiles, textile finishes, rubber, leather, paper, paints and plastics. Unique and economical in its methods of application, the "Puratized Process" has already been used to finish millions of yards of government fabrics to conform with many specifications. Approximately 15 patent applications have resulted from it.

"Puratized Process" is likewise effective in combating the mildew problems associated with food products and with basements. And then, after all, you've made only a bare start on its almost endless possibilities for future application.

Frank has licensed Gallowhur & Company, Inc., as well as the General Dye-stuff Corporation and the Aqua-Sec Corporation, all of New York City, to manufacture and sell the "Puratized Process."

An instructor in chemistry at Notre Dame, either part time or full time, from 1931 to 1936, Frank left the University to become director of organic research for the Bendix Aviation Corporation, South Bend, where he remained until 1938.

Moving then to New York City, he became vice-president of the Sowa Laboratories, Inc. Since 1939 he has been owner of the Silbrite Chemical Co. as well as the Sowa Chemical Co., which is devoted to research, development and consulting in the field of organic chemistry. He also directs research for Gallowhur & Company and he carries on programs of research for the following companies among others: Marshall Eclipse Division of Bendix Aviation Corporation; Kem Plastic Playing Cards, Inc.; American Machine and Foundry Company; Corning Glass Works and Air-Craft Marine Products, Inc.

A close associate at Notre Dame of the late Father Julius A. Nieuwland, C.S.C., world-noted chemist, Frank is the co-author with Father Nieuwland of 25 articles published in various scientific journals. And to Father Nieuwland's "invaluable inspiration" Frank modestly attributes much of whatever success he has achieved.

Notre Dame's traditional pioneering in aeronautics is given additional meaning with the news that Sister Mary Aquinas, O.S.F., M.S. '42, is today so outstanding in aviation education that she has been made an educational adviser to the Civil Aeronautics Authority, Washington, D. C.

A teacher now in St. Ambrose High School, Ironwood, Mich., this Franciscan nun has enthusiastic classes in pre-flight aeronautics as well as accompanying courses in radio. And, since she herself is the possessor of a pilot's license, she teaches, you may be sure, with that definite authority, practical as well as academic, which appeals to all students.

Sister Aquinas is collaborating with the Comet Model Airplane Company on a project in which she, in her laboratory course in Aviation Geography, is designing kits of structural model parts. The course itself will later be published if the results warrant publication. And, in collaboration with the National Radio Institute of Washington, D. C., Sister is working out a one-year course in radio for high schools. In this experimental project she is being assisted by 12 of the teacher-students who last summer were in her classes in Aviation Education in Catholic University, Washington, D. C.

For Sister Aquinas is not only teaching air science to high school students; she is also teaching it to high school teachers — many of them nuns — who will teach many other high school students. Next summer, with her aid, Catholic University is to have four undergraduate courses in Aviation Education and three graduate courses, and will have one of the first, if not the first, summer teacher-training sequences of the kind in the country.

Sister M. Aquinas, O.S.F.
—Official OWI Photo

At Catholic University, Sister Aquinas has become newly familiar with the pioneering in aeronautics of Dr. Albert Zahm, '83, former teacher there as well as, earlier, at Notre Dame. In fact, the wind tunnel which Dr. Zahm built at Catholic University while conducting some of his earliest experiments is to be set up in action next summer, according to the present plans, and will be used for experimentation work by the Sisters in Sister Aquinas' classes.

NEW RECTORS

Second Annual Alumni Fund

The Centenary Fund, first year of the new alumni annual giving program, was closed on July 31 for fiscal purposes.

Without the launching of specific plans for the Second Annual Alumni Fund, many gifts have already been received from alumni which are so significant in their spontaneity that we feel their acknowledgement in the same fashion as the Centenary Fund will be of real stimulus to our second year's effort, which will begin intensively in October. The acknowledgements include gifts received directly, gifts to the President, gifts through Public Relations.

As in the Centenary Year, some of the listed gifts are not the real gift of the alumni, but his habitual June or July check of $1, $2, or $5 to assure him the "good standing" of the old order. Many of these — we hope — will be multiplied as the year goes on. Some of the listed gifts were belated Centenary gifts, but are just as useful for the University and significant in the new alumni program as though they had been received last year.

If this second year shows an increase in participants, —more alumni giving to Notre Dame than last year, — it will mark the real achievement for which the Centenary Fund was a historical first step. If it shows an increase in the amount of alumni financial aid, it will mark the beginning of a new era for the University as well. Plan now to give during this year.

Buy war bonds — for Notre Dame.

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Cleveland


Ensign Ed Schroeck wrote in from Naval Air Station, Lakehurst, N. J., Solid Lt. (j.g.) Tom Malligan had written him from the South Pacific where he's aboard an LCI beat. Tom had seen Vic Lemmer.

is a lieut. at an internment camp at Amite Sul­

in the armored division. Bob Howlcy writes in that he is a pfc. at Camp Mackall, N. C. Edward P. Cunningham have taken over the secretarial duties. Ed has been deferred until

is a cadet in Advanced Navigation S^ool. Hondo,

is now at Fort Knox for

and has John Murphy, Hugh O'Neill, Stan Cofall,

and helping coach the football team at the U.S. Naval Training Station at San Diego. He Is suc­

is enjoying country life these days, Stan Cofall is

is a lieut. at Chanute Field, III. Val Deale writes from Boulder Colo., that he's spending 12 hours a day learning Japanese.

National Alumni President Tom (Telephone) Byrne is drawing up a strong program for the year. Norm Greene, who works with the Peones (John and Vic) is godfather for Dr. Al (Bud) O'Brien's new born boy, Matt Trudelle, with FISA, is enjoying country life these days. Stan Cofall is doing a swell job as chairman of the Special Events Committee of the Chamber of Commerce. Safety Director Frank Celebrezze has applied for a commission, with the Occupation forces. Vince Mur­

Byrne is a lieut. at Naval Tr. Station, Norfolk, Va. Tom Conley is general chairman for the Navy-N.D. week-end. Oct. 30, and has John Murphy, Hugh O'Neill, Stan Cofall.

Frank Celebrezze, Clayton Leroux, Pat Canny and Gene Kane, among others, in there pitching -with Ted Wrocklage, '26, of Delphos, Ohio, formerly of Cleveland and now with Proctor and Gamble at Cincinnati. Art Beers, '33, is a naval ordnance inspector at Fort Wayne, Ind.

Still finds time for golf, etc. Jack Collins has been promoted to first lieut. in the Judge Advocates Div. in Washington. His uncle, James Col­

lins, is slated for the postmaster job at Cleveland. Dr. Joe Heimann is at Camp Patrick Henry. Bob Morrissey is now out, to the president of Natl. Screw and Bolt. Charley Butler is at Camp Santa Anita, Calif., a corporal acting as drum major and arranger for Skinny Inns' Band. Johnny Butler was just appointed senior attorney for the WPA's regional office.

CAMP FANNIN, TEXAS

Ed Doyle, '42, was elected president of the new club at an organization meeting sponsored on Aug. 22 by the Knights of Columbus of Tyler, Texas, in the local Immaculate Conception Church.

Joe Rod, ex. '44, was ex-secretary-treasurer. George Bariscillo, ex. '44, and Ed han­

dled arrangements for the pot-together, attended by approximately 100 Notre Dame men and the K. of C. officers.

Cept. Bernard Fhhrity, special service officer of the camp, asked George Bariscillo in assembling a variety of entertainment for the meeting. Rev. Vincent J. Wolfe, pastor of Immaculate Conception church.

A Sunday gathering for the near future, to combine a Communion-breakfast, picnic and
dance, was planned.

GOGEBIC RANGE


Jack CoUini

is the new high school football coach

in the Navy and is awaiting call. . . . Ray EMI played 40 million dollars just to tackle in the receiving All-­

Joe Raineri, Hurley, Wis., president of the club, has been commissioned a lieutenant. (j.g),

in the Navy and is awaiting call. . . . Ray EMI played 40 million dollars just to tackle in the receiving All-­

Star game in Chicago. He is coaching high school football while awaiting his call to the Navy.

NEW YORK PARTY

The New York club's annual Army game Reunion and Rally will be in the Hotel Commodore on Friday night, Nov. 5, under the chairmanship of Jim Carroll. The program will be the usual star-studded, glittering one. Proceeds will go to the Army Air Force Relief and the club's ser­vice fund.

. . . Gene Zinn was a delegate to the national convention of the K. of C. in Cleveland. . . .

Frank Vukovich, with the WPR in Washington, D. C., recently was home to Ironwood on a visit.

John Bleeg represents the duPont Powder Company in northern Wisconsin and the upper Peninsula of Michigan. Joe Saitta, '40, formerly of South Bend, is the new high school football coach in Bensere, Mich.

KANSAS CITY

Hon. Russell Hardy, '16, 919 Cleveland, Kansas City, Kansas, Pres.; Vincent W. De­

Courtney, '39, 1321 Georgia, Kansas City, Kansas, Sec.

Benny Sheridan again leading the Fort Riley team; his outfit almost whopped Great Lakes, losing 20-19. Word just received from Ed Reardon, now in Africa, Sliey, or somewhere. Don Martin, originally from South Dakota, now a resident of our fair city, practicing law.

Vince DeCoursey

LOUIS ANI GELES

Edmund C. Ash, ex. '25, 11831 Magnolia Blvd., North Hollywood, Calif., Pres.; Mi­

Michael F. Shannon, ex. '39, P. O. Box 631, Tucson, Ariz., Sec; Edward P. Cunningham, '28, 859 W. Washington Blvd., Los Angeles, Acting Sec.

Its membership riddled by the war, and with most of those who are not actually in uniform under wartime pressure, the club has been in­active for several months.

Only two meetings have been held so far this year: The Communion Breakfast at Sardi's on May 2, and a banquet for Coach Frank Lebzyk.

President John W. Carberry was drafted recently and is working in the welfare department and helping coach the football team at the U.S. Naval Training Station at San Diego. He is suc­ceeded by Edmund C. Ash, a buyer for Lockehead-­

Vega. Ed recently moved to North Hollywood to be closer to the plant.

John Rider, who is about to enter the service, and Edward P. Cunningham have taken over the secretarial duties. Ed has been deferred until January. Tom Ashe was elevated to lieutenant (j.g), in September and stationed temporarily at the Officers Communication School, Fortland, Mo. He is hoping for action on a destroyer soon. Dr. William R. Molony, Jr., is now a lieutenant com­mander.

Emmett McCabe, who was secretary to Con­gressman John Martin Costello, is a major in the Army Air Corps. . . . Sweeney Tuck, in his three years at Northrop Aircraft, has climbed to the head of his department. He is now plant engineer with more than 600 men under him.

Harry W. Flannery, author of "Assignment to Berlin," and former CBS correspondent in Berlin, is rapidly becoming one of Los Angeles' leading Catholic laymen. Besides his daily CBS commen­tating, and Sunday program ("Signposts of the Week") he is much in demand as a speaker and writer. His graduation speeches at Loyola University and Immaculate Heart College were printed in full in several Catholic periodicals.
Francis Wallace keeps busy writing at Twentieth Century-Fox. . . Bill Sidenfaden has his own business in Ontario, Calif. Sid is rearing a large family, and has just bought a new home. . . Jim Kelly, '40, the club's oldest active member, continues as vice-president of the Los Angeles Soup Co.

Until a new secretary is elected I would appreciate the members communicating news of themselves and other members to me at the Elks' Hospital, F. O. Box 231, Tucson, Ariz.

Mike Shannon

RHODE ISLAND AND SOUTHWESTERN MASSACHUSETTS

John J. McLaughlin, '34, Mendon Rd., Cumberland Hill, R. I., Pres.; Russell L. Hunt, '39, 493 S. Main St., Woonsocket, R. I., Sec.

The funeral of Charles A. Grimes, '20, the founder and first president of the club, was held from the home of his mother, North Providence, on Aug. 12.


Congressman John F. Fogarty was among those in attendance.

The active pallbearers were Lt. Frank Carideo, USNR; C.P.O. John Brady, USNR; John J. McLaughlin, president of the club; Russell L. Hunt, club secretary; Leo R. McAlon, club treasurer; and Thomas Collins, all Notre Dame alumni. Honorary pallbearers were Augustine Hayden, Castleton G. MacDonald, Eugene Moreau, John J. Fitzgerald and Cornelius Hackett, also all Notre Dame alumni.

Russell L. Hunt

FOR GOD, COUNTRY, NOTRE DAME

IN GLORY EVERLASTING

Lt. Arthur J. Chadwick, Jr., '36, Amityville, L. I., N. Y., a fighter pilot, was killed on July 21 during the invasion of Sicily according to brief word received by the Alumni Office. He was the brother of James H. Chadwick, '32.

Art was in the Army well before Pearl Harbor, serving first as a medical technician in a medical detachment. Much to his delight he was able to transfer to the Air Corps. He had been at home on furlough in March, 1943.

Corp. George R. Jackman, ex. '42, of South Bend, died in North Africa on Sept. 12 after an illness of 13 days from infantile paralysis. His parents and three grandparents survive him.

George enlisted in the Army Air Corps on Jan. 12, 1942, and had training in Biloxi, Miss., and at the Curtiss-Wright factory in New Jersey. He had arrived overseas in early February of this year. Before entering the service he was employed by the Charles D. Hoyt Company of Mishawaka, Ind.

Pvt. William F. Higgins, ex. '46, of Youngstown, O., died on August 4 at North Camp Hood, Texas, as the result of injuries received in a dynamite explosion. He had been in the Army only since July 19.

Bill had been at Notre Dame only from January to May of 1943, but was known as a particularly zealous Notre Dame student, both in Youngstown and on the campus. Surviving him are his parents and one brother.

MISSING IN ACTION

William C. Murphy, '33, Middletown, Conn. Missing in action over France since Aug. 15.

Ensight John F. Sprague, ex. '43, of Sunnyside, Wash., a fighter pilot. The War Department notified Jack's parents on Aug. 12 that he was missing.

The Grail of God

[For the Notre Dame Men Fallen in the War]

By the late

When we come home to Notre Dame As we shall, after all, Our eyes will look with newer light On tower and field and hall, But shadows on the charred path Before our steps will fall.

The shadowy form, the soundless feet Of boys who used to go A few short years, or even months, With high hearts to and fro Along these walks that never now Their moving feet may know.

The young, the beautiful, the strong— No more our ears shall hark Their footsteps or their voices here By daylight or by dark: It has come home to us, the word,— Death loves a shining mark.

Illustrious, they are by death But made more lustrous still. Nor can their sun forever sink Behind a western hill Whose lives are in their country's blood And all her being thrill.

Grown sudden men, they quit their books And gifted them for the wars Who would have guessed what destinies Were written in their stars Here where the peace of heaven broods That never conflict mars.

They went their war, high-hearted, clean, Not any fear availed To daunt their soul, nor any foe That never conflict mars. Here where the peace of heaven broods That never conflict mars.

'Tis not a thing of breath; 'Tis not a thing of breath; Is borrowed of their power. In this memorial hour.

In thunder from the tower. The daisies have prevailed. Might boast that they had quailed. Not any fear availed To daunt their soul, nor any foe Is borrowed of their power.

But made more lustrous still. Nor can their sun forever sink Whose lives are in their country's blood Behind a western hill.

Or any fear availed To daunt their soul, nor any foe The daisies have prevailed.

And sleep that quickeneth. Might boast that they had quailed. Whose lives are in their country's blood

With high hearts to and fro Along these walks that never now Their moving feet may know.

Along these walks that never now Their moving feet may know.

It is a triumph that we keep And all their being thrill.

That never conflict mars. That never conflict mars.
The United States Navy (V-12) at 

The United States Marines step out in front of the Rockne Memorial.

Marines at one of their favorite occupations. All Dining Hall food is now served by the cafeteria method. There are three "shifts" at each meal.

V-12 trainees attack the obstacle course.

Navy men and civilians join forces in a first-semester zoology class.

These three pictures include all trainees recently on campus. Top, V-12 except Marines and N.R.O.T.C.; midshipmen and (at the rear) N.R.O.T.C.; bottom,
Notre Dame

(See Story on Page 4)

V-12s work on an architecture problem.

Notre Dame's version of jungle life: part of the obstacle course.

Apprentice Seaman William E. Boss, '44, Franklin, O., senior football manager and radio commentator, broadcasts from the campus over WSBT, South Bend.

The N.R.O.T.C. men are off to dinner from their Walsh Hall home.

Glee Club members—Navy, Marine and civilian—sing under the direction of Daniel H. Pedtke from the steps of the Main Building.
ADDITIONAL MILITARY MEN*

(Names are listed here only when they are first received by the Alumni Office. Changes in military addresses are included in class news.)

Abo, Abdullah S., '46, PVT, ASBTDC, Co. I.
Ado, Maxey, Texas.

Albert, Francis J., '46, 1st Army Special, USNR, Recreation Div., Navy 103, c/o Fleet Post Office, New York City.


Allen James H., '43, In service.

Amberg, Louis E., '45, A/S, V-6, Co. 1143, USNTS, Great Lakes, Ill.

Angst, Philip J., '31, U.S. Army.


Banes, Leo J., '33, Sp. Lt. (c.g.), USNR, Penna.

Barkart, Albert S., ex., '44, Pvt. Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.


Bremer, Frederick G., ex., '46, Pvt. Co. B, USST.

Bosak, John J., '43, U.S. Army, Miami Beach, Fla.

Boorfe, James L., '33, LL (c.g.), USNR, Pensacola, Fla.

Boughton, Daniel J., Dr., '28, In service.


Barker, Ainslie S., ex., '44, Pvt., Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

Burke, John T., '29, Lt., Conrad, Boston Section Base, Lochwood Basin, Summer & Border St., East Boston, Mass.


Burns, John C., '41, Pfc., 100 Div., Inf. 397th Hq. Co., 3rd Bn., APO 447, Fort Jackson, S. C.

Butler, Charles J., '43, Midshipman, USNR, Columbia U., New York City.

Byrne, James J., '46, Midshipman, USNR, Towell Hall, Chillicothe.

Caldwell, C. J., Dr., '25, Lt., USNR, Lake Forest Academy, Lake Forest, Ill.


Dahm, Raymond J., '28, In service—overseas.


Darcy, William J., '36, Ensign, USNR, Armed Guard Division, N.Y.

Darmody, Philip A., '33, Lt. (j.g.), USNR, Bureau of Aeronautics, Special Devices Section Trng. Div., 610 St. N.E., Washington, D. C.


Dehmer, Paul A., '45, AAF Pilot School (Basic), Columbus A. A. Field, Courtland, Ala.

Delaney, Francis J., '36, Ensign, USNR.


Deminico, George V., '36, Lt. (j.g.), Naval Air Station, Quonset Point, R.I.

Deming, John E., '41, U.S. Army, Fort Slocum, N. Y.


Derry, John J., Dr., '34, U.S. Navy Medical Corps.


Doyle, John T., '40, In service.


Dutton, James J., '36, U.S. Coast Guard.


Ebert, Neil W., '32, Lt. (jg), USNR, Box 27, Bldg. 794, Jacksonville, Fla.

Ek, Paul F., '32, 2nd Lt., U.S. Army Signal Corps, Fort Monmouth, N. J.


Farrell, William J., '42, Pfc., Co. B, 3211 SC. SU-ASTP, Long Island College of Medicine, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Ferraro, Stephen P., '41, Pfc, 2156 SU Co. F, 1628 44th St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

Finigan, John E., '43, Lt., USMC, USMCAS, Quantico, Va.


## Engagements

Miss Carol Leonor Barker and Richard Joseph Garab, ’39, South Bend.

Miss Marion Alice Cotter, Elmhurst, N. Y., and Sg. James J. O’Brien, Jr., ’41, Elmhurst, N. Y.

Miss Marianne Benedict and Ensign Mervin F. Baggen, ’42, Estherville, Ia.

Miss Dorothy Fetter and Ensign Theodore P. Frehicks, ’39, Welloston, O.

## Marriages

The ALUMNI apologizes profusely for the typographical mix-up which, in the August issue, confused completely the marriage of Jim Kirby and the marriage of Ensign Jim Siddall. The announcements should have read as follows:

The marriage of Miss Margaret Mary Ellis and James H. Kirby, ’36, took place on June 4 in New York City.

The marriage of Miss Mary Lynch and Ensign James J. Siddall, USNR, ’36, took place on July 10 at Freeport, L. I., N. Y.

The marriage of Miss Ann Moyse of Pittsburgh, and Corp. Peter J. Stifanick, ’30, took place on July 25, in Gary, Ind.

Miss Edith Josephine Gallo and Thomas V. Wade, ’35, were married on Sept. 4, in Netcong, N. J.

Miss Leonora Lindsay and George Schaefer, ’33, were married Aug. 14, in Cairo, Ill.

The marriage of Miss Irene Taylor and Ernest Eugene Massimine, ’34, took place on Aug. 31, in Magnolia, Ark.

Miss Audrey M. St. Raymond and Albert Vitter, ’35, were married in New Orleans, on June 19.

Miss Ruth Virginia Paul and Robert Cavanaugh, ’36, were married on July 24, in Springfield, Ill.

The marriage of Miss Elison Barrett and Robert B. Divine, ’36, took place on Oct. 24, in Springdale, Conn.

Miss Anne Westwood Williams and Lt. Edward A. Faxon, ’37, were married July 24, in Richmond, Va.

Miss Mary Shannon and Lt. George J. Neumann, ’39, were married in Chicago, on Aug. 28.

The marriage of Miss Betty Jane Clank and 2nd Lt. John C. Fineran, ’40, took place on Sept. 11, at Quantoico, Va.

The marriage of Miss Lucille Pearl Wysock and Donald E. Eosinski, ’40, took place on Aug. 8, in South Bend.

Miss Charlotte Grant Congleton and Albert H. Keesing, ’40, were married on Aug. 19, in Charleston, W. Va.

The marriage of Miss Jane Keegan and Bernard A. Teah, ’40, took place on Aug. 11, at Notre Dame.

Miss Amelia O’Dea and Ensign Francis J. Hopkins, ’41, were married June 5 at Ft. Pierce, Fla.

Miss Anna Karwowski and Ensign Edward J. Riska, ’41, were married on Sept. 18, at Notre Dame.

Miss Margaret Mary Scully and Sgt. Martin M. Shea, ’41, were married in Youngstown, O., on June 12.

Miss Patricia Waite and John F. Waldron, Jr., ’41, were married Sept. 4, in South Bend.

The marriage of Miss Nathalie Podhajski and Walter J. Cordes, ’42, took place in Grand Rapids, Mich., on Sept. 7.

The marriage of Miss Margaret C. Brennan and Lt. Leo M. Humphrey, USMC, ’42, took place Sept. 11, in Quantico, Va. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Vincent P. Brennan, ’32, and Robert J. Brennan, ’40, was best man. Both are brothers of the bride.

Miss Jean Kelly and Lt. Robert L. Dow, USMC, ’43, were married on Sept. 6 in Quantico, Va.

The marriage of Miss Marilyn Voors and Lt. John E. Finigan, ’43, took place on July 31, in Fort Wayne, Ind.

Miss Betty Jeanne Rowe and Ensign Richard J. O’Neill, USNR, ’43, were married in South Bend on Aug. 11.

Miss Edith Irene Sailor and George D. Powers, ’44, were married on Sept. 11, in South Bend.

## Deaths

The oldest graduate of the University, Everett G. Graves, B.S. ’76, died in his home in San Antonio, Texas, on Sept. 5. Mr. Graves, 91 years old, is survived by his wife. Born in San Antonio, he was also buried there.

Mr. Graves was the son of the late Dr. Ralph Lewis Graves, one of the pioneer physicians of Bexar County, Texas. He attended St. Mary’s College, San Antonio, before he came to Notre Dame, and upon leaving the University he became one of the earliest real estate dealers in his home community. Student in civil engineering and the winner of first prize in machine drawing at his commencement, Mr. Graves continued through much of his life to be associated with engineering, drawing and maps.

Distance kept Mr. Graves from much of the close relationship with the University which he otherwise would have had. He was none the less interested in the progress of the school on that account, contributed generously to meet her financial...

Capt. and Mrs. John S. Glaze, Jr., ’34, announce the birth of a son, John S. III, on Aug. 1, in Pasadena, Calif.

A son was born to Dr. and Mrs. W. James McCrathy, ’36, on Aug. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis T. McGeary, ’37, announce the arrival of a daughter, Patricia Anne, in Lexington, Ky., on July 16.

A son, Daniel Gregory, was recently born to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey G. Foster, ’39, of New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Graham, ’41, announce the arrival of a daughter, on Aug. 15, in Mishawaka.

A daughter, Catherine, was born to Ensign and Mrs. Ward J. Raftery, ’41, on July 15.

## Births

A son, Peter Kevin, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Paul Callen, ’22, of Elmhurst, Ill., on July 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Hemphling, ’36, announce the birth of a son, on Aug. 24, in South Bend.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leaky, ’31, on Aug. 16, in South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Neil, Jr., ’31, announce the birth of a daughter, on Aug. 4, in Indianapolis.

Lt. (jg) and Mrs. William G. J. Jones, ’32, announce the birth of a son, James Paul, on June 18.

A son was born to Lt. and Mrs. Douglas J. Gerggie, ’34, on Aug. 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Edwards, ’34, announce the arrival of a son, Allen Stephen, on April 17, in Lima, Peru.

On July 25, a son, Timothy Shane, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. O’Hara, ’35, in Rochester, N. Y.
cial needs and was an inspirational figure among the alumni in his home community. He was a convert to the Catholic faith.

Dr. Richard J. O'Connell, Chicago, a student at Notre Dame in the late '80s, died on Aug. 22. He had been a physician in Chicago for 40 years. Born in County Kilkenny, Ireland, Dr. O'Connell was graduated from Rush Medical College, Chicago, after leaving Notre Dame. Surviving him are his wife, also a physician, and two sons and a daughter.

James R. Fitzgibbon, '02, lifelong resident of Newark, N.J., and one of the most prominent and loyal of central Ohio alumni, died on Sept. 15 as the result of a heart ailment. In ill health since 1941, he had been in critical condition only since Sept. 1.

Mr. Fitzgibbon is survived by his wife and by three sons. Two of the sons were associated with him in the law firm of Fitzgibbon, Fitzgibbon and Fitzgibbon.

Mr. Fitzgibbon was regarded by his associates as one of the best trial lawyers in the state. Early in his career he was elected and re-elected prosecutor of Licking County, Ohio, and he was widely in demand as a public speaker all through his career.

At Notre Dame Mr. Fitzgibbon was a monogram member of the football team of 1889 and a monogram member of the baseball team of 1892. He finished in law at Ohio State University in 1894.

On May 14, 1942, the Notre Dame Club of Central Ohio honored the 50th anniversary of Mr. Fitzgibbon's graduation from Notre Dame with a dinner in Columbus. He received monograms for both football and baseball, and a monogram blanket came from the University for him. Present were 175 of Mr. Fitzgibbon's friends from Columbus and Newark.

Among the honorary pullbearers at Mr. Fitzgibbon's funeral were Judge Frank A. Bolton, '94, also of Newark, and Don M. Hamilton, '12, Columbus.

Daniel V. Casey, '05, Crawfordsville, Ind., an outstanding newspaper man in Chicago for many years, died in Crawfordsville on Sept. 12. Working for the "Chicago Record," Mr. Casey covered the Spanish-American War, Christopher C. Fitzgibbon, '94, of Havana, recalls that he met him there in 1898.

In later years Mr. Casey was editor of "System" magazine. In 1909-10 he was vice-president of the Alumni Association.

Mr. Casey, a guard, was a prominent football player at Notre Dame, serving as captain of the football team in his final year of competition.

The "Alumnus" extends sympathy to Joseph M. Boland, '27, upon the death of his mother; to Lt. (jg) Norman J. Hartzler, '29, upon the death of his mother; to Capt. Timothy Moylanhan, USNR, '28, upon the death of his father; to Sgt. Howard A. Miller, '32, upon the death of his wife; and to Paul C. Schrants, ex-'33, upon the death of his wife and infant child.

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Personals

1960-04

Robert E. Proctor, '04, Monong Building, Elkhart, Ind.

OUTSTANDING CITIZEN

Attorney Robert E. Proctor, '04, the keeper of his section of the "Alumnus," was recently named as the outstanding citizen of Elkhart County, Ind., by the county voice of the 40 et 8. He received the organization's annual citizenship medal. Mr. Proctor was honored for his "unselfish and untiring efforts in civic affairs, for his bond sales promotion, and for serving as chairman of the district draft appeal board since its inception, without recompense."

1905-09


Edgar Koba, New York City, executive vice-president of the Blue Network, continues in that capacity with the recent sale of that chain by RCA to Edward J. Noble. In identifying Father Richard Collentine, C.S.C., '09, preacher at Father James W. Donahue's funeral, the August "Alumnus" referred to him as the "former" superior of the Mission Band at Notre Dame. The "former" should have been eliminated: Father Collentine was then, and still is, the Mission Band superior.

1913

Paul R. Byrne, University Library, Notre Dame, Ind.

On Aug. 2 Father Alan Heiser, C.S.C., celebrated his silver jubilee Mass in St. Patrick's Church, South Bend.

A native of South Bend, Father Heiser was ordained in Sacred Heart Church, Notre Dame, in 1918 by Bishop Noll of Fort Wayne. He has taught both at St. Edward's, Austin, Texas, and at Notre Dame, and for the past several years has been chaplain for the Sisters of Loretto, Loretto, Ky.

1916

Grover Miller, 616 Wisconsin Ave., Racine, Wis.

Grover Miller sent on postcard reports from Tom McLaughlin and Bob Daly. Tom is still in Detroit, at 12454 Forrer Ave., and has a son in the Air Corps. For several years past Tom has been manager of Marts Estates, Inc. Bob, 271 Kenforsh Dr., Mt. Lebanon, Pittsburgh, Pa., is on the road a great deal in war work. He was looking forward to the Pitt-N.D. game on Sept. 25.

1917

E. J. Voll, 296 E. Tutt St., South Bend, Ind.

Drafted, one of the popular newspaper comic strips of the day, is authored by Paul Fegarty of Chicago. The strip runs in the "South Bend Tribune" and in many other papers. It is the story of the experience of an indentee in the Uncle's fighting forces.

1918


Dick Dunn, long a prominent citizen of Boston, has moved to Chicago to assume new and larger duties as director of public relations for the Lumbermen's Mutual Casualty Company and other insurance companies associated under the direction of James S. Kemper. Dick has been an executive and officer in the same organization for many years.

1922

Gerald Ashe, 19 Dorrin Road, Rochester, N.Y.

From Kid Ashe:

Father George B. Fischer, C.S.C., recently was re-appointed assistant director of the Holy Cross Mission Band—eastern province, with headquarters in North Easton, Mass.

All will regret Buck Shaw's absence from college football this year. Santa Clara follows scores of other universities and colleges in abandoning football.

For a brief period it appeared not a single 1922 football coach would have a team on the field this fall, but Earl Walsh, ex-Fordham coach, has just signed with St. Ambrose Academy, Davenport, Iowa.

Jack Higgins, of Wurzer and Higgins, attorneys and counsellors-at-law with offices at 1632 Buhl Bldg., Detroit, reports all 1922 Detroit men busy and happy.

An unconfirmed report from good sources indicates that Eugene Collins now holds rank of captain in the Army and is stationed at Fort Douglas, Salt Lake City.

Jerry Dixon recently was host to Ray Kearn's of Terre Haute on the latter's visit to Chicago.

Chet Wynne and Jerry Dixon, who have joint law offices, recently moved to a new location at 39, S. La Salle St., Chicago.

My folks tell me I just moved from Hilton, N. Y., to Rochester, N. Y. My new address is above.

Warrant Officer Daniel J. O'Connell, USNR, Holyoke, Mass., can reach me in care of the 93rd Battalion, e/o Fleet P.O., San Francisco.

1925

John P. Harley, 265 Brookdale Road, Toledo, O.

Chief Petty Officer Ed Hunsinger is the present head football coach at the University of South Carolina, taking over for his teammate at Notre Dame, Bert Enright, '26, who is a lieutenant, now in charge of football at the Georgia Navy Pre-Flight School. Ed is also an instructor in South Carolina's Navy V-12 program.

Lt. Cmdr. Jim Crowley's typical activities in the South Pacific are described in Arthur Daley's column, Sports of the "Times," in the "New York Times." Quoting a friend of his, who was quoting a friend of his, Mr. Daley wrote:

"He ran into Jim several times during his stay in the islands and en route from there to Australia on a hospital ship. The commander is, to hear him tell it, just about the most popular fig-
ure in that part of the world. He spends much of his time, his own time, too, visiting the boys in hospitals and convalescent camps.

"A visit from Jim with his endless fund of stories, football and other, is worth more than all the medicines that have been shipped to the island by his friends put it, "I can't say how, to express what those visits from Jim Crowley have meant to me and to the other wounded and sick. His presence alone is worth a couple of divisions of troops."

"Maybe the military leaders would rather have the extra divisions, but from what I've heard, I'm sure the men would rather have Crowley."


Vie Lemmer, in continuing his news-digesting process among the '26 clan, wrote to Jim Glenn, Tino Poggioli, John Griffin, Father Keith Roche and Mike Reddington in early September but only Jim crashed through with a reply. He is production manager for the Pittsburgh Gray Glass Corp., Lancaster, Pa., having moved to Lancaster from Terre Haute, Ind., 12 years ago. Jim says that, with the shortage of tin and the consequent big push in glass for containers, he is more than busy.

Vie himself noted that Walt Trotman, of the Washington staff of the "Chicago Tribune," has been writing many Sunday features for the Trib. One of the latest, on Aug. 29, had to do with the life and times of Harry Hopkins.

Now '26 men in the military: John O'Donnell, Maysville, Ky.; John Ronan, Pittsburgh, Pa. The Kentucky John is in the Navy, and you can reach him in Co. 1189, USNTS, Great Lakes, Ill. The Pennsy John is a captain in the Army's Corps of Engineers, but for the present you'd better write to him in care of his home, 448 Martin Drive, Mt. Lebanon, Pittsburgh 16, Pa. When he reported in Chicago on Sept. 7 he was uncertain as to his future military address.

John O'D., as you recall, was an important part of the daily "Ledge" in Maysville for a good many years. John R. has been with the Forest Lumber Company since he was graduated, lately as assistant treasurer.

Vie had a grand letter from Lt. Jay R. Masench, USNR, Sheldon Hotel, Lexington Ave. at 49th St., New York City. Jay spent many years with the South Bend Lathe Works, in advertising, publications and promotions, and so fits ideally into his present work with the Navy: he's in the machine tool division of the eastern procurement district office at 67 Broad St., N.Y.C., and works especially with plane manufacturers. Jay is just a block from the Stock Exchange where our freshman president, Bob Cahill, is a member.

There was word lately in the Alumni Office from Frank X. "Duke" Slater, who is a buyer for Pratt & Whitney Aircraft in East Hartford, Conn., and resides at 8 Walnut St., Rockville, Conn. Frank is going down to the Army game in N.Y.C. with his wife, oldest boy (13 years old) and two guests.

Which is a reminder that Armstrong, '25, and Dooley, along with J. Arthur Haler, the University's director of public relations, all have sons (eldest child in each case) who are freshmen this year in South Bend's Central Catholic High School, taught by the C.S.C. Brothers. Total score to date: Armstrong, five boys; Dooley, one boy, three girls; Haler, three boys, one girl.

There is welcome news that Ward Leahy, for many years with the New York Central-Michigan Central organization, is now assistant superintendent for the N.Y.C. in Chicago.

Dan O'Neil sent a flash on the birth of Capt. Jerry Hayes' fourth son, Michael, on Aug. 12. That makes five total for Jerry and Florence. At the latest report, Jerry was still in North Africa. Bernie Wingertor's brother, Jack, '23, who is with the OWI overseas, saw him there in September. In fact, Jack took the word of Mike's birth from New Jersey to Pop Hayes.

Assisting Lt. Rex Enright as head coach of the Navy Pre-Flight School at Athens, Ga., are Ensign Andy Timley, '26, and Ensign Bill Kerr, '40.

A quick review of the Alumni Office military records indicates that the following of '26 are in service: Capt. Ben, Lee Cantwell, Frank Crowly, George Dolmage, Rex Enright, Chuck Guinn, Jerry Hayes, Irving Harwich, Worden Kane, Jay Masench, Maurice McEllogit, John O'Donnell, Tino Poggioli, John Ryan, Joe Shea, Tom Sheridan and Jim Stack. There are doubtless some others. Will some one notify the local headquarters accordingly?

1927 Joseph M. Boland, Station WGN, 444 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

From Joe Boland:

Your reporter doesn't know where to begin with this issue — to come down to earth is a bit hard after four weeks of wild commuting between Chicago and South Bend. As you note, the masthead is changed.

Eddie McLaughlin, the prominent attorney of the Loop: Jerry Le Strange, now in Chicago for the "Southern Agriculturist," — any number of assorted N.D. men of various years, shapes and sizes — all checked in here . . . but the story is one of those that'll have to wait for a reunion; it's too long and involved. I would like to thank a lot of folks who've written, and who may read this . . . for the most of this, I think Joe Reedy's letter from England . . . or such excerpts of it Mr. Dooley can squeeze into limited space, de- serves what white space we have here.

Vince McNally, now handling the Army physical training program at Georgetown University — having switched from football coaching at Villa-nova, — suffered the loss of his mother by death recently. May we ask your prayers?

Larry Moore, father of six, now heads the employee service departments at Western Electric's Hawthorne (Chicago) plants.

Boland to Chicago

Joe Boland, '27, class secretary, has become a sports announcer for station WGN, Chicago, after a highly successful term as special announcer for WSBT, South Bend.

Joe was president of the St. Joseph Valley Notre Dame Club for 1943-44. To honor him, the club sponsored a dinner in the Indiana Club, South Bend, on Sept. 30, which was attended by 125 of Joe's friends — alumni and non-alumni. Walter Langford, vice-president, and now, president of the club, presented him with a traveling bag as a farewell gift.

Four Notre Dame football games are on Joe's fall schedule of WGN announcing.

After I find out which way the Elevated runs here, and find someone to lead me around the Loop by the hand for a week or two more, I'll have a Chicago check-up for you in the next issue.

As usual, there's probably a lot we've missed: bear with us, friends, and we'll have your letter(s) here, if and when they reach me at the new location.

From Capt. Joseph P. Reedy in England to Joe Boland:

"Gee! 11 is raining — one of those driving cold rains that chills a fellow to the bone. The wind is howling and whipping the rain around like an egg beater. It's like a Hollywood version of a tropical rainstorm. Everything is thoroughly soaked and drooping — Gee! Am I glad I'm inside in this nice dry Headquarters!

"I've been here for a bit over a month. Saw the immortal Spike Michalski before I left New York. We met as of a Sunday morning on the way to church . . . We decided to look up Bishop O'Hara after Mass, and to our delight and the taxi company's disgust, we were at Mass at his parish.

"Spike was taking command of a new amphibian ship. I was leaving with an Air Force task group . . . Spike explained with gestures how he'd like to have the Bishop bless his boat (lead- ing with the proverbial left and crossing in a timely manner).

"It was good meeting and we learned three or four other N.D. lads had been in — in uniform, the same day — none for money, strangely. The Bishop looks and acts the same as he did when he used to be in our parish. I'm sure the men would rather have Crowley."

"We'll go on from here and undoubtedly have lots of good adventure ahead — hope I can send on some of them to you — I'm a bit more carious now than I was when Rock once said to me, "Reedy, aren't you even curious what those guards are hiding?"


Joe Diehart, athletic director and head coach at St. Joseph's College, Rensselaer, Ind., through several remarkably successful seasons, has joined the coaching staff and physical education department at Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind. With a depleted enrollment, St. Joseph's was forced to give up varsity athletics for the duration of the war. Unfated in 21 games, the college's football team under Joe's direction was co-champion of the Indiana Conference for the past two seasons.

Lt. Jim Quinlan is now on naval assignment in Washington, D.C., residing at the Shoreham Hotel, after an exciting tour of duty in convoy work on the Atlantic.

Comes word from the Pacific that Carlos Tanara, National City, Calif., heads one of the most important ship-building companies on the West Coast. Concrete ships are his company's specialty.

'As this is written, northern Indiana is waiting for the official appointment and confirmation of
Luther M. "Mike" Swygert, Hammond attorney, as federal judge for the northern Indiana district. He has been endorsed for the post by Senator Frederick Van Nys of Indiana to succeed Judge Thomas W. Slick, resigned. The 35-year-old Mike has been assistant U.S. attorney in the district for the past eight years, handling successfully a great many cases in the Hammond, South Bend and Fort Wayne branches of the court.

1929


Latest address for Major Thomas J. Qualters, former bodyguard to President Roosevelt: Edg. Forces, APO 560, e/o P.M., N.Y.C.

Lt. Cmdr. John T. Burke is executive officer of the Navy Section Base, East Boston, Mass.

George N. Beamer, chairman of the Public Service Commission of Indiana, has office headquarters in 401 State House, Indianapolis, and resides at 4559 Carrollton Ave., in the same city.

1930


From Harold Bake:

Recently talked to Tom Lawler and made a date to have lunch with him. He is with the Harrisburg Machinery Co. in Philadelphia. Nora Lillig was with the same firm until recently, but is now a lieutenant in the Navy, Tom said. Just as soon as I can spend a little time with Tom, I hope to have more news for the column.

Tom Medland, Logansport, Ind., came through with a masterpiece of a letter for this issue, and I'm most grateful to him. Since June, 1942, Tom has been associated in a civilian engineering capacity with the new Naval Air Station just south of downtown Logansport. He is in charge of the design and maintenance.

Tom writes of the men of many classes, including even his own two future N.D. alums of '66 and '59. Here are some excerpts from his letter:

"Through the years, the 'Alumni' news becomes increasingly important and interesting and letters like Tim Toomey's help to awaken memories and renew acquaintances, long gone but not forgotten. . . ."

"Michael Fannier, Indiana Supreme Court judge, puts frequent appearances in the old home town of Logansport. Lt. Cmdr. J. H. Klaespler, who spent several months at this station as executive officer, was recently transferred to the Pacific.

Andy Toth, the South Bend flash who started in Architecture in '25 and finished at Cornell, is our chief architect here, and my brother, Ed, an architectural freshman in '25, is chief engineer with the contractor at this station.

"Jim Digan, '29, the radiator expert, is producing defense items for our favorite uncle at his radio station in the Navy Section Base, East Boston, Mass.

"Dick Landgrave, of Peru, a pre-law freshman in '27, has just left here after a year as head timekeeper for the contractor. William 'Red' Kennedy, who took pre-med in '27 and '28, is now a veteran medic, operating in Australia at the moment as a first lieutenant in the Army. Had a recent letter from him, Jerry Parker, '30. The American Airlines advertising execs are now a first lieutenant in the Army Transport Command on the West Coast. Jerry recently lost his brother Howard, a really outstanding N.D. alumnus.

"Harold 'Red' Tuberty, '31, gets bigger and richer each day in his Logansport law office. In addition to his business, Harold keeps quite active in civil and political affairs. Paul Bott, '31, is an executive with the Gossard Co., in Logansport and past grand knight of the K. of C. of C. Lee Hendricks, '32, is well occupied with his printing business, K. of C. and civic activities, Richard Maclean, '34, another past grand knight of the K. of C., continues a successful legal practice. My cousin, Charlie Midland, '32, is a lieutenant (j.g.) in the Navy, and at last reports was an instructor at Princeton University.

"Eddie Alberta, a freshman in '31, is in the Navy on foreign duty. Charles Brown, '36, the Indianapolis architect, worked with me here last year, joined the Navy and completed his piloting course. His present location is the S. D. campus. I have no news of his present location.

"George Beltemacchi, '36, left Logansport to acquire an Illinois architect's license. He has remained there except for the past year, which he spent doing engineering work on an Army camp in the West.

Fenton Mee, '40, is now a captain in the Marines. After participation in the invasion of Africa, he returned to Logansport on furlough a few months ago and related many interesting experiences. No information available on his present location."

Capt. (Dr.) John D. Freeen, M.C.A., A.F., of Battle Creek, Neb., was, at the latest report, in the station hospital of the Army base at St. Peterburg, Fla. At the same latest report, Frank J. Armbruster was also a captain in the Army's medical corps but has just gone out of 20387, Emerald Ave., Chicago Heights, Ill. Lt. John S. Flinn was with the 175th Station Hospital, APO 87F, e/o P.M., Miami, Fla.

1931

John Bergan, 835 E. Colfax Ave., South Bend, Ind.

Ed O'Dea, Terre Haute, Ind., is (was) with the 56th Division Co., Fort Custer, Mich. Joe Raineri, Bayfield, Wis., was, on Aug. 26, commissioned a lieutenant, junior grade, here, and my brother and, at the latest report, was awaiting call to active duty. Joe, who finished in law at Minnesota following his term at Notre Dame, was when he was commissioned serving his fourth term as district attorney of Iron County, Mich. He was also president of the Notre Dame Club of the Gogebic Range, and is the father of two sons.

John Carran, A.B., '31, M.A., '36, is now on active duty with the armed forces according to a recent note. John taught for 12 years in various Catholic schools, then was on the staff of the U.S. Military Academy, St. Petersburg, Fla. In the past 15 years he has published 25 short stories, two plays, one novel and six poems.

1932

Lt. James K. Collins, 1135 Manchester Ave., Norwalk, Ohio.

From Jim Collins:

Capt. Charlie Nash of the Army Medical Corps writes from Lincoln, Neb., that he has been in the service for 14 months. He was at Madison last year, and was one of the first of the Air Medical Aviation Medicine at Randolph Field, Texas, last January. He is now attached to the Heavy Bomber Group as a flight surgeon.

Charlie said the first N.D. man he had run into was Phil Danley who is a warrant officer in the Judge Advocate General's office at the Lincoln Air Base. Charlie's wife is maintaining the home at 8134 Chappel Ave., Chicago, and he suggests any mail be sent to him there as he is practically commuting between Lincoln and El Paso, Texas. He is very happy to run into Lt. (j.g.) Ed Mehren at the Officers' Club here a few weeks ago. He is the assistant planning officer at the Norfolk Navy Yard in Portsmouth, Va. He took his wife back to her home here and
will be living at 220 E. 39th St., Norfolk, by the time you read this.

Lt. Pete Strek, after some hard sessions in Camp Davis, N. C., and Port Estula, Va., is back fighting the Battle of Boston with the anti-aircraft battery. He is living at Charleston.

I met Ensign Bill Coleman, '42, at lunch recently. He has been in the Navy only a few weeks, and is attached to the Supply Corps, Building 143, NOB Norfolk.

Joe Siemer, Teutopolis, Ill., former states attorney of Effingham County, Ill., was, on July 25, Sgt. Joseph B. Siemer, Room 730, 458 S. Spring St., Los Angeles, Calif., according to word from the home precincts. Joe is connected with the provost marshal's office. Joe Lewis, formerly an assistant U.S. attorney for the northern district of Illinois, has become associated with the law firm of Lord, Bosill & Kadyk, 133 S. La Salle St., Chicago.

Address for Lt. (jg) William G. J. Jones: Armed Guard Center, 25 E. 1st Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y. Joe is the father of a new son, James Paul, born June 18. His home address is 485 Gilde St., Rochester, N. Y.

1933

Tighe Woods, 7344 Ellis Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Addresses: Lt. Cmdr. William M. Hawkins, Aircraft Engineering Section, Naval Air Station, Patuxent River, Md.; Ensign Joseph H. Churchman, Armed Guard Center, 52nd St. and 1st Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

John F. Cary, with the 370th Med. Bn. at Camp Adair, Ore., was on Aug. 5, promoted from captain to major. John has been at Camp Adair since completing a special course at the medical field service school, Carlisle, Pa., on April 30.

1934

Joseph R. Glennon, Jr., Brook Manor, Pleasantville, N. Y.

From Joe Glennon:

The other day I ran into Lt. Leo Cooan in Grand Central Station. He was on his way to Boca Chica, Fla., Naval Air Facility (highest point — three feet above sea level). He mentioned that he has run across quite a number of Notre Dame coaches who are connected with the Naval Air Service. He flew up to a meeting in northern Florida and, out of 20 athletic directors, 11 of them were ex-Notre Dame coaches. He said he would like to hear from you fellows, and it gets pretty lonely down in this spot, 12 miles east of Key West.

An article in the September "Industrial Marketing" features Bob Hamilton's Dumore Company's advertising to distributors. Bob, who is vice-president in charge of sales, inaugurated a campaign to correct practices and bad habits of the industrial supply distributors. It was a bold step, but one that needed to be taken, and it has worked out more than satisfactorily.

It was sad to hear of the deaths of John Dobinson, Lt. Patrick F. Flattery and Lt. Vincent J. Jasinska. The sincerest sympathy of our class goes to their families.

I am looking forward to seeing many of you at the Army-Notre Dame game.

Bob Cahill, erstwhile conductor of this division of the "Alumnus," is in the South Pacific and has seen Lt. Jack McGrath there. The South Sea Islander, it could be added, wouldn't be hurt at hearing from you guys even though you can no longer ask him for four on the fifty. His address: Lt. (jg) R. M. Cahill, USNR, c/o ComAirSoPac, Fleet P.O., San Francisco. . . . Mrs. Cahill is now in the Athletic Office (Notre Dame—not South Sea) trying to finish up last year's ticket sales.

Pvt. Bob Ward had, in mid-September, been in the station hospital, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., since July 7 on account of "various minor ailments," to quote him. He had been sent to post to attend finance school.

Address for Capt. Edward J. Butler, formerly of the Bell Telephone Co., "Wilmington, Del.: 812 Signal Port Service Co., APO 446, e/o P.M.N.C.

Lt. (jg) Tom Stritch, former English teacher in the University, is, according to all the best indications, right in the middle of things in the European operations. In the Amphibious Force, and a skipper in the LCT's for 15 months, Tom recently ran smack into one of his former students, Ensign Paul Kasmer, '41, so Paul reported in a recent note to the campus. Teacher and pupil were speechless for a minute.

1935

Franklyn G. Hochreiter, 346 Rosedale Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

Written Lt. Pat Fisher, APO 4116-D, San Francisco, in sending in a generous contribution: "I've seen a few Notre Dame men out this way in the past few weeks. Among them were Bob Cahill, '34, and John McAlpine, '31, from Chicago. Mark Falgoust, '27, from down in Louisiana, is with me."

Address: 1st Lt. Robert C. Maher, M.C., 23rd Field Hospital, Camp White, Ore. Bob, his father writes from Leechburg, Pa., received his M.D. from George Washington University, Washington, D. C., and, after serving an internship, practiced medicine in the state of Washington until he joined the Army Medical Corps in September, 1942. He was married in September, 1941, to Betty Fay Downey, Seattle, Wash.

Lt. (jg) George T. Demetris was to report on Aug. 31 for training at Quonset Point, R. I., and expected back at the Glenside Air Station, near Chicago, for active duty. George had been with the Palmer House, Chicago, ever since 1935, rising in recent years to be an assistant manager. At this "crossroads of the world" he had met the materially aided, innumerable Notre Dame people.

The grim and terrifying experiences of Corp. Joe Ducel, '35, Amsterdam, N. Y., of the Marines, were the subject of a long, illustrated feature article by Burris Jenkins, Jr., in the "New York Journal American" of Aug. 5. Joe, home on leave after participating in many of the most grueling actions in the Southwest Pacific, was a member of the first Raider battalion, turned out at Quan­tieo, Va. He had enlisted in the Marines soon after Pearl Harbor and had volunteered for Raider training.

1936

Joseph F. Mansfield, 24 Fifth St., Pelham, N. Y.

From Joe Mansfield:

The mailman called at our house four or five times with letters containing news of the '36ers. They will be passed on to you in abbreviated form in keeping with the "space conservation program."

We heard from Irwin Goldman just too late to include his contribution in the last edition. At the time of his writing, Bud was at Camp Berke­ley, Texas. He was staff sergeant, attached to that post temporarily. Like all the men in service, he would like to get mail from members of the class.

You can expect a letter from me one of these days, Bud. Here's his address: Platoon 40, Co. G, MAC-OGS, Camp Berkeley, Texas.

Larry Palkovics, one of the more faithful contributors to the column, wrote that he is now in the Navy. I intend to write him shortly.

John Meran, Lt. (jg.), had lunch with me a few weeks ago, just before he took off for a much needed 16-days furlough. He said that Ensign Sheber and a brisk card could be reached at Group E-III, Lion 3, N.O.R., Camp Allen.

John had received a letter from 1st Lt. Frank "Dae" Murray, USA. M.C., A391492371, APO 643, e/o Postmaster, Miami. Doc is a flight surgeon attached to the South Atlantic Wing and had been stationed in Brazil in 1935. He reported that he had bumped into another N.D. man in Brazil for several months, Capt. Raymond Fitzgerald, who was at school from '36 to '38.

Joe MacDowell is with Standard Garment Co., 1350 Broadway, N.Y.C. John was an usher at Jim Kirby's wedding on June 5 at Blessed Sacrament Church here in New York. The bride was the former Mary Ellis. The newlyweds are now living at 741 Seward Ave., Detroit, where Jim is serving with the FBI. Bob Cavanaugh sent along a note which announced his marriage to Etna Virginia Paul at Springfield, III., on July 24. Bob is still with the FDIC in Chicago.

John also had a card from Lt. Jim McDevitt. Jim can be reached at HQ Div. 85, e/o Postmaster, Los Angeles. Jerry Gilkeson was recently commissioned an ensign in the Naval Reserve. He received his training at Fort Schuyler, N. Y., and was transferred to Boston for armed guard duty.

Leora Brown, Paul's wife, sent along a letter which told that Paul had left Hibbing, Minn., for service in the Navy. He was stationed at Shuam, Alaska, and, had recently been commissioned an ensign. He can (and could) be reached at the University of Arizona. Mrs. Brown said that Paul Cunningham is at Camp Wheeler, Ga. His address is 315549163, Co. D., 4th Tng. Bn., 4th Platoon. Jim Dutten has enlisted in the Coast Guard but his present address isn't known. Frank Ryan, another Hibbing boy, is also an ensign, stationed in Detroit. Many thanks, Leora, for passing along that information.

I'm still working for NBC as production director. I get around the country quite a bit but usually in and out of the same place — unless I don't have much chance to look up any of the '36ers while I'm there. This fall I expect to see a few N.D. games starting with the Pittsburgh game on Sept. 25. I produce and direct the Bill Stern Collegiate show, and we'll be on the road for most of the season. Between Fridays, I handle several other shows here in New York and dash out of town for special assignments.

Drop me a card and I'll pass it on to the rest of the class.

William Shakespeare has joined the Army and is at Camp Adair, Ore. The address: 229009734, HQ Co., 70th Inf. Div. Private Bill was asked by the camp paper as to his greatest thrill in football. You're right: his pass to Millner that won the '35 Ohio State game.

Lt. Joe Sullivan (promoted last spring), Amarillo Detachment, Amarillo Army Air Field, Amarillo, Texas, sends the following welcome news in along with his contribution:

"I have been located here since the first of May of this year as commander of the detachment. We are located at the new Army Field and everyone seems to get along with the Army Air Force officers. Major C. G. Haggerty, Notre Dame '25, is
in charge of the laboratory at the base hospital. He is the only Notre Dame alumnus I have run across in this part of the country.

"I expect to get some leave the latter part of October and plan to see the Notre Dame-Navy football game. Charlie writes a letter, also the Notre Dame-Army game at New York. On the way East I hope to be able to spend some time at Notre Dame.

"Easter Sunday at the Commodore Hotel bar in New York City I spent some time with Ensign Don Elser, '36, who was located at the Naval Training Station, Fort Schuyler, Ensign Mike Fox, '34, and Smitty. I met a fellow, R. I., who was in the city from Syracuse, where he is with the Quartermaster Corps at the Army Air Base."

Jack Robinson, at Camp Knox, Ky., training in the armed forces, will for this year for the first time in 16 years miss seeing or playing in an Army-Navy-Dame game.

Address: Capt. John S. Gleason, Jr., O-359599, Hqtrs. APO 33, c/o F.M., San Francisco. John, who is kept more than busy in ordnance work, has yet to see his son, John S., born Aug. 1, in Pasadena, Calif.

1937 Paul Foley, 910 Hawthorne Road, Grande Pointe, Mich.

Father Charles Carey sends word to the Alumni Office that Gene Ling is not in service as that usually reliable organ, the Notre Dame "Alum-nus," erroneously reported some time back.

Address: 1st Lt. Joseph F. Hecter, Co. C, 872nd A/F Engineers Bn., APO 529, c/o F.M., San Francisco.

1938 Harold A. Williams, 4323 Marshiball Rd., Baltimore, Md.

From Hal Williams:
The lead this month belongs to Charlie Callahan, now in the Army and serving as staff reporter for the Peterson Field, Colorado Springs, Colo., "Wingspread." Charlie recently sent us a copy of his paper and a letter that covered just about everything in the class. Because of our new space restrictions, it will be impossible to quote all of both, but I trust Bill Dooley will forgive me this much. Charlie was a signed sports column and in it I find this gem, "Being a non-lover of calisthenics and an advocator of competitive athletics for everybody else..." Callahan, in the past five years, has run into practically everyone in the class—meeting them in such places as club cars, locker rooms, back bars, Grand Central Station, South Bend, and the Bronx. Most of Callahan's reports are somewhat stale: Examples: "I met Bob Hackman at the N.Y.U. basketball game year before last and he was then in Army, Navy or Marines..." Bill Arnold was with the Grace Lines when I saw him at the Commodore bar three years ago. The night Queen-Chicago College upset South Dakota State School of Mines... After seeing a dame to her Westchester bus one night, a year ago last spring, was walking down a street in the Bronx and bumped into Hugh O'Donnell. Said Hello, Hughie, I said, 'Hughie, stop. Call me doctor.' He had just graduated from med school that morning..."

Thanks, anyway, Scoop, for the fine letter. I had a very nice note from John Donnelly. He is now director of student accounts at the University of Notre Dame. I bumped into Dr. Roy Sholes, '35, who is doing research at the Johns Hopkins Hospital here in Baltimore... Eddie Mattingly's father writes that Ed is now a second lieutenant in the Transportation Corps and is overseas "some place off the Pacific Coast"..."

Word seeps through that Chuck Beasley has seen quite a bit of action in the South Pacific and is one of the heroes... Will try to get more dope for the next issue... Note from Sergeant Dan Quinnan, 35th Bomb Squadron (D), 314th Bomb Group (D), Waycross, Ga. Dan is still single and is now serving as an airplane mechanic... Joe McNeilly writes that he has been fighting the battle of Russia for two years. He is a master sergeant and his address is Hqts. 350th Ord. Bn. He is single but engaged to Miss Ruth E. polls of Md., Pa... He has seen Charley Hurley down there...

Received a letter from Don Hickey on July 13, just a day too late for the August issue... He states that John Donnelly has a commission in the Navy Supply Corps... Jack Hynes and Jack Moulder are rearing families in the Bend, and Charlie Luke is in airway traffic control in Chicago... Don is stationed at Fort Schuyler, New York—61, N.Y.—Co. C, Comp. A, 1st, Billiet 290... Other '38 boys with him are Jerry Redheul, Charlie Metzger, Joe Kuharich, Jack Ward, Fred Cariedo and Irv Gardner... Don Elser was there and left... Thanks, Boys, and every year I had to cut so much, but that's orders...

And that's all. Hope to see a lot of you fellows at the Army-N.D. game and in the '28 corner of the Penn Hotel bar. Until then...

The parents of Pfc. Ambrose Rice, co. '38, of the Marine Corps, killed in action on Guadalcanal, have been notified in South Bend that they are to receive the purple heart medal awarded post-humously to their son.

Sgt. Chuck O'Beirn sent greeting to the University in late August. His address: 36676046, 351st Port Co. of the 5181h Port Bn., TCUTC, T-273, Indiantown Gap Mil. Res., Penna.

Another address: Major James H. Lahey, USMC, Headquarters of U.S. Marine Corps, Division of Plans and Policies, Washington, D. C.

From somewhere in the South Pacific came this recent story by a Marine Corps combat correspon-dent:

"The ability to think and act fast saved Capt. Joseph William Mehrg, Jr., of 1631 Cherry St., Huntington, Ind., from serious injury in a recent Japanese daylight air raid. Three members of Capt. Mehrg's party were injured in the raid.

"I caught the 23-year-old captain in a small boat in the bay with a party of five. To make matters worse, the coxswain had just run the boat on an unseen reef when the Jap planes appeared."

"The entire party huggd the bottom of the small boat as four strafing planes passed over without hitting them. Then they thought they were clear and got to their feet. The coxswain broke the boat clear of the reef and was backing off when a fifth Jap plane dove at the boat with machine guns blazing."

"Over the side' ordered Capt. Mehrg, and immediately obeyed his own order. So did one other member of the party, but the other three chose to try their luck at the bottom of the boat again. All three were hit by Jap bullets."

"None of the injuries proved fatal, however."

(Ed's note: Hal Williams missed the August, 1943, issue through no fault of his; we lost his copy here. 'Seize, please.)

1939 Vincent W. DeCourcy, 1221 Georgia, Kansas City, Kans.

From Vince DeCourcy:

Another month of not much news. The boys must be getting pretty scattered by this time, hard to find, and too busy to hear from — or even about.

Letter received just yesterday from Bob Hoag, first we have heard since his leaving Montgomery Ward in Chicago. It is now Ensign R. J. Hoag, USNR, 1909 Runnymede Va. Bill will be there till going to Harvard in November. Wife and baby are with him. It's Capt. Jack McCulliffe now, according to Bob, private to captain in 20 months. Jack is in the Coast Artillery at Camp Pendleton, Calif. Luke Lerecz, when seen, was expecting to go overseas, and has not been seen since, so probably went. Frank Reppenhagen, ensign, USCG, is temporarily stationed near Norfolk. Ted Frewick was navigating officer on a carrier. About others, Bob says: Jim Dunn is still running his dad's factory at Rockford, Ill. Jack Wheeler had received a commission and was awaiting orders.

Letter from Dick Anton announcing the birth of a new son. He's (Dick) still battling for workers at Oliver in South Bend, address 625 West Washington St.

Two phone calls, but unable to see either visitor to our fair city. First, Paul Oakes, Lieutenant in Adjutant General Office, stationed in Florida. He brought the following news, supplemented by more from Tom Reardon, with whom he had lunch (Tom, incidentally, now the father of three, two boys, one girl). Very busy leaving for Lipsi, and presumably is still with, Martin at Baltimore in their engineering department. Dick Brennan is in the Army somewhere in the Midwest, was married recently. Tom Zigler was in OCS in Miami, but probably has graduated by this time.

Last call was from Bob Perry, who was with us in old St. Ed's a long time ago. He's a flying ser­gant, ferrying planes in the ATC. Was just passing through en route to St. Louis; stationed in Burbank.

Charles H. McCake, Cleveland Heights, was recently commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army Air Forces at Turner Field, Albany, Ga.

Sgt. Mario Torrelli, a captive of the Japs in the Philippines, is in excellent health, according to a card which his parents in Chicago recently received from him.

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

From Bob Sanford:

Bill Dooley writes, "How about it, chum? Where are you?" Sanford answers, "Here I am at Camp Lee, Va." That disappearing correspondent of yours is back. Having finished the QM OCS on July 30, 1941, and remaining at Camp Lee, I have been going to school a little more and am now working with a basic company in the QM Bpl. Tug. Gen. My address is above.

The article is supposed to be held down and my collection of news is slight, so I will wait till next month for your help to help me out now that I am back in circulation.

Have a letter which I received back in May from Tom Shields. He was stationed at Stuttgart, Ark., and was rooming with Norm Anderson. Tom's address at that time was S/Sgt Tom W. Shields, AAF-APS Sol. XV, Stuttgart, Ark.

Bob Voelker wrote a few months ago, after just returning from Alaska, and said, "Bob Schmid was attending the Naval Corps School in Philadelphia. Frank O'Laughlin roomed with Bob up in Alaska, but left for OCS. Francis Ernst was stationed at Fort Meade, Md., with an APO ad­dress."

Ed McLaughlin was married way back in June. He married the girl we all met back at school,
Marion Delaney, Ensign Paul Mead Morrison was some time ago transferred to the Fitzsimmons General Hospital, Denver, W ard 5, Room 3039.

A note from Mrs. Golden says that Phil Golden is now a lieutenant (j.g.) and in the South Pacific. His present address: Bombing Squadron 3, Fleet P.O. San Francisco. Ten Gnome Schumacher, '43, is now at Camp Lee, but I haven't been able to contact him as yet. He is in a basic company and his present address is Co. H., 6th QM Tng. Regt., T-256.

Received a swell letter from Capt. Joe Mulqueen of the Marines and would like to be able to have all these letters published, but at least I will pick out the highlights as follows:

"I've been in the South Pacific area for some time now. Spent five months in [censored] and vicinity before coming to the coconut-studded island.

"Ran into Marty Regan about two weeks before leaving [censored] ... he's a full lieutenant in the Navy and is fifth officer in seniority aboard his ship. Marty participated in the initial battles for the Solomon Island group and has many interesting stories to tell.

"Bob Hackman, '38, is in the same company with me ... division signal company and a captain. ... Frank Millet stopped writing me quite a while ago. ... Capt. George Hasgrity is a communication officer in one of the regiments of this division. ... Capt. Johnny Scott, '38, of South Bend, is R-3 for one of our regiments ... we came over on the same boat.

"Bumped into Jim Connelly, '41, on board ship in this area. ... He's an ensign and has been in several exciting engagements in the Solomons area. ... Lt. Emmett Lenihan, '41, and Capt. Paul Lenihan at [censored] and they're both helping to make the news from this area too. ... Ensign Vin Harretti, '37, and Bob Osterman, '41, are two more N. D. men I met in [censored]."

"Lt. (j.g.) John Martin is a communication officer aboard one of the ships in this area, so I am told, but haven't seen him as yet.

"Lt. Fred Ficnacce, USMCR, was aboard ship with me and is still just as good a comedian as ever. Ray Allen said he was forced to write me the other day to congratulate me on the birth of my second halfbrother on May 15. He's still in Battle Creek, going strong as the junior partner in the law firm of which his late father was a member. Says that Tom Browning is running his father's coal business.

"Phil Canale's letter that appeared in the June issue of the 'Alumnus' was very interesting and newsy. His mentioning the use of his steel helmet in the field all right. This morning when I got up, the weather here is so pleasant that neither Peggy and I could compete with it."

"Life on a South Pacific Island isn't bad much. ... while back in California Peggy and I ran into Joe Ryan and his wife, Jane. ... he is an instructor at Taft Field. ... Bob Shen, '41, is a first lieutenant in the Army Air Corps and is a graduate of Notre Dame in Arizona ... incidentally, my address is Sig. Co., 3rd Mar. Div., c/o Fleet P.O. San Francisco. ... hope we will all make that 1945 reunion."

"I hope so too, Joe. I have done a terrible job for the last few months, but I promise to do better. So please send me some news, fellows.

At OCS I ran into Bill Hinoski, '43. He and I talked over old times till he received his commission and went to San Antonio and further Air Corps assignments.

By way of a Marine Corps combat correspondent, in a story distributed by the Associated Press, come details of the heroic exploits of Capt. Doug Bangeroff of Guadalcanal in mid-November, 1942. For his work on the occasion Doug received the Distinguished Flying Cross.

When he returned to the Pacific Coast in late July, after 1962 months in the South Pacific, Doug was quoted as follows:

"It was a battleship of the Kongo class, and it had been crippled in the big naval battle off Guadalcanal the night before," he said. "We caught up with it just prior to our attack, when we were about 10 minutes off Henderson Field, a half dozen Zeros attempted an interception. My tail gunner downed one of them, but not before our plane had been shot up pretty badly, and our turret gunner slightly wounded."

"However, we continued our mission through the heavy flak thrown up by the battleship and accompanying destroyers, but when I leveled off for the run in I discovered my bomb bay had been so shot up I couldn't unload the torpedoes."

"Flying over the battle-wagon, we returned to the airfield. After landing another plane, we flew back for a second run. This time the heavy warship had slowed up until it was nearly a 'dead' target. You couldn't miss it—just laying down there—and I sent the 'fish' in for a confirmed hit. We learned later that the Japs had to scuttle the ship."

Another hero of South Pacific combat is Tom Philipott, who was assigned to the Marine Staff and Command School at Quantico, Va., for three months of special training. Tom some time ago received from Rear Admiral T. S. Wilkinson, deputy commander of the South Pacific Area, special commendation with the following citation:

"For bravery and devotion to duty under adverse conditions while in action against the enemy in the British Solomon Islands from August 7, 1942, to August 9, 1943. Serving with the Assistant Division Manager as Intelligence Officer.

25 BOMBING MISSIONS

Winner of the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Air Medal and three oak leaf clusters, 1st. Lt. Joseph P. Carr, ex. '40, of the Army Air Corps was recently back home in Gary, Ind. on leave, the veteran of 25 bombing missions over Germany and Hitler-occupied countries. His thrilling and narrow escapes were recounted in an excellent feature article in the "Gary Post-Tribune" of Sept. 8.

Lieutenant Philipott performed his duties with honor and skill and in supplying his commander with intelligence data contributed greatly to the success of the operation. His conduct was in keeping with the highest traditions of the United States Naval Service."

"Added to the Major Hennebery score: one Jap cargo which he sank in mid-August with his B-25 bomber off the New Guinea coast after making a direct hit.

Ensign Bob Hennesttetter is on the staff of the commander of the Fleet Air West Coast and feels very happy about his assignment. His address: Comm. Office, CPWCF, NAS, San Diego, Calif."

With a generous financial contribution, Jim Donaghe, '39, from the South Pacific: "Joe Zareckel, (Lt. USMCR), came in from the States a few days ago. Ed Kirby, '37, is still the Advocate General's assistant for our area. Major Clay Murray is exuberantly happy over his new rank. Jim O'Lauglin is a gas expert now. He also came from San Diego in a Navy unit near here.

From 2nd Lt. Ed Hudd, AGD, assistant adjutant general at the headquarters of the 11th airborne division, Camp Mackall, N. C., came another word, with a financial contribution. Says Ed: "One of the sentiments here in the finance section is Dan Sullivan, '38, Ulysses, Kans. We did have a race in our ranks Ed Sullivan, brother of Joe, I'm told, who was discharged a few days before we discovered he was a member of the 11th A.B. ... Fellows like Doug Bangeroff and John Menley are doing a great job, according to the 'Alumnus,' and so are others like Matts Tessell who lives in New York have not come in on the ticker in caps. ..."

"I don't get around much to writing Bob Sanford, but I should like to say hello to him through this medium, and pass on my good wishes to the entire class. ... I met Ed Budd'ser's mother and sister again recently when business took me into the Maxton-Laufenburg air base. Ed is on government business near Panama. His home is in Laurinburg."

"I saw Father Dellner in New Orleans in the spring, and returning to my station had a severe motor accident that might have closed out a fighting career, but the gloves are on again and the ships are red, white and blue."
1942


From Scoop Scanlon:

Clove-trotting Frank Gibson, SFE, gets the lead-off spot in the class of '42 columns for October. He writes:

"In the April issue of the 'Alumnus,' which I have now read about five times, I noticed an article in which you told of the thrill of hearing the Victory March played at Fort Sheridan. Here's a suggestion. More than likely many N.D. lads have heard the Victory March played since they left the campus. You started the ball rolling — let me pick it up by telling my experience and then someone else take it from there:

"While stationed in Bermuda, I had my first occasion to hear its strains. I was standing on the docks and an Army band was rendering a group abroad a troop ship. After playing many popular songs, they swung into the Victory March. I sure felt proud. Weeks later I was in [censored] North Africa and amid the clatter of knives and forks and the eaterings of chow, a Navy band played it again. Many stopped eating and attempted to prove to their neighbors that they, too, knew the words to our song. I also stopped eating — a rare thing for me — looked at my spam and forsook it to the third time I heard it, I was at an advance air base and a French band played it. The big question now in my mind is: Can the Italians play it? I'll give you that answer later — I hope.

"I wonder who heard it in the Solomons — in Australia — in England."

Fine idea, Hoot — take the ball from there, will ya? someone?

From the Marine base at Camp Pendleton, Oceanside, Calif., Lt. Andy Chiebke (recently engaged to one of the St. Mary's belles, Joan Metzger) writes:

"Just a word from Camp Pendleton to say I was just promoted to assistant athletic director.

... We have so many N.D. fellows here such as Clipper Smith, Joe Beinor, Jack Cheigmy, Jim O'Toole, McNamara, etc., we could hold a Notre Dame Night. I'm still playing baseball and we have a real club out here. Ted Lyons is now pitching for us. We beat a couple double A ball clubs in this Pacific Coast league. I'm having a good year with that stick, hitting .400 up to Sept. 2. My address: Pendleton 12 AAI, Oceanside, Calif."

Comes again Mrs. Lora Lasbrough, Dean Clarence Manion's faithful chronicleer:

"Only this morning (Sept. 10) we had a letter from Lt. Robert Simon of the USMC in which he said he had bumped into a three-months-old copy of the 'Alumnus' which reminded him to write. Bob was living in Salt Lake City to assume responsibility for his conduct when absent from the military reservation. John Speca and Ed Porter have not written for so long we are threatening to penalize them. Dick Seigler said Ed was in the Army but we can't confirm it. John was reported rejected for military service and is believed practicing law in Wisconsin but surely that state's mail service could bring more tangible evidence, if approached.

"A few weeks ago, Alex Tsiolis wrote from the mountains of North Africa, then followed with a V-mail letter from Sicily, and we expect the next to be from Rome. Alex has an interesting assignment in the AMGOT and reported that he had five Sicilian cities to set up governments in and for whom he wrote from there. Any soldier who is unfortunate enough to be stationed in one of these towns under Lt. Tsiolis' command should immediately engage counsel, for his training in occupational government has been complete and included a basis in MP work.

"Ensign Paul Kashmer was last heard from in North Africa, on the west coast. Army Air Cadet Steve Quinn called at Notre Dame the first week of September while en route from Texas to New York to recover from an appendectomy. Pvt. Warren Deahl is at Camp Hood, Texas. Ensign Mervin Bagen, who has been stationed in Bermuda and points south, has a wedding date planned soon, it is reported. Ensign Cecil Jordan, married in July, has reported to Norfolk, Va.

"Joe Lavery is at Camp Sibert, Ala., and our information comes via Mrs. Lavery and son in Denver. We are the father of the son who enjoyed a visit together in June. Lt. Joe Barr of the USMC sent a V-mail recently via the Fleet P.O. at San Francisco. Jim Darby is assistant prosecutor for his home county in Michigan. Dick Duggan is on a permanent disability; he is employed by a local insurance company and is still on leave. Lt. Bill Hosinski is at the air base at Albuquerque, N. Mex., and was home on leave recently.

"Jim Mahon is soon to be commissioned in the Army and is stationed at Fort Benning, Ga. Harry Murray, Chicago, spent a week here in August. Ed Drake, from that confusing community of Philadelphia, N. Y., long-distance from Chicago to Fort Sheridan while passing through en route to Boise, Idaho. He had just received his Army second lieutenant's commission as a navigator at Houston, Texas. He had run into Bob Houlihan some time back here, who was at Pensacola, Fla. Bill Rice of Pittsburgh and the class of '43, happened along at a dance at Fort Sheridan's Service Club, Rico, who reported for the Fort football team to try to spell tackle like he did for Alumni Hall, is with an anti-aircraft battalion here.

Tom Cody was visiting Fort Sheridan recently and I met him on the north shore train. He was training as a meteorologist at the University of Chicago but was aiming at an Army lieutenant's commission. Just before the All-Star game in Chicago, he was still one of Arch Ward's aides for the "Tribune," and I went to a practice for Harry Stuhldreher's charges and Steve Juzwik had Stuhldreher excited in field goal practice with a boot — he was the first one to do it — that split the uprights from the 40-yard-line. What a kick! Despite that exhibition in practice, Steve didn't get into the game but he played a whole of a game for Great Lakes against Fort Riley later. Against Fort Riley, Dick Seigler is displaying one of his old teammates, Capt. Benny Sheridan.

Bill Hober, starting All-Star left end, was at the drill. So was Ray Ehl. Ray said he had been home at Ironwood, Mich., but expected a Navy call any time. Walt Ziems was there. He's been released from the Marines on account of his bad leg and is now at Fort Sheridan doing some kind of intelligence work in the Athletic Association at N. D. Lou Rymbus was also released by the Marines, on account of a bad arm.

Corwin Clatt, Angelo Bortelli, Frank Szynanski, Creighton Miller, Cammille Piccone were other N.D. men around with the Stars at one time or another. And Steve Bazaus of our class got a furlough for the Redskins and his pass-calling ability was demonstrated again. Steve is in the Army at Camp Haan, Calif.

Lt. Col. Raymond J. Kelly is now located at Fort Bliss, Texas, having been transferred some time ago from Fort Sheridan.

Sgt. Paul Neville, still at Dover, Del., with a Fighter Squadron, said he had heard from Emmett Keenan, overseas with this address: "Hde. Co., 745th Tank Bn. (M), APO 4725, New York, N. Y." Neville also heard from Joe Lane, via Fort Pierce, Fla., and heard that Jim Duggan is doing some kind of intelligence work in Springfield, Mass.

Ensign Joe Lane (Boat Camp 2, Amphib. Tr. Base, Fort Pierce, Fla.) describes his training there: "Florida in September is still the Mecca for mosquitoes and sand flies. Over the week-end we had a ship-to-shore and took quite a beating. The surf tossed nine of our boats high and dry on the beach and it took us a full night and day to get them back off. I was on a salvage boat and at times we were 25 feet high, washing over the open boat, one of which knocked the cowling off the engine and nearly sunk the boat, but the Lord kept us upright and we survived. Now I know how it must have been for those soldiers and sailors trying to land at North Africa and Sicily."

Here comes a report from Ensign Tom Kennedy (USNR, Holworthy W-1, NTS, Harvard, Cambridge, Mass.): "What good is a Notre Dame ad dressed book these days without a time-table of events and changes? That's only one of the minor reasons why it's good to receive the 'Alumnus.' Fighting the war from the classroom to school at NTS, Harvard, isn't the most interesting assignment, but it seems to be a crossroad for lots of us. When I came up here last May, the first

IN 25 AERIAL BATTLES

When Capt. John B. Mass, Jr., ex. '42, of the Marines returned to Grose Pointe, Mich., to be married on Aug. 28 to Miss Natalie McNierney, he had since the previous October, when his engagement was announced, fought in 25 aerial battles in the South Pacific, shot down four enemy planes, won a game for Great Lakes against Fort Riley later. Against Fort Riley, Dick Seigler is displaying one of his old teammates, Capt. Benny Sheridan.

"Of course I knew that Joe Foss, one of the country's foremost aces of the current war.
person I bumped into was Jim Asmuth. He was finishing a graduate course in business administration. He returned on the first of September as an ensign in the supply corps. . . . Ensign Jerry Killigrew and Fred Hoover have been here eight months now in the advanced supply school. I ran into Ensign Ed Emmenegger at church last month. He had just come up then to the supply school with Ensign Otto Moller. Of course, Otto brought his wife with him. Lt. (jg) Charlie Deger was there but left in March and is now the supply officer for a group of PT boats—in the Caribbean, I guess.

"The Radar school at M.I.T. has two '42ers: Andy Gorsky and Bob Helk. Saw Bob in church too. Both are busy pulling apart electronics for a get-together. Have heard from John Hoehlcher. He is designing a crash-proof plane for Bell Aircraft in Buffalo. Another engineer, who is now proud papa, is Bud Crowley. Baby daughter born May 12 is a blue-eyed blonde. And Dick Heckman wrote me saying he was commissioned lieutenant in the Army June 5 and was married June 10. He and Esie Helk are in Brooklyn. Dick tells me John Stanber, who finished V-7 at N.D., is stationed on the west coast. Has he seen Doug MacDonald?"

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contrast to Camp Roberts. Bill went to U. of Michigan, I believe. Last I heard from Bob Le-Menue, he returned to Roberts from emergency furlough, and was training in a rifle outfit.

"Jim Murphy, Jim Cahill, Leo Keating, and the Godfroys are probably zooms to (censored). Jack Solomon is in the Air Force and came up via OCS. Bill has been to the Army and hasn't been able to write himself. She says he searches the "Alumnus" through before he even gets a chance. I imagine a good many other sisters and mothers and fathers do also, so may I ask all of them to drop me a note telling me what they find in their mail service. Again, even a postcard will do. From Grace Neagle: "Naturally Ed has a hard time keeping in direct touch with everyone, but the column helps not too bad. The residence, Bill, in Camp Connell, can still give his quick rotors. Ed has been overseas once and is again gone. The only continuing thing about the Navy is that eventually you meet almost everyone from N.D. When he was in Virginia, I sent him the 'Alumnus,' and that very night he met some N.D. men who nearly mobbed him when they found he'd gotten the latest issue and wasn't carrying it around with him. He knows better now.

"Jack Bermingham, '42, is a second lieutenant now and has yet to meet an N.D. man. At one of the camps he was at, he saw an N.D. sticker and spent all of his free time watching it to see if he knew the owner. However, when he wasn't looking, the car left."

Thanks very much, Grace. The fact that I've never had the pleasure of meeting you shouldn't keep you from writing again. I have, however, met your charming mother and father.

From Lt. Bill O'Neill. He writes while home on furlough saying:

"I went to Fort Hayes some seven months ago with Bill Moonhead, Jay Gibson and 'Braver' Christmas. From there 'Moose,' Jay and I went to Ft. Ben Harrison to finance training school. While there I ran into Ed Reagen and Joe Trilling. I was one of the first to leave there going down to Duke U. for OCS three months later. On Sept. 1 I presided over the meeting you should keep you from writing again. I have, however, met your charming mother and father.

"Since I left Fort Ben I heard that Joe was sent to a staging area and Jay went into a foreign cadre. I have written both of my former roommates (Bob Roberts and Jim O'Donnell) but have not heard from them for some time. Joe was in New York last time I heard from him and Jim was in Kansas. Both expected to move on joining some field unit.

"I haven't seen an N.D. man in months. But, I read the 'Alumnus' more thoroughly than 'Terry when they wrote."

Congratulations, Lieutenant, and write again.

From Jim Maher:

"It was something of a surprise to pick up the recent 'Alumnus' and find myself listed 'in the service.' As a matter of fact, I'm on the staff of the New York office of a firm of CPA's and am still able to choose the color of my tie each morning. Recently, while walking down Madison avenue, I met Jim McPhee who had come up from Miami and was expecting to leave soon.

"In the course of three weeks at Norfolk, Va., I saw Ensign Dan Stewart and Bill McGowan in church one Sunday, and Ensign Paul Tinley in one of the hotels. The latter is on my list—by reason of assuming that he'd be available for visitors one evening and then, after I finally managed to find my way out to the Amphibious base, going 'shore' that same evening, I can't say I blame him though. That base is no summer resort.

"Bob Ready is in Niagara Falls, working, and he writes that he met Bill Carey a couple of times. Bill was aviation cadet at Niagara U. but has since moved on.

"DEN Haller, as of two weeks ago (as this is written), was located at Camp Sutton, N. C., while one of his former sidekicks, Bill Hermberg, is out at Camp Robinson, Ark. Four weeks ago my roommate got a letter from him which was heard from at Camp LeJeune, New River, N. C.

"To go back to last June: I saw Dan Klein several times while he was at the Brooklyn Navy yard, but have not heard from him since he shipped out. June was also the last I heard from Fred Deves, who was at Fort Eustis, Va.

"Finally, it was three weeks ago tonight that Ensign Bill Middendorf was running through Grand Central in one direction when I was running the other.

"Ensign Jim Girard, looking over my shoulder, says every time he thinks of or sees the word CPA, cold "shriehs" go down his back. Thanks, Jim.

"Ensign Jerry Gainer just dropped in to say goodbye; he had received his orders today to go overseas.

My thanks to all those who contributed to the Centennial Fund last year. There were 77 listed in the final report in the last "Alumnus." This was 3 percent of the class of 1933; not as good as the classes immediately above us but still good considering that we have "just begun to fight." The annual Fund will begin soon, so let's get to work. We should improve.

From Bill Hawes:

Ed Roney suggests that you send me a copy of '41 news since I have met quite a few of the boys in my class here in Miami."

About the first person I met in Miami was Art Maddalena. He had finished the course here and was awaiting his orders. We didn't have much time to talk, but from what he said I gathered he had had a few exciting experiences. Then, too, he was sporting the Silver Star medal and that was enough to convince me that he had done more than his share. Don Kroclove arrived a week or so later and looked quite good despite the fact that he had spent 16 days in a raft. He is looking the other end."

Commissioned recently at Quantico were the following 24 Marines: Bob Neff, John Lanham, Tom Brock, Bob Webb and George Murphy. By the time this note appears in print, Bob Dove and Harry White will also probably be Leatherneck second lieutenants.

Bill Waelder is in the Curtis-Wright propeller division plant, Coldwell, N. J., and residing at 44 Farrington St., Cambridge. Private Mike and Jim Godfrey, Litchfield, Ill., are in the same company in the South Pacific, believe it or not: they are with a messos center of an infantry unit.

Address: 55th Inf., APO 25, e/o P.M., San Francisco.

Joe Walsh is a graduate student in chemistry at Carnegie Tech, Pittsburgh.

Addresses: Pvt. August T. Burke, 1307020, APO 7017, e/o P.M., San Francisco; Ensign John Godfrey, Lt. 1943 REUNION

Ensign Bill Fisher writes of a regular "silver lining" for this reunion in the South Pacific. In a note where, Ensign Ed Hickey, Pvt. Jim Godfrey, Pvt. Leo Keating, and 2nd Lt. John McGraw (who left school in the middle of his junior year because of the draft) joined with Bill to hash over the "old days." To add to the "one for the books" atmosphere: Keating and Fisher were roommates at N.D., Hickey was their next-door neighbor for the year, and they started a couple of doors down the hall in Alumni Hall. Bill is a skipper on the P.T. boats and Ed is in the transports.
F. Reis, Navy, e/o Fleet P.O., N.Y.C.; Pfc. Edward C. Cummings, 1st S.T. Co. 3390, A. & M. College of Texas, College Station, Texas (taking engineering); Ensign James E. McCafferty, e/o Commander, Southwest Pacific Forces, Fleet P.O., San Francisco.

Ensign Bill Ford is also in the Pacific. Ralph Canziani, a medical student in an Army specialist unit, is residing at 115 Grassmere Rd., Cynwyd, Pa.

1944 and Later

Dan Downey, Co. C, 181st HRC, Camp Roberts, Calif., wrote that he was hoping to get into the Air Corps upon completing his basic. Bob LeMense, '43, Dan said, had completed his basic at Camp Roberts a month before, had been accepted by the Air Corps and was awaiting further assignment. Dan was much cheered by the news that his brother, Jim, '48, then at the University of Minnesota, an air cadet, was to be transferred to Santa Ana, Calif., to finish flight training. Dan and Jim were hoping to spend week-ends together.

 Pvt. John L. Denniston, Co. B, 67th Bn., 14th Tgr. Regt., Camp Fanning, Texas, was one of a super group of N.D. later day students who inhabited that garden spot during the summer. (Read news of the Camp Fannin N.D. Club in the club section of this issue). When last he wrote, Pvt. D. was expecting to be transferred within a month.

Denniston had been in touch with Ted Weber who, along with his pal Al Sommer, is still tending cavalry ponies at Fort Riley, Kans. At the same post, and a halfback on the Fort Riley football team that lost to Great Lakes by one point, is Capt. Benny Sheridan, football star at N.D. in other days.

Prof. Dick Sullivan brings word that his former secretary, the Army Air Corps' Kelly Cook, can now be reached at So. 108, Ft. B, AAFCC, San Antonio, Texas.

Dave Cendon, after part of a summer on the "South Bend Tribune," headed back to his beloved New Mexico, was drafted and is now at Fort Bliss, Texas. (See "Additions! Military Men," this issue, for complete address.)

Ray Kuka's Army Air Corps address: So. 116, Bxsk. 5603, San Antonio, Texas.

FATHERSORIN'S NOTRE DAME (Continued from P.27 9)

Under his leadership Notre Dame passed through the difficult transition period when the immigrant Catholic of the nineteenth century began to aspire to higher education. With scarcely 200 college youths, few of them wealthy enough to pay their own way, he kept alive the tradition of the Catholic college of the arts which Sorin had brought from France, and added to it the practical spirit of the West; to be scientists, lawyers, engineers and businessmen, such were the destinies of his students but always and above all they were to be Christian gentlemen with an unconquerable zeal for conquest and for victory. And near the end of his presidency of Notre Dame her graduates carried those ideals creditably on the battlefields of France. The new code of canon law terminated his term as president but not his devotion and labor for his college. He remained for many the living embodiment of Notre Dame, of her culture, her love of the beautiful, and of the Catholic philosophy of life which he has made inseparably a part of her tradition.

Father Cavanaugh enjoyed calling his successor, Father James A. Burns, "the Patriarch" because he was his elder in years and in work at Notre Dame. Like Father Cavanaugh he had known Sorin and had come under the inspiration of Zahm. Father Burns had even at one time been a teacher of chemistry under the direction of scientist Zahm. But for a decade and a half he had been forming, at the community's theological seminary in Washington, the priests of Holy Cross who were to carry on at Notre Dame. Tall and spare, Father Burns was no orator, although a genius in private conversation. Leaving his chemistry classes he had achieved distinction as a pioneer in the new science of education. His history of the Catholic educational system in the United States has not yet been displaced after 25 years; and he was one of the founders of the Catholic Educational Association. He was a university leader.

In 1918 post-war Notre Dame welcomed him to guide her in the multitudinous problems of the era. Crowds of young Americans with scanty preparation were rushing into the portals of American colleges. Notre Dame received her share of these young men, whose heritage was untouched by the classical and noble traditions of English and French universities. They found college athletics and extra-curricular activities much more of interest than Latin and Greek and history. Father Burns literally opened the gates of Notre Dame to them and called upon his faculty to do what they could for these exuberant but clean-hearted American Catholic youths.

Perhaps, Notre Dame youths did not bring with them much wealth but they had spirit and faith. New curricula were devised and new recreations allowed with the hope that with these necessary tools for modern business and life at least a minimum of culture and classic wisdom could be imparted. Father Burns was president for only three years but his guidance of Notre Dame ended only with his death on the eve of Notre Dame's centennial year.

Under his calm direction Father Julius Nieuwland developed his acetylene chemistry; Knute Rockne achieved leadership in collegiate athletics; Father John O'Hara established the new religious traditions of Notre Dame; Father Charles O'Donnell became the poet and the leader. The names of Charles Phillips, Father Francis Wenninger and of other numerous workers in the unhurried class hours, or in perfecting chores, made the Notre Dame that was unknown to the sensational press.

Notre Dame was relatively poor and a plea was made to the public for finances absolutely necessary to meet the great burdens resulting from the expanding services. New buildings were constructed, higher education and research really begun; and notwithstanding this, the old classical heritage was retained, so that when succeeding generations, better fitted for higher education, come to Notre Dame, they will find the same Notre Dame that Father Sorin built in the wilderness. It is the Notre Dame of Sorin, of Zahm, of Cavanaugh and of Burns. It is the Notre Dame of countless others who worked just as hard and just as long but whom these leaders typify in this centennial year of Notre Dame.

GOVERNOR KELLY SPEAKER

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honored at this historic commencement with the honorary doctorate of laws. Bishop O'Connor and Governor Kelly will be so honored.

Mr. Crowley, long recognized in the Middle West as a business leader through his several enterprises in Madison and the State of Wisconsin, achieved outstanding national stature as chairman of the board of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, and his new post gives him added honors of world scope and significance. Mr. Crowley is a Knight of St. Gregory and an outstanding American Catholic layman.

The war will be evident in the absence of many of those receiving degrees, and in the presence of a number of graduates in the uniforms of the services, especially the V-12 programs on the Notre Dame campus. The summer school, which did not hold a commencement during the summer, will also award its degrees, largely in the graduate field, on Oct. 29.

All of the extra-formal ceremonies have been dispensed with in the interest of the war program. Alumni reunions, once an integral part of commencement, have been suspended for the duration. Only the immediate families of the graduates will be in attendance.
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